

VOTERS COMING IN

SEVENTY-FIVE REGISTERED BY THE CLERK YESTERDAY.

Over Six Hundred Have Thus Far Been Listed—Every Precinct, Except Elk-horn, Is Represented.

(From Daily, Jan. 18th.)

Table listing voter registrations by precinct, including Amunville, Aurora, Breitenbush, Brooks, Butteville, Champage, Englewood, Fairfield, Scotts Mills, Gervais, Hope, Hubbard, Jelferson, Macleay, Marion, Mehama, ME. Angel, Monitor, Prospect, Salem No. 1, Salem No. 2, Salem No. 3, Salem No. 4, East Salem, North Salem, South Salem, Sidney, Silver Falls, South Silverton, Silverton, St. Paul, Stayton, Sublimity, Turner, Woodburn, Yew Park, and Total.

Those registered yesterday were: Amunville—J. C. Howd, G. H. Crawford, Abner Lewis, O. E. Lewis, 4. Brooks—L. W. Hubbard, 1. Englewood—E. Ostrander, L. W. Jones, T. M. Kirby, C. J. Bordruff, G. O. Savage, George E. Goss, O. C. Baker, W. J. Masher, Samuel C. Jones, Gervais—Alva E. Ringo, 1. Howell—Willard Stevens, H. B. Weeks, 2. Macleay—L. C. Griffith, Henry Slough, T. T. Geer, 3. Marion—B. F. Hinshaw, 1. Prospect—L. B. Davis, Chas. Homer, 2. Salem No. 1—F. W. Stensloff, F. J. Barr, J. C. Reed, D. F. Wagner, E. P. Cochran, W. M. Kaiser, C. T. Pomeroy, James Norrie, Thomas Burrows, T. M. Hurd, 10. Salem No. 2—G. W. Putnam, E. Cooke Patton, W. A. Cusick, D. F. Lane, H. H. Ragan, James W. Wilson, R. A. Glover, Eugene Breyman, R. P. Boise, Jr., L. G. Holland, W. E. Copeland, C. W. Gillingham, 12. Salem No. 3—Charles L. Barr, W. H. Odell, Leroy L. Gesner, P. S. Knight, 4. Salem No. 4—Jesse S. Cooke, James A. Margason, J. W. Veatch, C. H. Lane, A. M. Reed, 5. East Salem—L. W. Updegraff, Jesse P. Holcomb, 2. North Salem—Jos. G. Anderson, John Needham, L. T. Reynolds, 3. South Salem—W. W. Johns, W. A. Rummel, John Scott, 3. Sidney—E. E. Tyler, S. B. Birdsall, 2. South Silverton—C. E. Humphrey, 1. Sublimity—Engelbert Schmitt, 1. Turner—W. P. Husk, D. M. Morris, F. M. Vaughn, 3. Woodburn—Alphonse Klingler, 1. Yew Park—August Hucklestein, Robert Basey, N. W. Clark, 3.

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A FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Expenditures of the Agricultural College for the Past Six Months—Estimates Very High.

The financial statement of the Corvallis agricultural college for the six months ending December 31, 1899, was yesterday received by the members of the board of regents residing in this city—Gov. T. T. Geer, Secretary of State F. I. Dunbar, and Prof. J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction. The report of the treasurer of the board of regents shows balances on hand in the various funds as follows:

Table showing financial statement details: Station (\$2,933 16), College (\$13,895 13), State interest (\$1,219 98), Improvement (\$24 86), Chemical breakage (\$121 83), Special state (\$5,000 15), Local station (\$663 68). Total: \$21,858 79. Includes insurance, mechanics hall, and heating plant funds.

Table with columns for item, amount, and balance. Items include House economy, Military, Salaries out depts, Sanitary, Furniture, Traveling exp., Advertising, Fuel, Insurance, Care of grounds, Library, Admin. bldg, College repairs, Station repairs, Postage, Freight, Scientific appar., Machinery, Water tank, Sewer, Miscellaneous, Total.

The actual expenditures of all the funds are: Departments (as above) \$34,998 87, Insurance fund 1,613 24, Mechanical hall 8,410 95, Heating plant 17,543 37. Total \$62,571 43.

MANY NEW BOOKS.

Added to the Odd Fellows Library—Large Increase for the Ensuing Twelve Months.

The trustees of the I. O. O. F. Library Association have decided to put the entire receipts into books this year, which will result in the addition to the library of about \$500 worth of new works during the next twelve months.

