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BIDS FOR 2,000 CORDS—or any part of same—of first growth, GREEN FIR WOOD, to be delivered during 1898.
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Bids will be opened March 1, 1898.
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Yet the lowest prices are not alone the cause of our immense business.

WE AIM Primarily to gain the good will of each customer. There is one thing you can be absolutely sure of if you buy your Groceries from us—that is SATISFACTION.

We won't sell you poor goods, for we don't handle them.

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Unparalleled Bargains at the Oregon City Auction House.

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A Portland merchant retiring from business sacrificed a lot of fine genuine Nottingham Lace Curtains and Portieres. I bought them, and for SPOT CASH, too, and so will give the general public the benefit of the sacrifice.
 Call early for choice patterns.

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is food edible, healthy, and pure. It's a proverbial fact that our Groceries have all the necessary qualities to place them at the top notch of reliability. Our customers are our friends; we have made them so by giving them high grade Groceries. To get a higher class of Teas, Coffees, Spices, and table delicacies anywhere inside or outside of Oregon City is impossible. Our prices are low enough to keep your supply in the pantry, kitchen, and table well stocked without straining your pocketbook.

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There are no companies better, few so good, as the

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All of them. TIME TRIED and FIRE TESTED.
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Local and Personal.

The best laundry starch, at Harris' grocery.

Plant onion sets now. Large stock at Harris' grocery.

Chas. Moores went up to Salem Tuesday, returning today.

Large supply of garden seeds and grass seeds at Harris' grocery.

Geo. McBride was visiting Oregon City friends over Sunday.

The best dairy or creamery butter, at Harris' grocery, 50 cents per roll.

Mrs. Sheppard, of Barlow, was visiting relatives in this city this week.

Go to Harris' grocery for Schilling's best tea, spices and extracts.

Piano Wanted—For rent or purchase. Apply at Salvation Army Barracks.

Mrs. Thos. Miller was in Portland a few days last week visiting relatives.

Only high grade sewing machines for \$25 at Bellomy & Busch's, on easy terms.

C. Zeigler, of the Barlow country, was in Oregon City Tuesday on a business trip.

F. S. Kelly, of Portland, was in Oregon City Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Geo. Hedges is home from the Okanogan mining country, after an absence of several years.

Last year's patterns of wall paper at reduced prices on 5c and 10c counters at Bellomy & Busch's.

For trade—Four lots, with good horse and barn, in Canby for Oregon City property. This office.

Mrs. Thos Campbell and daughters will leave Thursday for Portland, where they will hereafter reside.

C. F. Hennings, the Seventh street baker, is prepared to furnish all kinds of cakes, pies, etc., at short notice.

Mrs. J. N. Graham, of Portland, spent Saturday and Sunday in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Glasspool.

Howard Brownell came home from Forest Grove Saturday for a short visit with his parents. He returned again on Monday.

Ernest Wiggins, who has been visiting his brother, W. B. Wiggins, has gone to Salem, where he has accepted a position.

Miss Lucy Stanton, who has been visiting Miss Ino Harding for several weeks, returned to her home in Roseburg Monday morning.

Home-made bread, cakes and pies can be ordered from Joseph Egle, the baker, back of Shively's theatre. All orders will receive prompt attention.

Miss O. Goldsmith will receive nine mourning cases of the latest novelties in millinery direct from New York. Watch for opening announcement.

Paul Mienig and Welch were in from Sandy on Monday. Mr. Welch is arranging to try his luck in Alaska. The people of Sandy will have public speaking and a dance on Saturday evening.

Party having bicycle combination coupons from packages.

SODA MINT GUM
 can have choice of wheels without delay. Inquire particulars at C. G. Huntley's Drug Store.

H. J. Miller, a hop grower of Aurora, has purchased the J. F. Stebbins' lot of 32 bales of hops for 5 cents, the 32-bale lot of Chas. Keil for 6 cents and the 58-bale lot of M. Muegg for 6 cents per pound. The lots are all of fair grade.

The Bee Hive store will close about the 22nd and the stock moved away. It is to be regretted that the managers of this store found it necessary to make a change in location, as such men are a credit to our city. The store room will be occupied by Yakeda and M. Michaels will move to the room now occupied by Yakeda.

