POLK COUNTY ITEMIZER.

DALLAS, SATURDAY, SEPT. 2, 1882.

REMOVED.

THE ITEMIZER office has been removed to Mill street, one door east of the old office, up stairs.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Judge Isaac Smith is convalescent.

Sherman's circus at Independence on Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Collins is visiting friends at Walla Walla.

Remember the ball at Perrydale next Thursday evening.

The busy times in the harvest fields make the towns very dull.

Al. Snyder, of the Yamhill Reporter, passed last Sabbath in Dallas.

Watermelons have been selling rapidly this week, owing to the hot weather.

Gardens have yielded to the influence of the dry weather, and are no more.

Forty thousand good shakes for sale, cheap. Apply to J. M. Campbell, Dallas.

The County Clerk reports office business very dull, and is groaning for something to do.

McGrew & Waller's clearance sale has commenced. Extra bargains and no humbug.

Dr. I. T. Mason, the dentist, has gone to Eugene City and will be absent all of next week.

Any one with about eight cords of oak wood can find a purchaser by inquiring at this office.

Geo. A. Edes, Esq., and Rev. J. T. Chambers, of Salem, paid Dallas a visit on Thursday.

Mr. Ferguson, of Independence, was in town Thursday, and to him we are indebted for favors.

We notice Mr. James Tatom in town this week. He is hauling lumber for the La Creole bridge.

The days are smoky and the nights are hot. The weather is unprecedented in the memory of the oldest inhabitants.

J. G. DeBerry was the first person to make out McGrew & Waller's cost mark, and he received the gold pen and holder.

H. S. Smith, the Lewisville merchant, gives notice in another column that he wishes all indebted to him to settle by October 10th.

Mr. W. L. Boise resigns the business management of the Salem Statesman to resume the study of the law. Prof. W. S. Arnold takes his place.

R. M. Sites, of Illa, Garfield County, W. T., is visiting his parents here and will remain several weeks. He reports very warm weather in that section.

The proposed new fence around the Academy grounds is not yet begun. The sidewalk is in a bad condition, and the sooner work is begun the better.

Mr. Marion H. Parker, late of Philomath, will take charge of the District School here, the coming term. He has bought property from Mr. Geo. W. Crystal.

Miss Jennie Rowell has gone to McMinnville, where she will remain several months. Mrs. G. W. Crystal accompanied her and will make a short visit there.

The lumber is on the ground, and St. John & Stone, the builders, are at work on the bridge across the La Creole at this place. It will be completed in about ten days.

M. P. Riley, a resident of this place, who is in the employ of the narrow gauge railroad company, was severely hurt at Sheridan on Thursday by a car running against him.

Mr. James Townsend, attorney-at-law, makes a specialty of collections, and he does it successfully. Those having collections can do no better than entrust them to him.

Read the advertisement of Mesdames Hosler & Spangler, dress-makers, Independence. Our lady readers may be assured that their work will be well done if they patronize this firm.

On Saturday last, while Mr. Frank Collins and Mr. Blake were leading a cow, on the Feedee, the animal struggled and threw herself in such a way as to break her neck. The neck was not broken so badly as not to make pretty fair tenderloin steak.

Collins has a sidewalk. It is a good walk, too, and J. L. can congratulate himself on having the longest and nicest walk in town. We never said so, but we were satisfied, when he was fighting the ordinance, that he would eventually do something handsome.

The house of Mr. N. Garwood narrowly escaped destruction by fire on last Monday. No one was at home except a little girl, when the house caught from the flue. The child ran to Mr. Vance's, a neighbor, where help was secured, and the flames were extinguished with slight damage.

A cow and calf were driven last Monday by a weary footman from Independence. "Been buying a cow?" was answered by the driver 75 times. The question: "Did you drive her all the way from Independence?" was asked by 45 men, who must have supposed that she was carried part of the way.

Rev. James Matthews, who has been the pastor of the Methodist church here for the two years last past, left yesterday morning, with his family, for his new charge at Oregon City. Mr. Matthews and his excellent family, while here, won the respect of every one. We regret to lose them, and bespeak for them, in their new home, the hearty welcome they deserve.

We have heard the name of Mr. James S. Cooper mentioned in connection with the Superintendency of the Penitentiary. We do not know whether Mr. Cooper seeks the position, but are assured that Governor Moody cannot make a more suitable appointment, as Jim is a thorough business man, with energy and judgment to make an efficient and economical administration of the office.

