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Having received new type, stock of colored ink, cards, Gordon Jobber, etc., we are prepared to execute all kinds of printing in a better manner and fifty per cent. cheaper than ever before offered in this city.

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Office—No. 111 First street, between Morrison and Alder, opposite the Occidental Hotel, Portland, Oregon.

Will practice in the Superior and Inferior Courts of the State, and in the District and Circuit Court of the United States, giving special attention to the collection of debts in all parts of Oregon, and to obtaining discharges in Bankruptcy, which, since the last amendment to the law, may be obtained from all debtors contract prior to January 1st, 1869, without regard to the per centage which the assets may finally pay.  
November 26, 1870-12-25

JUDGE KELSY. JOSEPH HANSON.  
**KELSY & HANSON,**  
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law,  
(Partners for Life county.)  
OFFICE—In Post Office Building, (up stairs), Albany, Linn county, Oregon. 2-1/2

**D. B. RICE, M. D.,**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,  
Albany, Oregon.  
OFFICE—ON THE SOUTH SIDE OF MAIN STREET,  
Albany, April 7, 1872

**V. S. DuBois,**  
CONSTANTLY ON HAND AND RECEIVING, A LARGE STOCK OF  
Groceries and Provisions,  
Wood and Willow Ware, Tobacco, Cigars, Confectionery, Yankee Notions, etc., etc. Wholesale and Retail, opposite H. C. Hill & Son's drug store, Albany, Oregon. 10-17-70

**J. H. MITCHELL, J. N. BOLTON, A. SMITH,**  
Mitchell, Bolton & Smith,  
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,  
Solicitors in Chancery and Proctors in Admiralty. Office over the old Post Office, Front Street, Portland, Oregon. 1

**JAMES A. WARNER,**  
Civil Engineer & Surveyor.  
IS PREPARED TO DO SURVEYING AND ENGINEERING. Uses improved Solar Compass. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Residence on 4th St., opposite Dr. Tate's residence, Albany, Oregon. 19-6m

**Powell & Flinn,**  
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW  
and Solicitors in Chancery and Proctors in Admiralty. (L. Flinn, Notary Public.)  
Albany, Oregon. Collections and conveyances promptly attended to. 1

**GEO. W. GRAY, D. D. S.,**  
WOULD SOLICIT THE PAT-  
ent of Artificial Teeth and  
FIRST CLASS DENTAL OPERA-  
tions. Nitrous Oxide administered for the painless extraction of teeth, when desired. Charges moderate.  
Office in Parrish & Co.'s brick block. Residence, first house south of Congregational Church, fronting on Court House block.  
Albany, Oregon, July 2, 1870-13

## WANTED.

**10,000 BUSHELS OF OATS,**  
for which the highest market price will be paid, in CASH, at the store of  
**N. S. DU BOISE.**  
Also, Butter and Eggs, in unlimited quantity, for which the highest market price will be paid in cash. Call and see me.  
Albany, Aug. 20, 1870-50

**\$20.00 A DAY!**  
TO MALE AND FEMALE AGENTS  
To introduce the celebrated  
—\$25 00—  
**BUCKEYE SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE!**

STITCH ALIKE ON BOTH SIDES, and is the only licensed shuttle sewing machine in the United States, sold for less than \$40, to use the celebrated Wilson feed, and is acknowledged by all to be the best family machine for light or heavy sewing, in the market. Outfit free. Address, MINER & PEARSON, Gen. Agts., 70-2-37 Albany, Oregon.

**J. D. TITUS,**  
Dealer in  
**WATCHES,**  
**CLOCKS, JEWELRY, ETC.**  
Repairing of Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, &c., attended to. All work warranted. 31r2

## ALBANY BATH HOUSE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Albany and vicinity, that he has taken charge of this establishment, 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.  
**JOSEPH WEBBER,**  
29, 19-2

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**JOHN CONNER,**  
**BANKING**

—AND—  
**EXCHANGE OFFICE,**  
ALBANY, OREGON.

