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**DOES FARMING PAY.**

The pessimistic view of affairs is most generally indulged in when viewing the outlook for the American farmer, and his speedy reduction to a state of tenant under a landlord prophesied. Such a statement of the case is not the correct one to hold, and it creates a brighter view of the case to read Dr. Loring's article in the North American Review. He is of the opinion that the prosperity of agriculture has kept pace with the increasing prosperity of every other industry in our land. The activity of the grain growing sections has been and is great; and the demand for the product of the pasture and the stall has been most encouraging to those who supply the market at home and abroad. The encouragement, moreover, of local and special crops has been so great that the farmer feels confident of securing a suitable reward for the labor which he applied to the careful and systematic tillage of the soil to supply local markets with what they require, and for the care which he bestows on the orchard and the dairy. The condition of the American farmer is looked upon as so satisfactory that the lesson taught by him is engaging the minds of some of the most thoughtful statesmen and publicists of the Old World. The attention of the English farmer, discouraged by the agricultural depression around him, has been called to the contrast between the market gardens of America and the sheep-pastures which surround many of the great cities of his own country. It has been discovered that the American system of landholding is the foundation of great popular content and general prosperity, and accompanied, as it is, by great social and civil opportunities; surrounded, as it is, by the free institutions of our land; attended, as it is, by the school-house and the meeting-house; and by the constant call to public service which occupies so many, it constitutes the foundation on which rest great mental activity, great dignity of character, great enterprise and ambition. To the practical work of the agricultural community here, wide-spread disaster, moreover, is unknown. The local damage of a drought or a flood is not, indeed, unusual, but it is not of the American territory is such, the diversity of our soil and climate is so great, that the disasters seem to be circumscribed and accidental, while the prosperity is wide-spread and a most constant. With landed possessions, which are obliged to bear the burdens of heavy taxation, with wages of labor vastly greater than in any of the countries of Europe, with the personal requirements of the farmer and his family increased by social obligations and the natural demands of a free and responsible people, we have been able to compete in the grain markets of the world with those who, in some instances, are furnished with land free of rent and taxation, and whose necessities of life are so small and whose duties are so few that the former seem intolerable and the latter seem insignificant and trivial. The skill of the American farmer, supplied as he is with the most ingenious and graceful and effective machinery, has become an object of admiration and imitation. The well-organized home of the American farmer is looked upon as a model. The place filled in the community by the American farmer is considered so important and honorable that other nations inquire how it has been attained. The crops of the American farmer are looked upon as so sure that all anxiety with regard to the supply of food for people less favored has passed away.

CORNELL university has adopted a special course of study to prepare students for the journalistic work, and the Chronicle says if it has not turned out any accomplished newspaper men, has at least shown many undergraduates that there is more to learn in the business than they ever dreamed of. The pro-

fessor who has charge of the school is a practical newspaper man, and he thinks the best evidence of the success of his instruction is to be found in the great improvement of the college paper since he began his lectures and class-room instruction. There is no question that the elements of reporting—the ability to write good English and the habit of close observation—may be learned in college, and these accomplishments will go a long way toward insuring the success of the aspirant who desires to make journalism his profession.

**Bids for Street Cars.**  
The bids for the street car line were not opened yesterday, but the finest lot of comb honey ever received in town was opened by the Willamette Packing Co. yesterday.

**NEW TO-DAY.**

**SEALED BIDS.**  
SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE BOARD of Directors of the Albany Street Railway Company of Albany, Oregon, up to and including the 22d day of April, 1889, for the construction of a street railway in said city. Separate bids will be received on each proposition as follows: 1st, For all lumber used in the construction of said road. 2nd, For all rails and for iron material used in construction of the road bed. All material furnished to be delivered on the line of the proposed road as directed by the superintendent of the said company. 3d, For grading and building said road ready for the rolling stock. All material to be furnished by the company. 4th, For furnishing all material, work and labor necessary to complete said road bed ready for the rolling stock. All the material furnished and the work done to be according to the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the secretary of said company where they can be seen. Contractors will be required to give bonds for the faithful performance of their contract. The company reserve the right to reject any or all bids. All bids should be addressed to the secretary at Albany, Oregon, and marked "Bids for the construction of the Albany Street Railway."  
C. G. BURKHART, Secretary.

