Lebanon Express.
THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1897.

Expressions.

Use Hoe Cake soap.

J. R. Ewing has bought Geo. Elkins' bicycle.

There is considerable stir in real estate circles.

Good clothing—at a low price—at Bach & Buhl's.

Hoe Cake soap is pure, and will not destroy clothing.

House cleaning and short rations are the fashion just now.

Mrs. J. F Hyde is visiting friends in Brownsville this week.

Groceries—quality excellent—prices low—at Bach & Buhl's.

Farmers are busily engaged during the recent fine weather.

Mrs. King, nee Hanrahan, visited in Lebanon the first of the week.

B. & B. are the initials of Bach & Buhl—but their groceries are A. 1.

You can make nice soft soap with Soap Foam. Directions on each package.

Be sure and see the bargains in mandolins, for $3, at Will's music store.

Hoe Cake soap wrappers are worth a cent apiece in valuable presents. Save them.

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap, is the way they are selling at Read, Peacock & Co's big sale.

Bert Davis skipped out again last week. This makes Bert's third time to strike the road.

The Degree of Honor of the A. O. U. W. will give an ice cream social next Wednesday evening.

Efforts are being made by the council to drain the slough in the north end of the city.

Are you looking for an engagement or wedding ring? French the jeweler, Albany, has some handsome ones.

S. F. Bilyeu has opened a barber shop in Brown Hansard's building, the one formerly occupied by B. F. Kirk.

Mrs. O. G Beeler left this morning for Cathlamet, Wash., where Mr. Beeler has again taken charge of a barber shop.

The children are all requested to be at the Band of Hope next Sunday at 3 o'clock. Parents are especially invited.

One-half wool dress goods reduced to 10 cts., and bleached, all linen table cloth for 35 cts. a yard, at the Racket Store.

When you want lumber, either rough or dressed, call on J. J. Sawyer, proprietor of the Lebanon Steam Planer.

Be sure and hear the celebrated Somers Family Concert and Comedy Co., at the opera house next Monday evening.

The best dressed men in Linn county are those who buy their clothing from Bach & Buhl. Good suits for low prices.

Quality "A 1," prices "Z 1." Read the ad of the Thos. Kay Woolen Mills, of Waterloo, in this issue, and you'll "cumtux."

High grade sewing machines for $25 at E. U. Will's music store, Albany. Send for descriptive circulars. Old machines repaired.

Pianos and organs sold on closer margins than by any other music house in the state, at E. U. Will's. Call or write for prices.

Parties having wood for sale would do well to read the advertisement for furnishing the school district with wood, in another column.

Money to loan. A limited amount of money to loan on good farm security. Call upon or write to S. N. Steele & Co., Albany, Oregon.

Wiley & Bowden have opened a feed and produce store in one of Dr. Courtneys buildings. They will pay cash for hides, mohair, eggs and chickens.

It will pay you to take the entire family to town and get them a new outfit while the big sale is going on at Read, Peacock & Co's Lebanon store.

Our public school directors have subscribed for the circulating library which A. S. McDonald, of Brownsville, is introducing into the valley towns.—Scio Press.

Jas. Cornell and Mrs. H. A. McCartney were married at the home of the bride in Sodaville last Tuesday evening, April 13. G. Loveloo, J. P., officiating.

Boyd will be in Sodaville with his photo tent Friday, April 16, and be there Friday and Saturday of each week until the close of the school. Ready when [illegible]

In giving the names of the officers elected by the United Artisans last week, G. W. Wheeler was named as Master Artisan, when it should have been Dr. G. W. Cheadle.

The Salem District Epworth League Convention will meet here the 22nd of this month. It will be a great occasion. There will be over one hundred delegates in attendance.

J. J. Sawyer, proprietor of the Lebanon Steam Planer, carries a complete line of all kinds of lumber, both rough and dressed. All kinds of planing done on short notice. Moulding a specialty.

The marshal has been warning all parties to clean up their premises. This is proper. Let every yard and alley be thoroughly cleaned and the chances for good health are much improved.

Married, on Monday evening, April 12, 1897, at the home of the bride's mother, in Albany, by Rev. T. P. Hayne, Mr. Harry Turpin, of Waterloo, and Miss Amy Klum, daughter of H. G. Klum.

J. J. Sawyer's planing mill caught fire to-day, from the engine. The roof was blazing when the fire alarm was turned in. The fire company responded promptly and soon had the flames extinguished.

Mr. Jonathan Wasson has been very ill but is now improving. His many friends will be pleased to know that his condition is such as to encourage the belief that he will soon recover his usual good health.

Services at the M. E. church next Sunday as follows; Sermon at 11 o'clock by the pastor, subject "The Resurrection." Easter exercises in the evening by the Sunday school. All are cordially invited to attend.

