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**FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1893.**

**TAKE NOTICE!!**

On and after July 1st, 1893, all subscribers who desire the WEST SIDE to be sent after their subscription expires, must leave word at this office, and their names on the mailing list will be so marked that before the paper is stopped a notice will be mailed asking for a renewal. All others, not so marked, will be stopped at expiration of time paid for, without notice.

Hops are quoted at 16 cts. a pound, and with the prospect of short crops in Europe and long crops in Oregon our people are feeling in good spirits.

The extradition treaty with Russia goes into effect the 24th of this month. Mr. Cleveland's proclamation to that effect having been issued this week. The treaty may be terminated by a six months notice of either country at any time.

Why do not the bicyclists of Polk county form an organization and see that the county roads throughout the county are kept in better condition. A determined action on their part would do much towards spurring up officials. A smooth road is indispensable to the "wheelmen" and with the present methods of working, the roads will be very rough.

Judge Lochren, the new Commissioner of Pensions, has made a decided stir among the politicians by announcing his purpose to make the local Medical Boards which examine applicants for pensions in all sections of the country exclusively democratic, instead of allowing the opposition one out of every three members, as has been the custom every since those boards were established. It is supposed that his action was previously endorsed by President Cleveland.

Comptroller of Currency Eckels is getting more notoriety than most of the members of the Cabinet. Every day or two he springs a new sensation on the public. His latest is that stockholders in National banks that fail will be at once, as soon as the estimate can be made up, assessed on their stock for the amount necessary to make good the losses of the bank, that is up to the 100 per cent which the law makes them liable for. Heretofore the custom has been not to make these assessments until all other assets had been realized on, and it has often been the case that stockholders had so disposed of their property that the assessment could not be collected.

The populists are proudly pointing to President Cleveland's announcement of his intention to call an extra session of Congress to deal with the financial situation, which he says is "the only menace to the country's welfare and prosperity" as a vindication of the position they took in the last Presidential campaign, that the only real issue before the country was involved in the money question. They say that the great campaign was won and lost on side issues, both the republicans and democrats having practically ignored the question of finance, which the populists made the cornerstone of their campaign. It does seem a little queer that Mr. Cleveland should have not even mentioned the tariff in saying what the extra session will be called upon to do.

Will the Sherman silver law be repealed at the extra session of Congress? President Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle assert their belief that it will be, but it is noticeable that both of them are anxious to get the opinion of every Senator and Representative they meet, on the subject, from which it would appear that their confidence is based more largely upon the belief that the financial disasters throughout the country will create such a strong public sentiment against the law as to compel its repeal than upon pledges of individual Senators and Representatives to vote for its repeal. If everybody regarded as they do, the Sherman law as the principal cause for the present financial stringency there would be good ground for their confidence, as no one would wish to retain a law upon the Statute books that is daily bringing ruin to hundreds. But that is just where the doubt comes in, everybody does not regard the law as the cause of all, or even a small portion of the trouble. Senator Manderson, of Nebraska, seems to be one of those not disposed

to make a popular bugaboo of the Sherman law. He says of the general financial situation: "We are more frightened than hurt, and there is not the foundation for as much alarm as is felt," and of the Sherman law in particular, "the Sherman law cannot be repealed by the next Congress unless the free coinage of silver in some form be substituted therefor. They may put more silver in the dollar, but I am certain that free coinage will be insisted upon as a condition to the repeal of the Sherman law and that it will be impossible to repeal it unless that condition be agreed to."

**A Cook Book Free.**

"Table and Kitchen" is the title of a new cook book published by the Price Baking Powder Company, Chicago. Just at this time it will be sent free if you write a postal mentioning the West Side. This book has been tried by ourselves and is one of the very best of its kind. Besides containing over 400 receipts for all kinds of pastry and home cooking, there are many hints for the table and kitchen, showing how to set a table, how to enter a dining room, etc.; a hundred and one hints in every branch of the culinary art. Cookery of the very finest and richest as well as of the most economical and home like, is provided for. Remember "Table and Kitchen" will be sent, postage prepaid, to any lady sending her address (name, town and State) plainly given. A copy in German or Scandinavian will be sent if desired. Postal card is as good as a letter. Address Price Baking Powder Co., Chicago, Ill.

Twenty walnut trees standing near Goshen, Ind., were recently sold to a lumber syndicate for \$4000. A transaction of this kind excuses the wildest vagaries of the forestry enthusiast who pleads not only with the "woodman" to spare the trees, but to the agriculturist to plant and protect them from vandalism.

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Give him a trial and you will be convinced that his work is first-class. His Prices are very reasonable.

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Independence Oregon

**DISSOLUTION NOTICE.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between W. M. Sterling and C. A. Knott, in the meat business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, W. M. Sterling retiring and C. A. Knott continuing the business. All accounts due the late firm are to be paid to C. A. Knott, who will pay all debts of same. W. M. Sterling, C. A. Knott, Independence, Or., June 9, 1893.

**WANTED.**

WANTED—Persons wanting good employment as canvassing agents apply to me. I am a general agent of a first-class householding and have the best and most popular books, and can give employment to all who want to make money. No expense or outfit is required, except the prospectus fee. I can be seen at the West Side office. F. A. CHENAVETH.

