

Expressions.

Fine weather. Rev. J. H. Battle was in Albany Wednesday. Mr. I. R. Borum spent Sunday and Monday in Albany. Frank Miller returned home from Salem Wednesday. We are sorry to report Mrs. J. W. Menzies is quite sick again. L. Robinson left Wednesday for the Sound cities on a business trip. Mr. G. T. Cotton commenced clerking in the store of B. M. Donah this morning. The Knights of Pythia will organize a lodge of that order here some time this month. The committee appointed to decorate Union hall for the Masquerade are at work formulating plans for decorating. Misses Emma Tivy, Edith Wallace and Mr. George Elkins went to Albany Tuesday to be present at the Tivy-Wallace wedding. Miss Lee, who has been visiting relatives at Foster, passed through this place last Wednesday, on her return to her home in Salem. Dr. W. H. Booth left Tuesday morning for Portland to see how his little son, Willie, who is having his eyes treated there, is getting along. Parties wishing suits for the Firemen's ball can get them by calling on George Elkins. He will have a number which will be rented cheap. Prof. R. N. Michener and wife, now of Brownsville, were in the city a few minutes last Saturday evening shaking hands with old friends and pupils. Mr. George W. Smith, formerly in business in this city, is reported as dangerously ill at his home in Salem, with that dreadful disease, consumption. If all our readers will help us we can give you a newish local home paper when you have anything good, come and whisper it in our ear and we will tell everyone else. We are informed that Mrs. Duckett has received the sad news of the death of her only brother, who died very sudden in Wisconsin. She has the sympathy of all friends in this, her great sorrow. Rev. Abbott of Albany, is in the city. A singing class has been formed at the Academy, which meets on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. This is a rare opportunity for those wishing to learn the rudiments of music. The new stage at the Academy will soon be completed and will be used for the first time on February 16, when an entertainment will be given by the students. Full particulars will be given next week. The excellent factory shipped three carloads of excellent this week. One car went to Portland, and the other two to Seattle. The Company have been running the factory at its fullest capacity for several months to meet the demands. T. J. Stites, the newly appointed postmaster of Albany, has selected ex-County Clerk E. E. Montague, as his assistant. This will prove a good selection we are sure as Mr. Montague made Lebanon a splendid postmaster at one time. The interesting protracted meetings are still in progress at the M. E. church and much interest is being manifested. Rev. Abbott of Albany is assisting Mr. Summerville this week in this great and good work. Spend the evening in listening to him. Dr. F. P. Mitchell who has been visiting friends and relatives in and near this city, left Saturday evening for his home in Wardeur, Idaho. The doctor is thinking some of returning to Lebanon to locate. We would be pleased to see him come. We hear that Mrs. C. B. Skipworth's interesting select school has a number of young ladies attending who are progressing finely in their studies. Mr. Charles Gentry also reports himself well pleased with the school. There is still room for others. The ladies of the First Presbyterian church, are going to give a "pie" social next Tuesday evening, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Marks, to which every body is cordially invited. Those who want to enjoy a pleasant evening and like to eat pie, had better go. Miss Pauline Adams entertained a number of her young friends at her home last Thursday evening, January 24, in this city. It was the occasion of her fifteenth anniversary. All who were present, reported a pleasant evening and departed wishing her many happy returns of the day. Last Friday Mr. Peebler sold his grocery store to J. C. Moyer and on Monday Mr. Moyer sold a half interest in his store to Clark Kimbrough. So the new firm will be Mayer & Kimbrough. Both of these are young men of energy and pluck and will start in with the confidence of everyone and we predict that they will do well. Take Express when they choose.

