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SOL KING, Proprietor, CORVALLIS, OREGON. Owns both barns I am prepared to offer superior accommodations in the livery line.

GOOD TEAMS At Low Rates. My stables are first-class in every respect.

REASONABLE CHARGES FOR HIRE. Particular attention paid to boarding horses.

ELEGANT HEARSE, CARRIAGES AND HACKS FOR FUNERALS. Corvallis, Jan. 3, 1879.

WOODCOCK & BALDWIN, (Successors to J. R. Bayley & Co.) KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND AT THE OLD STAND A LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF Heavy and Shelf Hardware, IRON, STEEL, TOOLS, STOVES, RANGES, ETC.

Tin and Copper Ware, Pumps, Pipe, Etc. A good Tinner constantly on hand.

ST. LOUIS CHARTER OAK SHOES THE BEST IN THE WORLD. Also the Norman Range, and many other patterns.

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Corvallis Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M. Holds its usual communication every Wednesday on or preceding each full moon.

Barium Lodge No. 7, I. O. O. F. Meets on Tuesday evening of each week, in their hall, in Fisher's brick, second story.

ROBERT N. BAKER, Fashionable Tailor, FORMERLY OF ALBANY, WHERE HE has given his patrons perfect satisfaction.

JOHN S. BAKER, PROPRIETOR, CORVALLIS, OREGON. HAVING BOUGHT THE ABOVE MARKET and fixtures, and permanently located in Corvallis.

BEEF, PORK, MUTTON AND VEAL. Special attention to making extra Bologna Sausage.

Grain Storage! A Word to Farmers. HAVING PURCHASED THE COMMODITY warehouse of Messrs. King and Bell.

H. E. HARRIS, CORVALLIS, OREGON. One door South of Graham & Hamilton's.

GROCERIES. PROVISIONS. -AND- Dry Goods. Corvallis, Jan. 3, 1879.

DRAKE & GRANT, MERCHANT TAILORS, CORVALLIS, OREGON. WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE and well selected stock of Cloth.

Boarding and Lodging. PHILMATH, Boston Co., Oregon.

GEORGE KISOR, RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE TRAVELING public that he is now prepared and in readiness to keep such boarders as may choose to give him a call.

ALBERT PYGALL, WILLIAM IRWIN, PYGALL & IRWIN, City Trucks & Drays, CORVALLIS, OREGON.

J. C. MORELAND, (CITY ATTORNEY.) ATTORNEY AT LAW, PORTLAND, OREGON.

THE STAR BAKERY, 2nd Street, Corvallis. HENRY WARRIOR, PROPRIETOR.

Family Supply Store! Groceries, Bread, Cakes, Pies, Candies, Toys, Etc.

Always on Hand. Corvallis, Jan. 1, 1877.

"Ten Great Gals."

At the age of sixteen, before we had discarded our "roundabouts," we had contracted to "keep school" in District Number Five, for \$12 per month and "boarding round."

After the first flush of elation at our election, the reflection came back, like a return wave of ice water, that in all human probability, our own seventeenth birthday should dawn, we should be seen vanishing head foremost out of the school house window into a snow drift.

"Well, now, you are really going to keep school in District Number Five," said Aunt Anna, smoothing down her hair.

"Yes, Aunt Anna, I have promised to keep school, but between you and me, I don't like it."

"The first crisis came at the beginning of the second week, when a big lout 'sauced' the new schoolmaster."

"Don't be east down! We girls will shame that seat of boys into good manners before another week."

"There was no appeal from that. A greater than the whole class of 'great gals' had spoken, and we were in our souls that fate was standing at the school-house door."

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The Great Western Empire.

Whoever carefully examines the statistics showing how the population of the United States has grown of late years, must be impressed with the rapidity with which the Western States are outstripping the Southern and Eastern.

The rate of increase in some of the Southern and Northern States is almost identical; for instance, the Southern States of Mississippi and the Northern State of New Hampshire are on a par in this respect.

But, if the truth were known, it was not we, but the "ten great gals" that did the business, they had so demoralized the attacking columns by the magic of their charms that only one had the heart to defy the little master, and he dared not lift his hand when the day of battle came.

