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LEAVE—DAILY. Portland, 6:45 a. m. Salem 7:15 a. m., except Sunday. Quick time, regular service and cheap rates.

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Nos. 10 and 15 for boys and girls. No. 16 for ladies. The best 25c hose made.

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Unheard of Prices on Dress Goods.

We throw out a line of Broadhead mixed, values, 50 to 75c. at 35c. a yd. A line of \$1.25 values at 75c. Annual sales now on.

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OREGON PERSONALS

Supt. G. M. Irwin is home from Corvallis. J. G. Wright, the grocer, was a Portland visitor today.

Rev. John Parsons was a passenger to Corvallis this morning.

Senator W. H. Hobson returned last evening from Portland.

E. F. Osburn, the merchant, made a flying trip to Albany today.

Sheriff C. F. Cathcart called down from Roseburg this afternoon.

John P. Robertson returned this afternoon, from the Santiam country.

Supt. A. N. Gilbert, of the state penitentiary, was a Portland visitor today.

D. S. Richards was among the Salemites going to Portland this morning.

Deputy Postmaster J. A. Selwood went to Portland this afternoon expecting to return Saturday.

A. H. Thompson, of Willamette University Medical Department, returned last evening from Portland.

Deputy Sheriff E. E. Cooper, returned on the early morning train, where he has been on official business.

Miss Susie Lewiston, who has been visiting Miss Minnie Anderson, returned this afternoon to her Portland home.

John Irwin, of Scotts Mills, is in the city, and will soon locate at Milwaukie, in Clackamas county. Mr. Irwin is a reliable man and a good mechanic.

Henry Robinson, a Portland news boy, is making a successful canvass at Salem for "The Portland Calamity Howler," the organ of the Portland newsboy. It is a hot little baber and dishes up the public men of Oregon in a way that lays the Portland Mercury and Oregonian entirely in the shade.

NOVELTY IN ADVERTISING.—Edgar Keller, who is in advance of the Stockwell-Bacon Company, which commences a two night's engagement next Monday night, is in the city doing some decorative work on several business windows to advertise the coming of this well-known company. Crowds have watched him all day and he has proved himself an artist. The Bacon company played here a few months ago to crowded houses and gave general satisfaction. This time they return with a few members that were here before, besides several other artists of note. The opening price is the popular comedy "The Magistrate." Popular prices 25 and 50 cents.

Annual Inventory Sale.

Big reduction on dress goods and jackets, mackintoshes and clothing, shoes and hats. Call and save money.

R. G. corsets. Fine kid gloves.

"Albert" last black hosiery.

WILLIS BROS. & CO.

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

New Embroideries.

We have just opened and placed part of them on display in north window, a most beautiful line of embroideries, in Muslin, Jacquet, Nainsook and Swiss. The line contains some of the most exquisite creations imaginable in sets of embroidery and insertion to match. Take a look at them.

The Stock of Embroideries

on hand we have been selling at special slash prices, and will continue some days. There's a lot of good things, but we want to make room for the new ones.

Jackets One-Third Off.

T. Holverson.

SALEM SOCIAL NEWS.

Mrs. A. T. Gilbert is visiting her daughter, Miss Claudia, in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown returned Wednesday evening from a pleasant visit in Portland.

Mrs. F. C. Baker and Mrs. A. N. Halmon were passengers to Portland on the afternoon train.

Mrs. P. E. Strong returned this morning, from a two weeks' visit with her children, at Portland.

Mrs. C. E. Wolverson is visiting friends in Portland, to which place she went, via the Salem local, this morning.

Prof. F. W. Werschkeful, of the Willamette University college of music, was a passenger to Portland this morning.

Miss Rita Bakestraw returned this morning, from Tacoma, where she spent the holidays with her mother. She has resumed her studies at Willamette university.

MARION COUNTY NEWS.

Items of Interest Gathered in the Court House.

Miss Hattie Morelock is assisting in the county clerk's office in the capacity of typewritist.

A marriage license has been issued to Edward Morez and Rosa Frank.

Laura Welch has instituted proceedings for a divorce from Jno. S. Welch on the grounds of desertion.

Plaintiff also asks for the custody of the two children, Samuel and Tryphosa, aged 5 and 4 years respectively.

This evening the county court will draw a list of jurymen numbering about 100 who will serve the circuit court for the ensuing year.

