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GOOD EVENING

STOLE BACON.—E T Lewis was tried before Justice Cull for burglary this forenoon. J R Wyatt appearing for the defense, and N M Newport for the prosecution. The jury returned a verdict of guilty. The case is a peculiar one. Lewis proposed to a man named Molton to rob the smoke house of Daniel Leedy, on his farm on the Santiam. Molton informed the prosecuting attorney, and arrangements were made to capture Lewis, as it was thought other thefts had been made by him. So Molton consented and had N Bridges and C A Winkler on hand to make the arrest. Saturday night Lewis, accompanied by Molton, broke into the smoke house and took about 80 pounds of bacon. As Lewis emerged from the smoke house he was captured by the two men, who were waiting outside. He had a dark lantern, made by the leg of a rubber boot being placed around a lantern. Mrs Lewis and two children were in court. As the prisoner cannot furnish bail they will be obliged to look out for themselves for some time.

THE FIREMEN.—No. 1's and No. 2's held lively meetings last night to give the present trying situation a thorough discussion. No. 2's voted to advertise their boiler and coke for sale, and invited No. 1's and the H & L Co to meet with them. No. 1's accepted the invitation to meet with No. 2's, after first voting it down. Wm Richards, Chas Metzger and Albert Stellmaker were appointed a committee to confer with the H & L Co in reference to the sale of the furniture and also to confer with the city council in reference to the appointment of an engineer for No. 2's. A like committee, consisting of W W Rowell and P C Anderson, was appointed by No. 2's.

THE DEMOCRAT has heretofore given its opinion that the proper way is to appoint an engineer of No. 2's who shall also do special work at the depot and other places where required, in case of fire getting his engine there if needed as soon as possible.

A FREE BRIDGE.—A small vote was cast yesterday on the bridge question; but enough to show the sentiment of the public. A fuller vote would have been more in the same direction. The majority was 40 in favor of a free bridge, as follows:

FOR FREE BRIDGE.

First Ward.....	54
Second Ward.....	75
Third Ward.....	77
206	

FOR TOLL BRIDGE.

First Ward.....	47
Second Ward.....	37
Third Ward.....	73
157	

A WILL CASE.—A very interesting will case is being heard today before Judge Duncan. The point to be decided is whether a will made by an unmarried woman is revoked by her subsequent marriage. Mr Geo W Wright appears for the surviving husband and Wm Hunter and L L Say, the administrator, and Mr H H Hewitt for parties claiming under the will.

AN IMMENSE HOG.—Mr Jeff Isom, of Brownville precinct, recently killed a hog which has been rarely if ever equalled in size in Oregon. A 300 pound hog is considered large; but one killed by Mr Isom weighed 710 pounds dressed, being worth at 35 cents \$247.50. Instead of selling it it was put up for home use. The entire state of Oregon is invited to beat this record.

BURGLARY AT SCIO.—Burglars entered the store of A J Huston, now in charge of W H Ramsey and D Meyers, at Scio, last night, and captured quite a stock of shoes and other articles, departing without leaving their card. No clue to the thieves.

A. O. U. W. MEETING.—There will be a public meeting next Friday evening at the opera house in the interest of the A O U W order. Mr Frank Davey of Forest Grove, State Lecturer and Grand Master Dr T C Mackey of this city will deliver addresses. There will be music to enliven the occasion. Admission free. The public are invited.

ACCEPTED.—The Albany foot ball team hereby accepts the challenge of the Albany College team to play a game tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on the college campus. They also challenge the team of the Albany College junior, to play a game on Saturday 12:30 o'clock p. m.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, ATTENTION.—All members of Laurel Lodge No. 7, C of P are requested to meet at their castle hall, tomorrow, Wednesday, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., from whence they will attend a body the funeral services of our deceased Pythian brother, Geo C Henderson, dated this Feb 6th, 1894. C C.

THE WAY TO DO IT.—The way to do it is to take your washing to the Chinamen. If you want your work well done at living prices take it to Richard & Philip's Steam Laundry. They know how without bawling them round a pelf.

A cotton carpet soon looks faded and soiled, while a good linen warp matting will remain bright, and sweep easier, you can buy the best of the Albany Furniture Co. They have a new lot.

By using Hall's Hair Renewer, gray, faded or discolored hair assumes the natural color of youth, and grows luxuriant and strong, pleasing everybody.

C E Brownell's grocery store is increasing in popularity. He carries a fine stock of a light room, easily accessible and lives bargains. Next door to the P O.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Forty Years the Standard.

HOME AND ABROAD

The steamer Del Norte will sail for San Francisco from Yaquina next Saturday morning.

There will be a literary entertainment at the public school house this evening. The public is invited.

Salem is full of candidates for the post office in that city. The latest is a woman, Mrs Agnes Dinmore.

