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SALEM, FRIDAY, OCT. 26, 1877.

Marion County Fomona Grange Will meet on the first Friday in November at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Grange Hall, Turner's Station.

In Memoriam.

We received the following preamble from Jordan Valley Grange Hall, Lun Co., September 14, 1877:

Whereas, the hand of death has visited our community and taken from our Fraternal Circle our beloved sister, Elizabeth Gardner, we, with sad hearts, consign to the grave her beautiful form, her spirit returns to the God who gave it, to join the Fraternity above.

Resolved, That while we mourn the loss of our beloved sister, we bow with chastened spirits in humble submission to this inscrutable providence of Almighty God, knowing that he doeth all things well.

Resolved, That in the death of sister Gardner we are admonished of the great importance to be ever ready to close our labors in earthly life to enter upon the reward of the just in the brighter fields of the Paradise of God.

Resolved, That the grange has lost a faithful and efficient Matron, the community a kind friend, the brothers and sisters a beloved sister, and the parents a most affectionate daughter.

Resolved that this hall and charter be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved: That these resolutions be spread upon the record of this Grange, and that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased as a token of our deepest sympathy, and a copy be furnished the WILLAMETTE FARMER and Oregonian for publication.

A. M. SHELTON, T. P. GOODMAN, GEO. F. FROST, Committee.

IN MEMORIAM.

NORTH YAMHILL, Oct. 23, 1877. At a special meeting of North Yamhill Grange No. 33, the following resolutions were read and adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased the Divine Ruler of the Universe to take from our midst our beloved brother, John E. Laughlin, whose vigilance services as gate keeper of our Grange endeared him to us all, and

Whereas, We feel with force the vacancy caused in our Grange, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Grange feel deeply the loss of brother John E. Laughlin, and that to the family of the deceased brother we tender our deep and heartfelt sympathy, and commend them to the care of Him who sees all things, and that the Hall be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread on the minutes, and a copy be given to the family of the deceased brother, and also one for publication.

JOHN DEMPSEY, O. SHERWAT, T. C. HUCKINGHAM, Com.

MUCH AFFLICTED.—We do not know of a milder case of affliction than has occurred during the last two weeks in the family of Mr. David Delany, who resides near Turner. At one attack of that dreadful disease, diphtheria, he suddenly lost three children, and lately a son, aged 19, suffered a relapse of the same and died suddenly. It is not easy to imagine greater sorrow than must attend a family thus suddenly and terribly bereaved and Mr. and Mrs. Delany have the sincere sympathy of many friends in this hour of grief.

GOLD MEDAL.—Messrs. Hodge, Snell & Co., of Portland, write us that while in report of Fair week proceedings, we say that the Rubber Paint Co., "claimed to have the gold medal," they now have it in possession, which is a good deal better. The paint controversy was a sharp one, and the winner naturally feels proud of success. The Rubber paint has become a very important article of trade.

TAKE NOTICE.—It is very likely that statements of accounts have been or may be sent to persons who are to be credited for getting up clubs. To all such we say that they need pay no attention to duns in such cases, and we will soon fix up their accounts and give them due credit.

SWEET POTATOES.—Mr. S. R. Scott, of Salem, sends us a sample of sweet potatoes raised on his place near Lincoln. They compare well with California potatoes, both in flavor and size. Mr. Scott intends raising them quite extensively next year.

THE POULTRY WORLD.—Poultry fanciers and farmers who raise fowls for market will find this magazine very useful as it is devoted exclusively to the discussion of matters pertaining to the breeding and rearing of poultry and such other matters as are connected with the pursuit. Its appearance is very attractive, as it is adorned with numerous fine cuts, and, in addition, the publisher furnishes to his subscribers at a nominal price, twelve magnificent chromo-plates of modern varieties of fowls. Subscriptions, \$1.25 per year, or \$2.00 with the chromo-plates. Address, H. H. STODDARD, Publisher, Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Fann's Martin, of Salem Prairie, has gone to Jacksonville on a few weeks' visit, consequently John and the boys have a rough time 'batching.'

PACIFIC THRESHING MACHINE COMPANY.

The Pacific Threshing Machine Company of this city, have issued in circular form the following prospectus. They have a limited amount of stock for sale, and they now place it on the market, a much better plan than asking for subsidies. Our business men should take the stock offered at once and thus help establish one of the most important industries on the Coast in our own city. We ask a careful perusal of the prospectus, and any other information that is wanted will be furnished by calling upon Dr. H. Carpenter the Secretary of the Company.

PROSPECTUS.

Wishing to dispose of a limited amount of stock for the purpose of enlarging their business, the company take this means of placing before the public a few of the prominent features of their business, and the inducements they are able to offer those having means to invest.

This company was incorporated October 7, 1876, with a capital stock of \$100,000, which was subsequently increased to \$120,000. The principal business in which the company proposes to engage is the manufacture of Horse Powers and Separators of an improved pattern, under the Pelton patents.

