

THE CAPITAL JOURNAL.

PUBLISHED DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY, BY THE Capital Journal Publishing Company. (Incorporated.)

Entered at the postoffice at Salem, Or., as second-class matter.

JACOB L. MITCHELL - - - - - Manager.

See fourth page for terms of subscription.

Advertisements to insure insertion (for the same day) should be handed in by 1 o'clock.

Correspondence containing news of interest and importance is desired from all parts of the state.

No attention will be paid to anonymous communications.

Persons desiring the CAPITAL JOURNAL served at their homes can secure it by postal card request, or by word left at this office.

Specimen numbers sent free on application. Office, corner Court and Liberty Streets.

SATURDAY - - - - - NOVEMBER 23

SATURDAY READING!

Mr. Bowser Goes Into Politics and Gets Whipped.

WAS CANDIDATE FOR ALDERMAN.

Some of the Ups and Downs Experienced by Dabbling in Politics Just For the Dear People.

Well, what do you think?" queried Mr. Bowser, as he looked up to me across the supper table one evening.

"You—You haven't been and bought another horse, Mr. Bowser?"

"Horse! Can't you think of anything but horse? I suppose you'll throw that horse up to me to your dying day. It was all settled this afternoon. I am going to be nominated for alderman of this ward."

"Mr. Bowser, is it possible that you are going to let them lead you into any such foolishness? I thought you had a more level head than that, in spite of all your mistakes."

"My mistakes," he shouted. "I never made one in my life, except when I married you! Level head! I'd like to see some one who carries a more level head than I do."

"And so you are going to be alderman?"

"If I live."

"But what for?"

"Because it is the wish of the people. My country calls. The committee has canvassed the ward, and concluded that I was not only the best man for the office, but the only one who stood any show against the vicious opposition. It is a sacrifice on my part, but the true patriot must be ready to sacrifice."

"I'm so sorry."

"So sorry! For what? Because I have been selected above all others! Because honors have been thrust upon me! Mr. Bowser, you have never appreciated the man you married, and you probably never will."

"Well, I shan't say any more. I think it is a pull-up job to get money out of you, and I know what a gang will be running here after you. It's your own affair, however. Don't blame me if you get left."

"There you go! Always opposed to me. I can plainly see why some men never get along. If I had a wife like some I know of I'd have been governor of the state long ago. I'm going to run, however, and after I'm elected you'll probably be just mean enough to say you brought it about."

"I didn't say any more. As soon as he left the house next morning I prepared for visitors and I was not disappointed. He was hardly out of sight before the bell rang, and I opened the door to find a dirty-looking fellow with his hat on his ear, who asked:

"Is Bowser home?"

"No, sir."

"Gets out pretty early, doesn't he?" Leave any money for me?"

"No, sir."

"He didn't, eh? Purty specimen of a candidate he is! Expects us to do all the figurin' for nuthin', does he?"

"Who are you, sir?"

"Who am I?" he repeated as he slanted his hat a little more and spit over his shoulder. "I'm the party as carries this ward in his vest pocket, I am, and if old Bowser don't cum down liberally he gets left. Tell him to cum an' see me."

Nine times that forenoon I answered the bell to find a ward heeler or some other political parasite on the doorstep. One of them even went so far as to ask me to pledge Bowser to vote for him to run one of the city hall elevators. There were three others waiting for him when he got home to dinner, and I saw him give them money. He came in excited and jubilant, and when I told him what had occurred he replied:

"Let the dear people come! They know that I am the man to do all I can for them if I am elected, and elected I will be as sure as the sun rises on that day. What do you think? I was talking with a prominent man belonging to the oppo-

sition, and, he said it would be no use for his party to put up a man against me. Bowser stock is away up, hey?"

For a week I lived in a state of miserable agitation. Every hour in the day a ward heeler rang the bell, and, when he wasn't ringing, it was some other man who wanted a sewer or some other contract. Every evening the house was full of politicians laying plans and guzzling down my currant wine, and on three nights Mr. Bowser had to "go the round" of the ward and see the boys. On the last night I had to help him up stairs, and the tears rolled down his cheeks as he whimpered:

"Shay, Mrs. Bowser, it just breaks my heart to see how 'er people love me. They cry for me, and—and I cry for zhem."

