CHOICE CLOCKS, YET NOT COSTLY ONES.

The Barr Stone has never been able to make a more beautiful display of fine mantel clocks than is the case at the present time. There is goodly variety of choice, many sorts of different designs, all of the handsomest and most tasteful sort. Some are finished in the rich black enamel, and others in various handsome color tones. The workmanship and material are of the best; they are splendid timekeepers, and they will withstand a lifetime's usage. Yet we are seiling them from \$6 to \$9-undoubtedly the lowest prices ever quoted in Salem for clocks of such real beauty and such marked intrinsic value. How would a fine new clock look on your mantel?



Corner State and Liberty Streets,

Salem, Ore.

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PERSONALS.

H. H. Smath went to Albany this

ville, is in the city. A. R. Hathaway was a passenger for

Portland this morning. James Wistanley was a passenger for Portland this morning.

Judge T. A. McBride was in the city ast night from Oregon City.

Job Denyer, of Turner, is in the city or a few days' business visit. Hon, J. H. Ackerman went to Portand today for a few days' visit,

Kola Nels came down from his home the vicinity of Saunders Lake. - Sun. n Albany on this morning's train. R. A. W. Cherry, the station agent

t Gervais, visited in Salem last ev-Louis Barzee, of Roseburg, was in

o friends.

o Portland.

the hop growers. Miss Bessie Frisby is visiting at the

Albany, this week, state chairman, is in the city on busi- Kentucky. ness before the supreme court.

Mrs. R. S. Bean left this morning or her home in Eugene, after a few lays' visit with Salem friends.

usiness before the supreme court. the exposition.

C. A. Park went to Portland this morning to attend the fruit growers' and livestock conventions meeting in that city this week.

Mrs. Hinkle, of Hubbard, mother of Mrs. O. L. Darling, left last evening for her home, after a few days visit with her daughter in this city.

Mrs. C. M. Stites, for a number of years a faithful employe of the insane asylum, left last night for Portland, whence she goes to San Jose Cal., where she will reside.

A. N. Gilbert was a passenger for Portland this forengon to attend the livestock convention, and meet the breeders of fine Herefords, in which back your money. train of stock he is much interested

Wholesale Tobacconist and

Cigar Dealer

Largest Stock in Willamette Valley

OUR CHAMPION

Not a cheap trust-made article, but the best 5 cent cigar on sale.

= GEO. E. WATERS ===

Engineers at Marshfield.

The engineers in charge of the raiload survey, which has extended from the Southern Pacific's track at Drain to Elkton, thence down the Umpqua river to Winchester bay, thence along the coast, is within a few miles of Coos bay, having changed their headquarters to this city. That is they Miss Sadie Cordingly, of Browns will open an office here, where all the drafting and working up of the field notets will be done. The office equipment, consisting of drafting tables and all the necessary paraphernalia was brought up on the Flyer. The work has been accomplished heretofore at a point advantageous to the field workers, so that there would be the least possible time lost in getting the results accomplished to headquarters. The surveyors are now working in

Capital City Visitors.

Following visitors are registered at Salem hotels today:

Frank E. Alley, Roseburg; J. R. he city yesterday afternoon on a visit Jackson, W. S. Hurst, Hubbard; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Dunning, Portland; O. Dr. Frank Barr and Dr. Thomas re- H. Holcomb, Seattle; E. H. Parker, urned this morning from a short visit St. Paul, W. E. Payne and wife, Portland; Grant Corby, Woodburn; W. H. Ex-Governor Geer went to Portland Tate, Sublimity; A. E. Smith, Chehis morning to attend the livestock halis; H. Aulauf, Santa Barbara; E. L. Keys, Woodburn: Frank Snyder, B. F. Young returned this forenoon Pendleton; George J. Bentley, Baker from Woodburn, where he interviewed City; W. L. Tooxe, Jack Johnson, Henry Hall, Jacob Miller, Chas, Knersting, Woodburn; W. C. Mount, home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Irvine, in Silverton, T. A. McBride, Oregon City; Jacob Garagus, Oregon City; D. S. Captain Samuel White, Democratic (Richardson, P. M. Beard, Louisville,

In the circuit court this forenoon the case of Benjamin Schwartz & Russell Wyatt, of Albany, was in Sons vs. Linn Gow, et al., was on for alem today for a short stay, having hearing. The testimony was al submitted and the attorneys made their E. T. Kleppin left last night for argument to the jury, when the court Portland, there to join a vaudeville adjourned for the noon hour. At 1 ompany to play in St. Louis during o'clock the court instricted the jury prise for the Salem audience. and these gentlemen retired for the purpose of considering the case and finding a verdict.

In the two liquor cases the following fines were imposed: Massey \$25, and Jeffrey \$200.

come-Schilling's Best is it. You buy of your grocer whatever you want; if you think you don't get it, he hands you

SALEM, OREGON.