The Daily Democrat, of Salem, has suspended. It was a good paper, but it started when the field was already more than filled.

Services every afternoon and evening this week at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev F F Longbottom assisted by Rev V F Ingle. All are invited.

Park McDonald killed a large swan while coming down the river in his boat last evening. It is a beautiful bird and can be seen at Wheeler's grocery store. It weighs 15 pounds. —Corvallis News.

All the ladies interested in kindergarten work, are requested to meet at their rooms (The old United Presbyterian church) on 4th and Washington St Wed afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Some days ago a correspondent writing from Peoria stated that the shingle mill at that place had been removed to Benton county. The proprietor requests us to say that this was a mistake, and that it still remains at Peoria, where he will supply all demands for shingles.

The Dalles Chronicle says: It costs in salaries about \$7,300 a year to run the public schools of The Dalles. The teachers get pay for nine months in the year as follows, per month: Principal, \$150; assistant principal, \$70; two teachers, \$55 each, and seven teachers \$50 each. The salary of the school clerk amounts to \$300 yearly, which brings the sum up to \$7,300.

An immense number of hop vines are being set out through the valley, and there is liable to be an overproduction. The News of Corvallis says Emery Herren, of Monroe precinct, was in the city yesterday and informs us that he is making preparations to set out 35,000 hop plants. Besides this, a great many more will be planted this season in the upper end of the county.

PERSONAL

Percy R Kelly is in Eugene acting as stenographer for the referee in the case of Perkins et al agt J E Nolan.

Dr Little has moved into his residence at the corner of 5th and Jackson streets, where he will be found mornings and evenings.

M Senders and J W Genft have formed a partnership in the insurance business and opened an office opposite the O F Hall on Ferry st.

Miss Emily Failing, daughter of Henry Failing, the Portland banker and capitalist, will be united in marriage to Lieutenant Henry C Cabell, quartermaster 14th infantry, Vancouver, on Feb 14.

Isaac Fox, of Albany a brother of Mrs J Knight, of this city came to Corvallis a few days ago. He was sick at the time, and since arriving here his condition has become such that he is not expected to survive long. Mr Fox is an old soldier, we are told. —News. Richard Fox is meant.

The rumor is current from a nearly positive source that H B Compton, president of the board of railroad commissioners, will be a candidate for governor of the state of Oregon on the democratic ticket. He seems to be the unanimous choice of all democrats that are the fountain of political intellect on this subject. —Salem Independent.

Eleven newspaper men of the east passed through Albany this morning on their way home from the midwinter fair at San Francisco. They were C G Seymour of the Chicago Herald; George Ade, Chicago Record; John T McCutcheon, Chicago Record; John M Maxwell, Chicago Mail; Dan Green, Chicago Post; Irving J Lewis, Chicago Times; George Balling, Chicago Inter-Ocean; Edward L Shuman, Chicago Journal; E E Bates, Cleveland Plaindealer; W H Simpson, Pittsburg Dispatch; and C Hatzfeld, Staats-Zeitung. J F J Archibald of the San Francisco Chronicle was also with them.

LARGE HOUSES.—Sutton's Uncle Tom's Cabin drew the biggest sort of houses at Ming's Saturday, both at the matinee and at night. A year ago the same attraction under the same management appeared in Helena, and it gave such a first class production of that greatest of all southern plays as to insure the people going on Saturday. The show is all the advance notices claimed it was—the best Uncle Tom's Cabin company on the road. Nothing is slighted, nothing is cut, and nothing is injected into the play to make it "go." The management believe that "Uncle Tom's Cabin" well staged and played by first class people, is good enough by itself, and so it was. A proof of the merit of the company was furnished by the fact that a large number of the people who attended the matinee paid their dollar to see the night performance. Nothing is lacking in Sutton's Uncle Tom's Cabin. —Great Falls Leader.

NOTEWORTHY.—There will be a noteworthy attraction at the opera house, Monday, Feb 13. It will be the Calhoun opera company of 45 people, and their own excellent orchestra. The opera selected is "Bohemian Girl." It will be handsomely mounted and gorgeously costumed. The grand orchestra of 25 well trained voices and the capable orchestra go to make up a perfect production. It is not often Albany theatregoers have a chance to witness such a splendid organization and the house will no doubt be packed to the doors.

HARD ON ONSIONS.—The board of railroad commissioners were in session in Salem yesterday. T L Lawson of Minto, Oregon, filed with the board a complaint in which it is alleged that the rates on onions, as charged by the Oregon Pacific, are excessive; so much so as to prevent him from carrying on business with any profit at all. The board took the matter under consideration.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—The partnership heretofore existing and doing a blacksmithing business under the name of Cramer & Bowman is dissolved by mutual consent this day. All claims due the firm or owing by it will be settled by the old firm at the shop on Second street between Ferry and Washington. Mr Cramer retires and Mr Bowman will continue the business. February 1, 1894. CRAMER & BOWMAN.