Mr. W. C. Brown has received a fresh stock of goods, consisting of dress goods, boots, crockery and in fact everything. He has a new safe and is fixing up things generally. To use Tennysonian language "men may come and men may go," but W. C. stays with it, and from being one of the first merchants doing business here, is likely to be among the last, when the final clearance is made, and the last accounts are balanced. Our own imperial brew is encircled by a hat from Mr. Brown's store, and it becometh well.

Let off Easy.

Young Holman, who stole Mr. James Cooper's horse and Mr. Patterson's saddle and bridle, from near Independence, as mentioned before in these columns, took the property to Salem, where he was found. He confessed the theft, and led the way to where the horse was secreted. On payment of the expenses incurred in search of the stolen property, and a promise to do so no more, the boy was permitted to go free.

Auction Sale To-day.

To-day at one o'clock, there will be an auction sale in front of W. C. Brown's store, of household goods, consisting of bedsteads, stoves, kitchen safe and other articles. Sale commences promptly at one o'clock. Be on hand.

Died.

Zola. B., daughter of J. C. Leigh, of this place, died at that place, Tuesday, of last Sunday, and was buried at Brown's cemetery, near here, on Wednesday.

INDEPENDENCE ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

John Sobring wears the star during Marshal Williams' illness.

Miss Ellen J. Chamberlin, of Salem, spent last Sunday in town.

Miss Emma Stannus is lying very sick with typhoid fever at the Belt House.

Mr. Henry Kelso, who has been absent from town some months, has returned.

Wheat is still pouring into the Farmers' Warehouse and Mr. Connaway is kept busy.

James Cooper started for the Yaquina Bay last Friday and will be absent about ten days.

Marshal Williams has been "under the weather" for the last week, being confined to the house a portion of the time.

Mr. Donahue, who has been clerking in Russell's new drug store, has resigned his position and returned to Portland.

Summer is fully upon us, and it is decidedly tropical, and your correspondent languisheth, and items are scarce, and so is cash, but flies are luxuriantly abundant.

Of the four brick store buildings now in process of completion, two will be occupied as drug stores and one as a hardware store. The other, we believe, has not yet been rented.

John Denman has been appointed, by Hon. Robt. Clow, to the vacant scholarship at the State Agricultural College. John is a good boy, and will doubtless do credit to Polk County.

On Friday night, as per announcement, Master Walton Skipworth addressed a very large audience at the Methodist church, on the subject of temperance. He acquitted himself creditably.

There will be no services at the new Presbyterian Church next Sunday, as the pastor, Rev. Anthony Simpson, goes to Yaquina Bay to fill an appointment there. After next month services will be held every Sunday.

It is rumored that Miss Ida Parker, daughter of Rev. Chas. Parker, will soon start for Ann Arbor, Michigan, and upon her arrival there be united in marriage to a Dr. Ketchum. The doctor can ketch 'em a long ways off.

"Doc." Robinson, of this place, has pre-empted 139 acres of land about 5 miles north-west of Dallas. It is strange that so much land in the heart of Polk County should have remained so long unclaimed. "Doc" is in luck.

Chas. Pierce and family and John Graves started for the Yaquina Bay last Thursday, intending to be absent about three weeks. Mrs. Pierce's health has been failing for some months past and it is hoped that the trip will benefit her.

And that reminds me that the band has commenced practicing again, and if they make the progress this winter that they did last, Independence, without doubt, will have one of the best bands in the state. As it is, they can't be excelled in dance music.

Since Miss Jennie Allen's departure, our town has been without a millinery shop, but the first of the week two new ones were opened; one by Mesdames Spangler and Hosler and the other by Mrs. Winnull, both being in the old Riverside building.

Riley Cooper and Tom Graves spent last Friday and Saturday in whipping for trout in the neighborhood of the falls on the Little Luckiamute. They returned Saturday night and were closeted together all day Sunday fixing up the "fish story" to be told Monday morning. They are without doubt the most accomplished trout liars on the Pacific slope.

Our friend A. C. Sweet has joined the Independence Brass Band, and has been assigned the snare drum. Some wicked people may suggest that a wind instrument should have been assigned him—he being a lawyer—but then they should hear Gus. make the air "blossom with melody" some of these soft summer evenings, and they would never say such wicked things.