This went on for a week, and then the caucus was held to nominate. Mr. Bowser said he would go through by acclamation, but the boys would expect some sort of speech, not to say a keg of beer afterward, he would have to be on hand. As soon as nominated there would be no more heeler running after him and a nomination meant election by a large majority. I didn't say much, but I felt pretty sure how it would come out.

Along about 6 o'clock he came home. He was running. He also breathed hard, and looked white.

"What on earth is the matter now?" I asked as he banged into the hall.

"G—gone!" he gasped.

"How gone?"

"Gone up."

"Mr. Bowser tell me what has happened. You act as if you had met a ghost and had lost your senses."

"I—I didn't get the nom—nomination!" he whispered his knees quaking so that he had to sit down on a chair.

"Why didn't you?"

"Because they concluded that Mr. Scott was the more popular and the stronger man."

"What! the cross-eyed loafer who was arrested only last week for whipping his wife?"

"Y—yes."

We looked at each other for a long time without speaking. Then I said:

"I thought the dear people loved you, Mr. Bowser?"

"Yes."

"You were to be selected above all others and honors thrust upon you."

"Yes."

"Your country called upon you to down the vicious opposition. You were the patriot who was ready to sacrifice himself."

"Yes."

"How much has this experience cost you?"

"Four hundred."

"Well, you have made a fool of yourself, and I hope it will be a lesson to you. You'd better go to bed."

"I—I guess I will."

At midnight he woke up sat up in bed, and exclaimed:

"Look here, old lady, I hope you feel better, having accomplished your villainous object!"

"What do you mean?"

"I mean that you defeated me in the cause. Everybody knows you, and this opportunity for revenge could not be passed over. Mrs. Bowser, you have gone a step too far! To-morrow I shall consult a lawyer about divorce proceedings."

"Go to sleep."

"Yes, I'll go to sleep; but don't imagine I shall forget or overlook your base duplicity. I have borne and borne, but this is the end."

Next morning, however, he made no reference to the matter, and as some of his party made him believe that he had been withdrawn in the interests of harmony, he came home one day to observe:

"I hear that my name is being mentioned for mayor, but I shan't take the nomination. I prefer to be a plain, humble citizen.—Detroit Free Press.

How Musk is Obtained.

Most people take it for granted that because musk is sold in what is called a pod, therefore it is a vegetable product. But the truth is that it is entirely an animal product, being a substance found in a two or three inch sac in the body of the little musk-deer of Asia. The sac, when tied up and dried, goes by the name of a pod among the hunters who bring it into market. Probably there are few things subject to such adulteration, as one part of pure musk will scent thousands of parts of some other powder mingled with it; and as the pods sell for from fifteen to twenty dollars apiece the adulteration has its profit. It is indeed so pungent that when just fresh it has been known to produce violent bleeding at the nose, and many people are so susceptible to it as to have had headaches brought about by contact with the pure article; and while a suspicion of it is very agreeable to many persons, one atom too much becomes offensive, as the case is with patchouli and many other odorous substances. It was formerly largely used in therapeutics, especially in

the Orient, having become disused as much from the difficulty of obtaining it in a pure state as from any thing else, and it is now seldom given except in hysteria and hic-cough.—Harper's Bazar.

Maori Traditions.

The islands composing New Zealand are 800 miles from the nearest continent, and the largest boat the natives have is not bigger than an Indian canoe. Then they resemble neither the South American Indian nor the natives of the Australasian continent. There own theory is that the Great Spirit was fishing one time, and threw his line down from the sky to hook a whale. The hook stuck in the ground, and he pulled and pulled until he drew a mountain up to the skies, which is now called Rangiriri. He flew along the clouds in a rage, and tried his luck 600 miles away with no better success, for this time he brought up Mount Egmont, a peak 10,000 feet above the sea level. Both these snow-capped peaks may be seen to this day by mariners far out at sea as a proof of the correctness of the tradition.

It is not easy to convert the Maori, but once converted he is a pious and intelligent Christian. They all ride on horseback and are very fond of fine and bright-colored clothing and jewelry. It is nothing uncommon to meet a Maori riding astride of a fine horse, putting away at a black clip pipe under her veil.—New York Star.

TOOK THE WRONG MEDICINE.

