

Daily Capital Journal

BY HOPER BROTHERS.

MONDAY, JAN. 18, 1897.

DAILY LINE TO PORTLAND.

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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.
M. F. BALDWIN,
Agent, Salem.

AMERICAN QUEEN

Just Received.

Subscribers call for same.

J. J. Dalrymple & Co.

OREGON PERSONALS

Thos. Kay returned today from Waterloo.

W. S. Waterbury was in Chemawa today on business.

Senator A. J. Johnson returned this afternoon from Scio.

County Surveyor B. B. Herrick was a Portland visitor today.

Secretary of State Kincaid returned this afternoon from Eugene.

Ex-Gov. Z. F. Moody was a passenger to Portland Sunday morning.

Judge H. H. Hewitt came down from Albany this afternoon.

Walter Drennon, fireman of the Salem local, is suffering from a severe cold.

C. Sullivan, of the O. C. & E. railroad, arrived in the city this afternoon.

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

Senator I. D. Driver returned this afternoon from an over-Sunday visit at Eugene.

Hon. J. F. Caples, of Portland, is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Whale.

Judge Warren Trull, now located at Moscow, Idaho, arrived in the city this morning.

Frank Conover, formerly of Corvallis, has taken charge of the Dearborn printing office.

Hon. J. G. Wright has been confined to his home for nearly a week, by an attack of la grippe.

O. E. Krause, the popular shoe merchant, made a flying business trip to Portland today.

H. C. Wahlberg, the Portland hop-bayer, spent Sunday in this city returning home this morning.

Wm. Rasmus, reading clerk in the senate, spent Sunday in Portland, returning this morning to his post of duty.

H. H. Craig, of Macleay, left today for Komoka, Canada, where he will visit two sisters. He will remain about three months.

Dr. C. W. Tower, of Marshfield, is stopping at the Willamette and is one of the most active and efficient workers in the third house.

Frank Goodell, of Portland W. U. telegraph office, spent Sunday in this city with his father, M. E. Goodell.

Bargains!

DRESS GOODS.

All wool ladies cloth, one yard wide; 25c. a yd.; all wool ladies cloth, 50 in. wide, 40c. yd.

CLOTHING—Our \$10 overcoats \$8.00; best grade Bull Breeches, \$1.25.

SHOES—Ladies' fine \$3 shoes, \$2.40; gent's fine \$3.50 shoes, \$2.75; gent's cork sole shoes, \$2.40.

HOSIERY—Ladies' fast black "Albert" hose, and gent's black hose, 2 pair for 15c.

YARNS—Saxony yarns, 5c. a skein. Best grade yarns. All kinds except the Elmore.

WILLIS BROS. & CO.

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

This Week

We intend closing out the balance of our wools and trimming silks, \$1 and \$1.25 qualities.

75 Cents.

All piled out on permanent counter under skylight.

Wool Underwear.

All of our \$1.50 line of ribbed sanitary vests and pants \$1.20. All of the \$1.25 line \$1.

Dress Trimmings.

Fancy fronts, spangled and iridescent braids and gimps at slash prices.

T. Holverson.

returning to the metropolis this morning.

Hon. W. S. Vanderberg of Marshfield, arrived in the city on Sunday evening. He is here to consult with political friends in regard to his seat in congress, preparatory to going to Washington.

Rev. Chas. Carroll, of Vancouver, pastor of the First Baptist church in that city, conducted services in the local church Sunday returning to his home this morning.

Editor Chas. Nickell, of the Jacksonville Times, is in the city. Mr. Nickell represented Jackson county in the lower house in 1893 and was Democratic candidate for secretary of state in the election of 1894.

John Miller, of Scio; Mike Green, of Jefferson; S. S. Pindell, of Portland; F. A. Chenoweth, of Corvallis; Wm. Miller and W. A. Irwin, of Seattle; Dr. K. A. Lup and W. C. Conner, of Myrtle Point, were among the guests at the Cook hotel, Sunday.

