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FOR SALE, WANTS, ETC.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP—Notice is hereby given that the firm of Noel & Simmons, doing business under that name at Boston Mills is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. Stan Noel retiring. The business will be continued by Simmons & Thompson.

GIRL WANTED—To do housework for a small family. For particulars inquire at this office.

LOST—On the road near Albany or in Albany, a black satchel or grip containing a black vest and coat, a pair of overalls, a bead trimmed hat, a pair of shoes, 2 shirts, a razor and strap, mug and brush, a pair of spurs and bandages for a race horse and brace in bottle, also a revolver. Liberal reward will be paid to the finder on leaving the same at HERALD office.

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

FOR RENT—A neat five room cottage near Southern Pacific depot. Apply at Depot Hotel.

C. B. WINN, AGENT FOR THE LEADING fire, life and accident insurance companies.

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

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 iron hou the corner of Second and Lyon streets.

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5, 10, 20, 40, 80 acres, easy terms, installment plan cheap and high-priced. Also a ew city lots all owned by H. Bryant.

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PARTIES DESIRING SURVEYING DONE CAN obtain accurate and prompt work by calling upon county surveyor E. 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.

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In session throughout the year. Students admitted at any time. Catalogue from either school, free.

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STANARD & CUSICK, Props.,
PFEIFFER BLOCK, - - ALBANY.
—Dealers in—
DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, FANCY and Toilet articles, Sponges, Brushes, Perfumery, School Books, and Artist's Supplies

Physician's prescriptions carefully compounded.

H. GREGG,
Tailoring & Repairing.

Men's and Boys' clothing made to order or cleaned and repaired on short notice and reasonable rates.
Shop on the street car line between Third and Fourth streets.

Conrad Meyer's new oven is now completed, and he is better prepared than ever to serve his old customers as well as new ones with the best of fresh bread, cakes, in fact everything from the daintiest hot rolls to the most elaborate wedding cakes. Housekeepers are invited to give the product of his new oven a trial.

At Will & Stark's can be seen some of the most beautiful ladies gold watches, which have just been received.

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?

Cram's Unrivalled Atlas.

The new edition of this unrivalled work is now being delivered by the agent, Mrs. A. M. Tait. The work is a most excellent one, and this edition is a great improvement upon former ones, giving all the latest date and much new matter that was not in the previous editions. It should be in every family, and on every business man's desk. Those who are not supplied can procure the atlas by addressing P. O. Box No. 60 Albany Oregon.

We are the only people who carry the celebrated E. & W. collar and cuffs. Always have the latest styles in stock, T. L. Wallace & Co.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Food Report.

Royal Baking Powder
ABSOLUTELY PURE

I am an old man and have been a constant sufferer with catarrh for the last ten years. I am entirely cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm. It is strange that so simple a remedy will cure such a stubborn disease.—Henry Billings, U. S. Pension Att'y, Washington, D. C.

For eight years I have suffered from catarrh, which effected my eyes and hearing; have employed many physicians without relief. I am dow on my second bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and feel confident of a complete cure.—Mary C. Thompson, Cerro Gordo, Ill.

The men of this vicinity need not be jealous because their wives talk so constantly about Matthews and Washburn. Its not their good looks the ladies are talking about, it is the good qualites of the cook and heating stoves they sell. Every one seems to be delighted when they buy from M. and W.

Remember you can get the best kid glove in town for one dollar at the Ladies Bazaar.

REVERE HOUSE, ALBANY, OR.—CHAS Pfeiffer, Prop. Only first-class house in the city. Large sample rooms for commercial men. No Chinamen employed in the kitchen.

Julius GRADWOHL'S

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THE VERY LATEST NEWS is that you can buy at Julius Gradwohl's Bazaar, for net cash, goods as follows:

17 lbs. granulated sugar	$1.00
20 lbs. extra C sugar	1.00
No. 1 kerosene, per single gal.	.25
5 gallons good pickles	.90
20 lbs. No. 1 Savon soap	.90
Arbuckle coffee, 25c per pound	

I will conduct a strict cash store, and all goods will be sold for net cash from 10 to 25 per cent. less than regular price.

My stock of Chinaware, fancy goods and all the desirable styles of dishes, as well as staple groceries crockery lamps and fixtures, is complete in every way. I make a speciality of fine teas, coffees and baking powder, and always pleases my customers.

JULIUS GRADWOHL,
ALBANY, Oct. 17, 1891.

