

## LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Balized Account of Doings in City and Country.

## A FATAL ACCIDENT.

The Little Daughter of George Will, Aurora, dies from the Effects of Burns Received.

Last Friday afternoon the little six year old daughter of George Will, a farmer living near Aurora, met with an accident which resulted fatally after about twenty hours of suffering. On the afternoon mentioned, in company with some neighboring children, she went out into a field where the farm hands were burning up rubbish, dry grass, brush, etc., and while playing with the fire her dress ignited, and before assistance could be given her whole body was terribly burned. She was carried home and Dr. Giesy was summoned and did all in his power to save the little sufferer's life, but her body was covered with blisters, and, after suffering terrible agony through the night, she died Saturday morning at 7 o'clock. The funeral took place from the family residence at 2 o'clock yesterday and was largely attended by sympathizing friends of the afflicted family.

*Chinese Law Settled.*

Jim Chung was arrested yesterday at Savage's gardens by Marshal Ross on the warrant sworn out by Sam Dick for assault last Saturday. Jim Chung deposited \$25 in cash for his appearance before Recorder Strickler this morning. When the case was called the prosecuting witness was unwilling to prosecute and the case was settled by the defendant Jim Chung paying the costs, amounting to \$12.00. The reason why Sam Dick was unwilling to prosecute is to be found in the fact that he was gambling with Chung at the time the assault was committed and he was afraid that if he was called on to testify this fact would leak out and he would be compelled to criminate himself to convict his assailant. Sam Dick "heaps savages" the wiles of America can law and doesn't propose to be caught napping.

*Chinese Patient.*

Mrs. Emily Werkmeister was examined as to her sanity by Dr. Jessup and Henderson and by Geo. H. Burnett, in the absence of the prosecuting attorney, before County Judge Shaw to-day, and committed to the asylum. She is about 37 years of age, formerly lived at Aurora, and has been parted from her husband three years. She has two daughters living, one at Portland and one at Yaquina, who are 17 and 10 years of age, respectively. She maintains that she has homestead rights in property with which she has long since parted and given receipts for. She came up from Portland a few days ago and was staying with Henry Olschdager, in this city, who swore out the complaint this morning.

*Body Not Discovered.*

Have you heard that the body of the suicide has been found? It is a query that the reporter has heard on every side to-day. The reporter was forced to admit that he had heard it; but the most careful examination failed to give him the source of the rumor, and only proved it to be a canard. The story as told was to the effect that the body had been raised to the surface near the Capital flouring mills, by the wheel of a passing steamboat last evening. There is no foundation for the rumor whatever and the suicide is to use an old "Chester," still shrouded in mystery."

*Murder is Probable.*

The will of George Smith, deceased, late of Aurora, was admitted to probate by County Judge Shaw to-day, with his son Stephen Smith, of Aurora, as executor without bonds. The will devises that his estate after payment of debts shall be divided as follows: First, to his daughter Elizabeth P. Will, of Coevallis, \$15; second, to his grandson George Samuel Smith, \$100; third, the residue to his son Stephen Smith. The will of the late Dr. H. Carpenter was also admitted to probate, with Mrs. S. A. Carpenter as executrix thereof without bonds, according to the provisions of the will.

*PROPERTY TAXES.*

Sheriff Minto today turned over \$26,000 gold coin to Treasurer Aug. Giesy. This is the largest payment of taxes yet made.

## LOCAL NOTES.

Make Wednesday night's meeting a rouser.

Miss Lou Allen is visiting friends in Portland.

Haverly's famous minstrels tomorrow night.

The painters at the asylum have all been laid off.

Dr. C. H. Hall, of Portland was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Shelton, of Johnson & Shelton, Scio, is in the city.

Remember the republican club meeting Wednesday night.

Spring lamb in market at McCrow & Willard's, 98 Court street.

The overland train was two and a half hours late this morning.

County Commissioner G. P. Terrell, of McMinn, is in the city.

A. L. McCollum and Frank Waters, of Yamhill county, were in the city yesterday.

The band gave a concert at the asylum yesterday. Over 200 Salem people were present.

