THE WEST SIDE.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1890.

LOCALS.

The Exposition closes Saturday.

Mr. J. C. Brown has returned from Ohio.

Mr. M. B. Hendricks was in town the first of the week.

County commissioner Simpson was in town Monday.

H. M. Lines is at the Undertakers convention at Portland.

Henry Waller has his show window very tastefully arranged.

A supply of popcorn should now be laid in for the long winter evenings.

If you want to see a fine display of jewelry look at Buster & Locke's window.

The boiler for the new flouring mill is on its way. It left Philadelphia last week.

Remember the entertainment at Monmouth next Friday, Oct. 31. Admission 25 cents.

Furnished rooms to let. Price $1.50 a week, without fire. Inquire at the West Side office.

Grandma Porterfield and Miss Opal Hall, of Buena Vista, are visiting relatives in Port Townsend.

Miss Alice Macaulay, of this city, and Miss M. Butler, of Monmouth, went to the Exposition this week.

The Polk county convention W. C. T. U., meets at Monmouth, Nov. 6 and 7th, in the Christian church.

Mr. W. H. Mack wife and daughter, of Montana, are visiting their brother-in-law, I. B. Whitcomb, of Kings valley.

A. Hannum and wife, of Lewisville, were in town last Monday. Mr. H. gave the West Side office a pleasant call.

W. H. Hawley and J. Demorest, also Misses Alta Robertson and Anna Stockton attended the exposition last week.

Mr. Walker, of the firm of Henkle & Walker, has been quite sick, and the rushing business has almost worn out Mr. Henkle.

Just think of earning $50 and only work a small portion of your time. Commence work at once and earn some of our premiums for obtaining new subscribers.

The Baptist Association, at Portland, was attended from here by Rev. Hunsaker, Jos. Craven, Miss Patie Cooper, Mrs. P. Holman, C. W. Mattoon and Jas Alexander.

The West Side is in the field to do business. We want our friends to help us to get new subscribers and we are willing to pay them. See our advertisement elsewhere.

Why do not some of the young men form a dancing club of a dozen or two persons and advance the town socially. If rightly managed very pleasant evenings might be spent.

You can help some one to obtain a valuable premium by subscribing for the West Side. Our premiums are very liberal and we hope our friends will go to work and earn them.

Mr. John Burns, of Lewisville, and Chas. M. Brown, of this city, gave our sanctum a pleasant call one day this week. Drop in again gentlemen. We are always glad to have friends drop in chat with us.

On next Friday evening a musical and literary entertainment will be given at the Normal chapel, in Monmouth Miss Julia A Barrett, the music teacher has the matter in charge. Miss Alice Williams, of this city will sing.

One of our prominent business men went to the fair recently and as he arose from the breakfast table the next morning the waiter pointed out the fact to him that he had his pockets full of napkins off the tables—Funny isn't it?

W. E. Williams, of Airlie, brightened the sunlight of our editorial sanctum on the second day of the week, and made oh, so glad the heart of ye editor. Call again friend Will. Your genial presence is always welcome, and may your shadow never grow less.

Mrs. Hess and daughter, guests of Mrs. T. W. Estes for a fortnight or more, and Mr. Chas. Wiseman and wife, who have been visiting among friends and relatives on the Luckiamutte and Independence, departed for Walla Walla on last Tuesdays train.

Commencing next Monday evening, a new paper will be issued in Independence, and called the *Willamette News*, of which Mr. J. T. Ford, formerly postmaster of this city, will be manager. A carrier will deliver the paper to all who subscribe in both Independence and parts of Monmouth, at 15 cents a month. It is destined to fill a want in this community. It will be non-partisan in politics.

Ideas worth thousands of dollars are annually thrown away because their originators had not the foresight to patent them. Have you such ideas? It will only cost the price of a postage stamp to ascertain whether it is patentable. Messrs. C. A. Snow & Co., patent solicitors, 710, 8th St., N. W. Washington, D. C., will furnish the information free. Read their advertisement in this paper.

The American Protective Tariff League has just issued in pamphlet form a complete refutation of the claims of the Free-Traders that our manufactured products are sold to the foreign consumer at a lower price than for home consumption. The subject of this document is "Export Discounts" and if you desire a copy enclose a two cent stamp to the American Protective Tariff League, 23 W. 23d St., N. Y. This Document is No. 35. In ordering use number only.

Will H. Bagley, of Salem, special agent and adjuster of the State Insurance Co., was in the city on Wednesday. He has been at work for the company through Washington and Eastern Oregon for the past three months. He will now devote a greater portion of his time to work in this valley. Mr. Bagley has relatives in this city who will be glad to learn of the rapid advancement which he has made in occupying responsible positions with the State Insurance Co.

