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Repairing Promptly Executed.

All Work Warranted.  
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## F B DUNN'S

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### MARKING DOWN OF OLD GOODS.

A large assortment of Ladies and Childrens Hose at 12 1/2 cts.  
Good Dress Goods at 12 1/2 cts.  
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 in all shades.  
Moire antique silks.  
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The finest stock of French KID SHOES ever brought to this place.  
BOOTS and SHOES in all grades.  
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## Liberal Discount for CASH.

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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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Best Brown and Bleached Muslins, 7, 8, 9, and 10 cts.  
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Embroideries and Edgings at Fabulous Low Prices.

And all Other Goods at Proportionate Rates.  
Also the celebrated

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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 sin, as others, the full credit on my reduction.

## 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.**

## Harness Shop.

HAVING OPENED A NEW SADDLE AND HARNESS SHOP ON 8th STRE  
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.**

### Grant's Trophies.

The New York World of Jan. 26th says: The deed of trust made by William H. Vanderbilt, conveying Gen. Grant's war relics to Mrs. Grant in trust for the Government, which comes into possession of them on the death of Mrs. Grant, was signed on Saturday. The story of Vanderbilt's judgment against the General on the promissory note for \$150,000 and the attachment of the relics has been told many times, but the schedule of the relics is now made public for the first time. In the list are many trophies of which no mention was ever made, including the Mexican onyx cabinet presented by the people of Puebla; an aerie which passed over Mexico in 1871; elephant tusks presented by the King of Siam; crackleware bowls from Prince Koohu of China; an Arabian Bible and a Coptic Bible from Lord Napier, who captured them with King Theodore of Abyssinia; a gilt table, modeled after the table in McClean's house, on which Gen. R. E. Lee signed the articles of surrender, presented by ex-Confederate soldiers; the freedom of cities in all parts of the world; awards, buttons and commissions, army and corps badges, canes, medals and pictures and busts of General Grant.

The Sunday Welcome hit the rich men of Portland a merited blow in its last issue. It ventures the assertion, without fear of contradiction, that a less public spirited and more selfish set than the rich men of Portland do not exist, and never did, unless we except, perhaps, the ancient inhabitants of the island of Mycos, who were said to grow bald headed on account of their undue worriment over their money-bags.

The bill extending the time for the completion of the Yaquina Bay railroad and exempting the railroad from taxation for twenty years, passed the House with but three dissenting votes.

## Children CRY FOR Pitcher's Castoria.

Mother's like and Physicians recommend it.

IT IS NOT NARCOTIC.

CENTAUR LINIMENTS; the World's great Pain-Relieving remedies. They heal, soothe and cure Burns, Wounds, Weak Back and Rheumatism upon Man, and Sprains, Galls and Lameness upon Beasts. Cheap, quick and reliable.

SPURTS of Disgusting Mucus, Snuffles, Cracking Pains in the Head, Fetid Breath, Deafness, and any Catarrhal Complaint, can be exterminated by **Wei De Meyer's Catarrh Cure**, a Constitutional Antidote, by Absorption. The most Important Discovery since Vaccination.

## JAS. L. PAGE,

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Will keep on hand a general assortment Groceries, Provisions, Cured Meats, Tobacco, Cigars, Candies, Candles, Soaps, 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 Slanderer.

In the catalogue of vices there can be none more ruinous to the social commonwealth than slander in its various form. The original plan of the Universe was not to have any slanderers born, and if they were accidentally created the statutes of the higher courts all read they should be put to death as soon as discovered. The church in its immensity should not sanction any plans which would in the slightest degree have a tendency to lengthen their lives or add to their happiness. The moralist theoretically heaps curses upon his head and all good people proclaim eternal and unrelenting hatred for his associates and his abettors. A child in its infancy and innocency can be re-proved and forgiven for the greatest wrong. Murderers expiate their wickedness by sudden absence and everlasting disgrace of memory and family. Thieves that break in and rob one of his gold or treasures and end by arson, find at the hands of their fellow men a day of reckoning.

But our slanderer, this social leper, this lecherous parasite that creeps up from the mire and filth and spits his slime upon the fair name of innocent persons, this wily serpent, that laughs at their downfall and makes a mockery of honor still goes unpunished.

