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E. W. LANGDON, DEALER IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, BRUSHES, SOAPS, COMBS, and everything kept in a first-class Drug Store. Also a fine stock of pianos and organs. Albany, Oregon.

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ALBANY, OREGON. A. PRUSHAW, DRUGGIST. Stationary, Foliot rifles, Etc. PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY FILLED. Open day and night. Albany, Or.

Revere House, ALBANY, OREGON. CHAS. PFEIFFER, PROPRIETOR. Fitted up in first-class style. Tables supplied with the best in the market. Nice sleeping apartments. Sample rooms for commercial travelers. Free Coach to and from the Hotel.

DR. J. L. HILL, Physician and Surgeon. Office—cor. First and Ferry Streets. ABANY, OREGON.

ALBANY IRON WORKS. CHERRY & PARKER, (Successors to C. C. Cherry.) Machinists, Millwrights, and Iron Founders.

WE HAVE OUR NEW SHOPS ALL completed, and are now prepared to handle all kinds of heavy work. We manufacture Steam Engines, Cris and Saw Mill Machinery, and all kinds of Iron and Brass Castings.

ALBANY SAW AND PLANING MILLS. All kinds of rough, dressed and seasoned lumber, lath and pickets kept constantly on hand. Bills sawed to order on shortest notice. Use only best Calapooia timber. Price and terms made satisfactory. ROBINSON & WEST.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of James Mady, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Lincoln county, Oregon, her final account and said Court has fixed Monday the 14th day of September, 1887, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court House in Albany, Oregon, for hearing said account and the settlement of objections thereto.

MISS EMMA SCHUBERT, Fine Millinery, OPPOSITE REVERE HOUSE.

WOOD CUTTERS, ATTENTION! Never forget that we always keep in stock a full line of axes, cross-cut saws, steel and iron wedges, sledges, mail rings, etc. STUBBS & SOX.

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Administrator's Notice of Appointment. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Lincoln county, Oregon, Administrator of the estate of James Mady, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present the same to the undersigned, at his residence near Crater Lake, Lincoln county, Oregon, on or before the 15th day of September, 1887, at which time the same will be audited and settled in the manner provided by law within six months from the date of July 28th, 1887.

MILES GARY, Administrator, etc. WEATHERFORD & BLACKBURN, Attorneys for Administrator.

Dissolution Notice. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Wm. Fortmiller and Chas. Brush under the firm name of Wm. Fortmiller & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Brush retaining all indebtedness to be paid and accounts collected by the new firm, consisting of Wm. Fortmiller and T. H. Core. Albany, Or., Aug. 2nd, 1887.



BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

I am now receiving my fall and winter stock of boots and shoes, I have as nicely a fitted up Boot and Shoe Store, and as complete a stock as any this side of Portland and very few better in Portland. I buy all my boots and shoes direct from manufacturers and am authorized to warrant every pair no matter how cheap. No firm in Oregon have any advantage of me in buying as I buy in quantities and pay the cash. In ladies', misses and children's shoes, I keep much the largest, best and greatest variety in the city. My aim will always be to give as good value for the money as possibly can be done.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG, First National Bank of Albany, Oregon. President—E. PLIXE Vice President—R. E. YOUNG Cashier—GEO. E. CHAMBERLAIN

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BABY HUMORS

And All Skin and Scalp Diseases Speedily Cured by Cuticura.

Our little son will be four years of age on the 25th inst. In May, 1886, he was attacked with a very painful breaking out of the skin. We called in a physician who treated him for about four weeks. The child received little or no good from the treatment, and the breaking out continued by the physician to be a live in an aggravated form, become larger in blotches and more and more distressing. We were frequently obliged to get up in the night and rub him with soda in water, strong liniments, etc. Finally, we called other physicians, until no less than six had attempted to cure him, all alike failing, and the child slowly getting worse and worse, until about the 25th of last July, when we began to give him Cuticura. Resolved to try Cuticura, and Cuticura Soap. Soap was administered, and by the 10th of August he was a new man. He has never been troubled since, with the horrible itching and itching. A little less than one box of Cuticura, and only one box of Cuticura Soap.

