

DAILY LINE TO PORTLAND.

—STEAMERS—

Altona and Ramona

—LEAVE—

DAILY.
Portland, 6:45 a. m.
Salem 7:45 a. m., except Sunday.
Quick time, regular service and cheap
rates.
M. P. BALDWIN,
Agent, Salem.

New Line of Christmas Handkerchiefs, J. J. Dalrymple & Co.

OREGON PERSONALS.

J. R. Wyatt and N. M. Newport, of Albany, were in town Monday.

F. U. Settlemer, the Woodburn nursery man, was a Salem visitor today.

E. C. Holsinger, of the W. U. Telegraph office at Astoria, is in the city.

Wm. Dumars, general manager of the Portland W. U. Telegraph office, was in Salem today.

Jas. Kuerton, the Oregon City Soap Manufacturer, arrived in the city this afternoon from Albany.

James Fennell of Eureka, Cal., a brother of P. Fennell, manager of the Cook hotel, is in the city.

J. A. Van Eaton, accompanied by his son Plummer, went to Albany this morning on business.

Richard Campbell, a native of Great Britain, has declared his intention of becoming an American citizen.

Major Chas. E. Worden, government agent in the allotting of Indian Lands, is in the city the guest of E. F. Parkhurst.

Salem Labor Exchange.

Some of the members of Salem Exchange No. 108 have organized a literary and debating club at their warehouse on the river in North Salem. E. C. Minton president and J. T. Ryan secretary. They have a good and comfortable hall, warmed by a stove. They meet, Friday evening each week at 7:30. A fine literary program and music, besides the topic for the debate, is promised for next Friday night.

The Exchange is doing a flourishing business and is in a sound condition. The manager and accountant have voluntarily reduced their salary to \$15 per month for the slack season. A rumor was started lately to the effect that the warehouse would close for the winter season, which is a misstatement started for the purpose of injuring the business of the Exchange.

The Exchange being an educational institution, has started a circulating library for the benefit of the members.

You Can Be Well

When your blood is pure, rich and nourishing for nerves and muscle. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer or you will fall a victim to sudden changes exposure, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be well. Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pill; assist digestion, cure headache 25 cents.

HIGH AND LOW.—The White House Restaurant at 106 State street, beats any one on the coast for high quality and low price. Kenworthy & George.

ALWAYS.—For the best meals in the city always go to Strong's restaurant

We Sell Clothing

That give the wearer satisfaction. To see ours is to buy 'em. Men's suits, \$6 to \$10. Youths' suits, \$4.50 to \$10. Best values for your money.

Xmas Presents for Boys.

Boys' knee suits, \$2, \$3, \$4.50. They fit well, wear well and will please your boy.

Try us for oil coats, oil pants, men and boy's overcoats and mackintoshes. See our underwear, neckwear and hats.

Yours to please for cash.

WILLIS BROS. & CO.

Court and Liberty. The Cash Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoe House.

Slash Sale of Dress Goods This Week.

For convenience for you and us we've arranged them into lots all conveniently priced. Its the deepest cut we've ever made. Look them over and then come and investigate. 5 pieces half wool iridescent effects, assorted colors, good styles, 14c 5 pieces all wool trigot and half wool checks, 19c 24 pieces all wool Henrietta, all mixtures, 28 to 42 inch goods, 40 to 65 cent values, 20c 29 pieces, including 46 inch all wool Henriettas, all wool fancies in Boucles and plaids, former values from 50 cents to \$1, 30c 29 pieces, 46 inch Henrietta, silk mixed fance, iridescent boucles, 75 cents to \$1 goods, 40c 9 pieces fancy Boucles and iridescent novelties, all new goods, 75c to 90c, 59c 8 pieces fancy mixtures and suit patterns, 85c to \$1.25 per yard, 60c

T. Holverson.

Salem School Board.

The regular meeting of the Salem School Board was held Monday evening at the office of Clerk Bozorth. Directors: Johnson, Bruce, Charlinton, and Omat were present.

BILLS ALLOWED.

B. F. Salmon, \$1.00
Brown & Smith, 1.50
Gray Bros., 50
J. G. White, 3.25
J. A. Taylor, 9.70
Buren & Hamilton, 6.50
A. J. Herschback, 50
Scott Bozorth, Clerk, salary for Nov., 15.00
C. A. Whale, for piano, 215.00

The application of the Orphans Home for free tuition for the orphan in the public schools, was considered and referred to chairman H. A. Johnson as a special committee for investigation. The chairman and Clerk were constituted a committee, and authorized to borrow money with which to pay the salaries and current expenses for the month of November.

