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WITHOUT AN EQUAL. CURES RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, LUMBAGO, SCIATICA, Sprains, Bruises, Burns, Swellings, PROMPTLY AND PERMANENTLY.

Julius Gradwohl's Bazaar

The very latest news is that you can buy at JULIUS GRADWOHL'S BAZAAR, for net cash, goods as follows: Arbuckle's Coffee, Per Pound... 25c. 17 lbs. Granulated Sugar... \$1.00.

ALLEN BROTHERS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS. CIGARS TOBACCO, AND CHOICE FRUITS OF ALL KINDS IN LARGE OR SMALL QUANTITIES.

Flinn Block. ALBANY. FRESH BREWED PILSNER BEER. BURGERS TEA.

PATRONIZE HOME INSTITUTIONS. THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS INSURANCE CO., Albany, Oregon.

Several Solid Eastern and Foreign Companies. ONLY STRICTLY INSURANCE OFFICE IN ALBANY.

Mitchell & Lewis Co., Albany. THE COMBINED OREGON AND GRAIN MILL GUARANTEED TO GRIND 100 BUSHELS PER HOUR.

FURNITURE! If you want the best and most durable furniture that is manufactured in the city go to THOMAS BRINK'S ALBANY CIGAR FACTORY.

TRY A LEFFEL WHEEL and get MORE POWER and use LESS WATER. THE LEFFEL WATER WHEEL & ENGINE CO., GREENWICH AVENUE.

We are the People. ONE ENJOYS Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectively, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation permanently.

LOCAL RECORD.

ORAINAIG.—Oregon has six months of sunshiny weather unsurpassed anywhere, and even in the winter we are not without our share of sun.

WELL, you see by this I am out in Orainiaig, but it does not rain again; it rains always; it is the same old shower; it starts eleven weeks ago and it still rains.

ASTORIA OR SALEM.—Here is an interesting little spot from the Town Talk of Astoria: The Salem Journal, in reviewing the financial state of Salem, says: "The city government is being run on a third of the population of Salem that has fully as expensive a city government."

HAD SEEN TOO MUCH HERRY.—On December 23d, Rev. Elbridge Gerry, died at his home near West Randolph, Va., at the age of 82 years.

THE ALLIANCE MEETING.—We clip the following in reference to the recent Alliance meeting held in Albany: "The Alliance meeting in Albany, on the 19th inst., was a most successful one."

HALF THE STORY.—The world generally only tells half the story. The Democrat by cutting too quickly produces the following from some of its exchanges: "There is not a sane person in Astoria."

CREWIT COURT.—The following new cases have been begun: Monteith & Settenbach vs C. H. Weston Recovery of money. H. H. Hewitt, attorney for plaintiff.

ALL ROADS TO ALBANY.—Let's have all roads lead to Pendleton. Good roads pay says the E. O. The idea is a good one.

WHAT A MILL DID.—The annual meeting of the Willamette Lumber Manufacturers' Association was held in this city last Saturday, and C. Goodale was re-elected president and A. Wheeler secretary.

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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL.

Geo. Finley, of Corvallis, is in the city today. W. L. Jones, Jefferson's expert wig, is in the city.

Mr. Jasper Guilford, wife and daughter, of Albany, made a visit here the first week last returned from a trip to California.—Eugene Register.

Mr. Wren Ross went to Salem today on a visit. William Cowan and James A. Wilson left this morning for Corvallis to attend a party to be given there.

Hon. T. J. Black, of Halsey, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Ashby Pearce has been visiting friends in Eugene.

Miss Black, a daughter of Hon. T. J. Black, of Halsey, has been engaged to teach in the Albany public schools.

A dance and supper was given at Grange Hall No. 10, last evening by the lodge side in the recent match hunt. Several Albany members were present.

A WONDERFUL ESCAPE.—A singular accident happened yesterday at Cris Simpson's place near Helix. Mr. Simpson, Robert Watson and R. Hendrickson, a young man twenty-one years old, were engaged in cleaning out a well.

A FLEETING AGE.—In this age it is necessary to keep both eyes, all of one's ears and even one's nose open to keep from being cheated. Even the farmer who gets his news from the paper.

WORDFUL SON.—The following from the wonderful durability of Willamette valley soil, says the E. O. "The soil in Marion county, between Butteville and Aurora, where the first crop of wheat grew that yielded in the north-west."

CATTLE, ETC., IN OREGON.—The assessment rolls of the thirty-one counties give the number of horses and mules in the state as being 180,877, cattle 388,819, sheep 1,091,577, swine 98,467, acres of railroad land 680,702, acres of land 943,070, acres of swamp land 100,083, acres agricultural and other land (not including the north-west) named before) 7,933,240, miles telegraph line 1,396.14.

HOW MUCH SHODDY.

Merchants and consumers would give them a good lesson. A practical dyer, Mr. F. M. Street, who gives him an opportunity to know the inside of the business, writes in a communication to the World, September 15, as follows: "It is past belief the amount of shoddy that is in goods sold as all wool, and parties bringing such goods to us frequently get indignant when told it is shoddy, for when buying they were told it was a fine article and sold for such."

THE DEBSONS, leading carpet manufacturers of Philadelphia, are reported as authority for the estimate that of 55,000,000 pounds of carpet material used in this country 10,000,000 are clean wool (equivalent to 22,000,000 of raw wool) 20,000,000 are shoddy and 25,000,000 other materials.

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DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE MEETING.

The Democratic County Central committee is hereby called to meet at the Democrat office, in Albany, Oregon, on Friday, January 29th, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m., to fix the time and place for holding the county democratic convention to elect delegates to the state convention and to nominate a county ticket, and to perform such other duties as may properly come before the committee.

THE TIE-PLATE CONSUMERS' ASSOCIATION, numbering 46 of the canning firms of the country, say that they trust the tie plate question as one of business, not of politics, because whether they are republicans or democrats the McKinley bill has already cost them \$10,000,000 for tin-plate more than they would have had to pay for under the former duty.

LIGHTNING struck the camp ground of the New York State Militia four times the past season. On July 17 it created quite a panic, knocking down about a dozen of the guards. It was worse than the famous "Jersey Lightning" as it worked quicker and came without being called for.

AN ALBANY man only married on Oct. 4th, 1891, advertises that his wife has left his bed and board. Marriage continues to be a lottery.

W. F. READ, STILL IN THE LEAD! Call and see what a stock of — Fancy Goods, Furnishing Goods, Dress Goods, Hosiery.

We have just placed on sale a complete assortment of cloaks and jackets, in both cloth and fur trimmed. W. F. READ, Albany, Oregon.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. Castoria is so well adapted to children that it is recommended to all parents.

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR Where to get the Best Bargains, Where to get the Best Value for Your Money.

ASK THE PEOPLE OF LINN COUNTY! Clothing, Dry Goods, Etc., And they will Answer with One Voice, at G. W. SIMPSON'S.

G. W. SIMPSON'S. A fine line of grocery ware at Conn & Henderson's.