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WOOD SAWING done on the shortest notice. Orders left at Dr. Jones' will be promptly attended to. W. NEELY.

PAY your school tax—The school tax for the year 1891 is now due and payable. Taxpayers are requested to call promptly, at the office of the undersigned. C. G. Burkhart and pay the same. Signed, C. G. Burkhart, clerk.

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160 ACRES OF LAND—All fit for cultivation, and under fence, for sale at $10 per acre. Within 1½ miles from railroad station and 20 miles from Albany. Apply at this office.

SAN WA has removed his laundry to the building on the corner of Second and Lyons streets.

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All those indebted to the late firm of Thompson & Overman are requested to call at once and settle the same.

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MONEY TO LOAN—HOME CAPITAL ON good real estate security. For particulars enquire of Geo. Hounshey.

GOLD RING, 6 GOLD PENS, 6 CEDAR pencils, 2 very good handkerchiefs, all sent to any address to introduce my cheap line of goods, for 10 cts.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted except contracted by myself, or on a written order from me.
Albany, July 11, 1891. JOHN DETRINGER.

WANTED—Ashes for fertilizing purposes. Royal Ann cherries, Black Republicans, Bing cherries, peach trees, Burbank prunes, Black raspberries, Rathbun strawberries. For which I will pay the highest market price.
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PARTIES DESIRING SURVEYING DONE CAN obtain accurate and prompt work by calling upon ex-county surveyor F. T. Fisher. He has complete copies of field notes and township plats, and is prepared to do surveying in any part of Linn county. Postoffice address, Millers station, Linn county, Oregon.

WOOD SAWING—Will stand having purchased the Dr D M Jones wood sawing outfit, is now ready to fill all orders. Leave orders at residence, corner of Second and Calapooia streets, or Devore & Furman's.

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STANARD & CUSICK, Props.,
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Men's and Boys' clothing made to order or cleaned and repaired on short notice and reasonable rates.
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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by mutual consent A. F. Krumrei and Herman Buelow have this day dissolved partnership in the hotel business, H. Buelow having purchased the interest hitherto owned by A. F. Krumrei. All outstanding indebtedness will be settled by, and all accounts payable to H. Buelow.
A. F. KRUMREI,
HERMAN BUELOW.
Dated this 1st day of July, 1891.

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Because the lots are 50x100; because they are inside property; because they are all clear—no stumps, no roots, no rocks; because the land is elevated and has a fine view of the city; because they are near three motor lines—not in contemplation, but all now in operation; because buy now, to-day, for the 10th day of next month they will advance $25 each; because they are a snap. Ask those who have seen. Seeing is believing. Are you in it?

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Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

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MILES' NERVE & LIVER PILLS.

Act on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Pills speedily cure biliousness, bad taste, torpid liver, piles, constipationr Unequaled for men, women, children. Smallest, mildest, surest! 50 doses for 25 cents. Samples free, at Stanard & Cusick.

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Nervous women seldom receive the sympathy they deserve. We often the pictures of health, they are constantly ailing. To withhold sympathy from these unfortunates is the height of cruelty. They have a weak heart, causing shortness of breath, fluttering, pain in side, weak and hungry spells, and finally swelling of ankles, oppression, choking, smothering and dropsy. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is just the thing for them. For their nervousness, headache, weakness, etc., his Restorative Nervine is unequaled. Fine treatise on "Heart and Nervous Diseases" and marvelous testimonials free, sold and guaranteed by Stanard & Cusick.

SPECIMEN CASES.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to and alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large Fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by Foshay & Mason, Drug store.

A MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The papers contain frequent notices of rich, pretty and educated girls eloping with negroes, tramps and coachmen. The well-known specialist, Dr. Franklyn Miles, says all such girls are more or less hysterical, nervous, very impulsive, unbalanced; usually subject to headache, neuralgia, sleeplessness, immoderate crying or laughing. These show a weak nervous system for which there is no remedy equal to Restorative Nervine. Trial bottles and a fine book, containing many marvelous cures, free at Stanard & Cusick, who also sell, and guarantee Dr. Miles' celebrated New Heart Cure, the finest of heart tonics. Cures fluttering, short breath, etc.

