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ING ARTIFICIAL TEETH AND  
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moderate.  
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Corner First and Washington Sts.,  
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WITH A NEW BUILDING, NEWLY  
Furnished throughout, the proprietor  
has given entire satisfaction to the traveling  
public. The beds are supplied with spring mat-  
tresses. The table will receive the closest atten-  
tion, and everything the market affords palatable  
to guests will be supplied. Jan 24

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Main street, - Albany, Oregon.  
Meats of All Kinds,  
AND  
OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY,  
Constantly on hand.  
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Unusually prompt and fair accommodations.

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FACTORY!

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Lyon Street, (ON THE RIVER BANK),  
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OF SASH, BLINDS, DOORS,  
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Doors, Blinds, Sash,  
and MOLDINGS,

Crown, Panel, Band, and Section Mold  
of all sizes.

WINDOW AND DOOR FRAMES!  
Flooring, Siding,  
and all other kinds of  
Building Material!

Are prepared to do MILL WORK: furnish Sash,  
Blinds, Doors, Crown Mouldings, etc., and  
all other kinds of mill work.

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Albany, February 9, 1870-1

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STOVE DEPOT!

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DEALER IN  
STOVES, COOK, PARLOR & BOX.

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Front street, Albany.

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"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine!"

UNION  
Fire and Marine Insurance Company!

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Deposit in Oregon, \$50,000.

Losses Promptly and Equitably Adjusted  
And Paid in Gold Coin.

THIS COMPANY having complied with the  
laws of Oregon, by making a deposit of fifty  
thousand dollars, is now prepared to effect insur-  
ance against loss or damage by fire, and also  
against Marine and Inland Navigation risks, on  
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manner with good material. A share of public  
patronage is solicited.  
Shop on corner Ellsworth and Second streets,  
opposite Pierce's Ferry. F. WOOD,  
Albany, November 1, 1868-11

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THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECT-  
FULLY inform the citizens of Albany and vicin-  
ity that he has taken charge of this establish-  
ment, and by keeping clean rooms and paying  
strict attention to business, expects to suit all  
those who may favor him with their patronage.  
Having heretofore carried on nothing but  
First-Class Hair Dressing Saloons,  
he expects to give entire satisfaction to all.  
Children and Ladies' hair neatly cut and  
shampooed. J. W. WEDDER,  
on 19th

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I AM PREPARED TO DO  
ALL KINDS OF TURNING:  
I keep on hand and make to order  
RAWHIDE-BOTTOMED CHAIRS,  
-AND-  
Spinning Wheels.  
Shop near the "Magnolia Mills."  
JOHN M. METZLER  
Albany, Nov. 8, 1868-1

## NEW TO-DAY.

IMPORTANT

INSURING PUBLIC!

ALARMING MORTALITY!

Six out of Twelve

in less than three years is an alarming record  
of mortality, and should suggest to the public  
the propriety of insuring experimental, inexpe-  
rienced, and low rate Companies, and patroniz-  
ing the old established, conservative, wealthy,  
and profitably managed corporations of the solid  
and permanent order.

THE  
PHENIX  
INSURANCE COMPANY

JUSTLY TAKEN RANK AS THE  
LEADING AMERICAN  
Fire Insurance Co.

Their estimates are endorsed by each assets  
exceeding  
\$1,700,000.

This business is managed by underwriters who  
have no superiors and but few equals in the Union  
Their rates are small, carefully selected, and stand-  
ard throughout the entire United States, thus  
avoiding heavy loss in the most serious emergen-  
cies. Their rates are not of the gross or galling  
order, but are based on actual experience,  
and low as low as good insurance can be furnished  
at. This business is honorably and promptly ad-  
justed, and paid in gold coin without delay or  
trouble. Their agents, located at all points of  
importance, have authority to issue policies direct,  
thus avoiding the danger and delay of brokers.  
In the absence of agents, risk in such and every  
particular, for the sake of expediency, permanent  
policy management, honorable conduct, equitable  
rates, and other relative virtues.

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PHENIX  
INSURANCE COMPANY

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and a great variety of other

NEW AND SEASONABLE GOODS.

