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New Goods at McIlwain's.

That means a good deal; not only new goods, but lots of them, so many that they have got to be sold way down, in other words at a bargain, not merely on paper, but in fact. New goods, lots of goods, first-class goods, goods at a bargain. That's McIlwain's motto this fall. Call and see if is not.

HIS DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

is complete, well selected, embracing the very best there is.

HIS CLOAK DEPARTMENT

needs to be inspected to be appreciated. It is full of the latest and best styles, and that's business.

HIS STOCK OF CARPETS

is a splendid one, one sure to suit the many varied tastes in the line.

HIS BOOT AND SHOE DEPARTMENT,

both for ladies and gentlemen, is full. You will miss it if you buy without examining them.

HIS CLOTHING DEPARTMENT

contains a good stock of the latest styles bought in a low market and sold accordingly. You can get genuine bargains in it.

HIS HARDWARE DEPARTMENT

is an important one and has proven a great convenience to his customers. It embraces everything in the line at bed rock prices.

It is business to trade where you can do the best. You will be mistaken if you think you have done so without calling on

A. B. McILWAIN.

NONPAREIL.

The Nonpareil velveteens are very desirable for all purposes, as they are very durable, and not liable to fade with exposure to the sun, or to spot easily with rain.

The Nonpareil velveteens make elegant costumes complete for ladies, and are equally desirable to use in combinations with silks or satins.

Nonpareil velveteens wear with more evenness than the Lyon velvet. It is not so apt to wear in places, and the cost is about one-sixth.

I have just received a line of the above **Nonpareil Velveteens**, direct from the agents in New York. Also a full line of **ribbons**, I think superior to any in this market. Also a cheaper quality of ribbons, in all colors. Also a line of ladies' embroideries, ladies' handkerchiefs, silk and linen, and a full line of notions.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

Discharged.

The preliminary examination of Mr. William Newhouse, whose arrest was noticed in last week's DEMOCRAT, took place at Eola, on last Tuesday afternoon before Justice Pierce. After the examination of a large number of witnesses Mr Newhouse was discharged. In fact the testimony against him is said to have had no weight at all. In this matter there is no doubt of his innocence, now that the facts in the case have been learned. On the same day of the trial a suit was begun in the Circuit Court of Marion county by Mr Newhouse against Mrs N. for a divorce. Mr Newhouse is seventy-two years of age, yet it looks now as if he would live long enough to again enjoy the bliss of single blessedness.

Centennial Temperance Services.

A Centennial service of the cause of temperance in the United States was held at Crawford's Hall on last Tuesday evening. There was a fair attendance. Addresses were delivered by Revs Irvine and Webb. The former, who was recently in Kansas, gave his observations on the enforcement of the prohibitory law of that state. Miss Flora Mason read an interesting sketch of Dr Benjamin Rush, the pioneer of the temperance cause in the United States. A scripture reading by Rev Brownson and several temperance songs made up the remainder of the program, an interesting one.

Exhibits for Mechanics Fair.

In the windows of Cline, Monteith & Co. are exhibited some very fine specimens of apples, which Mr Cline has collected to send to the Mechanic's Fair. He desires a big collection not only of apples but of potatoes, big pumpkins, squashes, wheat, in fact every kind of product. The name of the raiser will be placed on each article. The collection should be made large enough to speak well for the county. It is to be hoped a greater interest will be taken in the matter. It costs little to contribute to such collections, which are big advertisements for a county.

Off for Warm Springs.

Mr. Jason Wheeler and family left last Tuesday overland for the Warm Springs Agency, which Mr Wheeler will take possession of October 1st. The agent there gets $1000 a year, Under him is a clerk at $800, a sawyer at $800, a physician at $900, a miller at $700, a superintendent of farming at $700, some teachers and other subordinates. We predict Mr. Wheeler will make one of the most efficient and trustworthy of agents in the Northwest.

The Most Mammoth.

Last Tuesday Mr S W Faulkner brought to this office a mammoth Mammoth pumpkin which completely paralyzes all other pumpkins reported in this county for several years. It is seven feet in circumference, and weighed 128½ pounds on Conrad Meyer's largest scales. It is true that the Cheops of Egypt, the Washington monument and the great elephant of Coney Island are more enormous; but for this little province of the world no vegetable begins to equal it.

A Runaway.

Last Wednesday forenoon as Rev Acheson, of Oakville, was riding past the corner of Washington and Third Streets his horse became frightened at a clothing clerk on a ladder and ran away, going due west. At the next corner near Judge Strahan's residence it turned towards the Magnolia mills, throwing Rev Acheson out but not hurting him seriously. The horse stopped about a block farther on, with the record of several spokes and the thills broken.

Sails.

Steamship "Yaquina" will leave Yaquina September 29th for San Francisco. First-class and cabin from Corvallis to San Francisco, $14.00. Tickets at Cline & Monteith's.

