

LOCAL AFFAIRS

REV. J. H. D. HENDERSON.—We announced in the last issue of the REGISTER, that Rev. Mr. Henderson would occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church of this city, morning and evening, on last Sabbath, the 27th. His non-arrival in this city at the time stated was a cause of disappointment to many of his friends. Through the kindness of Mr. McClure we are informed of the cause of his non-fulfillment of the appointment. On Saturday morning, the 29th ult., Mr. Henderson left his home in Eugene City for Albany. He got as far as Mr. S. Swinegar's, some twelve miles from Eugene City, where his horse was taken sick, and in a few hours, died. It being impossible to reach this city in time to fulfill his appointment, he returned to his home on Sunday morning. It is his intention to visit this city at an early day.

FIRE ENGINES.—We see by the Oregonian that the Committee on Fire and Water of the Portland City Council offer one or two fire engines at very low figures. Here is a chance for our City Council to procure an engine at a reasonable price. If a fire company were formed by our male citizens, and our City Fathers petitioned by them to purchase an engine, we have no doubt the matter could be accomplished. At present, we believe, there is no fire organization of any kind in our city, and should we be so unfortunate as to be visited again with that fearful scourge, there is nothing to prevent the whole city from being consumed should a high wind prevail.

RETURNED.—A party of three of our citizens returned, a day or two since, from a pleasure and prospecting trip in the mountains. We have seen specimens of quartz obtained from a lode they run across in their travels, which they think will prove worth "going down" on. Of their discoveries we are not at liberty at present to say more than that they are satisfied with the prospect so far, and intend to return in a few days, when they will have more time and be better prepared to make a thorough investigation of the discoveries. We sincerely wish them the completest success.

CORRALLED.—John Saunders, of Lee & Ryland's circus, while here during the continuance of the County Fair, occupied a room at the Pacific Hotel. Coming to the hotel very late, after a season of "jollarity," as we are informed, finding he couldn't get into his room without unlocking the door, the key of which he had about him, and feeling as rich as a lord and able to pay any amount of damages, he deliberately smashed the door in. He acknowledged the deed the next day, and promised to pay the damage; but early on Saturday morning he left with the Company for Scio, having failed to potlatch the necessary coin. The landlord, Jake Sprenger, engaged the services of our efficient Sheriff, who not only went for, but brought him back; and the result of the affair was that Saunders had to hand over some \$30 or \$40, nearly five times as much as it would have cost him had he paid in the first instance. These kind of fellows will learn eventually that they don't own and can't run every hotel they stop at, by a long chalk.

DRUGS AND MEDICINES.—The human system with its bones, and muscles, and nerves, is like a delicate piece of machinery, which, if roughly handled, is liable to get out of order, and need repairs. A simple cold sometimes, from the want of a little attention at first, ripens into a chronic ailment which, if it does not produce death, is the cause of much suffering, loss of time and money. By the judicious expenditure of a few bits at the nearest druggists, all this may be avoided. If you are in need of anything in the drug line, call on R. C. Hill & Co., on First street. They have one of the neatest drug establishments in the State, and then Fred. is one of the politest and best looking young men on the coast of Oregon.

LIVELY TIMES.—Although quite a large delegation of our citizens—in fact all who could possibly spare time from their business—have been absent in attendance on the State Fair at Salem during the week, yet our streets have presented a lively appearance, and business generally has been good. The attaches at our flouring mills have been as busy as bees, receiving and paying for grain, from early morn till late at night. There soon will be an immense amount of flour on hand awaiting shipment.

STATE FAIR.—We spent a few brief but pleasant hours in attendance on the State Fair at Salem, on Wednesday. The crowd of people in attendance was immense; old and familiar faces "struck" us at every turn. In this respect the Fair was a success. As this was our "first-appearance" we can only speak of this, as compared with former Fairs, by hearsay, and from competent authority we are led to believe that the State Fair of 1868 is a vast improvement over any former one. We heard the mechanical department mentioned as being far superior, in quality, number and variety of machinery, over former years, which was a cause of great satisfaction to those who are looking to the practical benefits to be derived from exhibitions of this character. The Pavilion was a great feature of the occasion and it was with considerable difficulty that one could get through, such was the "jam" and crush of visitors. There was a very good display of fruits, vegetables, seeds, ores, inventions, sewing and washing machines, patent churns, etc., but the great attraction was the portion especially devoted to ladies' work. The fair daughters of Oregon excelled themselves on this occasion, and the display of needle-work and all kinds of domestic manufactures, painting, ornamental work of various kinds, and the thousand other things that go towards beautifying and making home pleasant, tasty and comfortable, was large and exceedingly creditable. We observed quite a "sprinkling" of articles in this department that were "built" by Linn county ladies, and were on exhibition at our Fair. As our time was limited, we were enabled to give but a passing glance at the stock department. Quite a number of the fine breeds of sheep were on exhibition, that were entitled and would receive attention anywhere. The show of cows and calves and bulls was very fair.