T. T. Geer left Saturday afternoon for Washington where he will deliver the electoral vote of Oregon for McKinley and Hobart. Mr. Geer expects to remain at the national capital until after the inauguration ceremonies, returning to his home here about the latter part of March.

SALEM SOCIAL NEWS.

A. N. Holman returned this morning from an over Sunday visit in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Davis returned this morning to Lincoln county, after a brief visit with relatives in this city.

Miss Onie McKinney, deputy county clerk, returned today from Turner, having completely recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. E. C. Patton returned Saturday evening from Woodburn where she has been the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Guiss, for the past week.

The South Salem reading circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ohmart Saturday evening with the largest attendance of any meeting yet held. They found the study of Mrs. Dolly Madison very interesting. In honor of Robert Burns' birthday (January 25) the club decided to study the life and character of the Scotch poet at the session next Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Jory.

On last Thursday evening Master Harry Miller was pleasantly surprised at his home on South Twelfth street by a merry party of his young schoolmates. Games and other amusements were heartily indulged in until 10 o'clock when delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Alice King, Hallie, Delia and Lulu Price, Greta Olinger, Ada Welch, Ovida and Elvia Lewis and Maude Miller, and Masters Joy Olinger, Lloyd Darling, Art Smith, Roy Bailey, Sidney Lloyd, Harry and Andrew Lewis, Ray Lousignons and Harry Miller.

LADIES—The Hon. Gilly Spooner is a pronounced woman's rights man, and is very proficient in the art of love making. He will present a bill (soon as the house is organized) to extend the age of old maids from 25 to 35 years, you will have an opportunity to meet him if you go to The Capital Minstrels Friday night.

Fancy table apricots, 2 1/2 pound cans, 10 cent per can. Yellow crawford table peaches, 2 1/2 pound cans, two cans 25 cent at Rineman's Fruit Palace, 132 State street.

OLD SOLDIERS—Come and see the battle fields pictured on canvass, W. C. T. U. hall Tuesday night.

If dairy tea is not good, why don't you drink water? It is cheaper and better for you than poor tea.

If it is good, your stomach is glad to get it; does its work better.

Schilling's Best is good tea—at grocers' in packages.

Schilling & Company
San Francisco

DEAD.

G. W. Neal Expired Sunday.

A Salem Octogenarian Who Crossed the Plains in 1844.

At 7 o'clock Sunday morning, G. W. Neal died at his home, corner of Mill and Eleventh streets, North Salem, at the advanced age of over 80 years. Mr. Neal's exact age cannot be ascertained owing to the fact that the family Bible that contained a great valuable family history was either lost or unintentionally destroyed, many years ago. Hence the early life of Mr. Neal is somewhat obscure. He was a native of Tennessee but when a boy, removed with his parents to Missouri. Early in 1844 he joined a party of emigrants for Oregon, and was subjected to the many unpleasant experiences attendant on such an expedition in those early days. The company arrived in the Willamette Valley October 15, of the same year, Mr. Neal settling at Oregon City, where in 1845 he married Miss Millie A. Stephenson with whom he lived happily until her death at Salem on April 26, 1884. Shortly after his marriage Mr. Neal settled on a donation land claim a few miles from Salem, a part of which is now occupied by the town-site of Ale.

In 1865 Mr. Neal removed to Salem where he has since resided, working constantly at his trade that of blacksmith until 1890, when owing to ill health he was obliged to refrain from such vigorous exercise although he has at times, worked at his trade until quite recently.

Mr. Neal's death was caused by old age, the immediate cause being heart failure. He leaves two sons and four daughters; viz: E. F. and G. L. Neal, both of Salem; Mrs. Sarah Dennis, of Portland; Mrs. W. L. Wade, Mrs. Rhoda Gesner, and Miss Anna Neal, of Salem.

Among those crossing the plains with Mr. Neal who are still living are: Dr. L. L. Rowland and Centenarian John Durbin, of Howell Prairie.

Mr. Neal in 1840, while in Missouri, became a Mason and in 1844 became a charter member of the first Masonic lodge organized in Oregon. At the time of his death Mr. Neal was a member of Salem Lodge No. 4. A. F. and A. M. He was the oldest Mason on the Pacific coast.