TOLD BY CORRESPONDENTS

PARKER ITEMS.

Wm. Veaux is sojourning in Vancouver, Wash.

Wm. Wells, tho hop grower, is shipping his hops via Parker.

Ollie Miller, formerly Miss DeBord, arrived home Portland Tuesday.

James Helmick, Geo. Miller and Lea Steeprow are having a hunt in the Alsea mountains.

Wm. Fuqua's wind engine is completed and is one of the most artistic towers in this vicinity.

We are so loyal to our county paper in order to furnish it with items, we would invent some if we were sure of a patent.

BETHEL ITEMS.

Charles Frazer and sister Pink have returned from Eastern Oregon.

Henry Portword is able to be around again after several days sickness.

Prof. J. P. Powell, of McMinnville, has been teaching a singing school at Perrydale.

Mrs. C. B. Graves with daughter Nettie has gone to Washington for her health.

Curtis Hawley and Geo. Dixon delivered a drove of four hundred sheep to the Portland meat market last week.

Mrs. Fannie Frazer, wife of R. D. Frazer, departed this life at 3 a. m. the 20th inst., at the house of L. B. Frazer after a painful illness of many months of disease of the lungs. She leaves a husband, three children besides many friends and relatives to mourn her loss.

McCOY ITEMS.

T. H. Moreland left this week to spend the winter in Seattle.

Wm. Garrin, of Dallas, is buying hogs in these parts this week.

W. H. Bagley, of Salem, passed this way to McMinnville last Thursday.

Mr. Cowen, of Albany, is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. A. J. Teeling, here this week.

R. S. Burnett and family have moved to Monmouth where he is engaged in the butcher business. Success to you Bob.

Rev. W. T. Scott returned from Portland last Sunday where he had been attending the bedside of his little boy; but was better at last accounts.

Curt McGrew and Wm. Howe, of Perrydale, Uel Frazer and Amos Fletcher, of Bethel, students of the Normal school Sundayed at home.

ZENA ITEMS.

Miss Sarah Cavitt returned from Tillamook last Friday.

Mr. Elkins was in this locality in the interest of the Watt's nursery.

Jas. R. Shepard shipped two more car loads of fruit this week to Denver, Colorado.

Rev. W. T. Scott will preach here next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. All are invited to attend.

W. A. Pike started with two more Pages for Tillamook. They were Miss Ella and Miss Mabel.

Rev. W. T. Scott will move into the Sanford Watson house instead of Mr. Hunt's. There are still two vacant houses in town to let.

Our farmers are wishing for more rain, as the ground is still too dry to plow for fall sowing. The weather clerk may give them too much after awhile.

A school marm asked the class to define "reciprocate." One little fellow at the foot of the class held up his hand and told the teacher that it meant "Where two or more met in a saloon and treated all around."

We see by the daily press that J. S. Clarkson is about to be sent as minister to China. Can't the powers that be send Mr. Robert P. Porter superintendent of the census to Halifax for the grand botched up census he has taken?

If our fruit men would haul the straw they burn every autumn and put the same around their fruit trees, it would more than repay them for their extra work. Let them try it on a few trees and they will soon see the difference.

Charlie Phillips bought 500 prune and 500 Bartlett pears trees last Tuesday to set out on his home place. In a few years our fruit men will need a railroad to carry off the fruit crop of Spring valley. It takes up too much time hauling it to Salem or McCoy for shipment. This will be one of the best fruit centers in the state of Oregon two years hence.

TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION.

Office of Supt. Dallas, Or., }
Oct. 17, 1890. }

First regular meeting will be at Dallas, Oct 25, 1890.

PROGRAM.

9:30 a. m. Organization, election of officers, etc., opening address by Prof. A. M. Bryant, "Uses and Abuses of the Memory," reading, class drill by Miss Finley; 10 questions on B. B., value and importance of reading, "Methods," by Prof. B F. Mulkey; discussion. Adjourn.

1:30 p. m. Spelling, class drill by Miss R. Hinchman, 5 questions on B. B.; "Methods of Spelling, Importance, Etc., by Mrs. Nellie M. McAdams; discussion, question box, report of committes, closing.

I will be pleased to see all the teachers present at our opening meeting. There will be quite a number of important questions brought before this association. Polk county teachers and their work stand high in the state, and a great measure of it comes from the interest, which they (the teachers) have ever taken in their co-association work. I trust that you will keep up this interest so that we may ever be in the front rank of "Progress."

Accommodations will be provided for all who come. Yours truly.

W. I. Reynolds, Supt.

Wanted.—A neat healthy girl about 14 years of age for light house-work with a family of two in Corvallis. Apply at this office. oct24-5t

DON'T READ THIS.