Classical.

The following from the Roseburg *Review* is a just tribute to the splendid poem published in the DEMOCRAT two weeks ago. Coming from a finished student like Mr. Bell it would be greatly appreciated by the author of the poem. As a matter of fact no poem has ever been written and published in the Northwest that for literary merit compared with that of "Prophecy:"

"In last weeks DEMOCRAT appears a poem entitled "A Prophecy" which is local in nature, written evidently by local talent, bears a classical air that is in proud contrast with the sickly stuff that newspapers are continually seeking to avoid. The poem refers to the gods of the ancients and connects our oceans, our plains and giants of the forests with them so happily that one is really reminded of the grace, ease and smoothness of a Virgil or a Homer.

The following from a correspondent at Philomath shows how the poem has been received by literary people with a taste for classical poetry:

Who is "Canmore" author of "A Prophecy" which appears in your issue of the 11th inst. For originality and literary merit we think it will commend itself for favorable consideration to the best authors, and the name of one who is the happy possessor of such literary genius should be made known to your readers.

A Roseburg gentleman of fine literary taste was impressed by the poem, and writes as as follows in reference to it:

"After having carefully perused the poem I have to say that I am glad your journal is building up a market for the literature of Oregon. Joaquin Miller and others of our men who have attained preeminence as literary characters have with one or two exceptions invariably bade farewell to the balmy breezes of Oregon to accept positions among a class of people who saw fit to support them in their professions. I am not sure that I know who "Canmore" is, but his writings would do no discredit to any of the standard classical authors. A man de plume has no soul, and as the most beautiful poetry is the breathings of the purest soul, I should like very much to know who that author is."

Narrow Escape.

On last Sabbath morning seven of the children of our worthy fellow citizen, V H Caldwell, who lives about two miles from the city across the Calapoola in the direction of Corvallis, were coming to town to church, The approach to the Calapoola bridge is quite long and high, and protected with very weak banisters. As their team was just entering the bridge, which is a covered one, the team became frightened at the large and flashy advertising signs painted on the bridge, and began to run backward. They pushed the wagon back and off to the side, where it struck the banisters, which gave way and the hind wheels rolled off. The fore wheels caught on the ends of the planks of the approach of the bridge, The children all tumbled out, falling a distance of ten or twelve feet, but none were hurt seriously, Mr, Redfield, Mr, Woodin and another gentleman all happened to be near and helped the children set things to rights, and started them back home. It was a happy escape indeed. We think such large flash advertising on bridges should not be allowed. It is further suggested that such banisters should be protective rather than deceptive.

The State Fair.

The fair this year, backed as it is by the State, is proving a success, the attendance being uncommonly good. The first day $1850 were taken in at the gate, 600 season tickets being sold; on Tuesday the receipts were $2700. Financially the fair certainly is proving a success. The exhibits in the different departments are many and good. In stock particularly Oregon need not be ashamed of its exhibit. Machinery Hall is almost empty. The display in the pavilion is the best for years. Most of the excitement is occasioned by the races. Everybody who sees them pays 25 cents and helps himself to a seat. Monday Jim Merritt won the introductory scramble, and Lady Maud the trot, her best heat being made in 2:34½. Almonette was second, having won two heats. Tuesday Repetta won the running race, making a mile in the fast time of 1:46. The trotting race for two year olds was won by Nautilla in two heats, her time being 2:51¾ and 2:58. The former is the best time on record for two-year olds in Oregon.

The Fish Ladder.

About one hundred men are engaged in the work of constructing the fish ladder at Oregon City, which is to be completed about the first of next month. It will be a great institution for the people of the Upper Willamette, for, when finished, will bring salmon at our own wharfs. A Portland paper in describing the ladder says that, though the term "ladder" is used this structure partakes more of the nature of a stair way. The whole ladder is 835 feet in length and consists of 41 steps. The first section is 335 feet long and is an upward incline of steps cut in the bed. Then there is a level of 400 feet to break the force of the fall of the water. At the end of this there is another rise of steps 100 feet long which terminates at the top. The steps are each one foot high and are twelve feet in length. In conjunction with the steps there are also what are called locks, which break the force of the water in its descent and enables the fish to rest.

The New Klamath Agent.

Rev. Jos. Emery is now at Klamath Agency, which, we understand, he has taken charge of. The agent at this reservation gets $1,100 a year, He has under him a physician at $1000, a clerk at $1000, a carpenter at $800, a blacksmith at $800, a miller at $800, a wagon and plow maker at $800, a teacher at $600, and other subordinates. Mr. Emery was recommended particularly by his predecessor, who wished to retire from the agency, and goes there with the confidence of everybody who knows him.

An Explosion.