D. G. Waldron, of the San Francisco Wasp, was in town this week in the interest of that paper. He offers a "magnificent" clock to each person who subscribes for one year, and a "superb" watch to those who subscribe for two years. The Wasp is a good paper, and Mr. Waldron is a very pleasant and affable gentleman, but that watch and clock business is certainly the badge of a first-class fraud. He promises that a sketch of the town will appear in the Wasp.

Fire in Portland.

About a quarter past five Tuesday afternoon, says the Oregonian, fire broke out in the warehouse back of A. Y. Hamilton's grocery store, corner First and B streets. All surrounding building, being of wood and dry as tinder, flames quickly communicated to them and in an hour the half block between First and Second streets was in ashes. Though the fire companies were reasonably prompt, the fire could not be checked because of the exceeding fierceness of the blaze, and rotten hose. Loss, $25,000. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin. It is reported that a fight occurred about five o'clock in the barber shop, and one of the participants left through the back door and passed into the warehouse. Very soon after, the fire was discovered. The block was in the fire limits, and hence cannot be rebuilt of wood.

The Petch Case.

The body of Mrs. Petch was exhumed last Saturday and a new inquest held. An autopsy was made by Drs. Calbreath and Boyd, and the bullet which caused her death was found in the jaw bone. It was thought at the time of the first inquest that the shot had passed out of the murdered woman's mouth and that it was fired from a Henry rifle. It proves to be a revolver bullet, and 100 grains less in weight than the bullets belonging to the empty shells found under the bridge near the scene of the murder. Young Petch is now suspected of having fired the fatal shot. His motive is supposed to be to get control of the property. The jury are sitting with closed doors and are said to have made several important discoveries.

Harvesting oils, pitchforks, rivets, etc., at J. D. Lee's

BUENA VISTA ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Mrs. A. J. Richardson has returned from The Dalles, much improved in health.

The prosecution in the case of Simpson vs. Church failed to put in an appearance, and consequently a judgment for costs was rendered against him.

Since our last lot of items there have been three births in this place and vicinity. To the wife of P. S. Clark, a son; to the wife of James Pritchet, a daughter; to the wife of J. McClain, a son; and yet the place is not incorporated.

The present hot, dry weather suggests the idea that it would be a good time for farmers to set fire to the straw and stubble in their fields, especially if they have not hauled their grain off yet. It would all burn well.

On Monday evening the citizens of this place met, pursuant to call, and took preliminary steps toward incorporating the town. A committee was appointed to draw up articles of incorporation, to be submitted to the people before sending to the Legislature. A meeting is called for September 4th. Let every one attend.

Hop picking has commenced. Indians are arriving from the Siletz and Grand Ronde Reservations. The yield will be good, and the quality was never better. Our hop raisers have been offered forty cents per pound, but will not sell. They prefer to wait until they reach two pounds for a dollar. It's easier counted, you know.

How would it do to class the stories told about the number of bushels of wheat threshed per day by the different machines, with the fish stories the trout liars tell. Four thousand bushels in a day and a half, or 2100 bushels in a day, and move and set three times. Oh, yes; we can believe them, but it takes up considerable of our time to do so.

Our wheat fields have been yielding well this harvest. We hear of a number of fields that run from 30 to 50 bushels per acre. J. B. Stump had a field of 90 acres from which he threshed 3700 bushels. Perry Prather threshed 42 bushels per acre from 14 acres. G. A. Wells had a yield of 51 bushels per acre from 12 acres of new bottom land. All of the fall grain in this section yielded much better than was anticipated.

MONMOUTH ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Mrs. Bedwell has returned from her visit to California.

Wheat is being stored in our warehouse in large quantities.

Mr. John Steward, of Mohawk, was in town the first of the week.

Mr. Max Haley, with a large force of hands, is rapidly pushing forward the work of refitting the College chapel.

Miss Stelia Rowland returned on Monday from Lane County, where she has been spending the summer, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. Thomas Rash has gone to San Francisco to try his luck there. Thomas is a very industrious young man, and we are sure he will succeed in whatever business he enters.

A few of our young people, six in number, got a hack and team together and took a trip to the Luckiamute Falls, starting on Saturday morning and returning Saturday evening—not Sunday.

Mr. Heltman, whose wife moved to town about a month ago, arrived here the first of the week from California, coming through by land. Mr. Heltman is a farmer and intends making Oregon his future home. We are glad to have such men come into the midst of us.