Autumn Care of Plants. -It is high time that house plants that have been kept out of doors during the summer be protected from the chill evening air.

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The Great Captain.

A gentleman who formerly resided in Galena, and who was subsequently an officer in the Union army, furnishes the following facts in regard to General Grant's joining the army in the late war.

When the war broke out General Grant was an employe in his father's leather store, which was located on Main street, in Galena. Grant had only been in Galena about one year, and had made but a limited number of acquaintances when the first call for troops was made by President Lincoln in 1861.

Among these were E. D. Washburne, John A. Rawlins, John Russell Jones and a few others. A company was raised in Galena at once. A mass meeting was called at the Court House, and a muster roll called. The result was that a company was formed, and Augustus L. Chetlain, elected Captain; Wallace Campbell, First Lieutenant, and Nicholas Bush, Second Lieutenant. The company left for Springfield soon afterwards, and was assigned to the Twelfth Illinois Infantry.

Meanwhile Washburne went to Springfield, and in conversation with Governor Yates, mentioned the name of U. S. Grant, and, upon Washburne's recommendation, Governor Yates sent to Galena for Grant, who came at once and assisted Allen C. Fuller, then Adjutant General of the State, in the organization of the Illinois regiment. After a time Grant was commissioned as Colonel of the Twenty-first Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and one day asked Governor Yates for marching orders. "But I haven't the transportation," said the Governor. "Never mind that," said Colonel Grant. "Give me the orders, and I'll take transportation." The orders were given, and within forty-eight hours the Twenty-first Illinois went out of Springfield in column by fours, and took the road to Quincy. In a private letter to a friend, as they arrived, and then went into Missouri and reported to General Fremont for duty.

General Fremont knew General Grant so well that he put him in command of the west at Cairo, where he remained until he ascertained from his scouts that the Confederates, who were massed at Columbus, Kentucky, twenty miles below, were establishing a camp at Belmont landing, on the Missouri side of the Mississippi river, opposite to Columbus, with the object of reaching that State and the flanking of Fremont and Sigel. Colonel Grant immediately made preparations to attack them, and did so during the week, capturing their guns and supplies, and breaking up the whole concern, as Grant expressed it. This was really the first victory of the war, and showed the people of the United States that one officer meant business. From here Grant's career is a part of the history of the country, and it is not to be forgotten to honor to the man whose genius and patriotism and wise statesmanship have placed our country where it is—the foremost amongst the nations of the earth.

JESSIE BENTON FREMONT. -Jessie Benton Fremont is in her Arizona home undertaking to make better men and women of the boys and girls growing up about her. In a private letter to a friend in New York she tells of her work thus: "It was a great pleasure to me to find that I could add to the knowledge of these young people; that I could make real and human to them names and personalities; that I could link together one event and one personality after another until history became not a dry mass of names and dates and isolated events, but a connected and yet broadening stream of human effort. I cannot, of course, begin to do this, but I can do it, and the thirty-two history talks I gave my Arizona flock of scholars each Friday of the term after I joined them were a panorama of history as my father had taught me to know it, as I had realized it in many a spot of classic ground in Europe, as reading had enriched it with personal belongings and lights, and as I had seen it made both in France and in our own great trial time. For this, when they would thank me, I would feel that I was doing my duty. I had acquired last winter a practical insight into the vast and spreading influence of the spoken word on receptive and willing young minds. I have never done anything that gave me so much content in the doing and the remembrance.

It is wonderful how many benevolent men we find who have no money. They feel for the cause of Christ, for the needs of the poor, for the welfare of the heathen and a thousand other good objects, but really they have nothing that they can give. They have lost so much, and property has depreciated so greatly, that they are restricted, and cannot do as they would. But how was it when they had money? Then they used it for themselves and for their own advantage. When it is gone they are very willing to give it away, but while they had it, neither God nor man could loosen their grasp upon it. They proved themselves unfaithful stewards, and have been put out of their stewardship. They now have the opportunity of being "faithful over a few things," and if they are thus faithful, the Lord can make them stewards over many things. The lesson for us all to learn is to do good while we can do it; while our hands are on the plough is the time to cut the furrow. To-day we have the opportunity to do something for Christ, for the good of our fellow-creatures; it may be our only one. Let us do while we can do; let us give while we can give; let us work while we can work. The night cometh wherein no work can be done. "Withhold not good from them that are ready to do it." -Prov. 3-27. -[The Christian.

