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A large assortment of Ladies and Childrens Hose at 12 1/2-2 cts.  
Good Dress Goods at 1 1/2c  
Best Corset in town for 50c  
An immense stock of New and Seasonable Goods.  
Fine Cashmere in every shade.  
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Trimming Silks and Satins in all shades.  
Moire antique Silks  
Velvets in Colors.  
The finest stock of French KID SHOES ever brought to this place.  
BOOTS and SHOES in all grades.  
GROCERIES of all descriptions.

## Liberal Discount for CASH.

**New Departure !!**

**TWO PRICES!**

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PATRONIZE THE MEN WHO HELP TO BUILD YOUR BRIDGES, ROADS AND RAILROADS, whose interests are your interests! Are permanently located and send their profits at home. Take notice that

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Will sell goods for CASH at greatly reduced prices, as low as any other CASH STORE.

Best Prints 16 and 18 yards.....\$1.00	Fine Cheviot Shirts, 59, 75 cts and \$1.
Best Brown and Bleached Muslins, 7, 8, 9, and 14 cts.	New Assortment Dress Goods (No Trash) 16 and 25 cts.
Clark and Brooks spool cotton 75 cts per Doz.	Men's Tailor-made Shirts and Drawers, 50 cts.
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Fine White Shirts, 75 cts and \$1.	Embroideries and Edgings at Fabulous Low Prices.

And all Other Goods at Proportionate Rates.

**WHITE SEWING MACHINE!**  
None better for strength, size, and durability. At greatly reduced rates. Call on me for all the details. To my old customers, who have stood by me so long, I will continue to sell on same terms as heretofore on time, but if at any time they wish to make CASH purchases, I will give all out as others, the full credit on my reduction. A. V. PETERS

**CASH OR CREDIT!**

Goods sold as low as any House in Oregon, for

**Cash Or Credit.**

Highest Price paid for all kinds of Country Produce. Call and See

**S. H. Friendly.**

**CRAIN BROS.**

DEALERS - IN - Clocks, Watches and Jewelry.

Musical Instruments, Toys, Notions, etc  
Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry repaired and warranted. Northwest corner of Willamette and Eighth streets.

**NEW GROCERY STORE**

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OUR goods are all new and fresh and of first quality. All goods usually found in a first-class Grocery Store, kept on hand. Tobacco and CIGARS a specialty. We buy for Cash and sell for the same, giving the customer the advantage of CASH PRICES. SWIFT & CO.

**Attorneys and Counsellors, at Law,**  
EUGENE CITY, OREGON.  
PRACTICE IN ALL THE COURTS OF this State. They give special attention to collections and probate matters.  
Office - First N. E. & O. S. Express Bldg.

**Geo. B. & Geo. A. DORRIS,**  
Attorneys and Counsellors-at-Law,  
WILL PRACTICE IN THE COURTS of the Second Judicial District and in the Supreme Court of this State.  
Special attention given to collections and matters in probate

**Geo. S. Washburne,**  
Attorney-at-Law,  
EUGENE CITY, OREGON  
Office formerly occupied by Thompson & Bean.

**Geo. M. MILLER,**  
Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, and Real Estate Agent.  
EUGENE CITY, OREGON.  
OFFICE - Two doors north of Post Office.

**J. E. FENTON,**  
Attorney-at-Law.  
EUGENE CITY OREGON.  
Special attention given to Real Estate Practice and Abstracts of Title.  
Office - Over Grange Store.

**Dr. Wm Osborne,**  
Office Adj. to St. Charles Hotel,  
OR AT THE -  
NEW DRUG STORES OF HAYES and LUCKEY.

**DR. JOSEPH P. GILL,**  
CAN BE FOUND AT HIS OFFICE or in residence when not professionally engaged.  
Office at the  
POST OFFICE DRUG STORE.  
Residence on Eighth street, opposite Presbyterian Church.

**DR. E. G. CLARK,**  
Graduate of the Philadelphia Dental College.  
**DENTIST,**  
EUGENE CITY, OREGON.  
GOLD FILLINGS A SPECIALTY.  
Artificial teeth made to order. Teeth extracted without pain. All work fully warranted. Office in brick building over the Grange store

**JEWELRY ESTABLISHMENT.**

**J. S. LUCKEY,**  
DEALER IN  
Clocks, Watches, Chains, Jewelry, Etc.  
Repairing Promptly Executed.  
All Work Warranted.  
J. S. LUCKEY,  
Elsworth & Co's Brick Willamette street.

