

LOCAL AFFAIRS

CASH SYSTEM.—Our experience in the newspaper business has thoroughly convinced us that the credit system won't pay—that promises won't keep a newspaper in running order. We have, therefore, adopted the cash system—payment in advance. Volume One of the REGISTER will close with the issue of September 4th, 1869, when all subscriptions on which advance payments have not been made, will be discontinued. We would be sorry to lose a single subscriber from our list because of the adoption of this rule, but justice to ourselves demands it. If the paper is worth the price asked—\$3—it is just as convenient to pay it at the commencement as at the close of the volume: if it is not worth the subscription price, don't take it—there's no compulsion in the matter. We hope to retain all our old subscribers, and to obtain many new ones for Volume Two. As our subscription list enlarges, so will the size and interest of the paper increase. This is our say for the future.

PHOENIX INSURANCE Co.—We do not suppose that it is necessary for us to write anything urging the value or necessity, in a business point of view, of property-holders insuring their property against loss by fire. Every man of common business capacity is convinced of the advantage accruing from the procuring a fire policy in a first class company. Convinced of this, we only pen this article for the purpose of directing the attention of our readers to one of the very best and most prompt of the companies that are now engaged in taking fire risks—Phoenix, of Hartford. As this company, through its agent, Herbert Bird, Esq., acted with the sufferers at the late fire in Corvallis, so it generally transacts its business everywhere—ever ready and prompt with its customers. Mr. Wm. Fliedner, of Corvallis, received the amount of his policy the second day after the fire, in gold coin. That's the way to transact business to our mind, and we can recommend in good faith an institution that toes the mark in that fashion, you bet. See card of Mr. Fliedner in another place.

LOST.—A little girl, some five or six years of age, daughter of Mr. Kirkendall, living out on Oak creek, was sent on an errand across lots to a neighbor, on Saturday afternoon, the 24th. The child not returning that night, the following morning a messenger was sent for her. The person sent, upon arriving at the neighbors (Mr. Faulkner's), was informed that the little girl had started home on Saturday evening. The alarm was given, and parties commenced scouring the country in every direction for the lost child. About eleven o'clock on Sunday, Mr. Humphrey found the little wanderer, about three-quarters of a mile from his home, in Markham's pasture, sound asleep, with the little bundle, which was the object of her errand, under her head in lieu of a pillow. The angels had guarded the little one during the long hours of the night, and shielded her from all harm.

ARM SAWED OFF.—An old gentleman named Warren, on Thursday last, while engaged running a wood-saw at his son-in-law's, Martin Luper, Esq., met with a terrible accident by which he lost his left arm. The accident happened in this wise: Mr. Warren was passing near the circular saw, which was in rapid motion, when the wind blew his coat-tail against it; the coat caught against the saw and Mr. Warren was drawn upon it, the saw striking his left arm just below the elbow, tearing and lacerating the arm for several inches longitudinally. Dr. Steeley, assisted by Drs. Alexander and Hill, amputated the arm between the elbow and shoulder, and it is thought, with care and attention, the old gentleman will recover. Mr. Warren is sixty-six years of age.

FAREWELL SERMON.—Rev. H. C. Jenkins, who has been occupying the pulpit of the M. E. church in this city very acceptably during the past year, will deliver his farewell sermon in that church to-morrow, at the usual morning hour. After the delivery of the discourse, the ordinance of baptism will be administered.

PERSONAL.—Herbert Bird, Esq., the gentlemanly adjuster of claims against the Phoenix Insurance Company, called on us the first of the week. Mr. Bird talks of remaining here some weeks.

AN UPSET.—A party of ladies and gentlemen from this city were returning in a two horse hack from Corvallis on last Sunday night. About ten o'clock, and when they were descending the little hill half mile beyond Rainwater's, the hack was overturned by too quick a turn on the hill, and the whole party were thrown to the ground, when the hack, by some unaccountable means, assumed its usual position, and with the team, at a pretty rapid pace, proceeded on its way to Pierce's ferry at this city. Mr. Pierce heard the noise made by the vehicle before reaching the ferry, and attempted to head off the team, not dreaming, however, that there was no one in the hack. However, "Rowdy" and his mate were too fast for Mr. P., and when he arrived at his ferry, the team and vehicle were safely on board in good shape; and Mr. P. did not discover until half way across the river, that the vehicle was empty! That team will do to bet on. One or two of the parties thrown out of the vehicle were slightly bruised; besides the scare and the general uncomforthableness of the affair, balance of the party were O. K.

THE NEW CROP.—Several thousand bushels of the new wheat crop have been received during the week. Messrs. Beach & Monteith had received 3,000, and J. H. Foster & Co. 2,500 bushels of the new crop up to Thursday of the present week. We intend, hereafter, giving a weekly report of the amounts of grain received by the millers and warehouses of this city during the season. The reports from all parts of Linn county are to the effect that winter wheat is yielding as well if not better than last season, while late sown spring wheat is a partial failure. One farmer realized 2,500 bushels of wheat from ground that he expected to yield but 1,500. The yield is generally in excess of the anticipations formed. It is thought that the total crop of Linn county will be at least one third larger than that of last year. So far we have heard of no oats, new crop, being offered.