We have the finest line of stoves in Polk county, Goodman & Douty.

NORMAL SCHOOL COLUMN.

In charge of
The BLONDIN SISTERS.

The present year bids fair to become the most prosperous in the history of the school, both in number of students and grade of the work. At present the enrollment is 166, and new students are arriving almost every day. Under the management of our president we are sure that this year's work will prove to be a grand success.

The Normal dining hall, thanks to the skill and good management of Mrs. Gibson, is giving satisfaction and excellent meals at the rate of $1.50 per week.

The naval commission visited our town last Wednesday, but for want of time did not visit the school.

If any of the students should happen to have an important item of news they are invited to make our acquaintance, and we will send their name to the West Side.—Blondin Sisters.

The military company is not yet thorougly organized, but to amuse we young ladies the boys have their captain to give them a drill almost every day. We will say they do well for an awkward squad.

Prof. of American history. "How did the Israelites cross the river Jordan?" Student—"They waded."—"Next."

Mr.——"Will you please pass the butter, Miss S——."

Miss——S. "Wait till the cows come home."—Dining Hall.

A committee has been appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws for a library and reading association. The object of this organization is to take charge of the school library, and to keep copies of all the leading magazines and journals on file in the study room. This is a very important move since the students, (especially those belonging to literary societies) will now have an abundant supply of good references. It is hoped that a large per cent. of the students will take an interest in this society. Any donation either of books or magazines will be thankfully received by the association.

The senior class are busy preparing for the much dreaded "final" examination. They are at present reviewing rhetoric.

President Campbell delivered a lecture Tuesday morning in chapel, his subject was "The Vice of Gambling." In his lecture he gave the young men some good advice. Wonder why some of the boys looked so shamefaced while he was speaking?

The *Democrat's* little Deutcher (Hans) tried to flirt with us last week, but as we are not inclined that way, he has now turned his attention to the Brunette Sisters.

"Wonder who the Blondin sisters are, and why they do not write any more?" is a question frequently heard at the Normal.

Our items were left out last week, but we are going to be on time hereafter.

Prof. Powell and family moved into their new house on Monday.

Prof. Gregg, of Nebraska, the blind orator, delivered an excellent lecture to a large audience in the Christian church here Sunday evening.

The young men of the Normal are practicing at foot ball almost every evening this week.

The Vespertine society has 36 members.

In addition to our regular Vespertine literary exercises we have decided to read and discuss books in the society. A committee has been appointed to furnish plans and adopt some work. The first debate "Resolved that while going to school young ladies should not keep company with gentlemen," was decided in the affirmative after a lively discussion in which the personal experience of the debaters was made a point. All Vespertines are expected to abide by the decision.

Company "A," Normal cadets met Monday evening and adopted a constitution and by-laws.

The library and reading association met Tuesday evening, President Campbell president, and adopted a constitution and by-laws, and the association decided to subscribe for a number of the leading journals and magazines to be placed in the reading-room of the Normal.

Mr. Boyd, of Slaughter, Wash., and Mr. Warren were visiting the Normal Monday.

W. A. Wann was heard to say "I have not as yet decided to work for any of the prizes offered by the West Side because I fear that I will win the sewing machine and I would have no use for that." We considered this as a very strong hint, but neither of us gave him any encouragement.

FALLS CITY.

Once a week, twice a week, thrice a week, an' now nine times a week Unkle Sam's mail bags visit our city ob magnificen' expectations, showin' de ole gemmen realwises our comin' greatness. De daily mail (connectin' us wid de state capital direc') leavin' heah at 4:30 a.m. an' arrivin' at 7:30 p.m, am an' arragement dat should, an' I think dus gib entire satisfaction to all parties here. Some may think we oughter hab a daily from Dallas, too, an' talk dat way, an' not a fu' think we should hab one to Tillamook via Hazel Dell, or some other route dat may be arter a survey, deemed fleesable. My adwice is ter to go slo' an' not ask unreason-favors from Unkle Sam, or he mout get his back up, put us on short rations, an' deprive us ob habin' communication wid de outside world again. Funny, folk am not content wid well enuff!

While we hab no local paper too blo' de trumpet fo' us like surroundin' cities we's gettin' dar mighty fas' jes' de same. Whar but a fu' months since but two or three buildins stood, ober thirty can now be counted, an' many more am progressin' toward completion. De woods hereabout am swarmin' wid new settlers an' others am comin'. De new saw mill am climbin' upward, de foundry am daily bein' enlarged, de tramway which owin' to de unpleasant episods wid de elders for a time was 'bandoned, will be grappled wid agin', de highways hab been graded an' gravelled, de school am so full ob scholars it am thought McF. will hab ter clim' de desk ter make room for um. Little strangers am frequently adwentin' in our midst, dat in time will swell de school roll.

