

Expressions.

Heat now brings 48 cents. Mrs. F. A. Nickerson is quite ill. R. Thoms left Saturday for the sea. Rev. Brampton left yesterday for Hardiner. R. Hlalt was doing business in Albany yesterday. J. C. Moseholder is quite ill, at his home in this city. Dr. G. W. Chesdle, dentist. Office over City Drug store. W. J. Royce is expected home this week from California. Jim McCurdy returned last Saturday from a visit to California. G. W. Cruson was doing business in city yesterday and to-day. "Doe" South has recovered sufficiently to be able to go home. Geo. Rice has been suffering considerably lately, with rheumatism. Hon. M. A. Miller has been confined to the house this week with a gripe. Gentlemen, call and see the new fall and winter clothing at Bach & Buhl's. Mrs. May Zahn has accepted the position of cook at the St. Charles hotel. "Libby" photo's reduced to \$1.00 dozen, at the Lebanon Art Gallery. J. J. Guy and family returned Monday from a visit to relatives at Dallas. George Rice represents some of the best insurance companies in the world. Atty. Frank Skipworth returned Tuesday from a business visit to Eugene. Messrs. O'Neill & Peterson shipped a carload of excelsior to San Francisco yesterday. "The Hay-makers" at Albany, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. Price, gallery, 35 cts.; down stairs, 50 cts. Mrs. S. P. Bach and little daughter, Beesie, returned home Tuesday from a visit to friends in Salem. When you want to buy a suit of clothing you will save money by getting it at Bach & Buhl. "Uncle Jackey" Settle is quite ill. As he is now in his 88th year there is some fear that he will not recover. Miss Fanny Griggs returned to Lebanon Wednesday from a visit of several weeks in Albany and Junction City. The city has levied a 3-mill tax for general purposes and a 1/2-mill for street purposes—the same as last year. Drs. Parish and Foley successfully performed quite a painful operation on E. Springer, on Tuesday. Mr. S. is doing well. Go and see "The Hay-makers" make hay at opera house, Albany, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. No extra charge for reserved seats. J. C. Mayo, traveling freight agent of the O. C. & E. (the old O. P. road) was in the city this week, in the interest of his road. Miss Eva Scott, who has been visiting Mrs. Everett and Miss Lella West-fall, of this city, returned to her home in Albany Tuesday evening. Ed Kellenberger has bought T. C. Peubler's little ranch on the side of Ridgeway's butte. Ed bought it for a friend who lives at Aurora. The mother of Daniel McKereher, the man killed by Lloyd Montgomery, has been paid the \$2000 due on his death from the A. O. U. W. order. Parties that own bicycles are trying to get the city council to pass an ordinance permitting bicyclists to ride on the sidewalks on the back streets of the city. The beautiful operatic cantata, "The Hay-makers," will be given in the opera house at Albany, Jan. 31 and Feb. 1, by the best musical talent in the city. Married, on Jan. 19, 1895, at the residence of the bride's parents on McDowell creek, Mr. O. H. Pickens and Miss B. T. Gaylord, A. C. Buck, J. P., officiating. J. A. Powell had the misfortune to receive a kick from one of his horses last week. Mr. Powell was on the street yesterday for the first time since the accident. We received two communications, from Sodaville and Happy Home, this week, which were unavoidably crowded out. However, they will appear in our next issue. Twenty thousand dollars' worth of boots and shoes are thrown on the market at the closing out sale of Klein, Dubrulle & Co., of Albany. See their ad in this issue. The city attorney has been instructed to draw up an ordinance in regard to keeping cows up nights. This ordinance will be introduced at the next regular meeting. Married, on Sunday, January 19, 1896, at the residence of A. J. Zimmerman, at Millers, by Rev. Thomas, of Jefferson, Mr. Ed. Zimmerman and Miss Phoebe Alphine. Miss Josie Cullen who has been making her home with Zim Reynolds and wife for the past three years, left to