Wholesale price of sugar: 100 lbs. extra C, $4.75; 100 lbs. granulated, $5.75.

My display of new toys and novelties for the holidays this year will be something wonderful.

Stoves and Tinware

The Largest Stock of STOVES, HARDWARE, and TINWARE South of Portland at

MATTHEWS & WASHBURN'S, ALBANY, OREGON,

AUTUMN IS HERE, AND THE INQUIRY ON THE mind and on the lips of every woman will be, "Who has the best stock of———

Cloaks, Jackets, Fur Trimmed Garments and Ladies Fall Dresswear.

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—This question can be satisfactorilly answered at the old established house of—

SAM'L. E. YOUNG,

WHO HAS OPENED FOR THE FALL AND WINTER TRADE A MAMMOTH ASSORTMENT OF Ladies Dress Goods, in cloth, silks, foreign and domestic fabrics, shawls, underwear, gloves, hosiery, laces, linens, and white goods, notions, novelties, etc.
Also a complete assortment of Boots and Shoes, Staple and Fancy Groceries.

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ESTABLISHED IN 1866, THIS PIONEER DRY GOODS HOUSE HAS MAINTAINED PUBLIC FAVOR by keeping a stock large enough to supply any want, and making a specialty of selecting such goods as will give satisfaction both in quality and prices.

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CLOSE CASH BUYERS VISITING THIS MARKET ARE ESPECIALLY invited to inspect his stock, which is complete in all his numerous departments, and purchased especially for the fall season of———— 1891

MERIT WINS.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits, Foshay & Mason Druggists,

Shepp's Photographs of the World

One of the most beautiful and appropriate holiday books that has been issued, bears the title above given. It is fully explained by the title, for it illustrates all of the objects and scenes of interest in the different parts of world, and that two with all the truthfulness and beauty of the genuine photograph. Over two hundred and fifty of these full page photographs are given. The book is one of the finest gift books that could be imagined of, and is simply superb. It will be sold by subscription.

A SAFE INVESTMENT

Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggists a bottle of Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs, or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflammation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Croup, etc. etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free at Foshay & Mason, Druggists.

SPECULATION DANGEROUS.

Scarcely a day passes without the news of some large failure flashing over the wires—the usual result of speculation in stocks or some equally dangerous venture. The same electric current carries to dear distant friends the sad tidings of death of loved ones—too often the result of speculation in patent nostrums. Moore's Revealed Remedy is no speculation but is sold on positive guarantee. Do not fail to go to your druggist and ask for your money if not satisfied. We known you will go and buy another bottle. For sale by all druggists.

NOT SO IN OREGON.

Maine Farmers Are Suffering From a Lack of Water.

THE STREAMS ARE DRYING UP

If Rain Does Not Come Soon the Damage Will Be Great—Millions of Trout Perished.

BANGOR, Nov. 26.—The farming community of Eastern Maine is suffering severely because of a lack of water. The failure of brooks and streams on account of the long drought, will cause a loss of thousands of dollars to lumbermen. Unless rain comes speedily and in large quantities no ice will be cut on the Penobscot river. All the water flowing past the ice privileges is salt, and it will take a week of rain to affect it ever so slightly. Millions of trout in northern Maine have perished, owing to the drying up of the streams.

ENTIRE FAMILY GONE.

Strange Fatality That Has Exterminated a Whole Family.

CHADRON, Neb., Nov. 26.—The death of Charles Barnett, a farmer aged 40 years, living about four miles south of here, is the end of a chapter of fatalities which is out of the usual run. Ten weeks ago the Barnett family numbered eight people. They were Charles and his wife and five children and Miss Martha Barnett, his sister. One after another of these have all died and to-day not a soul remains of the family. The youngest, a child, was the first to be taken. Diphtheria, in a malignant form, attacked the babe, and it died within two days, followed by the next child with the same disease one day later. The other children were attacked, but all recovered with the exception of the eldest, who was slow in convalescing. He took cold just when it was thought he was getting well, and died. The next day one of the remaining children fell from the top of the barn, and when found its neck was broken. On returning from the funeral the team ran away and threw Mrs. Barnett and her sister-in-law from the wagon, killing the latter instantly and inflicting such injuries on the farmer that she died three days later. Two weeks ago the remaining child was trying to light a fire, when her clothing caught fire and she was so badly burned that she died. A week ago Barnett was working in his stable, when he received a kick from one of his horses, from the effect of which he died the next day, his death completing the round of fatalities and finishing putting the family out of existence. He had no known relatives. The farm reverts to the state unless there can be found some other members of the family.