Blanchard & Schlappie am buildin' a chicken hous' back ob de meat market. De truth is eberything am lubly an de goose hangs clear up.

Friday an' Saturday mornin', de Dallas boys had a break-down in de hall, an' sum ob dem, outside, down near de school house. Ise not heard wid all de smashups reducted, whether it was a finished suckcess or not. One ambitious young man poked his head through the winder, splinterin' a large lite ob glass, an' makin' things gingle an' lively for those below. He possibly wished ter hab outsiders see how he'd 'pear in a frame. Judin' from de number ob emty bottles found scattered about, dar mus' hab den' 'bout a dozen boys ober from Dallas, 'les' sum ob um' dun toled mor'n one ob de trouble breeders. De fiddlin reminded Sampson ob old plantation times, when de turn ob de tune wasn't ob as much 'portance as de 'bility ob de performer ter endur' de strain ob a continual sawin' at de cat gut.

OZIAS SAMPSON.

THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY.

N. F. Gregg has moved his family to Dallas.

John Bones has sold his Gooseneck farm to a Mr. Kess for $2700.

Students are arriving almost daily at the Monmouth State Normal school.

The old college chapel at Monmouth has been converted into a gymnasium.

Messrs. Wise and Keyt, of Perrydale, are putting up a store house for their hops.

R. M. Gilbert has purchased the C. G. Rowell saw mill and will run it next spring.

Ellis Simonson, of Dixie, while splitting wood last week, cut his foot quite severely.

Whooping cough and influenza seem to be somewhat prevalent over in the vicinity of Salt Creek.

Miss Tuthill contemplates organizing a dumbbell club for the benefit of the young ladies of Monmouth.

The farmers all over the county are making good use of the fine weather for seeding their summer fallow ground.

The late J. W. McGrew, of Perrydale, was a member of the A. O. U. W., and his widow received a check for $2000.

The indications are that a good flow of artesian water can be had at Monmouth, and a little experimenting might pay big.

About 50,000 feet of lumber comes from outside the county to Dallas by rail each month, most of it being from Kings Valley, so says the *Itemizer*.

Supt. Reynolds is now visiting the different school districts of the county. He reports the schools as far as he has been around to be in a prosperous condition.

Mr, S. T. Burch has laid off and platted the town of Dixie, and as soon as it is dedicated he will be ready to sell town lots. About twenty acres are already spoken for.

A large amount of first-class sidewalk has been put down in Dallas this fall, and material is being put on the ground for considerable more. I. M. Palmer has made 1200 feet, running measure, for different persons, and has orders still ahead.

The remonstrance against granting a saloon license to C. C. Smith contained sixty-five names, and was ordered by the W. C. T. U. to be presented to the city council, but for some reason it was not done. The ladies of that body may be sometimes baffled in their designs, but their cause is a righteous one, and they propose to stick to it.—*Itemizer.*

Judge Stouffer was at Salem Tuesday consulting in the matter of the big bridge. The piers are sinking and the question comes up, as to what to do, who will stand the damages, etc? There seems to have been some monkeying with the original plan of the piers, they are larger, and the damage and delay which is now assumed will fall on somebody, and somebody is not apt to be the contractors.—*Observer.*

MORE AND BETTER AMUSEMENTS.

Independence for the past months has had almost no amusements of any kind. In a live rustling community among a wide-awake people this will not do, and hence we deem it worthy of note to say that arrangements are being perfected whereby some of the really superior attractions of Portland may be enabled to play in Independence. The plan is to embrace McMinnville, Independence and Corvallis in one circuit, playing up and back during a week. We believe that when our people know that no barnstorming troupes can get on the circuit, that a liberal patronage will result, and at popular prices we may have the pleasure of keeping posted on what is the latest in the amusement world.

Full announcements, weeks in advance, will be made through these columns of interesting performances. A lack of system has caused many troupes to not appear on the west side circuit, but this we hope to see remidied.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

The newly erected church near Cochrane was dedicated as a temple for the service of God, on last Sabbath. Notwithstanding the threatning rain, a large congregation witnessed the ceremonies. Rev S. P. Spreng, of Cleveland, Ohio, officiated. He took for his text; "Awake, awake, put on thy strength, oh! Zion," from which he preached a practical sermon which will always live in the hearts of all who heard it. He held the audience spellbound for more than an hour. A synopsis would be very interesting reading.

The house was erected at a cost of $1082.50. The amount needed to cover all demands was $300, which, and a little over, was raised in a comparitive short time, and with a cheerful spirit.