TO GOOD TEMPLARS.

Do you know that Moore's Revealed Remedy is the only patent medicine in the world that does not contain a drop of alcohol; that the mode of preparing it is known only to its discoverer; that it is an advance in the science of medicine without a parallel in the nineteenth century; that its proprietors offer to forfeit $1,000 for any case of dyspepsia it will not cure?

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For sale by Foshay & Mason, wholesale and retail druggists, Albany, Oregon.

REVISING TARIFFS

Railroad Commissioners Call on The Union Pacific.

TO REDUCE THE FARE.

It is Too High in Portland—The Wheat Harvest—Mills and Santiam Ditch—Burglars in Portland.

SALEM, July 17.—The board of railroad commissioners in examining the passenger tariffs for the Union Pacific finds that the company are charging for 1.4 miles between Portland and Albina, and 1.4 between Albina and East Portland, making the distance 2.8, while the Southern Pacific charges for but a mile between Portland and East Portland. The board has requested the manager of the Union Pacific to revise the tariffs so as to make a reduction of six cents in fare on said road.

Wheat harvest has not yet commenced here, but up near Lewisville it has been in full blast all week. One field on the Salem prairie was commenced on by the harvesters this morning, and by the middle of next week most of the fields will be ready for the mower.

These warm days are developing the codlin moth on the apples and growers say that unless spraying is carried on heroically there will be a small crop of winter apples.

A big force of men will be put to work at once on the Santiam water ditch. It will be repaired, cleaned from end to end and enlarged, so as to afford ample power for all the mills here.

The work of getting the big Capitol mills ready here is progressing rapidly, and the millwrights will begin overhauling the machinery Monday. This mill will be ready to receive wheat as soon as it is threshed and will be ready to grind it in two months.

The Farmers' Co-operative Warehouse Association of Wasco to-day filed supplemental articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, increasing the capital stock from $2500 to $10,000.

Squire Wm. Darst, of Gervais, died at his home this evening from liver complaint. He was a pioneer of Oregon and one of the wealthiest and most prominent men on French prairie. He served two terms in the hall of representatives.

FESTIVE BURGLARS.

They Go Through a Portland Safe and Help Themselves.

PORTLAND, July 17.—E. W. Allen, the seedsman, at 171 Second street, is the unhappy possessor of a burglar-proof safe, which was thoroughly burglarized last night.

Some time between 10 o'clock last night and 7 o'clock this morning, the store was entered by burglars, who broke the lock off the front door and then made it fast by inserting a large screw between the two doors.

The burglars then went into the office and sized up the safe, which proved to be their easy meat. With a hammer they struck the combination four direct blows, then three downward blows, as shown by the dents, and the knob fell off, breaking at the shank.

Then, with a punch, they struck the lock, which broke loose from the door and fell inside the safe.

In a twinkling the bolt was thrown back and the contents of the bird cage underwent a picking.

The cash drawer was conveniently provided with a key, which was turned and $50 in money was taken. A check for $5, drawn on the Union Banking Company, was also appropriated, along with some stock certificates, and Mr. Allen's old army discharge.

The most unfortunate part of the affair is the fact that there was a lot of pension certificates and receipts in the safe which belonged to the widows of deceased soldiers. Without these papers, all of which were taken, a score of poor women will not be able to draw their pension money.

Lebanon Postoffice.

