

**Albany Register.**

**LOCAL MATTERS.**

**POST OFFICE REGISTER.**

**MAILS ARRIVE:**  
From Railroad (north and south) daily at 12:30 P. M.  
From Corvallis, daily, at 10:30 A. M.  
From Lebanon, tri-weekly, (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) at 10:30 A. M.  
**MAILS DEPART:**  
For Railroad north and south, daily, close promptly at 11 A. M.  
For Corvallis, daily, at 1:50 P. M.  
For Lebanon, tri-weekly, (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) at 2 P. M.  
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P. H. RAYMOND, P. M.

The REGISTER is issued twice each week (Wednesday and Saturday mornings) at the low price of three dollars per year, in advance. Call at the office, corner of First and Ferry streets, and subscribe.

**COUNCIL**—Meets to-morrow night. Regular meeting, Tuesday evening.

Owing to illness we have been unable to devote the usual attention to this issue of the REGISTER.

**THAWING**—Is what's the matter now. Weather warm, streaked with sunshine and clouds.

**A TURKEY**—Setting on top of Paxton's photograph gallery, on Wednesday morning, created much excitement among the boys.

**CANAL**—The Canal Company have paid out thirty-seven thousand dollars for the work done so far.

**WOOLEN MILL**—Articles of incorporation for the erection of a woollen mill will be placed on file in a day or two. Capital stock, \$90,000. This is business.

**SCIPPER**—The M. E. Sunday School people are to have a grand blow out at the Pacific Opera House on Christmas eve, we learn. A committee of young ladies are already making the necessary arrangements.

**REVERIOUS**—Meetings continue nightly at the M. E. Church, and considerable interest has been awakened. Rev. Mr. Driver preaches this evening. He is probably the most eloquent divine of the Methodist Church on the Pacific coast.

**PICTURES**—Mr. Paxton, ever ahead of all others, is taking a new style of picture, which some prefer to any of the other styles. The large photograph of Father Douthitt, executed by Paxton, for the Odd Fellows Lodge of this city, is one of the most complete and perfectly finished pictures we have ever seen. As an artist Paxton takes the lead on this coast or any other.

**PERSONAL**—Tim. Davenport, of Silverton, wife and baby, were in the city on Tuesday.

Hamilton Boyd, insurance man of Portland, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Alexander is still seriously ill at his farm, some nine or ten miles from this city. His friends feel quite anxious about him.

Mrs. F. M. Westfall is lying very sick at her residence in this city.

Elder Alfred Powell has removed from this city to Ilwaco.

**SETTLE**—Considerable more than half the earnings of the REGISTER, for two years past, still remain unpaid. If other bills are as hard to collect as are the printers, we don't wonder at the grumbling to be heard on every hand. There would seem to be no good reason why this state of affairs should exist. We would much prefer that those who are indebted to us would pay up and quit, rather than continue their flattering "promises." Business is business, and those that pay us are our best friends. If we receive the money due us we can pay those we owe—but unless we do receive our earnings, we must suffer unnumbered dunnings without the power to pungle. This state of things has existed long enough—our patience ceases with the new year.

**DIED.**  
In this city, December 13th, 1873, ABAGAIL, wife of ELDER ALFRED POWELL, in her 65th year.

In purchasing a machine select the most popular!!!

**NEW TRIUMPHS!**  
**SALES OF LAST YEAR.**

THE STATISTICS FROM SWORN RETURNS of the Sales of Sewing Machines in 1872, reported in 1873, show that the Singer Manufacturing Company sold, last year, over FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND more machines than ANY other Company, and over one quarter of all machines sold during that year. Nine out of ten of said Singer Machines were for FAMILY use—proving the great popularity of the Singer in the household. Annexed are the Sales of the different makers:

MACHINES.	Sold
The Singer Manufacturing Co.	219,738.
Wheeler & Wilson M <sup>fg</sup> Co.	174,088
Howe Machine Co. (estimated)	145,000
Grover & Baker S. M. Co.	83,410
Domestic S. M. Co.	49,554
Wood S. M. Co.	42,444
Wilcox & Gibbs S. M. Co.	33,539
Wilson S. M. Co.	22,666
Amer. B. H. O. & S. M. Co.	18,930
Gold Medal S. M. Co.	18,297
Florence S. M. Co.	15,793

TITUS, BOURGARDES & Co., Agents, Albany, Or.