George L. Kelty, an active young republican of McCollum, Polk county was in the city yesterday.

The Grange element is very strong in Linn, and the Labor, or Knights of Labor, in Lane counties.

Miss Mary Van Wagner, of this city, has been engaged to teach the "Crooked Finger" district school.

R. S. Wallace, president of the Capital National bank, has returned from his business trip to San Francisco.

Mrs. N. M. Skipworth, of Hubbard, was in the city yesterday, visiting the family of Rev. T. F. Royal.

Commercial and State streets have been as dusty as sheep trails to-day and the street sprinkler has been put to work.

The state prohibition convention meets in Portland next Wednesday. About twenty delegates will go from Marion county.

Mrs. C. W. Marsh, of The Dalles, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. S. P. Knight, has returned to her home.

The regular joint session of the Alpha-Hesperian and Athenaeum societies will be held on the evening of Friday Feb. 5th.

Miss Frankie Strong has returned from Los Angeles, Cal., where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gould, several months.

Sheriff Harrington and two deputies brought up three prisoners for the penitentiary last night. One of them was a fifteen year man, sent up for manslaughter.

A. H. Parsell, wife and son, of New York city, are here visiting Mr. Harry Stapleton, who is Mr. Parsell's brother-in-law. They are on their way home from Australia, where they have lived several years.

*Fines for Assault.*

William Randall, who was arrested last Saturday for an assault committed on Len Swarts in one of the saloons last Friday night, appeared before his honor, Justice Payne, this morning and plead guilty to simple assault.

As Swarts the prosecuting witness made a statement that the assault was the outcome of a drunken brawl and that he did not wish to have Randall punished too severely, Justice Payne let him off with a \$5 fine and costs, amounting in all to \$12. Randall liquidated and left for his home in the Waldo Hills a wiser and a poorer man.

*Calibration Meeting.*

For several days there has been an unpleasant smell in the county treasurer's office. It was at first believed that it was caused by the stink raised over the bridge warrants; but acting Coroner O'Donald was called in this morning and removed the wainscotting, when he found that a large rat had crawled in there to die. The corpse was removed and the treasurer's office now smells as sweet as a rose.

*An Eastern Trip.*

Rev. Dr. W. S. Harrington and their daughter Susie left this morning for the east, to be gone about two months. The ladies will spend the time in Illinois. Mr. Harrington will go to New York to attend the general conference of the M. E. Church in the capacity of delegate from the Oregon conference.

*Information Wanted.*

Information wanted of Benjamin M. Rothery. He has passed all the chairs in Old Fellowship and the A. O. U. W. His postoffice address or his whereabouts sent to the Wasco County Sun, The Dalles, Oregon will be thankfully received by his suffering aged mother. All Oregon papers please copy.

## POLITICAL NEWS.

Delegates to the Marion County Republican Convention from Nearly Every Precinct.

## WORK OF DEMOCRATIC CONVENTIONS.

The Tickets Nominated in Polk, Linn and Clackamas Counties.

The following is a list of delegates to the Marion county republican convention from every precinct with the exception of Abiquim, Butteville, Champoeg, St. Paul and Horre, which have not yet reported:

East Salem—David Simpson, C. B. Moores, E. M. Lafore, P. C. Glover, Ed. N. Edes, Henry McCullough, H. B. Brophy, J. D. McCullough, John Van Eaton, H. P. Keller, G. W. Johnson, W. B. Culver, Warner Breymann, Al. Graham, Geo. E. Good, J. B. Starr, J. G. Wright, Claude Gatech, L. Kuhn, F. Royal, Owen Hutton, Geo. H. Burnett, Geo. Collins.

Salem—Chas. Claggett, H. Stapleton, E. L. L. Johnson, James Mead, L. R. Stinson, M. L. Chamberlain, L. L. Patterson, J. Q. Wilson, Robt. Ford, H. S. Jordan, E. L. Townsend, Dr. L. L. Rowland, E. C. Cross, Jap Minto, J. W. Crawford, North Salem—Jacob Ogle, Jesse Mae, H. W. Cottle, M. L. Keizer, J. McCormick, A. M. Clough, Wm. Ward Martin, J. E. McCoy.

