

Expressions.

Mrs. J. G. Boyles was visiting in Albany this week.

Mrs. W. F. Read returned to her home in Albany yesterday morning.

Mr. C. B. Montague left Wednesday for Salem where he goes on business.

The ladies of the W. R. C. will give an entertainment February 22. See this paper next week.

Born to the wife of William Robins, January 15, a daughter. Mother and baby are both doing well.

Prof. H. H. Wilkes, principal of the Lebanon High school, made a business trip to Albany last Saturday.

Trade with the people who invite you to do so through the columns of the local paper. They are the most liberal.

County Treasurer N. S. Brown of Marion county, died suddenly at Salem yesterday. He is a nephew of Judge Duncan, of this county.

The Cumberland church at Soda-ville was sold last Saturday at sheriff sale to satisfy a mortgage. It was bid in by the McCartney estate.

At the C. P. church Saturday evening, at half past seven Dr. J. W. Watts of Albany, will preach, also Sunday morning and evening. All are invited to be present and hear his discourses.

The unflagging interest of the ladies tea parties, bids fair to be equalled only by the widowers, bachelors and old men of Lebanon, who are giving strong rumor of a coffee party in the near future.

Referee Yates was in Lebanon Wednesday to finish taking evidence in the Sturtevant vs. Ralston case. Attorney Somers appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney Wyatt for the defendant. We understand that all the evidence is now in on this case.

There are to be three weddings in Albany this week in which prominent and popular young people will take part, to-wit: Edgar Blodgett and Miss Maggie Simpson, Thomas Thomas and Miss Ella Risley, and J. B. Conn and Miss Anna Babington.—Democrat.

Last Saturday evening in the parlors of the St. Charles, in this city, Miss Belle Holton and J. H. Littlejohn, were married by Rev. D. T. Sumner, pastor of the M. E. church, here. Only the relatives and intimate friends were present.

Lebanon's Engine Company No. 1, will give a masquerade ball for the benefit of the fire company on the evening of February 14. Everybody is invited. For particulars you can call on A. B. Nickerson as he is chairman of the committee on arrangements, or watch for the dodgers.

There will be a basket meeting conducted by Rev. C. A. Wooley and Rev. E. T. Ingle, at the Seminary building, in Soda-ville, on Sunday, January 20. All are invited to bring well filled baskets and attend the days services. The meeting will continue through the week.

W. H. Hefner of Centerville, South Dakota, in company with his father-in-law Mr. Gotschalk, of Brownville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Harden this week. Mr. Hefner is looking up a location with a view to going into business. We hope he will decide to locate in Lebanon, and remain with us.

Mr. Hiram Baker has received another large invoice of the celebrated W. L. Douglas shoes this week, both for ladies and gentlemen. Mr. Baker informs us that it is a hard matter to keep enough of these shoes in stock, as his trade on them is so great. To buy one pair means always to wear the Douglas shoe.

The subject of discourse at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday morning will be "The Greatest Privilege of a Human Life," text, John 20, 31; in the evening the subject will be "A Knowledge of Mercy in Repentance," Romans 2, 4. The pastor particularly invites those who have no church home and those who are not in the habit of attending church regularly to go and spend the Sunday with them.

E. F. (Ned) Carleton who has just completed a term of school at the Graham school house left for Albany Wednesday morning, where he will commence the study of law in the office of Carl & Kelley. He will also take a course in shorthand. Although Ned is yet quite young, we predict he will do well in his chosen profession if hard study and applying oneself will accomplish it and of course it will.

Meers, Buff Hlatt and John Morris have gone in with J. A. Dobkins and will have the stamp roller that Dobkins has invented patented. Buff was showing us a model of it this week and from what we have known of stamp rollers, this beats anything of the kind we have ever seen. Hlatt and Morris are both practical and we believe they will soon have this patent well worked out. We wish them success.

Old papers for sale here at five cents per dozen.

Attorney A. F. Stowe is in Portland and Salem this week.

Mrs. E. Powers of Santiam, was a passenger to Albany Tuesday.

J. E. Adeox the watchmaker can give you a first class fit in glasses. No fancy prices.

Those who patronize Pugh & Munsey always get the best there is in the market at lowest prices.

Rev. A. Jack Adams expects to go to Murtle Point next week, where he will take charge of a church.

Mr. R. H. Ross has closed a trade with Mr. David Andrews for his interest in the real estate office.

Dr. G. W. Cheadle, dentist, office hours from 11 a. m. till 4 p. m. office over city drug store.

Pugh and Munsey have just received a new line of furnishing goods, price them before buying elsewhere.

J. E. Adeox the watch maker, has a nice assortment of watches, chains etc., at prices that will astonish you.

Mrs. J. A. Roberts and children, of Springfield are in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. Montague and old friends.