Gus Colson, who has been working in the paper mill ever since it first started up, left yesterday for Portland and from there intends going to Alaska. John Boslar has been employed in his place in the paper mill.

Mr. Arnett's house caught fire last Friday about noon. An alarm was turned in and the fire company responded promptly, but a few buckets of water soon extinguished the flames, and the company did not lay the hose. The fire originated from a defective flue.

The Salvation Army of this city has just held a somewhat sensational trial of a lieutenant by several members of the staff from different places. As it was private, particulars cannot be learned; but it is reported there will be a new lieutenant at Albany.—Democrat.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets move the bowels gently, relieves the cough, cures the feverish condition and headache, making it the best and quickest remedy for Coughs, Colds and LaGrippe. Cures in one day. "No cure, no pay." Price, 25 cents. For sale by N. W. Smith.

J. A. Finch, late of the Imprint, will leave for Portland this morning to purchase a newspaper plant. He will commence the publication of a semi-weekly Populist paper in this city in a few weeks. The name of the new paper, it is said, will be the Albany (Or.) Bell.—Herald.

J. R. Smith went to Albany this morning, to have Dr. J. P. Wallace perform an operation on his hand. Mr. Smith has been suffering a great deal with a cancer on the back of his left hand and has been trying to kill it with medicine, but failed, and he has decided to have it removed.

The celebrated Somers Family Concert and Comedy Co. will give one of their first-class entertainments in this city Monday evening, April 19th, under the auspices of the K. O. T. M. Be sure and hear this company, as it is well recommended. Reserved seats now on sale at Miller's drug store.

Malarial produces weakness, general debility, biliousness, loss of appetite, indigestion and constipation. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic removes the cause which produces these troubles. Try it and you will be delighted. 50 cents. To get the genuine ask for Grove's. For sale by N. W. Smith, Lebanon, Or.

T. B. Kay, of the Salem woolen mill, returned yesterday from a two week's trip to San Francisco where he had gone to dispose of a portion of the factory's output. Mr. Kay says this was the most successful trip he ever made in the interest of the mill, he having taken orders for all the goods it could put out for the present.—Salem Statesman.

The Modoc Indians in Modoc county, the extreme northeast corner of California, are reported to be dying of starvation. But 100 of Captain Jack's famous tribe are left. They are in desperate straits and appeal in vain to the whites for food. It is thought their number has been reduced one-half during the last months of the winter.

We notice that Mr. J. F. Hyde has been appointed the agent for Lebanon and vicinity for the National Fire Ins. Co., of Hartford, and the Springfield Fire Marine Ins. Co., of Springfield, Mass., each of the above companies having over four million dollars of assets. Under Mr. Hyde's efficient work these companies ought to do a good business at this point.

Doug Hamilton, the eccentric preacher of the classic forks of the Santiam, delivered one of his characteristic discourses on the street last evening to an admiring crowd. A popular feature of the Rev. Douglas' preaching is that he never follows it up by a contribution. He makes a good living farming and talks for pastime, or perhaps as the spirit moves him, a good deal after the historic Joab Powell style, but lacks the keen sense of humor which the latter possessed.—Albany Herald.

When shopping in Albany be sure and call at the Ladies' Bazaar, they have the largest and finest line of late style goods for ladies and children ever shown here. They carry ready made dress skirts from $1 75 to $9, and a grand line of the newest in shirt waists from 50 cents up, and all the up-to-date sailor hats and head wear for children. Call and see us. No trouble to show goods.

The I. O. O. F. hall on the south side is now about ready for occupancy. With the floors carpeted and the necessary chairs etc, that order will be independent in other matters aside from the name. The brethren are justly proud of their new lodge room. They will have a house warming one of these days when, of course, the neighboring lodges of that order will be invited.—Scio Press.

Interesting services were held at the M. E. church, South, last Sunday. Two persons united with the church by letter. Meetings will be continued through the week until Friday night and perhaps over Sunday. The pastor will preach next Sunday at Crabtree church at 11 a. m., at Spicer at 3.30 p. m. and at Tennessee school house at 8 p. m. Sunday school, Epworth League and prayer meeting as usual.

J. W. Craig, Pastor.

C. H. Young, of Waseca, Minn., who has been in this section for some time looking at farm property, with a view of purchasing, has bought the Herbert Downing farm, situated one mile east of Lacomb. The farm contains 285 acres. The price paid was $2500, cash down. J. B. Wirt made the sale, he having had that property listed. Mr. Young is a stock man. He will leave in a few days for his former home and will return at once with his family, bringing with him a car load of fine, blooded stock to put on his farm.