day for Lamar, Mo., where she will live with her grandparents. Mrs. May Zahn and little daughter, Mamie, arrived last Saturday from Grants Pass, where they have been living the past year. They will make their home in Lebanon for the present. The public schools will not be opened for a few weeks. The diphtheria is about over, but the directors are taking extra caution in the matter. Hence the scholars will have a little larger holiday. There is no longer any danger of a further spread of the diphtheria. All the old cases are well. Only two persons now are affected, they having it in the mildest form. Our country friends can safely come to town. Judge Burnett has stated that he would not render a decision upon the bill of exceptions for an appeal of the Lloyd Montgomery case until the attorneys on both sides have been heard. Jan. 29 was set for the hearing. Wheat is selling for 48 cents at the Lebanon warehouse this week. Wheat has had a tendency upward for a few days, but farmers should use their own judgment about selling, and should study the situation well before holding longer. Chas. Johnson, cook at the St. Charles hotel for some time past, left Monday for his farm, this side of Sweet Home. He expects to leave soon for Glenwood Springs, Colorado, in hopes the climate of that section will cure his rheumatism. W. W. Brannin, Past Grand Master of the A. O. U. W., of Portland, will visit the A. O. U. W. lodge at this place, next Tuesday evening, and will install the officers. It is earnestly requested that all the members be present that evening. There is an ordinance before the city council which has passed to the second reading, in regard to licensing dogs. It will undoubtedly pass at the next meeting, and then the people living within the city limits will have to pay for the pleasure of keeping the canines. Chas. Stokes and family left last Monday for Berry, on the O. C. & E. railroad, where Mr. Stokes has a permanent position with the Enterprise Mill company. A. W. Marks expects to move up there in a couple of weeks and will work for the same company. Dr. H. L. Parish has returned to San Francisco to reside. The doctor lived here a few months, where he was recognized to be a physician and surgeon of unusual ability and skill, and a gentleman of high character and pleasant manners. He and his estimable family carry with them our best wishes. A letter received by President W. H. Lee, of the Albany college, from President E. N. Coudit, of the Occidental college at Los Angeles, states that his library and all of his household effects were destroyed by the recent burning of the college. About one-half of his loss was covered by insurance. There was \$10,000 insurance on the college building and \$1500 on the college furniture. The college will probably be rebuilt. The school has been re-opened for the present in another building. S. M. Garland, of this city, is being urged for the nomination of county judge on the democratic ticket. Mr. Garland is well qualified to fill the position, and would poll a large vote. Our populist contemporary, the Advance, makes kindly mention of the fact in the following paragraph: "The Albany papers say that S. M. Garland, of this city, is mentioned as the democratic nominee for county judge at the coming election. We think that party cannot make a better nomination for that office. He would be a popular candidate and if elected would conduct the county's business in the best possible manner." Dr. J. A. Lamberson returned yesterday from Salem, where he had been to attend the joint public installation of both tents, the Sir Knights and the Ladies of the Maccabees. The doctor says he never had a better time nor was treated more royally in his life. In a half-column write-up of the affair the Statesman gave Dr. L. the following notice: "Dr. J. A. Lamberson, of Lebanon, as orator of the evening, delivered an entertaining and earnest address elucidating the merits of the order of Maccabees, and the desirability of a membership therein. The doctor is well informed, is zealous in the work and has a jolly way of presenting things." C. B. Montague is mentioned for congress by the populists. There is no man in the party better equipped for the place nor more deserving of the honor. If elected, he would make a representative of whom none need feel ashamed. He is likewise generally mentioned for the nomination of county clerk. We unhesitatingly say that there is no man in the county better, and but few so well qualified to fill this position. He would run like Penoyer in his palmest days—when he was a democrat. We are not giving advice to any party and we do not expect the populists to take our advice, but here is a man to nominate for this office. The people want him.

A case of flogging, in the school-room has resulted in a neighborhood quarrel at Crabtree. Prof. Swank, it appears, whipped a son of Marian Crabtree for some misdemeanor. Clay Compton made a remark about it which the father did not approve of, and he undertook to give Compton a thrashing. It is reported that Mr. Crabtree called Mr. Compton from the store at Crabtree, and upon his coming out spit in his face and then attacked him with a cane which Compton took away from him, then Crabtree drew a knife but did not use it as by-standers interfered. Mr. Crabtree was arrested and arraigned before Justice Jarnigan and was fined \$10. He says the case will be appealed.

Resolutions of Condolence.

At a regular meeting of John F. Miller Post, No. 42, G. A. R., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS: The Great and Supreme Commander of the universe has, in his infinite wisdom, removed from among us one of our worthy and esteemed comrades, Martin Hickman, and

WHEREAS: The long intimate relations held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in the Post as chaplain makes it eminently befitting that we record our appreciation of him; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the wisdom and ability which he had exercised in the aid of our organization, by service, contribution and counsel, will be held in grateful remembrance.

Resolved, That with deep sympathy with the bereaved wife and family of the deceased, we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be over-ruled for good by him who doeth all things well, and that the charter of this Post be draped for the period of thirty days.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the record of the Post, and a copy printed in the local papers, and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family.

GRACE SALTMARSH, } Com.
J. F. HYDE,
E. BOSLAR,

At a regular meeting of John F. Miller Corps, No. 15, W. R. C., the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS: It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the universe to remove from our midst our late brother, Martin Hickman; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Martin Hickman this corps laments the loss of a comrade who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed;—in the fraternity a friend whose endeavors were exerted for our welfare and prosperity. Therefore be it

Resolved, That the heart-felt sympathy of this corps be extended to our sister, Mrs. Phoebe Hickman, and her family in this their hour of bereavement.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the secretary's book, and that a copy be furnished each of the Lebanon papers for publication and a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

FLORA BROWN, } Com.
ALICE A. HYDE,
DOLLIE SALTMARSH,

Her Barnstorming Tour.