**WANTED 200 CURBS MAPLE TIMBER** to be used for manufacturing chairs. For particulars inquire of D. A. Archibald at the Farmers' Warehouse, Albany Oregon.

**FOUND AT THE OPERA HOUSE A JET** of gold and silver, ornamented with pearls. The owner can obtain the same by calling at Herald office and paying charges.

**Drain Tile for sale.**  
A GOOD SUPPLY OF FIRST CLASS drain tile for sale at the Edge brick and tile factory East of Albany near Knox Butte. Call at the factory or address Props & Austin, Albany Oregon.

**LET ALL THE AFFLICTED**  
Read and learn that Dr. West's Alternative Tonic is a valuable remedy for malarial affections and for diseases arising from impurities in the blood, such as scrofulous humors, pimples on the face, salt rheum, rheumatism, headache, piles, kidney complaint, all female weaknesses and general debility, fever and ague, catarrh and dropsy. I manufacture medicine according to the nature of the disease.  
**DR. J. J. WEST,**  
The old reliable physician, may always be found at his office and can tell you just where your pains are located by examining you in six places on your breast and under your shoulder blades, with his ear over your clothes. Many cures have been made by his treatment.

**READ AND LEARN.**  
I came to the country to locate, and found after arriving here that Portland and Albany were already desired to become the headquarters of the great growing west. With that end in view I determined to locate in Albany in the spring, having already purchased a large farm, which I desire to improve. Now all those who are in need of treatment should avail themselves of this opportunity.

**CONSULTATION FREE.**  
Persons desiring careful treatment will please call on Dr. J. J. West, late of Detroit, Michigan, at 190 east 8th street, Albany, Oregon. Come and get consultation anyhow. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 3:30 P. M.

**For Rent.**  
HALL OVER F. M. FRENCH'S JEWELRY STORE, F. M. FRENCH.  
Inquire of

**JEWELS AND WELLS—THOSE NEED-** ing sewers or well dug on short notice should call upon W. A. McClain, Clatsop very reasonable.

**THE "STANDARD" NOISELESS SEWING** machines, and all kinds of machine extras at Will Bros.

**FOUND AT THE OPERA HOUSE A** gold breastpin, containing a lock of hair. Call at Herald office.

**GOOD MILK COW WANTED—ANY ONE** having a good one will find a purchaser by calling upon M. Staraberg, Alvins but first-class cow wanted.

**Free E. Marshall.**  
FARM LEVELING OF ALL KINDS, ALBANY OREGON. Agent for the Wright Farm Level. Location of ditches for tiling purposes a specialty. Orders left at the Herald office will receive prompt attention.

**WINN & HUMPHREY, DEALERS IN** choice cigars. In Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office. Fine imported and Key West cigars a specialty.

**REMOVAL—JOHNSON & DANNAIS** have removed their blacksmith shop from their old quarters to the corner opposite Ana Marshall's livery stable, where they can be found ready to do all kinds of work in their line cheaply and promptly.

Green peas, cabbage, cauliflower, onions, celery, pie plant, fresh, at Brownell & Standard.

**FOR DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT,** you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Foshay & Mason.

**Albany Opera House,**  
—ONE NIGHT ONLY—  
Wednesday, April 17th.

The Great and Only  
**MC'KANLASS,**

—SUPPORTED BY—  
**MR. A. L. SALES,**

The Favorite Eccentric Comedian, and a First Class Company of Ladies and Gentlemen, including the Man Voiced Woman.

**MISS SUE GRUFFIN**  
Keep your eye on the date, and remember that we appear, rain or shine. Seats on sale at Blackman's Drug Store.

1889 1889

1889 SPRING AND SUMMER 1889

**SPECIALTIES.**

**Ladies' Dress Goods and Trimmings**

The largest stock and greatest variety in price and style I have ever carried, and as good value as ever offered to the citizens of Linn county.

**Special Bargains**

In cashmeres in colors and blacks. Seersuckers, gingham, chambrays, French prints and wash fabrics. All the novelties of the season in black and colors. I will have something further to say about these in a few days.

