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CARELESS DRIVING.—The attention of the JOURNAL has been called several times to the carelessness of some persons in driving over public bridges. Many persons think that driving over an ordinary bridge in a trot is neither an offence against the laws nor an injury to the structure. Neither is true; the Oregon statutes are very plain, and the penalty severe for anyone to drive a team in a trot over a public bridge. A horse trotting over a bridge may do a greater damage than if he should run over it. The uniform motion of any animal in trotting over a bridge gives to the structure a swing that is very straining on it. The complaint which comes to the JOURNAL is fast driving over the covered bridge over South Mill Creek on Commercial street. This is a heavy bridge for the foundation on which it is built, and fast driving may end there very seriously some time, if continued to be practiced.

LOOKING THIS WAY.—The members of the next legislature, which will meet on the 12th of January, are beginning to turn their attention this way. A number of that body have already engaged rooms at the Willamette and other hotels in the city preparatory for their six weeks of work in the city as the servants of the people. The assembling of the legislature brings a small army to Salem. Besides the ninety members of the two houses a host of clerks come with them. The wives of a number of the lawmakers will be here also and many others interested in what may or may not become a law, are in the city during the session, and indulging in every kind of a scheme to secure the enactment of pet measures. All these things give Salem a more active and businesslike appearance for a couple of months in the winter season.

CITY COUNCIL.—The city fathers meet to-night in accordance to the adjourned meeting of last Friday night. If a quorum can be obtained they will close up the business of the year before the new members take their seats. At the first meeting of the new council which is next Tuesday night, several changes will take place. The captain of police will assume the duties of city marshal, the new mayor and several councilmen will take seats in the city administration. The new council will be appointed, and a general change will probably be made in the affairs of the city government. The people in general seem to have full confidence in the incoming city officials and expect some good work of them.

M. E. CHURCH DEDICATION.—The new Methodist church, of this city will be dedicated Jan. 4, 1891. Rev. J. W. Bushong, D. D., of East Portland, will preach the dedicatory sermon at 11 a. m. and Rev. C. C. Stratton, chancellor of the Willamette University, of Salem will preach at 7 p. m. Dr. Bushong has the reputation of being a very able preacher. He preaches somewhat on the Talmage style. Dr. Stratton is one of the finest orators on this coast. All are cordially invited to come and hear these very able preachers.—Albany Herald.

A DEVILISH VILLAIN.—State Superintendent McElroy, who not long since set out some nice and valuable trees on his farm near Monroe, reports that some individual has pulled the trees up, about 100 in all, and taken them for "self-interest." This is a very rash way of doing business, and the man who would do such a thing is not fit to be classed among humans. He is a devilish villain.—Benton Leader.

WAY DOWN.—Denham's is the place where the people are getting those fine shoes that you see about town. They are selling great quantities and the reason is that they are carrying a heavy line of good foot-wear at eastern prices.

Keller & Marsh will be glad to show you their work at picture framing and they will also be glad to have you inspect their fine line of chains of which they have over one hundred and fifty patterns.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICS.

How Oregon Climate is Shown up in the East by Newspaper.

Almanacs.
Oregon suffers much from unreliable and unreliable statistics given in the almanacs published by the large newspapers and taken from what they call government signal offices. Those for Oregon are, Portland, Roseburg and Umatilla. These in the first place are not suitable locations to give a correct idea of the climate of this state. Portland is situated at the mouth of the Willamette river and almost on the great Columbia where there is a heavy fall of rain, though the temperature is a fairly good one for western Oregon. Roseburg is well up in the mountains and Umatilla is the driest and most unfavorable place in Oregon for a signal station to give reliable information.

In addition to these faults the almanacs give the highest and lowest temperature reported from any part of the state. In these is where the greatest injustice is done. Oregon has some high mountains where no one lives and where the cold is extreme and the temperature of these places is embodied in the report, and from the sage brush lands east of the Cascades they get the warm temperature. In another place in the New Year's JOURNAL is given reliable statistics, taken from careful observations made in the heart of the Willamette valley, embracing a period of twenty years which speaks more than volumes in Eastern newspaper almanacs.

