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CORVALLIS, OREGON SEPT. 10, 1902.

THE PRICES

New Steam Laundry Will Charge-Waiting Now for Machinery.

The work of getting the new steam laundry ready for operation is now in readiness.

abroad.

tains, 25 and up.

NEXT WEEK

People From Abroad Coming to Corvalhis-Columbia Conference.

Next week occurs the annual meeting of the Columbia conference

MOX-MOX SCALP They Brought it to Corvallis-Tale of In His Own House-Dreadful Accident Indian Wars-Captain Munson's Men. It was away back in 1855-56

Indians in Southern and Eastern Oregon. It took the settlers, not only of the affected regions, but of the Willamette valley, several months to quell the disturbances, and to reduce the Indians to conditions of peace. It is for the dangers encountered and hardships suffered, that the few living participants in those campaigns have been recently granted pensions by the federal government. It is said that of the well known company of Captain Munson, which went to

Eastern Oregon from the vicinity of Corvallis, and which originally numbered 65, only four are still living in Benton county. These are Wesley Hinton of Monroe, Dick Richardson of the same vicinity, Henry Clemens of the poor farm, and Thomas Philips of Alsea All the rest as far as can be ascertained, have gone elsewhere to re-side, or have joined the ranks of

the great majority. Many a story is told of the exis being pushed with all possible periences of Munson's men beyond dispatch. Much of the machinery the Cascades. It was the Cayuses, is already in position, but a ship- Klickitats and other tribes that ment of machines to come from were on the war path. They be-Rochester, New York, is yet to ar- gan their depredations in the early rive. After the latter is received, spring of 1855, and it was in the but a few days will be required to summer of the same year that Munbegin business, as everything else son and his men with other Willamette Valley volunteers crossed

It is supposed that everybody in the Cascades to give them battle. Corvallis is getting ready to be-come patrons of the local enter- to draw the redskins into a decis-The settlers found it impossible prise. The way to build up a town ive fight. The latter invariably reis to patronize those in it. Cal and sorted to Indian tactics, fighting Alva Thompson, promoters of the on horseback, and dashing away laundry have come from the East, as soon as the settlers came within bringing new capital that they have gunshot. On one occasion a little invested and new consumers for the band of settlers were surrounded products and merchandise of other by several hundred mounted Inlocal people, and they deserve the dians. The latter for hours rode laundry work that Corvallis has to swiftly around the handful of white bestow; much of which now goes men, discharging their weapons,

and yelling like the painted de-The prices will be the same as mons that they were. A feature those universally in vogue at steam was that they constantly kept the laundries throughout the state. Some circle in which they rode out of of them are as follows: Shirts, the range of the white men's bulplain, 10 cents; collars, $2\frac{1}{2}$: cuffs, lets. Had the settlers been armed 5 cents; socks, 5: handkerchiefs, 1; with 30-30 calibre, long range rifles neckties, 5; shirt waists. 15 and up; of the present make, the circle stockings, 5; aprons, 5 and up; would have been speedily enlarged table cloths, 5 to 25; napkins, 2; or many a Siwash would have gone towels, 2 and up; sheets, 2 and up; to the happy hunting grounds. pillow slips, 2 and up; counterpanes Marsh Simpson of Elk City, was 10 to 25; blankets, 20 to 50: cur- among those who participated in this fight.

The chief of the hostiles in the Eastern Oregon country was P P throughout from first to last aet. Mox-Mox, aud for a long time after peace was declared, his scalp ment is under considerable expense was exhibited in Corvallis. I N for a production of this kind there

Smith, quartermaster, kept the will be no advance in prices. Seats grewsome trophy for a long time, are now on sale at the usual place. and many a C orvallisite remembers of the M E church, South. The to have looked at it. The scalp was from the top of Mox-Mox head, and was as large as the bottom of an ordinary tin cup. Attached to it was a long, be among the distinguished preach- flowing lock of jet black hair, coarse and heavy, and perhaps eighteen inches in length. Mox-Home Missionary society of the Mox was killed by a blow over his head with a rifle, dealt by Samuel The conference comprises all the Warfield, father of Sam Warfield, of Alsea, now deceased, but then a a volunteer from Linn county. Mox Mox was killed near Walla Walla, where Munson's men and many other of the Valley companies operated most of the time.

NOW IN ASHES

BURNED TO DEATH

in Western Benton.

toon ranch near town.

covered.

ing the origin of the fire.

Mattoon was subject to asthma,

and when suffering with it was ac-

various kinds of leaves. One the-

overturning of a lamp the fire was

started. This view is strengthened

under the victim's neck when dis-

to epilepsy, and it is thought possi-

may have occurred from this cause.

The deceased was aged about 40,

and formerly resided in Corvallis,

where he learned telegraphy. Sev-

eral years ago while station agent

burned about the face while the

The King of the Opium Ring.

The big Blayney attraction.