Mrs. Hanley, of San Francisco, daughter of Mrs. Dawson, of this place, who has been spending the summer here, left on Monday morning. She will make a short visit at McMinnville and go to Portland in time to take the steamer Friday. Her mother accompanied her as far as Portland.

Supposed Murderers Arrested.

The Pomeroy Republican says: Deputy Sheriff Murch and Detective Simmons of Dayton, W. T., passed through Pomeroy on Sunday afternoon, having in charge C. O. Lundy of Pataha City, Charles Benbow, who resides near there, and a rough named St. Clair, who were arrested on a charge of being concerned in the murder of E. H. Cummings at New York Bar on Snake river, July 26th. Lundy is senior in the firm of Lundy & Ferguson at Pataha City. Benbow lives near by and loafs about town the most of his time. Blanchard, the supposed leader, is still at large, he having recently escaped from jail here where he was in custody for assault to kill. It is reported that St. Clair has confessed much guilt in the affair. Lundy is accused of planning the murder and harboring the perpetrators after the deed was accomplished. It is said he sent $500 to the agent a day or two before his murder. There is strong talk of lynching by very substantial men. Cummings was well liked and the people are anxious that his death shall be avenged.

Forest Fires.

An explanation of the smoky atmosphere here is found in the reports of the Portland papers that forest fires are raging in the vicinity of that city. These are causing a great destruction of property. Many houses, barns, fences, cattle and much hay are being destroyed for several miles around the city. Parties living on a place three miles below Albina were compelled to move away from home on account of the extreme heat. Tuesday afternoon a fire was started in a brush heap about six miles south of Portland, and at once spread rapidly, catching in some heavy timber. In its path was the house of Robert Stephenson, which the flames seized upon, destroying everything, his house, with all its contents, together with barns, outbuildings and crops. Even the fruit trees upon the place were burned. This fire is also overrunning the country.

Jap. R. Miller has just received an invoice of the famous Bohemian cigars. Call at his drug store and try them. A trial will satisfy all that they are the best ever brought to this market.

ZENA ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Our Vulcan is still kept pounding away.

Warm weather; 92° in the shade on Tuesday last.

We are informed that McCoy is to be ——— with another saloon.

I. P. Reese threshed 5,348 bushels of grain this year on his place.

Mr. Harris is running the sewing machine for the Purvine's thresher.

Rev. R. W. Hill preached an excellent sermon at the church on Sunday evening last.

We have had no marriages, births or deaths in this locality since our last. No runaways.

The ITEMIZER failed to connect again on Saturday last, and did not get here until Monday afternoon.

Our beef man has gone back on our citizens; he has stopped his meat wagon. Beef seems to be rather scarce now.

Hon. G. N. Townsend made us a pleasant call this week. His trip to the Sound seems to have agreed with him. Call again.

Remember that Rev. T. L. Jones will preach Mr. J. E. Witten's funeral sermon at the Spring Valley Church to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

Captain Connor has taken off his freight train between Lincoln and McCoy. The stage is the only excitement Lincoln now has, and will be until the boats can come up the Willamette. The Common Council should charter the Walla Walla to cut out the bars; nothing like competition.

Those who invested in the marriage insurance company remind us of those who played at the strap game—they got strapped. It is funny that no one can now be found who invested in the company, but we have some of their names, which we may give some time in the near future.

Our market report: Coffee, unsettled; fish, active and slippery; wheat, a grain better than barley; eggs, quiet, but will probably open up lively in a short time; beer, steadily going down; onions, strong and rising; breadstuffs, heavy; butter, strong; boots and shoes, those in the market are soled and are constantly going up and down; hats and caps, not as high as last spring, except foolscap, which is stationery; tobacco, very low, with a downward tendency; silver, close, but not close enough to get hold of; gold, in the banks, not sand banks.

DIXIE ITEMS.

Threshing will be nearly finished this week.

Mrs. J. A. Dempsey received a kick from a cow last Monday morning, which placed her in a precarious condition for a few days. Dr. Smith, of Dallas, was called in. She is doing well; no particular danger now apprehended.