Last Monday morning a very peculiar explosion occurred at the residence of Mr. Conrad Meyer on Calipooia street. A loud noise was heard and then Mr, Meyer's kitchen stove began tumbling in different directions. It was thought that it occurred from the water register; but just how that could be we do not understand. Probably it was a loaded stick of wood. No one was hurt.

New Barber.

Louis Viereck formerly of Philadelphia has purchased the barber shop heretofore conducted by Louis Campeau, where he is ready to accommodate all old and new customers.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

The heavy taxpayers of Walla Walla county are Levi Ankeny $215,317, First National bank $65,000, Baker & Boyer $127,590, D S Baker $99,353, Sam M Keyes $85,035) Schwabacher Bros. $227,185, B F Stone $56,500.

Zoo-zoo tobacco at McIlwain's.

IN MEMORIAM.

Resolutions Adopted by Rock Hill Grange.

Samuel T. Rice was born in Brownsville, Linn county, Oregon, April 27, 1868, died July 19, 1885. He was a charter member of Rock Hill Grange, No. 193, P. of H. and Assistant Steward at the time of his death.

Edric N. Combs was born January 20th, 1868, died July 29th, 1885. He also was a charter member of Rock Hill Grange, No. 193, P. of H.

WHEREAS, The field of labor in our active life, and in the Grange, will hereafter miss the ready and diligent hands, and sympathetic and active minds of our young brothers; and

WHEREAS, Their removal from our midst, in the very opening of their lives and usefulness, has left a void that cannot be filled, therefore be it

Resolved, That while we mourn our irreparable loss, we bow in humble submission to the mandate of the all-wise Master of the Universe, and firmly believe that when the "records" shall be fully understood we shall find that "He doeth all things well,"

Resolved, That to the parents and relatives of our deceased brothers we extend our heartfelt sympathy, and the knowledge of our care and watchfulness during all times, and especially this of their trying anguish.

Resolved, That the usual badge of mourning be placed in the hall and worn by the members, and that these resolutions be inscribed in our records and furnished the press for publication.

MARTIN PAYNE,
JOHN HUBANKS,
J. K. TRAPLE,
Committee.

SALMON IN THE RIVER AT ALBANY.

A Big Catch Occasions Considerable Excitement.

A great many ladies and gentlemen of Albany and vicinity were, this week, made aware of the fact that there were better results attainable by patronizing our own channels than any other in the state. This the writer has long contended was true, and feels not a little proud to see the same generally acknowledged, Mr. and Mrs. Bargain hunter, with their lady and gentleman friends, took a direct line, with a wall filled purse of silver bait, to the store of Monteith & Seitenbach and cast their line and caught bargains in good goods in every department. They found the dress goods, shoes, fancy goods, ladies', misses and children's winter garments the best catch in the valley, and take this medium to request their many friends to follow their example. A fish story with a moral.

At His Old Tricks.

Ed. Broyles who was mentioned last week as having failed to return with a horse and carriage which he hired of Mr Eglin, of Corvallis, was found in Salem last Friday and on Saturday was arrested and taken to Corvallis, where he waived examination, was held to await the action of the grand jury and incarcerated in the county jail, where he will dream of the good time he will probably have at Salem for the next year or two, until the Circuit Court meets at Corvallis. When captured Broyles had traded the carriage and harness for a rifle, cartridges and ammunition, and did not seem to be making much of an effort to get away. It is doubted if he has sense enough to run away if he had the opportunity. It is our opinion that he likes the life in a penitentiary. When there before he was made a "trusty" and had a free and easy time, with no responsibility, and clothing and "grub" free. On the occasion of his calling at this office two weeks ago he mentioned the fact of a Polk county paper accusing him of being in the penitentiary two years, whereas it was only eight months, and said he was not ashamed of being in the penitentiary, but didn't like to have the time stretched, poor, big, gun loving fellow.

Nothing Further.

Nothing further has been heard of the whereabouts of Mr. D. O. Meeker, whose disappearance was mentioned in last weeks DEMOCRAT. Mr. Meeker did not see Mr. Scott in Portland at all, as was implied in our item last week. A party who went to Portland last week ascertained this from Mr. S. He stated in a letter that he was going down the river three miles in a boat with two suspicious looking Missourians, to make a trade. It is now thought that this was made up in order to deceive his folks here. The general opinon now is that he ran away, new facts making it look strongly this way. Only a day or two before he left he sold several hundred bushels of wheat, for which he received $204 in cash, and, as he had paid no debts for several months, it is believed he had several hundred dollars beside. He owed a large number both around Miller's and in Albany. Several have begun attachment suits, but there is not much to be gotten, as the farm was well mortgaged. The case is a peculiar one, and has numerous speculations in reference to it.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

The Cascade branch of the N. P. is a long distance in the future. In the meantime what will that immense Tacoma hotel do for a living.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

Zoo-zoo tobacco at McIlwain's.