We are prepared to offer to the public the  
largest and BEST SELECTED stock of Clothing  
of our own manufacture, ever brought to Portland,  
and at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

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109 Front St., Portland.

MACHINERY!  
OF ALL KINDS,  
REPAIRED  
-BY-  
BEARD & COLVER.

Whealers, Threshers, Mowers, Reapers,  
SHOULD BE LOOKED TO SOON.

Persons having the  
Wheeler & Metick Endless Chain  
Threshers,  
can have them repaired so they will clean the  
grain as well as any Thresher, and clean as much  
as their power will thresh.

Flax Fans,  
MADE TO ORDER ONLY. It shorts, all other  
Agricultural Machines and implements made and  
repaired.

We are completing arrangements to manufac-  
ture Seed Sowers, Sulkey and Gang Plows, of the  
best patterns now in use.  
All work warranted made of the best  
material.  
Shop on corner of Washington and Second-sts.  
Albany, Oregon. 28th 3  
May 26, 1870.

BLANK Books, Mortgages, etc., on hand -  
latest styles, and for sale low, at this office

## TELEGRAPHIC.

(SPECIAL TO THE REGISTER.)  
Dates to September 26.

LONGON, 23.—Reports from Chateau  
Fevrier (France) via Berlin, say that all  
discipline is vanishing at Paris. Soldiers  
are mutinous, and in some cases have  
shot their officers.

Following just received: Prussian  
guns at Soex now command the south-  
ern part of Paris. The railroad is finish-  
ing around the Paris forts.

The Prussians will occupy Orleans,  
which has been evacuated by the French.  
They occupy Naudere, eighteen miles  
west of Versailles.

Tours, Sept. 23.—Mails arrive here  
spontaneously from Paris.

Another balloon from Bazaine's head-  
quarters at Metz has fallen in the French  
territory, Sept. 18 letters. It  
has plenty of provisions, with the exception  
of butcher's meat. Soldiers and  
citizens eating horse meat.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—A dispatch sent  
in the day time about the battle near  
Paris, was simply another report of Mon-  
day's battle.

A telegram from Berlin at 10 o'clock  
this evening, says that the capture of  
Tours has just been announced at the  
Royal Opera, but the news is not official.

It is reported that the theatre at Stras-  
burg was set on fire by shells, and three  
hundred persons who had taken refuge  
in the building, mostly women and chil-  
dren, were burned to death. Also, that  
a mob was pillaging the city. The news  
has not been confirmed.

FLORENCE, Sept. 23.—Garibaldi is  
still a prisoner, but unharmed.

Tours, Sept. 24.—Following impor-  
tant information has been made public:  
Count Bismarck demands as preliminary  
and conditional to peace, that all fortresses  
in the provinces of Lorraine and Alsace  
be delivered over to the Prussians, as  
well as Fort Dumont at the walls of  
Paris. The Prussian Government  
considers these conditions absolutely  
inadmissible, and will immediately issue  
proclamation to the people of the nation,  
as well as to Ambassadors from foreign  
countries, exposing the situation and  
indicating the new measures to be taken  
for the national defense.

It was erroneously reported yesterday,  
that the engagements around Paris re-  
sulted in French reverses. The French  
held the advantage in every battle yet  
fought.

Fourteen Uhlans entered Elampes and  
demanded money and arms. The Mayor  
refused unless a force was sent large  
enough to overpower him. They left,  
and have not approached since.

BERLIN, Sept. 24.—Tours was captured  
by the Prussians at sunset yesterday.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Despatches from  
Paris to-day say that rifle firing and  
canonading was heard going on at Paris.  
It was distinctly observed from the heights  
that a conflict was in progress, but no  
details have been received.

There is great danger of a revolution-  
ary outbreak in Paris, involving another  
change of Government. The Reds are  
furious against the present leaders,  
and say that they will force a change  
by force of arms. They captured the  
town was captured by storm by Prussians  
after determined resistance. The bom-  
bardment had lasted for several days,  
destroying the principal buildings and  
doing great damage. The storming party  
advanced and afterwards the Prussian  
forces carried it by storm.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 24.—Noon.—Bazaine  
has offered to capitulate at Metz, on con-  
dition that he be allowed baggage and  
arms, and agrees not to take up arms for  
three months.

