

Pathfinder, the once noted trotting horse, is for sale at the rate of \$100.

OREGON—LINN COUNTY.

We shall offer a few statistics for the use of inquirers in the Eastern States, and for the better information of even Oregonians; for amid the cares of business and the multiplicity of events we are apt to forget, and are therefore unable to answer the most important questions...

The present season a large amount of new land has been put under cultivation, and probably, with a fair season, the field of wheat will be between two and three million bushels, with a corresponding increase in the other smaller grains.

Pacific Slopers.

Corvallis wants a city park. Jacksonville wants a fire engine. Both of the Dayton mills are idle at present.

Diphtheria is prevalent in Gardiner, Coos county. The Eugene City indebtedness amounts to \$748,100.

Corvallis City election on the first Monday in May. Fox hides are worth 75 cents each, at Canyon City.

Jenkins is the man who is wanted by the sheriff of Yamhill. A special term of the Circuit court will be held in Benton county.

Wealthy farmers are about to start another agricultural paper in Salem. Lane county has 3,782 school children, 3,247 of whom attend school.

The new water works at Corvallis are in operation, and the city has its fill. The Alsea gold excitement is unfounded, though several mines produce paying quantities.

Quartz has been discovered, and several claims located near Mary's Peak, Benton county. W. F. Cornell, old print, has gone to the Beaver creek cinnamon mines in Jackson county.

A. Porter, who lately committed suicide in Douglas county, left property worth about \$1,000. Douglas county hoodlums "played" their school marm by tying a healthy skunk in her desk.

The Yamhill Courier says: Some of the farmers are fearful of their wheat falling, owing to the rank growth. The Douglas county court has provided for the Douglas county bridge across Elk creek, on the road between Drains station and Scottsburg.

The coast surveying schooner Fannletroy has gone to Lopez Island to erect a signal station. Two hundred dollars were raised for the young man Moses, whose arm was sawed off at Tacoma recently.

Mr. Peter McKenzie had his collar bone broken in two places by being run over with a sled at Olympia. A letter from Forest Grove to the Independent says: The Grove was alive with immigrants last week, mostly German. They expect to locate in this county, as they can get most any kind of land at fair prices to suit them better than anywhere else in the State.

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Olympia will have a big May festival. Horse and foot races in Olympia on May day. Old Tacoma has a Young Ladies Boat club with five fair members.

Many emigrants are coming into Rogue river valley. Some are bound for Willamette. Put Smith, well known in Portland, has a fine band of Merinos herded near Ashland.

James McCabe, formerly of Jackson county, was killed by a fall from a wagon near Crescen. City not long ago. Wm. M. Turner, of Jacksonville, who was summoned East to testify about telegraphic dispatches, has returned home.

Members of the Christian denomination at Ashland have subscribed \$950 toward the erection of a house of worship. The commissioner of the general land office at Washington has approved a list of 3,113 acres of swamp land in Langell valley.

John Laughlin, of Ashland, Jackson county, who was a soldier of the war of 1812 and participated in the battle of Chipewa, is in good health at the age of 88. Salem Mercury: The property on State street between Gray's and Patton's blocks, belonging to J. K. Gill and the Willson heirs, was sold last week to Mr. Quackenbush, of Portland. We have not learned definitely as to the price paid, but hear it stated to be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$8,000.

Pacific University has received a new organ, the finest at Forest Grove. A. B. Colver raised 14,000 bushels of apples on his farm on Coos river last year. Coos Bay has a steamer each week from San Francisco. Fare, \$15; steerage, \$10.

The Christian Messenger has resumed publication, and is on a better basis than ever. Mr. Walker Chrisman, an old citizen of Yamhill, died some days ago. He was 74 years old.

Intimations of the enforcement of the law at Corvallis has caused an exodus of the gamblers. A letter from Newport, Yaquina, says that place would be an excellent one for a salmon canning establishment.

A colored man named Jenkins burglarized James Ried's house near St. Joe a few days ago and stole several articles of value. He has not yet been caught. The contract for the building of a new jail for Yamhill county was let on Monday last to Messrs. Donelson and Midgale, of Salem. Contract price is \$4,300 without cells, and \$5,050 including three cells.