The new postmaster in Lebanon seems to be meeting the requirements of the office in a satisfactory manner. The Express says: Postmaster F. M. Miller is daily expecting the arrival of a lot of new post office fixtures, in the way of a front, with 64 lock boxes of bronze metal 45 alphabetical boxes 176 call boxes, glass, with wire bottom, a neat delivery window and a mail box, all of the regular pattern; just such an outfit as this growing town needs. The post master found his duties in the mail department of Uncle Sam's service very burdensome the first few days of his administration, the mails being large and the public impatient. But now all complaint has died away, and a very satisfactory service is had. Judge Miller will no doubt be a popular official, J. F. Hyde Esq., and Mrs. F. M. Miller are the efficient and accommodating assistants.

A. O. U. W.

The action of the grand lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, which has been in session at Victoria, B. C., this week decided the grand lodge sessions shall be changed from a biennial to an annual one. The grand lodge laws were intended to have all work done in the workman degree, other than the opening and closing, which is done in the grand lodge degree. This affords all Workmen in good standing an opportunity to sit in the grand lodge in business session. The committee on dissolution, that is, the separation of the lodge of Washington and British Columbia from the present grand lodge, presented the report. Reference was made to Grand Master Daly, Grand Foreman Cohen, and all the past grand masters present at the session. The report favors the separation, and gives an agreement under which the division would be made a separation. It will take effect December 3, 1891, at which time Supreme Grand Master Workman Kingsley will reorganize the grand lodge of Washington. It is possible that the grand lodge of British Columbia, under the act and authority of the supreme lodge, will be annexed to the grand lodge of Ontario. The election of officers resulted as follows: Grand master, D. Solis Cohen, Unity, 25; grand foreman, B. J. Hawthorne, Eugene, 15; grand overseer, J. L. Rand, Baker City, 100; grand recorder, Newton Clark, Riverside, 68; grand receiver, R. L. Durham, Hope, 1; grand trustee, William Armstrong; three years' supreme representatives, J. J. Daley, T. A. Stevens and H. J. Smith.

TWO LADIES DROWN

A YOUNG MAN CHARGED WITH FOUL PLAY.

He Alone Escapes. He is Arrested—Says He Tried to Save One of the Girls.

PITTSTON, Pa., July 17.—Many sensational rumors were afloat this morning concerning a drowning accident last night in the Susquehanna river, by which two sisters, Kate and Mary McGowan, lost their lives, while their companion, Walter Lane, was saved. The circumstances of the accident, and the stories in circulation concerning the peculiar relations of all the parties concerned, throw the gravest suspicions around young Lane. The authorities this morning began an investigation, which resulted in his arrest. Those who claim to know the particulars of the drowning, and the incidents leading thereto, say that sensational developments may be expected. The girls' ages ranged between 18 and 20, while Lane is about 17. His account of the accident is that the boat suddenly began to fill and sank before they were able to row ashore. He says he vainly tried to save one of the girls, but was unable to, and barely managed to swim ashore. The cries of the girls for help could be plainly heard by other pleasure seekers, who thought the shouting was being made in fun. Their relization of the true facts came too late to render help.

Washington City Notes.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Assistant Secretary Spalding has directed that Cnong Sam, the Chinaman who entered this country near Port Huron, Mich., by way of Canada, in violation of the Chinese exclusion act, be sent to San Francisco for deportation to China at government expense.

The bureau of American republics is informed that the government of Peru has issued a supreme decree declaring that religious feast days shall no longer interfere with loading, unloading and dispatching of vessels in the harbors of that republic. The sailing schedules of steamships are very much interfered with by the frequency of feast days, on which the custom houses are closed and the roustabouts refuse to work.

Grasshoppers Eating Everything.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., July 17.—S. P. Lawson, a prominent stockman of Deming, N. M., has arrived here and gives an account of grasshopper ravages in northern and western counties of New Mexico, where they are doing much harm. They have ravaged the ground of everything in sight. They move in bunches four and five miles wide. One bunch is spreading into Colorado, Kansas and the Panhandle of Texas, while another bunch will reach the Central Texas line.

To Aid the Russian Jews.