AT THE RIVER'S EDGE.—All are interested in the rise of the Willamette river to a stage that boats may run with safety and doubtless all are more interested in the time when the government may be persuaded to put the river in a condition that boats may navigate the river as far up as Salem. The river is now nearly a foot lower than it was last Saturday morning; to-day it stands about twenty-two inches above low water mark. The rains of last night and to-day will turn the tide and instead of falling as it has for the past two or three days it will begin to rise again. A day or two of good showers would give a fine boating stage to the river. The ground is now pretty thoroughly soaked and much of the water that falls will be carried to the river.

THE ASTORIA ROAD.—The railroad will never be built unless it comes to Salem, its natural point of destination," says the Salem JOURNAL, referring to the South Coast R. R., of which Hon. D. P. Thompson has just been elected president. It would be built then. Salem once tried to raise simply stock for an Astoria railroad, generally paper figures, and stopped at \$20,000, an amount Albany has nearly paid out in cash in preliminary work for a road. Talk is very cheap.—Albany Democrat. Why not Salem and Albany unite and secure something more substantial than "preliminary work?"

GRIEF STRICKEN FAMILY.—News has just reached this city of the death of two of the little children of Frank Ainsworth at their home in Kansas. Mr. Ainsworth was bookkeeper in Ladd & Bush's bank in this city for more than a year and made his home in Salem for more than two years. He and his family consisting of a wife and three small children left Salem last September for Glascow, Kansas, where he and his brother started the Ainsworth bank. Their friends here will be grieved to learn this sad news.

AT THE BRIDGE.—Work is still progressing at the bridge and the time for the driving of the last spike seems not far distant. The last span of 120 feet on the Polk county side is fast approaching completion. This span is a combination and similar to the old bridge that once spanned the river here. The foot walk on the south side of the bridge is being put in as is the Polk county approach.

PAINT WORKS.—The directors of the Oregon Metallic Paint Co. held a meeting in Salem Monday, and increased the capital stock from \$2500 to \$5000. The place of business is Seio, and the incorporators are Adam Miesler, D. D. Dayton and W. J. Herren. The plant is to be increased. Supplemental articles of incorporation are filed to-day.

A WELL PATRONIZED FIRM.—After she has named the day for the interesting ceremony to occur, then, young man it is a proper case to fix up a cozy little house in nice shape to receive the blushing bride after the knot has been tied. Now where can you get better satisfaction than at Lunn's dry goods store.

GONE BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.—That young Salem dude, whose girl has recently left town is not entirely heartbroken. Shortly before she left Cherrington took her photograph and now he finds some consolation in gazing at this excellent representation of her.

Life is Misery.
To thousands of people who have the taint of scrofula in their blood. The agonies caused by the dreadful running sores and manifestations of this disease are beyond description. There is no other remedy equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla for scrofula, salt rheum and every form of blood disease. It is reasonably sure to benefit all who give it a fair trial. Be sure to get REMEDY.—Don't forget that Patton's State street book store has a fine line of stationery.

SHORTAGE OF BOATS.—W. R. McKenzie, traveling auditor of the Union Pacific railroad, was in the city a few days since and from him it was learned that it is possible the U. P. company will put no boats on the Upper Willamette the coming year.

Capt. Troupe, superintendent of navigation, is opposed to putting them on, as he claims the competition on the river in the freight hauling tariff leaves no money in the business. Other members of the company management are in favor of running the boats and the matter is not fully decided yet, but the probabilities are as first stated. This would leave a clean sweep of the river trade to the Oregon Pacific and independent boats, but doubtless some other companies will see a profit in the river business and will step into the place made vacant by the U. P.

