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VOLUME FIVE. - This number closes volume five of the REGISTER. If we have deserved the patronage of the public in the past, we hope to make the REGISTER still more deserving of a liberal patronage in the future. At the commencement of the year we adopted the cash system-payment of subscriptions in advance-experience satisfying us that in no other way could we publish the REGISTER with profit to ourself. We shall continue the same line of policy in the future. All subscriptions ending with this number will be discontinued, unless payment for another year be made before the issue of No. 1 Vol. 6. It is much the best plan, both for the publisher and the subscriber, to pay as you go; the subscriber is in no worry about duns, and the publisher knows to a dot just how far his finances will allow him to indulge in any additions or attractions that may suggest themselves for the benefit of his patrous. - We hope the cash system will receive the endorsement of every one of our readers, and that many new ones may be added to our lists.

ONCE MORE.-There are quite a number of persons in Linn county who are indebted to us for the REGIS-TER from the first number issued, to number 17 of volume 5-four years and four months. All of them, we believe, have been dunned, and all of them promised to pay-but, we are sorry to say, with one or two exceprions, all of them have failed to make good their promise. They owe us the money, and we are not able to make them presents of the accounts; but it they will come forward and pay us any time during September, 1873, we will allow them reasonable discount on their bills. We make this offer as an inducement for all to pay up, as we do not wish to sue on each account. We simply want what is due us, nothing more.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY .- The attendance at the Republican primary in this city last Saturday was the smallest within our knowledge, seventeen being the highest vote cast for any Delegate. Our Democratic friends, who met to elect delegates immediately after the adjournment of the Republican primary, claim to have had a larger attendance, a prominent Democrat telling us that they had "twenty-five Democrats and three white men." The following gentlemen were elected delegates to the Republican County Convention: M. C. George, S. Dawson, Geo. F. Simpson W. S. Newbury, N. B. Humphrey, L. Elkins, Benj. Turley, J. Hannon, C. Mealey, Coll. Van Cleve.

PINE CHEEK, W. T .- We are in receipt of a note from Mr. J. M. Propst, dated Pine Creek (W. T.). August 18th, in which the writer informs us that their health in that country is excellent, and all Oregonians thereabouts doing well. They are busy harvesting, with good crops. Wheat and oats, sown on the sod, are yielding, the first twenty, and the latter thirty bushels to the acre. Mr. Propst has side outs with heads that measure twelve inches in length. Grass was luxuriant and green at the date of the note, the days warm and nights cool. Mr. P. thinks that portion of W. T. better farming country than the Willamette Valley.

Figs.-We are indebted to Mr. Star Mealey for two of the largest ripe figs. grown in the garden of his father h. this city, we have ever seen. They were ripe and luscious.

FIRE.-A frame building on the corner of Sixth and Ellsworth streets, caught fire and was burned to the ground on Sunday evening. The fire occurred between eight and nine o'clock in the evening. The firemen were on hand as usual, getting water from an old well in Court House block. The upper portion of the building was all in flames before the cry of fire was raised, but nearly everything of value was rescued from the lower story before the fire reached them. By the gullant exertions of citizens and firemen, the building adjoining, occupied by Mr. Hart, was saved. Buckets full of water, passed from the pump in the kitchen, by willing hands, and thrown on to the roof next to the burning building, saved it, although on fire several times in many places. It was hot, close work, and at one time it was thought the boys would be driven by the side-track at Latham until the the intense heat from the building; but the boys, headed by our County Clerk, stuck to their posts, and got away with the fire on that building. The building was but slightly damaged. The damage sustained by Mr. Hart, the cost will be almost nothing as comin the removal of furniture from the building, was inconsiderable. The building belonged to Mr. D. Froman, wish to continue the trip as far as was occupied by Mr. Butler, who had fare. All who wish to go should apply an insurance on the furniture amount- for tiekets to the Committee-W. S. ing to \$1,000. We never saw a build- Newbury and Coll. Van Cleve. ing burn so rapidly. A fire cistern is badly needed in that section of the city, as the nearest obtainable water was more than two blocks away. Since writing the above we barn that there was an insurance on clothing of \$600total insurance, \$1,600.