Superintendent McAdam has made arrangements with President Chapman, of the University of Oregon; President Hawley, of Willamette University, and President Campbell, of the State Normal school, for the delivery of lectures before the high school classes in the near future. President Hawley will lecture on "American History." The subjects of the other lectures have not been announced.

Rev. C. F. Miller, the singing evangelist, will conduct the revival meetings that are to begin in this Methodist church next Sunday morning. Next to Mr. Sankey, Mr. Miller is perhaps the most powerful gospel singer in this country. His power to move people to a nobler living is simply marvelous. The members of the Methodist church and Christian people in general are praying for and expecting great results from these meetings. At present Mr. Miller is engaged in union revival meetings at Seattle, Wash.

The Tramp Nuisance.
 The tramp nuisance has broken out again. Monday morning five were arrested for being drunk. When Officer Burns started to make the arrest three of them attacked him, but were promptly laid out with well-directed blows. Three who were arrested Saturday were sentenced to five days each on the streets. The other five received 25 days each at hard labor.

In the suburbs the people are in constant fear of tramps. In Canemah, the other evening, Miss Jacobs, who is the guest of Mrs. Ed Fielis, went for a walk, and saw a tramp hid behind a

rose bush, just outside the house. She paid no attention to him until she procured a revolver. She then ordered him away; but not being satisfied with his movements, took a couple of shots at him, which started him at a breakneck pace over the fence, where he was met by his partner. It was afterward learned that the tramps had been hanging around the house all the evening.

Roland School Report.

Following is the report for six months ending March 11: Days taught, 20; average number belonging, 37; average daily attendance, 35; times tardy, 8; number of visitor, 49.

Roll of honor—Maude and Nellie Stone, George, Louis, Dora and Mary Murdock, George Heinbothen, Cassie, Ora and Fred Wilcox, Gilmore and Earl Belymer, Harry and Willie Hubert, John, Martha, Charles and Rosa Stebritz, Ralph and Annie Richardson.

Roll of honor, first three months—Cassie Wilcox, Minnie Evans, Louis, Dora and Mary Murdock.

Roll of honor, second and third months—Fred and Cassie Wilcox, Martha and Rosa Stebritz, George, Louis, Dora and Mary Murdock.

Roll of honor, entire six months—Louis, Dora and Mary Murdock, Cassie Wilcox.

School closed March 11. Average daily attendance during the six months, 34; total number of visitors, 79.

CHAS. RUTHERFORD, Teacher.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Dixon:
 Rose Lipp and J. L. Keeler on the 14th.

BORN.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. George V. Ely, on the 14th inst., a daughter.

DIED.

WRIGHT.—In this city, on Sunday, the 13th inst., Claude W. William, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wright, aged 7 months and 10 days.

The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction. The funeral services were held at the family residence Monday afternoon; conducted by Rev. Dr. Williams, of St. Paul's church, and the little form was laid away in the city cemetery.

As tender mothers, guiding baby steps, when placed tonic at which the tiny feet would trip, lift up the little ones in arms of love, and set them down beyond all harm.

So did our Father watch the precious boy Led o'er the stones by me, who stumbled off.

Myself, but strove to help my darling on. He saw the sweet limbs faltering, and saw

Rough ways before us where my arms would fail,

So reached from heaven, and lifting the dear child,

Who smiled on leaving me, He put him down

Beyond all hurt—beyond my sight,—and bade

Him wait for us. Shall I not then be glad, And thanking God, press on to overtake?

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends who so kindly assisted us during the illness and death of our little son.

MR. AND MRS. WM. WRIGHT.

Mrs. Margaret Bayle, an aged lady formerly from Willhoit, but for two years a resident of this place, died February 26, at 9 o'clock p. m. She had been afflicted with jaundice for some time. Her remains were taken by friends to her home in Clackamas county for interment. —Albany Herald.

The poorest girls are those not taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them, and they are taught to despise labor and to depend on others for a living and are perfectly helpless. The most forlorn woman belongs to this class. It is the duty of parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition.

CARROTS AND PARSNIPS.

For sale cheap for feed for horses and cows, delivered at the house. Call up telephone No. 24, Maple Wood farm, F. K. Andrews.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents.
 Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. All druggists.

A SNAP Another idiot going to Klondike, and must sell GLADSTONE property at once. Apply to Will L. Miller.