P. K. Fretz and Archie Cleaver are assisting in copying Marion county's tax lists.

Deputy County Clerk Miss One McKinney, who has been quite ill with la grippe, was reported as much improved today and she will soon be able to resume work in her accustomed place.

L. S. Lambert and M. Ellen Glover was the happy couple to whom county clerk L. V. Ehler today issued a marriage license.

County Superintendent G. W. Jones today learned further particulars regarding the insurance of the "Capital School Building" that was located nine miles south of this city, that burned Tuesday night. The building was insured for \$450 in the Home Ins. Co., of New York. It is also reported to have carried a heavy insurance with another company but this report could not be confirmed.

SCHOOL HOUSE DESTROYED.—On Tuesday evening, the school house located on the Gray farm about nine miles south of Salem, known as the "Capital School" was entirely consumed by fire. The origin is not known, but it is thought to be the work of an incendiary. The building cost about \$500 and the district carried an insurance of \$400 thereon. All the furniture and school supplies of the students were destroyed.

Prices still continue low. Cut prices on all crockery and will continue for the next 30 days. Sonnemann's Grocery, 124 State street. 4-3t

THE SICK AND INJURED.—Mrs. J. F. Burcham left Salem Wednesday for Salem Indiana, in response to a telegram announcing the serious condition of her husband who had suffered a stroke of paralysis. Mr. Burcham went East several months since to look after some property interests since which time he has suffered three paralytic strokes. Late Wednesday afternoon when stepping from off the front porch of her residence on Church street, Mrs. H. A. Johnson, Jr., tripped and fell to the cement pavement about four feet below, sustaining a fracture of the bone in the little finger besides bursting a small artery in the head. A physician was called and made the aged sufferer as comfortable as possible. Mrs. Johnson is in her 78th year.

DISOLUTION.

The undersigned have this day dissolved their co-partnership by mutual consent. All accounts will be settled at once by either of the old firm, J. C. GOODALE, or J. C. GOODALE, C. J. SCHRAMM.

SOME OF THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES ARE THE BEST OF THE KIND BEYOND QUESTION. SOME ARE IN DISPUTE. ALL ARE MONEY-BACK IF YOU DON'T LIKE THEM.

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ACTION

Taken by Commissioners.

County Clerk Ordered to Ignore Action of Equalization Board.

At the session of Marion county's commissioners' Wednesday afternoon, the following self-explanatory order was made:

In the matter of the pretended equalization by the state board of equalization of property enumerated on the assessment roll of Marion county, state of Oregon, for the year 1896:

It appearing to the county court from general report that the state board of equalization attempted unlawfully to increase the assessment of personal property in Marion county, state of Oregon, for the year 1896, as enumerated on the assessment roll of said county for said year in the sum of 30 per cent. on each and every dollar of the personal property assessed, and especially on money, notes and accounts, shares of stocks and goods, wares and merchandise and also attempted unlawful to raise the assessment of town and city lots in the sum of 10 per cent. on each and every dollar of the assessed value of town and city lots; and it appearing to the county court that such attempted raise of such assessments are illegal and void without warrant of law and contrary to the spirit and intention of the act creating the said board of equalization and that such null and void attempt by said state board of equalization to increase the valuation of the property above enumerated should not be by the county clerk of Marion county recognized or acquiesced in and said clerk should not add the per centum valuation unlawfully attempted to be added to said property as enumerated on the assessment roll of Marion county for the year 1896.

It is, therefore, ordered that the county clerk of Marion county, Oregon, be and is hereby directed to disregard and ignore all action of the state board of equalization with reference to the assessment roll of Marion county, state of Oregon, for the year 1896, and especially the attempted increase of valuation of personal property and town and city lots and that said clerk be and is hereby directed to make no additions or deductions from the assessed value of property enumerated said assessment roll for the year 1896 as equalized by the county board of equalization and the county court.

G. P. TERRELL, Judge.

JOHN N. DAVIS, J. M. WATSON, Commissioners.

ANNUAL ELECTION.—The stock holders of the Silver Creek Falls Power and Improvement Co., held a meeting Wednesday afternoon when officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, E. Breyman; vice-president, T. C. Smith; secretary, F. W. Waters; treasurer, A. T. Gilbert.