DEPOSITS RECEIVED SUBJECT TO CHECK AT SIGHT.  
Interest allowed on time deposits in coin. Exchange on Portland, San Francisco and New York for sale at lowest rates. Collections made and promptly remitted. Refers to H. W. Corbett, Henry Failing, W. S. Ladd.  
Banking hours from 8 A. M. to 4 P. M. Albany, February 1, 1871-23-3

**C. MEALEY**  
DEALER IN & MANUFACTURER OF

**FURNITURE!**

—AND—  
**CABINET WARE!**

Bedding, Etc.,  
Corner First and Broad Albin streets,  
ALBANY, OREGON.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO

ORDERS OF ALL KINDS  
in his line

October 1868-8

**GEO. F. SETTLEMIRE,**  
**DRUGGIST.**

(Successor to D. W. Wakefield.)  
Parrish's New Building, First Street,  
ALBANY, OREGON.

—DEALER IN—  
Drugs and Medicines,  
CHEMICALS,

**PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, ETC.**

All articles warranted pure and of the best quality.  
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded.  
Albany, Oct. 17, 1868-6if

**LIVERY, FEED & SALE**

**STABLES!**  
ALBANY, OREGON.

**BARTGES & MERRICK,**  
PROPRIETORS.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH the public with neat turnouts in the way of  
**Stylish Buggies & Carriages**

—AND—  
**Fast Stock!**

On the most reasonable terms. Our livery is all new and of the latest styles, and we shall take pride in giving our patrons as neat and reliable an outfit as can be obtained in the State.  
Horses boarded at reasonable rates, by the week or month.  
Buggies and Carriages furnished for parties, &c. A share of public patronage is solicited.  
MONTGOMERY & BARTGES,  
Albany, December 17, 1870-15

**CARD.**

THE NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL LIFE Insurance Company of Boston is the only company on this coast, governed by the  
**Massachusetts Non-Forfeiture Law.**  
This company was incorporated A. D. 1825, and has accumulated assets of over \$900,000 00.  
The following listed policies have been paid on this coast under this law:

No. of policy.	Of death.	Amt. insured.
13054	6 months.	\$ 5,000
32015	4 months.	10,000
38255	3 months.	1,000
29186	10 days.	2,500
36559	11 months.	5,000

Had the above policies been in any other company, they would have been forfeited.  
The above facts speak for themselves, and to the wise and prudent investor comment is unnecessary.

**EVERSON & MIDDLEMISS,**  
GENERAL AGENTS, : : : SAN FRANCISCO.

**L. FLINN,**  
Local Agent, : : : Albany, Oregon.  
February 25, 1871-25y

**FURNING. - - TURNING.**

**STEELE'S CHAIRS**

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 STYLE PICTURES.**

—THE—  
**"REMBRANDT!"**

Is the most popular style of Photograph now made. Call and see it.  
A. J. WINTER,  
Albany, Oregon.  
Jan. 14-19

## ADVERTISEMENTS.

**LOOK HERE!**

**THE SAN FRANCISCO STORE!**

CORNER FIRST AND FERRY STREETS,  
ALBANY, OREGON.

Keeps constantly on hand a full assortment of  
**STOVES, PUMPS & TINWARE!**

I will have for sale the celebrated  
**Diamond Rock**  
cook stove, and other leading styles.

—Also, manufacture all kinds of—  
**Tin, Copper and Sheet-Iron Ware,**  
in the best style, at lowest rates,  
**FOR CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE.**

Always on hand a full supply of  
**The Purest Wines and Liquors,**  
for medicinal purposes only.

A well selected stock of  
**Groceries and Crockery!**  
I will sell all goods in my house, for Cash or Produce, on delivery, cheaper than ever before offered in this market.

All kinds of repairing done, on short notice, and entire satisfaction warranted, at my Store and Tin Shop.

**JULIUS GRADWOHL.**  
Nov. 19-11

**BUILDERS, ATTENTION**

**SASH, BLIND AND DOOR**

**FACTORY!**

S. H. ALTHOUSE, N. WRIGHT, J. F. BACKENSTO.

**ALTHOUSE & CO.,**  
LYON STREET, (ON THE RIVER BANK),  
ALBANY, : : : OREGON.

KEEP ON HAND A FULL ASSORTMENT,  
and are prepared to  
**Furnish to Order,**

**Doors, Blinds, Sash,**

and **MOLDINGS,**

—such as—  
Crown, Panel, Band, and Section Mold  
of all sizes.