YAQUINA BAY.—Mr. Brassfield, an extensive property owner at Newport and Seal Rock, in an interview said: "Newport is having a steady, healthy growth." He says: "A subsidy has been raised for a motor line from Yaquina bay to Alsea bay, and although the company has two years in which to complete the road, I believe that the trains will be running next summer. The distance is fourteen miles. A motor line is also to be constructed from Newport to Foulweather, a distance of six miles. The country around Yaquina bay is developing quite rapidly. The timber lands are being settled by Swedes and Norwegians, and they are the class of men who stay by their holdings. This is one of the finest fruit sections in the state."

A FINE DINNER.—The good wives of the grangers had a fine dinner spread in the waiting room at the grange hall when the grange adjourned at noon to-day. All present were invited to join in the discussion of not only a good dinner but the events of the day. The Pomona grange has adopted a custom, and a good one too, of taking baskets filled with the best products of the farm when they have a meeting and putting in the whole day at the hall.

SUSTAINED.—The Salem postmaster has been sustained by the department in his action in excluding newspapers from the mails containing advertisements of drawings for certain prizes. The Albany paper that condemned the rulings as those of a "narrow-minded official," is respectfully referred to Attorney-General Tynes.

FILED.—Articles incorporating the Willamette Valley Milling Co. were filed with the secretary of state to-day. Chas. E. Ladd and Theo. B. Wilcox, of Portland, and Asahel N. Bush, of Salem, were the incorporators; capital stock, \$100,000, with principal office in Portland.

Get on to the style of Billy Dugan at the Opera House, Thursday night.

A CHANGE.—The building now occupied by Jos. Fishburn and Chas. De Leon is soon to be fitted up for a saloon by Messrs. Howard & Hamilton. Mr. De Leon will move his shop into the building now occupied by Mr. Howard's cigar store.

NEW SHOP.—A barber shop will be opened in the room under the corner of the hotel Willamette, in the near future.

Finest Tillamook dry smoked salmon at Davidson & White's market—a great appetizer.

THAT'S WHAT.—Buren the old-time furniture man is showing some remarkably fine goods at his furniture emporium on Commercial street, where he will quote prices which will astonish you.

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP.—Robert Ford has purchased the interest of Mr. Hodgins in the saloon on State street at Chris Paulus' old stand and hereafter it will be run in the name Ford & Miller.

FINE SCENERY.—Photos taken at Catterlin's, at two dollars per dozen. Photographs of celebrated Oregon scenery for sale.

IN NEW QUARTERS.—Henry Schomaker removed his stock of hardware and farm implements into the new brick next to The Willamette hotel yesterday afternoon.

Secure your seats at Dearborn's for the great minstrel performance at the Opera House Thursday night.

Don't forget that you can buy the choicest French candies at 30 cents per pound at Strong's restaurant.

Don't forget the musical entertainment and musical play by the H. A. C. band on New Year's night, at the Opera house.

WRITE.—It is perfectly right to use a good pen when you write. Patton has a large supply and many varieties.

INKS.—Patton has a full supply of different makes.
BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY OF GEMS.—"Full many a gem, of purest ray serene, The dark, unfathomed caves of ocean bear," says Gray. But divers are constantly bringing to light these treasures of the deep. W. W. Martin has some fine specimens of pearls and other gems at his State street jewelry store.
Go to Crisman's for children's carts; 15 cents.

POMONA GRANGE.

Marion County Grangers in Session To-day—Three Interesting Meetings Held.

Pomona Grange held a meeting this forenoon, and transacted all the business that came before that body and listened to some interesting addresses from different members of the Grange, and from visiting members of other Granges. Among the visitors present were Prof. John D. Letcher and Prof. E. R. Lake, of Corvallis, Hon. Thos. Paulson, of Washington county and J. C. White, Esq., of Polk county. Five of the seven Granges of this county were represented.

Prof. Letcher addressed the Grange in open session this afternoon, on the subject of urging the legislature to grant larger appropriations for the State Agricultural college. A good attendance was out to hear him in giving his earnest appeal in behalf of the college. He said the college was instituted for the benefit of the masses of the people and especially the farming classes.