A Smooth Swindler.

Several weeks ago the swindling operations of an alleged traveling salesman for the Royal Baking Powder Co. was exposed in various newspapers of the Northwest. It now transpires that the swindler, under the name of A. F. Miller, has been victimizing the grocerymen of Oregon towns. In this state he merely changed his name and sold starch instead of baking powder. In Albany he represented himself as representing T. Kingsford & Co, a well known Eastern firm. He took orders for his goods at very low prices and of course took many orders. He was a smooth talker, and before leaving drew on his alleged house for $75, and one of his customers identified him at the bank, endorsing it for him. The draft was returned as fraudulent and the merchant who indentified him at the bank had it to pay. A dispatch from Spokane of the 10th inst, says he worked the same scheme there. Mr. Bush, traveling salesman for a San Francisco grocery house, says he has heard of the fellow under half a dozen different names. It is said he has drawn bogus drafts upon the Royal Baking Powder Co. alone for $20,000 and has perhaps secured as much more from his starch swindle. He claimed also to represent a tobacco house. He was full of resources and as sleek a swindler as ever went unhang. A large reward has been offered for his arrest, and detectives are on his track.—Herald.

When Dr. Robertson Nicoll called attention to the familiar manner in which American papers spoke of "McKinley" and "Bryan," without even the "Mr." prefixed, he thought he was proving that Americans are more disrespectful than Englishmen. But our papers never speak of Joe Chamberlain or Jule Pauncefote, through the Saturday Review, as the Bookman points out, has been talking about Dick Olney.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets do not affect the head or produce nervousness like the Sulphate of Quinine. Mr. N. W. Smith is authorized to refund money in every case where it fails to cure Coughs, Colds and LaGrippe. Price, 25 cents.

Send the Express to your friends in the East for the next four months; only 25 cents.

Wash your white clothing with Soap Foam, and they will never turn yellow.

Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Alonzo Ames, deceased, has filed her final account in said estate with the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, and the County Court of said county has set the 8th day of May, 1897, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, as the time, and the County Court room of said Court, at Albany, in Linn county, Oregon, as the place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. All parties are notified to make their objections known, if any, to said final account and settlement at said time and place.

Dated April the 8th, 1897.

Hester Ann Ames, Admrx.
Sam'l M. Garland, Atty. for Admrx.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been duly appointed, by the county court of Linn county, Oregon, and is now, the duly appointed, qualified and acting administrator of the estate of Martha E. Powers, deceased. All parties having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned, at Sodaville, Linn county, Oregon, or to Sam'l M. Garland, at Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, with proper vouchers, within six months from the 18th day of March, 1897, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Lebanon, Or., this 18th day of March, 1897.

A. P. Flory, Administrator.
Sam'l M. Garland, Atty. for Administrator.

Miscellaneous Items.

The steamer Arcata took out from Coos bay on her last trip more than 2500 sacks of potatoes.

A McMinnville man saves all the eggs his hens lay on Sunday and gives the proceeds to missions.

The Columbia county court has extended the time in which taxes may be paid to June 15. No penalty will be added before that time.

The firemen of Baker City have already begun to work to make a great success of the firemen's tournament, that will be held in that city June 8, 9 and 10.

The students of the normal school in Drain planted 20 graceful trees on Arbor day. The senior class planted an elder, which gives every promise of thriving.

The inspector of customs at Tillamook bay having resigned, to take effect April 1, Collector Page has appointed Franklin R. Madison inspector and deputy collector of customs at Tillamook bay, the mouth of the Nehalem and Nachotte. The appointment was in accordance with the civil service rules.

R. P. Burns, of Beaver valley, carried to the Rainier Review office last week a dozen freak eggs, the product of a fullgrown hen. The eggs range in size from a plum to a cherry, and two of them are peanut-shaped, evidently being double-yolked. That hen should either do better, or quit the business, says the Review.

J. D. Naird, of Ballston, Yamhill county, last year raised four or five tons of flaxseed, which he ground into feed after a great deal of experimenting and adjusting of his self-made grinder. He sold his product at a good profit to produce dealers and druggists of McMinnville. The ground flaxseed sells for feed at 3 cents a pound, which is about an average return of $40 per acre.

A company, called the Summer Educational Association has been organized in Newport. The capital stock consists of 200 shares at $20 each, and the object of the company is to put up a building large enough to hold 1500 people. The plans were submitted by S. G. Irvine, county school superintendent. Mr. Irvine donates free a whole block beautifully located, overlooking the ocean and convenient for the public.

His Head Blown Off.