Dalglish & Everett can sell you fine presents that will give satisfaction, comfort and pleasure every day in the year.

Peterson, Ross & Co. have some splendid farms and city residences for sale at a bargain on the installment plan. If you want a farm or town property, don't fail to see these men.

Attorney Colvig of Grant's Pass, is in the city taking evidence in the case of Scott vs. J. D. Walton in which Mr. Scott sues Walton for the recovery of a farm that he traded him in Josephine county.

Dr. F. P. Matchett of Wardner, Idaho, arrived in Lebanon last Monday. He is now visiting his father near Santiam postoffice. The doctor is thinking something of returning to the valley to locate.

The Albany Democrat says: That it has been reliably informed that before Governor Penney's time, as governor had expired, that he commuted Morgan Wasson's sentence from life to four years and G. F. Russle's time to eighteen months.

Last Monday, G. W. Rice, local agent in this city for the Royal insurance company, received a check on the Albany bank for \$600 from his company, in full payment of the amount insured of the residence of Mr. F. Ewing. This is a very prompt payment, as it had only been five days since the building had burned.

Ex-Secretary of State Fowler Chadwick, died suddenly at his home in Salem, last Tuesday evening of heart failure. He had of late been troubled somewhat from this cause but was not seriously affected. He was at the capitol building during the day apparently in good health, and death was an unexpected shock to his family and friends.

Mr. A. B. Mellwin, a pioneer merchant of Albany, died suddenly at his dinner table yesterday. He had been reading the account of the sudden death of ex-Governor Chadwick in Salem, and remarked that he was afflicted with the same kind of heart trouble, when he suddenly gasped, grew unconscious, and life had expired.

Last Saturday about midnight, Lebanon was visited by the hardest wind storm that it has experienced this winter. It shook a great many residences, blowed down a few signs along Main street, broke a glass front of one of our stores and fell a number of trees. We have heard a number of people got up and prepared themselves for the worst, but no very great amount of damage was done, and after a while they returned to their beds, sleeping peacefully till morning.

Prof. C. A. Lewis assisted by his daughter, Miss Ida, gave two of his performances in this city, last Friday and Saturday evenings which were well patronized considering the times. All who attended were satisfied they got the worth of their money. He gives a good show, and as a juggler, is ahead of any we have ever seen here. Miss Ida's pictures in the air are well worth the price of admission, at all times, to see. The Prof. made many friends here, and there are some little ones that will always remember him. Should he ever return, he will be well patronized again.

Dr. J. S. Courtney and his estimable family left last Tuesday afternoon for McCoy, their new home, where the doctor has decided to locate, and practice medicine. Dr. Courtney and his pleasing wife will be greatly missed here, our pleasant little city. The doctor has been an important factor in the up-building of Lebanon, and still owns considerable property here, including a brick block. The Express joins with their many friends in Lebanon and vicinity, in wishing them success in their future home and field of work. Among the many places that Mrs. Courtney will be greatly missed, one will be the church work, in which she took quite an interest and active part. Her place in all, will be a hard one to fill.

PROBATE RECORD.

In guardianship of Earl Brown, report of sale of personal property approved.

In estate of Wesley Down, administrator was allowed 30 days in which to file his inventory.

In estate of C. O. Patton, final hearing set for February 9.

In estate of Henry C. Melbride, E. Badger was appointed executor.

In estate of D. V. Michael, bond filed and approved.

In estate of H. A. McCartney, petition for allowance of \$100 to widow filed.

In guardianship Leander Jones, citation ordered issued for guardian to appear.

In estate of Jarah Averill, inventory and appraisal filed; real property, \$250; personal property \$2765.19.

In estate of F. E. Craft, fifth account filed.

In estate of N. C. Meyers, Jefferson Meyers was appointed executor.

In guardianship of Mary I. Zeiner, second account filed.

The Wind at Corvallis.

We see by the Corvallis Times that the wind storm that swept that vicinity about midnight last Saturday was the most violent of several seasons. The big twenty-four foot Cyclone wheel of the windmill that surmounts the water works' tower, with half its blades torn off, is a monument of the storm's severity. Those who live in that vicinity say that the wind whistling through the wheel at the time resembled the horse whistle of a big ocean steamer, and was almost as loud. Many signs were blown down and numerous houses were so shaken that inmates arose and dressed themselves, prepared for the worst. Many electric light, telephone and telegraph poles were blown down. On Jefferson and Sixth streets the electric light and telegraph wires came in contact and the heavy current of the light wire burned out the telegraph instruments in the S. P. depot upstairs office. The telephone was working yesterday but all telegraph lines leading into the town were prostrated.

The Linn Delegation.