The King of the Opium Ring,'

that comes to us for one night,

Saturday, September 13th, is said

climaxes, romantic adventures and

thrilling situations and shows the

operations of a great band of opium

smugglers who at the time of the

play, hold full sway in San Fran-

cisco. To give the play the pro-

per setting, Manager Haswell has

had numerous special scenes paint-

ed, mechanical effects constructed

and costumes puorhased so that

the whole production is finished

Despite the fact that the manage-

He was an Odd Fellow, and the

depot building was on fire.

with the above facts.

Ben Woldt's Saloon and the Adjoining Blacksmith Shop-But Little Saved.

The saloon of Ben Woldt's at the L. M. Mattoon, storekeeper and corner of Jefferson and Water former agent of the Corvallis & streets, together with the adjoining Eastern, was burned to death in building, formerly occupied as a blacksmith shop, was burned to the ground in the early hours of yesterday morning. Almost all of his own house at Summit, Benton county, yesterday morning. The house was destroyed by fire but Mattoon's body wasrescued in time the contents of the saloon were desto save it from total cremation. troyed. The estimated loss is, The fire occurred at four o'clock in the morning, and it is supposed to building, \$1,200; liquors, \$2,000: have been accidental. It occurred total, \$3,200. Insurance, building while Mattoon was alone in the in Underwriters of New York, M house, his wife and son being for Jacobs, local agent, \$750; of which \$600 was on the saloon building, the night at the house on the Matand \$150 on the blacksmith shop; contents, in the Continental, E R There are several theories respect-Mr.

Bryson, agent, \$750. The fire was first discovered about two o'clock in the morning. In Mr Woldt's residence, located customed to inhale the smoke from but a few yards south of the saloon the flames, while but a small ory is that he was thus engaged blaze were first discovered rising during the night, and that by the in the southwest corner of the blacksmith shop. This is the statement of Mr Woldt and others. by the fact that a broken lamp was Still others who were early on the scene allege that the main fire was in the western portion of the saloon Another theory is that the fire The buildings were entirely of was from other accidental cause. Mr. Mattoou was formerly subject wood, and the flames spread with great rapidity, soon involving both. An attempt was made to get ble that the overturning of the lamp cut the stock, but the spread of flames was so rapid that only a few dozen of bottled liquors and a quantity of cigars were removed. In response to the alarm, the in Washington, he was severely fire department appeared quickly on the scene, but was too late to save the buildings. Flames at the

moment of arrival were leaping in fraternity will have charge of the a solid column a hundred feet into funeral, which will probably take the air, lighting up the southern place in Albany today. An inquest was held by Justice Underhill, and effectively that on most second a verdict returned in accordance floors it was light enough to read a newspaper.

A fortunate feature was that there was no wind. Up to nine or to o'clock the preceding evening a stiff wind had been blowing from the north. Had it continued, it is probable that the whole block would have been laid in ashes. As it was to be Blayney's best spectacular the Woldt dwelling was only saved melodrama. It is full of startling by the strenuous efforts and effective work of the firemen.

No certain origin can be assigned The general supposition is that it was incendiary. The blacksmith shop in which the flames first appeared, had not been occupied for about a year. The doors to the building were securely locked, and entrance could only have been effected with difficulty.

THE TRACY POOL

itiative and Referendum. At last there has been a settlement of the question of who is to have the pot, in the pools sold in Corvallis on the capture of Tracy, when the outlaw was at large. It so happened, it may be remembered that one man held tickets for the killing or capture to occur on the first five days in August, while the tickets of another were a mortgage on all time thereafter. It also happened that Tracy shot himself on the 5th, and that his body was found on the 6th. Some of the 20, persons in the pool held that the finding of the body was the act necessary to constitute title to the pot, while others that the killing settled the business. The question was exhaustively considered and ably argued from both standpoints. The immortality of the soul was never discussed with greater scrutiny and finesse than were the fine points involved in in this question about the pool pot. The debate was on for about a month, and like a Baptist and a Presbyterian arguing over baptism, or a man and his wife debating the question of which could best govern the children, the more they argued, the wider apart they got. The usual upshot of the churchmen over creed, and family heads over children, is that the argument ends in silence, with arguers back to back, and set faces looking in opposite directions, and as the days flew by it became evident that a similar crisis was in store for the ticket holders. It was then that the referee had a happy thought. He conjured up the initiative and referendum as a means of settling the question. Fri-For more than a dozen years Dr C W day night, after a popular vote by ballot gave the pot, by a vote of nine to six to the man who held tickets for the capture to take place on the first five days in August.



The arrival for the past two weeks has placed in our store one of the largest and best selected stock of merchandise we have ever had, comprising all the late novelties in dress goods, silks, trimmings ribbons, etc. In shoes you have the largest and best selected stock in the city to choose from. Our aim is to carry everything to be found in an up-to-date dry goods store. Prices to please

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sessions will begin Thursday and will be held in the local church of that denomination. Bishop W W Duncan, of South Carolina, will ers in attendence. Beginning Wednesday of next week the Woman's same conference will be in session. territory between Oregon City and Medford, westward to the Coast, and the attendants will be people from all parts of the section, as well as representative churchmen denomination from elseof the where.

