

THE CORVALLIS GAZETTE.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1900.

Ladies' Silk Waists

Good material. Good workmanship. New Styles. \$7 to \$10 each.

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Mercerized cotton. Looks like silk. Wears as well as silk. Popular colors. \$1.50 to \$2.25 each.

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For fine skirt linings and, for shirtwaits. Twelve shade. 50 cents per yard.

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Albany, Oregon.

LOCAL NEWS.

S. N. Wilkins registered at the Perkins, in Portland, Wednesday.

Work was commenced this week on the sewer and is progressing rapidly.

After a visit of several weeks in this city O. L. Clark and wife have returned to McMinnville.

The marriage of M. L. Buckingham and Miss Sylvia Hawley, occurred at Dusty last Sunday.

The picnic at Ridder's grove yesterday was quite well attended, and a good time is generally reported.

The finest display of roses ever seen in Corvallis will be on exhibition at the opera house June 7th.

Mrs. M. B. Howell, of this city, who has been visiting Mrs. James Sellwood in Salem, returned home Monday.

A. E. Taylor and Miss Anna Burr, both of Philomath, were married in the court house in this city May 24th, by Rev. M. C. Davis.

Last Sunday's Oregonian contained a half-tone picture of the ladies basketball team of the O. A. C., and a short sketch of their work as a team.

Regular services will be conducted at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning and evening. Dr. Thompson will preach at Oak ridge at 3 o'clock p. m.

F. J. Oberer returned from Portland the first of the week, whither he had been to purchase a new reaw and spoke lathe for the new factory at the Corvallis Sawmill.

Hon. J. G. Woolley, of New York, the leading prohibition speaker of the country, addressed a large audience at the Opera House Tuesday evening. He is a forcible and entertaining speaker.

Wednesday evening the O. A. C. band played a very nice concert on Main street for the enjoyment of the citizens, and a large and appreciative crowd assembled. Much praise was bestowed on the band boys.

W. S. Tomlinson, of Soap Creek, republican candidate for recorder has been unfortunately deprived of going out upon the canvass among the people, owing to the severe illness of his mother with pneumonia.

Services at the Christian church next Sabbath. Preaching at 11 a. m. In the evening, beginning at 8 p. m., a special program in the interest of Children's Day will be given by the Sunday school. All are welcome.

Dr. L. F. Griffith returned Monday from Corvallis, bringing with him his brother, Carl Griffith, who is suffering with a second attack of appendicitis. It may be necessary for the young man to submit to an operation.—Statesman.

There is a vast difference to the tax-payer between the county official who has "practically" paid his own deputy hire, although he did sue the county for the same, and a man who never asked for or received one cent of deputy hire.

Miss Dorothea Nash leaves shortly for England. A dinner party in her honor was given by the girls of the Sorosis club, Sunday. The guests were Miss Snell, Mrs. Cordley, Mrs. E. R. Bryson, Misses Jacobs, Olive Hamilton, Leona Smith, Martha Fiercher, and Miss Thompson, of Salem.

The hoodo is lifted from the freak steamer City of Eugene, and during the past month she has made more money for her owners than she ever did before since she has been running. When her original owners got her loaded to the guards with debt, she passed under the hammer at United States Marshall's sale, about a month ago. M. Olsen, the speculator, and Ben McCauley, the hotel man, bought her in for \$1500. They were subjected to some good-natured joshing from their friends, but steamboat men who knew the intrinsic value of the machinery in the unlucky packet, considered it a bargain. Yesterday the speculators vindicated their judgment by selling the steamer to the Charles K. Spaulding Logging company, of Newberg, for \$4000, the net profits resulting being quite satisfactory returns for a month's work with a boat while she was tied to the bank.

Dr. Lowe leaves Saturday noon.

Mrs. Wm. Staiger, of Salem, is visiting friends in this city.

There is a rumor in Corvallis to the effect that Arthur W. Bowersox, who resides near Philomath, has suffered a sudden "stroke" of some nature. Facts could not be ascertained, but it is stated that Tuesday while working in his garden he dropped to the ground, a senseless heap. Whether this is of a paralytic nature or not was not learned.