Old papers for sale here at five cents per dozen. Rev. D. T. Summerville visited the county seat Tuesday. Fine elegant photos at Bogd's gallery for cash or produce. Smith has just added fifty new books to his circulating library. If you want to sell property list it with Peterson & Andrews. If you want to buy property call on or write Peterson & Andrews. The Firemen's ball on February 14, promises to be a great social event. Buy your tickets East over the N. P. R. R. or W. C. Peterson, Local agent. 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. Take Liverine, manufactured by the Anchor S Chemical Co., Lebanon, Oregon. Cheap reading matter. Ten books for 25c at the Racket store. Other things in proportion. When you want to buy a suit of clothing you will save money by getting it at Bach's. John Sturtevant was employed in this office yesterday. He was fixing our little engine. There will be preaching next Sunday evening at the M. E. Church South, by W. L. Molloy, pastor. All knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle at once. M. A. MILLER. J. E. Adcox the watch maker, has a nice assortment of watches, chains etc., at prices that will astonish you. Every cash purchaser of \$10 worth of goods at S. P. Bach's store gets a crayon portrait of themselves or friend free. See sample of work in his window. Dalgleish & Everett can sell you fine presents that will give satisfaction, comfort and pleasure every day in the year. Still lower, changing key-wind watches to stem-wind \$5.40 to \$5.85 by J. E. Adcox, the watchmaker at Smith's drug store. These hard times we want to save all we can, but of course we have to eat, still you will save some by getting your groceries at S. P. Bach's. Ladies if you are thinking of getting a pair of shoes or a new dress next week, you will want to know where to get the best for the least money. Mr. Baker always carries the best. Patronize home industry by buying and taking a bottle of Anchor S Liverine for constipation, indigestion and liver complaint, for sale by all druggists. Ladies, if you want a good cheap shoe for yourself, don't forget to go to Baker's or send for his \$5, \$1.25, \$1.50 \$2.00 or \$2.50, the best in the world for the money. His motto is, never to be under sold. Have you seen the great bargains at the Racket store. Ladies' all wool vests reduced to 70c, also ladies' all wool hose 25c, children's 15c. White wool union suits \$1.25. Twenty yards of calico for \$1. Fine satteen 12 1/2c. Alpacas, for 10c. The reason that J. E. Adcox, the watchmaker can change a key-wind watch to stem-wind at a less price than others is because he does his own work while others have to send the work to Frisco or Chicago and pay \$7 to \$8 for having it done. Lebanon's Brave Fire Boys are sparing neither pains or money to make their Masque ball a grand affair. A Committee will meet visiting Firemen at the train. The boys will be glad to have all visiting Firemen call at the Town hall on the evening of the ball. Remember the date is February 14. A very commendable feature transpired at the schoolhouse one and a half miles north of this city last Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Quite a large number of citizens congregated with the view to organize a Sunday school. The officers elected are: Frank Thompson, president; Charles Waters, vice-president; and Miss Miss Maggie Burkhardt, secretary. By request a happy throng met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Settle's last Tuesday evening about two miles north of this city. After a cordial reception, they took possession of the place of abode and proceeded to amuse themselves in a creditable manner. The elegant and sumptuous repast provided for the occasion added greatly to the pleasures of the evening. At a late hour all started for their homes feeling they had done their best. Mr. Frank Tivy and Miss Lizzie Wallace were joined together in the holy bonds of wedlock in Albany last Tuesday January 29, 1895, at the residence of Mr. Rufus Thompson, in the presence of a few invited friends, Rev. C. H. McKee officiating. After the ceremony the couple retired to the residence of W. F. Reads where a delicious afternoon tea was in waiting for them. The happy couple then took the evening train for this city where they will make their future home. Both of the contracting parties are among Lebanon's most popular young people and have a host of friends in and around here who will extend their best wishes for their future happiness.

AROUND TALLMAN. Since Tallman has become the center of two important railroads, with the prospect of a new track being laid in the near future, it was voted at a recent town meeting that she should no longer remain quiet, but should be represented in one of the leading newspapers of the day. The new switch was surveyed last week. Mr. Elbert Thompson who has been visiting in this vicinity has returned to Monmouth. Frank Irvin and family are spending the week visiting friends near Seilo. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Jesse Smith, who is quite low, is not improving much. On Sunday last, Albert, the son of A. M. Wilson, received a severe kick on the leg from a horse. Although it is quite painful, he is getting along nicely. It seems another serious accident happened recently, as a man about town has been carrying his car in a sling. We understand, however, that he is rapidly improving. F. L. Frost, our enterprising warehouse man, imported a yoke of fine oxen last week to use in the chop and feed department. School is still running in our district, with a good attendance. The Tallman Literary is quite a factor in our vicinity, both politically and intellectually. On January 19, the postoffice was confirmed in the society by a ten minute debate from "Senator" McKnight. And last Saturday in spite of George's efforts it was decided that the state should still support the Normal school, University and the Agricultural college. As Throatman and Crawford are represented in the orchestra, it is needless to say that we have good music. MISS DAISY SCRIBE. ACADEMY NOTES. Although you do not hear from us very often, we are still in the rig and flourishing. The Business department has lost one of its most promising students, in the person of Joel C. Mayer, who has gone into the grocery business. Extensive improvements are being made in the Assembly hall. A new stage has been built, and scenes are now being painted which, when completed will be one of the most thoroughly equipped stages in the city. A beginning class has been formed in the Music department which meets in the Assembly hall on Friday evenings. This affords an excellent opportunity to learn the rudiments of music and singing. An entertainment will be given on February 16, Saturday evening, by the students of the Academy. The program will contain a choice selection, consisting of dialogues, recitations, music both vocal and instrumental, etc. The proceeds will go toward defraying the expenses which have been incurred in building the new stage. Be sure to come and tell your friends. Y. Z. Fatally Burned. Last evening the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hawkins was playing in the sitting room with a whisk broom. The child's grandmother went out of the room for a moment, but was quickly recalled by the screams of the other children. It was found that the boy had stuck the whisk broom into the stove and had set it on fire and had also ignited his clothing, so that he was enveloped in flames. The fire was quickly extinguished, when it was found that the child's face, body and arms were frightfully burned. Dr. J. P. Wallace was called and did all he could to relieve the child's suffering, which was intense. It was feared he had inhaled some of the flames, and the physician thought the burns were of themselves so severe that the child could not recover.—Herald. A Pleasant Evening. One of the most pleasant events of this vicinity occurred at the residence of Mr. Joseph Keebler a few nights ago in the form of a party, which was given under the supervision of Miss Bell Keebler and her brother, Ben. As entertainers, they proved themselves the right persons in the right place. The games were very appropriate to the occasion. Those present were: Mr. J. A. Burkhardt and daughter Frankie, Misses Annie and Leona Evans, Catharine Hansard, Laura Baltimore, Della Adams, Nora Constable and Lyde Gentry. Messrs. Bert and Melvin Stewart, Perry Scott, Oliver Adams, Guy Hansard and William Evans. Light refreshments were served, and shortly before 1 o'clock a. m., all retired to their homes feeling ample awarded for their trip through the mists and mud. ONE WHO KNOWS. SHILOH'S CURE is sold on a guarantee. It cures Inolpnet Consumption. It is the best Cough Cure Only one cent a dose 25c, 50c, and \$1.00. Sold by N. W. Smith.