Some persons in the shape of human beings, not having the fear of God, man, shotgun, dogs or croton oil, made several raids on Uncle Carey Embree's and Charley Work's water melons and citrons. It should be as much a disgrace to steal water melons as to steal money; it's a man's labor. A boy may reform when he gets older, but a man who will steal water melons would steal money, and should be punished for either in the same manner. The old man Embree is near seventy-seven years old and has been very feeble for more than two years; he only planted a few melons; as he is very fond of them, he cultivated them when scarcely able to stand on his feet. Mr. Work is a renter and has a family to support. It is a shame and disgrace to all concerned, unless they were idiots; in that case, I would pity them, poor things.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following deeds were recorded in Polk County during the month of August:

I. S. McCoy and wife to C. E. Worthington, lots 1 and 2 in town of McCoy; consideration, $40.

Elias Rowe and wife to William H. Osborn and George W. Bohier, part of lots 5 and 6, in block 3, in the town of Independence; consideration, $600.

L. M. Wallace and wife to Mary English, widow, parts of sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, in T. 6, S. R. 5, W. M., 499 acres; consideration, $10,000.

John E. Sloper to E. T. Henkle, lot 1 in block 2, and 6 feet strip on South of said lot, in town of Independence; consideration, $600.

E. T. Henkle and wife to A. Nelson, parts of lots 5 and 6, in block 2, in Independence; consideration, $300.

E. C. Hall and wife to Joseph Smith, town property in Buena Vista; consideration, $50.

Meblora R. Parker and husband to Joseph Smith, lot 1 in block 3, and lot 5 in block 2, in town of Parker; consideration, $50.

Sam. W. Nealy to Joseph Smith, Donation Land claim of Isaac N. Miller, in T. 9 and 10, S. R. 4, W., except 133 acres; consideration, $800.

I. Claggett and wife to Hester A. Rowe, town property in Independence; consideration, $200.

Elizabeth J. Stinit and husband to John M. Parry, parts of sections 29 and 20, in T. 8, S. R. 6, W., 211 acres; consideration, $1,600.

Sanford Henshaw and wife to Isaac Van Horn, part of McMeekin Donation Land claim, School and University Land, in T. 6, S. R. 7, W.; consideration, $4,300.

Hester A. Rowe and husband to S. Douty, town property in Independence; consideration, $200.

D. S. Nash and wife to James Church, lots 4, 6, 7, and 8, in Buena Vista; consideration, $400.

Henry Mering and wife to James Church, lots 6, 7 and 8, in block 2, in Buena Vista; consideration, $200.

G. W. Crystal and wife to Marion H. Parker, lot 7, in block 9, in Miller's Homestead Addition to the town of Dallas; consideration, $160.

Thomas M. Humphrey to Louisa Humphrey, his wife, lots 5 and 7, in block 9, in Monmouth; consideration, $774.

Alfred Simmons to Louisa J. Humphreys, lots 1 and 2, in block 9, in Monmouth; consideration, $95.

L. M. Hall, sheriff, to Charles Swegle, south half of Donation claim of John N. Chambers and wife. Not. 181, in T. 6, S. R. 3, W., 320 acres; consideration, $2,050.

J. S. and R. D. Cooper to L. M. Wallace, Donation Land claim, No. 7847, T. 6, S. R. 7, W., 322 acres; consideration, $4,200.

John P. Hart, bond for deed, to R. H. Garrett, Donation Land claim of Thomas Hart; consideration, $2,600.

Laughing Gas administered for the painless extraction of teeth by Dr. I. T. Mason, the Dallas dentist.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale by Jap. R. Miller.

THE LEGISLATURE.

Following is a list of members of the Legislative Assembly which will meet on the 11th of September. Democrats are marked with a star and Independents in *italic*, the rest are Republicans:

SENATE.

Baker—I. D. Haines*.
Benton—Thomas E. Cauthorn*.
Coos and Curry—J. M. Siglin*.
Clackamas—John Myers*, W. A. Starkweather.
Clatsop, Columbia and Tillamook—T. C. Reed.
Douglas—D. W. Stearns, G. W. Colvig.
Grant—Henry Hall.
Jackson—P. P. Prim*.
Josephine—Wm. Seifers.
Lane—T. G. Hendricks*, B. F. Dorris*.
Linn—Enoch Hoult*, W. R. Bilyeu*, N. B. Humphrey.
Marion—W. Waldo, T. W. Davenport, Jacob Voorhees.
Multnomah—Sol Hirsch, A. W. Waters, J. Simon.
Polk—J. D. Lee.
Polk and Benton—Robt. Clow*.
Umatilla—S. M. Pennington*.
Union—Durham Wright*.
Wasco and Lake—N. H. Gates*
Washington—R. H. Tyson.
Yamhill—W. J. McConnell, E. Jessup.