SHOOTING SCRAPE. -On Tuesday at Jefferson, a man named Miller shot another named Slater. Drs. Smith, of Jefferson, and Rice, of this city, were called in and made an examination of the wound. They found that a ball from a small pistol had entered the body of Slater, on the righs side, about the seventh rib, making a painful if not dangerous wound. They did not succeed, on Tuesday, in finding and extracting the ball. At a preliminary examination held before Justice Crow, on Wednesday, at Jefferson, the following facts were elicited: Charles Miller, an old man, and James Slater, a soldier of the late war, got into a dispute in relation to money which Slater alleged Miller was owing him. Miller was riding in a wagon, in which rode another man and a woman, while Slater was on horseback, leading another horse, belind the wagon. Suddenly, while words were passing between the two, Miller drew a derringer, fired at and hit Slater, as above described. Slater, who is reported to have been in poor health for some time past, was severely wounded while fighting the battles of his country, and in consequence thereof was drawing a pension from go ment. We learn that Miller was held to bail in the sum of one thousand dollars to answer at the next term of the Marion County Circuit Court. Hon. Geo. R. Helm for the defense, N. B. Humphrey, District Attorney, prosecuting.

NEED REPROOF .- We have some boys in this place, youngsters about half way along to a monstache, at that age when they have the least sense and the most impudence, that would be suitable subjects for all of Solomou's rod, not a stroke being misapplied, Looking out of our office window the other day, we saw two of those "smartles," arm in arm, in a half sufflle, pushing their way noisily along the sidewalk to the annoyance of every passer. Arriving at the corner of the street where stood a youth of about their own age from the country, the one on the outside gave the other a violent push sending him butt with his shoulder against the country boy, nearly knocking him off his pins. They then took to their heels. The victim of their ill-manners looked after them a moment, and then quietly pursucd his way. This act of these two boys was not only III-mannered and mean, but cowardly, which nothing but a good spanking would correct.

SHEEP.-Stock sheep are selling at from \$1 25 to \$1 75 per head.

EXCURSION TO LATHAM .- The Odd Fellows of this city and their friends will have an excursion by rail to Latham, on Pass Creek, at the head of the Willamette Valley-some twenty mlles beyond Engene. Tickets will be issued for the round trip, good for ten days, for the small sum of \$4 50 each. The camping ground is as pretty a one as there is in the State, and is some 600 feet higher than this valley. The streams afford excellent sport for the disciples of Izak Walton, abounding with trout, while grouse and deer are as plentiful as the most ardent Nimrod could desire. The company will go prepared to camp out and enjoy the free, careless life of the mountains for several days. One or more cars will be provided (as the number of excurtionists may require), especially for their use, and will remain on perty desire to return. Each excurtionist will be allowed one hundred pounds of baggage. This will be the pleasantest and most enjoyable excursion that ever left this city, while pared with the cost in visiting other localities for pleasure. Those who and was not insured-loss, \$800. It Oakland, can secure tickets at half

> BROWNSVILLE ITEMS .- A correspondent at Brownsville writes as tollows: A few nights since a valuable horse belonging to Mr. Wm. Templeton was kicked by another horse that had succeeded in breaking his halter during the night, breaking one of the fore legs. It was deemed advisable, and the injured horse was shot. The machine boys raised quite a collection to reimburse Mr. T. for his loss. On the evening of the 27th, an outhouse belonging to B. F. Barton caught fire and was consumed, and it was only by the most strenuous exertions that the dwelling near by was saved. Loss, about \$100. On the 28th, as Mr. Redham was riding toward the threshing machine, a horse just ahead of him pulled down a post to which he was hitched, and ran, rendering unmanagable the animal he was riding, which threw him with great violence to the ground, while, as if to add insult to injury, the horse attached to the post ran over him, inflicting severe, but It is hoped, not fatal injuries. Considerable sickness, principally among children, prevails in Brownsville. Diarrhea and flux is what's the matter.