ROMANCE OF ROYALTY.

The Story of the Affianced of the Late King Ludwig.

The visit of one royal visitor to Bayreuth, the Duchess d'Alencon, who was accompanied by her son, Prince Emmanuel of Orleans, has called up many strange memories. The duchess is now aged and very much broken down, but many Wagnerians could well remember the time, over twenty years ago, when she was beautiful and the affianced bride of the late King Ludwig of Bavaria, the monarch whose munificence alone made the Bayreuth festivities possible. The Duchess d'Alencon was then known as the Princess Sophia of Bavaria, one of the five daughters of Duke Max in Bavaria. Her other sisters became the Empress of Austria, the Queen of the two Sicilies and the Princess of Thurn and Taxis. They were all beautiful girls, but were brought up as amazons, and loved horses and roving across the country better than music and the ways of courts. King Ludwig wooed Princess Sophia. He had purchased magnificent presents for her, when one day the poison of suspicion was poured into his ear. He went to Ponsehofen disgusted and fancied he discovered grounds for breaking off the engagement. Her sisters have repeatedly said that the king had no reasons for his suspicions. At any rate he never saw her again, and from that time he became a woman hater, and finally landed in insanity. The princess, though she afterward married the Prince Ferdinand, of Orleans, Duke d'Alencon, and became the mother of two children, never forgot the king, in spite of his cruel treatment of her, and when Ludwig drowned himself in Lake Starnberg five years ago she became insane, and was for over a year in the insane asylum at Gratz.

DYNAMITE PLOWING.

Tearing Up the Subsoil With High-Grade Explosives.

Subsoiling with dynamite is the latest advance in scientific agriculture. D. U. Sloan of Atlanta has invented a method by which the hard ground may be broken up to a depth of two or three feet at a cost of $25 an acre. This work, he claims, is equal to the process of "trenching" used by market gardeners to loosen the earth to a depth of two or three feet. Ground prepared in this way will absorb a great deal of water and sustain vegetation luxuriantly through a protracted drought. It will also receive and assimilate several times the quantities of fertilizers taken by the soil plowed to the usual depth, and, enriched to its full capacity, will sustain much heavier crops. It is possible in this way to make five bales of cotton or 259 bushels of corn to the acre. This has been demonstrated by the actual achievement of these results.

The great trouble heretofore has been the enormous expense of trenching ground. As done by market gardeners the work costs abought $1500 an acre, consequently but small patches are so treated. Mr. Sloan proposes to do the same work for $25 an acre, and so make intensive farming so economical that it will become the fashion, and the old surface scratching will be discarded.

His plan in brief is to drill holes two to three feet deep and five feet apart, making 1600 to the acre. In each he puts an explosive, and after tamping sets off the charge. When properly arranged the exslosive will disturb the surface of the ground very little, but will crack and pulverize it in every direction to a distance of two or three feet, according to the depth and quantity of explosive used.

Yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock Charles L. Patterson and J. C. Thurman, representing the Refauno Chemical Company, arranged explosives in twenty-eight holes dug in Mr. Sloan's garden, in the rear of his residence, at 15 East Mitchell street. The plat was 25x40 feet and the holes were two feet deep. In each was one-fourth of a small-sized dynamite cartridge with about an ounce of Judson powder. Attached to an electric fuse, these cartridges, planted two feet deep, were exploded by means of a wire communicating with a battery. There was a dull, rumbling, smothered roar, and the whole surface of the ground appeared to be lifted two or three feet, while a few small clods sailed above the housetops.

When the smoke cleared away it was found that the ground was broken to the depth of thirty inches at the points of explosion and broken sideways for a part of the distance between the holes. The plat was estimated one-fortieth of an acre and the cost of the explosion in twenty-eight holes was 75 cents, including two hours' labor in drilling the holes.

Mr. Patterson said it was only a question of experiment to see just how much powder to use, and at what depth, two feet or more, to place it to make it pulverize all the ground between the holes. He offers to take contracts to break and pulverize the ground two feet deep for $25 an acre. Mr. Sloan has filed a caveat for a patent and Mr. Pat Calhoun, who is now in Washington, will look after the patenting of the invention.—Atlanta Constitution.

SMUGGLING ON THE BORDER.

New Measures Taken for Its Prevention.