**WINDOW AND DOOR FRAMES!**

**Flooring, Siding,**

and all other kinds of  
**Building Material!**

—Also—  
Are prepared to do MILL WORK; furnish Shaker Fans, Zigzag Shakers, Section Fans, Driving Pulleys, of any kind, at our Factory on Lyon Street, (on the river bank), next below Markham's warehouse.

**ALTHOUSE & CO.**  
Albany, February 6, 1869-4

**THE OLD**

**STOVE DEPOT!**

**JOHN BRIGGS,**  
DEALER IN

**STOVES, COOK, PARLOR & BOX**

of the best pattern—  
—Also—

**Tin, Sheet Iron and**

**Copper Ware!**

and the usual assortment of Furnishing Goods to be obtained in a

**TIN STORE!**

Repairs neatly and promptly executed,  
—on reasonable terms.

"Short reckonings, make long friends."  
Front street.....Albany.  
Next door to Mansfield & Co.  
dec-3-68-1

**Fire! Fire! Fire!**

"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine!"

**UNION**

Fire and Marine Insurance Company!  
Nos. 416 and 418, California street,  
San Francisco, - - - California.

STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE  
Cash Capital, in Gold Coin, \$750,000.  
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 insurance against Loss or Damage by Fire, and also against Marine and Inland Navigation risks, on liberal terms.  
GUSTAVE TOUCHARD, Pres.  
CHAS. D. HAVEN, Sec'y.  
J. C. MENDENHALL,  
Agent for Albany,  
Albany, 1871-18

**ALBANY BOOK STORE.**  
ESTABLISHED IN 1856.

**E. A. FREELAND,**  
DEALER IN EVERY VARIETY OF  
Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Blank Books, Stationery, &c. Books imported to order at short notice.  
Albany, Oregon, December 3, 1870.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,**  
Wholesale and Retail,  
CORNER FIRST & BROADALBIN,  
ALBANY, OREGON.

**A. C. LAYTON, PROP.**

A. C. LAYTON HAVING PURCHASED the stock of Geo. W. Young, and added to it a large assortment of

**GROCERIES**

AND NOTIONS!

solicits the patronage of his friends and the public. The stock is well selected, and will be sold

**At the Lowest Prices.**

We mean TRADE, and will give you VALUE RECEIVED.

**GIVE US A TRIAL.**

**FARMERS!**  
We want your Produce, and will give as good a bargain as can be found in this burgh. Call and see us. [v3n20]

**CITY DRUG STORE.**

A. CAROTHERS. H. SALTWASSER.

**A. CAROTHERS & CO.,**

**DRUGGISTS & APOTHECARIES,**  
(Foster's Block, First street),  
ALBANY, : : : OREGON.

DEALERS IN  
**Drugs, Chemicals, Medicines,**

**PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS,**

**GLASS,**

**TOILET GOODS,**

**French and American Colognes,**

**HANDKERCHIEF EXTRACTS,**

**CONFECTIONERY.**

**Pure Wines & Liquors,**  
for medicinal purposes.

**Fine Tobacco and Cigars.**

Physician's Prescriptions and Family Recipes compounded with care.  
December 21, 1870-17

**SETTLEMIRE'S NURSERY,**  
Six miles South of Albany, Linn Co.,  
Near the Railroad.

I SOLICIT THE ATTENTION OF ALL persons desiring to purchase Fruit Trees to call and examine my stock, which is composed of the largest and best selection in the State, consisting of Apples, Pears, Cherries, Plums, Prunes, Grapes, Black Berries, Currants and Roses.