Mr. Rhodes was employed to repair the blackboards at the Lincoln school at an expense not to exceed \$25.00.

An Insane Woman.

About 8 o'clock this morning a female patient, who had escaped from the asylum, entered the grocery establishment of H. M. Branson & Co. The unfortunate woman began to enumerate her troubles to the clerks. She claimed to be a native of Ireland, and the peculiar accent to her voice verified the statement. She alleged that all her money had been stolen from her, and she wished to return to the old country, and to take the morning boat. From the woman's conversation, it was plain to be seen that her mind was deranged. She was invited into the store on the pretext of awaiting the arrival of the boat. In the meantime, the asylum authorities were notified, and the woman was returned, offering but little resistance.

Justice Court.

James Smith, aged 19, was arraigned before Justice H. A. Johnson Monday charged with larceny of a number of tools from the Depot Sash and Door factory, east of the S. P. Passenger Depot. The lad plead guilty to the charge and was sentenced to 30 days in jail. The stolen goods were valued at \$43.50.

Old People.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters. This medicine does not stimulate and contains no whiskey nor other intoxicant but acts as a tonic and alterative. It acts mildly on the stomach and bowels, adding strength and giving tone to the organs, thereby aiding Nature in the performance of the functions. Electric Bitters is an excellent appetizer and aids digestion. Old People find it just exactly what they need. Price 50c and \$1 per bottle at Fred A. Legg's drug store.

SHERIFF SALES.—From this date until further notice THE WEEKLY CAPITAL JOURNAL will publish notices of sheriff's sales, at \$5 a piece for the full five weeks, according to law. Persons making foreclosures or having execution notices to publish should make a note of this. Capital Journal Publishing Company, Salem, November 1, 1896.

Beautiful Blacks.

Tamborines, bones and black faces at the Reed, Friday, December 11, for the benefit of the Salem Hospital. A genuine minstrel performance. Old time melodies and plantation songs. Reserved seats 50 cents. Gallery 25 cents.

Cannot Be Met.

The prices made by John G. Wright on crockery and groceries cannot be met by any firm in the city, for cash and when quality of stock is considered. None but the best goods kept.

Salem Jolly Lady Minstrels Friday, Dec. 11, at Reed's opera house. Seats now on sale at Patton's Book Store.

A RARE SMOKE.—For a truly comfortable smoke two points should be considered—physical and mental comfort. Both can be obtained by smoking the Salem made La Corona cigar.

CASTORIA.

The Castoria is the best of all purgatives.

THE MESSAGE.

President Cleveland congratulated congress on Monday on the patriotic disposition of the people to abide peacefully the result of a heated presidential contest in which one party concluded by seeking to monopolize the public flag as a political emblem.

He denounces the Turkish outrages, robberies, butcheries and murders in Armenia, but declares that none of our citizens, in Turkey, have thus far been killed or wounded, but several naval vessels are stationed in the Mediterranean. He does not believe the present sombre prospect in Turkey will long be permitted to offend the sight of Christendom.

He declares the Cuban Insurrection has gained in numbers, character and resources, and the spectacle of the utter ruin of an adjoining country he thinks should engage attention.

The president thinks to accord beligerent rights to the insurgents would be perilous and injurious to our interests. Right and not might should rule in this contest. He thinks if Spain would offer Cuba genuine autonomy—self government peace could be secured.

He states that our government offered on behalf of Cuba to guarantee the acceptance and execution of any satisfactory measure of home rule that Spain might grant but has received no reply from Spain. He intimates to congress that they may be called upon to act in the premises.

The president has shown true greatness and ability in handling this Cuban question. He has not offended good taste nor propriety. He has been extremely solicitous to show good will toward Spain. But his conclusions are clearly drawn and the work of naval preparations and coast fortifications goes bravely on.

In revenues the president shows a deficit for last year, of \$25,203,000, expenditures reduced for the year by \$4,016,000. Exports increased over last year by \$75,069,000. An average duty of 40 per cent has been collected. The value of the Wilson-Gorham bill as a revenue producer is said to be such that it will overcome all deficiencies this year. He deals with finance in a manner consistent with former utterances.