BORN.

MASON.—In Salem, Tuesday, January 5, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mason, a son.

MARRIED.

M. ELLEN GLOVER—L. S. LAMBERT, both of Sublimity, at the residence of the officiating clergyman Rev. W. Steele, 320 Cottage street, on the 7th inst.

DIED.

EMMETT.—At the farm home in Polk county, about four miles from Salem, James Emmett, aged about 55 years, of neuralgia of the heart. Mr. Emmett was a brother-in-law of John, Byron and Eimer Harritt, of this city.

Funeral services will be held at Zena, at 10 a. m. Friday, conducted by Rev. J. Bowser and Rev. W. C. Kastner of this city.

MOORES.—At the county poor farm, Wednesday, January 6, 1897, of paralysis, John H. Moores, formerly of Silverton, aged 53 years. The remains were taken in charge by a brother of the deceased living in Silverton and will be interred there today.

THE GREATEST COMBINE.

Three a Week New York Weekly, Weekly Cincinnati Inquirer and Weekly Journal for \$2 a Year.

Do you want the Free Silver Cincinnati Inquirer and WEEKLY CAPITAL JOURNAL? Our club rate is \$1.40 for both.

If you want a gold standard paper with THE JOURNAL? Then take the Three-Week N. Y. World. Our club rate is \$1.75 for both.

Three papers for \$2. THE WEEKLY JOURNAL, Weekly Inquirer and Tri-Weekly World—an eastern, middle state and western paper—302 pages a year for \$2.

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STATE HOUSE POINTERS.

Virgil Davis is making a canvass for mailing clerk of the house.

E. S. Eller is a leading candidate for mailing clerk of the senate.

The reception to be tendered Hon. Phil Metcham Friday evening of this week is by the members of the Tillamook club and their ladies.

Hon. J. J. Howser, Populist representative from Jackson county, was a caller today at the state departments. Mr. Howser is a creamery man at Sam's Valley and has been making a tour of observation to the fisheries on the upper and lower Columbia, as he wishes to do justice to all interests when fishery legislation comes up.

Dr. Driver returned to Eugene yesterday. He met many old Salem friends and selected a seat in the senate chamber. He will now conserve his physical energies to be able to render his constituents full service during the session.

Senator McClung of Eugene has been investigating the records at the state house, and will be prepared to fight the clerkship extravagance.

It is already the impression in the state house lobbies that Hon. Jo. Simon will be president of the senate.

The reports that come to the state house indicate that John H. Mitchell's managers are scared to death and are working like beavers to hold men, who were considered staunch supporters, and moving heaven and earth to get Populist and Democratic support for Mitchell.

Hon. H. W. Corbett, of Portland, is undoubtedly the leading candidate for United States senator on the gold standard side. Mr. Corbett is a gentleman of the highest character. His financial and political standing cannot be questioned.

Members of the legislature are reporting the receipt of letters from the National Republican committee, M. A. Hanna, chairman, to stand in for Mitchell, that he is an out and out gold standard man on international lines.

Adolph Baker, an experienced and trusted employe at the asylum since Superintendent Lane's time, was promoted yesterday to the position made vacant by the death of Supervisor Rowley. There were a great many applicants for the position. Superintendent Paine believes in promotion for efficiency in service.

The weather forecast at the state house is Friday rain.

Following notaries were commissioned today: Wallis Nash, J. J. Butler, Junction; Frank Butler, Falls City; P. H. D'Arcy, Salem.

Supt. A. N. Gilbert of the State Prison filed his report for the quarter ending December 31, 1896. No. convicts 357; increase 25; eloped one; received 62; discharged 48. Earnings \$4,306.08; receipt \$528. Total expenditures \$17,186.94.

Capt. F. S. Barns of Washington county was a state house caller today.

MARKETS.

WHEAT.

Talkington, Botting & Co's, circular for Jan. 7, 1897:

The market opened strong being one half cent above yesterday's closing. The early news included lower cables, heavy shipments from exporting countries and an increase on passage. These were the depressing factors at the opening and prices ruled lower. Later in the session the outlook became favorable to the buyer, and on liberal purchases inspired chiefly by the increased premium on cash wheat. The market became buoyant and closed at nearly the highest point of the day. The recent break was checked at the market in a better position to respond to the renewed buying water was set in at the decline.