From Sea to Sea, 2 vol., by Kipling. Story of Little Jane and Me, by "M. E."

The Last Soldiers, by Francis Baylor.

Choir Invisible, by James Lane Allen.

Master Skylark, by Francis Baylor.

Christian Science and Its Problems, by J. H. Bates.

The Silence of Dean Maitland, by Maxwell Gray.

Santa Claus' Partner, by Thomas Nelson Page.

In Connection with the Willoughby Claim, by Francis Hodson Burnett.

They That Walk in Darkness, by Zangwill.

Confessions of Claud, by Edgar Fawcett.

Stones Rolled Away, by Henry Drummond.

The Orange Girl, by Walter Besant.

The South African Question, by Schreiner.

Janie Meredith, by Paul Leicester Ford.

Blue Grass Region, by James Lane Allen.

Prisoners of Hope, by Mary Johnson.

Via Crucis, by F. Marion Crawford.

Flute and Violin, by James Lane Allen.

The Early History of Charles James Fox, by Geo. Otto Trevelyan.

Donald and Dorothy, by May Mape Dodge.

Children of the West, by Philipotts.

Vol. IV., History of the U. S., by James P. Rhodes.

Mr. Dooley in the Hearts of His Countrymen, by F. P. Dunne.

Our Island Empire, by Chas. Morris.

American Lands and Letters, Vol. III., by Donald G. Mitchell.

Contemporaries, by Thomas Wentworth Higginson.

Land of the Long Night, by Paul Du Chaillie.

GAME OF BASKET BALL.

Willamette University Won from the Y. M. C. A. Boys at the University Gym. Yesterday.

A good crowd was in attendance at the university gymnasium at 3:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

It proved a great victory for the varsity team, who showed some good passing and organization work.

The Y. M. C. A. fellows were good at getting the ball, but lacked in avoiding the interference and getting baskets.

Kenady was compelled, about the middle of the first half, to give up his place on account of slightly spraining his ankle.

The men were placed as follows:

W. U.—Marquam, center; Starr and Coulson, guards; Kenady and Parsons, forwards.

Y. M. C. A.—Zanker, center; Byrd and Schram, guards; Rineman and Buckingham, forwards.

Bruce took Kenady's place and Race played the second half in place of Rineman.

Rex Russell and Claude Mathew were umpires and R. B. Wilkins referee, giving universal satisfaction.

Marquam's five straight goals from the foul line, and Coulson's guarding were special features of the game.

The university team will probably play the Monmouth normal school on next Saturday.

FUNERAL TODAY—William Burbee, the electrician who was drowned in Lane county, will be buried this forenoon in City View cemetery.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. P. S. Knight at the residence of the family, one block east of the North Salem school, beginning at 10 o'clock, after which the funeral will be taken charge of by the A. O. U. W., and the exercises at the grave will be according to its impressive ritual.

The members of the Workmen lodge at Junction City showed every mark of fraternal regard for the deceased, having the body properly cared for, nicely clothed, placed in a handsome casket and sending one of their number, J. H. Miller, on the train with it to Salem, besides a large number of them putting in several hours searching for it on Tuesday.

At the meeting of Protection lodge last evening pall bearers were appointed and a request was issued for as many members of the order as possible to attend the funeral.

INTEREST OF FAIR

A FARMERS' CONGRESS TO BE HELD IN SALEM IN FEBRUARY.

In This Manner Agriculturists Are to Be Interested in Oregon's Annual Exhibition.

(From Daily, Jan. 18th.)

It is proposed to hold a Farmers' Congress in Salem between the 7th and 15th of February. The Salem Chamber of Commerce has taken the initiative in the matter but it is given the assurance of hearty co-operation on the part of farmers throughout the valley, leaving no doubt as to the ultimate success of the venture.

The plan was devised at a conference of committees that had been appointed by the state agricultural board and the Salem Chamber of Commerce, for the express purpose of getting the farmers interested and securing their co-operation in behalf of the state fair. The committee representing the agricultural society consists of Dr. James Withycombe, of Corvallis; Thos. Paulsen, of Garden Home; C. H. Markham, of Portland; M. D. Wisdom, of Portland, secretary state fair board, and W. H. Wehrung, president fair board and ex-officio member of the committee. The Salem Chamber of Commerce, upon request of the state agricultural society, also named a committee to act in conjunction with the one representing the fair board. It consists of the secretary, Henry B. Thielsen, H. G. Sonnemann, and Jefferson Myers.