DRY GOODS .- N. Baum is expected up from San Francisco on the next steamer with an immense stock of dry goods of every description, among which will be found the latest in ladies dress goods, trimmings, etc., together with boots, shoes, hats, caps, and a splendid stock of men's and boys' clothing. Baum's acknowledged is an assurance that the ladies will enjoy a rare treat in viewing rich and beautiful goods displayed on his counters for their special use and benefit, upon his return. A general invitation is extended to all to call and examine his new goods upon their arrival.

RUNAWAY - ARM BROKEN .- Mr. Chas. Barnes, an old citizen of this county, was thrown from a wagon on Wednesday, causing the breaking of his left arm in two places, at the elbow, and between the elbow and shoulder, and bruising his head and body considerably. He has a span of large young horses, which he was driving, hitched to a wagon. In going down a little pitch beyond the depot, the wagon tongue fell to the ground, letting the wagon on to the horses, which caused them to run away, serionsly if not fatally injuring Mr. Barnes as above mentioned, and tearing the wagon to pieces.

As DESIRED .- All of our subscribers who wish, can receive the REGISTER. on the first floor of the Register Building, in the store-room now occupied by Mr. W. H. Dodd, thus saving post-

"WHY! YOU KEEP EVERYTHING" -A remark very commonly made by persons paying their first visit to the complete and well arranged store of A. Wheeler & Co., at Shedd.

PERSONAL .- Mr. Goldsmith, President of the W. R. T. Co., was in the city on Monday.

Layton Blain, Esq., of Blain, Young & Co., started for 'Frisco and new goods on Monday.

Mi's Flora Star starts for her home In Southern Callfornia this week.

Messrs. Dave Froman and J. Althouse returned from the mountains on Tuesday. They got away with several deer and one black bear.

Dick Williams and J. B. Congle, both of Portland, were in the city the first of the week.

Mr. J. M. Metzler, of Jefferson, the great enair builder, was, in the city on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. Butcher and family leave us next week for their new home at

Mrs. Cranor is slowly recovering from her late illness. Dr. Smith, of Jefferson, talks of

locating in this city. Col. Saxe and lady have been stop-

ping at the St. Charles during the week. Mrs. Harper is spending the week in Corvallis.

J. R. Moors, Esq., Land Agent of O. & C. R. R. Co., beamed upon us Wednesday-the same jolly, genial Mr. Chas. Cartwright, of Salem,

has been in the city during the week. Mr. G. B. Blood, insurance agent, returned to the city, after a long absence, on Wednesday.

Mr. W. O. Palmer will engage in merchandising at Tangent. He's a brick, and deserves patronage.

Mr. Thomas Hannon, brother of Archimides Hannon, a former resident of Linu county, arrived in this city from America a few days since. He comes to reside here.

SHIKNESS,-A great deal of sickness prevails among those of our citizens who fled to the mountains for health and sport. Diarrhea seems to be the general "ail."

SPANISH MERINOS .- Peter Saxe has on exhibition at Montgomery's stables, several pure blooded Spanish Merino bucks. They furnish very fine silky wool, and lots of it. See them.

CONUNDRUM .- If the "combination" won't unlock a safe, what will?" was the conundrum W. H. McFarland was trying to solve on Tuesday.

REED'S PANORAMA -This beautiful piece of art, consisting of thirty paintings of Oregon scenery, will be exhibited in this city during the coming County Fair. It has been exhibited to the people of Salem and Portland, where it has received the highest praise. As it is entirely an Oregon production, our people should and will certainly patrouize it well. Due notice of the time will be given.

