## Gorvallis Times．

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## MRS．STANFORD

It is amazing that human hand
should administer poison in a dead－ y dose to Mrs．Stanford．If noth
ing else should have saved，her four scoreand more of years ought tohave given her immunity from the pois－
oner＇s purpose．At best，she had but a few brief years to live．Time is swift and fate relentless with What she could have done in those few future years to make a human being begrudge them to her can－ to see the aged live in peace and plenty．In this case an unknown der of her natural life to Mrs．Stan ford，but insisted upon her remov－ to man．To make the case more heinous and more damuable，the untary exile from her own home， a refugee to escape the very dose ministration of which，a former at－ tempt had been made．In all the crimes of the century，none will for than this foul murder of a wom－ an whose philanthropy is known wherev
spoken． ken．

## THE APPROPRIATION BILL

 It is not unlikely that signatures enough will be available to secuia tion bill．Nine－tenths of the people of Oregon wanted some of the Non schools abolishe＂rster the legislature voted down－Millers thl the bils providing for even partial relief．The legis－ for even pared to tet the Normal ap propriations stand on their merits well knowing that the governor would şarely have interposed his veto．As a rebuke more perhaps， maxjority than actual objections to not be surprising if the referendum be invoked and the whole appro－ priation bill be vetoed by the people．
## COMING TO CORVALLIS，

 Lots of big Track Teams－Seattle Eugene，and Perhaps Pullmanand Berkeley．
The prospects are bright for great season tor the OAC track
team．Meets are to take place at team．Meets are to tale place at Washington and the University of are pending for a meet on the same grounds with the Pullman team． the Oregon championship last year is due to come to Corvalis this sea－
son，which if the Pullman meet goes，provides for four big meets at
Corvallis．The meet with the Un－ Corvallis．The meet with the Un－
iversity of Washington team occurs Saturday，May 20th．It will be of
extreme interest because of the high reputation of the Washing－ tonians．The U．of O．meet takes
place at Corvallis，Saturday，May 27th，and is certain to be a good
one．The manager of the Univer－ sity of California team has written Manager Stimson that if the Cal Clark Fair a dual meet will be For all these meets，OAC will have the strongest team she has ever put been building men for field and and all the athletes on the Coast know that the OAC bunch will be a mighty hard one to put down ，

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TWO DEAD SOLDIERS． And the Attention They Attracted－A Corvallis Incident．
 yers got as Their Fee form Law Her a Divorce．

## A decision just handed down b Judge Hamilton awards to a so

 Benton county farm that two So lem lawyers got as a fee for a dvorce they secured for the boy mother from his father．The cas
was tried at the November term the circuit court，and by reason the outcome，as well as the unusual
character of the facts，is extremely The plaintiff in the case wa
James Hamilton，of Salem，age 21 years．The farm which he wo
back by the lawsuit，is a part of the
Beleher donation claim near Belcher donation claim near the
Jesser place，and occupied by
Elmer Dinges． Elmer Dinges．The young man＇s died in March，19oi，and his father
was John Hamilton．The complaint alleged that in December， 190 W．H．HAlmes and Webster
Holmes as attorneys to take charg of her suit for divorce against herhus
band John Hamilton．The divorce suit provided for a proper busines
settlement between Mr．and Mrs． Hamilton，and in January，1901，
decree of divorce was granted decree of divorce was granted
The Benton county farm which in the complaint at $\$ 2,000$ ，was th wife＇s portion of the communit
property as provided for in the d vorce decree．The farm，on the day the divorce was granted，A
na Hamilton conveyed by deed na Hamiton conveyed by deed to
Webster Holmes，as trustee，the
consideration being $\$ 500$ ．At tha consideration being $\$ 500$ ．At that
time James Hamilton，was but is
years of age．Three months later， years of age．Three months later，
the mother died at Denver，Colo－ In the present suit，James Ham－
ilton alleged in his complaint that ince attaining his majority，he ha made demand on W．H．Holme
and Webster Holmes for return o and Webster Holmes for return o
the farm to him：but this they re fused to do，claiming that the farm
was fee they received for conduct－ was fee they received for conduct－
ing the divorce case for Anna Ham－ iton．Hamilton alleged that $\$ 25^{\circ}$ for legal service in the divorce cas and that he was willing that W．
H．Holmes and Webster Holme should be allowed that amount He asked the court to give him
proper deed to the Benton farm free of the mortgage of $\$ 700$ which had been put on the place since
was deeded to Webster Holmes．A copy of the deed by which the moth ster Holmes appeared in the com－
The decision of Judge Hamilton inds on every point for the boy．It
orders the farm restored to him， and gives Webster Holmes 30 days in which to free the place from the mortgage of $\$ 700$ ，It provides
that the sum of $\$ 250$ shall be paid the Holmes for their services in se－ curing the mother＇s divorce，and
orders them to pay the costs and orders them to pay the costs an
bisbursements of the present law