The committees purpose holding a farmers' congress in this city between the 7th and 15th of February. This date was deemed the most satisfactory for holding the meeting for the reason that it followed immediately after the meeting of the Republican State League in Portland, on February 6th, and would enable many farmers to attend the conference without the additional expense that a second trip would involve.

This meeting will be attended by the managers of the state fairs of Washington, California, Montana and Idaho. A circuit will be arranged that will permit of no conflict in the dates of holding the different fairs and will enable exhibitors and horsemen to attend each exposition, thus insuring the same attractions for each and every one of the annual exhibitions. At this conference of farmers it is expected that all of the various associations, such as wool growers, poultry raisers, hop growers, etc., representing the diversified agricultural interests of the state, will be in attendance and all unite in the interest of the Oregon state fair.

THE RIVER IS FALLING.

Steamer Gypsy Ascends the Long Tom River to Monroe and Was Cordially Received—The Eugene.

The waters of the Willamette receded very perceptibly yesterday and the picturesque stream will soon look natural again. Last evening the O. R. & N. Company's gauge registered about 18 feet above low water mark. If yesterday's rate of decrease in the river's stage continues today the Oregon City locks will be in operation again by this evening.

That steamboat navigation on the Long Tom river with an abundance of water, is not an impossibility, has been demonstrated by the O. R. & N. Company's steamer Gypsy, which on Monday successfully ascended that stream to Monroe. Speaking of the trip the Corvallis Times of yesterday has the following dispatch from Monroe, under date of January 16th: "Amid the firing of anvils and the cheering of citizens, the O. R. & N. steamer Gypsy arrived here at 3:15 o'clock, this afternoon. Her arrival had been expected, and a large number of people were on hand to give her a welcome. The trip up, according to the statement of the officers of the boat, was made without difficulty, save near Brudy crossing, where a considerable drift was encountered, and to pass which the boat experienced some difficulty. There was no trouble whatever from shallow water, the least depth secured from the soundings taken being 17 feet. The boat carried a cargo of 25 tons of miscellaneous freight for Monroe merchants, and will carry away a full cargo of flour and feed for Portland and other points. A number of passengers were on board, among them Wm. Gellatly, of Blodgett, Theo. Wellsher, of Corvallis, Captain Galbraith, of the snag boat Matholoma, and the general freight agent of the O. R. & N. company. The Gypsy leaves tomorrow morning, and will return to Monroe as soon as she can discharge here present cargo and load another."

Speaking of the movements, present and prospective of the steamer City of Eugene, the Eugene Guard of Tuesday evening, contained the following: "The steamer Eugene arrived up this morning from Salem, where it was on the way for two weeks. Business prospects for the boat from way points are very favorable, and regular weekly trips from Portland to this city will be made during the remainder of the season. The steamer is doing excellent service, is a good carrier and adjuster of freight tariffs. The business men of Eugene are giving the boat some patronage, but it is only by a concerted action on their part that the much-to-be-desired low freight tariff can be maintained."

The Albany Democrat considered the Statesman's account of the steamer Ruth's collision with the bridge at Albany, a practical joke. Of the incident of Democrat says: "The facts are that the Ruth ran against the piling to the approach, but did not damage even the boat. The only real damage happened one of the deckhands and he died out on the trip down."

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THE SCALP BOUNTIES.

Cost to the State Since the Law Became Operative—Three Counties Do Not Participate.

The state department yesterday issued a statement, showing the cost of the coyote scalp bounty act to the state since it became a law on May 6, 1899. During the period of time from May 6th to June 30th, 2160 scalps were presented, for which warrants, aggregating \$4300, were issued, drawn on the scalp bounty fund of the state treasury. From July 1st to September 30th, 8990 scalps of coyotes and other wild animals cost the state \$16,180, while during the three months ending December 31, 1899, 6596 scalps cost the taxpayers \$3,192. The total amount thus paid out is \$33,692, making 16,846 scalps, divided among the various counties in the state, as follows:

Table listing counties and number of scalps: County, No. Baker 439, Benton 24, Clackamas 69, Clatsop 23, Coos 7, Curry 15, Crook 1,614, Douglas 863, Grant 778, Harney 2,117, Jackson 247, Josephine 63, Klamath 759, Lake 1,122, Lane 31, Lincoln 9, Malheur 1,337, Marion 35, Morrow 1,342, Multnomah 14, Polk 4, Sherman 256, Tillamook 74, Umatilla 2,379, Union 695, Wallowa 456, Wasco 1,128, Wheeler 714, Yamhill 6. Total 16,846.