CHICAGO, November 26—Reports of extensive opium smuggling and the establishment of illicit distilleries along the Dakota and Minnesota border, together with continued and numerous violations of the Chinese Exclusion act, have caused the Treasury Department to take more decided measures against these illegal practices. The department has decided on a change. The headquarters of the operations along the northwestern border are shifted from Chicago to St. Paul, and Special Agent J. J. Crowley, who had much experience in that class of work, has been placed in charge of the territory covering Minnesota, the Dakotas, Montana and Idaho. Crowley will assume his new duties December 1st next.

A SLEEK INSURANCE AGENT.

He Does a Remunerative Business and Then Skips.

PORTLAND, Nov. 26.—This evening's Telegram prints the following: Some time ago, George C. Parker, a well-known East Side business man, formed a partnership with a newcomer, Frank Ellis. They were handling insurance, representing the Farmers & Merchants of Albany. Ellis made a tour of the farming districts, and by dint of smooth talking did a business which netted him about $600. This he put in his pocket, and without telling his partner good-by, he left several weeks ago. Mr. Parker, being a responsible party, is held by the insurance company for moneys which should have been sent to the home office; and now he is looking for the evanescent Ellis, who is supposed to be in Montana.

THEIR WAR PAINT ON.

A Report That the Indians of Dakota Want to Fight.

BLUNT, S. D., Nov. 26.—Reports from the reservation country say the Indians have been stirred up by roving bands of renegades, and only wait an excuse to break away from official authority to plunder and murder.

WILL HE TAKE IT?

A Report That Bismarck is Soon to Resume the Chancellorship

A SENSATION IN GERMANY.

Von Caprivi Says He is Weary of Holding Office and Will Resign—A Misunderstanding.

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—A decided sensation was caused here to-day by the announcement that Chancellor von Caprivi will in all probability soon resign the chancellorship of the German empire. This unexpected news was circulated this morning by Mochenblatt, a newspaper, edited by a deputy agent. Mochenblatt, in announcing the approaching retirement of the chancellor, says in explanation that the latter is weary of holding office, and that this fact has caused him to arrive at the decision referred to. It is inferred that the retirement of Chancellor von Caprivi is not definitely decided upon, but that it is among the strong probabilities. The chancellor's enemies, as soon as the report gained circulation, started the rumor that Von Caprivi has had a serious misunderstanding, and that he has adopted the old Bismarkian tactics of threatening to resign unless he has his own way. They add that he will find that "Young William" will not put up with any such "bluffing" and that Von Caprivi must remember that though he has been a "high favorite," he is far from being the historical personage Bismark was, and still is in spite of everything. Of course, coupled with this rumor is the report that should Von Caprivi retire, Prince Bismarck may be recalled to power. The accuracy of this rumor is very much doubted here.

ONCE IN A CENTURY.

A Total Solar Eclipse Will Occur in 1893.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—In his annual report to the secretary of the navy, Commodore Dewey, chief of the bureau of equipment, summarizes the work of his bureau during the year as follows: "During the past fiscal year, fifty-three vessels have been either wholly or partially equipped under this bureau at an expense for labor and material of $684,239." Commodore Dewey encloses the reports of the superintendents of the naval observatory and nautical almanac office and naval inspector of electric lighting. The superintendent of observatory says: "April 15, 1893, a total solar eclipse occurs under circumstances so favorable that its observation is extremely desirable. The central line of shadow sweeps across South America, the Atlantic ocean and northern Africa, and the duration of totality is four minutes forty-two seconds, near Cerea, Brazil, and four minutes ten seconds, near Bathurst, Senegambia. Many of the most important questions relating to the constitution of the sun can be studied only during total eclipses, and as the total time available for that purpose is only about three hours in a century, the necessity for utilizing every available eclipse is evident, if we are ever to comprehend that wonder on which the very existence of the human race depends." He hopes means may be provided for the sending of at least one party to Cerea, and if possible, another to Bathurst.

HUNTINGTON'S PLANS.

He Wants to Dispose of His Eastern Interests.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The recently published statement that the Chesapeake and Ohio is to incorporate part of the Newport News and Mississippi Valley road has been confirmed, but the negotiations have not been completed. The part of the Newport News to be acquired is the Elizabethtown, Lexington and Big Sandy road, 139 miles from Huntington, W. Va., to Lexington, Ky, the Chesapeake and Ohio advancing 5 per cent. bonds. C. P. Huntington of the Newport News and Mississippi Valley road, when questioned as to the sale of the Elizabethtown branch, is reported to have said: "It has been known for some time that the road was for sale; in fact, it is my intention to dispose of all interests I have in railroad property east of the Mississippi river as soon as I can. The shipyard at Newport News I shall keep and intend to build more ships right off." It is understood that Huntington is to build five new steamers for the Morgan line.