HOUSE.

Baker—L. B. Ison*, W. R. Curtis*.
Benton—Allen Parker*, W. P. Keady, T. Carter.
Clackamas—P. S. Noyer*, R. J. Sharp, —Moses, A. C. Wilbur.
Clatsop and Tillamook—Jasper Smith.
Coos—Wm. Morris.
Coos and Curry—Frank A. Stewart.
Columbia—George McBride.
Douglas—W. A. Perkins, M. P. Webb, John H. Hunt, H. G. Brown.
Grant—Perkins.
Jackson—A. C. Stanley*, Samuel Furry*.
Josephine—H. Thornton.
Lake—S. P. Moss*.
Lane—R. M. Veach*, John Long*, R. B Hayes, S. B. Eakin, Jr.
Linn—G. F. Crawford*, F. M. Kizer*, J. A. Robbinett*, Henry Cyrus*, J. J. Whitney*, J. N. Rice*.
Marion—Tilmon Ford, A. N. Gilbert, J. H. Baughman, M. L. Jones, W. T. Rigdon, J. G. Bleakney.
Multnomah—O. P. S. Plummer, J. C. Carson, P. A. Marquam, A. H. Tanner, P. Kelly, W. H. Harris, D. M. C. Gault.
Polk—F. A. Patterson, W. Truitt, John Hawley.
Umatilla—J. B. Sperry*, B. Stanton.
Union—C. M. Jennison, J. W. B. Hindman*.
Wasco—B. F. Nichols, A. S. Bennett*.
Washington—*Major Bruce*,—*Dunbar*, J. W. Sappington.
Yamhill—H. L. Marston, T. N. Faulconer, J. C. Nelson*.

The following Senators hold over for the Legislature of 1884:

I. D. Haines, Thos. E. Cauthorn, John Myers, F. D. Reed, Henry Hall, P. P. Prim, B. F. Dorris, Enoch Hoult, W. R. Bilyeu, W. Waldo, T. W. Davenport, Jacob Voorhees, Sol Hirsch, S. W. Pennington, E. Jessup—eight Democrats and seven Republicans.

A. S. Bennett of Wasco has resigned and a new election will take place on Monday next.

DISASTROUS MIS-QUETE.

A few days since three Chinamen who had been at work on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, desired to come to this city, says the Seattle Chronicle, to work on the street grades. Not having the necessary passports, they attempted to steal their way overland. Arriving at a point down the Sound where the citizens were decidedly of an anti-Chinese turn of mind, they camped in the woods. About 11 o'clock at night a party of six men, with the intention of giving the celestials a scare, repaired to the camp, and quietly creeping up to the Chinamen, who were soundly sleeping, at a given signal severed the queue from the head of each. With a horrible yell the three celestials sprang to their feet, and, realizing the terrible calamity that had befallen them, instantly started for a high rocky bank which at high tide extends out over the waters of the Sound. Arriving there, the three, after uttering a few words, unintelligible of course to their paralyzed audience, joined hands and sprang into the water. They apparently made no effort to save themselves, but quietly sank beneath the surface, and are at this moment, doubtless, affording nutriment to the finny tribes of the deep. Two of the parties participating in the fatal joke have left the country, but the other four will remain and abide the result.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

A Sure Cure Found at Last!

No One Need Suffer!

A sure Cure for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Ulcerated Piles has been discovered by Dr. William, (an Indian Remedy,) called Dr. William's Indian Ointment. A single box has cured the worst chronic cases of 25 or 30 years standing. No one need suffer five minutes after applying this wonderful soothing medicine. Lotions instruments and electuaries do more harm than good. William's Ointment absorbs the tumors, allays the intense itching, (particularly at night after getting warm in bed,) acts as a poultice, gives instant relief, and is prepared only for Piles, itching of the private parts, and for nothing else.

Read what the Hon. J. M. Coffinberry of Cleveland has to say about Dr. William's Indian Pile Ointment: I have used scores of Pile Cures, and it affords me pleasure to say that I have never found anything which gave such immediate and permanent relief as Dr. William's Indian Ointment.

For sale by all druggists, or mailed on receipt of price, $1.00.

Hodge, Davis & Co., wholesale agents, Portland, Oregon.