LONDON, July 17.—Baron Hirsch writes that he intends to form a great English company to carry out his Jewish colonization scheme He, himself, will take most of the shares, not for the purpose of gain, but to secure a business-like administration. He also aims to form a large representative committee drawn from Jews in all parts of the civilized world, to act as agent. Committees are now forming in Russia under the assent of the government.

Setting the Example.

"You young scoundrel," said the father seizing his disobedient son by the neck. "I'll show you how you ought to treat your mother!"

And he gave him several bangs on the ears and then shook him till his hair began to fall out.

HORRIBLE AFFAIR

Starving to Death in a Land of Plenty.

A MAN EATEN BY WOLVES.

Leaving a Family Destitute and Part of Them Perish With Starvation—The Mother a Maniac.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 17.—About 100 miles southwest of this city, on the outskirts of the thick pine forests of Snake river, is Pine City, a place of but a few hundred people. The other day a fishing party from that place returned from the woods, bringing with them a wild woman and her 16-year-old daughter. The daughter tells a story of terrible suffering and privation. She says the husband and father of the family was eaten by wolves while intoxicated last March. Since that time they have had no food. The young children died of starvation and were cooked and eaten, one by one by the mother and oldest daughter. The mother's mind finally gave away and she is now a raving maniac. They were taken to the county jail where they will be provided pending an investigation as it is thought in all probability one or more of the children were murdered by the demented mother.

UP POPS BOULANGER.

To Bother and Perplex French Statesmen.

LONDON, July 17.—Dispatches from Paris relating to scenes in the chamber of deputies yesterday shows that those who cherished the idea that Boulanger was no longer capable of stirring up a row have met with a genuine surprise. The cabinet sustained a rebuff which must have completely dazed the gentlemen composing that body, so even has been their political path for many months past It was to be expected that sooner or later some deputy would revive the question of the German passport regulations in the conquered provinces. But nobody dreamed that the ministry would have any difficulty in evading a reply, or in completely ignoring the matter if it should see fit. The coalition which cast the majority of the votes against the government on the question of discussing the regulations adopted by Germany concerning passports across the French border, was quietly formed and confident of success, but was scarcely aware of its strength, for it was later admitted by one of their number that the result of the division was as surprising to them as it was gratifying. The subsequent discussion of the matter in the chamber will doubtless be as exciting as the most ardent anti-German agitator could wish, and the debate will be watched with great interest in Berlin. Meantime, the Boulangists will make the most of their victory, for victory it is, though it probably will not have a tendency to add much to their voting strength at the polls; yet the incident has given the faction a degree of importance which it did not before possess, and imparted to it a new lease of life as an element of discord, if not as a political faction.

OPIUM SEIZURE.

Nearly $20,000 Worth of the Drug Captured in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 17.—Opium of the value of $20,000 was seized by customs officers on the collier San Benito on Wednesday evening last. Yesterday O. C. Erickson and James Crielly, employed on the steamer were arrested and charged with abetting the concealment of the drug. The steamer arrived from Nanaimo on Wednesday with a cargo of coal. When the customs searchers boarded the vessel late Wednesday evening, they saw a seaman named James Crielly run forward with a canvas sack. Crielly, being pursued, handed the sack to Erickson. When searched the bag was found to contain seventy-two five tael cans of opium. In various portions of the steamer 117 other tins were discovered by the searchers, making the total seizure amount to 189 cans, or 945 taels. Inspectors have been instructed to keep a close watch on all vessels arriving from Nanaimo, as it is suspected that systematic plans are being made to smuggle opium here from British Columbia.

Indians Becoming Troublesome.

PRINCETON, Minn., July 17.—Benjamin Carter is down from Mille Lacs Lake country on his way to St. Paul to interview Governor Merriman in behalf of the settlers at Mille Lacs Lake. Carter carries a petition signed by the majority of all the settlers at the Lake, asking the governor to use his influence in their behalf. The land was declared open for settlement. The Indians are ugly and threaten to kill the first white man that attempts to cut hay on the reservation. The settlers are determined to put up a hay crop, and there is danger of serious trouble.