The Statesman says: The Linn county delegation have a nice suite of rooms on Commercial street engaged for their use, in which they can meet and caucus at leisure. A Statesman reporter dropped in on them yesterday and found three present—Senator A. J. Johnson and Representatives T. Fleming Smith and W. A. Templeton. Representative J. H. Scott had gone to Portland and Senator S. A. Dawson had not yet got through shaking hands with numerous friends after alighting from the 1:40 train. They are pleasant, unostentatious gentlemen and will be found practicable, reliable legislators. They have no particular hobbies, but in the language of Senator Johnson, will work for the best interests of the whole state, thereby helping their own county as a part of the state.

The Jennings Boys Bound Over.

At the trial of the Jennings boys at this place last Saturday before Justice Lovelee, as deputy U. S. Commissioner, Frank and Lute Jennings was bound over to appear before the U. S. grand jury in the sum of \$2000 bonds. Being unable to furnish the bonds, the same, the were taken to Portland, and confined to jail. Andy Jennings was dismissed as soon as the U. S. attorney arrived here, as he did not consider that they had any evidence against him.

The evidence against the other was merely circumstantial, and was very weak at that, especially against Lute.

A Tea Party.

Mrs. W. E. Chandler gave a pleasant tea party last Wednesday evening, at her residence in this city, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. F. Read of Albany who is visiting her. The following ladies were present: Madams, Montague, Foley, Adams, Cheadle, Buhl, Peebler, Carman and Miss Fannie Griggs. Messrs. Carpan, Montague, Chandler and Dr. Cheadle got around in time to get a share in the elegant supper but was not considered in the party, as it was a regular ladies' party. All present reported a most delightful evening.

Go to Hiram Baker's for your \$1.50 men and ladies' shoes.

Awarded Highest Honor—World's Fair. DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. A pure Cream of Tartar Powder, Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

WATERLOO RUMORS.

We have not written earlier in the year because we have been dodging the least detective force, but now there being no more "Dog-faced-men" in town, we can draw a long breath of relief and visit our father without fear of arrest.

We will say nothing of the wedding because we were not invited to attend; but our cow donated a bell for the serenade, it got a severe cold—but that is more than the boys got. One of our friends was sunnied by the racket a half mile away.

Ah! that council (?) it is enough to make one weep to think how the members sit around the fireplace in Belling hall and speculate on how to build cross-walks without lumber. The only comparison we have in mind is Brother Gardner and the Linn Kline club, only instead of one member, all to be named "Give-a-darn."

Brother Hall filled Brother Plowman's appointment Sunday evening. The boys were all there as usual, also Rice and his young hopeful, therefore it is useless to add that few enjoyed the services. If the marshal is town it would swell his magnificent salary should he ever chance to go to church. It is rumored that a few ladies habitually disturb the meetings.

From the racket a few nights since out in the Third ward, we with others were led to believe J. B. Wirt had opened up a variety, but upon investigation it was found to be only Sillman entertaining a few of his friends.

We would call the attention of the "Town Fathers," to the deplorable condition of the youth of the town at large. Can no way be found to subdue laughty spirit of the little boys? The square is getting to be a place of resort for all the young cigarette fiends in the village. Where do those under age get their tobacco is one of the queries we have not time to answer.

Eight looms are ready for use and four more daily expected. The exact date of starting the mill has not been fixed but about Feb. 15, or some other day is as near as we can guess.

The latest discovery made by amateur U. S. marshals here is a written, now they are rustling for a man to fit it. We have a large sized aperture in our wishbasin but are afraid to buy solder to mend it as James Nabin bought a bar and now all look on him as a suspicious character.

Sweet Home with its chittim and grape root used to lay it over us but now we hold our head a couple of trunks higher and go them one better. How's next—grape for bon bons and taffy?

We have been asked why, as every other man in town was arrested, J. C. Hulton was slighted. Because he is a prohibitionist is the opinion of JAGGERS.

FOSTER ITEMS.

Mealey Bros., of Nealey, were in Foster yesterday.

George W. Howes has sold his farm to G. W. Herrington.

Mr. G. W. Howes, and family expect to move to Missouri next spring.

A. J. Nichol, of Willow Prairie is in town attending the meetings.

Mrs. A. H. Yost and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, of Alder Grove are attending the meetings.

Charles L. Frost was down with a team from Canyon creek; also, Charles McKinnon was in town.

The ladies of Foster and immediate vicinity gave a basket festival which netted them \$17.85 for the Foster public school.

A number have united with the Independent Evangelical church and it is to be hoped a grand revival will follow, which we hope to be able to report in due time.

B. Erickson has opened a store at this place and keeps a pretty good supply of groceries, hardware and general merchandise, and will get anything desired by their patrons.

There has been a protracted meeting, conducted by C. N. Plowman and E. E. McVicker. The discourses have been of a high order, and much good seed has been sown and good order has been observed through out.