The Benton Democrat says a bill was found by the grand jury against Rev. Mr. Godfrey, of Philomath, for grand larceny, in taking some coin which did not justly belong to him, not long since in that place. The people of Polk county will hold a mass meeting at Dallas on May 5th, to arrange for building a steamboat to run on the Willamette.

Father Wilbur was in town the other day and arrested an Indian chief belonging to the Simcoe Agency for refusing to remain on the reservation, and took him off to Fort Vancouver to place him in charge of the military. We are told he will probably be sent to the Indian Territory.—Mountaineer. Lieut. Clark has succeeded in collecting a fine detachment at the Agencies. He has now, as soldiers, Little Wolf, of the Chayenes, Spotted Tail, Black Coal, Sharp Nose, and other influential chiefs, men of that class. Old Red Cloud asked to be enlisted, and was also accepted.

The Greely Tribune reports that the cattle on the various ranges are coming out of the winter far better than was expected, and that the losses are not near so great as they were in 1872, though the snow was deeper, and it stayed on the ground equally as long. Madam Reno, the well known Astrologist of Portland, has been adjudged insane and committed to the asylum. It is said her insanity was produced by the death of E. H. Garling, whose mistress she was.

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The wife of John Butler, formerly job printer in the Idaho City World office, has fallen heir to \$147,000. Mrs. John Heffner, of Reading, Pa., has just become the mother of her forty-fifth child. Mrs. Heffner has accomplished enough. Give her a rest.

The Catacombs are different and isolated cemeteries, and are found in different parts of Rome. Marchi estimates the aggregate interments at 7,000,000. Several new styles of writing paper have been lately introduced. Some very dark, almost black, to be used with the new white ink lately brought out.

Russia has commenced marching troops to the frontier. The anti-dynastic agitation has arisen in Serbia and several arrests made. Between 300 and 500 houses were burned at Stambul on the 12th.

A large number of Catholics, from Montreal, have left on a pilgrimage to Rome. The Prince of Montenegro will reject any proposition to prolong the armistice. Gortzchakoff prints a circular letter setting forth the necessity of Russia's proceeding against Turkey.

The Bank of Avon, at Rochester, owned by G. W. Swan, has suspended. Hamilton Mills, at Patterson, New Jersey, valued at \$100,000, were destroyed by fire on the 12th.

A fire in the business portion of Pomeroy, Ohio, on the 12th, destroyed \$100,000 worth of property. A sewing machine agent named Charles H. Gilman, from Lowell, was murdered at Lockport, Massachusetts, on the 12th.

The number known to be killed at the St. Louis fire is eleven. While the calamity is frightful it is not nearly so bad as previously reported. The coroner's jury in the Jewett tragedy find that Geo. D. Jewett came by his death by the explosion of a hand grenade, brought to the office by Orville Jewett, and that Orville Jewett died from a pistol shot wound inflicted by himself.

Senator Blain upholds Chamberlain and Packard. Hayes has reinstated several officials who had been ousted for no just cause. Conant, ex-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, has gone to Europe to attend the Synodicate.

Senator Patterson will probably vote to admit the Democratic Senators from South Carolina and Louisiana. The arms and horses of the 1,500 hostiles whom Spotted Tail has brought in will be taken from them.

Twenty special custom agents will be appointed to different parts of the country under control of the Secretary of the Treasury. The Treasury Department has decided that vessels engaged in trading upon waters wholly within the limit of a State, and not having a navigable outlet, are not subject to the navigation law of the United States.

A hired girl in New York threw herself into the river because her mistress wanted her to sweep out the front hall twice a week and shake out the doormat every morning. Such is the tyrannous hand of iron which the rich lay on the bending necks of the poor.

Hiram Arbuckle, of East Montpelier, Vermont, while insane, shot George Short, leaving him for dead, then killed his brother-in-law, George Bancroft, and then put a bullet through his own heart. The prisoners at Sing Sing have petitioned for the removal of the warden, on the ground that he is high-toned and reserved. They want some one who doesn't feel above them.