BEAUVIS, Sept. 24, via Tours, Sept.  
25.—A great battle raged all day yester-  
day north of Paris, between Pontaise and  
Isle Adaud.

It is reported that the peasants are  
cutting off supplies.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The failure of peace  
negotiations, owing to France declining  
Prussian terms, has led to a revival of  
the project for an European Congress.

LONDON journals of yesterday evening  
say it is sheer nonsense for Prussia to  
admit any intervention for the settlement  
of conditions for peace. If negotiations  
have really failed, the only alternative is  
extermination.

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—Official dispatches  
say: By the capitulation of Tours  
there fell into our hands 109 officers,  
2,240 men, 120 horses, 1 eagle, 107  
guns, 3,000 rifles, 500 cartridges, and large  
supplies of munitions of war.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The latest ad-  
vice from St. Petersburg say that since  
the fall of Sedan Russian journals are  
more inclined to acquiesce in Prussian  
terms of peace. They admit that Alsace  
and Lorraine must go.

Authorized advices from Vienna an-  
nounce the failure of Thiers' mission.  
He received the reply that Austria, with  
the best wishes for France, was in no  
condition to take active steps. Thiers  
retired, disheartened.

The telegram reporting fighting in  
Paris, is not believed here. Also, reports  
of the pillaging of residences of persons  
absent from Paris, is discredited. It is  
believed that the reports were originated  
by the Prussians, to operate on the minds  
of the restive French people, and bring  
them sooner to submission.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 26.—Throughout  
yesterday the city was in a state of great  
excitement, in consequence of the news  
of the failure of all peace negotiations.  
The terrible demands of the war de-  
partment for men and material, invokes  
a feeling of terror among all classes, and  
there is the strongest outspoken convic-  
tion that the real issues, as far as the  
people are concerned, are all in favor of  
the Prussians, and further hostilities little  
short of murder.

A New York special says, the prospect

## of a terrible war between Russia and Turkey, just developed by the cable dis-

patches, has created a flutter among  
speculators and dealers in the grain  
market. The shipments of Russian wheat  
by the Baltic will shortly be stopped.  
France, Germany and other ports of  
Europe will be forced to rely upon the  
United States for food, and the result  
will be a rapid rise in the price of our  
grains.

Special dispatches announce that Rus-  
sia is massing 200,000 men on her south-  
ern frontier, and that Turkey is well and  
thoroughly armed.

Calais special says that Bismarck, in  
behalf of the King of Prussia, refused to  
telegraph Favre excepting an armistice.  
Favre made proposals for peace, insisting  
that he represented the French Govern-  
ment, but Bismarck's hard logic com-  
pletely upset him.

Still later dates from Paris state that  
beyond some skirmishing of outposts,  
there was nothing new.

Versailles message says the Prussians  
have undertaken nothing important in  
that neighborhood.

The gunboats on the Seine are now  
ready for action. Entrenchment and  
barbed wire are going on everywhere  
around the city.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Bismarck says  
the question of peace is reduced to the  
possession of Metz and Strasburg—will  
fight on no other terms.

Fighting all day Friday near Paris  
reported from Tours, but accounts are so  
contradictory that the London press  
refuse to publish them.

AMIENS, Sept. 26.—The Prefect of  
this department has issued an address,  
in which he states there is but one duty  
left for Frenchmen—war to the knife.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—Prussians are  
hastening the reconstruction of fortress  
Loan.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 26.—Travelers who  
have escaped from Paris state that guns  
are firing day and night.

It is reported that the police of Calais  
were instructed yesterday to allow no  
Frenchman to embark on outward bound  
vessels, whether having passports or not.

BERLIN, Sept. 26.—Favre did not  
see the King.

There is nothing new from Paris.  
The headquarters of the Crown Prince  
of Saxony, with the 4th army corps is at  
Grand Tremblay, ten miles north of  
Paris.