South Salem—T. H. McIntire, George Goodlin, W. H. Armstrong, M. G. Lane, Adam Ohlart, Wm. Stevens, A. W. Drager, Robt. Johnson, Ab. Hodson.

Jefferson—E. N. Thomas, A. D. Robinson, P. Nye, N. Doty, Wm. Pat, J. T. Beckwith, and S. T. Johnson.

Turner—J. M. Watson, Herman Wipper, N. O. Parker, R. A. Witzel, Lewis Bleakney, J. S. Osborn.

Lincoln—David Craig, A. S. Shaw, S. J. Condit, A. Lewis, H. W. Smith.

Lubish—S. W. Jones, W. M. Collard, Geo. W. Massey, E. W. Chapman.

Aurora—William Giesy, Sr., Wm. Fry, Byron J. Grim, H. E. Giesy, Henry Kraus, and Israel Snyder.

Woodburn—S. Layman, J. N. Poorman, J. H. Settemiller, J. B. Leatherman, A. D. Hall, J. Voorhees.

Hubbard—W. T. Grim, N. L. Coffenberry, W. H. Goudy, G. M. Fry, and J. L. Calvert; constable, Goo J. Wolfer.

Stayton—W. H. Holson, John Porter, John Howell, G. W. Coppel, Lee Brown.

Sidbury—Frank Wrightman, Jasper Hunt, Wm. Maag, G. Ashby, Richard Keene.

Mehama—F. U. Hull, Peter Meaur, R. A. Pratt.

Marion—T. W. Rutherford, Thos. Reed.

Fairfield—W. C. Hubbard, S. J. Kerr.

Garfield—John Mosier, Willis Dunnigan.

Howell Prairie—F. H. Ogle, John Newsome, G. W. Bentley, J. F. Anderson, Wm. Sappingfield, Webster Smith.

Silverton—T. B. Blackaby, George Brown, J. N. Davis, ——Haberly, T. D. Allen, Phil Hicks, E. Geer, A. I. Coseledge, M. Skafe, R. D. Allen, W. L. Simmer.

Gervais—L. H. Poujade, J. C. Barnes, J. S. Parris, Hardy Leith, Sol Lemmy.

The meeting instructed the delegation to support J. M. Settemiller for county commissioner.

## LINN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The democratic county convention for Linn county was held at Albany last Saturday. The following ticket was nominated:

For representatives, J. B. R. Morelock, Jeff Myers, and R. C. Miller; county commissioners, B. W. Cooper and G. W. Phillips; county judge, J. J. Whitney; clerk, E. E. Montague; sheriff, John Smallman; treasurer, H. Farwell; assessor, Z. B. Moss; school superintendent, L. M. Curt; coroner, J. Shean. No nomination was made for surveyor.

The following were elected as delegates to the state convention: J. L. Cowan, J. K. Weatherford, C. H. Balston, L. Senders, T. J. Black, Enoch Houl, T. D. Miller, W. B. Bilyen, and James Peery.

## CLACKAMAS CONVENTION.

The democratic county convention for Clackamas county was held at Oregon City on Saturday. The following ticket was placed in nomination:

Representatives, W. W. Jesse, Charles Ivoran and John Everhart; sheriff, P. S. Noyer; clerk, D. H. May; treasurer, E. H. Kelly; commissioners, Samuel Engle and Henry McGugin; superintendent of schools, O. P. Hedge; assessor, Elmer Dixon; surveyor, W. H. Johnson; coroner, Dr. W. E. Carlil. A resolution was adopted in favor of the election of Grover Cleveland for president and Gov. Penmeyer for vice president.

## POLK COUNTY DEMOCRATS.

Hon. Ben Hayden presided over the Polk county democratic convention held at Dallas Saturday.

The following ticket was placed in nomination: State Senator, D. W. Sears, of McCoy, the present county clerk; representatives, Dudley G.