Also, all kinds of machine needles kept for sale. nov15y73

**A. WHEELER & CO.,**  
**SHEDD, OREGON,**  
**Forwarding & Commis'n Merchants.**

Dealers in Merchandise and Produce. A good assortment of all kinds of Goods always in store at lowest market rates. Agents for sale of Wagons, Grain Drills, Cider Mills, Churns, &c., &c. CASH paid for WHEAT, OATS, PORK, BUTTER, EGGS and POULTRY.

**SPECIAL CABLE DISPATCH.**

**From the World's Fair.**  
VIENNA, AUSTRIA, Aug. 20, '73.  
W. G. WILSON, Esq., President Wilson Sewing Machine Company, Cleveland, Ohio.—The Wilson Sewing Machine received the GRAND PRIZE MEDAL for being the Best Sewing Machine, and a Grand Prize (medal of honor) was awarded to the Wilson Sewing Machine Co. for manufacturing sewing machines in the best manner, from the best material, and by the best known mechanical principles. These celebrated machines are now on exhibition and for sale at the store of  
111f. BLAIN, YOUNG & CO.

**NEW TO-DAY.**  
**CITY MARKET,**  
W. H. MENDENHALL, PROP'R.

WILL ENDEAVOR TO BE ALWAYS supplied with the best meats to be had in the market, and will be ever ready to accommodate those who may favor him with a call. 27v6

**FRANKLIN MEAT MARKET**  
FIRST STREET, ALBANY, OREGON.  
**J. L. HARRIS,**  
PROPRIETOR.

WILL ENDEAVOR TO KEEP constantly on hand a full supply of ALL KINDS OF MEATS, which will be of the very best quality. The highest market price paid for hogs, and sheep. Third door west of Ferry, on south side of First street. J. L. HARRIS. Albany, Dec. 15, 1873-1874

**Special Notice.**  
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING SOLD out their entire interest in the hardware business, etc., in this city to Messrs. Clark & West, request those indebted to them to call at the old stand and square accounts. W. H. KUHN & CO. Albany, Dec. 3, 1873-2w

**Notice.**  
TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Linn County Agricultural Association: There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Linn County Agricultural Association at the Pacific Opera House, in Albany, Linn county, Oregon, on Thursday, January 1st, 1874, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing seven Directors to serve for one year, or until their successors are elected and qualified.  
C. P. BURKHART, Pres.  
W. W. PARRELL, Sec.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**FIREMEN'S BALL!**  
ALBANY ENGINE COMPANY NO. 1  
—will give a—  
**GRAND BALL!**  
IN ALBANY, AT THE  
**PACIFIC OPERA HOUSE,**  
—on—  
**NEW YEARS EVE, Dec. 31, 1873.**  
COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:  
JAS. HERREN, WM. TALLY,  
WM. BENJAMIN, GEO. CLINE,  
JOE WEBBER.  
RECEPTION COMMITTEE:  
M. V. BROWN, A. N. ARNOLD,  
N. BAUM.  
FLOOR COMMITTEE:  
WM. BENJAMIN, N. B. HUMPHREY,  
L. KLINE, WM. TALLY,  
J. B. HERREN, GEO. CLINE.  
A general invitation is extended. Firemen are requested to appear in uniform. TICKETS (including supper at the St. Charles Hotel) 25c

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

**Only about a Half Dozen**  
MITCHELL WAGONS left at Register Building, Albany.

**For Hardware,**  
GO TO **DODD'S.**

**For Groceries,**  
FRESH AND GOOD—GO TO **DODD'S.**

**For Plows,**  
MOLINE, PEORIA, CAST CASTSTEEL, **DODD'S** is the place to get them.

**FOR**  
ANYTHING YOU WANT, FIRST TRY **DODD'S.**

**For Domestic Sewing Machine,**  
WHY! DON'T FAIL TO CALL AT **DODD'S.**

**For the Latest in**  
BUCK SAWS, AXES, PITCHFORKS, etc., give **DODD** a call, anyway.

**When You Want**  
CIDER PRESSES, OR FARM MACHINERY of any kind, call at the Register Building and see **DODD.**

**GO TO THE**  


**BEE-HIVE STORE!**  
TO BUY  
**Groceries,**  
**Provisions,**  
**Notions,**  
&c., &c., &c.,  
**CHEAP FOR CASH!**  
Country Produce of All Kinds  
BOUGHT FOR MERCHANDISE OR  
**CASH!**  
This is the place to get the BEST BARGAINS ever offered in Albany. Parties will always do well to call and see for themselves.  
H. WEED.  
First street, Albany, Oregon. 32v5

