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Home News.

Home Manufacturing Company.

Doubtless our readers will remember that, on several occasions of late, we have mentioned the fact of the organization of a company entitled the Home Manufacturing Company, made up generally of the farmers of Linn, Marion and Polk counties.

We do not wish to paint the picture too highly, and we believe we have not; in fact, the immense and beneficial results to accrue from securing the industry under consideration can not, in our opinion, be estimated too highly.

THE ALDEN FRUIT PROCESS.—As before announced in this paper, articles of incorporation have been filed by well known citizens of this city looking to the organization of a company for the purpose of preserving fruits by the Alden process of evaporation.

WASTED OPPORTUNITIES.—The long winter evenings are almost upon us, in which so many opportunities are improved and so many thrown away.

WELL INDORSED.—The Gift Concerts in aid of the Kentucky Library are not at all speculative. The institution is chartered by the State of Kentucky.

When you feel a Cough or bronchial affection creeping on the lungs, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and cure it before it becomes incurable.

PARAGRAPHETS. Eggs 30c per dozen. Roads muddy once more.

The new fall bonnets will soon be felt.

Good potatoes are rather scarce in this market just now.

J. B. Conely, of Pass Creek, has been in the city during the week.

Mr. Price is building a neat dwelling on Third and Lyon streets.

A. Carothers & Co. have an excellent quality of pure port wine.

New prints at Sam'l E. Young's, and more on next steamer.

We are soon to have a young lady barber in this city, we understand.

The Corvallis Gazette is "set up" by a female compositor.

Hank Mendenhall returned from the McKenzie on Monday, we believe.

November came in cold, cloudy and dismal.

Tuesday morning real weather set in.

The new millinery shop on First street is assuming proportions.

At Dodd's auction sale yesterday, a nice appearing three year old mare went for \$13 50.

Umbersols and overcoats have been in use since Tuesday. Indications are that the mists have set in.

John Althouse got back from east of the mountains the forepart of the week.

Charley Burkhardt was united to Miss Mary Morgan on Thursday of last week, Rev. R. C. Hill officiating.

Whent commands 56 1/2 cents in this market. Sales few and far between at this figure.

If you want to purchase a fine piano, call on Mr. Foshay, at the Albany Book Store.

The street crossings have been receiving the attention of the City Marshal during the week.

The latest invention is a double-bladed tooth-pick which can be used also as a comb!

Ol. Bushnell has got up and got-married, so he has. We forgive him—he couldn't help it.

Our saw mill can't furnish lumber fast enough, and the cholera of our carpenters rises up thereat.

The exercises at the S. S. Union in College Chapel Monday night were very interesting and gave general satisfaction.

John Briggs has received a new invoice of stoves, tin ware, etc., to which he invites the attention of those needing them.

A train on the O. & C. Railroad, on Monday, ran over and killed a valuable cow belonging to the widow Blunt, of this city.

Read our new ads., especially Mr. J. Bloom's, as, for the coming ninety days, he will sell his desirable dry goods, etc., at cost! The place for bargains, certainly.

A large number of names added to our subscription lists during the week. The people recognize in the REGISTER the largest, most interesting and cheapest paper in Oregon.

Dr. Alexander, Jase Wheeler and Dave Froman left for the mountains on a deer hunt last Monday. They are all good hunters, and never fail to get away with all the game they can attend to.

At a recent meeting of ministers, one of the members said he had recently been East "with his Superintendent," when a brother clergyman arose and enquired if the brother meant his wife!

"A little thieving is a dangerous part, but stealing largely is a noble art; 'tis mean to rob a henroost of a hen, but stealing thousands makes us gentlemen"—the sentiment of a Georgian poet, who seems to have not a few disciples these days.

A gentleman of this city who owns a farm across the river, the other day brought over what he terms a small cabbagehead, which, when weighed, turned the scales at 32 1/2 pounds.

Sauerkraut!

Mart Taylor gave one of his unique entertainments in this city last night. Besides Mart, there were nine superior oil paintings, and the celebrated performing dog, Andrew Jackson.

It was a full bill, and got away with everything.

Street crossings were made for the benefit of pedestrians, and not that teams may drive on to and stop, compelling women and children to take to the muddy streets to get around them.

The party sent up from Portland to inspect the new boat recently built here for Isaac Newhouse, of Corvallis, refused to issue the necessary papers on the ground that the steam boiler was made of English iron! The party said he knew 'twas English iron as soon as he put his hand on it!

Fred. Wheeler, brother of Al. Wheeler, of Shedd, who came to this State from South Bend, Indiana, some seven months since, started homeward on Wednesday. We are inclined to think Fred. will return, although he didn't think so when he left us. We wish him a pleasant journey, anyway.

To make cloth waterproof, put into a bucket of soft water half pound of powdered alum; stir at intervals until the mixture becomes clear, then pour off into another vessel, in which place the garment to be made waterproof, and let it remain 24 hours; take out and hang it up to dry without wringing it. The goods so treated are perfectly waterproof, and are much better than rubber or oilcloth goods.

They fatten fowls by machinery, now-a-days. The operator grasps the pullet, duck, goose, or whatever bird is to be fattened, by the neck in such a way that it's mouth is forced open; he then inserts a metallic tube, and by the pressure of his foot on the machinery or force pump to which the tube is attached, injects the food, which is in liquid form, an indicator telling him when the necessary quantity is given. We believe, however, it is a French institution, and has not been introduced into "American civilization."

Circuit Court for Marion county will convene at Salem next Monday.