OYSTERS UP TO DATE. The Very Latest Fad Is for Bleached Bivalves. White Ones Are Probably Doctored—Oystermen Who Ought to Know Say They Are Mythical—Nature's Own Shellfish Not to Be Improved Upon. "Bleached oysters" is the latest and a rapidly growing fad. The fashionable uptown restaurants are catering to it. An oyster that does not peer forth snowy white from the depth of its shell is considered bad form. It does not appear that the Albino-hued bivalve is improved by the bleaching process. In fact, it is held by all fair-minded people who have tried them that the flavor which gives our oysters their superiority over all the bivalves of the world is destroyed entirely. But they are sold by self-constituted authorities to look better, and it is the fashion to have them served that way. The course of treatment to which the luscious shellfish is subjected to brings about the pale and ghostly hue is the secret of the restaurant men. The wholesale oyster dealers know nothing about it. A reporter for the New York World went aboard a floating warehouse, on the North river, the other day, and made an inquiry as to the best method of bleaching oysters. It was apparent that oystermen do not relish the newspaper notoriety which has been thrust upon the innocent and inoffensive shellfish. "If I could meet the man who started all this talk about typhoid fever and malaria in oysters," said one old salt. "I'd chuck him in the bay and hit him on the head with a boathook when he came up the first time, and there wouldn't be no second time." "As if it ain't had enough that this has been one of the worst oyster years we ever had, but on top of that some crazy fool up in Connecticut tries to fatten his oysters in a creek into which a sewer empties. What's the result? A lot of college students and professors get sick and four of them die. What follows? The newspapers publish it all over the country, typhoid fever in oysters, and the business is almost paralyzed in some places. Forty million people eating oysters and four of them get sick and die! How many people die every day from eating pork and beef, yet does that scare anybody? No, sir." "Now, on top of all this, some fool restaurant men go to making their oysters white, which God never intended they should be, or He would have made 'em so. I don't suppose that the oysters were hurt any by it, but some fellow gets sick, after knocking about the Tenderloin all night, and remembers that he ate a dozen bleached oysters, and then he hollers that he has been poisoned." "Some one writes to a newspaper that sulphate of zinc will bleach oysters. I don't know whether it will or not, but a chemist told me that it would not. But the oyster trade gets it in the neck all the same. Thank goodness they these oysters did not get out two months ago, or the oystermen would all be in the hands of the associated charities. Our season is over for cheap oysters, in which the money is made. Nothing goes out of New York now but shell oysters, New York counts, and calls. The oyster business after the middle of November goes to Baltimore. There are no oyster canneries in New York." "This fad for white oysters I never heard of before this year. There are no pure white oysters. The oyster takes his color from his surroundings, and an old oysterman can tell at a glance which one of the beds hereabouts an oyster comes from. The Blue Point is often silvery in appearance. There is no way that I know of to make an oyster white." "When the weather is not too cold oysters, after being taken up, are sunk on floats for from twelve to twenty-four hours in brackish water, generally near the mouth of a fresh-water creek. This water they will drink freely and fill up so that they look fat. This has the effect of washing out the sea water and mud that may have been taken in. I know every oyster bed in New York bay, Long Island sound, or the rivers of New Jersey, and I know of no oyster that is what you might call white. Personally, I would let such alone if offered me." "Nature cannot be improved upon in the matter of the oyster, except to give it a chance to wash out and fatten up on some half-salt water. When the people understand that the bleached oysters are unnatural and artificial they will become suspicious of them and be satisfied with the plain, unbleached variety." The Soko Ape. Letters from the African traveler, Oscar Neumann, at Bukoba, says the London News, contains many interesting things that Neumann learnt from the Manyomas. One is that the Soko ape is very common and much feared in Manyamaland, between Nyangwe and the northern shore of the Tanganyika. Some time ago an Arab wanted to take a Soko which he had captured to the coast. He succeeded in reaching Urogo with his prize. There he died, and his sons, who attributed the death of their father to the enchantments of the wicked wood demon, hastened to retraceport the supposed origin of their misfortune to his native place, and the interesting specimen was thus lost to science. Man Is Adjusting Himself. In an old volume of "The Transactions" is found the following by Dr. J. P. Wilson: "Where, let me ask, are the great and wasting epidemics that once devastated the whole inhabited globe? 'They are gone,' says the sanitarian, 'because I have stamped them out.' No, indeed. They do not appear, simply or largely because they have become innocuous to the human race. Habit has rendered them more and more harmless. Man is rapidly adjusting himself to his surroundings."