Funeral services were held from the late residence at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. J. Bowersox, of the United Evangelical church, delivered a short address, after which the local Masons took charge of the remains. Interment was had in the L. O. O. F. cemetery and the remains were deposited beside those of his wife, who preceded him in 1884.

HUMANITY TONIGHT.—"Humanity" with its interesting story, its strong situations, its picturesque military setting; its lively hunting scenes, its horses and fox hounds, its thrilling battle duel on horseback and hard-to-hand encounter between the British and the Boers and its startling explosion, which is said to be the most realistic ever seen upon the stage, will be the attraction at the Opera House tonight with all the original company, headed by Joseph Grismer and Miss Phoebe Davies, who are known to every theatre goer of this city. And the play will be mounted here with its two carloads of scenery, horses and fox hounds, which added in its great success at the Columbia Theatre, San Francisco.

MILL CREEK REPAIRS.—The repairs being made to the Salem Flouring Mill race, will be completed by Tuesday evening. A good substantial headgate has been constructed at a point just below the location of the old one and the race has been flumed for several feet so as to prevent further damage being done to the banks by the rushing water. A good bridge has been built across the race on High street much to the accommodation of teamsters who frequent that part of the capital city. The break in the north bank of the race between High and Liberty streets has been repaired by constructing large dam at that point which will confine the water entirely to the race. In constructing the dam, provision has been made for the construction of a small water-gate, which in case of extremely high water, can be opened and relieve the race of a large volume of water. But it is thought the headgate will not be absolutely necessary, since the dam at a point in the race a few miles above Salem has been washed away, hence there is not so great a volume of water confined to the ditch formerly.

Good five cent cigars, fifty in a box, 75 cent per box. Rineman's Fruit Palace, 132 State street.

AN ORGANIZED HOUSE.—Since the organization of the grocery firm of Branson & Co., there has been no deadlock. It has been operated economically in the interest of the people. Place an order with us.

LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS.

Senate Resumes Work After Five Days' Recess.

SENATE MONDAY AFTERNOON. Senate met pursuant to adjournment on Thursday last. All were present, except Gowen, Gesner and Brownell, and the reading of the journal was dispensed with. Senator Dawson, of Lion, introduced a memorial, the same being resolutions adopted at a public meeting in Brownsville, Jan. 11, urging upon the legislature greater economy, re-appropriations for district or state fairs, and condemning the scandalous clerk hire, etc. Referred to committee on ways and means.

S. B. 86. Driver, to provide for working convicts on public highways. 87. Selling similar to S. B. 86.

THE HOUSE—SUNDAY. House called to order by Speaker Davis at 2 p. m.

Twenty-three answered to roll call. No quorum. Somers of Lion, moved to adjourn to Monday at 10 o'clock. Benson seconded.

Crawford of Douglas, announced a house caucus of the Republicans at 7:30 Sunday evening.

Blyeu of Douglas, offered a resolution. Speaker ruled no quorum and it was not read.

At 10:30 a call of the house was ordered by Somers and Benson. It showed 34 present.

At 11:45 a call was ordered and 32 present. No quorum.

Crawford arose to a question of privilege and denied the statement that a committee had been appointed to confer with the opposition.

Hogue of Multnomah declared it was for the opposition to make proposals. They had never given the regularly appointed committee a chance to do so.

He did not make politics a business. He had no feeling toward the opposition, but kindness.

Mitchell declared there was such a committee mentioned and as one of them he had a personal interview with Mr. Bowersox and an arrangement for organization could be made.

House adjourned 2 p. m.

HOUSE—MONDAY AFTERNOON. Call of house showed 31 present. The quorum of forty has not shown up.

If Mitchell has 47 men pledged to him for senator they have not been able to show up.

This is probably the critical day of the session. If the house don't organize before midnight no senator can be chosen before February 2, according to law.