Lynching in Kentucky.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., July 17.—Early this morning Frank Rossimus was taken from the jail and lynched by a posse of armed citizens. Yesterday afternoon Rossimus and Lilies Johnson fired upon the police, who were attempting their arrest, and wounded Patrolmen Tucker and Williams. They escaped, but were recaptured last night. Johnson escaped lynching through being jailed at Pineville.

JUSTICE ARRESTED.

Charged With the Crime of Shooting a Man.

LANCASTER, Cal., July 17.—Justice of the Piece N. A. Morris was arrested here this morning by Los Angeles officers and taken to that city, charged with assault to murder H. H. Crain, by whom the warrant was sworn out. Judge Morris with constable Moyer arrested Crain some three weeks ago on a charge of horse stealing, and he considers it is owing to this fact that Crain had him arrested. Rony Crain after the shooting in his dying statement, made before leaving here for Dos Angeles, accused two other men of having shot him, both of whom have since been discharged. Morris states that he can prove an alibi.

Cost of the Postal Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—A careful estimate made by the officers of the postoffice department places the probable annual cost to the government of the execution of the postal aid bill at $2,795,000.

PARSONS AGAIN.

THE ANARCHIST'S WIDOW ATTRACTS ATTENTION.

The Man Who Deserted Wife and Children for Her—Has a Disagreement and Quits.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Two weeks ago, Lucy Parsons gave an entertainment at her house. Among the guests was Martin Lascher. Lascher, according to his own story, has been boarding with Mrs. Parsons for about two years. He deserted his wife and family to break bread at Lucy's table. Mrs. Parsons invited a friend to the party for whom Lascher entertained the most bitter contempt. The next day Lascher took Mrs. Parsons to task for inviting his enemy. He struck the widow in the face and she retaliated by hurling a flatiron at him. Mrs. Parsons secured a warrant for his arrest, and to day the case was aired in Justice Severson's court. Mrs. Parsons told the justice that Lascher had been a source of annoyance to her. She had to eject him by force from her house, and a few days ago he smashed in the front door with an ax and began to make kindling wood of the bedstead and sideboard. He made threats against her life and property, she swore, and has left her no option but to appeal to the law for protection from his attacks. Lascher is a pale-faced young man and there is nothing about him that would suggest anarchy save a miniature gallows and noose as a scarf pin. He told the court that the piece of jewelry was a love token given to him by Mrs. Parsons. His story was that he left his wife and children to board with Mrs. Parsons. He said that he wrote the book of Parsons' life, and that he also paid numerous bills to save Mrs. Parsons from the hands of the law. The furniture which he smashed he said was his own. He has now gone back to live with his wife. While making some damaging statements against Mrs. Parsons' character, she interrupted him by saying: "If you say that again, I will kill you." The justice fined Lascher $25 and costs.

MORE ACTIVITY.

The Pension Matters to be Pushed Through.

CHICAGO, July 17.—Pension Commissioner Raum, in an interview to-day, said: "Affairs have been going altogether too slowly in the pension department, and I am going to hurry through and dump 350 original cases upon the various pension agencies of the country before the year is out. There is no sense in letting these cases hang on, and I see no reason why, with the big force of clerks at my command, we should not dispose of these cases at once. Then, when they are disposed of, I can get rid of a lot of clerks I have there. Perhaps we can do the work with half the force after we dispose of the original cases." General Raum was quite enthusiastic over his new scheme, and said he had already given orders in accordance with his plans.

Rumors of Indian Troubles.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—A telegram was received at the war department at Los Angeles, Cal., which says the sheriff of Flagstaff, Ariz., apprehends an outbreak of Navajo Indians. The United States marshal, however, reports to General McCook there is ne danger of an uprising. To settle the doubt raised by conflicting statements, the general has sent to investigate.

Killed by an Explosion.

CARSON, July 17.—It is reported here that three persons were killed and two wounded by the explosion of an engine at Tahoe.