Last Saturday Will Kerr and young Webber, of Corvallis, were returning from a fishing trip on Mary's river, when Kerr met with death in the following manner: They had a stick of giant powder, which they undoubtedly had intended to use in fishing if the opportunity had offered. This they cut in two and decided to touch off, as they had no use for it, as they were approaching Philomath. They put a fuse to one of the pieces and lit it on the side of a hill. It sizzled and evidently went out. Kerr started towards it, notwithstanding he was warned by Webber, reached over after it from above, down a small embankment. Just as he was grasping it it went off, striking him in the upper part of the forehead, and taking the entire top of his head off, ranging down to the neck, leaving the mask of the face, of course dying instantly. His body was taken to Corvallis, where his parents reside. The deceased was 24 years of age, and was a member of the Giaccabers. Yesterday the funeral services were held at Corvallis and were attended by many. The burial services were under charge of the order, led by the Corvallis band, which played the dirge. Grand Commander Van Winkle and eight other members of the Albany lodge were present and assisted in the services. From them we get the particulars of the unfortunate accident.—Albany Democrat.

Mrs. Chas. Arnspiger received a letter this week from her husband which clears away the mystery of her husband's disappearance. About a year ago Mr. A. went to Arizona where he secured work. Frequent letters and remittances were received by home folks until four months ago when he went to work in the mines, where he received severe injuries by the caving of a bank, and no further word had been received from him. Mrs. Arnspiger and relatives had given him up for dead. Now they are rejoiced to learn that he recovered from his sickness and is still living in Arizona.—Harrisburg Review.

The finest line of dress patterns in the city is to be found at the Racket store.

Call and see Miller's new stock.

Tennessee Items.

Tennessee, April 10, 1897.

Rev. Craig preached at the school house last Sunday.

The potatoe men are flying about in a lively manner, improving the times, digging potatoes which were left in the ground after the Nov. freeze.

The Literary Society is dead! dead!! dead!!! Died in the prime of youth during the closing scenes of J. Q. Blacklaw's administration. Dead in "Trespasses and sin," aged three months.

Blacklaw Bros. have extracted several "square roots" from a patch of ground and now have a fine field for vegetable production as a result. We defy any of the same number of men in Linn county to solve such a problem in the same length of time.

As we have been deprived of a correspondent for some time, from this place and the result of it seems the eclipse of Cæsar and a few others, we take it upon ourselves to represent, and will do, to the best of our ability, and as this is the first we will not worry the public to a great extent with a lengthy article, which might cause someone to think we were only "joshing" or "talking through our hats."

Yours in love,
The Six-Twisters.

Wm. Herron has returned from Corvallis.

Farmers are busy digging their potatoes and preparing to sow grain.

Mrs. Emma Simons, of Sodaville spent Sunday with relatives in Tennessee.

E. F. Munsey, who is teaching on Hamilton Creek, was in Tennessee Sunday.

Miss Lily Woolsey, of Hamilton creek, is staying with her aunt, Mrs. John Swink.

Clyde McKnight and wife returned Monday from an extended visit at Knox's Butte.

Eugene Beaman preached a very interesting sermon at the Tennessee school house last Sunday.

A Sunday school was organized here last Sunday. Mr. E. Myers was elected Supt.; Mrs. Ross, Ass't Supt.; P. Wallace, Treas.; Blanche Simons, Secy.; Annie Blacklaw, Chorister. Sunday school each Sunday at 4 p. m.

There will be an apron and necktie social held at the Tennessee school house, Saturday evening, April 24, 1897—each lady is to wear an unhemmed calico apron, and enclose a necktie made from the same calico in an envelope. The gentleman purchasing the necktie will hem the apron for the lady. The best sewer to get a prize; the worst sewer, a booby prize. Each lady is xpected to bring supper for herself and partner. Everybody come. "Aunt Sallie."

Bids Wanted.

The undersigned, reserving the right to reject any and all bids, will receive bids until 8 o'clock on Friday, April the 30th, 1897, for furnishing the undersigned thirty cords of old, dry, firm body red fir wood, ~~and ten cords of old dry firm body oak wood~~, sixteen inches long, split in sizes ready for ordinary stove, all of which must be piled neatly and compactly in tiers in the basement of the public school building or in any other place in Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, that may be selected by the undersigned, not later than the 18th day of September, 1897, separate bids for each kind, at the office of the undersigned. By order of the Board of Directors, School District No. 16. Sam'l M. Garland, Dist. Clerk.

Save your Hoe Cake soap wrappers, they are worth a cent apiece.

Overalls with aprons or without, 50c a pair at the Racket Store. Also have just received a large amount of new calico. Don't fail to see them.

Corvallis branch, No. 290, Labor Exchange, has been organized, with a total membership of 29. The officers are: Levi Orcu, president; A. Y. Ross, vice-president; A. L. McFadden, secretary.