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Stowe in Jail. Last Friday evening, Mr. Hurn, of Sweet Home, came into Lebanon and swore out a warrant before Justice Lovelee for the arrest of Attorney A. F. Stowe. Constable Morgan proceeded to Albany to arrest Stowe; but, on arriving there, found that he had gone to Salem. Morgan followed him there, made the arrest, brought him back to Albany on Sunday, and out here Monday morning. When Mr. Stowe was brought before Justice Lovelee, he waived examination and was bound over to appear before the grand jury in \$500 bonds. In default of which he is now in the county jail. Facts in the case are about these: Mr. Hearn placed a note in Stowe's hands for collection. Stowe collected the note, \$140, and instead of turning the money over to Mr. Hearn, as he should have done, got on a spree and spent it. Although Mr. Hearn waited two weeks on Mr. Stowe, he could not replace the money. Mr. Stowe arrived in this city four years ago this last fall and commenced the practice of law. He is a man of some ability and makes friends when sober. He has drunk more or less ever since he has been in this city. He has reformed several times since he has been here, once taking the Keeley cure, once joining the Methodist church and again professing religion at the Presbyterian church. He has an estimable wife and two bright children. His wife has been forced to leave him several times. The last time was in the fall, when she applied for a divorce. If reports are true, this is not the first time Mr. Stowe has misappropriated his client's money. If some one does not go to his relief, he will more than probably get a few years to repent in, at Salem. The people of Lebanon have been exceedingly kind to Mr. Stowe and have aided him in every way to reform and make a successful man of himself, but these efforts have not been appreciated by him.

The W. R. C. The following program will be rendered at Miller's hall on February 22, George Washington's Birthday, under the auspices of the Lebanon, W. R. C. PROGRAM. Music.....By Drill, "America,".....Seven Little Girls. Recitation.....Miss Mattie Warner. Solo....."Our Country,".....Seven Girls, Six Boys. Solo.....Miss Ida Elkins. Reading.....Miss Mattie Warner. Drill, "Good Night,".....Eight Little Girls. Music.....

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Onto a Snag. Says the Gazette of Corvallis: "Captain Bert Hatch arrived down the river Tuesday night with the snag pulper Corvallis. The day previous, while removing some obstacles to navigation in the vicinity of Peoria, the Corvallis ran on a snag, and, but for the forthright and prompt action of Captain Hatch in beaching her, the steamer would have sunk in twenty feet of water. After running her aground the assistance of farmers in the neighborhood was secured in bailing out the vessel's hold. This accomplished, a soft patch was placed over the aperture, which prevented the leakage sufficient to enable the boat to reach Corvallis, where the necessary repairs will be made to the hull at once. When repaired, the steamer will again resume her route up the river."

Snow in the Siskiyou. The Roseburg Review of Jan. 24 says: "Obstacles on the S. P. road through the Siskiyou mountains have continued to increase and under the most favorable circumstances a train cannot be expected before some time Saturday. The big slide Monday stopped all trains, and this was followed on Tuesday by a monster avalanche 1500 feet long with an average depth of fifty feet. Snow is still falling and the storm promises to be even more damaging than the big storm of 1890, which lasted fifteen days and caused the big slide in Cow creek canyon. All trains are running on time between here and Portland."

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