Robert Stewart, of Petaluma, recently had a queer experience. He writes: "Caruncles and boils afflicted my face and neck for weeks. Finally I procured a bottle of one of the leading Sarsaparillas. To my surprise it made matters worse. This made me lose faith in Sarsaparillas, but seeing a statement that Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla dried up boils and face eruptions instead of forcing more out, as the Sarsaparillas do, I bought a bottle. The result was astonishing. The caruncles and boils began to dry up, and in two weeks my face was as well and smooth as ever. My brother also took a bottle with the same benefit. ROBERT STEWART, Petaluma, Cal."

[Explanatory Note.—The mineral, iodide of Potash, which is the basis of nearly all other Sarsaparillas, attacks the blood direct, hence forces impurities through the skin, creating more boils and pimples. Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla acts oppositely. Its vegetable alternatives stimulate the various secretory organs and thus eliminate all impurities through the natural channels, hence dries up pimples and skin eruptions at once. The above testimonial is a case in point.]

A SAFE INVESTMENT.

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of throat, lungs or chest, such as consumption, inflammation of lungs, bronchitis, asthma, whooping cough, croup, etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at Daniel J. Fry's drug store.

Mountain Laboratories.

We are accustomed to look upon the masses of our mountains as the very type of what is stationary and eternal; but in reality they are vast chemical laboratories full of activity and constant change. With every alteration of eternal conditions or environment, what was a state of stable equilibrium for atoms or molecules ceases to be so. Old unions are ever being broken down and new ones formed. Life in our planet, like life in ourselves, rests fundamentally on chemical action. The vital fluid circulates unceasingly through the arteries of the oceans and the currents of the air; it penetrates the rocks through the finest fissures and invisible cracks, as the human blood penetrates the tissues between artery and vein, producing with the help of heat and pressure, like changes in the history of the globe. The recurrence after a long interval, of the same set of conditions in the same rock-mass may bring about the unending cycle—analogue to succeeding generations—which Hutton, the earliest of the Scotch geologists, recognized a hundred years ago.—Popular Science Monthly.

Holden's Etherial Cough Syrup.

An infallible remedy for the cure of coughs, asthma, catarrh, bronchitis, whooping cough and affections of the throat and lungs. The success and immense demand for this popular preparation for the last thirty years is unparalleled. Large size \$1, small 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

MERIT WINS.

We desire to say to our citizens that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. Sold by Daniel J. Fry, druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, letter chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Daniel J. Fry, druggist.

Catarrh

is a constitutional and not a local disease, and therefore it cannot be cured by local applications. It requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, working through the blood, eradicates the impurity which causes and promotes the disease, and

Catarrh

affects a permanent cure. Thousands of people testify to the success of Hood's Sarsaparilla as a remedy for catarrh when other preparations had failed. Hood's Sarsaparilla also builds up the whole system, and makes you feel renewed in health and strength.

Catarrh

"I used Hood's Sarsaparilla for catarrh, and received great relief and benefit from it. The catarrh was very disagreeable, especially in the winter, causing constant discharge from my nose, ringing noises in my ears, and pains in the back of my head. The effect to clear

Catarrh

my head in the morning by hawking and spitting was painful. Hood's Sarsaparilla gave me relief immediately, while in time I was entirely cured. I am never without Hood's Sarsaparilla in my house as I think it is worth its weight in gold." Mrs. G. B. GRAY, 108 Eighth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. Hood's Sarsaparilla sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. 100 Doses One Dollar.

FOR RENT.

A MARRIED COUPLE or two ladies or two gentlemen may obtain, at reasonable rates, good board with a nicely furnished suite of rooms in a fine locality, convenient to the street cars, by calling at 37 Winter street.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—Who wants to purchase or lease a saw mill? Address W. H. B., this office.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—A FARM OF 320 ACRES all under fence and cultivation, in the best range country in Eastern Oregon. The best chance ever offered for a man to engage in stock raising. For a circular call on or address

SOCIETY NOTICES.

K NIGHTS OF PYTHONS.—Regular meeting on Tuesday night of each week at 7:30 p. m.

L. E. STINSON, C. C. W. H. H. WATERS, E. G. R. and others.

OLIVE LODGE No. 18, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall up stairs, corner Commercial and Ferry streets, every Saturday at 7:30 p. m.