The exports of the Argentine Republic, in 1871, amounted to \$80 in gold to every inhabitant. The population is about one and a half millions. The exports were wool, hides, etc. It will be, when settled and fully cultivated, the first wheat country in the world.

LOCAL MATTERS. Eggs, 10c per dozen. Soap at Van Vactor's at 81c per box. We were visited by a heavy storm of wind and rain Wednesday night. A large invoice of those handsome, new style dress patterns at S. E. Young's per next steamer.

It is announced that Yaquina is a good place for the establishment of a salmon fishery. It is understood that Mr. Bruce has withdrawn his Clydesdale horse for the season, taking him down to his farm in Washington county. The wife of Robt. Wilson presented him with a 10lb by the second day of the week—and mother and child are doing well.

The three-linkers of this city have not decided as yet where or how they will celebrate the 28th. It may be by a picnic about six miles up the river, in an oak grove in Benton county. Anything suits us so it's jocularious! Messrs. A. D. Michael and F. M. Kizer, with their wives, were elected delegates to the State Grange by the Linn County Grangers at their meeting in this city last week. The State Grange meets on the 23d of next month.

During the storm Wednesday night, after 10 o'clock, some one set up a most terrific yelling, continuing for probably a quarter of an hour, the sounds coming apparently from across the river. We thought some one had fallen into the ditch, but upon repeated inquiry found it was William Henry—and he wanted the boys.

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ELEGANT.—We mean the rooms of Y.P. C. A., in Samuel Miller's new brick, corner Ferry and Second streets. The dedicatory sermon will be preached soon, probably at the Court House.

MRS. J. WEED, who is agent for Cornwall's self-fitting chart, has gone to Lebanon to give the ladies of that village, who wish, instruction in the art of cutting ladies' and children's clothing. It is one of the best charts for the purpose.

EVENING TELEGRAM.—Is the name of the new daily at Portland, the first issue of which made its appearance on Monday. It shows industry in its get up, and will doubtless receive a blessing from its two evening contemporaries. May the best paper win.

GEO. W. HARPER—Physio-medical physician, offers his services to this public. The Dr. comes highly recommended, is a perfect gentleman, and will doubtless give full satisfaction to all needing his services. Office with Dr. Geo. W. Gray, in Parrish brick.

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LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Post Office, Albany, Linn county, Oregon, April, 19th, 1877. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Alford, R. Malone, Richard Baker, James W. Moore, Tomie B. Bery, Miss Melba 2 McKimney, G. B. 2 Cooper, Miss Josie McClure, P. C. Fry, R. W. Miller, D. H. Felton, Mrs. Clara Plummer, H. C. Jones, G. A. L. Rankin Miss Alice 3 Jordan, Miss Lizzie P. H. RAYMOND, P. M.

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SUBSCRIBERS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Linn. Suit in equity for divorce. Robert B. Tompkins, plaintiff, vs. Mary Tompkins, defendant. To Mary Tompkins, the above named defendant: You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: dissolution of the bonds of matrimony existing between you and plaintiff, and for costs and disbursements.

This judgment is made by order of Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of said Court, made this 14th day of April, 1877. D. R. N. BOISE, Clerk of Court. (Sealed April 20, 1877.)

Notice to Stockholders. Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Grange Union of Albany at the office of the company on Monday, May 28th, 1877, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of seven Directors and transacting such other business as may be lawfully brought before the meeting. By order of the Board. A. M. ROOP, Secretary.

Attention, Firemen. Notice is hereby given that an election for the office of Assistant Chief of the Albany Fire Department will be held on the first Monday in May, 1877, at 10 A. M., at the residence of W. S. PATTERSON, Sec. A. F. D. Albany, Or., April 13, 1877.

M'CALLEY & ANDREWS, IN THE Old Fellows Building Lebanon, Oregon, DEALERS IN DRUGS, CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, Wood & Willow Ware, &c., &c.

