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Physician and Surgeon.
OFFICE
Wilkin's Drug Store.
Residence on Fifth street, where Dr Shelton
formerly resided.

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Office Adjoining St. Charles Hotel,
OR AT THE—
W DRUG STORE OF HAYES and LUCKEY.
DR. JOSEPH P. GILL,
CAN BE FOUND AT HIS OFFICE or Res-
idence when not professionally engaged.
Office at the
POST OFFICE DRUG STORE.
Residence on Eighth street, opposite Presby-
terian Church.

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

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---At---

F. B. DUNN'S!

A GENERAL

MARKING DOWN OF OLD GOODS.

A large assortment of Ladies and Childrens Hose at 12 1-2 cts.
Good Dress Goods at 12c.
Best Corset in town for 50c
An immense stock of New and Seasonable Goods.
Fine Cashmere in every shade.
New and Nobby styles in CLOTHING.

Trimming Silks and Satins in all shades.
Moir 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!

CASH AND CREDIT.

PATRONIZE THE MEN WHO HELP TO BUILD YOUR BRIDGES, ROADS AND SCHOOL HOUSES; whose interests are your interests! Are permanently located and spend 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, 52, 75 cts and \$1.
Best Brown and Bleached Muslins, 7, 8, 9, and 10 cts.	New Assortment Dress Goods (No Trach) 15, 20 and 25 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.
Also the Celebrated
WHITE SEWING MACHINE!
None better for strength, size, and durability. At greatly reduced rates.
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.

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HAVING OPENED A NEW SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP ON 8th STREET west of Crain Bros., I am now prepared to furnish everything in that line at the
LOWEST RATES.
The Most
Competent Workmen
Are employed, and I will endeavor to give satisfaction to all who may favor me with a call.
A. S. CURRIE.

DR. W. C. SEHLBREDE, DENTIST.

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

A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.
FROM THE SON: "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 25, 1882.
"Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.
Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER:

"It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of
Ayer's Sarsaparilla.
Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the Sarsaparilla in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 73 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882.
Yours gratefully,
HIRAM PHILLIPS."

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA cures Scrofula and all Scrofulous Complaints, Erysipelas, Eczema, Ringworm, Itchings, Sores, Bolls, Tumors, and Eruptions of the Skin. It clears the blood of all impurities, aids digestion, stimulates the action of the bowels, and thus restores vitality and strengthens the whole system.
PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Druggists; \$1, six bottles for \$5.



Always Careful and never disap-
pointed. The world's greatest Pain-
Reliever for Man and Beast.
Cheap, quick and reliable.

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

WEI DE MEYER'S CATARRH
Cure, a Constitutional
Antidote for this terrible mal-
ady, by Absorption. The most
Important Discovery since Vae-
cination. 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 Buyer
ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE WANTED
For which we will pay the highest market
price.
JAS. L. PAGE

The Explosive of the Future.

The explosive of the future is un-
doubtedly blasting gelatine, the latest
invention of Mr. Nobel. Already on
the continent the manufacture of this
new agent has assumed important
dimensions, though here, owing to the
stringency of the climate test imposed
by government its position as yet is un-
established. Many of the later opera-
tions in the Gothard tunnel were car-
ried out with pure blasting gelatine;
and in Austria, the richest of all the
European countries in mines except
Great Britain, the factories where dynamite was formerly made are now given
over to its manufacture. It is simply
dynamite a base actif, containing nine-
ty-three per cent. of nitro-glycerine,
with a base of seven per cent. of colloid-
ion wool, that in itself is an explosive,
in place of the inert kieselguhr. As a
blasting agent it is more homogeneous
than dynamite, and on account of its
elasticity, is less sensible to outward
impressions, while in handling or cut-
ting the cartridge there is no loss of the
material as sometimes occurs with
dynamite. Its further advantages are
that the gasses after explosion are
lighter and thinner, and leave no dust,
developing at the same time a more
considerable power. Taking the power
of dynamite at 1000, and nitro-glycerine
at 1411, blasting gelatine is represented
by the figures 1555, in addition to
which superiority it is incapable, un-
like dynamite, of retaining its nitro-
glycerine, when brought in contact
with water. Sir Frederick Abbe has
kept it under water for a year without
its undergoing the slightest chemical
change. It is a satisfaction to reflect
that, so complicated and delicate is the
process necessary for the production of
this new explosive, it is never likely
to be made by unskilled persons or con-
cocted in a back shop in Birmingham.

Seeking Adventure.

The Danes are about as foolhardy as
the Americans in braving the horrors
of the icy north. A new expedition
starts from Copenhagen next Summer
"to seek adventure and promote sci-
entific knowledge in the highest latitude
which they may be able to attain."
"Adventure" they will always find,
if any, is bought at too great a cost to
compare with the poor value it will
ever be to the scientific world, that
prates about a north-west passage. The
world has no use for such a passage, if
one exists. The scientific theory that
animal life originated in the Arctic
regions is no proof that the same life
exists in the ice regions of this day.
No one knows how many times this
old earth has "flopped," or may "flop"
in the future. That the cold center
has change in the past is a geological
fact; that it may change yet again
is no less than a probability. If the
latitudes that have been attained by
our expeditions had afforded enough
animal life to sustain a few men, there
might be better ground to stand on.