SKIN DISEASE CURED. Mr. Frank McCarty says that your Cuticura Soap cured his boy of skin disease after several doctors had failed to help him. He spent over one hundred dollars with doctors. Cuticura Soap cured him.

A Word About Catarrh. "It is the mucous membrane, that wonderful soft fluid envelope surrounding the delicate tissues of the throat and food passages, that Catarrh makes its stronghold. Once established, it eats into the very vitals, and renders life but a long drawn breath of misery and disease, dulling the sense of hearing, transmitting the power of speech, curtailing the faculty of eating, inflaming the lungs, and killing the refined pleasures of life. Indolence, by crowding out from a simple cold in the head, it annoys the membrane lining and envelopes the nose, eating through the delicate tissue and causing inflammation, abscess and death. Nothing short of total eradication will secure health to the patient, and all ailments are simply generalized sufferings, leading to a fatal termination. The Cuticura Cure consists of one bottle of the Radical Cure, one box Cuticura Soap, and one jar of Cuticura Ointment. It is a simple cure, with full directions; price \$1.50. Putner Drug and Chemical Co., Boston.

OH! MY BACK! MY BACK! BELIEVED IN ONE MINUTE. Aching back, hips, and sides, kidney and bladder pains, weakness and inflammation, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatic, sudden, sharp and recurring twinges, complete cures and relief in ten minutes by the use of our original and infallible Cuticura Radical Cure, 25c. \$1.50 for all drug stores or Putner Drug and Chemical Co., Boston.

Linn County Bank, COWAN & CUSICK, ALBANY, OREGON. TRANSACTIONS—general banking business. DRAW RIGHT DRAFTS on New York, San Francisco and Portland, Oregon. LOAN MONEY—approved security. RECEIVE deposits subject to check. COLLECTIONS entrusted to us will receive prompt attention.

RUSS HOUSE, J. GIBLIN, Proprietor. This house is now open and furnished with the best new furniture. Everything clean and commodious, offering to the general public superior accommodations to any in the city.

WILL BROS., Dealers in all the Leading Guns, Pistols, Sewing Machines, Organs and Pianos. A full line of THE BEST KIND OF SEWING MACHINE NEEDLES, Oils and Extras for all Machines supplied. LINN COUNTY AGENTS FOR NORTHWESTERN FIRE INSURANCE CO. Repairing of sewing machines musical instruments, guns, etc. nearly done.

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Washington.

(From our regular correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8th, 1887. Secretary Fairchild has issued a circular in writing proposals for the sale of a large amount of 4 1/2 per cent United States bonds and 4 per cent bonds and also Pacific railroad bonds, with a rebate of 2 per cent per annum on the amount prepaid.

Exploratory of this action Secretary Fairchild says he thought it the best thing he could do under the circumstances—his purchase of bonds being for the purpose of providing for the sinking funds and the anticipation of interest to be for the purpose of removing the surplus. The interest referred to in the order amounts to \$22,319,784 and the sinking fund to about \$36,000,000, added to the \$20,000,000 of 3 per cent bonds previously applied to that fund.

The Secretary says that the surplus can only be disposed of through the co-operation of the bond-holders, and that if they do not accept the terms of his offer to them, it would appear that they are not greatly in need of money.

The Controller of the currency has given notice to the national banks requiring them to submit to him a full statement of their affairs at the close of business August 1st—in default of which they will be fined and the sums paid into the United States Treasury—the purpose being to see whether these institutions have their finances in proper shape to meet any requirements necessary in handling this year's crops.

During the month of July 10,316 names were added to the pension rolls by the Democratic Administration, which, according to Republican partisans, has nothing but hatred and hostility to the Union Veterans.

