

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Itemized Account of Doings in City and Country.

IMMIGRATION MATTERS.

The Pamphlets Relative to Oregon Being Distributed. Some Letters.

A reporter of this paper asked President Wright, of the board of trade, regarding the applications for the pamphlet recently published by the committee, and was informed that fully three hundred applications had already been received, and that they were coming in now at the rate of six or seven a day.

"Do the applications for information ask many questions, not generally replied to by the pamphlet?"

"The pamphlet, I think," answered President Wright, "contains almost every item of information usually wanted. The principal questions are concerning the climate and nature of the soil."

"Have you received any letters from persons to whom the pamphlet has been sent, written since they received the book?" was asked again.

"Yes, one. Here it is," said Mr. Wright.

It is from Mrs. E. K. Cutter, of Pueblo, Colo., and reads as follows:

DEAR SIR: "Your letter, postal and book—received, for which please accept our thanks. Am favorably impressed with the account of your valley. Please send me two or three of your city dailies, or any of your newspapers published in Salem. Have heard from your agent in Illinois, and I think strongly of coming to your city."

"Here is another," said Mr. Wright, "from D. C. Calef, Boston. It reads as follows:

"You will confer a favor by sending me a pamphlet, and a copy of some local paper. After I settle my business here, I have an idea of going to some point on the Pacific coast. Any printed matter will be carefully read, and I may buy in your location."

"These," continued Mr. Wright, "are fair samples of the correspondence. Here's one, however, that differs from the others." It was a postal, and is given "verbatim et literatim, et spellum, et punctatum."

"Salem Board of Trade Please Don't Send me your Books I Don't want Them Yours Truly John B Van Ness 716 Washington St., N. Y. City."

It is evident Van did not want to be tempted; but he was sent a pamphlet, just the same.

There are plenty of these books at the office of President Wright now, and everybody who wants to send one to friends in the East, can get them by calling and agreeing to send them.

It was learned that J. M. Wright, the Oregon Land Company's excursion agent, at Vermillion, Ills., would leave Kansas City, presumably, with an excursion party for Salem about the tenth. These parties will be numerous this summer, it is likely.

Six and a Half Inches.

The size "around the belt" of a strawberry, presented at this office to-day. Dr. L. A. Port brought it in, with a cluster of fifty more that will average 5 inches in circumference, at least. They are strung on a stalk of clover thirty-five inches in length. Both the clover and berries grew in the garden of Dr. Port at the corner of Winter and Ferry street, on gravelly soil, without irrigation or manure. They are only fair samples of the entire crop of this valley this year. A few weeks since, we were getting strawberries from California, that were about the size of an ordinary cherry. A local merchant sent a crate of a dozen boxes of the Oregon product to the California commission merchant a few days since, to show him what strawberries were.

President Van Scoy of the Willamette, university informed a JOURNAL reporter to-day that the new catalogue for 1887 and '88 was now in the printer's hands, and would be completed next week. It shows that there were 392 pupils enrolled during the year. This is the largest enrollment in the history of that institution, and the largest of any university in the state.

An Absolute Cure.

THE ORIGINAL ABIETINE OINTMENT is only put up in large two-ounce tin boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, wounds, chapped hands, and all skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of piles. Ask for the ORIGINAL ABIETINE OINTMENT. Sold by D. W. Matthews & Co., 106 State street, Salem, at 25 cents per box—by mail 30 cents.

LIST OF JURORS.

List of Names of Persons Drawn to Serve on the Juries of the June Term of Circuit Court.

The jury list for the June term of the Marion county circuit court was drawn yesterday, and is as follows: G. J. Wolfer, farmer, Hubbard. D. H. Looney, farmer, Jefferson. David Pugh, mechanic, Salem. J. W. Watt, farmer, Howell Prairie.

August Will, farmer, Aurora. W. B. Tout, farmer, Woodburn. C. H. Libby, farmer, Jefferson. Frank Feller, farmer, Butteville. Stephen Badger, farmer, Mehama. W. T. Coleman, farmer, Cham-poeg.

G. L. Vinton, farmer, Howell Prairie. G. W. Eoff, farmer, Howell Prairie.

J. W. King, farmer, Clymer. J. H. Settlemier, farmer, Woodburn.

M. A. Wade, farmer, Gervais. J. F. T. B. Brentano, farmer, St. Paul.

W. E. Iler, farmer, Butteville. J. G. Evans, farmer, Salem. I. T. Day, mechanic, Turner. J. W. Forsythe, mechanic, Cham-poeg.

Martin Bailey, farmer, Marion. J. A. Tanner, farmer, Salem. P. L. Kennedy, farmer, Woodburn.

Adam Burns, farmer, Macleay. A. G. Perkins, farmer, Brooks. Alexander Potter, farmer, Turner. W. W. Elder, clerk, Stayton. J. W. Hodson, farmer, Salem. Jacob Virder, farmer, Silverton. John Dennis, farmer, Hubbard. J. T. Beckwith, farmer, Jefferson.

The House Painters.