J. F. GLENN, Secretary. W. M. CLARKE, N. G.

G. A. R.—Salem Post, No. 10, Department of Oregon, meets every Monday evening at the hall over the Oregon Land company's office. Visiting comrades are cordially invited to attend.

A. W. DRAYGER, Post Commander. B. F. SOUTHWICK, Adjutant.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

L. S. SKIFF, MARK S. SKIFF, D. S. SKIFF & Co.—Dentistry.—Painless extraction of teeth with new process. Also gold crowns made and set. Brick dental office near opera house, Salem, Or.

J. J. SHAW, attorney at law, Salem, Oregon. Office upstairs in the Patton block.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.—DR. M. E. MCCOY, physician and surgeon, has located and taken rooms over Squire Farrar's grocery store. Chronic diseases a specialty. Consultation free. M. W. WADE, 124 1/2 W. 2nd St.

W. J. WILLIAMS, STENOGRAPHER and Typewriter Copyist. Will make reports of trials, etc.; copying on typewriter accurately and neatly done. Office over T. Weston's furniture store, Commercial street, Salem.

CHARLES C. CURTIS, M. D., Surgeon and Homoeopathic physician. Office and residence, New Bank Block, 307 Commercial street, Salem, Or. Office hours 8 to 9 a. m. and from 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 p. m. Diseases of the rectum and chronic diseases a specialty. Fifteen years experience. dw

ANDREW H. DIVEN, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, Salem, Oregon.

Office hours: 9 to 11 a. m., 3 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m. Office Court street, next door east of Dr. Rowland. Residence, 301 Chemeketa st.

J. C. SMITH, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

Office with Dr. J. N. Smith, Griswold block, Salem, Oregon.

W. H. H. WATERS & CO., LAWYERS.

Rooms 1 and 2 Friar's Block, N. E. corner State and Commercial streets, Salem, Oregon.

John A. Carson, COUNSELOR, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC.

Member of the Bar of Ontario, Canada. Office, 99 State Street, Salem, Oregon.

REFERENCES AT TORONTO: Hon. St. Thomas Gall, Chief Justice of Common Pleas; Hon. James McLaren, Judge of the Court of Appeals; Hon. W. P. R. Street, Judge of the Queen's Bench. Money to loan.

A. A. OSBORN Has 208 acres of

The Best Pasture Land in the State, One mile from the bridge in Polk county. Parties wishing pasture will address A. A. OSBORN, Salem.

DORRANCE BROS. Dealers in every variety of OREGON LUMBER. DRESSED AND UNDRESSED! Lumber Delivered on Short Notice.

Yard at the Agricultural works, Salem, Oregon. Will handle four and a half miles northeast from Salem, on the John Martin donated land claim.

Slab Wood 50¢ Per Cord. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. d-w

The Best Residence Localities

In the city of Portland and other prosperous towns are those owned by men or corporations who have the disposition and ability to improve them.

HIGHLAND ADDITION

—IS OWNED BY—

THE OREGON LAND COMPANY!

And this Corporation is determined to

Make It The Most Attractive Addition

To the city of Salem. They have at this time fifteen teams employed and the contemplated improvements have scarcely begun. It is intended to make the drive leading from Commercial street through Riverside and Highland additions and around Highland Park

THE FINEST DRIVE IN THE STATE

OF Oregon. The line of the Salem Street Railway Company runs through the middle of this addition, and no lots will be more than two blocks distant from the line. Highland Park will in the near future be

THE MOST POPULAR RESORT

ABOUT THE CITY OF SALEM.

Lots in Highland Addition are High and Dry and Well Located; Most Excellent Drainage

The soil is black and rich. From all points a fine view is obtained of the public buildings and our highest mountain peaks. Arrangements are already being made for the location of two churches in this addition, and a number of residences are soon to be built. Buildings only of the best class will be permitted. Residence lots within the limits of the city of Salem are worth on an average over \$1000. We can sell you better lots in Highland addition for one-third of the money, and being directly on the line of the street railway they are practically "inside lots" far from the public buildings and the business part of the town as the majority of the so-called "outside lots."

Buy a Lot in Highland Addition for Three Hundred Dollars,

And let some other fellow pay \$1000 for an inferior lot not so well located. With the difference of \$700 you can build a beautiful cottage, or put it out at a rate of interest that will buy you nearly two thousand street car tickets every year.

School Tax Notice.