The pension which was put through by Forger Harvey, as Attorney for a widow, turns out, upon closer investigation, to be a fraud—and thus nearly \$2,000 was at the last moment, saved to the Government. The Pension Office offers a great field for fraudulent manipulations, but the evil-doers almost invariably come to grief; two men have just been arrested in West Virginia on a charge of forgery in connection with a pension case.

Public Printer Benedict's reply to the New York Tribune's charge that he discriminated against Union soldiers in making appointments or dismissals is clear and convincing to the last degree, showing, as it does, that Mr. Benedict is a true and careful guardian of the interests of the soldier, for according to an actual census of the office, taken by him, about one-half of his employees are either Union Veterans or their widows and children—all of whom are protected in their positions by a special statute, but which the present Printer's Republican predecessors ignored when it applied to Democratic Union soldiers—examples that might well warrant retaliations in kind on his part—still he has done so but, impartially given, to all whom it is due, the benefits of this class legislation. Mr. Benedict has increased the working capacity of the establishment, although compelled to reduce the force, and has won the lasting gratitude of all the employees by paying semi-monthly, instead of monthly, as was the rule under the Republican regime.

Secretary Lamar's request that the heads of bureaus of the Interior Department present their annual reports much earlier than heretofore strongly tends to confirm the general impression that he will soon be transferred to the Supreme Bench. Mr. Lamar would adorn that lofty tribunal as few men in America could, for, in addition to being the first among Southern Statesmen and Jurists, his mind is cast in a judicial mould. President Cleveland says of him, that of all the men he has ever met, he believes Secretary Lamar to possess the clearest and most profound intellect.

About twenty patent Attorneys of Washington who were the beneficiaries of Bacon's generosity with the public funds have been notified that unless they immediately refund the sums borrowed—some \$300,000—it will be considered cause for disbarment from practice before the Interior Department; the bondsmen of the late financial clerk have signified their willingness to pay his defalcation when it is certified to properly.

The chief topic of local interest is the trial of naval surgeon Crawford for leading astray a school girl of thirteen and Madam Grundy is expecting sensational developments. The Judge has decided an important and interesting legal point—that the case can be tried under the Edmunds Utah law—the first of the kind on record here. I think a conviction rather doubtful, for the reason that one of the Government's principal witnesses has been spirited away, the little co-respondent is in New York, but process has been issued for her.

Mrs. Cleveland is gleefully sporting herself in the foamy waters of Buzzards Bay on the coast of New England. The other day in the little village of Marion, where she stops, it was noticed abroad that Mrs. Cleveland was going to take a plunge in the surf, but when she appeared on the beach 300 people were assembled to see the sight, yet I need hardly add they were disappointed.

An exchange in speaking of some of the cities of the N. W. theater towns places them as follows: Portland, W. T. Good town to steer clear of. Salem, Or. An indifferent show town. Seattle, W. T. Good show can play three nights. Spokane Falls, W. T. Combinations take desperate chances in playing. Walla Walla, W. T. Good one night town. Astoria, Or. One night town and indifferent at W. T. Good one night town. Dayton, W. T. Good one night town.

Neither Blaine nor Sherman nor Allison can be elected President. Ex-Postmaster-General Hutton sees this clearly and admits it. By taking one step after another in this direction he will finally arrive at the great truth that the Republicans who could be elected are all dead.

CHURCH FACTS. A church organ constructed entirely of paper is on exhibition at Milan. A Florida woman has made a bed quilt containing 16,000 pieces less than the size of a man's thumb nail.

Javelle water, used to remove tea and coffee, grass and fruit stains from linen is made thus: Mix well in an earthen vessel one pound of soda, five cents worth of chloride lime and two quarts of soft water.

The large dog kennels at Lancaster have been marked by many curious holes in the ground lately. Investigation has shown that they are receptacles for puppies, dug by the larger dogs to keep the little ones cool during warm weather.

The city of Paris is shown by official statistics to have consumed last year 4,000,000 eggs. It also drank 87,500,000 gallons of wine, 3,172,000 gallons of spirits and liquor and something over 12,000,000 gallons of cider and of beer, or 6,000,000 and over of each.