There is the greatest demand for painters this year, that has ever been known in Salem. The art of house painting has become so fine a one, that it is not every person that can do it. It used to be that a man with a whitewash brush, and a bucket of lime was a house painter. Now a whitewash brush, will not do. The late style of painting and finishing houses, requires that a man be as thorough an artist, as though he were going to paint a buggy.

There are several first class house painters, in this city, and they are rushed all the time. There are a large number of houses now being repainted, and a large number awaiting a visit from them. Gov. Moody's residence, Hon. Ed Hirsch's residence, Ed Hutchins' new cottage on Mill street, Mrs. A. F. Cox's home on Summer street, R. B. Fleming's new cottage on Cottage and Center streets and numerous other houses are being repainted, and there are several new cottages, the outside of which are nearing completion, that will be ready for them in a few days.

The State Grange.

The State Grange adjourned sine die last evening, and most of the delegates returned home to-day. They passed a resolution yesterday forbidding the publication of their proceedings, so of course, the persons who had kindly acted as reporters for the press, were afterwards "mum as an oyster." The resolution, it is understood, emanated from a Washington Territory delegate named Yeomans, who said that the reporters were "giving the grange secrets dead away." Last night a class of twenty-seven were given the sixth degree, before the order adjourned.

Plate Indians.

It has been recently ascertained by a Harney valley paper that there are one hundred and sixteen Plate Indians in Harney valley and vicinity, among whom there are seven blind women and ten blind men. The greater number of these Indians are said to be in a starving condition, begging from door to door by which means they manage to exist. It seems strange that this government cannot feed the starving Indians out of the large sums appropriated by congress, from year to year, for that purpose.

The Candidates.

Several of the candidates spent last night in this city, and went out to Silverton, where they hold forth to-day. They are at Mt. Angel to-morrow, and on Monday they open up at Woodburn again.

Perfection Lamp Filler.

Have you noticed it at S. Farrar & Co's? It is just what has long been needed and no one should be without it. Cheap, convenient, labor-saving, cleanly. Can be adjusted in a moment to any five gallon oil can.

LOCAL NOTES.

Hear Hon. John Swift to-night. Fresh strawberries at A. Strong & Co's.

E. J. Swafford went to Portland this morning.

Supreme court has adjourned till Wednesday June 6.

Hot,—hot weather dress goods at E. L. L. Johnson's.

Miss Laura Goltra came down from Albany to-day.

Call on Winters & Thomas for the best groceries in town.

Thirty bread tickets for one dollar at A. Strong & Co's.

Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith's, 92 State street.

Fans, parasols, ladies' summer underwear at E. L. L. Johnson's.

Miss Mae Carpenter has returned from an extended visit to friends in Portland.

Cheapest. The cheapest place in Salem for dry goods is E. L. L. Johnson's.

A. L. McCully and Frank Waters, now of Yamhill county, are visiting in this city.

Have your dresses made, ladies, at Mrs. A. H. Farrar's. No fancy or extravagant prices.

Chief Justice Lord and family and Justice Thayer and wife went to Portland this morning.

D. L. Green delegate to the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, which meets at Cincinnati, started east yesterday.

C. G. Fisher, republican nominee for representative in Polk county, has been in the city attending the state grange with his wife.

Major J. P. Canby, U. S. A., Major S. S. Summer U. S. A., and James Canby passed through enroute to Portland this morning.

Mrs. Henness, of Henness' on the Santiam, arrived over-land from California this morning, and is visiting at the residence of W. J. Herren.

Rev. I. D. Driver will speak at Salem some evening next week on the question of political prohibition and the third party. His date is not decided on yet.

Ladies will please take notice that Mrs. A. H. Farrar is receiving new styles of hats every few days. An endless variety from which to select, and prices very low.

The presentation of a handsome flag to Co. "F," 2nd regt., O. N. G., by the ladies of Albany will occur at the opera house in that city on May 20th at 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. A. T. Gilbert and Miss Maggie J. Cosper entertained a few friends at the elegant residence of A. T. Gilbert, last evening. Dancing and billiards were the order of the evening.

Two special cars, one an Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe vestibule car, and the other the private car of A. L. Maxwell, G. P. & T. A., O. R. & N. Co., swelled this morning's train to eleven cars. This is a good train for the O. & C. R. R.

A new post of the Grand Army of the Republic will be mustered at Dallas next Tuesday night. There are several old soldiers around there, and their petition for the formation of a post has been granted.

"Any news?" a reporter asked of his honor, Justice O'Donald of East Salem precinct to-day. "No; been no court for several days, now. I'm deuced glad of it, too, you know. Too near the election, you know," was the reply.

Eli Perkins, the famous humorist, has secured rooms for himself, wife and daughter at the Monroe house for Monday night. Mr. Perkins will lecture on Monday evening as he says, till some one tells him to stop.

Rev. R. C. Crawford and wife who have been visiting in this city for some time, left to-day for Seattle, where they will spend a couple months visiting Mrs. S. E. Crockett and Miss Ellen Chamberlin, sisters of M. L. Chamberlin of this city.