**DR. W. G. SEHLBREDE,**  
DENTIST.

IS NOW PERMANENTLY LOCATED in Cottage Grove. He performs all operations in mechanical and surgical dentistry. All work warranted and satisfaction guaranteed.

**Rev. Father Wilds' EXPERIENCE.**

The Rev. Z. P. Wilds, well-known city missionary in New York, and brother of the late eminent Judge Wilds, of the Massachusetts Supreme Court, writes as follows:

"I was 2,345 St., New York, May 16, 1872. Messrs. J. C. Ayer & Co., Gentlemen:  
Last winter I was troubled with a most uncomfortable itching humor affecting more especially my limbs, which itched so intolerably at night, and during the daytime, that I could scarcely bear my clothing over them. I was also a sufferer from a severe catarrh and cuticular eruption; my appetite was poor, and my system a good deal run down. Knowing the value of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA, by observation of many other cases, and from personal use in former years, I began taking it for the above-mentioned disorder. My appetite improved almost from the first dose. After a short time the fever and itching were allayed, and all signs of irritation of the skin disappeared. My catarrh and cough were also cured by the same means, and my general health greatly improved, until it is now excellent. I feel a hundred per cent stronger, and I attribute these results to the use of the SARSAPARILLA, which I recommend with all confidence as the best blood medicine ever devised. I took it in small doses three times a day, and used, in all, less than two bottles. I place these facts at your service, hoping their publication may do good.  
Yours respectfully, Z. P. WILDS."

The above instance is but one of the many constantly coming to our notice, which prove the perfect adaptability of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA to the cure of all diseases arising from impure or over-irritated blood, and a weakened vitality.

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla**  
cleanses, enriches, and strengthens the blood, stimulates the action of the stomach and bowels, and thereby enables the system to resist and overcome the attacks of all Scrofulous Diseases, Eruptions of the Skin, Rheumatism, Catarrh, General Debility, and all disorders resulting from poor or corrupted blood and a low state of the system.

PREPARED BY  
**Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.**  
Sold by all Druggists; price \$1, six bottles for \$5.

**AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS.**  
Best Purgative Medicine  
cures Constipation, Indigestion, Headache, and all Bilious Disorders.  
Sold every where. Always reliable.



Always Cures and never disappoints. The world's greatest Pain-Reliever for Man and Beast. Cheap, quick and reliable.

**PITCHER'S CASTORIA**  
is not Narcotic. Children grow fat upon it, Mothers like it, and Physicians recommend CASTORIA. It regulates the Bowels, cures Wind Colic, allays Feverishness, and destroys Worms.

**WEI DE MEYER'S CATARRH Cure,** a Constitutional Antidote for this terrible malady, by Absorption. The most important Discovery since Vaccination. Other remedies may relieve Catarrh, this cures at any stage before Consumption sets in.

**JAS. L. PAGE,**  
DEALER IN

**Groceries and Provisions.**

Will keep on hand a general assortment  
Groceries, Provisions, Cured Meats, Tobacco, Cigars, Candles, Candles, Soap, Notions, Green and Dried Fruits, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, Etc.

Business will be conducted on a  
**CASH BASIS**  
Which means that  
**Low Prices are Established**  
Goods delivered without charge to Envy  
**ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE WANTED**  
For which we will pay the highest market price.  
JAS. L. PAGE



**Robert Todd Lincoln.**

SECRETARY OF WAR AND PROMINENTLY MENTIONED AS THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEE FOR PRESIDENT.

A BRIEF SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

Robert Todd Lincoln, Secretary of War, is the oldest and only surviving son of Abraham Lincoln and was born at Springfield, Illinois, August 13, 1843. He received a good education in the schools of that city but concluded his preparatory course at Exeter, N. H. He entered Harvard College from which he graduated in 1864. After his graduation he received a commission as Captain, and saw considerable service in the field, but because of his youth he was kept a close companion to his father at the White House the greater part of the time.

After the exciting scenes of his father's assassination he settled in Chicago, where he studied law, and was in a few years admitted to the bar. He then began the practice of his profession in that city and secured the management of several large estates and many Eastern Insurance Companies, who loaned large sums of money on Chicago real estate. In attending to these trusts Mr. Lincoln developed superior executive ability. He married the only daughter of Ex Secretary James Harlan.

During the Chicago convention Mr. Lincoln was an ardent advocate of the nomination of General Grant, and presided at the immense Grant meeting held in Chicago a few days before the nomination for the Presidency was made. Before that period his only active effort in politics had been as a member of a citizens' committee formed in Chicago to effect a reformation and purification in local political affairs.

