The Lebanon Express.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 1890.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Beard & Holt have the finest albums in the city.

There will be a dance at Union Hall this evening.

George C. Stanard, of Brownsville, was in town this week.

Remember the meeting of the Board of Trade for next Monday evening.

Dr. I. W. Starr, of Albany, was to be seen on our streets on Wednesday of this week.

We are glad to say that C. B. Montague is able to be up and out on the streets again.

Parties wishing a sample copy of the EXPRESS can get it by dropping us a postal card.

The real estate sales for the new year indicate that the record for 1890 will be more than double that of 1889. Lebanon dirt is getting to be a nice thing to have some of.

Rev. F. W. Parker, of Woodburn, was in town the latter part of last week. He purchased three lots in Wasson's addition and one in Kirkpatrick's second addition while here.

The snow and severe storms have made it necessary for the owners of extensive herds of stock, in the Unitah mountains in Wyoming, to ship their stock into Kansas and Nebraska to feed them.

Mr. D. Andrews has bought a half interest in A. F. Hamilton's store at Sweet Home, where he intends going as soon as he can get well enough to take charge of the store. He will not move his family up there now.

There is an immense amount of snow in the mountains—the oldest inhabitants say there never were such depths—so when the chinook comes look out for freshets and a general overflow and be prepared for the results.

Rev. J. R. Kirkpatrick returned from Seattle last Friday, and ever since has been confined to the house, and part of the time to the bed, with lung fever and an old attack of liver complaint. However, he is now able to be up.

T. C. Peebler & Co. have put up two lots to raffle off, one of which is a corner lot. He offers a chance at these lots at $10. The drawing will be by numbers and the highest is to get the corner lot and the lowest the other. These lots are situated in a favorable part of town and this is an excellent chance to get two fine lots.

Articles of incorporation were filed Monday in the office of the secretary of state by the Corvallis, Brownsville & Eastern Railway, with J. B. Lee, J. R. Bryson, James A. Cauthorn, Peter Hume, Geo. A. Dyson and T. J. Black, incorporators; capital stock, $50,000; principal office, Corvallis; object, primarily to build a railroad from Brownsville to Corvallis.

The superintendent of the railway mail service concluded arrangements with the agents of the Oregon railway & Navigation Co., Tuesday, by which all mail for Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, which has been held back some days on account of the snow blockade on the railroad, will be forwarded Wednesday, January 22, by the steamship Columbia.

Under the statues it is the duty of the county court at its first term in each year to make a jury list containing the names of person. to serve as grand and trial jurors in the circuit court for the following year. The list must contain 200 names, and below are the names of Lebanon's citizens who are on the list: W T Jordan, R Cheadle, G F Burkhart, J C Mossholder, R C Miller, L T Evans, G W Cruson, E F Blodgett, Jos Elkins, John Denny, C O Gentry, S M W Hindman, Chris Hardman, Frank Hall, J R Keebler.

Rev. A. Le Roy of Brownsville closed a series of lectures in the Cumberland Presbyterian church of this place on Tuesday evening. These lectures have been well attended, considering the immense amount of sickness in our town, and have resulted in much good both by imparting much valuable instruction and awakening a hungering and thirst for knowledge and exciting a spirit of research. The learned gentleman has traveled extensively in Europe and Asia, as well as in America, and has so thoroughly noted his observations as to make his hearers feel like they, too, had gone the same journeys themselves. We heartily commend the reverend gentleman to any church or community, as an easy, fluent, graceful and instructive talker.

NEWS ITEMS.

T. C. Peebler & Co. sold two lots to George Peebler and two to Charles Goan this week.

One good four-year-old horse for sale cheap—well broke—apply at this office and get a bargain.

On Wednesday night the mail from the East arrived in Lebanon via the O. R. & N. Co.'s line.

Mr. Ben Barker has closed his billard and pool hall. We suppose the reason was that it was not paying enough.

Since the la grippe first struck our town it has kept the doctors on the move, but their business seems to be slackening now.

Potatoes and apples are scarce articles in this city. It seems as if plenty of apples could be in the market at this season if proper care was taken in packing.

Do not buy any eastern trash when you can get those splendid Buckingham & Hecht goods at Montague's Mammoth store and also at his One Price Cash Store.

It has been nearly two weeks since a train has been through from California, and from the present outlook there is no telling when it will get through.

Most all who have had the la grippe are about well, but some few still have it. On a whole, it is vanishing rapidly, and we believe there have been no serious cases.

Our goods reach us direct from the manufactory and every pair of our boots and shoes are fully warranted. When you need any boots or shoes look over Montagues large new stock.

A gentleman from salem has rented the corner store room formerly occupied by Peebler & Buhl, and intends putting in a stock of groceries and gent's furnishing goods next month.

John G. Reed has bought the entire stock of bankrupt goods of B. F. Bodwell and has opened the store again. Mr. Reed says he intends putting in a new stock of goods. Bodwell is helping him in the store.

The Lafayette Ledger has changed its management. S. Dorris, of the firm, having sold his interest to A. B. Westerfield. Newspapers are thick in Yamhill, the county having more than any county in the state excepting Multnomah.