During the past season sufficient Powers and Separators have been put in use to thoroughly demonstrate their superior merits. As proof of this, we will mention the fact that in numerous instances parties using other Powers have set them aside after running them a season or less, and purchased them of us.

Again, Separators of Eastern make have, during the past season, been rebuilt at our shop, and after receiving the Pelton improvements, have done from fifty to one hundred per cent. more and better work than before, especially when driven by a Pelton Power. We are aware that interested parties will tell you that "home manufactures" are a failure in Oregon; that there is not sufficient demand, etc. But in regard to this branch at least we beg leave to differ with all such in opinion. During the past season not less than two hundred Threshing Machines of Eastern make have been sold in Oregon and Washington Territory, at an average of at least \$750 each or \$150,000 in the aggregate, and the demand is still on the increase, and will so continue.

On each of these machines a freight bill of about \$300 must be paid to land them in Portland, and this alone amounts to a very handsome "protective tariff" to the party engaged in manufacturing here, and much safer than any ever imposed by Act of Congress, for it cannot be removed.

Since the first purchase of the exclusive right under the several patents upon the Power and Separator for the Pacific Coast, States and Territories, the Company has also lately secured the control of all the remaining Territory, which will doubtless insure greatly to their benefit, through sales of rights to parties in the East.

When briefly considered, our reasons for expecting success and ample remuneration for all money invested in this enterprise are as follows:

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In addition to the direct benefits to be derived by way of dividends upon investments, we anticipate the usual amount of indirect benefits growing out of the establishing of an important industry in any community.

We hope and trust that these considerations will secure a fair subscription to the capital stock of our company.

PACIFIC THRESHING MACHINE CO. SALEM, Oct. 11, 1877.

A WEST INDIA HURRICANE.—St. Thomas advices state that a fearful hurricane visited Caracoa and neighboring islands on September 23d and caused great damage. The wind blew from all quarters. The sea washed away the lower part of the town known as Willemstant. Nearly every house in what is known as the Petrimay quarter was destroyed and the fortifications are in ruins. Many families are destitute. The damage to property is estimated at over half a million. A man-of-war and two Dutch schooners were wrecked; several lives were lost and all salt ponds in the neighborhood of the island of Bonaine are ruined.

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Assignment.

Mr. W. G. Adams, proprietor of the Dollar store, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. Messrs. George P. Lechfield and Thomas Cunningham, are assignees. Mr. Mart L. Chamberlin has temporary charge of the store which is being run as usual.

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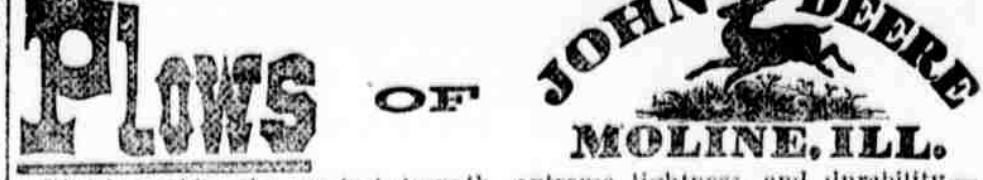
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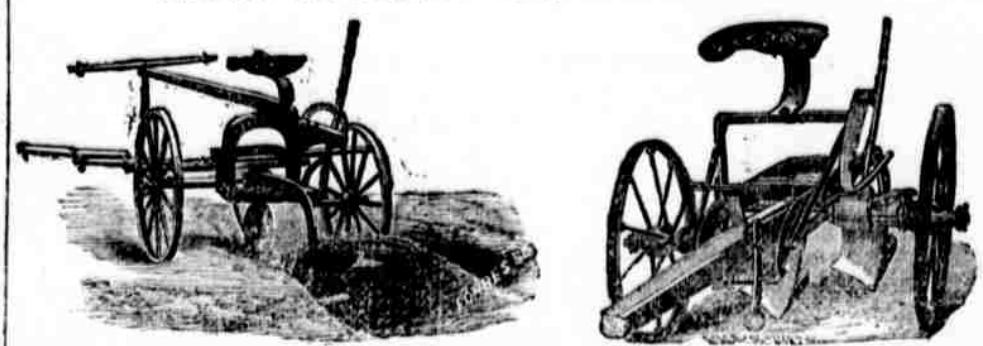
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Administrator's Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, was by order of the County Court of the county of Marion, in the State of Oregon, on the 27th day of August 1877, duly appointed Administrator of the Estate of M. J. KRAW, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, with the vouchers, to the undersigned at the office of J. J. Shaw, in the city of Salem, in said county, within six months from this date. WM. COSPER, Administrator. Dated, August 27th, 1877.

F. G. SULLIVAN, ATTORNEY AT LAW, OPERA HOUSE, SALEM. S. E. corner, at head of stairs.