Herrington & De Vanev are doing a good business in fire insurance and also getting many family rights for the "Tucker Tanning process." Samples of leather and machine lace can be seen at the store in Foster, or parties interested will be supplied with particulars and samples by addressing Herrington & De Vanev, box sixteen, Foster, Oregon.

AXON.

CELESTIAL HOOTS.

First class cedar posts for sale cheap. Call on or address Walter Brown, Albany office, at Freneche's jewelry store or see S. A. Nickerson at Lebanon.

When you want a new hat don't forget Pugh and Munsey. They have the latest styles.

Music lessons of the Academy have been reduced from \$2.50 to \$2 per month. Harmony free to students taking lessons in any other of its music courses.

-1895- Make the new year a PROSPEROUS ONE By buying your DRY GOODS, BOOTS, SHOES and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS —OF— Read, Peacock & Co. LEBANON OREGON

A Big Conscience.

Making restitution for past sins is becoming fashionable, and the Times' Monroe correspondent relates the following remarkable case: A few days ago George Coffee, of Monroe, received a letter from San Francisco, of which the following is a verbatim copy: HAN RAFAEL, Cal., Dec. 1894.

Dear Sir—I having heard that you live at or near Monroe, I traveled in your place about thirty years ago to your house and there was nobody at home. I wanted some bread, then I took some of your money. I could never pay you as I was too poor. Now I sold my chicken ranch. I send you \$200 in a bank check on a Eugene city bank. I hope you get it. Please give me. I could not do it sooner. I remain yours, T. L.

At the bottom of the letter and in one corner was written, "You can exchange this at Eugene City," and folded inside was a handsome draft issued by the bank of California instructing Ladd & Tilton, Portland, to pay George Coffee \$200. Mr. Coffee has received his money and of course, has with all his heart forgiven Mr. T. B. Mr. Coffee has no idea of the man's identity, has but a faint recollection of having had money stolen from his house thirty years ago.—Corvallis Times.

Little Blind Johnnie.

Blind Johnnie, the sweet child-singer will give a concert on the 22d of this month, for the purpose of raising money to defray the expenses of going to Portland to have a long needed operation performed on his eye, by which oculist hopes to enable him to resume his studies. We feel sure all who have heard this talented child sing, and understand that he is a little wife, whom his present guardian took from a foundling's hospital several years ago and who, gives him a mother's care and love, but is unable to pay the heavy expense of such a trip and operations as is necessary to save his brain from permanent injury, will gladly patronize the little fellow's concert. They will get their money's worth in hearing him sing and play, besides feeling that they have done a humane and kindly act in lending this aid in a case of urgent necessity of a lovely child who has no friends, only such as his sweet face, disposition and wonderful talent bring him wherever he is known. The concert will be in Miller's Hall at 7:30 p. m. The admission will be, children 10c. and adults 15c.

Young man, improve your time by going to school at Santiam Academy. Take the business course and fit yourself for usefulness in the business world.

Feed cats for sale. Equique of W. B. Donnan.

Fine elegant photos at Bogd's gallery for cash or produce.

If you have anything to sell or trade, call on Peterson, Ross & Co.

Smith has just added fifty new books to his circulating library.

There will be preaching in Miller's hall Sunday morning and evening.

You can get one dozen photos at the Lebanon Art gallery for 75 cents.

When you want to buy a suit of clothing you will save money by getting it at Bad's.

There will be preaching next Sunday morning and evening at the M. E. Church South, by W. L. Mofloy, pastor.

These hard times we want to save all we can, but of course we have to eat, and you will save some by getting your groceries at S. P. Bach's.

Still lower, changing key-wind watches to stem-wind \$5.40 to \$5.85 by J. E. Adeox, the watchmaker at Smith's drug store.

All Lebanon is surprised at the unusual amount of business done at the Racket store and at the large and steady increase of their stock, enabling them to double the shelving capacity on one side. Still it is not surprising when we take into account the fact that they sell the best quality of goods for twenty-five to 100 per cent. less than they can be bought at any other place in town. The eloquent cash down all around is what talks. You don't have to pay for other folks goods. When in need of anything in their line, don't fail to call and get prices, they will save you money.

The Brownsville Times contains a two column article in favor of a division of Linn county, one that will have little weight with loyal members of old Linn, one of the banner counties of Oregon. The proposed county would be nineteen by seventy miles, and according to the paper the two counties would contain the following: Value of property in incorporated towns and cities north of line, \$9,221,789; south of line, \$586,476; amount in country north of line, \$3,189,631; south of line, \$2,880,349; total amount in towns, cities and country north of line, \$9,408,170; south of line, \$3,328,085; total amount of taxes at 15-mills, on towns, cities and country north of line, \$81,122.50; south of line, \$49,950.00; total amount of taxable property in Linn county, \$9,782,105; total amount of taxes at 15-mills in Linn county \$139,081.50.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder Awarded the highest honor at the Philadelphia Centennial.