George W. Morris, formerly head salesman for J. M. Rosenberg & Co., in this city, and who returned to his home at Marietta, Ohio, a couple of years ago, is now closing up his business there, preparatory to returning to Salem to live. He will arrive here by September 1st.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Anna Louisa Denny will take place this afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Battery Street Methodist church. Rev. F. W. Loy will officiate. The remains will be interred at the family burial place near Oak Lake.—Seattle Post Intelligence. Miss Denny is a cousin of Mr. Louie Tarpley of this city.

Prominent Citizens of the Hub.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr., one of the justices of the supreme court of Massachusetts, and son of Oliver Wendell Holmes, the poet, accompanied by George O. Shattuck, one of the leaders of the Boston bar, and a director of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe road, passed through on this morning's train in a special vestibule car of the A. T. & S. F. R. R. They visit Portland and return home via the Northern Pacific railroad. There visit is purely one of observation and pleasure. Judge Holmes is desirous of learning something about the Chinese.

BORN.

GILBERT.—In Salem, Oregon, Thursday, May 24, 1888, to the wife of J. C. Gilbert a son.

Democratic State Ticket.

For Presidential Electors, W. F. EFFINGER, W. R. BILYEU, E. R. SKIPWORTH. For Congressman, JOHN M. GEARIN. For Supreme Judge, JOHN BURNETT. For Prosecuting Attorney 3d District, G. W. BELT.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

Legislators, FRANK FELLER, W. H. DOWNING, T. L. DAVIDSON, CHARLES MILLER, W. F. DUGAN. Sheriff, HENRY SCHOMAKER. Clerk, W. I. RAY. Recorder, C. D. COLEMAN, Treasurer, G. G. VAN WAGNER. Commissioners, F. X. MATHIEU, L. HARDING. School Superintendent, JOSEPH A. BELLWOOD. Surveyor, A. GOBALET. Assessor, HENRY PARKER. Coroner, J. A. ROTAN.

CAMPAIGN ADDRESSES.

The candidates on the Marion county republican ticket will address the public on the political issues of the day at the following times and places, and respectfully invite opposing candidates to participate in the discussion: Mt. Angel, Saturday, May 26, 10 o'clock. Woodburn, Monday, May 28, 2 o'clock. Hubbard, Tuesday, May 29, 10 o'clock. Aurora, Tuesday, May 29, 8 o'clock. Butteville, Wednesday, May 30, 10 o'clock. Cham-poeg, Wednesday, May 30, 8 o'clock. St. Paul, Thursday, May 30, 2 o'clock. Brooks, Friday, June 1, 2 o'clock. Gervais, Saturday, June 2, 2 o'clock. Salem, Saturday, June 2, 8 o'clock. GEO. H. BURNETT, Chairman Republican Co. Central Com.

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Tissue paper, leaves and centers. Don't forget the artist material, such as Tube Paints of all kinds, Brushes of all sizes, and Blenders. Also the

GOLD PAINT—READY MIXED, Mats for frames of all sizes, in fact everything else that can be thought of.

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SPECIAL OFFER ON LARGE BODY FIR WOOD.

I offer the best quality of large fir wood in five cord lots and over, sawed twice, at \$1 per cord; sawed once, \$2 90. If you want the best stove wood, the best furnace wood, and the cheapest wood you can burn, give me your order. Any order taken now will hold good to September 1st. No payment demanded until wood is delivered. Now is your time to engage your winter's supply of wood. GEO. D. GOODHUE, Office with G. W. Johnson, 256 Commercial street.

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You all know that our Manager has been in business here for the last twenty years and always does as he advertises. About August 1st he will start East to buy a large fall stock, and in order to do this we will offer our whole stock of goods consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Tobacco, Cigars, Paper, Envelopes, Notions, etc., at a great sacrifice, and in order that the general Public may know that we mean business, we mention the price of some of our goods till August 1st. A good Hemmed Handkerchief for 1 ct. 1000 fine Ostrich Plumes for 50 c each worth \$1. Large stock of flowers, price no object. Ladies' Chemise 15 c each, worth 20 c. Ladies' Night Gowns, 50 c each worth \$1.25 And all our stock of Ladies' White Goods in proportion. 50,000 Ladies' Hat Frames 10 c each, worth 15 c. 12 Fish Hooks and 1 Line for 3 c. Good Scrubbing Brushes 5 c each. Good White Wash Brushes 10 c each. Best Patent Clothes Pins 5 c per doz, worth 12 1/2 c. Good Fly Hooks, 2 c each. 50 Heavy Letter Paper, 3 c per quire. 10 lb Letter Paper, 5 c per quire. 100 doz Memoranda Books, 1 c each. 500 boxes Lubin Toilet Soap, 9 c per box worth 25 c. The above are only a few of the genuine BARGAINS that we will offer. Besides these our whole stock will be offered at prices lower than anywhere else in the city, without any exception. We are not going out of business but are here to stay and only do this to make room for our large fall stock. Call and be convinced. Buy and be happy. Remember these bargains can only be secured at the Opera House Corner, from the Capitol Adventure Co.

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