

BUSINESS CARDS.

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DEPOSITS RECEIVED SUBJECT TO check at sight.

Something New in Dentistry.

DR. E. O. SMITH, DENTIST, HAS LOCATED IN ALBANY, and has the new invention in plate work, which consists in inserting teeth in the mouth without covering the whole roof, as heretofore.

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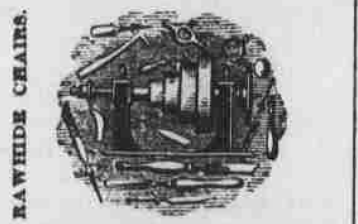
HAS JUST OPENED HIS NEW GROCERY establishment on corner of Ellisworth and First streets, near a fresh stock of Groceries, Provisions, Candles, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., to which he invites the attention of our citizens.

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JOHN SCHMEER, February 16-24-74

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Repairing neatly and expeditiously done at low rates.

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PETERS & SPEIDEL, Albany, March 7, 1873-27

U. S. MAIL!

Tri-Weekly Stage Line!

THE UNDERSIGNED is now running a tri-weekly stage from Lebanon to Albany, carrying the U. S. Mails, leaving Lebanon every Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings, and returning, leave Albany at 3 o'clock P. M. of said days.

Blain, Young & Co.'s Column.

Albany Register.

Subscribers finding an X after their names are informed that their subscription expires with that number, and they are invited to renew it.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

San Jose, Cal., people are having their pockets picked by pick-pockets.

The mines in the vicinity of Salt Lake, are growing in importance.

The expenses of the Modoc war are computed as averaging \$20,000 per day.

Ogden, Utah, is full of pick-pockets and robbers.

Idaho City and Boise City are on the decline.

Eight car loads of immigrants from the East reached Sacramento on a recent Friday.

Freight trains are reported by the Sentinel doing well between Jacksonville and Roseburg.

It rained fish-worms in profusion at Salt Lake on the 23d ult.

An Indian with the top of his head blown off was found dead near Silver City, Idaho, last week.

Ship building promises to be flourishing on the Sound this summer.

The new Cumberland Presbyterian church building, at Junction, will be dedicated on the fourth Sunday in June, Rev. T. H. Henderson, of Salem, officiating.

It is estimated that Douglas county has at present at least 200,000 sheep. Their fleeces will be worth \$250,000 if they average five pounds to the sheep.

From the Advocate the following items are obtained:

It is thought the expulsion of the Jesuits from Germany will increase our supply of the order, as they will flock hither.

Dr. J. F. Hurst has been elected President of Drew Theological Seminary in place of Bishop Foster. He was formerly Professor there.

The New Northwest expects to sail out again the last week in June.

Fare from Roseburg to San Francisco, via Coos Bay, is only \$15, says the Pantagraph.

Corvallis is soon to have a brass band of its own.

The Dalles folks hold over 300 tickets in the Omaha lottery.

At Silver City, Idaho, wood is only \$10 a cord.

A school district near Olympia has elected a woman director.

A tailless calf is the latest newborn novelty in Idaho.

Corvallis wheat buyers pay 72 cents for wheat.

The Post Office at Junction was robbed of \$40 on last Friday night.

The steamer fare from Coos Bay to San Francisco is \$10.

Two of the Warm Spring Indians have been killed in the Modoc war.

The dwelling house of Joseph Thompson, of Yaquina Bay, was recently consumed by fire.

A man named Rice has been sent to the Penitentiary for ten years from Douglas county for rape. Another named Brown, one year for attempting rape.

Butcher carts peddle beef at the Dalles, and sell it for three and six cents per pound.

A pistol shot wound in the hand caused the death of a son of Mr. Fitzpatrick, of Bake Oren, Wasco county, the other day.

The body of Alexander Dunbar, who was drowned last January in the South Umpqua river, was recovered on the 30th of last month about three miles below where he was drowned.

Mrs. Belonski, of San Francisco was arrested on the 7th for cruel and inhuman treatment to her children. She nearly destroyed the sight of one with a red hot poker, and then applied hot smoothing irons to a little girl's body in several places, burning her shockingly.