The annual inspection of the cadet battalion of the O A C was conducted by Inspector General Mans, of Vancouver barracks, on the college campus yesterday morning at 8:50 o'clock. The proficiency of the cadets in manual and evolution under the instruction of Commandant Edwards, is most satisfactory to the authorities and the students themselves.

Yesterday the remains of Daniel Taylor were interred in Crystal Lake cemetery. Services were conducted by Dr. Thompson at the residence of the deceased. Last fall the deceased purchased the Frank Davis farm, not far from Philomath. His death was caused by Bright's disease, and he had attained the age of 66 years.

A. Kyle returned home Saturday from Eastern Oregon. He has been employed at bridge work on the Columbia River & Southern R. R. now in course of construction in that section. After a month or such a matter, provided he does not find employment of a satisfactory nature in this vicinity, he intends returning to Shaniko, where he is assured of employment.

The most pathetic thing seen in forty years was the submissive way in which the rank and file of the fusion movement obeyed the mandate of Mc. and Frank and denied themselves the pleasure of hearing ex-Congressman Howard, of Alabama, the ablest advocate of the principles of populism in the country and a powerful orator. It is either awfully pathetic or it is uncommonly funny.

The Rally.

During the beginning of the week the college boys busied themselves with preparations for a grand rally just prior to the departure of the athletic team for Salem, the scene of the field sports. They took a team and wagon and gathered up everything about town that could be used to make a bonfire. Everything was made ready Wednesday for a blaze the following evening, and nearly all of the boys had sought their couches for the night, when it was discovered that some one had set fire to the pile prematurely. Of course it was a college joke, but there was much indignation expressed that the big fire should be touched off 24 hours too soon. However, they gathered material yesterday for another bonfire last night. Songs, speeches and various exercises were indulged in around the big fire, all of which was calculated to inspire confidence in the team of athletes who are to compete for honors in the events at Salem tomorrow. Last night everything passed off as planned and those in attendance enjoyed themselves hugely. The track team will go to Salem today in order that they may secure a night of rest before they enter the arena for the final struggle.

The Sheriff.

The office of sheriff is a most important one. No man in Benton county is better qualified to fill it than J. M. Cameron. He is a thorough business man; careful, honest and energetic. He will shirk no duty and betray no trust. No republican has done his full duty, who fails to cast a vote for J. M. Cameron.

Ko-nut, the purest, sweetest, most healthful cooking material made; call for it at Zierolf's.

Ko-nut—a pure sterilized vegetable fat, at Zierolf's.

STILL UNANSWERED.

"Citizen" Asks That the Times Explain These Facts.

EDITOR GAZETTE: Again I notice that the Corvallis Times does not deny that Mr. Waters claimed on the stump that he was an over-worked official by registering the voters gratis. The fact is, he was masquerading before the public as a hero, when he had an understanding with the members of the county court that he should receive for this extra work the wages that an extra deputy clerk would cost the county. The Times says, "Waters has not received a cent for registering votes." Granted, yet he expects to enforce his agreement with the members of the county court and get in the neighborhood of \$195 for these services. Everybody who read the Times notice of his work, mentioned about two weeks ago in this particular, knows it was to be understood by that notice that Mr. Waters was doing this work free of charge for the county. Let Mr. Waters now deny that he at first asked for a special deputy to do this work, and then asked to do it himself for a special deputy's hire, and then did it with the full expectation of receiving this extra pay, if he truthfully can do so. A statement that "he has not received a cent for registering voters" does not say that he does not expect to do so, nor that he and the Times did not wish it understood by the public that he was doing so without extra pay. He does not deny, nor does the Times for him, that he sued Benton county for \$50 a month deputy hire, thereby costing the county money in defending the suit. Does that action look like great love for Benton county? He was then by law getting \$5 per day for every day in the month, including Sundays, for services as county clerk, yet he sues the county for deputy hire for James Skipton at \$50 a month. Does this prove great devotion by him to our interests?

Again he does not deny the fact that he requires the attorneys in all the cases to prepare all journal entries for him pertaining to the court business. We repeat, Messrs. Wilson and Hunter were able to write up the court records without the aid of lawyer, and did so as do all other clerks than Mr. Waters. He is in that regard a mere copyist, a \$5 a day copyist at that, to say nothing of the extras he draws down for deputy hire.