**EMBROIDERIES, -SKIRTINGS,**

Flouncings, and all overs on cambrics, Swiss and India linen. I have just opened the largest invoice of novelties in this line ever exhibited in this city, and at greatly reduced prices.

**PIQUES, LAWNS,**

India lawns, nansooks in white, ecru and colors, all at prices very much cheaper than ever before offered in this city.

**TABLE LINEN**

In brown and bleached. This stock I bought in New York at less than importers' price, and am able to give good bargains. 58 inch all linen bleached at 50 cts per yard and others in proportion.

**TOWELINGS**

Crashes, etc. All these goods I buy direct from importers by the bale, and can sell them much cheaper than if bought of jobbers—towels I buy in quantities in New York, and am offering them at prices that are sure to sell the goods.

**LADIES COTTON HOSE**

Are cheaper this year than ever before. I have succeeded in getting some good bargains, all of which I am offering to my customers—the same in

**Misses and Children's.**

The above is an outline of the policy I am going to do business on, and will endeavor to do my part towards securing the trade of Linn and adjoining counties to Albany, and to keep up with the procession of the lively and growing city of Albany. I will have something to say about

**Carpets, Boots and Shoes, Groceries,**  
And Other lines Soon.

**SAMUEL E. YOUNG.**

**The Albany Bakery!**

—Under the new management of—

**Parker Bros.**

—WH KEEP—

A full line of choice family groceries and provisions,  
Canned pineapples,  
Choice Table Delicacies

Ornamented cakes for

**Weddings and Parties.**

Salads, puddings, macaroni and salt fish of all kinds.

**FRESH BAKED BREAD**

Every Day.

Best Syrup, Pies, Cakes

TEAS AND COFFE

Candies Nuts, Raisins.

CANNED GOODS, ETC.

—the best kept in the market—

**Le Roi Savon.**

A fine assortment of domestic and imported Cigars!

ESTABLISHED JOHN FOX'S OLD STAND. LOW PRICES AND NEW BRICK.

HOPKINS & SALT MARSH, 1

**Plumbing & Pipe Fitting**

**STOVES**

**Tinware and Hardware,**

All work promptly done at reasonable rates.

FIRST STREET. PRAYER BLOCK.

**L. VIERCK'S**

**SHAVING PARLORS.**

HAIR CUTTING AND BATHS.

Everything new and neat. A clean towel for every customer.

FIRST STREET BELOW RIVER HOUSE ALBANY, OREGON.

**A long Felt Want**

In Albany has been filled by the

**SECOND HAND STORE.**

The past year has proven it to be a necessity. The best and cheapest place in the city to buy your

**Stoves, Furniture, tinware**

We are always prepared to buy your household furniture at the highest cash price. Sole agents for the

**PEERLESS OIL CAN**

**AND LAMP FILLER.**

J. L. GOTTLIBE.

Albany, Oregon.

**COME A RUNNING**

If you wish to secure one of those fine lots in Hackleman's Third and Fourth Additions. These lots are located near the site selected for the

**NEW WOOLEN MILLS,**

And are sure to double in Value within the NEXT NINETY DAYS Only a few lots left. ALL GOOD and ON EASY TERMS.

**CURRAN & WONTEITH,**

Sole Agents for These Lots,  
ALBANY, OREGON.

**A NEW DEPRATURE**

Having lately secured a very large and desirable line of Linens, such as Towels, Napkins and Damask at exceedingly low prices, we shall we shall offer the same at a

**SPECIAL SALE**

—FOR THE—  
**NEXT TEN DAYS**

We extend a cordial invitation to all to call and examine these goods, feeling that we can show you bargains. In connection with the sale we shall display a large line of WHITE GOODS and embroideries at

**LOW PRICES**

A beautiful line of gingham and seasonable woolen dress goods. Our stock is new and complete in every department.

**W. F. READ,**

Albany, Oregon.

**G. W. SMITH,**

(SUCCESSOR TO W. H. M'FARLAND)

Has the Largest Stock of **STOVES** In the VALLEY  
**SUPERIOR STOVES AND RANGES.**

PUMPS. PLUMBING.



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**ARGAND COOK AND HEATING STOVES**  
Also a large and complete assortment of kitchen utensils in tin, copper and granite ware.