President Garfield's selection of Mr. Lincoln for Secretary of War was due to a determination to honor the name of our great War President and so satisfactory was his administration of the War Department during President Garfield's incumbency that President Arthur retained Mr. Lincoln in the Cabinet, and now finds himself prominently mentioned as a Presidential candidate. Mr. Lincoln disclaims any ambition for further political preference, but his modest, unassuming manners only induces his admirers to more earnestly advance his claim.

Secretary Lincoln is one of the most popular officials that the War Department has ever been under, and in social and political circles, regardless of his party affiliations, he is an universal favorite. In form and feature Mr. Lincoln has no resemblance whatever to his illustrious father, but in executive ability and an intuitive comprehension of public affairs he has certainly inherited the sterling characteristics of Abraham Lincoln.

At Schenectady, N. Y., a juvenile rushed into the presence of his parents and gleefully exclaimed: "We are going to have the firemen come up to our house right away." An explanation was asked and the startling answer made that he and a playmate had made a fire under a bed in an upstairs room. And sure enough, rapidly spreading flames were discovered. The flames were subdued, much to the grief of the youngster. When the child was chided he innocently remarked: "What difference does it make, pa? Ain't you going to build a new house, anyway."

**OREGON AND WASHINGTON.**

The cash receipts at the Olympia land office in January footed up to \$53,905.

Gambling is the business of many at Coeur d'Alene, and the sport of the few.

The county commissioners of Yakima did not select any women for jury duty.

A grave-yard has been started at Coeur d'Alene. There are four tenants in it.

Two hundred and thirty-eight convicts in the state penitentiary. For life, 19.

The house of Charles Abraham, situated a few miles from Dayton, W. T., was burned last Wednesday.

Orders from New York stopped the work of construction on the Cedar river extension road and Seattle is over run with idle men.

John Dinley, of Clarke county, W. T., while out hunting last week mistook his boy for a wild cat and shot him, fracturing his skull.

The refrigerator company has settled upon Blalock as the point at which to erect their building, and are now cutting ice for use next summer.

Lewiston, Idaho, has an Episcopal church, recently built, and a new church bell just arrived. The bell weighs 1013 pounds and cost nearly \$300.

It was chilly in Eastern Washington Feb. 15th, at Walla Walla 19 below; at Colfax 38 below; at Waiilatburg, 21 below; at Goldendale, 33 below.

**Correct!**

In a well-written article on newspapers, the East Oregonian says:

"It is seldom that a place of less than 500 or 600 people, and having a settled country around, needs or can support a paper. And unless in the case of a county seat of a large county, no town of less than 1,500 or 2,000 should give any encouragement to a second. The third local paper ought to have no chance for existence in any town of less than 5,000 or 6,000, and it is all the better if the town could grow to 20,000 with but two papers; for then the papers could afford to be of some use to the people. \* \* \*

A paper, even in a small town, to be worthy of confidence and liberal support, can no longer be a concern run in the interest of some clique, or faction, or party. While it may strongly support one party as opposed to another, yet it must be ready and able to oppose whatever is discreditable in the party it supports, or to bestow praise or censure where it is sure they belong, regardless of the fact that thereby it may lose a patron or two. The people of this day in this country are too intelligent to give cordial support to a mere "organ" of anything or anybody. A paper which is no more than this is never to be trusted. It will tell either truth or falsehood, advocates either right or wrong, publishes or suppress important news—just as best suits its interest. The only way the people of a town and surrounding neighborhood can hope to have an outspoken, reliable local paper, one that can afford to be independent and incorruptible, is to give it liberal support, and discourage and unduly a ill-advised competition."

"One evening as I was sitting by Hetty, and had worked myself up to the sticking pint, sez I, 'Hetty, if a fellow was to ask you to marry him, what wud you say?' Then she laughed, and sez she, 'That would depend on who asked me.' Then sez I, 'Suppose it was Ned Willis.' Sez she, 'I'd tell Ned Willis, but not you.' That kinder staggered me, but I was too cute to lose the opportunity, so I sez again, suppose it was me.' And then you outer see her pout up her lip, and sez she, 'I don't take no supposes.' Well, now, you see there was nuthin' for me to do but to touch the gun off. So I sez it went. Sez I, 'Lor, Hetty, it's me. Won't you say yes?' And then there was such a hullabaloo in my head I don't know exactly what tuk place, but I heard a 'yow' whisperin' somewhere out of the skirmish."