Stranger .- "Do the Chinese occupy rooms in that brick building? -"No. Why do you ask?" S .-"Why, that sign over the stairway there-Isn't it a wash-house sign?" C.-"Pshaw! Can't you read? That's the sign of the State Rights Democrat."

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE. - With R.K. Warren as President, and an efficient corps of assistants, commences the school year on Monday next, with flattering prospects for a large attend-

DISTRICT SCHOOL-Will open next Monday, under charge of Mr. T. J. Stites, assisted by Mr. John Kitchen and Mrs. Adda Mansfield.

HARVESTING-Has been seriously impeded by the heavy rains of the torepart of the week, and no little wheat damaged, we fear.

THUNDER STORM .- We were visited with quite a storm of thunder, wind and rain on Monday night.

CAUTION!-In our changeable elimate, coughs, colds, and lung diseases will always prevail. Consumption will claim its victims. These diseases, if taken in time, can be arrested and cured. The remedy is Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

We pledge our reputation on the assertion that any educated physician, after a careful examination of the recipe, will say that Parsons' Purgative Pills possess more merit than any other pill now offered for sale.

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CASH paid for WHEAT, OATS, PORE, BUTTER, EGGS and POULTRY.

The Wear and Tear of Life.

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The cares, anxieties and misfortunes of life have as much to do with shortening it as disease. They are in fact the source of many atiments and physical disabilities. Nervous weakness, dyspepsia, affections of the liver, disturbances of the bowels, headache, hypochondria and monomania are among these distressing fruits. It is, therefore, of great importance that persons whose minds are concressed with heavy business responsibilities, or hamssed by family troubles, or excited by speculation, or perplexed by a multiplicity of enterprises, or in any way over axed or overworked, should keep up their stamina by the daily use of a wholesome tonic. Thousands of persons thus circumstanced are enabled to bear up against the difficulties in which they are involved, and to retain their strength, health and menial cearness, by the regular use of Hessether's Stomach filters. Diseases which are prone to attack the body when debiliated and broken down by over-much brain work or exhausting physical labor, are kent at bay by the resistant power with which this incomparable tenic endows the nervous system and the vital organs. At this season, when the heat is evaporating the caments of strength from every yore, an invigorant is absolutely essential to the safety and control of the public and is required even by the more robust if they desire to keep their athlete capabilities in satus que. Hence a course of Hostetier's Bitters is particularly useful at this period of the year as a defence against the invisible disease affoat in a suitry atmosphere. It is is particularly useful at this period of the year as a defence against the invisible disease affoat in a suitry atmosphere. It is the most potent of all present live medicales, and for all complaints which affect the stomach, the liver and the bowels, and interfere with the perfect digestion and assimilation of food, it is the standard remedy. August.

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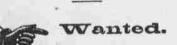
with safety and dispatch.

They are prepared to furnish all the sacks needed.

Don't be frightened by the old cry that we are getting more than we can store; Call and see for yourselves.

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A LARGE AMOUNT OF FLAX SEED wanted, for which we will pay the

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Present Quotations: Common and Volunteer, Je b extra fine and clean, \$2 25 \ 60 Bs. C. B. COMSTOCK & CO. Aug. 15-n50

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Monday, September 1, 1873. R. K. WARREN, President.

FARMERS!

Notice ! Take

THE NEW AND WELL-ARRANGED Warehouse of R. Cheadle, with improved cleaning aparatus of ample capacity, is now prepared to receive grain for the harvest of 1873.

Furmers wishing to store or sell wheat, will find it to their advantage to see me before selling cisewhere. All will be rurnished with sacks to move their grain by calling on me.

The highest cash price will be paid for good merchantable wheat at all times.

E. S. MERRILL, an old clizen of Albany, of excellent business qualifications, has taken charge of the warehouse, and will superintend the receiving and delivery of all grain passing through it.

Albany, July 23, 1873-5647m3