Henry, of Zena; and Prince L. Campbell, of Monmouth, who is also a candidate for school superintendent on the prohi ticket; sheriff, Nick Tartar, school teacher and farmer of Luckiamute; clerk, George N. Townsend, of Perrydale, present deputy clerk and defeated candidate for this office in 1882; county judge, J. W. Kirkland, of Independence, present county commissioner and defeated candidate for sheriff in '82; commissioners, James Alexander, of Luckiamute and John Vernon, of Eola; assessor, J. T. Simpson, of Buena Vista, school superintendent, Prof. W. I. Reynolds, of Buena Vista; coroner, O. D. Butler, of Independence. Delegates to state convention, Tom Brunk, W. G. Nesmith, D. W. Sears.

CHIMERE HOTEL ARRIVALS.  
MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1888.

J. C. Hillis, J. Walker, San Francisco; S. M. Briscoe, Chemawa; Abe Mansfield, J. Osborn, S. F.; E. H. Merrill, Portland; E. Bornhauser, city; H. Hurley, Layfayette; L. C. Sheepard, P. C. T. C.; B. C. Irwin, St. Louis; H. Alexander, McCoy; J. T. Reves, Stayton; S. C. Higgins, Philadelphia; E. C. Brooks, McMinnville; Strand Long, Albany; J. G. Taylor, McMinville; G. W. Harrington, S. P. Florence, W. H. McLean, A. T. Heppner; S. S. Higgins, Polk county; J. E. Robins, J. O. Kinsell, D. L. German, Portland; Naph B. Grunsfeld, S. F.; Geo. H. Williams, Geo. W. Yocom, F. Cloeno, R. Lyons, Portland; T. Peels, Red Bluffs; F. Tate, Sulphur; A. A. Rorseh, Portland; H. F. Cenn, San Francisco.

Teachers' Meeting.

The following is the programme of the city teachers' meeting this evening:

Grammar—Specimen language lessons for beginners; Misses Cosper and Dearborn.

Parsing—Methods; Mr. Lane, Miss Phillips.

Incorrect Sentences—Value of; Miss D'Arey, Miss Gillingham.

Capitalization—Use of capitals; Miss Huelat.

Punctuation—Mr. Sellwood.

Letter Writing—Mr. Randle and Miss Litefield.

Diagrams—Miss Van Wagner, Mr. Myers.

Constructions of Noun—Mr. Wilkins, Miss Scriber.

Composition exercises from pictures for primary pupils—Miss Waters, Miss Shaw.

RAVERLY'S MINSTRELS.

On Tuesday evening, March 27, Haverly's celebrated minstrels will hold forth at the opera house with a first-class performance. An eastern exchange speaks of them as follows:

"Messrs. Queen, Stow and Randall, in their original aerobatic act entitled 'Hustling,' introducing their trick cottage, deserve great credit for their originality. Their act is full of such genuine humorous situations that the audience are convulsed with laughter throughout its entirety. Col. Haverly deserves commendation for presenting such an original novelty with his famous organization."

MAKE NO MISTAKE.

By dispelling the symptoms so often mistaken for Consumption.

SANTA ABIE has brought gladness to many a household. By its prompt use for breaking up the cold that too often develops into that fatal disease, thousands can be saved from an untimely grave. You make no mistake by keeping a bottle of this pleasant remedy in your house.

CALIFORNIA CAT-R-CURE is equally effective in eradicating all traces of Nasal Catarrh. Both of these wonderful California remedies are sold and warranted by D. W. Matthews & Co., 106 State street, Salem. \$1.00 a package, 3 for \$2.50.

THE PROHIBITION ORGANIZER.

Elder J. W. Webb returned Saturday from Lane and Linn counties and preached for the Christian church yesterday morning, assisting in the very successful Sunday School concert at night. He goes to Albany to-morrow to hear Walter T. Mills, of Ohio, the Prohibition Orator, and to arrange for his visit here, April 4th. Revs. B. J. Sharpe and J. W. Webb orated on prohibition party politics in the Christian Church, Scio, on Saturday.

REVIVAL AT SEAS.

A big revival has been held at Scio, by the Cumberland Presbyterians,

Rev. Kirkpatrick being the chief preacher. Though there are several churches there is not one resident preacher in that town.

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