Chicago. May wheat opened at \$2.00 8/16 and closed at \$2.14. Wheat \$1.14 for cash at 79. Liverpool futures were quoted for Jan. 85 1/2 @ 86 1/2 a fall of 2c.

PORTLAND MARKET.

Portland, Jan. 7. Wheat valley, 86 @ 87 Walla Walla, 85.

Flour—Portland, Benton county, 4.50, 4.40; Graham, 3.75; superfine, \$2.50 per bbl.

Oats—White, 40 @ 42c; grey, 39 @ 40; rolled in bags, 44 @ 45.25; barrels, 4.50 @ 7.00; case, 3.75.

Potatoes, Oregon, 60 @ 70c per sack. Hay Good, 12.50 @ 13 per ton. Hops—9 @ 10c.

Wool—Valley, 2 @ 40c; Eastern Oregon 6 @ 6c.

Mohair, 15 @ 20c. Milled, Bran, \$15.00; shorts \$16.50.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$2.00 @ 3; ducks 3 @ 4.50; turkeys, live, 12 1/2.

HEINZ'S GHOW GHOW

"The best made," in bulk, you can get as much as you want. Sweet Pickles also in bulk. Boiled cider for mince pies. Figs, cheap at 10 cents a pound. We have some extra large, fat mackerel that will tempt your appetite.

HARRITT & LAWRENCE

P. O. Grocery. Agents for "World-Beater" Soap.

Eggs, Oregon, 25c per doz. Hides, green, salted 60 lbs 7 1/2c; under 60 lbs 6 @ 7c; sheep pelts, 10 @ 70c.

Tallow—2 1/2 @ 3c. Onions—85c per sack. Wheat Bags—Calcutta 4.25 @ 4.37 1/2.

Beans—small white, 15c @ 1 1/2c. Lima 30c.

Hops—Heavy, 3.00 to 3.25. Butter, Best dairy, 25 @ 35c; fancy ramery 35c.

Cheese, 10 @ 11c. Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached 6 1/2 @ 7c; unbleached, 3 1/2 @ 4c; sundried, 4c @ 5c.

Peas—50 @ 6c. Plums—pitted, 30 @ 4c. Prunes—4 1/2 @ 6c.

Veal—small 5; large 4 1/2c per lb. Mutton Weathers 2.00; ewes 1.50; dressed mutton, 4c.

Beef—Steers 2.25; cows \$2—2.25; dressed 4 1/2c.

Cured Meats—Hams 10c—10 1/2c; bacon 6c. Lard—in pails, 7c.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET. Wool, Oregon choice 7 @ 9c; inferior 5 @ 7c; valley, 8 @ 9c.

Hops—Quotable at 8.10c for new. Potatoes—40 @ 75c per sack. Oats—Milling, 1.05 @ 1.20.

SALEM MARKET.

Wheat, 77c per bu. Oats 35c.

Hay, Baled, chest, 9.00; timothy 11 Straw, \$3.50 to \$4.00.

Flour, in wholesale lots, 4.20; retail 4.40; bran, bulk 13.00; sacked, 14.00; shorts, 14.00 @ 15.00; chop feed, 15.00 16.00.

Poultry, Hens 5 @ 6c; Turkeys 9c; Rooster 11.00 per doz.

Veal, Dressed, 4c. Hops, Dressed, 3 1/2 @ 3 3/4.

Live Cattle, 15 @ 16. Sheep, Live, 1.50 @ 2.00 cwt.

Wool, Best, 9 @ 10c. Hops, Best, 9 @ 10c.

Eggs, Cash, 18 @ 20c. Fruit, Green—Apples per box 1.00 @ 1.50; Farm Smoked Meats—Bacon, 6 1/2c; hams 9c; shoulders, 5c.

WATER.

For Oregon Legislators—An

Artesian Well Struck at the State House.

This morning the well-drillers, who have been at work several weeks at the state house, finished their job. The well is 339 feet deep. The bed-rock was perforated at 250 feet, and water is up to within a few feet of the top of the well. Three hours pumping lowered it only a foot, and the well will supply at least 1,000 gallons an hour.

Good water for drinking purposes is very important at the state house. Sometimes during a legislative session half the members are disabled, and sick, from the change in water in coming to Salem. Especially is this true of the coast and mountain members