A CORNER IN CORN.

Great Excitement Over a Jump in the Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Nov. 26.—Early in August "Deacon" S. V. White put corn to 70 cents and held it there for a few hours. From that figure it got almost to forty cents. Today November corn opened at 69 and closed with 75 cents bid. The private settlement of the one big outstanding November short line did not go through. The crowd expected it; there were rumors of it; but the fact that the close was tip top is proof so far that the deal is still on. There is now the same likelihood that the price will go to 80 cents Friday that there was that it would go to 75 cents to day. There are many signs of the serious intentions of the bull combination, the heavy chartering of vessel room being as significant a sign as any. Curiosity is increasing as to the identity of the big outstanding short, and whose line amounts to between 700,000 to 1,000,000 bushels. He is not John Cudahy. The latter knows a thing or two about corn corners, and he was not to be caught at the game he so adroitly played two years ago. The short is said to belong to the provision pit, and his ability to fight about a deal from 72 cents to 74 cents without suing for peace, is evidence that he is a powerful fellow. It begins to look as if the fight might be a great deal more than any on the floor recently, as if defaults committees or something of the sort might even be resorted to. There is no corner rule now, but there is a state against forestallers. It was appealed to once by a desperate short who was caught in a pork deal. The bull combination, which has not yet liquidated, declares it has an unimpaired holding of about 1,500,000 bushels for November, or just about five times the stock in store.

MONEY BY EXPRESS.

This Method Was the Invention of John Hoey.

John Hoey invented, by accident, the system of sending money by express. While a clerk in the Adams Express Company's employment in this city, he was asked by a woman to send some money to her son, a soldier at Washington, and bound for the front. Hoey thought the matter over, and without consulting his superiors sent the package of money by express. The money reached its destination, but Hoey was reprimanded for his bold experiment. Nevertheless, from that one act grew an extremely profitable branch of the express business. It was just about the same time that gentleman then living in Chicago, but now a resident of New York, with difficulty induced the Western Union Telegraph Company to send a telegraphic money order. It was sent from Chicago to New Orleans, with much misgiving on the part of the telegraph offices and strictly at the sender's risk.—N. Y. Sun.

WHEN WOMEN CUT WOOD

Warning to Men Who Permit Their Wives to do This.

VINELAND, N. J., Nov. 26.—At Alliance, a small Hebrew settlement six miles from this place, Mrs. Hershalvisky went to the woodpile Monday and began to chop wood. She had half completed her task when her 3-year-old daughter, who was playing near, ran in front of her mother just as she was swinging her ax. The blow struck the child fairly on the head, laying open the brain. The mother carried the child into the house and tried to staunch the flow of blood, and a physician was at once called to dress the wound. He could plainly see the pulsation of the brain, and some of it oozed out. The child retained consciousness for some time after she was hurt. She died last night, twenty-eight hours after the accident.

AN ELECTION BET.

The Losing of It Cost a Pennsylvanian His Life.

WAYNESBURG, Pa., Nov. 26.—John Dougherty, an oil well driller, died last night from pneumonia. Mr. Dougherty was a democrat and he made a bet with a republican that Campbell would defeat McKinley for governor of Ohio. The loser was to climb to the top of an old derrick, seventy two feet high, and remain there from 6 in the morning until 6 in the evening. Dougherty mounted the derrick last Saturday morning, and although the rain poured down all day he did not flinch. When he came down at night he was cramped and weak. On the following day violent pneumonia set in, brought on by the exposure, and his death resulted.

Cruiser Baltimore Ordered North.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—Captain Schley, of the cruiser Baltimore, will receive in a few days orders from the navy department authorizing him to proceed north with the Baltimore immediately upon the arrival of the Yorktown at Valparaiso, instead of waiting for the Boston. The Yorktown should reach Valparaiso by December 1. This decision to hurry the Baltimore north is the result of a telegram from Captain Schley, calling attention to the serious condition of the bottom of that vessel. Divers who were sent below report the paint off in many places, and the plates thus exposed are badly corroded and pitted by action of the salt water.

Maher is Ready to Fight Corbett.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—"Billy" Madden, the manager of Peter Maher, the Irish champion pugilist, says his man is in first-class condition and that he will be at the Herald office on Dec. 15, ready to meet Corbett and make the final arrangement for their fight.