Recent experiments are said to have shown that a small weighing a quarter of an ounce, when crawling up a window, was able to lift vertically 2 1/2 ounces, or nine times its own weight. Another small, weighing one-third of an ounce, drew horizontally on a table seventeen ounces, or fifty times its own weight.

Artificial clouds were recently made for the protection of vines from frost at Pagny, on the Franco-German frontier. Liquid tar was ignited in tin boxes and pieces of solid tar on the ground near the vines. Large clouds of smoke arose and protected the vineyard for two hours. Although the vines in the neighborhood were injured by the frost, all that remained under the clouds were left uninjured. Of course this contrivance can succeed only in the calm weather, but it is only in calm weather that white frosts occur.

A clock recently patented in France is in imitation of a tambourine, on the parchment head of which is painted a circle of flowers, corresponding to the hour figures of ordinary dials. On examination two bees, one large and the other small, are discovered crawling among the flowers. The small bee runs rapidly from one flower to another, completing the circle in an hour, while the large one takes twelve hours to complete the circuit. The parchment surface is unbroken, and the bees simply laid upon it, but two magnets connected with the clock work inside the tambourine move just under the membrane, and the insects, which are of iron, follow them.

THE ALLIGATOR'S MEAL. An observer says an alligator's throat is an animated sewer. Everything which lodges in his open mouth goes down. He is a lazy dog, and instead of hunting for something to eat, he lets his victims hunt him. That is, he lies with his great mouth open, apparently dead, like the possum. Soon a bug crawls into it, then a fly, then several gnats and a colony of mosquitoes. The alligator doesn't close his mouth yet. He is waiting for a whole drove of things. He does his eating by wholesale. A little later a lizard will cool himself under the shade of the upper jaw. Then a few frogs will hop up to catch the mosquitoes. Then more mosquitoes and gnats will light on the frog. Finally a whole village of insects and reptiles settle down for an afternoon picnic. Then all at once there is an earthquake. The big jaw falls, the alligator blinks one eye, gulps down the entire menagerie, and opens his great front door again for more visitors.

The Ohio pot is preparing to boil over again with bad politics and set the embers of ambition to blazing. Now that Texas has gone "wet," 16 great Prohibition orators lately at work in that state have dried up.

A school-teacher's switch should be a whalebone, of course. It makes the boys blubber.

The Secretary of the Navy has let the contract for the construction of five new navy vessels as follows: Cruiser No. 1, the Newark, is awarded to Cramp & Sons for \$1,400,000, according to the Department's plans for the hull, and the contractors' plans for the machinery. Cruiser No. 2 to Cramp & Sons on the contractors' plan for \$1,350,000. Cruiser No. 3 to the Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, on the Department's plans for the hull and machinery for \$1,425,000. The gun boats Nos. 3 and 4 are awarded to N. F. Palm & Co., of New York, at \$2,000,000 each.

Bob Lincoln is spoken of as the rising star in the Republican party. He is not a star of the first magnitude as far as good traits go. He recently made a speech at a State reunion of the old settlers of Iowa, those who were therefore 160 in number. He said: "I am too good a Republican not to take the progress of your state as a reason for the advanced stand you take in politics." To a mixed audience of courteous hosts on a non-political occasion, such a remark was an insult, and the remarker must be a feather-head. His distinguished father would never have been guilty of such ill manners.

The invitation of Gov. Foster, of Ohio, to President Cleveland to visit Columbus has created great astonishment in Washington, and it is even rumored that it has become a source of unending amusement at Oak View. Foraker's premature discharge of opinion regarding the rebel flag episode was followed by a bitter attack on the President at the Toledo Convention, and his smoothly worded telegram to Mr. Cleveland is considered ludicrous in its bad taste.

The following simple and simple remedy for the bite of a rattlesnake is furnished by the Baker City Herald: Take a vessel large enough to submerge the bitten part; place in it a strong solution of saltpetre—common saltpetre and water—then place the affected part in the solution, and in less than ten minutes the poison will entirely leave the wound. Experience has taught us this, and we can recommend it to any one so afflicted.