The church was then dedicated as the Grace Evangelical Church. The condition upon which the church was built and dedicated is, that when not occupied by the Evangelical church, it shall be open to all orthodox churches to preach in.

Mr. J. D. Bevens, of Kings valley, came in last week and favored us with a pleasant call.

A 20 ACRE FARM.

Estimate of cost of preparing, planting and cultivating an average twenty-acre colony lot the first season in this county, by practical vinyardists, and other data:

VINEYARD—10 ACRES.		
Plowing at $2 per acre	$ 20 00	
Harrowing twice at 25c per acre	5 00	
Grading—often unnecessary	100 00	
Vines, $16 per thousand	88 00	
Planting	30 00	
Staking	10 00	
Watering 5 times 75c per acre	37 50	
Cultivating 5 times $1 per acre	50 00	
		$ 340 50
ORCHARD 5 ACRES.		
Plowing	$ 10 00	
Harrowing	2 50	
Grading	50 00	
Trees, 540 at 20 cents each	108 00	
Planting	10 00	
Watering and cultivating	43 75	
		$ 224 25
ALFALFA—2½ ACRES.		
Plowing	$ 5 00	
Leveling	25 00	
Seed, 50 pounds at 12 cents	6 00	
Sowing and harrowing	2 00	
Watering	6 25	
		$ 44 25
IMPROVEMENTS.		
House, four rooms	$400 00	
Barn or shed	50 00	
Fence, pro rata, $4 per acre	80 00	
Water gates	30 00	
Well and pump, 50 feet	42 00	
ANIMALS.		
Two horses at $75	$150 00	
One cow	40 00	
		$ 190 00
IMPLEMENTS AND HARNESS.		
Plow, cultivator, etc	$ 50 00	
Wagon and harness	145 00	
		$ 195 00
LAND.		
Land, 1st payment, ¼	$250 00	
		$ 250 00
Total		$1,846 00

The above estimates are close, and based on hiring all work done, and they may be reduced upward of $500 by the owner of the twenty acres doing the bulk of the work himself, as he can easily do.—*Kern County California.*

THE MERRILL-ABT-ABBOTT COMBINATION.

This entertainment at the opera house Thursday evening comes too late for a review in this week's paper, but from the flattering notices seen in our exchanges we feel sure that the public will be well pleased. The Sporting *Journal* says: Master Eddie Abbott the boy magician, who has been causing wonder and delight at the Eden Musee, for the past six weeks will shortly make an extended tour under the management of Mr. Cordray, of Portland, Or. Master Abbott is truly a wonderful six-year-old-boy, and has created a sensation wherever he has appeared. A child of ordinary mental calibre can be trained after the fashion of a parrott, but the boy who at the age of six-years of age is a thorough master of the art of magic, who can do not only the simpler tricks that go to make up a magicians routine, but who can invent tricks of his own and perform them with a deftness that defies detection, is a down-right marvel.

In addition Prof. Abt introduces his Grecian mystery, and his wonderful dissolving views. This is a late mechancal invention which is very entertaining. The views are both instructive and amusing. Prof. H. J. Abbott keeps the audience convulsed with laughter in his character of "Gumbo" and evidently proves himself to be the missing link to necromancy.

AN ELOQUENT DISCOURSE.

Rev. Dr, Dubs, of Cleveland, Ohio, preached in the Evangelical church in this city on Friday evening of last week. Text: "The Faultless Christ." The bishop spoke in substance as follows:

The age in which we live is distinguished, 1st., as being an age of wonderful inventions and great scientific discoveries; 2d, as a serious and critical age. The inventive genius of man has made wonderful improvements in the mechanical arts, while his daring intellect even questions the secrets of the Infinite. In the field of historical criticism the most sacred literatures and the most cherished idols of profane history have been tested in the alembic of human reason. He did not object to investigation and criticism. He had passed through this trying ordeal himself. Had read much that passes current in the field of criticism, but his faith remained intact. His greatest proof of the divine kinship of Jesus with both God and man was of a psychological nature—it was soul experience. Jesus is both God and man—*Ecce Homo Deis.* No other theory could explain His wonderful influence upon the ages; nothing else can explain the cause of His mystic influence upon man to-day. Skepticism has shattered its lance against this shield and recoiled in dismay. The bishop closed by exhorting his people to stand firm in their faith, for God reigns and all will be well.

AMUSEMENTS.

November 21st and 22d the Eagle Engine Co. will give entertainments at the opera house. About the 28th of Nov. the Salem Dramatic Co. will present their pleasing program, and Dec. 20th the Mardesen "Uncle Tom's Cabin Co.," appears here.

For Sale.

Two lots in block 6 Henry Hill's addition to Independence for $125 each, one-fifth down, balance next May without interest. This is a bargain. Enquire at WEST SIDE office.