As this report closes the house is still in session. Republican members are complaining at the failure of the house to organize and declare they can no longer jeopardize their local measures to gratify anyone's senatorial aspiration.

From Thornton's Relatives

Two days prior to the commitment of Jack Thornton to the insane asylum, Chief of Police A. C. Dilley held an interview with the unfortunate young man when he divulged considerable information concerning his relatives and his former home. Thornton will be remembered as the young man who was arrested for stealing a hat from the Cottage hotel and while awaiting an examination on the charge, suddenly became insane, necessitating his commitment to the insane asylum. In an interview with Chief Dilley, Thornton confessed to having assumed a fictitious name, and furnished the chief with the addresses of relatives in California. He also acknowledged having been in several of the California insane asylums and having only five weeks before, escaped from the Stockton asylum. Chief Dilley at once mailed a letter to Attorney H. B. Griffith, of Oakland, who Thornton claimed to be a brother, informing him of the unfortunate circumstances concerning the arrest of his brother. An answer was received by Chief Dilley this morning. Mr. Griffith thought the young man giving his name as Thornton was undoubtedly his brother, from the description given by Chief Dilley. He corroborated Thornton's statements as to his numerous commitments to California insane asylums, and suggested that the proper course to pursue would be to have Thornton committed to the insane asylum at Salem. It seems about eight years ago Griffith, alias Thornton, received an injury to his head and since then has been subject to fits at different periods.

THE LEGISLATIVE PARTY.—To be given by McElroy's orchestra Tuesday night at Hughes' new hall, promises to be a social success in every particular. The members of the Friday night club and the former Deux Temps club are especially invited to be present.

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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 will continue the lumber business at the old stand hereafter.

J. C. GOODALE,
C. J. SCHRAMM.

Strong's restaurant serves the best meals.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—The delight of every house-keeper is to have the best flavored butter and cheese on the table at all times. Branson & Co. now have the best creamery butter made, and a superb shipment of the famous New York cheese.

Eastern oysters any style, half dozen 25 cents, dozen 50 cents. No extra charges for coffee, bread-and-butter etc., at Strong's.

LOCK UP CHICKENS!—For "Parson Johnson's Chicken Brigade" and thirty other "called gemmens" will be here next Friday night with the Capital Minstrels.

JOURNAL "X" RAYS.

Directed Upon the Oregon Legislature and Lobby.

Hon. "Doc" J. M. Keene is working hard for a senate clerkship.

The big four of the opposition are Barkley, Bourne, Bilyeu and U'Ren.

The people are going to know who sells them out this time. No man can hide.

The Astoria Push: "We are for anything to down Jo Simon and the Oregonian."

Speaker Davis retains three things: his equanimity, his backbone and his seat.

The Statesman has discovered that there is such a thing as a constitution in Oregon.

The Salem Statesman tells the truth. It is paid to do it and it can't help itself.

The Portland Chronicle containing a roast for Mitchell and a boom for Ex-Senator Corbett.

Hon. J. J. Howser, the Populist leader of Southern Oregon, was a Portland visitor yesterday.

Secretary Kincaid's artesian water at the state house is destroying the potency of house bill No. 104. It is a better beverage.

Better never hold a session of the house than organize one to enact a bonding road law," as demanded by Mitchell's organ at Salem.

We congratulate Mr. Geer: He is at last to go to Washington, even if he has to divide his compensation with three other prosperity producers.

Mr. Driver's bill to compel legislators to attend sessions ought to include a provision to compel members of the caucus to vote for their nominee.

Harvey Jordan, the "Salem Mark Hanna" of the Statesman, is unable to organize the house and get the clerkship for which he is the caucus nominee.

Leonard H. McMahon is furnishing some readable and very intelligent legislative letters to the Pendleton Daily E. O., and the Twice-a-week Review of Roseburg.

Two hundred million dollar bonds for the New York Maritime Nicaragua canal company, and a road bonding law. How many of Mitchell's followers can stomach those two measures?

Hon. Phil Metcahan is the choice of some of the gold standard Republicans for senator. His running for a state office on a free coinage Republican platform in 1890 would not be laid up against him.