The school taxes of District No. 24, in Marion county, are now due and payable at the clerk's office, No. 104 Court street, in the City of Salem, Oregon. The same will be deemed delinquent unless paid within sixty days from date.

DAVID SIMPSON, School clerk. October 15, 1888.

PRINTING.

ONE OF THE LARGEST ESTABLISHMENTS in the West. Lower rates than Portland. Largest stock Legal Blanks in the State, a-d biggest discount. Send for price list of Job printing, and catalogue of legal blanks. Steam Printer Salem Oregon.

Small Farms for Sale.

A number of ten-acre tracts of desirable land, within one and a half miles of Salem, at prices ranging from \$50 to \$100 per acre. Apply to

WILLIS & CHAMBERLIN, 629-1m Opera House Block

C. M. LOCKWOOD, SALEM, OREGON.

Headquarters for the Willamette Valley for the celebrated Columbia bicycles and tricycles. The Columbia are well known and are the best made, and have valuable improvements for the year. Those wanting machines will do well to call on or correspond with before purchasing. Office in Gilbert Bros. bank, 207 Commercial street, Salem.

Conservatory of Music

Of the Willamette University Salem, Oregon, the most successful Music School on the Northwest Coast. Courses in music are equal to Eastern music schools. Yearly attendance of nearly one hundred and fifty. The able corps of teachers for the coming school year will be Prof. Z. M. Parvin, Leona Willis, Miss Eva Cox; assistant teachers, Miss Lulu M. Smith, Miss Holly Parish, and Miss Mamie Parvin. Branches taught are Vocal Culture, Piano, Organ, Violin, Pipe Organ, Harmony, Counterpoint, and Class Teaching. Diplomas given on completion of course send for catalogue and circular. Z. M. PARVIN. 7-53 3m-wlm.

NEW LIVERY STABLE.

Gaines Fisher, Proprietor. Corner Ferry and Liberty streets, N. E. cor from Chemeketa hotel, Salem, Or.

Good accommodations for commercial travelers. First-class rigs always on hand. Charges reasonable.

New Express Wagon.

WILLIAM HOLCOMB Has started a new express wagon and is now ready to deliver baggage to and from the depot, and to any part of the city. Baggage of any kind delivered on short notice.

THIS PAPER is kept on file at E. C. Agency, 94 and 95 Merchant's Exchange, San Francisco, California, where contracts or advertising can be made for it.

Educate FARMERS!

For success at the CAPITAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Salem, Oregon. A. P. ARMSTRONG, Mgr. E. L. WILEY, Prin.

Business, Shorthand, Typewriting, Penmanship and English Department. Day and evening Sessions. Students admitted any time. Call at the College or address the Principal for catalogue.

Notice to Cannery Men!

A Large Cannery and Fruit Drying establishment would do well at Aumsville, Oregon, as plenty of pears, plums, prunes and cherries, raspberries, blackberries, also plenty of green corn, peas and potatoes could be obtained for canning purposes. There is a grand opening here for such an establishment.

AUMSVILLE

is located in the midst of a good grain, fruit and stock country.

For further particulars address: T. S. MARION COUNTY, Or. 10-10dwlw

Kansas House,

Corner of Court and High Sts. E. M. LAW, Proprietor.

We have taken a new name but will continue to serve our patrons with the best market affords, give them a cordial welcome to Our Home. Terms reasonable. Give us a call and we will do you good. No Chinese employed.

LOANS.

Loans negotiated and closed without delay when security is satisfactory and

Title Good!

Principal and interest payable at our Salem office. Loans made on farm property.

Money Ready When Papers Completed

Those wishing loans for improvements or stock are requested to call on us or correspond with SMITH & HAMILTON, Office with Duncan & Booth, 99 State st., Salem, Oregon.

New Fish Market.

Allen Rhodes has established a new Fish Market on State street, and he keeps a good supply of fish, poultry and game.

Give him a call and your order will be promptly attended to. 8-28-1m

New Butcher Shop

AT NO. 110 STATE ST. ANGEVINE & JEFFERSON.

Have opened up a first-class butcher shop at the above location, where they will be pleased to serve the people with the

CHOICEST AND BEST MEATS

of all kinds that the market affords. Give them a call and be convinced of the superiority of their meats. 42-Goods delivered free.

ATTENTION FARMERS!