Also,  
Black and White Walnut, English Walnut, Hickory, Pecan, Redbud, Honey Locust, Hackberry,

and a number of other varieties of trees and plants too numerous to mention, all of which are offered at low rates. HENRY W. SETTLEMIRE.  
December 17, 1870-15

**A Great Bargain.**

THE FARM KNOWN AS "FARMOUNT Lake" is offered for sale at \$10,000 in cash or \$3,000 in hand and the remainder in six equal annual payments, with interest from date. The tract is in good shape, being nearly a square, containing about 160 acres of rich soil; and is diversified with forests vast, fair lawns, lordly oaks, and willows sitting by the lake, the woodland and prairie so interesting as to make it one of the most attractive places in the State. It is situated on the west side of the Willamette river, within half a mile of Albany, which is known as being in the heart of the best agricultural portion of Oregon. The location is beautiful. It has a good stone quarry, about 100 acres under fence, a two-story frame barn with shelving 90 feet square; a large and handsome new home two-stories high, thoroughly painted inside and out, the large cupboards and book-cases being fixtures, and the house having under its whole length a good dry cellar. In addition to the above there is a neat well-house, a wood-house and all other necessary out-houses. There is a meadow, large pasture, orchards, garden, &c., &c. It is susceptible of being divided into four farms, all of them having good soil, fuel and rail timber, and three of them having stock-water.

For particulars address J. C. Mendenhall, Esq., Albany, or the undersigned at Portland.

**J. QUINN THORNTON,**  
Feb. 14th, 1871-24v3. Attorney at Law.

**FRANK A. COOL,**  
**BOOKBINDER**

Blank Book Manufacturer,  
SALEM, OREGON.

HAVING ESTABLISHED A FIRST CLASS Bookbinding in Salem, is now prepared to do all manner of work known to the trade. Magazines, Newspapers and Music bound in any desired style.

Old Books re-bound.  
Blank Books, of every description, with or without printed headings, manufactured to order. Blanks of every kind, ruled and printed to order.

PRICES REASONABLE.  
In Gray's Brick Block. 43m4

**MARBLE WORKS.**

**Monroe & Staiger,**  
Dealers in

**MONUMENTS, OBELISKS, TOMBS,**

**HEAD AND FOOT STONES,**

Executed in  
California, Vermont and Italian Marble,  
ALBANY, OREGON.  
227 Branch Shop at Albany. 63

**MRS. VANVADOR,**  
DEALER IN MILLINERY AND FANCY Goods, Lebanon, Oregon, has just received an elegant invoice of stock and goods to which she invites the attention of the ladies of Lebanon and vicinity. The Produce will be taken in exchange for goods.  
May 12, 1871-36\*2

## The Albany Register.

An Estate Mathematically Divided.  
[From the New Orleans Picayune.]

In our Friday morning's edition we published the following, for which the New York World is responsible:

A resident of Hartford, who died, leaving his lady in a condition which he hoped her love for him rendered congenial with her wishes, also left a will that, if the anticipated infant turned out to be a boy, two-thirds of the estate should be his, and the remaining third should go to the widow; if on the other hand, a girl should be born, the widow was to have two-thirds of the property and the child one-third. But, with a woman's aptitude for unnecessarily complicating questions, the lady saw fit to bring forth twins, of whom one is male, and the other female. And now all the lawyers in the land are at loggerheads to decide whether the boy shall have two-thirds and the girl one-third of the estate, leaving nothing for the mother, or whether the mother can claim one-third for having borne the boy and the other two-thirds for having the girl. Dr. Butler is reported to have suggested that the simplest way out of the difficulty would be to divide the property into six parts—or say seven, and give him one.

Yesterday we called, upon W. H. Sutton, of the firm of Sutton, Powell & Huey of this city, who handed us the subjoined solution of the puzzle, which we publish for the edification of the disagreeing New York doctors of law:

Daughter, one-third.  
Mother twice as much as daughter, two-thirds.  
Son twice as much as mother.  
Suppose the Hartford man's estate to be \$10,000:

Daughter, one-third..... 3,333 1/3  
Mother twice that..... 6,666 2/3  
Son twice mother's share..... 13,333 1/3  
\$23,333 1/3

Estate mathematically divided, and will be sustained.