FAIR AND FESTIVAL.—At the Central Congregational church, corner of Nineteenth and Ferry streets, on Tuesday, December 15, day and evening. Useful and fancy articles for sale. Oysters, coffee and refreshments served in the evening. You are cordially invited.

THE WEATHER.—This morning the mists had rolled away and the sun rose bright and clear over the snow covered Cascade range. Forecast for Wednesday, rain and cooler temperature.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, 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 Fred A. Legg.

Notice.

Office Labor Exchange Branch 108, Salem, December 8, 1896: All persons holding certificates of deposit issued by this branch are requested to present them at this office for cancellation. Balance checks will be given in lieu thereof.

FINAL CITIZENSHIP PAPERS.—Nicklaus Freitag, a native of Switzerland, today received final citizenship papers from County Clerk L. V. Ehlen, having resided in the United States the past five years, as prescribed by law.

Don't Forget!

The date, Friday, December 11 at Reed's Opera House, the Jolly Lady Minstrels, composed entirely of Salem young ladies. Tickets now on sale for 25 and 50 cents at Patton's book store.

Mamma, Take Me. Salem Jolly Lady Minstrels Friday Dec. 11th, at Reed's Opera House.

Pictures framed by Buren & Hamilton. 12-5 3t

If you are going to boil your tea, one tea is about as good as another.

If you will follow directions, try *Schilling's Best*. Your grocer returns your money in full if you don't like it.

A Schilling & Company San Francisco

RIVER NEWS.

At 8 o'clock this morning the O. R. & N. Co's. gauge indicated the stage of the river to be 14 feet and at a standstill.

Steamer Elmore arrived up from Portland Monday night returning down the river at 6:45 a. m. with flour and wheat from the Salem Flouring Mills for Oregon City and Portland Mills.

Steamer Ruth will come up from Portland Monday evening returning Wednesday morning.

The Gypsy will return this afternoon from Corvallis, and returning will leave for Harrisburg.

Steamer Altona and Ramona continue to make regular trips to Portland, each leaving Salem every other day at 7:45 a. m. The excellent service, both freight and passenger, of the company operating these boats, is evidently appreciated by the business men and traveling public.

Jefferson City Election.

At the city election held here Monday there were two "Citizens' tickets" in the field J. H. Rowland was elected mayor without opposition—being on both tickets—the fight was on recorder and marshal.

Geo. Epply defeated J. C. Siegmund the present incumbent for recorder. P. H. Epply defeated U. G. Longworth for marshal. Wm. Biley defeated S. T. Johnson, for alderman, and E. Murphy, U. G. Hoyt, A. Ralfe, Otto Shultz, G. W. Richardson were elected alderman. F. B. Sackett treasurer. 55 votes cast.

TO CHANGE HIS NAME.—August H-Jost, a native of Sweden, who emigrated to the United States in 1884, has petitioned the Marion county court that his name be changed to August Lindholm. The matter will be considered at the January term of Judge Terrill's court. The older brothers who came to this country in 1882 had their names changed to Lindholm and the petitioner finds it difficult to transact business under name of H-Jost.

Don't Be Duped

by selling-out-at-cost schemers, but buy your holiday goods at The Fair at low prices for spot cash. 12-3 2d 1w

DIDN'T KNOW IT

before, but found it out the other day, that the cheapest place to buy shoes in Salem is at

KRAUSSE BROS.

Salem Water Co'y.

Office: Willamette Hotel Building.
For water service apply at office. Bills payable monthly in advance. Make at complaints at the office.
Open spicket to prevent freezing, positively prohibited. Care should be taken in danger of freezing to have stop and waste gate closed, see section 3, rules and regulations. No deduction in bills will be allowed for absence or for any cause whatever unless water is cut off from premises.

HORN-CLIPPING.

As we have clippers for shearing cattle we desire the patronage of all wishing such service. Price 15 cents per head for all ages. G. W. GOULD, North Salem, 11-27-1m H. E. ROBERTS, Fruitland

Salem Truck and Dray Co.

Orders placed with the above company will receive prompt attention and safe delivery. Trucks and drays found on the corners of State and Commercial streets. Express wagons at all trains and boats. In connection with our business we will also run a feed store. Handling flour, mill feed, oil meal, oats, chopped feed, straw, hay and wood at the lowest cash prices. SAVAGE & CO. Phone 86.

Potatoes

Highest cash price paid. HERREN & LEVY, Salem, Or. Next to brewery.

Ladies Who Value A refined complexion must use Posson's Powder. It produces a soft and beautiful skin.