He does not deny that the present law puts the purchase of all supplies in the clerk's office in the hands of the clerk, and he is the only county official allowed this privilege, and that he puts out these orders without bids and does not thus protect the county from exorbitant charges for the same.

He does not deny that he importuned the court for the extra furniture recently put in the clerk's office at a cost of \$732 and that he asked for about as much more.

The records show that Mr. Waters never paid much taxes and it is of small importance to him whether we do so or not. What is Benton county to him who has only lived in the county, as at present bounded, as an officer, feeding at the public crib. His interests are not ours; we have kept him ever since he came to Corvallis, and he does not feel the heavy rate of taxation that we have to bear, or he would certainly protect us more—\$1800 per annum, extras for tax-rolls, extra furniture, extra everything except extra work by the clerk.

Let us have a man for clerk in sympathy with Benton county who can take the clerk's office and run it with less appetite for expenses.

CITIZEN.

May 31, 1900.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Geo. W. Buckingham, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same duly verified to me at my residence, near Dusty, in Benton county, Oregon, or at the law office of E. Holgate in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated June 1, 1900.

J. P. GRAGG, Executor.

Ko-nut for pies and all pastry—once used, always used; for sale at Zierolf's.

A Corvallisite's Doings.

Adolph Peterson, a well-known contractor of Corvallis, returned yesterday from Glenn's Ferry, Idaho, where he has become interested in a promising placer mine near the bank of the Snake river, says the Oregonian. He has personally superintended the construction of a new gold-saver, at quite an expense to his company, and the machine would have been mixing gold dust and quicksilver ere this but for lack of water. A ditch several miles long had been dug from Cold Spring to the diggings, but it passed through too many farms on its way down to admit of much water reaching the golden gravel. The company has therefore decided to put in a pumping plant at an expense of \$4500, and this will raise the water out of Snake river, which never fails of supply. A system of dumpcars will be instituted to bring the gold-laden dirt to the machine, a distance of 150 yards. The works are expected to be in full operation this fall, and they can be run night and day the year round.

Mr. Peterson says the steam dredges now operating on the bars of Snake river are all making big money, as they are capable of washing the flour gold from 2000 to 3000 cubic yards of sand per day, and the steel shovels reach away down into the bed of the river for gold. "These dredges," Mr. Peterson says, "can be run at a profit on sand containing 3 cents a yard, while much of the Snake river deposit goes as high as \$10 to the yard." Mr. Peterson is expected home tomorrow.

H. H. Glassford.

H. H. Glassford, the republican nominee for assessor, is eminently fitted for the duties of that office. He has had much to do with men and affairs, and has had wide business experience. A veteran of the civil war, he has performed the highest duty of a citizen and he performed that duty well. Having the ability and the desire to do so, he will fill the office of assessor with credit to himself and satisfaction to the taxpayers.

Mr. Glassford was born in Ohio, in 1844. He enlisted in the Union army in 1861, and served in the Shenandoah valley under Fremont. He re-enlisted in 1863, and was with Sherman and Kilpatrick until the close of the war in 1865. Twenty-three years ago he came to Oregon, and during his residence here he has filled many places of trust. For a time he was commissary of the state insane asylum, and later was superintendent of the farm of that institution, and has the highest recommendations for his efficiency in these positions. He is now a resident of Kings Valley, where he is highly esteemed.

W. S. Tomlinson.

The republican nominee for recorder, W. S. Tomlinson, has been a resident of Benton county since 1871. Born in Linn county in 1869, he was but two years old when his parents moved to the farm near Wells where Billy has lived ever since. He was born and raised a farmer, but farm duties were not permitted to interfere with his education, for he was given excellent schooling and graduated in the commercial course at Albany college in 1893. He is therefore eminently qualified to perform the duties of recorder, which require clerical ability and training. His people were pioneers of Oregon, his mother having been a resident of this state since 1850, and his father since 1860.

His liberal disposition, genial personality, and rugged honesty have made a friend of every man who knows him, and his election to the office of recorder is generally conceded.