SEASON Company at the Armory

EVENT

Followed by a Ball Under the The Exact Number That Will Auspices of Company Mthe Talk of the Town

OF THE

The center of attention at the present time is the orchestra concert to be given at the Salem armory tonight, as a benefit to Company M. O. N. G. This concert is to be followed by a Salem social season.

The members of the company have been working long and faithfully on the details of the arrangements, and nothing will be left undone to add to the comfort of the guests of the company or to the pleasure of the evening. The armory will be especially heated for the concert, so the public may rest assured that there will be no discomfort on account of a chilly room, and the system of ventilation is such that the room will be cooled for the comfort of the dancers.

Corporal Edward Thielsen and Sergeant Byrd will have charge of the floor, and numbers of the boys have already done a great deal of work preparing the floor for the occasion. It will be thoroughly waxed and polished, and the large space will make it the finest dancing floor in the county.

It is almost needless to say any thing further regarding the splendid concert to be rendered. The numbers are all rare, and there is no question but they are the best company of musicians on the road for the size. 10 people. Both the young ladies, Miss Pauline Slosson and Miss Louise Torgerson, are specialists who attract no small amount of praise, Miss Torgerson producing a tone on the violin rarely excelled on the American

The trombone solos are worthy of special mention. A gentleman who heard the concert at McMinnville said equal of Mr. Hawkins on the trombone. The Aluminum Chimes Quartet, the largest in the world, is very fine, and will prove a pleasant sur-

The concert will begin promptly at 8 o'clock, and at 10 o'clock the or chestra will strike up the grand march for the most delightful social function of the season. Admission to the confollow will be charged 50 cents each; South ladies free, and the entire audience Pills brilliant scene, free of charge. Chairs The good time coming has will be provided for their comfort.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that the regualar annual meeting of the stockholders of the Thos. Kay Woolen Mill Company will be held at the office of the company in Salem, Oregon, Tuesday, January 19th, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors. R. H. COSHOW.

Secretary.

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Broke Nine Auto Records.

In the recent automobile races at Nice nine of the competitors in the mile (standing start, and kilometer, flying start) events broke the world's rec ords for the distances. Eight of the records were made in the mile race. The best time was by a sixty horsepower Mercedes car, it covering the distance in 63 18-25 seconds.

Now the "Fans" Are Mad. The baseball "fans" of Columbus, O. are raising the biggest kind of a howl because their team will have only one holiday game at home during the champlonship season. That will be with Toledo on the Fourth of July.

Corbett and Teury. Manager Sam Harris believes that be can get Young Corbett Into another fight by matching Terry McGovern to meet both Hanlon and Yanger and defeating them both.

Canuck Ball Players. Montreal is evidently in favor of annexation. The Canadians have applied for a franchise for their ball team to the New England league.

Platt No "Has Been." Wiley Platt, the Comiskey castoff, is said to be burning grooves in the air in Georgia. Wiley can pitch when in

DIAMOND **GUESSING POPULAR**

ConcertbytheCosgrove Every body Or His Wife Has Figured it Out

> Capture the Beautiful Tiffany \$150 Ring

There is a remarkable interest in The Journal Diamond Guessin Contest, and ladles and gentlemen are speculating already who will be the grand military ball, which will be the lucky individual to wear a diamond most brilliant social function of the worth \$150 that costs the person guessing the unknown numbers absoluxely only the trouble to write three

> It is a funny fact that all who come into The Journal office or send their order in by mail have already decided on the number they believe will capture the prize, and no two, so far as they have told their guesses, have faith in the same number, so it is a matter of fact a clear guess, hit-ormiss affair.

> People from the suburbs and from the country are as much interested as those in town, and the mail orders from all parts of the state are increasing. It would be an extremely interesting feature to publish everybody's guess, but it is likely that only the guess that gets the diamond will be made public,

The Journal Diamond Guessing Contest is the best advertised event of the kind that has ever interested the general public, and the good-natured interest taken is not confined to those holding receipts, but even those who have no guess coming are as much interested. Several members of the Salem Woman's Club have dropped in

STRAIN TOO GREAT.

Hundreds of Salem Readers Find It

The hustle and worry of business men,

hard wor and stooping of workmen. The woman's household cares,

Are too great a strain on the kid-Bacache, headache, sideache.

Kidney troubles, urinary troubles follow.

A Salem citizen tells you how to cure them all. Jacob Morelock farmer residing on

cert will be 50 cents each, and the Rural avenue, between Hazel and gentlemen taking part in the ball to Laural streets, in Nob Hill addition, Salem, says: "Doan's Kidney procured at Dr. Stone's drug is invited to remain and witness the store did me good. I had been bothered off and on for quite a long time with pain through my back and kidneys. I have always worked hard at farming and think the trouble was originally, caused from a strain. The secretions from the kidneys were annoying at times and caused me considerable inconvenience. I had taken one box of Doan's Kidney Pills the pain in my back and other symptoms of kidney trouble had passed away. I am pleased to recom-

mend this remedy to others." Sold for 50 cents a box by all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States. Remember the name DOANS and take no substitute.

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