The Beecher Family.

[Chicago Tribune.]
The question was raised recently
whether Henry Ward Beecher was
younger or older than his sister, Mrs.
Stowe. It was found that Mrs. Stowe
was born in 1812, and Mr. Beecher in
1813; he is a little more than a year
the younger. Catherine Beecher was
born nearly twelve years before her
better-known sister. While Catherine
lost her lover, Prof. Fisher, of Yale
college, by ship-wreck when still very
young, Mrs. Stowe married, it appears,
a widower, if we are to trust Mr. E. D.
Mansfield's "Memories," which say that
"Prof. Stowe had for a first wife a
handsome New England lady." Mr.
Stowe was ten years older than his
wife, who wrote her great work at the
age of 40, and her second important
novel, "Dred," at the age of 44.

The Beecher family seem to owe
their literary vitality to their trans-
plantation to the west, where their
father, Lyman Beecher, went about
1832, and he remained there many
years. Mrs. Stowe lived in Cincinnati
about seventeen years, or till the time
she planned "Uncle Tom," which novel
was not drawn from eastern or Vir-
ginian slave sources, but from Ken-
tucky, and the escaping slaves who
came up through Ohio and Indiana.
Among these was "Eliza Harris,"
whose feat of crossing the river on
floating cakes of ice is fully testified to
in the recently published reminiscences
of Levi Coffin, the president of the
Western Underground railroad, who
sheltered her at his home.

A newly married couple from Way-
back sauntered into a downtown res-
taurant and the blushing bride allowed
that she would try a few clams. "What
kind of clams?" asked the waiter. "Lit-
tle Necks!" "Now Sir," interrupted the
groom. "We air on our wedding
tower, young man, and for two or
three days money ain't a-goin' to be no
object with me. Bring us big neck
clams—the biggest you've got."

A Umatilla Indian being asked the
other day what he was doing now, an-
swered: "Well, I hunt some fish some,
and preach some." "Where do you
preach?" "At the rancherie, over on
McKay creek." "How much do they
give you?" "Bout \$50 a year." "That's
mighty poor pay, isn't it?" "Well, yes,
but it's mighty poor preach."

Natural Gas

The natural gas well at Joe Cannon's
ranch, north of Heppner, still gives
evidence of hidden powers. Here is a
sketch of the same kind of a develop-
ment which is being utilized in Penn-
sylvania: Not a pound of wood or
coal is used at Creighton, twenty miles
from Pittsburg, where the Pittsburg
Plate Glass Co. have their plant. Glass
factory and residence are heated by
natural gas. Gas was struck at 1200
feet in a five-inch bore. A torrent of
what the owners describe as pure nitro-
gen gas burst out with a force of 250
pounds to the square inch, and after
three years is flowing with as much
energy as eter. The visitor sees no
coal, no wood, no cinders, no ashes, no
smoke. In the furnaces is a lurid,
steady heat, regulated by clockwork.
No grimy stoker sweats his life away
at furnace doors, but instead a calm,
person with a stained glass shield in-
vites you to look at the glass through
the open furnace doors where glazes a
heat sufficient to deter a modern
Shadrach, Mesach and Abednego.
Overhead gas burners are ablaze in
broad day, because it is not worth while
to take time to turn the gas off and on,
as there is plenty of gas and to spare.
In the residence there is a thumb-
screw which regulates the temperature
to absolute perfection. An Eastern
capitalist has come out to examine Joe
Cannon's well.

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A peculiarity about the blind is that
there are scarcely any smokers among
them. Soldiers and sailors who lose
their sight in action sometimes contin-
ue to smoke for a little while, but as a
rule they soon give up the habit. They
say it gives them no pleasure when
they can't see the smoke, and
some have said they cannot taste the
smoke unless they see it. This almost
demonstrates the theory that if you
blindfold a man in a room full of
smoke and put a lighted and unlighted
cigar in his mouth turn about he will
not be able to tell the difference.

A benevolent woman in Cincinnati
has undertaken to supply poor, lonely
bachelors in the west with wives. For
\$1 she will send an applicant a list of
names of farmers daughters with whom
he can correspond with matrimonial
intent. If he cannot, with this advan-
tage, capture a companion, he ought to
be doomed to everlasting loneliness.
Several interesting works on the art
of letter writing contain some effective
ammunition for this purpose. Having
the girl's name to begin with, he has
only to fire at the mark.

The Grand Canyon of the Colorado,
160 miles east of Needles, on the At-
lantic and Pacific Railroad, was re-
cently visited by Professor Davidson,
who says he "saw vertical walls 2,700
feet high, and 6,200 feet above sea
level, where the Colorado river is 190
feet deep, and cannot imagine anything
grander than the effect of sunset shin-
ing on these walls only ten degrees
from vertical, composed of different
colored rocks, red sandstones, and the
black overhanging sandstone. The temper-
ature was 136 degrees Fahr."