

**Albany Register.**

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1874.

**PARAGRAPHS.**

Hunters in mourning.  
 News—it rained yesterday.  
 Mumps has got the little folks.  
 Dave Froman, as a paper hanger, is a successist.  
 The REGISTER, for balance of the volume, seven months, for \$1 50.  
 The sock factory at Jefferson wants to come to this city. Let it come.  
 It is reported that Vivian will entertain this people at the Opera House on Monday night.  
 Hiram Smith, of Harrisburg, was in the city the first of the week, settling up an estate.  
 Valentine's day is next in order. Foslay has 'em, of all sizes and prices. During the recent dampness many farmers have been engaged in breaking up sod land.  
 The Santiam Academy, located at Lebanon, under the management of Prof. Nickerson, is prospering finely.  
 The average hop yield in Oregon is placed at 2,000 pounds per acre.  
 Elder J. M. Stephenson lectures at the Court House on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Subject—Prophetic history of the Bible.  
 Ike Conn is finishing up a neat residence on Washington and Third streets.  
 Steamers calculate to make regular trips as far up the Willamette as Eugene City during high water.  
 Death entered the family of F. Sneider, near Lebanon, last Thursday, taking a little daughter.  
 Dr. Ballard's team ran away with him a few days since, near Lebanon, throwing him from the buggy and bruising him severely.  
 The stringency in the egg market is painful. There has been a large falling off in deposits of late, many of the hens having entirely suspended, while others are holding on to their reserves. It is thought, however, that nearly all will be able to resume in the spring, when the crops begin to move.  
 The peddlers struck one wrong man, for them at least, for so soon as he found he had been made a victim of misplaced confidence, he went for them with the law—and they disgorged.  
 Some jackass says, "Cheer up, cheer up; it's a long lane that has no turn." Don't we know it? Of course it's a long lane that has no turn. How perfectly absurd to expect a fellow to "cheer up" because a long lane has no turn! We decline to cheer up for any such reason.  
 Dallas Price has made a good thing trapping during the winter, and he hasn't gone far from the city, either. He has caught several fine mink, otter, beaver, &c.  
 An Iowa school teacher has been discharged for the very excusable offence of kissing a female assistant. We should like to know what inducement there is for any person to exile himself to the country districts of Iowa to direct the young idea in its musket practice. If he is to be denied the ordinary luxuries of life? If a Platonic exercise in osculation, occasionally, cannot be connived at, where are the mitigating circumstances in the dreary life of a schoolmaster?  
 "I see," said a Chicago lawyer, "a band of white-robed angels crossing the silvery strand, with beaming faces, bearing in their hands the laurel wreath of peace to place upon the brows of these innocent young people?" And the jury sent those "innocent young people" to the penitentiary for ten years for participating in the panel game.  
 A note from Dr. H. Y. Steele, of San Francisco, informs us that he will probably visit this city during the summer.  
 Some person in a Georgia Court "applauded" whereupon the Judge (we quote from the *Griffin News*) indignantly remarked, "Now dry up; I will let you know that this is no camp meeting!"

If the gates of heaven were suddenly to swing open and all mankind be asked on equal terms to enter into the kingdom, don't you know some people who would pause to see what some other people were going to do about it, and some would draw back for fear the celestial city was getting vulgar; and some who would refuse altogether, if they saw the so-and-so's about to enter?

Elder Mattoon, of the Baptist church, administered the rites of baptism by immersion, in the Willamette, last Sunday, to a young man in this city.

A young lady came to the city the other day to have her picture taken. When the artist showed her the "proof" and asked her how she liked it, she placidly remarked that he "put too darned much mouth on it to suit her."

Those gentlemanly merchants, Messrs. Montague & McCalley, of Lebanon, have completed and moved into their elegant new store.

Josh Billings says: "I will state for the information of those who haven't had a chance to lay in sekrit wisdom as freely as I have, that one single hornet who feels well can break up a whole camp-meeting."

Oregon has one hundred and fifty acres devoted to hop raising. Oregon hops find ready sale at the highest market price.

"What comes after T!" asked a teacher of a small pupil, who was learning the alphabet. He received the bewildering reply: "You do—to see 'Liza.'"

H. C. Clement gave a social party at his residence on Monday evening. A squeegeous time was had.

Garden-making has got some of our people bad.

From the Ochoco country we learn that stock is doing well, and the weather is pleasant.

Yes, Cannon is about again, after a severe attack of pneumonia.

W. E. Howell, of Howell, Harper & Co., started for Frisco on Thursday. He goes to lay in a stock of agricultural implements and machines.

Peddlers have been selling our people goods from a "bankrupt" stock, which they run through from England on the "remnant act," and therefore sold them cheaper than many merchants in Halbanoy could possibly sell 'em. A great number of those who purchased from the peddlers would like to "sell out" again. In one or more cases the peddlers were compelled to disgorge.

Recorder Herren is assessing city property.

The Corvallis stage is making regular time daily, notwithstanding the deep mud. Jess. Spencer holds the ribbons.

Our wheat buyers are offering 90c@91 per bushel for wheat.

Graft & Collar have gone to work in earnest, and are turning out some excellent cabinetware. For all kinds of furniture, call on them.

County Court week, gobs of business.

Dr. Alexander is about again, although not entirely recovered.

It is now unlawful to offer for sale deer, elk or moose. As to the unlawfulness of presenting an editor with a few dried venison hams about these times, the law is unnecessarily silent.

N. Baum goes to Frisco soon, to lay in an immense stock of goods.

Wm. McBride, Sr., died at the residence of his son, in Orleans Precinct, Linn county, on Monday, aged 87 years. He was born in North Carolina. He had been a resident of Oregon since 1834.

Job work is beginning to throw itself in sight, which makes us lark a pleasant lark.

Young Smith was walking out with the idol of his heart, the other evening, and they chose the favorite resort of lovers, the goat pasture near the dam. While admiring the falls and getting their noses reddened by the north wind, she burst out rapturously, "Isn't that dam splendid?" She nearly fainted away when Smith answered that he wasn't used to hearing young ladies swear, and another engagement is broken off.

Eugenie is looking well, notwithstanding her widow's weeds. She will not marry again, however.

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<b>MACHINES.</b>	
The Singer Manufacturing Co. Sold 219,738.	
Wheeler & Wilson Mfg Co. Sold 174,888	
Howe Machine Co. (estimated). " 145,000	
Grover & Baker S. M. Co. " 92,010	
Domestic S. M. Co. " 49,554	
Weed S. M. Co. " 42,444	
Wilson & Gibbs S. M. Co. " 33,939	
Wilson S. M. Co. " 22,995	
Amer. B. H. O. & S. M. Co. " 18,339	
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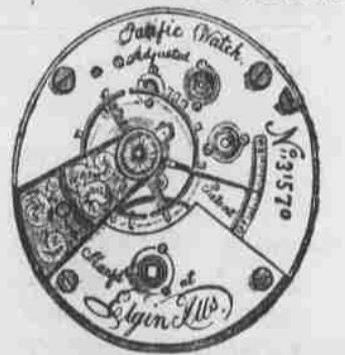
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