Want's to Know.

A gentleman from Kansas writes to the "auditor of Linn county," stating that he had received a little pamphlet from the State Board of Immigration, and, after perusing it, was particularly struck with Marion, Linn, Douglas and Jackson counties. He wants to know if the descriptions given of those counties are reliable or not; also about the climate, rainfall, water, prices of land, improved and unimproved, whether there are any government lands, any Christian Church (vulgarly called Campbellites) in the county, etc. The man is in poor health and has only small means; but has an energetic son, and wishes to increase his means and health. Any advice the readers of the DEMOCRAT would like to give this gentleman will be gladly published. We turn the matter over entirely to their custody and ask for some candid opinions in the matter.

Uncommonly Fine Suitings.

Mr W R Graham, merchant tailor, has just received a stock of domestic and imported suitings second to none in Oregon outside of Portland, either in size or quality. An examination of them will satisfy any one. His prices are beyond competition. You can get suits made in the latest styles all the way from $25 to $45. $30 will get you an uncommonly fine suit made in a first-class manner. For pants, in over fifty patterns, his prices range from $5 50 to $10. Contemplate that. His imported goods will be warranted. He also has arrangements with a leading New York establishment by which, from a large number of choice samples, you can have your suits made in that city. Call on him for styles and well made suits.

Excursion.

Excursion from Corvallis on the O. P. Sept. 26th and Oct, 3rd to Yaquina City. Tickets at Cline & Monteith's, Tickets good for 15 days.

CENSUS OF LINN COUNTY.

The census of this county has just been completed. Below we give the result of it. So far as the population is concerned the figures will be a disappointment. So far as the potatoes are concerned it is a surprise the other way. Had a large number of old residents been requested to write the figures for the population eight out of ten would have put them at 13,000 at least. As they are they show a decrease of 1,245. As theorizing would be useless we simply give the following figures as the result of the census:

Legal voters	3099
Males over 21 and upwards	5238
Males undtr 21 and over 10	1460
Males under 10	1508
Total males	8207
Females over 18 and upwards	3097
Females under 18 and over 10	1012
Females under 10	1515
Total females	5625
Total males and females	11431

STOCK AND WOOL.

Wool	220,647 lbs
Sheep	49,213
Hogs	16,642
Horses	9,444
Mules	118
Cattle	14,676

PRODUCTS.

Acres under cultivation	154,240
Wheat raised during preceding year, bushels	1,131,873
Oats raised, bushels	1,108,658
Barley and rye raised, bushels	59,321
Corn raised, bushels	11,505
Hay, tons	19,990
Flax seed, bushels	12,278
Tobacco, lbs	657
Butter and cheese, lbs	360,795
Hops, lbs	154,614
Potatoes, bushels	168,500
Apples, bushels	256,073
Prunes and plums, bushels	18,169
Lumber, feet	200,000

In connection with this census the population of Linn county since 1850 will be of interest:

1850	1860	1870	1880	1885
994	6,772	8,717	12,676	11,431

Some Fashion Notes.

Some one has said that to be out of fashion is to be out of the world.

Green will be much worn during the fall.

Portland sharpers also are finding green to be the prevailing color at Salem this week.

Dresses for indoor wear are generally of redingote shape.

This does not apply to Monday morning aprons.

Velveteen will be worn to a great extent this fall.

The old-time turban, you all remember it, is to be worn again this fall.

Ribbon with pearl edge is a late fancy for sashes.

Fine wool stockinette jerseys are dotted with tiny points of chenille. How does that suit your aesthetic taste.

Lizzards, spiders and mice (ugh) are some of the fancies for jewelry.

Bead embroidery is still popular.

Black or cream mantels are worn with any toilets.

Brunettes are now allowed to wear toilets in such colors as light pink or blue or even cream or white. Fashion is very capricious.

Dresses are now combined in a wonderful manner. Bodices, sleeves, jerseys, etc., being mixed up with varied tastes.

Were They Bilks.

Rev. S. P. Davis, of Oregon City, scores Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson, who lectured in this city a few weeks ago, in a letter to a Portland paper, in a most energetic manner. He says he has the most satisfactory evidence that they are impostors. He quotes a letter from another minister characterizing them as "asnides without a redeeming quality," following a career of roguery and rascality, He wanted some means devised of getting the $18 they owed in his city. It no doubt will be pleasant for some Albany people to look back and remember to also have been among the number "taken in" if that is the right expression.

He Pulled the Trigger.

Last Monday evening a young man was standing in front of the DEMOCRAT office, with his right hand in his coat pocket. Suddenly a report was heard, and a bullet plowed its way through the young man's coat and sped away, where no one has yet found out; most fortunately, though it was towards no one. The trigger was pulled accidently, An immense crowd was soon gathered in front of this office and it looked very much as if an election was going on; but the shootist had silently slipped away and then less silently the crowd dispersed. The crack of a revolver is a powerful magnet in a peaceable city like Albany. As the shooting was purely accidental we will not pipe the young man off.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

West Virginia makes the most steel nails of any of the United States, a good record for a southern state.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

Zoo-zoo tobacco at McIlwain's.