It will be observed that three counties—Columbia, Linn and Washington—have thus far secured nothing from this fund; Multnomah has profited to the extent of \$28, while residents of Marion county have received \$70.

EIGHT DEEDS RECORDED.

In the office of County Recorder J. H. Roland, yesterday, eight deeds were filed for record, the consideration aggregating \$5,443. In addition there were filed two mortgages aggregating \$570 and three satisfactions, amounting to \$960. The deeds filed were: J. J. Richardson and Sarah Richardson to James S. Nicholson, south 1/2 of lots No. 5 and 6, block No. 48, University addition to Salem, w d, \$2,300. W. T. Slater, receiver, and Pacific Land and Orchard Company, to C. A. Lindquist, lot No. 2, 3, 6 and 7, East Salem Fruit Farm, w d, 1178. J. H. Albert and Mary H. Albert to Mary P. Johnson, 24 acres in t 8 r 2 w q c d, 450. G. W. Taylor and Rachel J. Taylor to August Klingler Jr., lot No. 5, 6 and 7, block No. 12, Hubbard w d, 450. Walter J. Looney and Martha Looney to Jesse W. Looney, lots No. 10, 11 and 12, block No. 8, Jefferson w d, 440. Willis E. McElroy and Rose McElroy to M. P. Johnson, south 1/2 of lots No. 5 and 6, block 48, University addition to Salem q c d, 300. Jasper N. Huston to Amanda J. Barnett, lot No. 16, Sunnyside Fruit Farm No. 10, w d, 300. E. O. Hyde and E. E. Hyde to M. P. Johnson, lot No. 3, block No. 10, Compton's addition No. 1, to Salem w d, 25. Total \$5,443.

ON SUSPICION—Charles Breckers, recently from Dallas, was arrested last night by Officer E. B. Smith, on a warrant issued out of City Recorder Judah's court, charging him with larceny from a store. He is suspected of having been implicated in the burglary of Moyer & Edwards State street meat market last Sunday night when about \$30 worth of lard and meats was carried away. Yesterday Brecker visited the meat market and in the course of an extended conversation with one of the proprietors, made some peculiar statements, which aroused the suspicion of the dealers, who concluded to have the fellow arrested, thinking possibly he would subsequently divulge the desired information concerning the burglary. Breckers is generally known as the "lengthy" production of Polk county and has been staying in this city for about a month past.

ANOTHER BURGLARY—The cigar establishment of Late Hill at No. 217 Commercial street was burglarized on Tuesday night. The discovery was made yesterday morning when Mr. Hill opened his place of business. Entrance was obtained by forcing the rear door. The money drawer was opened with an ax and about \$15 taken therefrom. A quantity of gold rings, chains and miscellaneous jewelry was also purloined and some cigars were taken. It is not known who the perpetrators are but the case is being investigated by the police. It is maintained by some that this burglary is perpetrated by local characters but, generally, it confirms the theory that the city is infested with a gang of thugs and it would be well for business men to guard against intrusions by this class of individuals.

WILL NOT MOVE—A Statesman correspondent, writing from Woodburn last Saturday, stated that it was reported that Dr. J. D. Shaw, of this city, would locate in that enterprising town in the near future. Dr. Shaw stated yesterday that this was an error, as he had no intention of giving up his lucrative practice in Salem to remove to Woodburn.

A LARGER FORCE—Every announcement that we are out of a rush seems to bring on another rush. We have put on a still larger force, however, and are handling all orders very promptly. Several more new "fonts" of type in the last few days. Nothing too good for Salem, Statesman Job Office.

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TO REFORM DEED

ACTION BROUGHT TO CHANGE THE BOUNDARY OF REALTY.

Appealed to the Supreme Court, and Was Heard Yesterday—Powers of a Corporation's Officers.

(From Daily, Jan. 18th.)

In the supreme court, yesterday, two cases were argued and submitted, as follows:

James R. Sellwood, et al., respondents, vs. P. J. Henneman, et al., appellants, appeal from Clackamas county. Following is a brief statement of the case:

This was a case in equity initiated substantially for two objects—to reform two deeds for an alleged mistake in the description of the land conveyed, and for a decree declaring T. R. A. Sellwood and J. M. B. Sellwood, the plaintiffs and the owners in fee of the land included by said mistake in the above mentioned deeds, said last object being in the nature of a removal of a cloud from the title.