Always FIRST
Gail Borden
Eagle Brand
CONDENSED MILK
For 35 years the leading brand. It is the best and the most economical.
A PERFECT FOOD FOR INFANTS
The Rosy Freshness
And a velvety softness of the skin is invariably obtained by those who use Posson's Complexion Powder.

A Lady Voted
that Sonnemann had
the finest line China
and Christmas goods
in the city at prices
below all others, at
124 State st.

The City Election.

MAYOR.

For mayor there was no opposition, Dr. Jas. A. Richardson receiving 999 votes.

MARSHAL.

Dilley, Baker, Latourette.

1st ward... 94 55 23
2nd ward... 216 80 42
3rd ward... 146 39 26
4th ward... 170 114 31

Total... 626 288 122
Dilley's majority over all 216

RECORDER.

Edes, Moores.

1st ward... 98 66
2d ward... 212 120
3d ward... 153 56
4th ward... 175 134

Total... 638 376
Edes majority... 262

TREASURER.

Swafford, Baumgartner.

1st ward... 89 84
2d ward... 202 134
3d ward... 127 81
4th ward... 259 156

Total... 677 455
Swafford's majority, 222

ALDERMEN.

Lawrence, 1st ward... 161
Parkhurst, 2d ward... 265
Smith, 3d ward... 204
Graham, 4th ward... 283
First ward—E. S. Lamport, J. M. Lawrence.
Second ward—Thos. Holman, E. F. Parkhurst.
Third ward—Chas. H. Simpson, Hiram Smith.
Fourth ward—F. A. Legg, J. S. Graham.

Pictures framed by Buren & Hamilton. 12-5 3t

Dress Goods Talk.

There is a great deal of dress goods talk in the papers at present. What we will do? We will meet all advertised prices and sell one better on all staple and fancy dress goods for the next 30 days and we will even go further, we will refuse no reasonable offer on all dress goods. We mean business, do not buy until you see our line.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.
Holiday Handkerchiefs

Ladies' Silk Initial Handkerchiefs.
Ladies' Swiss Initial Handkerchiefs.
Men's Cambric Initial Handkerchiefs.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs.
Men's Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, (large).
Embroidery handkerchiefs big reductions.

FREE.—A handsome book with every \$5 or over purchase until Xmas.

Stock's
257 Commercial st.

300

New, Plain and Plaid

SUITS

Just In

Don't buy old goods when you can get new at a lower price. In mackintoshes and gents' underwear we have the largest assortment in the city, and at the lowest prices.

WOOLEN MILL STORE
See those genuine Wostenholm Carving Sets at
GRAY BROS.
A full line of pocket and table cutlery, razors, shears, etc. Northwest corner State and Liberty sts., Salem.

Reed's Opera House.
PATTON BROS., Managers.
Two Nights Only,
Monday and Tuesday
Dec. 7 and 8.

In Darkest America!

Mahara's Refined Minstrels

A show for ladies, gentlemen and children, headed by the only Billy Young, America's greatest colored comedian and sweet singer. Hillard Brewer, the wonderful boy contortionist. Pickin' the drum corps. Buck and wing dancers. Black bird band. Fun makers. Parade at noon. Popular prices, 25c and 50c. Seats now on sale

Hair Dressing, Manicuring, Scalp Cleansing, Dandruff Treated.
Scalp Cleansing, dandruff treated. Hair dressed daily by the month for \$1.50.
Eldridge block. A. M. STEIN

CASTORIA.
The Castoria is the best of all purgatives.

FOR SALE.—too head stock sheep, grade Shropshire. Address or inquire of A. T. Wala at the sheriff's office. 12-8 p

WANTED.—A good respectable girl for general housework. Apply at Journal office. 7 p

LOST.—On Wednesday last a leather purse containing small sum of money, a pearl handled knife, a baby's gold ring and a watch key. Finder will please leave at Journal office. 12-7 p

MRS. N. B. SCOTT.— stenographer and typewriter, room 12, over Ladd & Bock's bank. Prompt attention to all classes of work. 12-10

FOR RENT.—Eleven acres adjoining the Indian school, at Chenawa, five acres of garden land, good house, barn and well water. By month or year for low cash rent. Address: Box 145, or apply at G.W. Freeman. two miles north of town on river road. 11-10 p

CARPET PAPER.—Large lot of heavy brown wrapping paper for sale cheap. See the thing for putting under carpets. Call a Journal office.