

HOME NEWS.

The Baptist choir is one of the best in the city. There are at present 223 patients in the Asylum at East Portland.

Oregon winter has again spread its humid wings over the land of Wee-foot.

The usual variety of everything that everybody wants at Ackerman's Dollar Store.

The net proceeds of Judge Dead's lecture in Odd Fellows' Hall last week were \$400.

The State Circuit Court is disposing of the business brought before it with unusual rapidity.

Preparations for the celebration of St. Patrick's Day are being made by loyal sons of Erin in this city.

Hon. James K. Weatherford, Speaker of the House at the last session, returned from California with his bride, by the "Elder."

The city has gone wild over the advent of Camilla Uroo. New Market Theater has never before been so crowded with delighted spectators.

Mrs. Wall, an unfortunate victim of Intemperance, died in the city jail last week. One cannot contemplate such a sad ending of a human life without a shudder.

Stone's new jewelry store on First street, corner of Morrison, was literally ablaze with magnificence on the occasion of the opening on Saturday evening.

The display is by far the most brilliant ever made in this city.

Multnomah County Equal Rights Association meets Saturday afternoon at half-past one, at Mrs. D. Williams, West Park, between Yamhill and Taylor.

Subject of discussion, "What will women gain by the ballot?"

Immigrants continue to arrive in considerable numbers. Oregon has room and welcome for all who come with a desire to make homes for themselves by industry and thrift, but the room for idlers and vagabonds is now more than occupied.

We have a sample of potatoes dried by the Plummer process, and find them excellent. Prepared in this way, potatoes can be transported as conveniently as meal, and will stand any climatic tests or changes. They can be readily prepared for table.

Last Friday James A. Smith, our county clerk, issued a marriage license, the bride being 43 years old and the groom 24. Saturday he issued another in which the bride was 30 and the groom 37, and on Monday a third where the bride was 50 and the groom 37.

Persons who worship at Hall-street Church on Sunday evenings are seriously annoyed by certain carelessly scamp who attend for the sole purpose of creating a disturbance. The statute made and provided for such cases will be brought to bear upon them shortly unless they desist.

The San Francisco and Pacific Boot and Shoe Stores have consigned to Champlin & Hallabugh, the new proprietors, are filling up with a very large and superior stock of goods of the best California and Eastern manufacture.

Call and examine stock and prices at the old stand, 71st street.

The finest, smoothest, and most substantial pavements in the city are those made of the new artificial stone. These recently placed around Strowbridge's new brick on Second street, speak volumes for the material. Mr. W. P. Watson is engaged in its manufacture in this city, and guarantees satisfaction.

The members of Portland Lodge, I. O. G. T., will give one of their popular entertainments at their hall, corner of Third and Alder streets, on Monday evening, February 26th. Rev. C. V. Anthony will deliver the opening address, and this will be followed by a musical and literary entertainment. The public is cordially invited. Admission, 50 cents.

NEWS ITEMS.

STATE AND TERRITORIAL.

What is on the rise and not obtainable in any quantities. Potatoes are selling for 30 cents a bushel on the Sound.

Fine salmon are selling in Walla Walla for 25 cents apiece.

Rear Admiral Davis, in charge of the national observatory at Washington, is dead.

The Brownsville mills recently ordered 20,000 pounds of wool in San Francisco.

Average salaries paid to school teachers in the rural districts of Wasco county is \$33 per month.

The Benton Democrat has been resuscitated by W. A. Wheeler, formerly of the defunct Polk county Tribune.

The residue of State taxes for Yamhill county was deposited in the State vaults at Salem last week. The total amount was \$14,177.76.

Harvey Kanoff, who killed Scott Osborne at Eugene, has "retired from the contest," leaving John Cogswell, Esq., to answer on his \$2,500 bond.

The Dallas Mountaineer says: We are reliably informed that several capitalists of the Lower Columbia talk of establishing a cannery for preserving fish, meats and fruits at this point. Come along, gentlemen, for this is the place for such a business.

The oldest steamer now on the Pacific Coast is the "Beaver." She came to this coast in 1838, for the Hudson Bay Company. She is a side-wheel steamer, her wheels being well forward, and is still in service, towing between Victoria and Nanaimo.

The subject of the annual address of the President of the Pioneer Society, on the 22d, was the "History of the French Missionary Settlement of Oregon, and the Organization of the Provisional Government of Oregon."

L. Pillsbury, the young man sentenced to the penitentiary for the period of two years, some time during 1875, for the crime of forgery, committed in Portland, and has left for his home at Albany, New York. His father is superintendent of the State penitentiary located near that city. His time would have expired next November.

Walla Walla is the largest town and in every respect the most important point between the Cascades and Rocky Mountains. It now has a population of 3,000, with taxable property of \$2,225,000. It is the grand center of trade and industry for more than 20,000 people. More than \$75,000 worth of agricultural implements were sold there during last season.

MRS. E. A. OWENS, M. D. Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to women and children's complaints. Also, gives MEDICATED VAPOR BATHS, combined with Electricity, in treating rheumatism and chronic diseases.

A Remarkable Cure.