**THE**  
**OLD STOVE DEPOT.**  
**JOHN BRIGGS,**  
Dealer in

**RANGES.**  
COOK, PARLOR AND BOX,  
**STOVES!**  
Of the best patterns.  
ALSO: TIN, SHEET IRON AND COPPER WARE.  
And the usual assortment of furnishing as to be obtained in a tin store.  
repairs neatly and promptly executed, on reasonable terms.  
Short reckonings make long friends,  
FRONT STRE T, ALBANY.  
Dec. 5, 1886-1

**ALBANY**  
**Collegiate Institute!**  
Next term opens,  
**Monday, September 1, 1873.**  
R. K. WARREN, President.

**Coal Bay Coal Agency.**  
**BERRYMAN & DOYLE.**  
DEALERS in Cumberland, Lehigh and all descriptions of Foreign and Domestic Coals. Also, PIG IRON. Bulkhead—between Pacific and Jackson street wharves, San Francisco, Cal. 18v5

**\$2 50. \$2 50.**

**Oregon Granger,**  
The Advocate of  
**HOME INDUSTRY,**  
—and—  
**Internal Improvements!**

**WORKING MANS' ORGAN.**  
—of the—  
**FAMILY PAPER**  
It Circulates  
**Everywhere!**

**NORTH-WEST.**  
**Weekly Paper,**  
—For—  
**\$2 50 PER ANNUM.**  
Published Every Thursday.  
**ALBANY, LINN COUNTY, OREGON.**

The County Clerk's records of a Western city show that more marriage licenses are granted on Monday than on any other day. This is probably caused by the sparkings of the Sunday nights. The boys haven't had time to get over that last squeeze at the garden gate.

Benevolent persons have been advertising gold watches and like gifts for a dollar, during several years, and by this time every man in the country should be rich.

Wheat has been grown this year with great success in the valley of Blue River, in Weston, Colorado, over the snowy range, and 200 miles beyond the settlements.

English agricultural writers say a great deal about the necessity of progress, and yet they all insist on spelling wagon with two gs.

SEED WHEAT.—Howell, Harper & Co. have for sale a choice article of Wheat for seed, such as Fall or White Winter, Click and Chila Club, Sonora, &c., &c., all of which they will dispose of by exchanging for other wheat, or on other terms which will suit. n11f.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**NEW GOODS!**  
**MONTAGUE & McCULLY,**  
LEBANON, OREGON,  
HAVE JUST RECEIVED, AND ARE constantly receiving, large invoices of late style  
**DRY GOODS,**  
**FRESH GROCERIES,**  
**NEW CLOTHING,** and  
**General Merchandise!**  
which they will dispose of on the fairest and most accommodating terms. A general invitation is extended to all to call and examine our new line of Dress Goods, late styles of Clothing, head wear, boots, shoes, &c., &c., the very latest in market, and selected with the view of meeting the requirements of this people.  
**MONTAGUE & McCULLY.**  
October 18, 73m3

**W. H. McFARLAND,**  
(LATE M. M. HARVEY & CO.)  
Opposite the hotels,  
**Albany, Oregon,**  
**STOVES, RANGES,**  
**Force and Lift Pumps,**  
**LEAD AND IRON PIPE,**  
**Hollow Ware,**  
**HOUSE FURNISHING HARDWARE,**  
**Tin, Copper and Sheet Iron Ware.**  
**LARGEST STOCK IN THE VALLEY.**  
Lowest Prices Every Time.  
Repairing Properly Done. 40v3

**BUILDERS, ATTENTION!**  
SASH, BLIND, AND DOOR  
**FACTORY.**  
S. H. ALTHOUSE. J. F. BACKENSTO.  
W. KETCHUM.

**ALTHOUSE & CO.,**  
Lyon Street, on the River Bank,  
ALBANY, OREGON.  
Keep on hand a full assortment, and are prepared to  
**FURNISH TO ORDER,**  
**Doors, Sash, Blinds, and Mouldings,**  
Such as  
**CROWN, PANEL, BAND & SECTION MOLD,**  
Of all sizes  
**WINDOW AND DOOR FRAMES,**  
**Flooring, Siding,**  
—And—

**All other kinds of Building Material.**  
ALSO: PREPARED TO DO MILL work, furnish shaker fans, zigzag makers, suction fans, driving pulleys of any kind, at our factory on Lyon street (on the river bank), next below Markham's warehouse. **ALTHOUSE & CO.** Albany, Feb. 16, 1882-14