Chinamen Robbed in W. T.

The Chinese around the Black diamond mines, in W. T., were mobbed last Monday and driven off. This will never settle the question. It would be a grand thing though for the Pacific Coast if it could be settled in a legal manner so that we could be rid of them. The influx of people from the East shows the necessity of the field of the laborer being left exclusively to the white man. The fact that it is not is a draw back to this country. So long as the Chinese remain here white men will not do the work they do. We are compelled to hire the Celestial for certain branches of labor. Only their withdrawal can produce a change, but it is not their fault that they are here, and so long as they are allowed to make this their home it is only human to eat them well.

Nellie Kinder, an eleven year old daughter of Mr Hub Kinder, of Crook county, formerly of Linn county, was accidently shot by a boy twelve years of age, last week, and it is thought cannot live.

Millinery.

Miss Mattie Allison has moved her millinery goods to French's jewelry store, part of which she will occupy. She is filling it with a first-class stock of millinery and proposes to keep the best stock ever brought to Albany. Call and examine her new goods, embracing the very latest and best styles.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

HARD The times may be quite often; Advertise and see them soften.

Zoo zoo tobacco at McIlwain's.

Ask your druggist for a package of Oregon Kidney Tea.

Things Kicked At.

The vane on the new school house. It is small and about as reliable as a street bummer's word.

The squeish condition of the weather.

The absence of a $1 quotation for wheat.

Because there is such a poor market for general farm products,

Because so many hoodlum boys and girls hang around the streets.

HOME AND ABROAD.

F M French, jeweler.

Zoo-zoo tobacco at McIlwain's.

The best harness at J J Dabrouillet.

The best millinery at Miss M I Foster's.

Yes, and we grind our coffee. R. & B.

Nature's own remedy, Oregon Kidney Tea.

Wool has taken a slight rise in the market.

Subscription to DEMOCRAT, $2.50 per year,

J. P. Wallace, Physician and Surgeon, Albany, Or.

Last week Yom Kupper was celebrated by the Jews.

The Portland police is shutting down on gamblers.

The Lane county fair opens on Thursday, Sept 30th.

Large stock of new goods at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

Dr. Fahrney's magnetic blood vitalizer at Doyle & Robson's.

The finest line of window cornice mouldings at Woodin's.

A fine line of tobacco and cigars can be found at R. & B's.

Call on Miss M I Foster for first-class fall and winter millinery.

All kinds of fruit for canning cheap at Read & Brownell's.

Miss M I Foster has a splendid stock of new millinery on hand.

If your liver is out of order try Prushaw's Pills—sure cure. Never fails.

The saloon of Harry Waters was closed last Monday by Portland creditors.

Most of the wheat shipped from the Northwest goes first to San Francisco.

Splendid line of ladies fall and winter garments at Monteith & Seitenbach's.

Babbit metal at the DEMOCRAT office a bit a pound. Old papers 50c. a hundred.

Rev Davis will preach next Sunday at the Evangelical Church on "Witches."

Cigars, tobacco and gents furnishing goods at Otto Salinger's opposite McIlwain's.

Examine Woodin's Extension tables. They are—well go and see them for yourself.

F M French, agent Singer Manufacturing Co., opposite Odd Fellows Temple, Albany, Or.

Mr Robert Moses has been appointed Postmaster at Crawfordsville, a good appointment.

Groceries are very low, if you don't think so call on Read & Brownell and get their prices.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

A good and large assortment of lumber at the yard of Eli Carter always on hand. Give him a call.

There will be preaching in German at the Evangelical Church next Sabbath at 2 o'clock p. m.

Get your groceries, confectionary, fruits, tobaccos, etc., at the popular store of Hoffman & Joseph.

If you are going East be sure and go via the Oregon Short Line It is the best. See ad in another column.

Go to Prushaw's new Drug Store for pure drugs, patent medicines, etc. Prescriptions carefully compounded,

Wheat is worth 90 cents per bushel and flour $25 per thousand at Linkville. What do you all think of this.

Louis Viereck, Shaving and Hair dressing Saloon. Successor to Louis Campeau. Clean towels to every customer.

A M Peery, brother of J H Peery former County Treasurer of this county, has been appointed postmaster at Dayton, Oregon.

In a competitive examination for a cadetship at West Point Milton F Davis, of McCoy, Polk county, was the successful applicant.

Money to Loan.—M S Elgington, at the office of Doyle & Robson, Albany, will loan money for a term of years on improved farm security.