Strayed or Stolen

Eeight head of cattle:-One large wide horn white, 4 years old, milk cow with bell on; one white 3 year old white milk cow; one black 3-year milk cow with bell; one black steer calf; one roan steer calf; one white and red specklek heifer calf; one roan bull; one red 2-year old heifer. All branded "V" on right hlp. Crop and under bit in right ear. A suitable reward for the recovery of same. MRS N. H. VINEVARD.

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby given that about the 1st day of August last, a three year old gelding, 16 hands high weighing about 1250, being a mouse colored brown with a star in the forehead left the Vineyard pasture about four miles N W from Corvallis. Reasanable reward will be paid for the return of said colt or information as to its whereabouts.

SPENCER BICKNLLL, Owner, Corvallis, Ore.

To Let.

Fifty good Ewes, L N Edwards, Dusty Ore,

Colbert & Gregory Manfy. Co. Sash, doors, moldings, furniture and eneral finished lumber. South Main St. Corvallis Ore.

To Rent.

To College students 5 furnished reoms. Enquire at Hemphill's harness shop.

The names of the men who went out of Benton in Munson's company are:-L B Munson, captain: Smith Snard, 1st lieut; Chas Hand, 2nd lieut; Sidi H Bernard, 1st sargeant; Elt Summers, 2nd sergeant; W O Kendall, 3rd sergeant; W

Kelly, 4th sergeant; Albert G Loyd, 1st corporal; W H Tencher, 2nd corporalt Jos L. Evans, 3rd corporal; Newton J. Ward, 4th coporal. Privates,-JE Pottenham, S Wishard, H H Howard, A R Browns' Wm Bohannon, Wm Bronse Andrew Emerick, Albert Igo, Emerson Rednons; L. T Garrison, Chas Garrison, Geo Elliott, Jas

Cherry, J P Philips. S S Hagman, U Turnage, Henry Clemens, Henry Wilmer, Wm Nickson, John Smith, Geo Landering, Alexander Brown, Aaron Hamlin, Reason Hamlin, Jno A Vanbil er, Wm P Ciow, J W McIntire, David White, Geo Hunter, J W Hinton, A Lavander, T B Richardson, A Johnson, W H Robert, John Clark, Henry Baterman, Jas Howell, Wm C Mawl, Henry Brown, Leonard B Vichards, Wm S Buckley, Roet F Raines, W Mc Donald, Wellis Northcott, A J Williamson, Henry Williams Ino King, J E Barclay, Wesley Hinton Wm Montgomery, R C Richardson

John Brick, Wm Gilliam, Geo Stout, Moses Noble, Mitchell Ingraham, Wm McKellnm, R P Willis, Geo Wells, Marion Philips, T L Percel, R B Wilmont, Bennet Kennedy, Wm Andrews, Jno King Jas Beard, J L, Lilly, Edward Piper Wm James, and Linton Starr.

Sept. the 15 16, & 17 Dr Lowe the opti-tian will be in Corvallis at the Occidental Hotel. If you value your eyes see him.

Vetch seed for sale at Zierolf,s,

Go to Zierolf's for vetch seed.

Auction Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will at 10 o'clock a m on Saturday September 20th, 1902 at the residence of A R Locke, 5 miles north of Corvallis, offer for sale at public auction for cash, the following property formerly belonging to Horace Locke, towit: 1 31/2 inch Bain wagon, 1 top buggy, 2 14 inch Oliver steel plow, 1 7ft cut Plano binder, two years old, 2 sets work harness, 2 saddles, also other farming implements. 5 head horses, 5 cows, 2 yearlings, 35

head sheep, 25 head Angora goats, 1 poland China boar registered. W. M. LOCKE.

Sheep to Let

On shares, also on sale in lots to suit purchaser. Will sell on one years time with good security. Call or address. A Wilhelm.

Monroe Ore.

Fresh vetch seed at Zierolf's.

Help Wanted

At the Commercial restaurant. Apply at once.

Fresh Saratoga chips in bulk at A Hodes.

-Just received, fresh Saratoga chips. Try them at Hodes.

Lowe the well known oculo optician has the ticket holders, a count of the been coming to Corvallis. He is to be bellot gave the pot, by a vote of with us again soon.

Dog Tax Notice

I am requested by the City council to notify owners of dogs that a tax of \$1,00 on dogs and \$3.00 on sluts was due Sept. 1st and that it is their duty to report at once to city treasurer and pay this tax; taking his receipt therefor. I am ordered by the council to impou-

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nd all dogs whose tax is not paid. Respty.

A B Alexander Chief of Police

For Sale.

English rye grass seed, large cheat seed, and vetch seed, A few cords of oak wood, I am booking orders for vetch seed, speak in time. Also pure bred Aberdeed Angus cattle Poland China hogs, and Shropshire bucks from recorded stock. L. L. Brooks.

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