HENRY & CO., Prop'rs, Cleveland, O.

Given Away.

We can not but help noticing the liberal offer made to all invilids and sufferers by DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY for CONSUMPTION. We must consider this the fairest offer yet. You are not requested to buy, but are invited to call at Jasper R. Miller's Drug Store, and get a Trial Bottle of DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY free of cost. If you are suffering with Consumption, Severe Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Quinsy, Phthisie, Hay Fever, Pain in Side or Chest, Difficulty of Breathing, Night Sweats, Loss of Voice, Hoarseness, or any affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, you will be surprised to see how almost instantly this wonderful remedy will afford relief. A single Trial Bottle will convince you of its merits, and show you what a regular dollar size bottle do.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by Jasper R. Miller.

Catarrh cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal injector free. For sale by Jap. R. Miller, Dallas.

"Completely Overcome."

STOCKTON, CAL., March 29, 1881.

H. H. WARNER & CO.: Sirs—Ten years of kidney and liver complaint have been completely overcome by your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure.

WILLIAM J. CERSOR.

Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by Jap. R. Miller, Dallas.

For lame Back, Side or Chest use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents For sale by Jap. R. Miller, Dallas.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures Consumption. For sale by Jap. R. Miller, Dallas.

J. L. Hyde has the "Gold Standard" cigars, the finest to be had in town. John always keeps the best and smokers will consult their own interest by getting their supplies from him.

NEW THIS WEEK.

DRESS-MAKING!

Independence, Ogn.

MESDAMES HOSLER & SPANGLER

HAVE OPENED A SHOP ON FIRST STREET, down stairs in the old printing office, at Independence, where they are prepared to do all kinds of Dress-Making.

INDEPENDENCE, September 1, 1882.

NOTICE!

All persons indebted to the undersigned will call and settle their accounts in full by October 10th, 1882, as I must have money to buy goods.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL parties interested or concerned, that from and after this 23d day of August, 1882, I will neither become responsible or pay any debts or liabilities contracted by my wife, Sarah Ann Campbell, and all persons are hereby notified not to trust or give credit to her for me, or in my name or otherwise, or to have any dealings with her whatever concerning any of my property, either real or personal.

T. J. CAMPBELL.

DALLAS, Oregon, August 23, 1882.

Sheriff's Sale.

WHEREAS, WILLIAM SIMMONS and William Johnson, as plaintiffs, recovered judgment of and against G. W. DeBord, defendant, in the Circuit Court of Polk county, Oregon, on the 6th day of December, 1881, for the sum of $276 44, with interest thereon since said date at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum, together with $72 95 costs and accruing costs, and whereas, said judgment was declared to be a lien on the hereinafter described property from and after the 8th day of November, 1881, and whereas, execution has been duly issued on said judgment and to me directed as Sheriff of said County and State, I have levied upon and will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House in Dallas in said county and State, on Saturday, September 23, 1881, at one o'clock P. M. of said day, all the right, title and interest which the said G. W. DeBord had in or to the following described premises from and after the 8th day of November, 1881, to-wit: Lots No. seven (7) and eight (8) in block No. fourteen (14) in the town of Independence, in Polk county, Oregon.

H. HOLMAN,
Sheriff of Polk county, Oregon.

DALLAS, Oregon, August 24, 1882.

Notice of Proof.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon, August 17, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Tillamook County, at Tillamook, Oregon, on Saturday, September 30, 1882, viz: Isaac C. Quick, Preemption D. S. No. 3,678, for the S. E. fourth of S. E. fourth and N. E. fourth of S. E. fourth of Section 11, and W. half of N. W. fourth of Section 12, T. 4 S., R. 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: A. D. Farmer, George W. Wallace, G. W. Bodyfelt and J. L. Lederer, all of Nestoction, Tillamook county, Oregon.

L. T. BARIN, Register.

Notice of Proof.

U. S. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OREGON, August 23, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Tillamook county, at Tillamook, Oregon, on Monday, October 2, 1882, viz: A. J. Martin, Preemption D. S. No. 2,642, for the S. W. fourth of S. E. fourth and S. E. fourth of S. W. fourth of Section 21, and Lots 1 and 2 of Section 28, T. 4 S., R. 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: J. M. Kulfong, Elam Butts, J. Fuqua, of Nestucca, and Jacob Graham, of Lincoln, all of Tillamook county, Oregon.

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