What he lacks in reason he imputes. Creates the circumstances of his story for a purpose and to gain his purposes and subserve his schemes, he willfully and maliciously lies. Being detected, like the wily serpent he carefully and cautiously coils around his victim and under cover of hypocrisy and dissimulation breathes poison into its life and hopes. He is a moral mistake; worse than that man who being too wicked to swear cursed God and died. See him as he sneaks along the street after dark to avoid those whose character he has questioned, and trembles lest he should meet that diabolical whom he has injured. He is known to his associates as an unmitigated liar, a man without the rudiments of conscience or a principle of honor. He does not remain long in one place, his success like the adept in ledgerdom depends upon his deceit. He has no honorable ambition. He spends his life in impoverishing petty schemes among those whom, by virtue of his relations he is brought in contact with. The years pass by and age adds to his adroitness, and when at last his mission is ended and he has descended into purgatory and has taken his seat on the right hand of Satan, his acquaintances read his history in his epitaph: "Created—lived—had an ambition to be a moral mistake, a low small man; succeeded—died—without conscience, aged about thirty. He leaves no one to mourn his departure. He was noticed by few, and the world is better that he is out of it."

"Ever since this valley was first settled," says the Salt Lake Tribune, "salt has been collected along the shores of the lake for domestic and mechanical purposes. Salt works have been established at various places, but the most of it has been collected in sloughs, where by evaporation it deposits on the ground. About all the salt now collected is for the use of silver mills, which consume about 19,000 tons per annum, as follows: Utah uses about 5,000 tons, Idaho 3,000, Montana 6,000, and Colorado 5,000 tons, drawn from the lake. The price, loaded on the cars, averages about four to five dollars per ton."

Percy Fiske, proprietor and publisher of the Dallas Itemizer, we learn has fallen heir to a large estate in Pennsylvania, left him by the death of some relatives. Percy will go to Pennsylvania in a short time, to look after his interests there and will probably lease his office in Dallas to other parties.

In a list of "Millionaire Senators" printed in an Eastern paper the following appears: "Dolph, of Oregon, has the reputation of being worth \$100,000 or more." He hasn't any such reputation here if the assessment roll be taken as a gauge.

### Something Like Coffee.

About twenty years ago there was an editorial genius in Oregon named L. P. Hall—and the craft, owing to his gigantic proportions, gave him the name of "Long Primer Hall." By this name the big-brained, big-bodied and big-souled quill driver was known all along the coast. "Long Primer's" besetting vice was a too ardent love of the ardent—he would seldom sit down to his breakfast coffee until half a pint of old rye had opened the way for it; and then, of course the coffee was always insipidly weak. He was running a paper at some interior town in Oregon. He "bached," and the office boy was cook, and mischievous enough for the appellation given a printer's apprentice. The "devil" thought one morning he would stop "Long Primer's" growling by making his coffee strong enough, and with that object in view he dropped a plug of tobacco into the boiling pot. He then took a good position at the open door for escape, if necessary, while he watched the result. The editorial giant first fastidiously tasted a saucer full; and then emptying the contents of the cup and refilling it, he snatched his lips and said, "now there's sense in that—th't's coffee."

### Profitable Fruit Growing.

Ten or twelve years ago Louis Logsdon bought twenty acres of land near Porterville and went to work setting out an orchard. He now has fourteen acres devoted to fruits of various kinds, all of which is well cultivated and well-tended. When in Tulare recently he informed us that for six years past the gross income from those fourteen acres has at no time been less than \$3000 per annum. His health has not been very good for some time, and, thinking a change to the seacoast would be beneficial, he has leased his orchard for five years for \$700 cash per annum. He stated to a friend in town that he had saved enough during those years so that he could live on the interest of his investments without touching the \$700 rental for his orchard. This man has acquired a competency in twelve years and has retired at middle age to pass his remaining days in quietude. All this was done with fourteen acres of fruit trees and less than five acres of alfalfa, and he had only capital enough to purchase his land and buy a team when he commenced. Our artisan belt alone offers 8000 just such opportunities as Mr. Logsdon enjoyed.

A correspondent of the the London Graphic with the Nile expedition has learned from a refugee how the Mahdi raises funds. From time to time he appears before his people and says he has been commanded to part with all his goods, everything he possesses—in short, must go to the public treasury; or to the "Bait et Mal" (charity box). Proffers are made on all sides to save him from stripping his household, but all of these he resolutely declines, saying: "The command is for me, not you." By and by their turn comes, when the Mahdi says he has a communication from "El Hadra" that such a one is to give all he has to the "Bait, el Mal." They have seen the Prophet himself complying with these directions of the "Presence," and how dare any one else disobey? Accordingly, making a virtue of necessity, goods and slaves all find their way to the "charity box," otherwise the Prophet's chest. All disputes about goods or betrothals the Mahdi quickly settles by appropriating the goods to the public treasury and the women to his harem. He courts the poor and gives them free license to plunder, and snubs the sheiks.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Oregon & California Railroad, the following resignations were accepted: Henry Villard, President; R. Koehler, second Vice-President; and George H. Andrews, Secretary. The following gentlemen were chosen as successors: George H. Hopkinson of London, President; Geo. H. Andrews of Portland, second Vice-President; and W. W. Bretherton of Portland, Secretary. Mr. Hopkinson represents the foreign stockholders of the company.