Remember this is the last week for Nolan \＆Callahan＇s renna and rummage sale．

## Wanted． <br> Setting hens．Call on or address Bowen Lester，Corvallis，

THE JUDGE＇S MACHINE．
e Type Writes His Letters Now－ That is，When the Public Doesn＇t Interfere．
Police Judge Greffoz has bough a new typewriter and is learning to
use it．The public takes an inter－ use it．The public takes an inter－
est in his progress，and keeps him much confused．He was in the
midst of writing a beautiful sen－ tence the other day when a friend nocked it all out by remarking that writing at such a speed might
set the machine afire．Later，he got his thoughts collected and was in a fair way to finish the eloquent
sentence when a lady stopped to sentence when a lady stopped to
say that a bicycle rider bad knock－ say that a bicycle rider bad knock－
ed her son off the sidewalk，and hat the man ought to be arrested，
hough she didn＇t know his name By this time he was so flustered that his fingers persisted in hitting two keys of the machine at a time
and that angered him so his and that angered him so his
thoughts wouldn＇t operate．Then， two small boys dropped in，watehed operations a minute，and loo
one another and grinned． larger one pointed his forefinger at his own forehead and then chuck－
ed his thumb in the direction ot the
judge just as the latter looked up． judge，just as the latter looked up．
＂Get out of here＂shouted the judge，and the＂kids＂got．In
twenty minutes，it wasestimated by the judge，that he managed to seven or eight words to his
letter，and they figured that the epistle might be completed，at the same rate in about a week．His
new machine is a Remington，and ine climax came when a man came
in after watching operations for a minute，remarked that a Rem－ ington machine was not worth a
whoop anyway．Why didn＇t he buy some other machine．Then His Honor lost patience．Barring
the fact that he is a Godly man，he would have sworn in great wrath；
for he kicked savagely at his fav－ rite dog as it passed andstared the machine was covered and laid
aside with a bang．

BURIED THURSDAY．
Mrs．Peters，a Pioneer of Lobster Valley Passed Away Last Tues－ day at Alsea．
Mrs．Peters who had been a
esident of Lobster valley many years，died Tuesday last，February er son－ine home of Uriah Wren， ago while on a visit to the Wren home she became seriously il from
heart affection and was not there－ after able to return to her own
home．The burial occurred at the Lobster cemetery which is on the eters homestead．
Deceased was the wife of J．R． in Lobster many years ago．They were among the first who took up omesteads in that locality，and were among those who from the
ime of settlement have fought a railroad claim to their larid，having secured title within the recent past． Mrs．Peter＇s age was 68 years，
Missouri is her native state．She Missouri is her native state．She
leaves a large family of grown－up eaves a large family of grown－up having passed away

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A 3 －inch Bain wagon，nearly as good Aew some other farming
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per acre．Small cash payment and easy
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Mill Feed Prices， Feed can be had at the following prices at either the Corvallis or Benton
flouring mills：Cracked corn per bush－ Aouring mills：Cracked corn per bush－
， 80 cents or 1.40 per 100 pounds；roll
din ed barley，x，io per per sack；chop bar sual prices．

The Corvallis Flouring Mills． Eggs for Hatching． Entered 7 birds at Corvallis show and
won 3 firste，$I$ secoud and 3 third prizes won 3 firsts， 1 second and 3 third prize S．C．Rhode Island Reds：－
Eggs from ist pen $\mathbf{~}_{22.50}$ ver 16
2nd＂$\$ 1.50$＂ 15. These are prices packed in special boxe
for shipping．

## Spring of 1905

 NEW ARRIVALSPlain and Fancy Silks for shirt waist suits New Wool Dress goods New Wash Dress goods New Waist and Dress Trimmings New Laces and Embroideries
New Muslin Underwear
New Table Linens and Napkins
New Percales and Ginghams
New Waistings
New Separate Skirts
New Neckwear
Hawes $\$ 3$ Hats，Spring Styles New Goods Arriving weekly

## Chickens and

## Special Sale of Clothing！

We wish to close out our entire line of Mens and Boys suits
－and overcoats at a very low figure．
Shoes！Shoes！Shoes！
We have just received a new supply of the celebrated＂Star Brand＂shoes which took first prize at St Louis Ex－ position，＂Star Brand Shoes are Better＂

## Notions，Groceries

We have a fine line of notions，ladies，gents and childrens hose，laces，embroidery，rubbers underwear，groceries， S lard，meat and tobacco at the lowest living prices． Call and be convinced
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