Another open meeting will be held this evening, at 7:30, to which the public are invited to attend. Prof. Grimm, of Corvallis, will speak on his side of the financial status of the Oregon Agricultural college, at the public meeting at Grange hall at 7 o'clock this evening.

ACCIDENT AT THE BRIDGE.—An accident that might have terminated with more serious consequences occurred at the bridge this morning, though it was an expensive one as it was. As the workmen were putting up the short span on the Polk county side of the river, the tops of the bents stood a little too close together to allow the cross braces to be bolted, and in springing them apart one side over balanced and fell into the river. While it seems hardly possible, yet no one was seriously hurt. Some of the plates were lost in the bottom of the river.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Squire Farrar was a passenger for Portland this afternoon.

Dr. L. S. Skiff returned from a visit to his son at Portland.

Co. Commissioner Grimm, of Hubbard, was in the city to-day on business.

Geo. H. Burnett went down to the big city on business this afternoon.

Mr. C. L. Keller, the furniture man, returned last evening from a trip to Portland.

Prof. E. H. Anderson, of the East Salem school, went down to Portland on the early train this morning.

Ex-Senator Dawson, of Linn county, is in the city this afternoon, on business and attending the Grange meeting.

Major Handbury reports word from the jetty at the mouth of the Columbia river that the stormy weather on the coast since the 12th has washed away 112 feet of the work.

Dr. T. F. Smith, formerly of Dallas, now of Tacoma, returned to that city to-day, after a pleasant visit with his cousins, Drs. J. N. and J. C. Smith, of this city.

City Marshal Ross took to Portland this afternoon a prisoner named Philip Davis, whom he arrested Saturday for peddling cigars without a license. He will have his trial and sentence before Judge Deady, of the U. S. circuit court.

Hear the Capital City Quartett in their solos, quartetts, etc., at the Opera House, Thursday night.

The rush still continues for those fine meals at Strong's Restaurant.

Remarkable Rescue.
Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by the family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; she bought a bottle and to her great delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as she ever was.—Free trial bottle of this Great Discovery at Fry's Druggists, large bottles 50c to \$1.

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J. W. Taylor to Louis Melcher, 40 acres in t 8 & r 1 w 1/4
Wm Pearson and wife to Bennett Pearson 140 acres in t 8 & r 2 w 1/4
H. A. Johnson Jr and wife to W. H. Ray 1/2, 1, 2, 3, 12, and 14 of bl 1 Brooklyn ad to Salem

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DIED.

NESMITH.—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nelson, near Rickreall, Polk county, Tuesday morning, December 29, 1890, Pauline Goff—Nesmith, aged 59 years, nine months.

Deceased was the widow of the late lamented Col. J. B. Nesmith, who so ably represented Oregon in the U. S. senate in early days. She was a daughter of David Goff and was married to Col. Nesmith at the Goff homestead a few years after she came to Oregon with her family, which was in 1844.

Mrs. Nesmith has always enjoyed the highest respect and esteem among all her neighbors and was endowed with the most endearing qualities, kind, generous and charitable. Five children survive her; Mrs. Levi Ankeny, Mrs. Judge L. L. McArthur, Mrs. W. M. Molson, James B. and Wm. G., all of whom lived close around her and ministered to her earthly comfort.

The funeral will take place Thursday at noon from the old Nesmith house, and the remains will be interred alongside her husband, on the banks of Rickreall creek, where a handsome and costly monument has been erected by the family. A large concourse of the old friends who have known the deceased so long, will doubtless pay the last sad offices of respect to the deceased.

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THE BEST.—Brooks & Cox the State street druggists can show you a fine line of perfume. Among them are some of the newest and most fashionable makes.

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS.—If you are in need of anything in boots, shoes or slippers, before you spend your money elsewhere call on Klein the shoe man and see what he has.

Excitement
runs high in this city over System Builders, as everybody is using it for Catarrh of the Stomach, Consumption—Dyspepsia, impure blood and to build up the System—it certainly must be an excellent preparation, when everybody speaks so well of it.

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