It is a fight for supremacy on the part of the politicians of two or three generations ago and the men of the present. The sympathies of the people are with the men of today.

The silver records are being drawn on some of the "short-bred" senatorial candidates. The gold standard men swear they will draw the "five-uncontaminated crosses" rule on all who enter in that race.

"A road bonding bill" is one of the bills on the program advocated by the Mitchell papers. See the Statesman. It would deprive a majority of Oregon farmers of their homes inside of ten years and furnish bond speculators and bicyclists fine roads for pleasure rides.

George Hibbert of the Astoria Daily Budget, who has several times "experted" the state printing office is, in the city laboring with Democratic and Populist members to help get a quorum. Hon. C. W. Fulton is also laboring to that end.

There are reasonable men among the "regulars," who declare they are willing to meet the opposition half way and adopt a program that will meet the demands of the people for economy. They realize that no party interest or no politician's interest is great enough to sacrifice the interests of the taxpayers, who demand specific reforms.

Lark Blyeu, of Lane, the long legged Lincoln of the house, an interested listener to Dr. Copeland's lecture on modern religion at the Unitarian church last evening, Hon. O. C. Emery the silver leader from Yamhill and Hon. C. S. Dustin, the joint representative from Grant and Harney counties, were also in attendance.

A Revolution in Prices...

During our clearance sale we are making unheard of reductions in all lines.

Tuesday and Wednesday UNDERWEAR

Come and get prices, which we guarantee lowest in the city.

Stock's

257 Commercial st.

St. Elmo Restaurant

A complete meal 15c. Only white table extra service at reasonable rates. MRS. GEO. E. SMITH, Prop., 244 Commercial Street.

JOHN HUGHES,

Dealer in groceries, paints, oils, window glass, varnishes, and the most complete stock of brushes of all kinds in the state. Artists' materials, lime, hair, cement and shingles, and finest quality of grass seeds.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE.—A good team with harness and a 2 1/2 spring wagon with top. A great bargain. Call at the Labor Exchange office, North Salem. Terms very easy. Geo. B. Jacob.

NOTICE.—All persons are hereby notified not to give credit to Mrs. Delia Plum, my wife, in any way, shape or form, and that I will not be responsible for such claims. David M. Plum, Lincoln, Or. 1-18-97

FOR RENT.—Large double parlor bedroom with use of piano—with or without board—during session of legislature. One block from street car. Inquire of H. H. Johnson.

TO LET.—Furnished rooms three blocks from state house. A. Olinger, 321 Mill street. 1-15-97

MRS. N. B. SCOTT.—Stenographer and typewriter, room 12, over Ladd & Bush bank. Prompt attention to all classes of work. 1-11-97

FOR RENT.—Eleven acres adjoining Indian school, at Chemawa, five acres garden land, good house, barn and well water. By month or year for low cash rent. Address Box 145, or apply at G. W. Pearman, two miles north of town on river road. 11-23-97

PIANO TUNING.—H. St. Helen has built himself a new workshop at his place in North Salem, where he is prepared to do all kinds of repairing. Orders left at Martin's jewelry store promptly attended to. 12-30-97

CARPET PAPER.—Large lot of new brown wrapping paper for sale cheap. Also the thing for putting under carpets. Call journal office.

Here Is a Sample

OF OUR PRICES AT OUR.....

Closing Out Sale

Ladies' heavy under vests, 10c
Children's heavy under vests, 10c
Gent's undershirts, 10c
Gent's drawers (per pair), 25c
Gent's two pair wool hose for, 25c
LADIES' COTTON AND WOOL HOSE AT COST.
16 Spools guaranteed best machine thread for, 25c

Ladies' Bazaar

P. S.—Removed to the Leader.

Reed's Opera House

PATTON BROS., Managers.

One Night Only,

Monday, January 18

One Night Only,

JOSEPH GRISMER

AND

PHOEBE DAVIS

in the greatest play of the century,

Humanity

Reserved seats.....\$1.00
General admission.....50c
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