FOR SALE.—23 shares of Albany elec a bright stock—the best dividend paying stock in this city. Enquire at this office.

MISFITS

The editor of the Astoria Budget is certainly an optimist. He says: The factories all over the United States are commencing work again and every indication is that 1894 will be the most prosperous year in the history of the country. Politicians have clogged the machinery of industry as long as the country will stand it. Their continual harangues about protection and free trade has about lost its effect.

If an eight mill tax is insufficient to run Albany, as is evidently the case, let the city charter be amended by the next legislature providing for 10 mills as the limit. This could be done before February 1st. But do not provide for a trade tax, making one class of men pay more than their share of taxes, a most unjust system of taxation, imposing an extra burden on those already having their hands full, particularly under the present laws, which do not permit the taking out of indebtedness.

OAKVILLE.

The residence of Daniel Whyte was destroyed by fire last Friday night. Mr W was away from home but some of his neighbors arrived at the fire in time to save forty sacks of wheat. He had four hundred bushels of wheat in the house, which with all of his household goods were destroyed. The house was built by Capt John Smith in the year 1856 on his donation claim. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The Populists are trying to capture all the voters in this precinct but have not succeeded yet, we know of two or three they will not get.

J B White is able to be around again.

Robert Smith and R H Farrar started to Jacksonville last week. They intend to prospect for gold. Mr S is an old and successful miner.

The Populists are inviting the other parties to discuss the issues with them, but they are like the street gambler, have all the advantage; and the other parties want to save their credit. See!!

W H Millmolen called on us this morning. Mr M is in the Nursery business. He says there is a large demand for apple trees, and although the times are dull, the sale of trees are about the same as they were in good times.

Some of our young people are going to a school entertainment at Greenback school house, on Monday evening.

Our merchant is stocking up some. He has received a large lot of garden seeds.

The prairie men are fighting mad about the Wilson bill, but it is hard to suit all.

WHO ARE VOTERS.

The Democrat is asked the law providing for the qualifications of voters at school meetings in Albany. It is as follows: "In all school districts in this state with a population of one thousand and upwards, any citizen of this state shall be entitled to vote at a school meeting who is twenty-one years of age and has resided in the district 30 days immediately preceding the meeting, and who has property in the district upon which he or she pays a tax." Of course, in addition to the above the voter must have resided in the state six months.

JUST A JOKE.—Mr Casper Vaudran is decidedly interested in Chinese Pheasants, already having a fine collection of live birds in a pen at the depot. Knowing his delight in the bird yesterday some of his friends at the depot put a stuffed bird in a tree, and informed him of the fact. Thinking one of the birds had escaped from the pen he made a rush for the bright plumaged celestial, and caught it; but it offered no resistance.

Clean towels to every customer at Viereck shaving parlors.

Bath at Viereck's shaving and hair cutting parlors.

See the New Improved Singer sewing machine. The best is always the cheapest. W Sawden, agent. Office at F M French ewelry store.

LETTER LOST.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, Feb 3d, 1894. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Wayne Adkins, C W Acheson, Mrs Emily Burkhardt, L D Carl Esq, E Dow Esq, R R Frimph, Mrs Carrie Fresh, Miss Carrie Gray, Oscar Hodgkins, Miss L E Kearney, Mrs Ellen Miller, Miss L E Morgan, G W Reese, L C Staver, Mrs R M Stone, Johnny Williams.

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ALBANY OPERA HOUSE.

WINS & CURICK, Managers.

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In Balfe's

Bohemian Girl.

Complete Chorus and Or-

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Prices \$1.00. Reserved seats on sale at

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DRUGS

Stationery, Toilet Articles, Musical

Instruments, Etc.

Hodges & McFarland,

The Corner Drug Store, Albany, Or

CONDITIONAL IMMORTALITY.