There have been twenty-two Presidents of the United States. Five of them were elected at fifty-seven, and six attained that great office before the age of fifty. Three military men past fifty have been elected; two died very soon, and the other was General Jackson, and he was but sixty-one when elected.

Congress will be called upon at its next session to provide for a new member of the Cabinet, whose title shall be Receiver and Filer of Inventions to Visit the Cities of the Interior." He will be the hardest worked member of the presidential family.

The first striking clock was imported into Europe by the Persians about the year A. D. 800. It was brought as a present to Charlemagne from Abdella King of Persia, by two monks of Jerusalem.

The word alligator is derived from the French. It would puzzle our best lawyers, however, to tell where the meat we call sirloin steak is derived from.

The most cautious man we ever knew was the one who was afraid to buy a lead pencil for fear the lead did not reach through it.

General Tuttle said in a recent speech: "I was once a Democrat, but I am ashamed of it." So are the Democrats, General. Please don't mention it.

The next Congress has twenty members who are newspaper men. They should be made a standing committee to edit the Congressional Record.

The only time when a woman doesn't object to having it said that she got her foot into it is when she is trying on a No. 2 1/2 slipper.

People who want to know whether it is pronounced "neither" or "nyther" will find, if they investigate, that it is either.

Dog days are here. "The dog that owns this can can have it, if he will only take it away with him, and no question asked.

For Toilet Use. Ayer's Hair Vigor keeps the hair soft and pliant, imparts to it the lustre and freshness of youth, causes it to grow luxuriantly, eradicates Dandruff, cures all scalp diseases, and is the most cleanly of all hair preparations.

AYER'S Hair Vigor has given me perfect satisfaction. I was nearly bald for six years, during which time I used many hair preparations, but without success. Indeed, what little hair I had was growing thinner, until I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor. I used two bottles of the Vigor, and my hair is now well covered with a new growth of hair. —J. H. CHASE, Chapel, Newbury, Mass.

HAIR that has become weak, gray, and color restored to it by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. My hair was thin, faded, and dry, and fell out in large quantities. Ayer's Hair Vigor stopped the falling, and restored my hair to its original color. As a dressing for the hair, this preparation has no equal. —MARY N. HAMMOND, Stillwater, Minn.

VIGOR, youth, and beauty in the hair, will be preserved for an indefinite period by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. No one can use the scalp cause my hair to become hard and dry, and to fall out freely. Nothing I tried seemed to do me any good until I commenced using Ayer's Hair Vigor. Three bottles of this preparation restored my hair to a healthy condition, and it is now soft and pliant. My scalp is cured, and it is also free from dandruff. —Mrs. E. H. FOSS, Milwaukee, Wis.

Ayer's Hair Vigor, Sold by Druggists and Perfumers.

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The Secretary of the Navy has let the contract for the construction of five new navy vessels as follows: Cruiser No. 1, the Newark, is awarded to Cramp & Sons for \$1,400,000, according to the Department's plans for the hull, and the contractors' plans for the machinery. Cruiser No. 2 to Cramp & Sons on the contractors' plan for \$1,350,000. Cruiser No. 3 to the Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, on the Department's plans for the hull and machinery for \$1,425,000. The gun boats Nos. 3 and 4 are awarded to N. F. Palm & Co., of New York, at \$2,000,000 each.

Bob Lincoln is spoken of as the rising star in the Republican party. He is not a star of the first magnitude as far as good traits go. He recently made a speech at a State reunion of the old settlers of Iowa, those who were therefore 160 in number. He said: "I am too good a Republican not to take the progress of your state as a reason for the advanced stand you take in politics." To a mixed audience of courteous hosts on a non-political occasion, such a remark was an insult, and the remarker must be a feather-head. His distinguished father would never have been guilty of such ill manners.

The invitation of Gov. Foster, of Ohio, to President Cleveland to visit Columbus has created great astonishment in Washington, and it is even rumored that it has become