Many suggestions have been offered by our brothers of the quill throughout the State for the improvement of future Fairs, which will doubtless be acted upon by the board of managers. Taking everything into consideration, we pronounce the State Fair of 1868 a very fair showing of the industrial interests of the State, and hope that in future its success will be commensurate with its importance.

NUMEROUS.—The "noble red men" and "dusky maidens" of the forest at present are quite numerous in and around Albany. They are, in some instances, made quite useful in various ways. A well grown buck with the assistance of three or four of his tillicumms, male and female, will saw up a cord of fire wood into stove lengths—if plenty of time is given. They are a rather attractive looking race of people, (vide Cooper's novels,) and are perfectly honest, never taking anything out of their reach, or that proves too much for their muscles to "tote" off. We understand that the large proportion belong on the Yamhill reservation, and many of our citizens, looking to their welfare, are inclined to the opinion that they are needed there—at least they are not needed here. So farewell, ye blanketed, moccasined and leggined satraps and satrapesses of the forest; and when you go may you remain happy in your going, and return not.

ON A VISIT.—Gen. Abbott, of the Democrat, left us on Tuesday morning last, for his duties at Salem, after a visit of two or three days in Albany. The General seems to take the honors thrust upon him by the Democratic Legislature very coolly, and with the exception, perhaps, of a liltier mien, a heavier tread, and a deeper and more determined thrusting of his editorial digits into that portion of his apparel known by the appellation of breeches, we see little of change to note in him.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.—Geo. Menley, a son of Mr. Chas. Menley of this city, eleven or twelve years of age, was thrown from a horse which he was riding to the river to water, on Thursday evening, by which he received severe bruises about the head and face. We are glad to learn that no danger is apprehended in the case.

ARM BADLY CUT.—A man named Greggs, while sawing wood at Judge Geary's four miles from this city, with a circular saw attached to a horse power, had his left arm partly sawed off by falling on the saw, on the 25th of September. Under the treatment of Dr. Rice, he is doing well, and hopes are entertained that amputation of the arm will not be necessary.

OATS.—Oats is being received at the mills and warehouses of this city in fair quantities. Mr. Markham informs us that he has been receiving an average of 800 to 1,000 bushels daily for the last few days. We quote ruling price at 37 1/2c; Mr. M., however, is paying 40c per bushel.

GRAIN RECEIPTS.—As we have before stated, the yield of wheat and oats the present season has been unprecedentedly large in Linn county. For the last two or three weeks there has been a constant stream of wagons loaded with these cereals going and returning through our streets to the mills and various warehouses, and at the present time there is very little room left for storage; in fact in one or more instances parties have been compelled to stop receiving, having no more room left. The following is an approximate statement of the number of bushels of wheat and oats now in store at the mills and warehouses in Albany:

Markham's Warehouse—Wheat, 30,000; Oats, 10,000.
Cowan's Warehouse—Wheat, 15,000.
Cheadle's Warehouse—Wheat, 28,000; Oats, 2,000.
Foster & Bro.'s Mills and Warehouse—Wheat, 50,000.
Beach & Monteith's Mills—Wheat, 50,000; Oats, 5,000.

This gives a total of 190,000 bushels of wheat and oats now in store, and still it comes. As our mills and warehouses will hold, when packed to their utmost capacity, but 45,000 bushels more, and as the receipts have averaged from 6,000 to 8,000 bushels per day, the poorest mathematician can see that, unless rain enough falls to enable steamers to resume navigation of the Willamette the coming week, farmers will have to retain the wheat and oats in their granaries until it does, as about every foot of room will be taken up by that time. We actually want rain!

MUSIC.—As will be seen by card in to-day's issue, Mrs. F. Dalton, a highly accomplished musician and estimable lady, offers her services as a teacher of instrumental and vocal music. We commend this lady to those who wish to excel in these accomplishments.

THIGH MANAGED.—A young man named Geo. O. Tenny, on Wednesday last, had his thigh badly injured by one of the iron dogs striking him while in the act of turning over a log on the saw-carriage.

LIGHTNING APPLE PEELER.—They have a piece of machinery over at Mack's stove store, called a Lightning Apple Peeler, that just "knocks the socks" off n anything yet built for that purpose. So says Andy.

The receipts of the State Fair at Salem, up to Wednesday, were in the neighborhood of \$7,000.

The receipts of Linn County Fair were \$2,700.