Tours, Sept. 26.—The garrison at  
Favre was reinforced, and has received  
a number of mitrailleurs, and is now pre-  
pared to defy any attack.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—All hope of set-  
tlement between Prussia and France has  
been abandoned. The refusal of Bis-  
marck's proposal by the French, will  
place that country in a worse position.

A SAMSON.—There is a man living in  
Calhoun County, Miss., who is supposed to  
be the strongest man in the State, if not  
in the entire South. He is thirty-  
five years of age and weighs two hundred  
and twenty-five pounds. He has been  
known to carry three bars of railroad iron  
when it takes from three to five ordinary  
men to carry one. He can take a cask  
containing forty gallons of whisky or  
water (the former is preferred we pre-  
sume), and raise it from the ground  
and drink out of the bung-hole with as  
much ease as others could out of a com-  
mon pitcher; and he has frequently taken  
a barrel of flour under each arm, and  
balancing a sack of salt on his head,  
carried them for several hundred yards  
with apparently but little effort. He offers  
to be he can lift thirteen hundred  
pounds.

The following we find floating in the  
papers:

A poor young widow in Berlin, one  
evening lately, found on her table a note  
addressed to her, reading as follows:  
"Madam—I came here with the intention  
of robbing you, but the sight of this  
respectable and peaceful attic room,  
decorated with religious pictures and  
adorned with pious 'souvenirs,' and above  
all, your two little children, which were  
quietly sleeping in their little beds,  
and smiling in their dreams, have touched  
my heart, and instead of depriving you of  
the little money I found in your drawer,  
I take the liberty of leaving here \$50,  
hoping that you will accept them as a  
tribute of my respect and admiration."

Uncle Jake Simmons, once well known  
among Michigan politicians as a member  
of the "Sinnit" from Macomb, took it into  
his head one day to marry a rich widow of  
pepper temper, who got the better of him.  
The quarrel was long, fierce and bitter,  
and at last, able to bear it no longer,  
Jake made his appearance at George  
Wisner's law office, at Pontiac, in a high  
state of excitement, demanding an instant  
bill of divorce.

"For what cause?" asked George.  
Jake was puzzled.

"Take the statutes, Weeznor, and read  
'em all over."

"Jake renewed his suit and listened  
with marked attention till George came  
to 'impotency.'"

"That's it, Weeznor," exclaimed Jake,  
slapping his thighs; "she's as impudent  
as I—H—H!"

James King, a citizen of Dover (New  
Hampshire), recently celebrated his  
eighty-first birthday and second wedding  
day simultaneously, by leading to the  
hymeneal altar a blooming bride of seven-  
ty-six.

Counterfeit \$10 and \$20 greenbacks  
have been brought in from Arizona to  
Los Angeles.

## We call this a pretty incident, which occurred recently in a Western town: In

one of the rooms of the public school is a  
lame girl, whom the teacher allows to be  
dismissed before the others, so that no  
harm may befall her when they crowd out  
together. Not long ago the building  
took fire, and the scholars rushed for the  
doors from all the rooms but one—the one  
where the lame girl had her desk. There  
the girls sat quietly in the excitement  
until their unfortunate companion had  
passed out before them, as usual, when  
they followed with an outburst of fright  
as intense as their conduct was noble.

The San Francisco and North Pacific  
Railroad is progressing very rapidly.  
Five miles of rails have already been laid.  
It is expected that it will be completed to  
Santa Rosa before the 1st of November.

A Williamsport, Pa., paper says a  
census marshal reports that he has found an  
old lady in Forest county 107 years old.  
When he interviewed her she was chop-  
ping wood.

The oldest newspaper in the world is  
published in Peking. It is printed on a  
large sheet of silk, and, it is said, has  
made a weekly appearance for upward of  
a thousand years.

Stockings are going out of fashion for  
ladies street wear in Paris, and bare feet  
and sandals are to be generally intro-  
duced.

A man in Indiana wants a divorce be-  
cause his wife scolds him, and makes him  
sit on a red hot stove.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

By authority of a Special Act of the Leg-  
islature of the State of California.

\$1,000,000.