Lost, recently between this city and Monroe, a purse containing about \$3 in coin, belt rings and other articles. Finder will please leave same at this office.

ORANGE OR LEMON?

Which Will Capture the Championship Cup at Salem Tomorrow?

Tomorrow the O. A. C. athletes, a host of enthusiastic students, and numerous admiring citizens will take the special train over the C. & E. for Salem, where the sixth annual field meet of the I. A. A. O. will be held to decide which college in Oregon shall hold the championship for the coming year.

U. of O. has held this title for the past two years, and should she be successful on this occasion, the championship cup becomes her permanent property. But the stalwart sons of old O. A. C. are the slip between this cup and the university lip. Many of the team who helped the orange to carry off the honors in '97, will battle for it tomorrow. The struggle will be a magnificent one, with U. of O. and O A C the central figures.

Ray Goodrich will represent the agricultural college at a meeting to be held at Salem tonight, to decide the eligibility of the various entries and other business. A telegram from Eugene to a Portland paper states that it is reported that some protests will be entered by O A C. We have been unable to ascertain anything in support of this statement. It is to be hoped that each institution will be permitted to enter its team and let this be a contest of brawn and not one of shrewdness and diplomacy. While anything like professionalism is to be deprecated in these games, still a tendency toward barring legitimate representatives of these great institutions for trivial and technical reasons, simply to gain advantage, is unsportsmanlike, and should not be encouraged.

The "Oregon Weekly," the official paper of the student body of U. of O. has this to say of the outlook:

The race for the championship cup will probably narrow down to a close struggle between O A C and U. of O. From present indications the chances are about even. Willamette University and Pacific College will both be well represented, but it is not thought that either of these teams can cope successfully with those of Eugene and Corvallis. Sanders will no doubt win in the shot put, while Heister ought to carry off first honors in the bicycle race. Heater, P. C. will win the vault and in the hurdles stands an equal chance with Palmer, O A C, and Williams, U. O. Buckingham, W. U. and Knox, U. O. are the best men in the high jump, while Smith and Heater have tied each others records in the broad jump. Burroughs, O A C, has thrown the hammer over 120 feet in practice and Smith has a record of 125 feet 8 inches. The contest between these two men will be a keen one.

The greatest sport of the day will no doubt be in the five runs. Bishop, U. of O., and Colvig, O A C, will do the best work in the short sprints, while Redmond, U. of O., and Redd, O A C, are evenly matched in the quarter.

The half mile promises to be one of the best events of the day. Burnett, O A C, Kenworthy, P. C., and Payne, U. of O., are picked as the winning trio, but it is difficult to say in what order they will finish. Stimpson, O A C, ought to win the mile, but both Wilkins, W. U., and Payne will crowd him closely; although Stimpson's record is 4:50. Huffman, O A C, will win the walk, as he is recognized as the best man in the state.

The excursion train will leave the C & E depot at 6 o'clock Saturday morning, and returning will leave the fair grounds at 6 p. m. Fair for the round trip is \$1.50.

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Our College Interests.

CORVALLIS, May 31, 1900.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—I have seen a circular, purporting to show the record of Representative Nichols, and which seems to be in circulation over the county.

I would remind republicans of one or two things not to forget. What is a legislature anyway? If your representative or senator desires votes in support, for instance, of an appropriation for the college buildings, in order to get this support he may find it necessary to vote for this or that measure coming before the legislature. Oftentimes the very nature of the measure he may vote for is enough for him to know it cannot be carried. More than that its advocates, having constituents of their own to satisfy often know and explain that their measures are hopeless. Still they have to do for them what they can in order to fulfill local expectations at their homes. Now if this is kept in mind, I doubt not but that every republican, and I hope many democrats also, having our college interests in view, can cheerfully support R. J. Nichols, our republican nominee for the legislature.

I have taken some pains to follow Mr. Nichols public record in the legislature, and there is not one place where he is open to any attack or criticism. He has served one term in the legislature, faithfully, and we have much to thank him for. I do not believe that we will obtain the substantial benefits for this county and the college, and which are so much needed, by making any change in the representative. Elect him and our college interests will be faithfully taken care of, but if we reject him—no matter how honorable or trustworthy may be his opponent, we may lose a very substantial advantage in this matter, and one which the institution cannot well afford to lose now.