G. W Maston, Physician and Surgeon, Albany, Oregon. Graduate of the Cincinnati College of Physicians and Surgeons, Cincinnati, Ohio.

New wall paper, floor rugs, carpets, oil cloth, and the prettiest window blinds you ever saw were received this week by Monteith & Seitenbach.

Prof Bruce Wolverton, a brother of C E Wolverton, of this city, has accepted a position as principal of the public schools of Dayton, W. T.

The *Centerville* is the name of a new and neat looking twenty-four column weekly just started at Centerville. Herman Sattler is the editor. We X.

The attendance at the College is the largest it has been for several years at the beginning of any fall term. This speaks well for this excellent educational institute.

Saturday Mr A F Wire, living near this city, brought to our office a dozen onions raised from the seed this year, remarkably large for onions raised in this manner.

Dr Alexander has about completed harvesting his hops. They are of excellent quality, and have been saved in fine condition. He will have about 16,000 or 17,000 pounds.

Mr W F Barrow's blooded colt Onero is on exhibition at the State fair. It is an offspring of McKnight Bros Oneco, and is one of the finest colts for its age in the Northwest.

Most of us live to eat as much as the opposite, and we want about the best to be had. Conrad Meyer keeps a stock of groceries, breadstuffs, etc., not surpassed anywhere. For canned goods, extracts, spices, etc., call on him.

If you want your property advertised call on Cline, Monteith and Co., immediately. If you want your property sold call on them. It costs you nothing to advertise with this firm and very little to sell.

Rev E A McAlister will preach at Crawford's Hall next Sabbath, (Sept 27th) at the usual hours, morning and evening. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend. Important business will come before the parish at the close of the morning service.

In nearly all of the churches in this city last Sabbath, morning or evening, sermons were delivered on the subject of "Temperance," this being the Centennial time of the cause of temperance organization.

Ladies, just delight yourself by calling at the store of Monteith & Seitenbach and looking at the fall stock in general; every line is full of new and attractive goods. In the lines of dress goods, fall garments, hosiery, etc., in fact every department is full.

Linn Engine Company No. 2 are making arrangements for a big dance in the new Opera House next month. Recently they received bids for orchestra music. They were as follows: Prof Vaughn, $0; H Richards, $8. Evidently there is competition in this line.

In Portland on Thursday of last week Patrick C Smith shot Geo W Philbrick. The latter had rented a house of the former for about two years, and when he came to leave demanded a receipt in full, which Smith refused to give. A quarrel followed, resulting in the shooting of Philbrick

A stylish gentleman cannot afford to pass without calling on Monteith & Seitenbach and seeing their new goods, large stock of men's shoes direct from Boston, extra quality and new style, large line of all grades of clothing, with an endless variety of new style neckware, also hosiery, hats, etc.

General Wm Farrar Smith, familiarly known among military men as "Baldy" Smith, will publish in the *Magazine of American History*, beginning with October, a series of papers on the "Kentucky Campaign of 1861-62," one of the unique features of which is the author's ingenious method of allowing the military leaders to tell their own stories—through their official correspondence. Some curious revelations may be expected.

450 glasses of beer make a gallon, as a usual thing. The standard wholesale price in the East for a barrel of beer is $8. What it is here we do not know. At 5 cents a glass it is easy to figure out what a fine profit there is in the business for retailers. In the whole of the U. S. the average consumption of beer is eleven gallons per capita each year. In England it is about twenty-six gallons, and the universal price is tuppence a glass.

A Portland paper asserts that the small property owners of Portland, with one-fourth of the property value of the city, pay three-fourths of the taxes. The case of an estate that probated for $600,000 is mentioned as being assessed at about $30,000, one-twentieth of its value, and it is but one of many cases.

On Thursday of next week Mr William Garrett will take charge of the Revere House in this city. He will make a popular hotel keeper, is full of business, besides being enterprising and public spirited. Mr Pfeiffer will remain in the city this winter, and we hope permanently. The ducks and wild game generally are hereby warned to look out.

John Grimes, Bell Grimes, Harvey Somerville and Mr Barger, who live a few miles east of Harrisburg, each brought down wheat to this place and took it to the Red Crown Mills to get flour for their home use. They had all tried the Red Crown flour, and say that it will pay them to come this distance after flour This speaks in loud whispers for the Red Crown. But, say, don't it seem like old times to see men go thirty miles to mill?

"Prineville has not been keeping up its customary record on shooting episodes, but last Thursday, Wm Brown had some words with Ed Evans, a saloon keeper, whereupon the latter picked up a shotgun from behind the bar and fired at Evans. A bystander knocked up the muzzle of the gun, thus preventing the usual murder item from this flourishing Eastern Oregon town."—*Hepner Times*. Now, who did the firing?