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City Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that there are sufficient funds on hand in the general fund of Oregon City to pay all outstanding warrants endorsed prior to May 2, 1895. Interest cease with the date of this notice.

H. E. STRAIGHT,
 City Treasurer.

Oregon City, Oregon, Feb. 23, 1895.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
 To quit tobacco easily and forever, be sure get full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or 75c. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

TWO ACCIDENTS.

The Bonney Boys Badly Bruised—Buz Saw and Electric Car.

On Saturday, at the Redland sawmill, Ira Bonney was working around the saw when a piece of plank about four feet long was caught by the saw and thrown, striking Mr. Bonney in the face, breaking his nose and fracturing his skull. He was taken to the Gladstone hospital, and is improving slowly.

William Bonney started to Oregon City on horseback for a doctor, when he turned the corner of 14th street, at Freytag's grocery store, he was struck by the Gladstone electric car, miraculously escaping with only a few severe cuts and bruises. The car was running at an excessive rate of speed, and it is claimed alarm was given. The time schedule of the electric line is such that the motormen are compelled to run fast through town in order to make connections.

School Election.
 The election of a school director and a clerk on Monday excited little interest compared with former years. In 1897 there was no contest, Chas. H. Canfield being the only nominee. In 1898 there were 700 votes cast while this year there were only 330 cast, as follows:

Town Ward	Hill Ward	Total
Franklin T. Griffith	22	94
E. E. Charman	91	119
Majority for E. E. Charman		90

For Clerk Mrs. M. McCown was elected without opposition.

The judges of election for the down town ward were Harley Stevens, G. H. Whisart and T. L. Charman and for the hill ward, Fred Ely, D. H. Glass and J. A. Thayer.

A meeting of the school board was held Tuesday evening, the vote canvassed and E. E. Charman and Mrs. M. McCown declared duly elected. Dr. Norris is the retiring member of the board, Dr. Carll will be chairman during the present school year.

VIOLA.
 Miss Minnie Walker, who will teach school at lower Logan the spring term, is visiting friends in Portland.

The friends of Mrs. Sevier gave her a surprise birthday dinner on Tuesday.

Arthur Mattoon has renewed for two years the lease on the farm where he lives.

Messrs. Trinjking and Fickens, from the East, have been visiting J. Gerber. They intend locating here and are looking for places.

The Redland school closed Friday with literary exercises. M. Rutherford proved to be an excellent teacher. He will teach the spring term at Mink.

LOST.
 On Saturday, February 23th, a black three-quarter Holstein cow; white under belly and legs. Was raised near Colton. Liberal reward. J. E. HEDGES.

There are over \$5,000,000 on deposit in the First National Bank of Portland.

New Colors in Stamps.
 In order to be in fashion with other countries, Uncle Sam is changing the color of his stamps. It has been found convenient in international postal circles to have stamps of the same denomination possess the same color. As lately announced the one-cent stamp is now green instead of blue, and the post office have just received notice that there will be a change of color from brown to dark blue in the five-cent denomination also.

Real Estate Transfers.
 [The Clackamas Abstract & Trust Co. which furnishes this report, is the owner of the copyright to the Thorne system of abstract indexes for Clackamas county, and has the only complete set of abstracts in the county; can furnish information as to title to land at once on application. Loans, investments, real estate, abstracts etc. Office over Bank of Oregon City.]