GIVE US A CALL. 2239 Administrator's Sale. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Selena Morris, deceased, in pursuance of an order of the Court of Linn county, Oregon, made and entered of record at the March term thereof in the year 1877, will, on the 23d day of April, 1877, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Court House door in the city of Albany, in Linn county, Oregon, sell public auction, to the highest bidder, for gold coin, cash in hand, the following described real property belonging to said estate, to-wit: The north half of the southwest quarter of block No. 127, in Hackleman's addition to the city of Albany, in Linn county, Oregon, as described on the maps and plans of said city, on record in the office of the County Clerk of Linn county, Oregon. W. H. GOLTER, Administrator. March 23, 1877-vb25

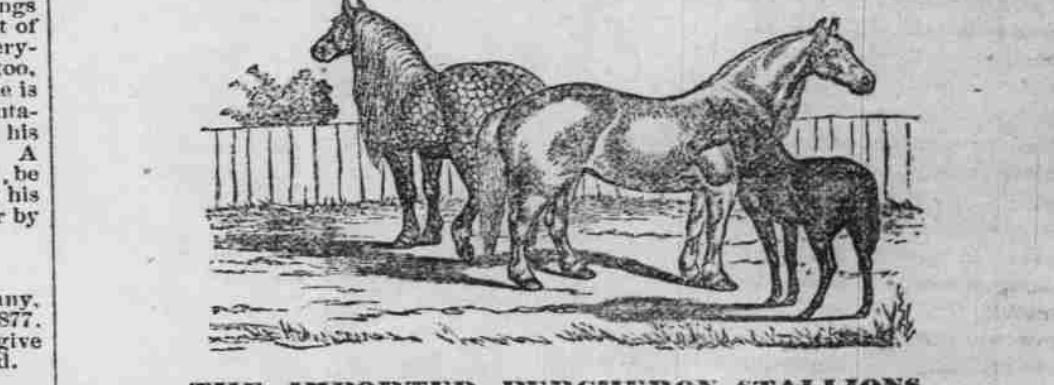
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I have some pure Jersey cattle for sale. Every family that keeps a cow should have a Jersey, or at least a half blood. Parties that have used them will not do without them if they wish to be happy. Early in April I will issue a circular with fine engravings of my various and horses, a view of my stables, with history of the Percherons, and why they are preferred to other large horses; some hints on breeding; the demand for large horses in Europe and America, &c. They will be sent on application. March 23, 1877-vb25 W. C. NYER.

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When you open one of our packages, keep it excluded from the air as much as possible. I have used it in my family for four or five years, and regard it as one of the best family medicines ever used. A tin of it is manufactured from it in Cincinnati, and sold at 75 cents per ounce. A single one of our packages make eight ounces of tincture, which is worth \$5. The shrub from which this valuable medicine is gathered, is only found in a narrow belt of country in Southern Oregon, and along the

Sierra Nevada Mountains, and it is supposed to have been gathered from Mount Gilboa thousands of years ago, and the gum extracted and sold in Egypt and in Tire before the times of Solomon.

Dr. Nicklin, of Eugene City, says: "Your Balm is one of the best preserved herbs I ever saw, and is worthy of a higher price than you put upon it." Rev. S. K. Raymond, of Oakland, Oregon, says: "I went to California to recover from Consumption. The Doctors there gave me up, and told me if I had any friends I wished to see I had better go and see them, as I could live but a little while longer. On my way to Oregon I commenced using Mountain Balm; it helped me; I continued its use until it cured me of the disease." Mr. W. T. O'borne, of Eugene City, says: "I know a young man who appeared to be in the last stages of Consumption, and by using Mountain Balm or Yerbanas, he became a healthy young man."

Joseph P. Moore, Esq., of Millville, Cal., says: "I have been acquainted with the shrub known as Yerbanas, and know it to be a very valuable medicine, both for the Lungs and Rheumatism." Mr. Kimball, of Kimball & Welton, Red Bluff, Cal., says: "I have been acquainted with the shrub known as Yerbanas, and know it to be a very valuable medicine, both for the Lungs and Rheumatism."

"I left Missouri with the consumption. Reached Rock Point, Jackson county, Or., and was taken down. I took a tin of Mountain Balm, and chewed the leaf more or less, and in four or five days it cleared out my lungs handsomely, and I resumed my journey; and now, after several months, my lungs still seem well." A. B. C.

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