In Ohio a wife beater was rode on a rail and and seriously injured. The friends of the man attempted to rescue him, but were driven off by the regulators and the ride continued. Jealousy was the cause of the beating and justice the cause of the ride.

Harrisburg is up with the times and some of her business men are making arrangements to build a 120-ton steamer of light draught to ply on the Willamette between Eugene and Corvallis. Sam May, Mr. Davis and several other Harrisburg citizens will furnish the money. We hope the plan may be carried through.

We have bought a new press and during the past six months have added a large quantity of new material to our office, and have just ordered from Portland a large stock of printing stationery, and have another order on the way from San Francisco, which will enable us to more fully meet the demand of the general public for job printing in the future.

The editor and foreman of this office a short time before Christmas each purchased a nice umbrella, and had had them but a few days before they were picked up by some poor, ungrateful and unsympathizing wretch, and they have never been returned to their owners. Owing to the inclemency of the weather the above mentioned editor and foreman have been compelled to purchase new ones, and sad indeed will it be for the unprincipled piece of humanity who takes either of these useful and necessary articles.

Last Wednesday Dr. Hill was called out from Albany to consult with Dr. Lamberson to consult with him in the treatment of Mrs. Case, who has been quite ill. Dr. Hill had to go back to Albany that night, and Allen Nickerson took him on his velocipede. As they were nearing Albany the south bound overland train was about to start out, so they took the velocipede off the track about 200 yards from the depot, and as the doctor wanted to go off on the train, both ran as fast as they could, and in the intense darkness Nickerson fell into a cattle guard and struck his head on the railing, making him insensible for a while. He was given all the medical aid needed, and then put on the Lebanon train and brought home. He is now getting along all right, but has a very bad looking face.

SANTIAM ACADEMY.

The present term at Santiam Academy closes Friday, January 31. Spring term opens Monday, Feb. 3.

The question, "Resolved, That a minister of the gospel can, consistently, vote the republican or democratic ticket," is to be discussed at the Academy Friday night. It promises to be quite interesting. It is open night. You are invited to attend.

For TEACHERS who desire to more thoroughly prepare themselves for work, Santiam Academy offers superior advantages. Spring term of ten weeks opens February 3d.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Our school is rather slim this week, but hope the la grippe has about done the work and will go from the pupils, so they can soon be in their place again.

We don't care to acknowledge who "Rol" is yet awhile, but if our notes should fail to appear the editor might "give us away."

As Mr. Thompson says he is out of taffy, I suppose the girls will not be going to the Cash Store this week.

Small schoolboy, on being questioned by his mother what a period denoted, he answered, "A full stop."

"Well, my son, what does a comma denote?"

Small boy—"To come on."

The prizes given to the two different grades for the past term were presented last Friday to Miss Abbie Fry and Maggie Cotton—each five dollars.

Ye correspondent having been out of school most of the time on account of la grippe, has not been able to gather all the news.

The contestants are hard at work practicing their speeches for next Friday, at which time the contest will take place. The prize to be owarded is a silver cup. ROL.

We notice that Webster and Mary are not as lively as usual this week. Wonder what's the matter.

OREGON'S TIMBER LANDS.—The "rush" for timber land has about ceased at present, to be revived when the charms of spring awaken, and the mocking bird is singing on the bough. Title has been acquired to vast quantities of timber land in Oregon during the past year. There has been much swindling indulged in by rascally thieves calling themselves land locators, but there has also been a vast volume of legitimate transactions made, which will result in the starting of many big sawmills in various portions of the state. The business of the Roseburg land office for 1889 was huge as follows: Number of pre-emption filings, 568; number of homestead entries from Jan. 1, 1889, 430. Number of final entries from Jan. 1, 1889, to Jan. 1, 1890, 165; number of final cash entries from Jan. 1, 1889, to Jan. 1, 1890, 410 Amount of acreage covered, 24,000 acres. Amount of cash receipts, $111,243 28.—Herald.

At Portland potatoes have advanced in price since the freeze and are being retailed at 2½ cents per pound, while wholesale dealers are paying 1½ cents. At Salem they are retailing at $1 per bushel, and at 90 cents in Lebanon, the advance haying been steady during the past week. A year ago potatoes were so cheap that many Lebanon people purchased them to feed their cows. The 1888 price was rather a discouragement to growers, and as a consequence the large crop was not raised in 1889. But those who did plant many last year and did not sell too quick were well repaid, as the splendid price they are now bringing testifies.

Bert Lucas, the Monmouth bicyclist, in about two months will go east, and in company with about thirty other bicyclists will do Europe on a bicycle, traveling through France, Switzerland, Belgium, Germany and England, on a safety. He will be gone until September 1st.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber land in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory,"

NAPOLEON B. PENTLAND,

of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 18[illegible], for the purchase of lots 1 and 2 and s½ of ne¼ of section 4, Tp 12 S of R 1 E, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1890.

He names as witnesses: John F. Johnston, Robert Finley and William Hackaday, of Portland, Oregon, and L. L. Trask, of Tacoma, Washington.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of April, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.