Albany, Ore, Feb 5, 1894. The article entitled (a reward) in last Monday's daily, Mr Editor of DEMOCRAT, should have been prefaced by stating as follows: Mr Geo W Ketchum state evangelist of the Second Adventist Christian Church formed this article and as I wanted to be zealous for truth, I thought I would have it printed with my offer annexed, but here is Mr Ketchum's own statements in his article: Last, \$500 reward. I am in agreement with four other men in Ventura county, California, who, associated together, have decided to offer the above reward in order to find "The faith once delivered to the saints," that has been lost in the errors of heathen tradition. Now all this should have been prefixed to the article in question in order to do justice to Mr G W Ketchum and myself. Also please let me call the attention of the public through your columns that some of the best minds are looking into the subject of conditional immortality and kindred subjects and not a few few in Albany as well as elsewhere. For the benefit of the public, let me give you a few addresses where they issue works, from leaflets to volumes, on conditional immortality and kindred subjects. I wish the people would read "The Unspokeable Gift" by Prof Pettigell \$1.00 or Views and Reviews for the same price, by the same man, now address I C Welcome, Yarmouth, Me, W R Young, Central Bank Building, Oakland, Cal, or the World's Crisis Office, box 5140, Boston, Mass, either office will furnish you a catalogue free of their books or tracts. Now if the public wants to hear the great question of Conditional Immortality discussed, I have strong reasons to believe that I can find a christian gentleman that will take the soul sleepers side of the question from the Bible standpoint, that will meet Dr Driver or any other man of standing that thinks the soul does not sleep between death and the resurrection, (for the sake of getting at the truth,) for truth is much better than error for any people that will follow it. "Try all things and hold fast that which is good." Paul. Yours For Truth.

ALVIN J CAROTHERS.

SEWING MACHINES neatly repaired and warranted by a thoroughly competent work man, at F M French's jewelry store, Albany Oregon.

DIED.

HENDERSON.—On Monday evening, Feb 5, 1894, at his home in Albany, of consumption, after a lingering illness, Mr George C Henderson, at the age of 26 years. The deceased was born in Linn county, residing here all his life, with the exception of a residence in Eastern Oregon for awhile. He was the son of Mrs T L Dugger, of Scio, and has one brother, Mr Wm Henderson, of Oakland, Calif. A wife and young son are left to mourn the loss of a good husband and father. Funeral services occur tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the late residence of the deceased. Mr Henderson was a member of Albany Engine Co. No. 1, and arrangements are being made for the company to attend the funeral in a body.

New Advertisements.

WANTED. Girl to do general house work. Call at F P Nutting's

For Sale or Trade, a house and lot in good location in Albany. Will sell cheap for cash or will trade for land partly or wholly improved, not very far from town. Call or write to this office.

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2 Marks, the Lawyers

2 Educated Donkeys

2 Cuban Bloodhounds

4 Shetland Ponies

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BABY EDITI,

Aged 5 years, as the Angel Child.

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AT 11:45 A. M. DAILY

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Building Association, held in this office, in Albany, Linn county, Oregon, on Monday, the 5th day of March, 1894, at the hour of 7 o'clock p. m., of said day, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. Dated this 5th day of February, 1894. E A PARKER, Secretary. JULIUS JOSEPH, President.

LOST.—A Jersey calf, black with white nose, from Horace Froman's farm, near Albany.

WANTED.—A good family who will take a girl 12 years of age and rear as one of the family. Call at this office.

COUNTY WARRANTS.—Bought and sold by H F Merrill.

WORTH CONSIDERING

Will & Stark, Jewellers

If you want a fine smoke call for Joseph's white labor cigars.

The best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyer's.

Hodges & McFarland, the leading drug store, Albany, Or.

Will & Stark's large line of silver ware has created a great deal of talk.

Paroniza home industry by smoking the celebrated white labor cigars, manufactured by Julius Joseph.

The O K Grubber is sold on trial. To try one does not mean you are compelled to buy. Mfg'd by JAS. FINNEY & SONS, Brooks.

THE THINGS WE EAT

very largely make us what we are. No thought can pass through the mind without leaving some effect, however slight. Many slight impressions, in time, make mighty changes. It's the same with the body. Abuse it with poor food and take the consequences. For purity and certainty in groceries and baked goods, go to Parker Bros.

AN ALBANY JEWELRY STORE

Worth patronizing is that of Will & Stark. They carry the finest line of silverware, watches, clocks and jewelry generally in the valley, and satisfactory prices are always given for the superior quality of goods they keep in stock. Never buy without calling on them.

My fall line of MACINTOSHES and OSAMERS, including many novelties for ladies, misses and children, is now on hand. S E Young.

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Visitors are not asked to BELIEVE but are shown goods to CONVINCE them that we are leading the trade in STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, LADIES FINE SHOES

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Yours Truly

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W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN. \$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoe. \$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Sols \$2.50, \$2 for Workingmen \$2 and \$1.75 for Boys. LADIES AND MISSES \$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.71. CAUTION.—If any dealer offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price, or says he has them without the name stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud. THIS IS THE BEST \$3 SHOE IN THE WORLD. W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better satisfaction at the prices advertised than any other make. Try one pair and be convinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas' name and price on the bottom, which guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them. Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a low price, and we believe you can save money by having all your footwear of the dealer whose name is stamped on the bottom. Catalogue free upon application. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass. For sale by the L E BLAIN CLOTHING CO.