F. E. McIntyre to G. Vosberg, 1/2 56 Pruneland, 100

T. L. Charman to H. E. Warner, 1/4, blk 5, Wesleyan, 250

J. S. Crookshanks, 1/2 a, sec 1, 2 s, 2 e, 100

J. C. Hostetler to N. Perdue, 1 acre sec 7, 5 s, 1 e, 100

M. A. Brown to A. W. Brown, 1/2 of Rowler ctm, 75

M. R. and E. M. Brown to A. W. Brown, 1/2 of Rowler ctm, 3 s, 3 e, 1

A. K. Jackson to A. Hirsch, Ann Jackson ctm, 150

I. G. Rambo to M. G. and J. Walker, 1/2 blk "C," Canemah, 75

J. Long (by sheriff) to J. J. Long, nw 1/4, sec 28, 5 s, 1 e, 18

S. and M. McKinzie to J. Weber, 5 acres, sec 5, 2 s, 2 e, 500

C. McMonies et al (by sheriff) to C. Wittenberg, 40 acres in ctm No 37, 3 s, 1 e, 1

M. S. B. and W. B. Lawton to L. Finigan, 5.44 acres in Hodges ctm, 1

S. and S. Mearns to J. A. and M. A. Cox, 1/2, 10, 11 and 12, blk 13, Canby, 150

F. Rutgers to W. Grisenthwaite, tract in sec 23, 3 s, 2 e, 1

Geo. Shank to M. C. Shank, nw 1/4, sec 26, 6 s, 2 e, 300

W. and M. Grisenthwaite to E. Rutgers, tract in sec 23, 3 s, 2 e, 1

T. and M. Daniels to E. Rutgers, tract, 95 acres, sec 26, 3 s, 2 e, 1

Clackamas County to M. J. Gallagher, 1/2 of ne 1/4 and ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, sec 12, 5 s, 2 e, 200

J. and M. McKenzie to J. Schmidt, 5.25 acres, sec 12, 6 s, 2 e, 500

J. Rauch to H. Huitars, 16 acres, sec 26, 3 s, 1 e, 480

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

The republican convention for the county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, is hereby called to meet in Weinhard's hall Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, April 8th, at the hour of 9 a. m., for the purpose of electing 15 delegates to the republican state convention, to be held in Astoria, April 14, 1898, and 15 delegates to the congressional convention of the first district to be held in Eugene, April 11, 1898, for the nomination of a state senator, three representatives, county judge, county commissioner, sheriff, clerk, recorder, assessor, treasurer, surveyor, school superintendent, coroner and justices of the peace and constables in the several districts.

The convention shall consist of 145 delegates apportioned to the several precincts as follows; said apportionment being based on one delegate at large for each precinct and one delegate for every 25 votes and major fraction of 25 votes, cast for the republican presidential electors at the election held on November 3, 1896.

The primaries for the election of delegates to said convention will be held in the several precincts at the usual voting places, on April 2, at the following hours:

Precinct	No.	Hour.
Abernethy	6	2
Barlow	2	1 to 2
Beaver Creek	4	2
Borings	3	2
Canby	6	2
Canemah	4	4 to 8
Canyon Creek	2	2 to 3
Canfield	5	2
Cherryville	2	2
Clackamas	5	2 to 4:30
Damascus	4	2
Eagle Creek	3	2
Garfield	2	2
George	3	2
Hardings	4	2
Highland	3	2
Lower Molalla	2	2
Upper Molalla	3	2
Maple Lane	3	1
Milk Creek	3	2
Marquand	5	2 to 4
Milwaukie	6	2 to 4
Needy	5	2 to 6
New Era	4	2 to 4
Oregon City No. 1	10	2 to 7
Oregon City No. 2	12	2 to 7
Oregon City No. 3	4	2 to 7
Oregon City	7	2 to 7
Pleasant Hill	2	2
Sover	2	2
Soda Springs	2	2
Springwater	2	2
Tualatin	3	2 to 4
Union	2	2
West Oregon City	7	4 to 7:30

The judges and clerks of said primary election shall be appointed by the committee of the respective precincts.

A copy of the credentials of delegates elected to the county convention shall be forwarded to the secretary of the county central committee in time to have the same filed before the hour of 8 a. m., April 6, 1898.

Each precinct shall be represented in the county convention by duly elected delegates in person, or by residents of the same precinct holding proxies of said delegates and not otherwise.

By order of the county central committee made at a regularly called meeting held on March 5, 1898.

S. M. RAMSBY,
 Chairman Central Com.

TROS. F. RYAN,
 Secretary.

State Convention.

The republican convention for the state of Oregon is called to meet in Astoria, on Thursday, April 14, 1898, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for state and district offices, except congressmen, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention, at which convention Clackamas county will be entitled to 15 delegates.

Notice is hereby given that a mass convention of all republicans of Clackamas county, Oregon, who believe in the independent free coinage of both gold and silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, the abolition of all corporate or private banks of issue and the issue of all money by the government alone which shall be a full legal tender for all debts public and private, and a government of, for and by the people, best attained by direct legislation be and is hereby called to meet in Oregon City, Oregon, at 11 o'clock a. m., March 19, 1898, for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention to be held in Portland, Oregon, on March 23, 1898, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

WM. BARLOW,
 County Chairman.

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 Cascarets Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, act gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispel colic, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of