"Will the angels come down for me with a chariot and horses when I die?" asked a little boy of his Sunday School teacher. "I guess if you were a real good boy," said the teacher. The little fellow eyes sparkled with anticipation as he eagerly exclaimed: "And oh! do you think they'll let me sit on the front seat and drive?"

MADAME RECAMIER. -The First Consul was expected, and the elite of Paris early thronged the salons of the charming hostess, but whose name was Madame Recamier. "Souffrante," the nickname, retained to her bed by a sudden indisposition. She would, however, receive her guests *couche*. The company passed to the bedroom of the lady, which, as still the custom in France, opened one of the principal salons. There, in a gilded bed, lay Madame Recamier, the most beautiful woman in France. The bed curtains were of the finest Brussels lace, bordered with garlands of honeysuckle, and lined with satin of the palest rose. The coverlet was of the same material; from the pillow of embroidered cambric fell "des floes de Valenciennes." The lady herself wore a peignoir trimmed with the most exquisite English point. Never had she looked more lovely; never had she done so much for her hotel more gracefully. And so she received Napoleon, so she received the budding heroes of the great empire. All admired her "fortitude," her "devotion," and thus sacrificing herself to society; and on the following day, "tout Paris c'est fait inscrire chez elle." Surely the art and artifice of toilet could go no further, for everybody is aware of the ethereal delicacy and loveliness occasioned by a profusion of lace about one, and especially about the face.

TRADING ON SEX. -She has a poor poem, a poor story, a very poor picture, a poor play and a poor excuse for forcing its notice on men, whom she bores and annoys by her persistency, and that is because she is a woman. Because she is a woman, and because of the attention and gallantry due her sex from the other, she expects her story, her picture, her statue, her play, to have the preference over that of the man, who has an equal voice howling at his door, and whose work may be more meritorious. This is simply trading on sex, and it's animus won't bear close inspection, because it is akin to something from which the woman might shrink in horror did she see it in its true color. -[Graphic.

A woman who will carry a 20-pound baby around all day in a broiling sun, and never mutter a word of complaint will make enough noise getting an 8-pound lump of ice from the front steps into the kitchen to run a freight train forty miles an hour.

AN USURER'S DODGE. -"One of the most impudent usurers' dodges on record," says the London World, "has just been detected in Paris, and is now the subject of a thorough investigation at the hands of the police. It seems that several young men had been ruined lately, in a very short space of time, by a company, which proceeded as follows: The 'Board of Directors' was always willing to advance any amount, at a certain rate of interest, and without inquiry fees or security, to young fellows of good family who applied for it, their only rules being: 1. That the money should be paid at a given date, generally within six months, upon a certain interest. 2. That the borrower should sign a declaration to the effect that he had received the money as a deposit. It followed that, in case of non-payment, the unfortunate youth was amenable to the law as a swindler. From fear of an exposure he paid, or his family paid for him; and the usurers, being in league with several women of demi-monde, seem to have done no depression of trade lately. Complaints have been so numerous, however, that Dame Justice has stepped in."

THE DUKE OF HAMILTON'S ESCAPADES. -The Duke must have been the hero of a good many escapades of the "Prince Haek" kind. At a restaurant in Paris he was so unfortunate as to be compelled to knock a policeman down, whereupon brother guardians of the peace were under a painful necessity of taking His Grace and a friend to the lock-up. I believe they were unaware of his rank and position, and looked more ashamed than the Duke when they learned their mistake. The thing got into the papers, and the late Felix Whitehurst was instructed to state that there was no truth whatever in the report, etc. For all that, there was a good deal. The late Duke, by the way, was far more unfortunate than his son in these little affairs, managing to terminate his princely existence by tumbling headlong down the steps of the Mason Doree. -[London Truth, Sept. 22th.

A young man never feels so much at a loss what to do as when he takes his girl to a picnic, a big ant crawls down her back and begins to bite her just above the belt, and she begins to scream for help.