WEST TOWNSEND, Vt., May 16, 1880. GENTLEMEN.—Several years since I took a severe cold, which settled on my lungs, where it remained without relaxation, I was then in Massachusetts, and growing worse and becoming unable to attend to my business, I returned home and commenced searching in earnest for some medicine which would restore my lost health. I consulted physicians, I tried many remedies, but obtained no help, but daily grew worse. I had a terrible cough, and raised a good deal of blood. I had profuse night sweats and severe pain in my side. I continued in this state for months, and became so weak that it was with great difficulty I could walk when I was advised to try WINTER'S BALM OR WILD CHERRY, and to my great joy I soon found that this remedy had arrested the disease. I continued to use the BALM to the extent of five bottles, and have since then experienced no difficulty of the lungs. I believe the BALM saved my life, and I shall ever hold it in high estimation. Yours truly, LEWIS PHIPPS.

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A VALUABLE DISCOVERY.—Dr. J. P. Miller, a practicing physician at 27 Spruce street, Philadelphia, has discovered that the extract of cranberries and hemp combined cures headache, either bilious, drapeptic, nervous, or sick headache, neuralgia and rheumatism. This is a triumph in medical chemistry and affords relief all over the country are ordering by mail. He prepares it in pills, at 50 cents a box. The Doctor is largely known and highly respected.—[Philadelphia Bulletin.]

From a Distinguished Jurist. "I have tried the PERUVIAN SYRUP and the result fully sustains your prediction. It has made a new man of me, infused into my system vigor and energy. I am no longer tremulous and debilitated as when you last saw me, but stronger, heartier, and with larger capacity for labor, mental and physical, than at any time during the last five years." Sold by all druggists.

TAKE NOTICE. Mr. Hendes is in town and is taking pictures in all styles of the art, and has all the advantages of easy access to his gallery and the best light in the State, and takes as good pictures as any other man and at reasonable prices, and is always ready and good-natured. Please call and test his ability. Gallery in the middle of the block, First street, between Morrison and Yamhill, Portland, Oregon.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rolofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world. 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

NEW THIS WEEK.

STONE, THE JEWELER, HAS REMOVED TO FIRST AND MORRISON STS.

BABY CARRIAGES! Just the thing.

CROQUET SETS! An Immense Stock.

BIRD CAGES! Every Variety.

BREEDING CAGES! Latest Make.

FANCY GOODS! Etc., Etc., Etc.

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SUMMONS. JUSTICE'S COURT FOR THE PRECINCT of Multnomah, State of Oregon, county of Multnomah.—Geo. C. Sears and Henry Wilmer, partners under firm name of Sears & Wilmer, Plaintiff, vs. J. P. Smith, Defendant.

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THE CROWNING GLORY.

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REMOVAL. FISHEL & ROBERTS HAVE REMOVED TO THEIR NEW AND ELEGANT STORE, Corner First and Alder streets.

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FLEISCHNER, MAYER & CO., NOS. 43 AND 45 FROST STREET, Importers and Wholesale Dealers.

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J. H. WOODWARD, Judge.

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MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST PUBLISHED, A NEW ILLUSTRATED POEM.

DAVID AND ANNA MATSON, By Mrs. Abigail Scott Duniway, Editor "New Northwest," Portland, Oregon.



"In with you, man!" 'Tis 'tish said. "You'd better try to earn your bread Than like the birds to bill and coo! 'Twill do for them to sigh and woe, For they have nothing else to do."

A new epic, from a vigorous and skillful pen, on a subject which occupies a large place in the social discussions of the day. The subject is taken from Mr. Whittier's short narrative of "David Matson," with which the reader is probably familiar. David Matson, a Merrimac sailor, was captured by the Algerines (during one of his voyages) and sold into slavery. After many years he obtained release and was on his way to the home of his boyhood, when he fell in with his old employer, who informed him that his wife, believing him dead, had remarried, and, stunned by his trouble, he surrendered all claim as husband and father to the man who had stepped into his place, and departed. Mrs. Duniway has found a theme in this story with which her heart beats in warmest sympathy, and her lines flow on in the smooth cadence indicative of the fullest accord. She pictures the gentle, tender, trustful Anna and the wily, covetous Pelatiah in vivid colors; and how years of poverty and longing, and the cries of the hungry boys, compelled poor Anna to yield to Pelatiah's importunity.

My poor, unmade dove," said he, "And look henceforth for love to me." A little further on he says: "Become my wife and you shall be Made happy through prosperity," "In exhortations deep and loud." The wanderings of David, his captivity, release, hapless interview with Pelatiah, discovery of Anna's second wifehood, and his sad going back to Algeria, are all told so pathetically that our feelings are deeply enlisted. No one, with any true sentiment, can read the poem without being thoroughly stirred. The illustrations are in admirable keeping with the passages they are designed to portray, and a fine engraving of the author is a fitting frontispiece. The subject, spirit, fire and passion of the poem should give it an extensive reading, aside from the interest which the literary reputation of the author must awaken in it. As a specimen of book-making the volume is certainly beautiful, and would adorn any center-table. We know of no work so well adapted as a holiday present. It is printed on heavy tinted paper and most beautifully bound, price, \$2.00; full gilt extra, \$2.50. For sale by book-sellers, or by mail, post-paid, by S. R. WELLS & Co., Publishers, 737 Broadway, New York.

OFFICE OF THE SINGER MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Corner Yamhill and First Sts., Portland, May 27, 1875.

THE SINGER STILL TRIUMPHANT!

Table with 4 columns: Name of Company and Machine, No. Machines sold in 1875, No. Machines sold in 1876, Increase or Decrease.

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