AN OREGON BOY AT ANN ARBOR.

A Polk county boy, now attending school at Ann Arbor, Michigan, writes an interesting letter to his mother. We quote the following:

Am getting along nicely in school, have lots of work now; have a lecture every day lasting one hour and three-quarters. Have recitations in text book twice a week lasting an hour, and elocution at five oclock twice a week lasting an hour. So you see it makes a fellow get in to get all of that in his head.

We had quite a time at the college Friday, one fellow in our class has a plug hat he wears, and the seniors tried to take it away from him, he had a cane with which he hit several, then he drew a revolver and held them back with it. The seniors then commenced to rush after the juniors so we had to push with all our might to keep them back, but we finally pushed them back and came out victorious, then of all the hollowing one ever heard was done then. They call that pushing a rush, which they have at the commencing of every year. They were waiting for us when we came down from the lecture room.

We have one woman in our class. The first time she came in you should have heard the stamping of feet and the clapping of hands.

My books so far have cost me $25.70, I do not necessarily have to buy any more books until long toward the end of the year, but there are several more I will get if I see that I need them after a while.

I like school very much so far, and am very much interested in the lectures, we have a note book for taking down the lectures in, use a fountain pen so we don't have to transcribe them, our text book study commence Monday. Both classes were together Wednesday and I tell you it was a large one, about about 500 scholars in the law department. Of all the hollowing I ever heard it was that day, the seniors would yell at every junior that come in the room, I went in with the crowd and took my seat before they got settled, so I escaped the yelling. You could of heard them for a mile. One consolation, it will come our turn next year. To-day the seniors got after the juniors on the campus and made them jump the cane as they call it. There would be one at each end of a cane and others to put them over the cane head first. I left the campus when I heard them commence to talk about it, but they may get me yet. School started with about 2000 scholars. They are not all together at any one time, I would like to see them all together once. It looks quite odd to me to see so many boys on the school grounds playing.

I have come to the conclusion that I have got to get in and study if I get through in two years. I find lots of young fellows that seem to know but very little. My room mate left me today, he got to room with a dental student. I was not sorry to see him go, he was a nice young fellow but did not study very much, would go to bed about eight o'clock and snore so loud I could not study. No doubt you will be surprised to hear that I do not go to bed before 10 o'clock, and take a half hour walk every morning before breakfast. I told the lady I could not pay for the room by myself, so she is going to let me have it for $1 until I can find some one that suits me for a chum, she said I shouldn't leave. She seems to have taken a fancy to me, they bring up fruit to my room every few days.

Reeder came in this morning. He has changed very much since he was in Monmouth. I also met a brother of Hunter Wells, of Portland, he says Miss Goodwin is in Boston taking elocution lessons.

AN EARLY ORDER.

Last week Messrs. Geo. Steele and A. J. Bagley, of Suver, placed an order with Staver & Walker, Portland, Or., through their agents, Goodman & Douty, of this place, for a J. I. Case new iron side steam thresher. This thresher is to be manufactured expressly for this order by the Case Threshing Machine Co. at Racine, Wis., and will fill all the requirements necessary to save any and all kinds of Oregon grain in any quantity. The cylinder is to be 36 inches and the separator 56 inches, which with its other construction will make it the most powerful threshing machine manufactured. It is to have one of the latest improved self-feeding apparatuses. This machine complete will enable them to take care of grain much faster and in better shape than the old style threshers. Next season we may expect to hear of some big threshing from these gentlemen.

More Racing.

On Thursday, Oct. 30th, a trotting race best 3 in 5 will take place on Talmage race track for untrained horses of the 3:30 class in Polk county. Entries will close Oct. 29th. Entrance $10 which is added to purse.

Friday, Oct. 31st will be the race for three minute class, best 3 in 5. Entrance fee $10. Entries close Oct. 30.

MARRIED.

KELLOGG—GREEN.—At East Portland, Tuesday, Oct. 14, 1890, Miss May Green, of Independence, to Mr. C. W. Kellogg, purser of the steamboat "Northwest."

Miss May was rated among our most attractive young ladies, so it is probably her fault that her home is not still in Independence.

BEVENS—LONG.—At the residence of the bride's parents at Kings Valley, Thursday, Oct. 16, 1890, Miss Sadies Long to Mr. F. D. Bevens, both of the county, J. M. Huff, J. P., officiating.

DIED.

WARD.—At his home in Kings Valley, Or., on Thursday, Oct. 16, 1890, Basil Ward, of Bright's disease of the kidneys, in the 63d year of his age.

The deceased leaves a wife and five children to mourn his death. He was a man of sterling qualities of both mind and heart, and was respected by all who knew him.