Rev. S. Bowers, of Salem, has in his library a copy of the first edition of Sandy's Ovid, printed in London in 1626. He also has a copy of Eusebius' Ecclesiastical History, printed in 1619, and the Christian Pattern, printed in 1684.

The Bulletin says a woman named Caroline Perry was arrested three times within two days for drunken and disorderly conduct, and still she does not seem to have enough trials. She was jealous.

All the buggies, wagons, carts wheelbarrows, of Salem, unaccountably found themselves gathered together in one place, on Wednesday of last week, says a Salem exchange. There was no order in the way in which owners rushed around to find their vehicles. Between the Sisters' School and Mr. Sloper's domicile they found them, and the laugh then came in. Very far-fetched was that joke.

Fathers, in Salem, with marriageable daughters, are anxious to procure self-adjusting, never-wear-out gate hinges, says Mercury.

Grasshoppers are so thick on the line of the Sacramento Valley Railroad as to retard the progress of trains.

James Jones of Walla Walla has made an assignment of his goods for the benefit of his creditors.

The Puget Sound Courier says: "On the first of the month the Indians on the Straits of Fuca held a grand 'pot-latch' a few miles below Port Angeles. Some trader, thinking to make a few dollars, took across a barrel of whisky to sell to the Indians. No sooner was his purpose discovered, however, than two of the principal Indians took axes and stove in the head of the barrel, emptying its contents out upon the ground. This is a case almost unparalleled in Indian history, for, generally, they are anxious to get all the fire-water possible. The Indians, by way of encouragement, were promoted to the rank of Chief and Marshal, by Superintendent Milroy."

The Episcopal Church at Walla Walla has a new organ.

Baker City is to have a colt show on the 14th inst.

E. M. White, of Genl City, has discovered a rich deposit of quartz about six miles from Genl City, on the Hogen road.

Some rich strikes in quartz have been made on Connor Creek, Baker county.

The Baker City Democrat says on last Thursday there was quite an excitement created on Burnt river by a lady on horseback, armed with a six-time shooter, riding at a breakneck speed—enquiring how far the stage was ahead. She overtook the stage at Snake river but the chap she was after had mounted a fleetier steed and was far beyond the reach of her vengeance. The cause of her wrath was not known.

On the 9th the large flouring mills at Corvallis, known as the "Corvallis Mills," owned by Mr. F. W. May, were totally consumed by fire. Loss, \$10,000; insurance, \$5,000. Corvallis is now without a flouring mill.

On last Sunday Brigham Young in the Tabernacle declared for total prohibition and its enforcement by the Salt Lake City council. The entire audience sustained the proposition by raised hands.

Gen. Schofield has telegraphed Gen. Davis, submitting to him the duty of appointing a commission for the trial of the Modoc prisoners on the spot.

At Seattle a company has been organized to erect gas works in that city.

A son of Thos. R. Jones, aged twelve years, at Swinomish, was drowned in the Skagit river on Sunday last. The father was nearly drowned in trying to rescue him.

A 69 pound salmon was caught two miles above Kalama last week.

Potatoes are few and dear at Boise City.

Manners of Modoc Prisoners.

News from Boyles Camp, Tule Lake Peninsula, June 8th, at noon, gives the particulars, herein condensed, of as disgraceful and atrocious an act of cold-blooded murder as was ever perpetrated on this coast:

About daylight yesterday morning, John and James Fairchild and a dozen other citizens left Fairchild's ranch on the banks of the Cottonwood Creek with seventeen Modoc captives, including Bogus Charley, Shacknasty Jim, Tyhee Jack, Poney, Little John and Moch. John Fairchild, Bogus and Shacknasty, and all the white men save James being mounted and armed rode in advance, soon after the start, leaving the balance of the party several miles behind. James had the Indians in a wagon drawn by four mules. At the crossing of Lost river, late in the afternoon, James came across the Oregon Volunteers under Captain Hiser, who were in camp and en route for home. The members of the company were scattered around the camp and engaged in various occupations, but upon the approach of the Indians they ran and armed themselves, and then gathered around the wagons.

At this point a long conversation occurred between Fairchild and Capt. Hiser, in regard to who these Indians were, etc., after which Fairchild and the train moved on. Shortly afterward, about two miles from Crawley's house on Lost River.