On the seventh day of September, 1889, James R. W. Sellwood, T. R. A. Sellwood and J. M. B. Sellwood bargained, and sold to J. G. Zinzer, for \$25 an acre, a tract of land containing 11 and 3/80ths acres, situated at Milwaukee, in Clackamas county. At this time they employed N. W. Randall, the county surveyor of said county, to survey the land and draw up a description of the same to be incorporated in the deed. The parties to the bargain went upon the land and agreed as to the corners of the land to be conveyed by the Sellwoods to Zinzer. The surveyor made the survey, calculated the amount of the land in the tract, and drew up a description for the deed. This description was incorporated in the deed given to Zinzer by the Sellwoods. The plaintiffs claim that the surveyor made a mistake in said description and included land outside of the northeast and southeast corners that had been agreed upon by the Sellwoods and Zinzer. They claim that none of the parties to said conveyance knew that said mistake was made; that Zinzer immediately took possession of only the land that they had intended to convey. On the twenty-ninth day of April, 1882, J. G. Zinzer quit-claimed to J. P. Henneman all his right, title and interest in and to said tract of land. Before said trade was consummated Zinzer showed Henneman the corners and lines of said lands as agreed upon by himself and the Sellwoods. He incorporated in 1/2s deed to Henneman the same description that had been drawn up by Randall, the surveyor, for the previous deed from the Sellwoods to Zinzer. Henneman took possession only of the land that was included within the corners agreed upon by the Sellwoods and Zinzer. In the autumn of the year 1891, I. L. Hoffman, a surveyor, ascertained that the description in said deeds included a strip of land outside of the northeast and southeast corners as agreed upon by the Sellwoods and Zinzer. After this Henneman attempted to take possession of this strip of land, which is the land in controversy, but was prevented from getting the possession by the Sellwoods. In order to remove this cloud from their title and to protect their rights in said land the plaintiffs began this suit. They recovered judgment in the trial court, and defendant appealed.

J. A. Crawford, appellant, vs. The Albany Ice Company, respondent; an appeal from Linn county. A brief statement is hereto appended:

The complaint alleged that the defendant is a corporation, that on the twenty-fourth day of January, 1894, the defendant made, executed and delivered its certain promissory note to one Charles F. Casey, whereby it, the corporation, promised and agreed to pay said Casey, six months after date, \$355

in United States gold coin, etc. That after the execution and delivery of said note said Casey sold and assigned the note to plaintiff. The evidence established the fact that plaintiff was at the time of the execution of said note and the transfer to plaintiff, the president of said company, and continued to hold that position until a short time prior to the commencement of this cause. The contention of the defendant was that the evidence did not show any authority whatever, in the president of a corporation to execute this or any other note whatever, and that the president of a corporation could not speculate in the corporate paper and when he did so the court would not enforce it. There was no ratification by the board of directors of the act of the president. The main contention of the appellant was that the court erred in sustaining defendant's motion for a non-suit for the reason the plaintiff had failed to prove a cause sufficient to be submitted to the jury upon the allegations alleged in the complaint.

PRESS PERSONAL.

Miss Ada Thomas, who has been visiting with the family of Rev. J. A. Townsend in this city, left for her home at Turner this morning.—Roseburg Review.

Conductor Eugene Bristow has gone north to take a run on the S. P. out of Portland.—Ashland Tidings.

Miss Ada Thomas, who has been visiting in Ashland, returned to her home in Turner, Marion county, Saturday night.—Ashland Tidings.

Garfield Sutton, who spent several weeks in Albany, after having returned from Manila with Dewey, has gone to San Francisco, where he has again enlisted in the navy department for four years and will continue the service for Uncle Sam, which has been begun so auspiciously and creditably to the young man.—Albany Democrat. (Mr. Sutton was Admiral Dewey's orderly. He is well known to a number of Salem's residents.)

A LONDON HOME.

A sidelight was thrown at an inquest at Westminster on the overcrowding which exists in slums in the neighborhood. The subject of inquiry was a child which had died of pneumonia in a common lodging house where father, mother and child had all occupied one cubicle.

The father and mother had entered married life three years ago and never had any furniture—not even a bed. This, however, is not an isolated case in Westminster, for according to the coroner's officer there are thirty or forty couples in the district in this predicament.

Coroner Troutbeck said one could not imagine anything more reckless than the way in which these two people had started in life—no home, no furniture. It was not surprising that the child had died. It had had no real chance to exist.

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