

Corballis Gazette.

JUST IN TIME.

Friend—I called to see, Courtly, if you could let me have the \$20 you borrowed a couple of months ago of me?

Courtly—Can't do it possibly this morning, dear boy.

"Well, I was passing and thought I would stop, thinking I might catch you in."

"Yes, five minutes later and I would have been out. You are in luck; yes you are positively lucky."

MUST BE CAREFUL OF HIS ENGLISH.

"Now, Waldo," said a Boston lady, "the minister is to dine with us to-day, and I want you to be a good little boy."

"Yes, mamma."

"And if the subject of prize-fighting is introduced at the table, you must be sure and say slogger, not slugger."—Life.

SHE WANTED A PAIR.

"Oh, my friends, there are some spectacles that a person never forgets," said a lecturer, after a graphic description of a terrible accident that he had witnessed. "I'd like to know where they sell 'em," remarked an old lady in the audience who is always mislaying her glasses.—Philadelphia Call.

A novel case has been brought to the notice of the Paris Academy of Medicine. A man's breast bone was nearly all removed, with parts of several ribs, in order to stop the progress of bone disease. The experiment resulted not only in saving the patient's life, but has given several physiologists an opportunity for direct investigation of the living heart and great artery, parts of which have been made readily accessible.

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"The farmer is the most independent man on earth," says an exchange. Just so. See how he works all summer and steps into a bank in the fall and pays the interest on his mortgage.

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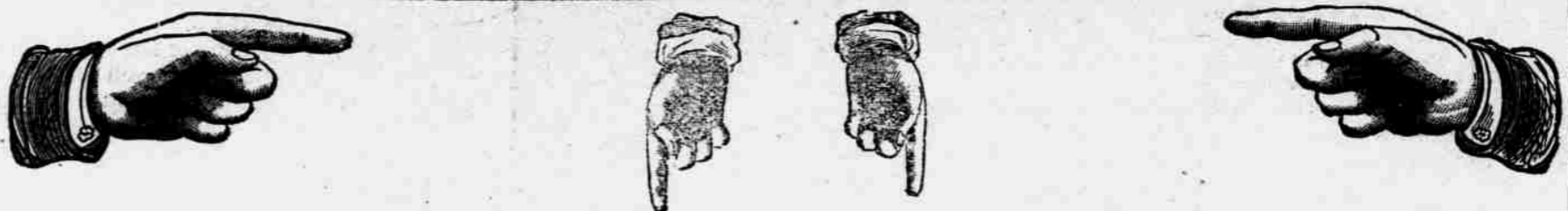
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Notice is hereby given that I will be responsible for no debts or book accounts whatever contracted by any body except by myself or by my written orders. Merchants take notice. W. W. DOW. CORVALLIS, June 22, 1888.

Pitcher's Castoria.

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AN OPEN LETTER

To the Farmers and Housekeepers of Benton Co.

Office of RALSTON COX,
Corvallis, Oregon.

TO THE PEOPLE OF BENTON COUNTY:—

Since the establishment of our business it has been our custom through the medium of the county press from time to time to call the attention of the public to the advantages offered those dealing with us in the large assortment, superior quality and uniformly low prices of all goods handled by us, and our constantly increasing business with all classes of the people is a most gratifying result.

In again addressing the public we pause to congratulate the people in general and the farmers in particular on the new era of prosperity now upon us, an abundant harvest, enormous crops of all kinds and good prices, give promise of better times which will be felt in every branch of trade and business. Not only in the matter of crops do we find cause for congratulation, the completion of our Agricultural College and its acceptance by the designated officials, rendering it a state institution, drawing support from both the state and national governments, guarantees to Benton county an educational institution of which she may well feel proud—giving thorough instruction in that most important branch—practical agriculture. The many and great advantages accruing as the direct result of the establishment of this, the State Agricultural college in our midst will from year to year become more apparent.

The resumption and vigorous prosecution of work on the Oregon Pacific railroad toward an eastern connection will place us in direct communication with sections of the country affording a ready market for all kinds of fruits, a large portion of which is now clear loss to our farmers owing to lack of direct transportation facilities at favorable rates; with a good market we believe fruit raising will prove one of the most important and profitable industries in the valley, and the income of our farming community largely increased.

In calling your attention, the present season to our stock of goods in all departments, we shall continue to adhere to our system of cash sales, knowing the same to be for the best interest of both our customers and ourselves; the loss from bad debts, charges for interest, etc., are thus saved to our customers who reap the benefit in the lower prices at which we are able to sell our goods.

Realizing the truth of the maxim that "goods well bought are half sold," and the increase in our business enabling us to purchase many goods, in large quantities direct from the manufacturers, we are enabled to save to our customers the profits added to goods passing through the hands of middle men.

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in the future as in the past to give the people the best quality and price. We are constantly receiving goods from every department and shall aim to keep the largest stock in our line in the city. Thanking you for your generous patronage of the past and trusting a similar patronage in the future with the assurance that we will endeavor to serve you well, we are

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ADMINISTRATRIX SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

In the estate of W. B. Carter, deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the county court of Benton county, state of Oregon, made at the regular May term of said court on Monday, May 7th, A. D. 1888, and also an order of said court made at the regular November term of said court on November 2, A. D. 1888, the undersigned administratrix of said estate situated in said county and described as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 1, one in sec. No. nine and lots No. 1, 2, and 3, of sec. No. 10, all in T. 11, S. of R. 10 W. of the Will. Mer., containing 154 and 27 100 acres in Benton county, Oregon. Also the south thirty feet of lot No. 9, in block No. 6, as laid down in J. C. Avery's plat to the town of Marysville, now the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, state of Oregon, and in pursuance of said order of said court I will on Saturday,

The 27th day of October, 1888, at the court house door in the city of Corvallis in said county and state, between 9 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the evening of said day, to-wit: At the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the real property above described. Terms of sale, one half of the price bid to be paid cash in hand at time of sale, and the other one-half thereof to be paid one year thereafter drawing 10 per cent. interest per annum and secured by mortgage on the premises sold. Administrix of said estate of W. B. Carter, deceased. Sept. 28th, 1888. 5t.

NOTICE OF SALE.

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton county.

In the matter of guardianship and estate of Minnie J. Baber, a minor; sale of real estate. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a license to me granted by said county court by an order of said court duly made on the 7th day of July, 1888, it being a day of the regular July term, 1888, of said court, and while sitting for the transaction of probate business, which order is duly entered in the probate journal of said court, I, Thos. H. Cooper, guardian of the person and estate of said minor, will on Saturday,

The 27th Day of October, 1888, at 1 o'clock, in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, state of Oregon, expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the real estate belonging to said minor in said Benton county, which real estate is fully described in said order of sale and is as follows, to-wit: The a. w. 1 of s. w. 1 of section 10, T. 11, S. R. 9 west, in Benton county, state of Oregon, for the purposes mentioned in said order of sale. Dated this 28th day of September, 1888. THOS. H. COOPER, Guardian.

NOTICE.

This certifies that my son, Harry A. Hoffman, who will be 21 years old next February, has full permission to conduct business for himself. I have given him his time, and hereby relinquish all claims on his services or his wages, and I will not be responsible for his debts that he may contract after this date. W. T. HOFFMAN. CORVALLIS, Or., Sept. 27, 1888. 4.

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