VELOCIPEDE.—H. F. Lawrence, Esq., of California, contemplates opening a velocipede school in this city about the 16th of September, when those who are desirous can learn to ride the "anicule." Several of the County Fairs in this State, as well as the State Fair, have offered premiums for the best velocipede, ranging from \$25 to \$50, and we suppose the managers of our County Fair will not be behind in liberality.

EXCITING.—One of our citizens and a noble red man of the forest, had a set-to on First street, a few days since, which afforded amusement for the boys for a few minutes. We believe it was nip and tuck between the parties, but it has been reported to us that "tuck" would have come in first best, if parties had not interferred and stopped the fight.

FARMERS, READ.—A card with this heading appears in our columns this morning, which will be of interest to those having grain to store. With a prospect of good prices for grain, and a decrease in price of storage, farmers should be in the best of spirits. Read S. S. Markham & Son's card.

SMOXY.—We have been enjoying (?) during the past week, a taste of similar weather to that of last September and October in this vicinity, known as the "smoky period." It is very disagreeable, and most trying to the eagle eyes.

WATERY.—A young man, a few days since, in attempting to swim the Willamette at this point, came within an ace of drowning. A boat from the shore reached him in time. Be careful, boys, don't attempt too much.

NAVIGATION.—The Willamette is so low at the present writing, that boats have great difficulty in navigating it at all. Very little freight is passing either up or down in consequence.

WEATHER.—The latter part of the week has been cool and cloudy. Rain indications abound, but the rain don't come worth a cent.

MEDICAL.—Dr. Whitcomb, a physician of some note, of the North Western Medical Infirmary, visited our city on Tuesday and Wednesday last.

HARVESTING.—Is going on briskly, and from the reports made to us by farmers, the field promises to be much larger than at first anticipated.

NEW BUILDING.—Mr. Rubart is building a fine two-story dwelling on corner of First and Baker streets.

CASH—Solicited subscriptions.

ALBANY RETAIL MARKET.

Table listing various goods such as Wheat, Oats, Flour, Butter, Eggs, etc. with prices per bushel, barrel, or dozen.

ALBANY ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE!

In the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, To George G. Cooksey: You are hereby notified that John Morgan has filed in this office his allegation...

Notice!

United States Internal Revenue Collector's Office, District of Oregon.—Notice is hereby given that the Annual list of Taxes for 1869, also monthly lists for months of April and May, 1869, assessed in the county of Marion, has been placed in my hands for collection...

A New Gold Metal. THE Gold Metal Watches! NOW BEING INTRODUCED BY C. E. COLLINS & CO., 629 Washington street, San Francisco.

RECOMMENDATIONS: This is to certify that I have carried one of the small size Gold Metal Watches which I got of C. E. Collins & Co., and I find that it runs as well, and keeps as good time as any watch I ever carried, and I can therefore recommend them...

I am engineer on the San Jose Railroad; I have been carrying one of C. E. Collins & Co.'s Watches for about one year, and I can safely say it is the very best watch for time, that I have ever seen. GEO. COHNWALL, Engineer on the San Jose Railroad.

TOANSO, May 20, 1869. Messrs. C. E. Collins & Co.—I wish to know on what terms you will send five or six watches to one address. Several of the men in this machine shop are highly delighted at the watch I got of you; I am very much pleased with it; it gives satisfaction. Hoping to hear from you soon, I remain yours, R. B. PAPTON, Clerk, Toano, C. P. R. R.

For List of Prices and description of Goods, send directly to us. Can be sent by express, to be paid for on delivery. C. E. COLLINS & CO., 629 Washington street, San Francisco.

The new Gold Metal Watches now being introduced by C. E. Collins & Co., of San Francisco, seem to be just the thing for those desiring a cheap and at the same time good-looking time-keeper. One of the young lady compositors in our office has one of the cheapest kind advertised—\$3—which runs well, keeps good time, looks well, and seems to fulfill all the requirements of a high-priced watch.

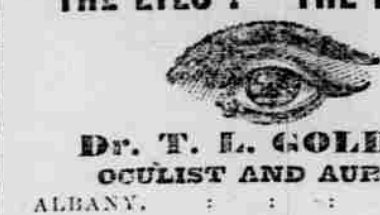
WATCHES.—We have received one of the new Gold Metal Watches from C. E. Collins & Co., of San Francisco. It is neatly finished, hunting case, keeps good time and is, without doubt, the best watch for the price that can be purchased in San Francisco.—La Porte Union.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE!

ALL Accounts and Notes of J. BARROWS & CO. must be settled with four weeks, as J. Barrows intends to leave for the Eastern States soon after that time.

THE EYES! THE EARS!



DR. T. E. GOLDEN, Oculist and Aurist, ALBANY, OREGON. DR. GOLDEN IS A SON OF THE noted old Ophthalmic Doctor, S. C. Golden.