Holmes Business College

Of Portland, Oregon will open Sept. 1st. J. A. Wesco, the leading penman of the coast, has become a partner in this school and will make it the leading Business College. Send for Catalogue.

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(Successor to COOPER BROS.)

and get Prices. Just received a New Stock of Shot Guns and Rifles including best makes known. All kinds of Metal ware made to order. Repairing done on short notice.

Oliver and Garden City Plows, Monitor Drills, Steel King Spring tooth Harrows.

Independence, - - Oregon.

A fine line of Oregon lard at H. & W. *

Latest in the shoe line, at J. L. Stockton's *

Henkle & Walker's Savon soap is the best in the market. *

J. L. Stockton has found it necessary to still further enlarge his stock of clothing and furnishing goods. He now has two attentive clerks. *

When you want fine sign work done call on Shinn's sign painter! Reasonable prices and first-class work. *

Your attention is called to the fine line of parasols and umbrellas, for sale by J. L. Stockton. The line in silk is particularly mentioned. *

A fine line of tobacco at H. & W. *

Sawed and shaved shingles at Goodman & Douty's. *

For pasting on walls, placing under carpets, etc., get the old papers for sale by Wheeler.

Now is the time to buy rubber goods, and J. L. Stockton has a full and complete stock. *

The WEST SIDE office has turned the "old paper" business over to W. H. Wheeler, who will sell at the same prices.

Pumps and pipe at Goodman & Douty's. *

Messrs. Shelly & Vanduyn are getting in a large fall stock of goods. *

Eggs and butter wanted at H. & W. *

Dave Gelwick always has on hand fresh candies, Key West cigars and tropical fruits in season. *

Henkle & Walker will sell you as many goods as any other firm in Polk county for spot cash. *

Say! Where did you get that watch? Why of course I bought it of H. R. Patterson and on the enstallment plan too—No trouble to own a watch that way. *

Plows, harrows, cultivators, drills, seeders, hacks, wagons, buggies, carts, wheelbarrows, etc., at Goodman & Douty's. *

Blue vitriol for sale by Henkle & Walker. *

Stoves and tinware at Goodman & Douty's. *

You can spend a pleasant evening at Dave Gelwick's, as he has a first-class pool table. *

M. R. Pearson, who is painting such elegant signs about town, is the son of Dennis Pearson, who was once editor of the "Resources of California," and a contributor to leading magazines. *

All parties knowing themselves indebted to Cooper Bros. will please call and settle without further delay and save costs. We mean what we say. Call at First National bank for account and note. COOPER BROS. 10-4t

Read the advertisment of the WEST SIDE premium list.

Read the premium announcements of the WEST SIDE. Help your friends by giving them your subscriptions.

G. T. Waller has a neat store on the corner near his residence in Monmouth and he intends keeping on hand all the school books and school supplies required in any school in Polk county, either public, private or normal. His prices are the lowest. *

Pearce & Lines have just opened an employment office on Main street opposite the opera house. All persons desiring a situation should list with us, and all persons desiring help of all kinds will do well to call on us. tf

The finest line of heating stoves can be found at Goodman & Douty's *

Cook stoves, a fine line at Goodman & Douty's. *

WANTED AT THE SALEM CANNERY.—Bradshaw and Columbia plums at $1 per hundred, other plums equally as good at the same price. The large Green Gage at 75 cents to $1 per hundred. Prunes $1.25 per hundred. Apples 50 cents per hundred. Any kind of apples will do so they are large enough to peel. Bartlett pears $1 per hundred, other pears, price as to quality.

On September 22d Goodman & Douty received the first car load of stoves ever consigned direct from the East to Independence. The car was composed of the celebrated Acorn ranges, cook and heating stoves. The Acorn stoves are the best skilled labor and money can produce and present a handsome appearance. The Acorn range with ventilated oven is one of their latest patents and represents a firstclass range. It must be seen to be appreciated. Their line of Acorn heating stoves is complete in every detail, and are all nicely decorated. These stoves are now on exhibition at their store where it will pay you to call and see for yourself. Their prices are the lowest quality of goods considered. *

THE CRY OF MILLIONS!

OH, MY BACK!

STOP IT NOW,

SOON IT WILL BE TOO LATE.

I have been troubled many years with disease of the kidneys and have tried many different remedies and have sought aid from different physicians without relief. About the 15th of April I was suffering from a very violent attack that almost prostrated me in such a manner that I was bent over. When I sat down it was almost impossible for me to get up alone, or to put on my clothes, when kind Providence sent Dr. Henley, with the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, to my hotel. I immediately commenced using the tea. It had an almost miraculous effect, and to the astonishment of all the guests at the hotel, in a few days, I am happy to state, that I was a new man. I will recommend the tea to all afflicted as I have been.