Mary Anderson de Navarro looks with evident enjoyment upon what she calls the "barnstorming" period of her stage career, which, however, in her case was short, beneficial and pecuniarily profitable. Of her experiences in Owensboro, a small Kentucky town, where she and her little band of actors played for a week, Mrs. de Navarro writes in January Ladies' Home Journal: "I was a tall, slender 'Juliet' and my 'Romeo' proved to be a plump, pleasant little woman, probably the mother of several would-be 'Romeos' and 'Juliets.' The moon she ('Romeo') swore by we found to be the headlight of a railway engine hired for the occasion. This was held by a small negro boy perched upon a ladder, who was so amused by the play that he laughed until he shook over the most tragic scenes. His mirth, as may be imagined, was not conducive to the moon's acedness. At one time she was shining in an upper box, at another on the head of a bald musician, often blinding the unfortunates in the front stalls, here, there, everywhere save on the face of her ('Verona's lovely flower') she had been especially hired to illuminate. The conductor of the orchestra was a carpenter by trade, and sawed away as lustily during the day at the boards he was converting into profile statues of 'Evadne's' noble ancestors as he sawed upon his violin at night."

W. R. C. Installation.

The officers of the Womans Relief Corps were installed last Friday by Mrs. Sarah Saltmarsh. Officers for the present year are: President, Annie B. Reed; Sr. Vice Pres., Hattie A. Cruson; Junior Vice Pres., Flora L. Brown; Secretary, Dollie Saltmarsh; Treasurer, Alice A. Hyde; Chaplain, Mary Boslar; Conductor, Faitha Reynolds; Guard, Etta Cochell; Assistant Conductor, Polly Shaw. Delegates to Department Convention (which meets at Independence), Hattie A. Cruson, C. J. Crandall, Polly Shaw; Alternates, Lizzie Swan, Mary Boslar, Faitha Reynolds.

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Carpet tacks are not generally regarded as a healthful kind of diet, says the Philadelphia Record, but many men have taken

them into their stomachs in varying doses without suffering any injury from them, but even deriving benefit from this peculiar article of food, if the word "prominent" physicians is to be believed. In addition to the many carpet-layers who all their mouths with tacks while at work, and now and then slip one down their throat by accident, there are three colored men on Lombard street who are able and willing to starve a speculator by swallowing a handful of sharp-pointed iron tacks with the greatest unconscience, as if they were the most nutritious morsels. These men have neither leathern intestines or copper-lined stomachs, but they are able to take care of a prodigious quantity of carpet tacks without any apparent discomfort or ill-effect.

Medical authorities assert that there is far less risk attendant upon swallowing a tack than is generally supposed, and that such a performance is sometimes productive of beneficial results. The freak who swallows a single tack or a handful of them is seized with an abnormal desire for food, and it is to this fact that the harmlessness of the swallowing of tacks is ascribed. Curiously, the tacks invariably pass through the stomach with their heads "bored down in reverse" and placed in the center of the food so that they do not touch the walls of the intestines. Even when the points of the tacks penetrate the lining of the stomach the result is not so dangerous as would be supposed.

The reason was explained in a very simple manner by Dr. T. B. K. Morton, who said: "These tack swallows generally have very strong stomachs and the amount of gastric juice in them dissolves the iron and the result is a liquid mass similar in character to the oxide of iron which we prescribe to sick persons as a tonic. Really there is a certain amount of benefit attached to the swallowing of tacks and yet there is always danger of a serious result in consequence of such an act. I have never known of any person who had been compelled to go to a hospital from such causes, however."

"But I remember the case of a horse that swallowed a large-sized tack. After his death we cut open his stomach. We found there a solidified mass of a stony nature. When this hard substance was split open we found that the tack constituted its nucleus. A similar effect would take place in a person's stomach if the tack should happen to stick for any length of time in the walls of the intestine."

Cousins Said to Have Been Married.

It is reported to the Salem Statesman that a young couple in Marion county who are full cousins were recently united in wedlock. They are excellent people, too, but they have taken a step that is liable to lead them into serious difficulty. By an act of legislature of 1893 marriages are prohibited among other cases, "when the parties are first cousins or any nearer of kin to each other, whether of the whole or half-blood, computing by the rules of the civil law." The punishment for a violation of this law is found in section 1873 of the code of 1887, which says, "If any person, being within the degree of consanguinity within which marriages are prohibited by law, shall intermarry with each other, or shall commit adultery or fornication with each other, such persons, or either of them, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not less than three months nor more than one year, or by fine of not less than \$200 nor more than \$1000." It will be seen the offense is a serious one.

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