STEAMBOAT ACCIDENT.—On the morning of the 29th ult., at Portland, the steamer Alert, just after the first signal for starting was blown, exploded the connecting joint in her steam pipe, by which an attache named Geo. Russell was so badly burned that he died the next day. The engineer and a boy standing near him were slightly scalded.

CHANGE.—S. R. Buchanan and John W. Kelley have bought the interest of Geo. W. Carlton in the Boise Democrat, and now run the machine in connection with our old time friend Tom Bail.

LEGISLATIVE.—From the proceedings of Tuesday we extract from the Unionist as follows:

Mr. Gilroy introduced H. J. R. No. 13, as follows: WHEREAS, George H. Williams and Henry W. Corbett, now holding seats in the Senate of the United States from the State of Oregon, have misrepresented the people thereof in this, that amongst many other grievous wrongs, they have supported and voted for measures in the Senate which were in plain and palpable violation of the Constitution of the United States, among which measures are those known as the Reconstruction Acts of Congress, which acts, in their enforcement, have overthrown and subverted civil liberty and the government of the eleven States of this Union, and consigned the citizens thereof to odious and despotic military dictatorship, unknown to our Constitution, and in derogation of its most sacred guarantees; depriving the citizens of those States without trial or conviction, of the sacred rights of trial by jury and the elective franchise; consigning their lives, their liberty and their property to the mercies of those who are without government, and over whom they exercise their authority, and obedient only to those who hold the power to command them for their oppressive acts; said pretended reconstruction acts give the people of those States the alternative of a perpetual wearing of the galling yoke of military power and oppression, or submission to the more dreaded fate of being governed by herds of ignorant, deluded negroes. The said Williams and Corbett have betrayed and misrepresented the people of this State in their support of measures calculated to destroy the constitutional powers and prerogatives of the Supreme Court of the United States, and to usurp the constitutional functions of the Executive. They have been actuated by unworthy partisan motives in their efforts to impeach and remove the President of the United States for pretended high crimes and misdemeanors. In the case of Senator Williams, comparing his speeches in the Senate upon the Tenure of Office Bill with his subsequent votes for the impeachment of the President for a pretended violation of that act, we are constrained to believe that he acted from improper and unworthy motives; therefore be it Resolved, by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon: 1st. That George H. Williams and Henry W. Corbett, now holding the offices of U. S. Senators from the State of Oregon, be and are hereby instructed to resign the same, to the end that persons may be selected as their successors, who will fairly and honestly represent the State of Oregon in the United States Senate. 2d. That copies of the foregoing preamble and resolutions, signed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives, be forwarded by the President of the Senate to said George H. Williams and Henry W. Corbett, to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States of America, at as early a day as practicable.

STATE ITEMS.

From the Jacksonville Sentinel of last Saturday (26th) we extract as follows:

On Wednesday last Judge Duncan was having a foundation wall laid, on the site of an old cabin, when a twenty dollar piece was picked up in the dirt. A search was instituted and six more pieces of gold were found. A total of one hundred and forty dollars were found. The gold had probably been buried there by some miner who was a victim of the Indian war, some of the pieces being simply twenty dollar ingots from a San Francisco assay office.

A little son of Andrew Conkley's was kicked by a horse, cutting a fearful gash and fracturing the skull. The child lay in convulsions for several hours, but hopes were entertained of his recovery.

At the races on Friday, (25th) in the trotting match, best two in three, for a purse of \$100, was won by Comstock & Cawley's "Jake," an old livery horse of ten years' standing, in 3.28.

The corn crops are reported as unusually good in Jackson county. A letter from Klamath Lake informs the Sentinel that the Indians are engaged on the reservation harvesting a full crop. Some of the Snake Indians had come in and gone to work, apparently well satisfied.

The dwelling of Mr. E. K. Anderson, above Phoenix, was destroyed by fire on the 24th. Nothing but a little bedding saved. Fire was caused by hot ashes carelessly placed.

A man by the name of Ivory was badly cut about the head, with a knife in the hands of Richardson, in a fight between the parties.

In the Canyon, in Douglas county the oldest son of Col. Wm. Martin cut his foot nearly off on Thursday last.

The Sentinel is hard on the State Fair. It says: Its object is principally to encourage the people of the State to carry their spare change to Salem to be invested in ginger pop, steam swings and all the traveling bilks that congregate there to impose upon the "Oregon Flats." The fair itself is only a kind of a side show to catch the loose quarters—the horse races are the main feature; they are got up expressly for the benefit of the greeneyes who generally bet on the slowest horse, while the sharps put their tongues in their cheeks and laugh while they win. The Fair is a great institution; it gathers all the blackguards and rowdies, poker sharps and pick-pockets in the State. It is the harvest of hurdy-gurdies and larger beer jerkers, and while it runs at the State capital other towns are purified for the time being.