WANTED—Subscribers to this paper to settle all arrearages by January 1, 1893.

WANTED—A good fire wood by Geo. E. Barry Independence.

WANTED—Subscribers to examine the date after their names on this paper and see that they are not in arrears.

WANTED—Merchants and others to order letterheads, statements, bills, and all their job work at the West Side office. First class work and low prices.

ROOMS TO RENT—Two commodious furnished upstairs rooms, in residence of this paper, will be rented, with or without board, to two or more young gentlemen. For further particulars apply at West Side office.

**FOR SALE.**

FOR SALE—Old papers, suitable for planting cards or under carpets, for only a half of a cent each, at this office.

FOR SALE—Specie in this column to advertise at two cents a word first insertion, four cents a month.

**FOR RENT.**

FOR RENT—An office room adjoining the West Side office on Main street, also a bedroom and kitchen adjoining. Rent \$6 a month. The office room is 12x16, glass front, and doors, fourteen feet ceiling, (modernly papered); bedroom adjoining, 10x12 with built-in bedstead, also into bathroom. Rent is \$12.25, with small wood shed adjoining, has city water, sewer and entrance from street, separate. Premises are in good order. Apply at West Side office.

Proposals for Wood.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed bids will be received by J. D. Irvine, school clerk of district No. 20, at Independence, for the furnishing of one hundred cords of good red fir wood, four feet long, delivered and stacked in the schoolhouse grounds not later than Sept. 1st, 1893. Bids will be opened June 17, at 7:30 p. m. The right reserved to reject any and all bids. Address: J. D. IRVINE, Independence, Or.

**Make No Mistake**

If you decide from what you have heard of the cure of Hood's Sarsaparilla, that you will take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy something else which may be claimed to be "about the same" or "just as good." Remember that the sole reason for efforts to get you to purchase some substitute is that more profit may be made. Firmly resist all inducements and insist upon having just what you called for, Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then you will get the experimenting with a new article, for Hood's Sarsaparilla is

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**We Are All Taking It.**

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**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Sold by druggists. \$1.45 for \$3. Prepared only by C. J. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.  
**150 Doses One Dollar**

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Exclusive territory and liberal commissions given to the right parties. Ladies or gentlemen who mean business can make more money selling this work than with any book ever before published. Agents now at work are doing a splendid business and their reports show that many of them are making from \$5 to \$15 per day, and in several cases we know they made \$20 in a single day. Apply at once for particulars, or better still, send \$1.00 for complete copy, containing outfit, which will be sent prepaid. F. A. CHENAVETH, Salem, Ore.

**Second ANNUAL SPRING MEETING**

**Oregon Breeding**

**Speed Ass'n.**

To be held at

**SALEM FAIR GROUNDS**  
on  
**JULY 4, 5, 6, AND 7TH,**

**Prizes \$3,500.00**

Trotting, pacing, and running contests. Admission, gentlemen 50c. Ladies 25c. Children over 12 years 25c. Grand stand 25c.

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**Sixty Town Lots**

Near the Normal School building will be sold, in quantities to suit. Also

**Four lots on Main St.**

With two dwellings thereon, located

**South of the Normal school**

Sale will commence at 10 a. m. of

**Monday, June 19th**

And continue from day to day until all property is sold.

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Hauling of all kinds Done at Reasonable Rates.

Agents for the O. P. Boats.

All bills must be settled by the 10th of each month.

**Independence, Oregon.**

**AUCTION SALE**

**Real-Estate**

**MONDAY, JUNE 19th, 1893**

By virtue of a decree out of the county court of the State of Oregon, dated December 27, 1892, I will sell to the highest bidder, for one third cash, one third due in one year, and balance in two years, with interest at 8 per cent per annum.

**169 acres of land**

Adjoining the town of Monmouth, in

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With avenues leading to each tract. All so about

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**- First Class in Every Respect -**

Board by day, week, or month. Nice clean rooms and courteous treatment.

**Independence Stables.**

**Stylish Turnouts Always in Readiness.**

Having lately purchased the entire interest in the stables of J. N. Jones, we are now better prepared than ever to meet the demands of the public as we are now making and are preparing to make many substantial improvements. Teams boarded by the day or month. Traveling men a specialty.

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**PETER COOK Prop.**

**W. M. STERLING CHAS. A. KNOTT**

**Sterling & Knott**

**The Butchers**

411 C street, Independence, Or.

The choicest of fresh and salt meats of all kinds are kept constantly on hand. Also sausage of all kinds. Free delivery to any part of the city. Highest cash price paid for fat stock.

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The Best Business Corner Lot in Monmouth, Oregon

Also three large Lots at Junction of Railroad & Motor in Monmouth

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All work warranted.

**Wood-work Done to Order**

Wagons Repainted by Scott, the Painter.

Give us a Call.

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Well improved farm of 251 acres, more or less, two miles north of Independence, on the Salem road, for sale cheap. Terms—part on time to suit purchaser. For further particulars enquire of M. A. Dies, Independence, Or.

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That Shelley, Alexander & Co. fill prescriptions at all hours of the day or night and have an experienced pharmacist.

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**Silver Wyandottes, Brown Leghorns. Thoroughbred Light Brahmas, Bard Plymouth Rocks,**

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