J. H. WILSON.

A Correction.

EDITOR GAZETTE:—Your issue of May 29, contains an article signed "Citizen," which takes Mr. Waters to task for not raising his voice against an extravagant demand for a book which was purchased for use in my office. "Citizen" is mistaken when he says the book was sold to the clerk. Mr. Waters was in no wise responsible for the purchase of this book, and no blame attaches to any officer of the county. The book was needed in my office, and I so informed the book agent and referred him to the county court. When a bill of \$30 was presented for it by the book firm, the court considered it exorbitant and allowed only \$20, which was finally accepted by this firm.

J. A. GELATLY.

May 31, 1900.

Bought a Gravel Bar.

At a special session of the city council last Tuesday evening, the proposition to have Corvallis and Benton county purchase jointly a gravel bar, was agreed to. The bar is known as the Sol King bar, and the purchase price is \$1,000. The county will pay half of this sum and the city will pay half, and each will share equally the cost of operating the ferry used in connection with the bar. The gravel will be used in improving streets and roads, and the city's financiers figure a saving over the old method.

Notice of Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon: In the matter of Emma Crawford, bankrupt, in bankruptcy: To the creditors of Emma Crawford, of Corvallis, in the county of Benton and district of Oregon, said a bankrupt, notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of April A. D. 1900, the said Emma Crawford was duly adjudicated a bankrupt, and that a meeting of her creditors will be held at Corvallis, Oregon, in my office, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1900, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, and transact such business as may properly come before said meeting, on the petition of Emma B. Thompson, trustee for an order to sell the property of the said estate at private sale in parcels.

JOHN BURNETT, Referee in Bankruptcy. Dated May 29, 1900.

In Memoriam.

Seasons of sorrow make all the world akin and open up the fountains of the human heart. As a friend of the family I desire to speak a word of consolation to the bereaved ones over the death of W. Lynn Hunter. Nothing I can say may give comfort for time alone can assuage the grief. But as I looked in the face of that manly boy at the Presbyterian church, under the kind and sympathetic words of Dr. Thompson had been spoken my heart swelled with sorrow, and I felt as I did when I looked in the face of my own boy in his coffin, and realized the force of the words of David, "Would to God I had died for this, my son." How many of us grieve deeply for loved ones laid away forever among the pale sleepers of the graveyard. The mounds scattered over that little enclosure speak eloquently of gems of love, withered hopes and blighted joy packed away forever.

As I looked upon him lying in his coffin it was hard to realize that he was dead, for yesterday "seng was upon the lips of the pale clay, and sunshine seemed to dwell where ere he moved; the welcome and the blessed now gone and bear the silent into rest." But death ever loves a shining mark, and he can in a moment desolate a happy home and near forever hearts that never knew a pang. This severing of earthly ties is the greatest treat we have in this life, and as link after link slips away from love's chain we are led to feel more and more that this is not our abiding place.

There are few who can look around and say, "my heart's treasures are all here." I can but think how man is but a speck in this mighty world. His life circles away like a bubble on the ocean. The busy stream of life flows on as though no wave of sorrow or misfortune had ever risen to its surface, and day by day the great, the gifted and the strong, fall one by one. And there is not an hour that flits away but bears the burden of a life, the mystery of a death. Now a tender bud is called into being, then the strong man is dust and the heart's altar a heap of blackened ashes. But we must not murmur; it is the common lot of all—the high, the low, the rich and the poor must all come to the same cold bed at last. We can say, "God gave—he took," but it is not always easy to say "Blessed be His name," for His way is mysterious, and when our loved ones go we are apt to ask why were we selected for this great affliction?