We find the following in an exchange: Married.—In Salt Lake City, on the 16th ult., in the presence of the Saints, Brigham Young to Mrs. J. R. Martin, Miss Emily P. Martin, Miss L. M. Pendergrast, Mrs. R. M. Jenickson, Miss Susie P. Cleveland, all of the county of Berks, England. No cards.

Dr. Newell who went to Washington accompanied by the leading Nez Perce chiefs, some months since, has returned with his whole party, and are by this time quietly settled at the Lapwai Reservation.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg 26th Sept., announces the loss of the corvette Alexander off the coast of Denmark. The Grand Duke Alexander, who was on board, and all the crew, were saved.

On the 26th ult., at Helena, Montana, ex-Gov. S. W. Beals, of Wisconsin, was shot by Geo. M. Penny, ex-United States Marshal, and died the next day. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of done in self-defense.

A German, who for the past five years has been living in San Francisco, an out-cast from society, received a letter from Germany a short time since inclosing a \$500 check and informing him that by the death of an uncle he was heir to an estate worth \$50,000. He left by the last steamer to take possession of his good fortune.

The Owyhee Avalanche of a late date, has the following:

A few evenings since, Col. Fogus invited a number of his friends—both ladies and gentlemen—to assist him in holding a jubilee over the mammoth brick mentioned by us last week as being worth over \$22,000. The wine cup went its rounds and the dance continued until the "wee sma' hours" admonished the happy circle to seek repose. It is not often that the flowing bowl is passed round on a \$22,000 salver of home manufacture, and this occasion will long be remembered.

The income of the Crown Prince of Prussia is a fraction over a million dollars. His wife is very economical, and they lay by every year a couple of hundred thousand dollars.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.—From dispatches to the Oregonian of date Sept. 30th, we have the following market quotations:

Flour—Sales 200 bbls, firmer; extra, \$6. We quote jobbing rates for city brands, superfine, \$5@5 25; extra \$6@6 25.
Wheat—We quote range for fair to extra choice, \$1 70@1 95.
Barley—We quote new at \$1 10@1 25.
Oats—The range is \$2@2 30 for the various qualities.

STEAM HOD CARRIER.—A new style of hod carrier is to be seen at work at the new building in Broadway, near Crosby street, consisting of an elevator worked by a small donkey engine, which attracts much attention. A similar machine is used at the Park Bank, Stewart's store, and other new buildings. The Irish emigrant who wrote home that it was so easy to make a living in America—"all you have to do is to carry a little box up the ladder and then the other man does all the rest"—would be doubtless much astonished at this change, which is only another instance of the way that muscle is being superseded by steam.—N. Y. Sun.

Rich silver deposits have been discovered on the Canada side of Lake Superior.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, five miles South of Albany, Oct. 1st, by Rev. R. C. Hill, Geo. F. Settlement and Miss Ellen Reed.

The happy pair have the best wishes of their numerous friends. And may George be able to say in the autumn of life:

I saw her, and I loved her—
I sought her, and I won;
A dozen pleasant Summers,
And more, since then have run,
And half as many voices
Now prattling by her side,
Remind me of the Autumn
When she became my bride.

IN MEMORIAM.

ALBANY, Sept. 29th, 1868.

WHEREAS, By the ruthless and unrelenting hand of death our sister and associate, Mrs. Sarah Mendenhall, was taken from our midst on the morning of the 25th inst.; and
WHEREAS, We recognized in her a true and firm friend of the cause of Temperance, a tender companion, and a kind and loving sister, who by her gentleness of spirit and amiability of character had endeared herself to all, being loved most by those who knew her best. Therefore be it Resolved, That we, members of the Western Star Lodge No. 10, I. O. of G. T., do most deeply mourn her loss and sincerely sympathize with our brother, W. H. Mendenhall, in his great bereavement, the loss of the companion of his choice.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect for the departed we will wear a badge of mourning upon our regalia for the balance of the term, ending Oct. 31st.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Register, State Rights Democrat and Corvallis Gazette, for publication. Submitted in Faith, Hope and Charity,
F. M. WADSWORTH,
W. H. DRIGGS,
MARET WRIGHT,
Committee.

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Albany, Oct. 3d, 1868.—4t

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J. HARRIS,
J. S. TOWER,
W. H. MENDENHALL,
JAS. REDPATH,
Albany, Sept. 10, 1868. [Sep. 19, 1868-21f]

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Albany, September 19, '68-21f

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Albany, September 19, 1868-2y

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