A good example of how well raising flax seed pays is shown in twenty acres raised by C C Craft, of Dotyville. On twenty acres he raised seed for which he received $415 cash, and there were no warehouse bills to pay. This seed grows uncommonly well around Dotyville, and a large number there have availed themselves of a contract market to raise it. They know before hand what they will get, and get it right down in cash.

The following item appears in last Monday's *Standard*: "A T Workman, who had Postmaster Talbott, of Sodaville, Linn county, arrested for opening one of his letters, has told our reporter that he is inclined to let the matter drop, as he has become convinced that Talbott did not intend to commit a felony. This will probably be the best way, as Talbott has always borne a good reputation and confesses to having committed a big blunder without criminal intent.

The *Astorian* talks in the following mean manner about newspaper men: "A Chicago newspaper man named Wakeman lost considerable money lately, and in consequence, has "retired to a monastery." If all the newspaper men that are losing money just now were to follow Mr Wakeman's example, the monasteries would have more than they could hold It's a good bet though that Wakeman will wake up soon and try it again. They all do. A newspaper man has no more business in a monastery than a toad on a sidesaddle."

A New England man, E S Sabsbru, has just died, leaving behind him a strange story for duplicity, rarely equaled At his home in Kingston, N. H., he was the patron of education and religion, giving liberally for all good causes His people thought so much of him that they sent him to the legislature. At Boston, all this time, he owned several brothels, and accumulated a large fortune through the infamous business, and was a libertine himself. His double character was not found out till his death.

Mr Louis Veireck last week bought out Mr Louis Campeau, and Monday morning began business. On leaving Milton, Pa., his former home, the *Miltonian* gave him the following complimentary notice: "Mr Louis Veireck, of the firm of Veireck & Matters, tonsorial artists, Front street, has sold his property on Filbert street and all interests in this place and has gone to Albany, Oregon. Mr Veireck came here the summer of 1877 and has been a quiet, energetic and public spirited citizen, and by excellent management has succeeded in his business and gained the respect of every one. He is one of those thorough going, active and substantial men that is an honor to any place they live in. Wherever he may establish himself he will be sure to get along and we wish him all the success attendant upon a good citizen. He is our loss and a gain to the city he may locate in.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Hon William Cyrus, of Scio, was in the city Wednesday.

Mr B R Warmoth, of Halsey, was in the city yesterday on his way home from Portland.

Ryan, the masquerading foot-racer, passed through Albany on his way to Salem last Tuesday.

Mr Wirt Saunders, the genial and imposing local editor of the Benton *Leader* was in the city last Monday.

Mrs Baldwin and daughters, of Illinois, are visiting in this city, being the guests of their relatives, Mr Conn's family.

Judge Kelsay, of Corvallis was in the city Tuesday on his way to Mars, on legal business. He will take in the State fair also while at the Capital.

Mr John Shea, of Sweet Home, was in Albany the first of the week with an immense load of as fine onions as ever made an Elder weep. They went off like hot-cakes, every onion being sold.

Judge Strahan and family returned from a several weeks sojourn in the mountains, principally at Bellknap Springs, last Monday. The Judge got considerable venison and some fine fish—at a very reasonable price while gone.

Hon J H Peery, of Dotyville, was in Albany last Monday, while here, making this office a pleasant call. Mr Peery is somewhat a hunter. Recently he and Charlie Craft killed four deer in one day, going into their lairs for them, and not like Albany hunters waiting and shooting them down on a trail.

Mr T P Hackleman left yesterday for his new home in Owosso, Michigan, being called there earlier than he expected by a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of his wife. The best wishes of this community go with Mr Hackleman, as well as for the speedy recovery of Mrs Hackleman.

Dry Goods and Notions.

I am now receiving my Fall stock of dry goods and notions, and will be better prepared to give good value for the money than ever before. My stock of dress goods will be large and will include all the novelties in imported plaids, tricots, etc., etc., as well as domestic dress goods. These domestic dress goods look nearly as well as imported, and cost much less. Goods of all descriptions are *cheaper* this fall. I have marked my old stock to correspond with the new goods in price, and I am determined to sell my goods as low as any house can sell, either for cash or produce. I keep nothing but standard goods, and will guarantee anything I sell. Parties who live at so great a distance from Albany as not to trade regularly, I know will find it to their advantage to come to head quarters for their fall stock. I have the stock of goods and will sell them. Samples of dress goods, flannels, etc., sent by mail, and as much care taken as though the parties were present to make selections.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

Some Questions.

Have you paid your school tax?

Does this kind of weather suit you?

How long have you made up your mind to hold your wheat?

Are you going to dry your apples and run the risk of a market?

Will you agree to put a "tin head" on the first burglar you find prowling around your house?

Sonny, are you going to get married, in order to keep up with the fashion?

Have you been, or are you going, to the State fair?

If you have been it was just about as usual, was it not, after all?

Will you agree to act sort of social like this winter and not spend your time sulking?