But we must remember that tribulations spring not out of the ground, but are directed by an infinite love that takes our treasures from earth and transposes them to heaven, that where our loved ones are there our hearts may be also. Death is always solemn, but when it comes to the gay and strong in the prime of life, it seems doubly so. Beautiful is that season of life when we can say in the language of the Scripture, "Thou hast the dew of thy youth," but of these flowers death gathered many. He places them upon his bosom, and he is transformed into something less terrific than before—we learn to gaze and shudder not, for he carries in his arms the sweetest blossoms of our earthly hopes. We shall see them again, blooming in a happier land. Yes, death brings us to our friends again. Death has taken thee, too, thou hast the dew of thy youth. He placed thee upon His bosom and His stern countenance wears a smile. The far country toward which we journey seems nearer to us, and the way less dark, for thou hast gone before, passing so quietly to thy rest that day itself dies not more calmly.

"Our brother is not dead, but asleep, and shall rise again." May the breeze blow gently, the green thereof rest softly o'er the bosom of the loved one, and the songsters warble their sweetest notes over the hallowed spot—his last earthly inheritance.

Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there is money on hand at the county treasurer's office to pay all orders endorsed and marked "not paid for want of funds" up to and including those of September 9th, 1899. Interest will be stopped on same from this date.

W. A. BUCHANAN, Treasurer of Benton Co., Or. Corvallis, June 2nd, 1900.

THERE'S PROFIT IN TRADING HERE.

LADIES who wish to avoid the bother of home work, or the details of dressmaking, will be interested in our new line of dress skirts. All the fashionable fabrics of the season are included in the line, and the skirts have the fit and "hang" of the best dress-maker. Take a look at them and you will agree with us.

Prices from 45c to \$6.50.

GROCERY selling in a department store no longer attracts attention because of its novelty, but for the reason that the best of food products costs less there than the exclusive grocery charges. This store is easily in the lead in this respect. Our grocery department is appreciated by well posted buyers because it offers an opportunity to supply the family needs in this line at closest prices. Country produce taken.

WHENEVER you find a properly organized and rightly conducted men's furnishing stock in a dry goods store there you will find a successful one. Men no longer shun dry goods store furnishings, for they know they can get correct styles at close prices. We invite the attention of our customers to an especially fine and complete line of neckwear just opened.

SHOE value consists in wear, style and comfort. If any of the three are lacking the footwear is not good value. Our shoes are strictly reliable in quality, therefore long wearing; they are stylish, as can be seen at a glance; they are comfortable, because fitted by an expert. All our customers will bear out these statements. We believe this is the best place for you to buy shoes, and solicit your patronage.

Every item offered below is proof of the above assertion.

The quotations are only a very meagre representation of the values which place this store unquestionably in the lead. This store is crowded with the most complete and comprehensive stock of dry goods we have ever shown. Every line was bought at close prices, and the goods will be passed along to our customers at the usual small margin of profit which has made this store so successful and popular.

The New Spring Parasols Are Here.

This store offers many attractions to economical buyers.

A store that relies solely on low prices to win and hold trade is playing "a losing game." To win such success as this store is winning it is necessary that the low prices should represent goods of strictly reliable quality. Every woman in this city who is posted on dry goods, and who takes the time to compare goods and prices will admit that our values are superior. We make and hold customers by treating them right. We lead; others follow.

If you want a stylish spring hat for \$3.00, just as good as the \$5.00 kind, come here. The only difference is in the absence of the name, and "what's in a name." If you are willing to pay two dollars for a name, buy the five dollar hat. If you want to pay only for the hat, come here. Agent for Kingbury hats.

OUR glove stock is the best patronized and most popular in this vicinity, because we make a constant effort to show a larger line, and offer better glove values than any other local dealer. It is not easy to do a satisfactory kid glove business. It requires long experience, careful buying, conscientious selling and a willingness to be content with a small profit. We recognize all these requirements and conform to them. That's why Corvallis women can get better gloves here for the price than elsewhere.

BEFORE your spring gown is fitted a new corset will be needed. That goes almost without saying, for everyone knows that an ill-fitting or worn-out corset spoils the fit of the dress. Our corset woman can help customers select the proper model—one that will improve the figure. Consult her and you will be better satisfied with your corset, and the fit of your dresses.

Prices from 50c to \$1.50.

RECENTLY advances have taken place in all lines of cotton goods. Before the advance we stocked up with cords of domestic—shirtings, sheetings, gingham, prints, and other cotton goods. We are now selling these goods at just about what other merchants have to pay for them at present prices. You will find this store a good place to supply your needs in this line.

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