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BY B. F. IRVINE.

Metropolitan Paper Benton County,

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THE PRICES

New Steam Laundry Will Charge—Waiting Now for Machinery.

The work of getting the new steam laundry ready for operation is being pushed with all possible dispatch.

It is supposed that everybody in Corvallis is getting ready to become patrons of the local enterprise.

The prices will be the same as those universally in vogue at steam laundries throughout the state.

NEXT WEEK

People From Abroad Coming to Corvallis—Columbia Conference.

Next week occurs the annual meeting of the Columbia conference of the M. E. church, South.

Strayed or Stolen

Eight head of cattle:—One large wide horn white, 4 years old, milk cow with bell on.

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.

To Let.

Fifty good Ewes. L N Edwards, Dusty Ore.

Colbert & Gregory Manfy. Co. Sash, doors, moldings, furniture and general finished lumber.

To Rent.

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

MOX-MOX SCALP

They Brought it to Corvallis—Tale of Indian Wars—Captain Munson's Men.

It was away back in 1855-56 that there was a general uprising of Indians in Southern and Eastern Oregon.

Many a story is told of the experiences of Munson's men beyond the Cascades.

The chief of the hostiles in the Eastern Oregon country was P P Mox-Mox, and for a long time after peace was declared, his scalp was exhibited in Corvallis.

The names of the men who went out of Benton in Munson's company are:—L B Munson, captain; Smith Snard, 1st lieutenant; Chas Hand, 2nd lieutenant; Sidi H Bernard, 1st sergeant; Eli Summers, 2nd sergeant; W O Kendall, 3rd sergeant; W J Kelly, 4th sergeant; Albert G Loyd, 1st corporal; W H Tencher, 2nd corporal; Jos L Evans, 3rd corporal; Newton J Ward, 4th corporal.

Sept. the 15 16, & 17 Dr Lowe the optician will be in Corvallis at the Occidental Hotel.

BURNED TO DEATH

In His Own House—Dreadful Accident in Western Benton.

L. M. Mattoon, storekeeper and former agent of the Corvallis & Eastern, was burned to death in his own house at Summit, Benton county, yesterday morning.

There are several theories respecting the origin of the fire. Mr. Mattoon was subject to asthma, and when suffering with it was accustomed to inhale the smoke from various kinds of leaves.

Another theory is that the fire was from other accidental cause. Mr. Mattoon was formerly subject to epilepsy, and it is thought possible that the overturning of the lamp may have occurred from this cause.

The King of the Opium Ring.

The big Blayne attraction, "The King of the Opium Ring," that comes to us for one night, Saturday, September 13th, is said to be Blayne's best spectacular melodrama.

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, to wit:

Sheep to Let

On shares, also on sale in lots to suit purchaser. Will sell on one year terms with good security. Call or address.

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.

For more than a dozen years Dr. C W Lowe the well known oculic optician has been coming to Corvallis. He is to be 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 impose and all dogs whose tax is not paid.

Respy. A B Alexander Chief of Police Sept. 3rd 1902.

NOW IN ASHES

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

The saloon of Ben Woldt's at the corner of Jefferson and Water streets, together with the adjoining building, formerly occupied as a blacksmith shop, was burned to the ground in the early hours of yesterday morning.

The fire was first discovered about two o'clock in the morning. In Mr Woldt's residence, located but a few yards south of the saloon the flames, while but a small blaze were first discovered rising in the southwest corner of the blacksmith shop.

In response to the alarm, the fire department appeared quickly on the scene, but was too late to save the buildings.

A fortunate feature was that there was no wind. Up to nine or 10 o'clock the preceding evening a stiff wind had been blowing from the north.

THE TRACY POOL

Awarded at Last—Selected by the Initiative 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.

The question was exhaustively considered and ably argued from both standpoints.

It was then that the referee had a happy thought. He conjured up the initiative and referendum as a means of settling the question.

Friday night, after a popular vote by the ticket holders, a count of the 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.

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 Aberdeen Angus cattle Poland China hogs, and Shropshire bucks from recorded stock. L. L. Brooks.

We Are Prepared!

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.

J. H. HARRIS

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Chicken, Bouillon, Tomato, Oxtail, Vegetable, Mock Turtle.

Just what you want when not feeling good.

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The only kind with a reputation

An Ideal Health Food Junket Tablets

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Is a pure milk food. Delicious, Nutritious Digestible. For sale by

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