Will you pay the printer?

People wanting good value in boots and shoes will go to Monteith & Seitenbach's, No shoddy; all standard goods,

Kid Gloves by N. H. Allen & Co.

Large new stock just received from New York and one of the best in the market. Call and examine the new line, 4 button at 75 cents a pair; they are a splendid glove for the money.

Common Council.

Tuesday evening, Sept. 22nd, 1885.

Present—Mayor, Marshal, Recorder and all members.

Committee on Streets granted further time to report on drainage adjoining Exchange Hotel. That the Broadalbin St., sewer was completed as nearly as possible according to contract. On motion accepted. Mr Briggs, a member of the committee gave notice that at the next meeting he would present a minority report against accepting the sewer.

Committee on Health and Police reported that owing to the finances of the city they did not deem it expedient to appoint another nightwatchman at present, and that many of the citizens were in favor of discharging the two already on. They recommended that city be divided into two equal wards and a ward be a regular beat for one nightwatch. Adopted and the committee appointed to divide the city into two wards, the Marshal to assign one ward as a beat to each policeman, now on duty, the committee to fix the limits.

Recorder reported that in accordance with instructions of Mayor and Street Committee he had withdrawn bids for extending Broadalbin sewer.

Recorder ordered to give notice of the following street improvements.

To repair sidewalk on east side of Broadalbin St., bet. First and Second St., also on north line of 2nd St., bet. Broadalbin and Ellsworth.

The Recorder and Street Commissioner made the following estimates for street and sidewalk repairs ordered made.

Dirt and gravel for streets—Adjoining property of D B Monteith, $40; B W Cundiff's, $7; Mrs Gird, $25; Estate of Freeland, $15; Robt Foster, $19 58; Estate Water Monteith, $19 50; M Sternberg, $10; Dr Gray, $10; C Ingram, $10; Dr Crawford, $19 50; Estate Freeland, $19 50; Mrs McCalley, $9; Estate Bradley, $9.

Sidewalks—Jno Crawford, $30; D B Monteith, $5. The above estimates were accepted and levied as an assessment against the property of the above persons. Recorder was directed to report ordinance on the assessment at next meeting

The following bills were ordered paid: J R Stewartson, $25 75; costs vs Grady, $5.45; costs vs Moore, $5.45; N J Henton, $3.05, John Leedy, $131 46; G W Burkhart, $41.50; G W Burkhart, $96.93; rent Recorder's office, $37.50; John Jones, $70; Robert Brown, $60; Rubber Mfg Co., for "expander" $10.

The following bills were referred: Costs Lanning vs City $22; Clerks fees, $32.80; G W Burkhart, $19.20; N J Henton, $12 65; Whipple Brothers, lumber, $22.25; Fred Lumberg, sewer, $36.80.

Ladies Attention!

The Fall shades in the celebrated Centemeri kid gloves have been received by Monteith & Seitenbach. This glove leads all others with the largest sale of any glove in the market, when you select your size on purchasing the fit will be perfect to the last. The wearing qualities can't be equalled. Try a pair.

$1.10 a Sack.

On account of the low price of wheat flour will be sold at the Magnolia Mills for $1.10 a sack or $4.40 a barrel, and will be delivered free to all parts of the city.

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks!

I am opening my Fall stock of cloaks and jersey jackets this week, amounting to over two thousand dollars. These goods are much cheaper than last year and the styles better. These cloaks will be sold to cash or prompt paying customers, as cheap as any house in Oregon can sell them.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

New Cloaks.

N. H. Allen & Co., have just received from New York one of the finest line of Fall and Winter cloaks ever brought to Albany, all of the very latest styles, which will be sold much cheaper than ever before offered in this market. Remember the place at

N. H. ALLEN & Co's

Final Proof.

Parties making final proofs of claims either through the Roseburg or Oregon City Land Offices, can have the same published in the DEMOCRAT by so notifying the Register at either of those places, Friends of this paper will confer a favor by considering this when they make out their final claims.

Teacher's Examination.

The regular public quarterly examination of teachers will be held at the Court House in Albany commencing at one o'clock, p. m., on Thursday, Sept. 24th and ending at 12 o'clock m., Saturday, Sept. 26th, 1855.

D. V. S. REID,
County School Superintendent.

New Dress Making Establishment.

Mrs E D Sloan and Mrs Mary Bilyeu have opened a dressmaking shop second door west of Thompson's harness shop, and are prepared to do all kinds of fashionable dressmaking.

Oats! Oats!!

The highest market price paid for oat by

A. COHEN,
Albany.

Oregon Kidney Tea cures all kidney trouble.

MARRIED.

VOLLE—RISLEY.—On Sept 20th, 1885, at the home of the bride's parents, in Benton county, by Rev T G Brownson, MR FREDERICK W VOLLE and MISS VICTORINE C RISL