**A Man has his Neck Broken and Still Lives.**  
[From the New York Herald, August 8th.]

The case of Frederick Prout, who sustained injuries believed to be fatal, at Jersey City on Sunday, presents a curious problem to the physicians attending the City Hospital there. Prout was at work in the stables belonging to the Sugar-house Company, and while throwing hay through a trap in the loft, he missed his footing and fell through. He was taken up and placed in a wagon to be conveyed to his home. On the way the horse became frightened and started off. Prout was thrown out, his head striking the curbstone. He remained unconscious for six or seven minutes, after which he appeared to recuperate. He was conveyed by Coroner Burns and others to the First Precinct Station, thence to the City Hospital. The physicians declared that his neck is dislocated and the body, from the shoulders downward, paralyzed. Yet the man converses freely, and it is believed there are chances of his recovery.

**A GERMAN MAGICIAN.**—From the Philadelphia Ledger we get this:

The German journals give a curious account of the trial of Johann Kramer, professor of magic, before the magistrates at Giessen. This crafty individual started in life as a tailor's apprentice, but at an early age the faculties of manipulating cards and curing sundry diseases developed so rapidly that he relinquished his honest trade and devoted himself to "doing good." At various times the dissatisfaction of some of the persons who consulted him brought him into collision with the authorities, and he was repeatedly imprisoned. This punishment, however, did not deter him from his evil courses, and as soon as released he continued to prophesy future events, chiefly to ignorant seavants girls, and drawing his prognostications from the shape of their heads, fingers and nails. He also kept spiders, which were employed in weaving the winning numbers in lotteries and in making "luck tickets," which had to be worn on the right side for twenty-seven days. During the Franco-German war he engaged to witch soldiers out of France back to their sweethearts in Germany, and also looked in his "magic mirror" for missing persons, and generally discovered them "sitting imprisoned on a solitary island for ten years."

To bring these missing individuals safely back he required a payment of seven florins for the "magical brotherhood," and further obliged the inquirer to undergo the process of being electrified on cross-roads.

The Stato printer of Indiana is in trouble. He has made out fees warrants for the State, printing, and overdrawn his account. This, his friends say, was done to keep up the Sentinel, the Democratic organ.

M. Heinke, who ran away from his father the Mardus de la Mare, and served in our army during the late war, and who figured in the duel with M. Valera, the tenor, in San Francisco, several years ago, is a cadet at the United States Military Academy at West Point, N. Y.

**DANGEROUS SPORTS.**—More accidents occur in hotels from children sliding on the balusters than from all other causes combined.

**LOS ANGELES, August 26.**—Reinforcements have been sent from Drum Barracks to Capt. Brown, at Pola Mission. The Indian feast commenced yesterday. On the arrival of Superintendent Whitney there will be a grand Council.

## VARIOUS ITEMS.

The clerk is known by his salary.  
General McClellan has gone to Texas.  
Brick Pomeroy is now "doing" Sonoma.  
Indigestion waits upon \$10,000 a year.

A kitchen poker is the best peace-maker.  
Contentment hovers about the twelfth brandy hot.

A hat band covers a multitude of grease spots.  
It is said that Father Hyacinthe intends to marry.

General Spinner has started on his homeward voyage.  
Virtue can not exist in a house of less than twelve rooms.

Pauline Markham's golden tresses fill a bushel measure.  
A Michigan judge solves technicalities by flipping a nickel.

Wit, without discretion, is a sword in the hand of a fool.  
A "curious rick" is talked of by the hair dressers of Boston.

Mrs. McFarland Richardson will reside permanently in Chicago.  
Hon. Hannibal Hamlin of Maine has arrived in San Francisco.

Victor Hugo has had five hundred thousand dollars left to him.  
Chicago explains that "chickensanity" means the same as "shenanigans."

Vermont grasshoppers have got round-shouldered chewing the short grass.  
The Arctic explorers took along an original prayer to read at the Pole.

Ex-President Johnson is going to Europe in the fall, for a two years visit.  
Brigadier-General A. B. Dyer, Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance, has arrived in California.

Professor Watson, of the observatory at Ann Arbor, Michigan, has discovered a new planet.  
Robert Buchanan, the poet, has been compelled to give up his public readings because of ill-health.

The Monroe (Virginia) Register comes out for Lyman Trumbull for President, and Gilbert C. Walker for Vice President.  
The Philadelphians have been so lazy that it is proposed to have elevators in