THE LATEST STYLES

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods!

SELECTED WITH CARE IN THE SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS JUST RECEIVED, AND OFFERED AT THE Lowest Cash Rates.

On First street, first door west of John Connor's brick, and opposite R. C. Hill & Son's drug store, ALBANY, OREGON.

Lost or Stolen. THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY WARNED not to purchase any of the following notes of hand, executed to Samuel Wilson, at a sale near Brownsville, Linn county, Oregon, on the 21st day of October, 1868, signed and secured as follows:

Principals: T. P. Dinwiddie, John Wilson, Wm. C. Baird, J. H. Wilson, J. H. Wilson, Wm. C. Baird, T. A. Foster, T. P. Dinwiddie, Wm. Wigle, Robert Crawford, T. P. Dinwiddie.

THE MURRAY'S IMPROVED MAGIC OIL—the King of Pains. JOHN BRIGGS, DEALER IN STOVES, COOK, PARLOR & BOX, of the best patterns!

Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware! and the usual assortment of Furnishing Goods to be obtained in a TIN STORE!

Manhattan Life Insurance Co., OF NEW YORK. Assets \$6,000,000 Annual Income 2,500,000 Surplus over Liabilities LARGER THAN ANY OTHER COMPANY DOING BUSINESS IN OREGON.

Advantages to Insurers. Smallest Ratio of mortality. Expenses less than any Cash Company. Liberal modes of Payment of Premiums. Insurers receive the Largest Bonus ever given.

THE Automatic Clothes-Washer AND BOILER! Does this without any wear and tear, and does the work in from Twenty to Thirty Minutes!

USE MURRAY'S IMPROVED MAGIC OIL—the King of Pains. JOHN CONNOR, Agent, May 8, '69-3m35 First street, Albany.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Eggs Wanted!

Twenty-five Cents For Dozen Paid for fresh Eggs, for the next thirty days, at R. CHEADLE'S.

No. 1 Butter

In good demand, at the CASH STORE, at Albany, May 1st, 1869-34

More than 1,000,000 Persons Bear testimony to the Wonderful Curative Effects of DR. JOSEPH WALKER'S



CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS. Manufactured from the native Herbs and Roots of California, are The Great Blood Purifier.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have been most successful.

RATES OF TOLL OVER THE Willamette Valley and Cascade Mountain Wagon Road. To Deschutes River: Four Horse or Mule team \$1 50 Two " " " 1 00 One " " " 4 00

General Agents: SMITH & DAVIS, Portland, Oregon. HODGE & CALLEE, June 3, '69-3m4f

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CONFLAGRATIONS

Are of Daily Occurrence! PHOENIX INSURANCE COMPANY.



FIRE INSURANCE IN THE ONLY SAFE MANNER. R. H. MAGILL, Manager, San Francisco. Cash Assets, \$1,519,338 08.

Amount Disbursed for Fire Losses, FIVE MILLION DOLLARS. Sterling Indemnity—Equitable Adjustments—Moderate Rates.

Over 10,000 Persons TESTIFY to the wonderful cures of Dr. J. W. Murray's Dalsam for the Liver and Blood, Nature's own remedy. One of the celebrated physicians of Portland says he is cured of the Lung and Liver complaint, and says he owes his life to Dr. Murray's Lung and Liver Balm.

I have tried Dr. J. W. Murray's Lung and Liver Balm. I used it in my family with the best success. I was sick for some months and used every remedy. I called in several physicians, but they did me no good. I exhausted every remedy known to the medical profession, and received no benefit.

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"GAY" NEWS. Farmers Can Ride and Plow, BY SECURING ONE OF THE "GAY" PLOWS, Manufactured and sold for the very low price of \$65 and \$75.

THE simplicity and practicability of this new Plow commends it favorably to the special notice of every farmer. It possesses a decided superiority over all other plows now in use.

We, the undersigned, citizens of Linn county, Oregon, having purchased and used upon our farms the "Gay" Plow, hereby certify that the same has given us entire satisfaction. Its facility for adjusting to suit the depth of furrow without moving from the seat, is simple and easy.

We take pleasure in recommending the "Gay" Plow to our brother farmers, as one having no superior in Oregon. J. G. REED, W. P. ESHOM, A. S. LOONEY, E. W. PIKE, W. H. GOLTREE, H. DAVIDSON, May 20th, 1869.

Agents Wanted—\$10 a Day. Two \$10 Maps for \$4. LOYD'S Patent Revolving Double Maps

These great Maps, now just completed, 64x62 inches large, show every place of importance, all Railroads to date, and the latest alterations in the various European States.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned have been appointed Executors of the estate of Hiram Macey, deceased, by the County Court of Linn county, Oregon; that all claims against said estate must be presented to the undersigned, at their residence in Linn county, duly verified, within six months from the date hereof.

Executors Notice. D. G. MACEY, SARAH MACEY, POWELL & FLINN, Attys., Excutors, Linn County, Oregon, May 7, 1869-35m4