G. A. TUPPER,
Proprietor Occidental Hotel,
Santa Rosa, Cal.

NO MORE BACKACHE!

[Commenced business March 5, 1889.]

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

—OF THE—

INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK.

At Independence, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, Oct. 2, 1890.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 107,526.73
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,001.60
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
Due from approved reserve agents	296.21
Due from other National Banks	101.95
Due from State Banks and bankers	581.60
Banking-house, furniture and fixt'rs	6,283.81
Current expenses and taxes paid	259.30
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	3,250.00
Checks and other cash items	2,312.50
Bills of other banks	75.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	3.49
Specie	8,804.40
Legal-tender notes	17.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	562.50
Total	$147,566.29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	4,500.00
Undivided profits	459.76
National Bank notes outstanding	11,250.00
Dividends unpaid	2,400.00
Individual deposits subject to check	64,377.28
Demamd certificate of deposit	400.00
Time certificates of deposit	8,876.40
Due to othei National Banks	5,800.40
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,702.45
Total	$ 147,556.29

State of Oregon, County of Polk, ss:

I, W. P. Connaway, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. P. CONNAWAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Oc.t, 1890.

A. M. HURLEY,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ABRAM NELSON,
A. J. GOODMAN,
H. H. JASPERSON,
Directors.

"The Jeresy Lily."

ANGLESEA COTTAGE, L. B., July 2.

Gentlemen: Altho' it is very unusual for me to use any lotions or washes, still, in answer to your request, I have tried Wisdom's Violet Cream and Robertine. The former I consider especially efficacious in cases of roughness of the skin, and I have been using it every day for the last fortnight. I have found the Robertine an excellent preparation in cases of tan, sunburn, etc., caused by exposure to March winds and a July sun.

Yours faithfully,
LILLIE LANGTRY.

To Messrs. Wisdom & Co.

Better Than Government Bonds.

The ordinary living expenses of a family of five persons, living in the customary manner of the American people, amounts to not less than $1500 per year. It would require nearly $40,000 in government bonds to produce this income. Ten acres of land in the Willamette valley planted to prunes with an ordinary crop at ordinary prices will net more than $1500, after paying for all labor placed thereon. You can buy the land of the Oregon Land Company of Salem, Oregon, in tracts of ten acres or more, at from $55 to $75 per acre. Address, the Oregon Land Company of Salem, Oregon,

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon,
Oct. 4, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of Polk County, at Dallas, Oregon, on

November 24, 1890,

viz: William Herren pre-emption D. S. No. 6742 for the S ½ of S E ¼ of Sec. 34 Tp 9 S, R 7 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jacob W. Kimsey, Scott Bennett, of Kings Valley, Benton County, Oregon; Frank Kaw, of Lewisville, Polk County, Oregon; Charles Newman, of Kings Valley, Benton County, Oregon. 9:10

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court, of the State of Oregon, for the County of Polk.

L. P. KRAMER, Plaintiff,
vs.
HARRIET KRAMER, Defendant.

To Harriet Kramer, defendant,

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREgon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of the service of this Summons upon you, if served within this County; or, if served in any other County of this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this Summons upon you; and served by publication then by the 1st day of the next regular term of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County to be held on the 1st Monday in December, to-wit:

December 1st, 1890,

and if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint to-wit: For a decree of the court that the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved and for his costs and disbursements of this suit.

This Summons is published for six consecutive weeks by order of publication issued out of the circuit Court of said County and State and dated September 24th, 1890.

A. M. HURLEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon,
Sept. 19, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Polk County at Dallas, Oregon, on

November 11, 1890,

viz: Martha E. Robertson, Homestead Entry No. 6213 for the lots 7 and 8 of Sec. 26, T 9 S, R 6 W.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: R. J. Grant and T. O. Bevens, of Kings Valley, Benton County, Oregon; James Turner and W. McD. Turner, of Lewisville, Polk County, Oregon.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

DR. JORDAN'S & CO'S.

MUSEUM OF ANATOMY.

751 Market St., San Francisco.

Admission 25 cents.

Go and learn how to avoid disease. Consultation and treatment personally or by letter on spermatorhea or genital weakness and all diseases of men. Send for book. Private office 211 Geary St. Consultation free.

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell the following property to the highest bidder at my place at Independence, Oregon, Nov. 22, 1890, at 10 o'clock: One mare seven years old, 1 horse ten years old, two fillies three years old, 1 brood mare, 1 set harness, 1 cart, etc. Terms of sale. All sums over $10 twelve months with approved security with interest. J. W. RICHARDSON,
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