THE TRAIN WAS STOPPED BY TWO ARMED MEN

Who presented corked needle guns to Fairchild's head, said they were going to kill the Indians and Fairchild, too. They unhitched the mules from the wagon and cut the harness. Fairchild had no arms except a small pistol, and the Indians were entirely unarmed. In a moment there was a shot, and little John lay dead in the bed of the wagon, with a bullet in his brain. The four mules dashed away with Fairchild and tangled him in the harness. Five more shots in rapid succession and Tee hee Jack, Poney, and Moch, the remaining warriors, were dead, and little John's squaw had a frightful wound in her shoulder. Away ahead in the road and in the direction of Boyle's camp was a cloud of dust, indicating the approach of a team and hurriedly at that; the murderers espied the dust and in a moment were riding rapidly away. Sergeant Murphy of Battery G, 4th artillery, with ten men and a teamster, came by

the teams. The Sergeant took charge of affairs and remained with his men on the ground, and Fairchild, the teamster and the wounded squaw and her two children came hither. At 2 o'clock this morning Fairchild reached Gen. Davis' headquarters and related his story. Teams with an escort were at once sent out after the prisoners, dead and alive. No steps were taken for the apprehension of the fellows who performed the bloody work. It is generally supposed that the Oregon Volunteers are the guilty parties. Fairchild is of the opinion himself that the warriors killed were not charged with murder. Those who knew them best say that they have only participated in open fight; every one here condemns the affair as atrocious and without excuse. There is no doubt but the murders were carried out upon a carefully arranged plan as Mr. Fairchild noticed horsemen on the road ahead and behind him when the shots were fired. Had John Fairchild, instead of James, been present another murder might have been added to the list as the Oregonians are bitter in their hatred of John, the old man and other Californians.

ONE DAY'S LIST OF SUICIDES IN PARIS.

There were no fewer than eight suicides in one day in Paris lately. A lady in the Rue de la Pepiniere strangled herself with a cord at 8 o'clock in the morning leaving every one in ignorance of the cause of her fatal determination. At the same hour a man precipitated himself from the Austerlitz bridge in to the Seine. A printer followed his example later on in the afternoon. Then a young man adopted the strange method of throwing himself under the feet of omnibus horses, and was mortally injured. Two cases of deliberate suffocation took place, one being by a young man crossed in love. The saddest of the eight deaths was, however, that of two girls young and poor, who, after dancing all night at the ball of the Parisian "Florists," agreed quietly to put an end to their existence. One of these, Angeline Lachemy, died for the very simple reason that she was tired of life. The other, Eugenie Hardy, committed suicide from chagrin caused by disappointment in love. Both of these girls were only fifteen years old.

THE AFRICAN FLY.

One of the most extraordinary facts revealed to us by Dr. Livingstone's explorations in Africa is that the high table land of the interior, with its rich agricultural resources, its noble flora, its fine temperature, broad inland seas, and inexhaustible store of mineral wealth, is rendered all but impenetrable to civilized man, certainly beyond all reach of colonization, by one of the most apparently insignificant of causes—fly. This terrible insect is a little brown, yellow-striped fly, call the tsetse, scarcely larger than our common household pest, but whose sting is absolutely fatal. So deadly is its poison that it is said three or four flies will kill a large ox. Soon after the bite which gives little or no pain, staggering and blindness comes on; the body swells to an enormous size; the coat turns rough, and in a few hours follow convulsions and death. And yet this deadly poison, under the effect of which the horse and ox, the sheep and the dog, fall as if plague-stricken, is perfectly harmless to man, to wild animals, to the pig, mule, ass, goat. Here is an achievement for science that would bring glory to the discoverer—the discovery of some antidote to the sting of this venomous fly, which would open the treasures of Central Africa to the use of the world.

Newspaper mistakes are scarcely unavoidable. Every issue of many journals involves the placing of 150,000 types. Out of that number some will be wrongly placed, in spite of the best of care. A Pittsburgh paper made a rather ridiculous blunder lately and yet there was only one letter out of place. The editor said "The Legislature pasted (passed) the bill over the Governor's head."

"Who dat hit me?" "Who swung dat lantern?" were the exclamations of an astonished darkey, after having been thrown something like a hundred feet by a locomotive.

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