THE POLK COUNTY ITEMIZER.

DALLAS, SATURDAY, SEPT. 23, 1882.

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

L. Bettman went to Portland on Thursday.

The weather is unusually warm for September.

See William Bowman's advertisement of Merino bucks for sale.

We are under obligations to Hon. Robert Clow for printed bills.

Mr. J. W. Halsey, of Lafayette, passed last Sabbath in the city.

Everybody goes to Mason for dental work and all go away happy.

Our correspondence from Monmouth arrived too late for publication in this issue.

Miss Maggie Butler and Miss Waterhouse were in town Sunday, visiting Mrs. Shelley.

L. M. Hall and Uncle Ed. DeLashmutt and families are camping on the fair grounds.

Harvest is nearly over in this county. There is some little wheat yet to be threshed.

Mr. Shelley has made a new foundation for the stove in his office, and has polished the stove.

In local matters, there is unusual quiet this week. Our exchanges are uncommonly dull.

Nat. Holman, who had his collar bone broken by his horse falling with him, last week, is around again.

W. S. Elkins this week sold Sam Coad's farm near Independence. Sam has the money and is jubilant.

T. J. Campbell will sell a lot of stock and farm implements at his farm on Salt Creek on next Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Shipworth, now of Prineville, paid a short visit to their daughter, Mrs. M. L. Pipes, this week.

John E. Miller has sold to Samuel Coad the 80 acres of land recently purchased by him from Mrs. Mattie Burford.

James Nesmith, son of the ex-Senator, of Polk County, has the largest and finest display of Jersey cattle at the Fair.

James Harris intends to discontinue farming, and advertises a lot of stock and farming implements for sale at public auction.

The sale of the personal effects of the estate of B. S. White, advertised to take place on the 23d, has been postponed until the 30th.

The attractions of the Fair at Salem the Mechanics' Fair at Portland, and the Legislature have taken quite a number of our people away from town.

Mr. A. F. Cherry, proprietor of the Albany foundry, died at Albany, on the 14th inst., and was buried at Lewisville in this county the following day.

Miss Jennie Rowell came up from McMinnville on Monday. She was the recipient of a very pleasant surprise party at her home in this city on Monday evening.

Jno. R. Miller has just received a large and complete line of shoulder braces, both for ladies and gentlemen. They are of the most approved patterns and his stock embraces all sizes.

While returning from Salem on Tuesday night Dr. J. N. Smith had the misfortune to upset his buggy, but fortunately escaped without injury to himself or the lady accompanying him.

The small engine that was burned at Airlie last winter has been repaired by Ed. Biddle, the company's machinist, and is now in use on the passenger train. It looks as bright as a new dollar.

The firm of Elkins & DeLashmutt, real estate agents, has been dissolved, Mr. DeLashmutt retiring. Mr. Elkins will continue the business, and we recommend him to all as an energetic and reliable land agent.

Mr. Henry Sheppard is canvassing the county for the sale of a number of valuable books. He is an old and respected citizen, and makes his living canvassing. Among his books are the Cyclopædia of Live Stock and Complete Stock Doctor, a work invaluable to farmers; Ireland To-Day; Pioneer Heroes and Daring Deeds, of special interest to the old settler; The World's Famous Women, a valuable collection of historical portraits of women; Royal Road to Wealth, a book every young man should read; Living Thoughts by Living Thinkers; How to Live; Eve's Daughters; Law Encyclopædia; Industrial History of the United States. Mr. Sheppard is worthy of patronage, which we heartly bespeak for him.

County Judge.

Judge Smith a few weeks ago resigned his office of County Judge, and it devolves upon the Governor to appoint his successor. Notwithstanding the resignation has been made for several weeks, the appointment has not yet been made. There has not been a term of the Court for two months, owing to Judge Smith's illness. Should the appointment be much longer deferred, the public interests will suffer. We hope the Governor will give the matter his immediate attention.

Purchased.

We are informed that Messrs. S. E. and A. J. Goodman have purchased the entire stock of drugs and medicines belonging to Mr. L. Robertson, of Independence. Messrs. Goodman are well known in Eugene City and Lane County, and are gentlemen of energy and integrity. Mr. S. E. Goodman is a first-class druggist, he having worked for Mr. Wilkins of this place for several years. We wish the gentlemen all the success imaginable. Eugene City Guard.

NOTICE TO TEACHERS.

The quarterly public examination of teachers will be held in the Academy at Dallas, on Friday, September 29th, and Saturday, September 30th

FRANK RIGLER,
School Supt.

The Vote Yesterday.

By a special dispatch to THE ITEMIZER from Salem, last evening, we learn that there were two ballots for Senator, with the same result. Mitchell, 36; Prim, 33; Helling, 17; Thayer, 3; George, 1.

AUCTION SALE.

I will sell at public outcry, at my place, five miles south of Dallas, on Saturday, the 7th of October, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following described personal property, to-wit: One mare and one colt, one cow and calf, three hogs, one sow, five dozen chickens, and some household furniture. Terms—Under $5, cash in hand; over $5, twelve months' time, without interest, with security.

JOHN NELSON.

DALLAS, Sept. 23, 1882.

Thanking my many customers for their liberal patronage during the past fifteen years, I respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, and assure them that I am now prepared to sell goods cheaper than ever.

ADOLF WOLF,
Independence.

INDEPENDENCE ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Wheat, 78 cents.

Sam Watkins has opened a beer shop in Old Town.

The survey of the proposed ditch is almost completed.

The City Dads are making extensive street improvements.

Our streets are still made lively by the passing of wheat wagons on route to the various warehouses.

The brick work on the new brick buildings is completed and they will be ready to be occupied in about ten days.

Zella, daughter of Leander and Eva Stannus, aged 7 years, died at the Belt House Friday, the 15th inst., of typhoid fever, and was laid to rest in Monmouth cemetery on Sunday, Rev. Anthony Simpson, of the Presbyterian church, conducting the funeral ceremony.

We were mistaken when we said, in our note of last week, that the high school opened on the 13th inst. We are informed that it will not be opened until after the State Fair. We fail to see just what the public schools of this county have to do with the State Fair, or the converse.

Miss Hattie Claggett met with a very distressing accident while visiting in the country last Friday. In alighting from the buggy in which she had been riding, she jumped into a ditch and sprained her ankle so badly that she will be unable to bear her weight upon it for some time.

Our townsman R. R. Parrish is to be commended for the pride and public spirit which he has exhibited in fixing up and improving the streets adjacent to his property. The improvments made were both important and expensive and have greatly added to the appearance of the town.

W. N. Smith, who has been renting G. W. Whiteaker's place near Monmouth, will sell all his personal property at public sale on the 19th inst., and move to town to reside in the future. He says a man can't pay rent and sell wheat at the present low prices and accumulate much wealth.

At a special meeting of the Board of Trustees on last Tuesday evening S. W. Smith, J. A. Wheeler, J. D. Irvine, W. C. Richardson and Geo. W. Belt were appointed a committee to draft a bill, enlarging and extending the town limits, to the Legislature now in session. Old Town will not be included.

At the last meeting of the Board of Trustees the Marshal was instructed to cause several new cross-walks to be built, to cause all cross-walks within the town limits to be graveled and to notify property owners that all grading and graveling heretofore ordered by ordinance must be completed by the 5th of October.

In obedience to an ordinance passed by the Board of Trustees a few weeks ago, most of our property holders are having the streets adjacent to their property covered with gravel hauled from the gravel bar on the river. Some, we presume, prefer to have the work done by the Marshal and to pay the extra cost and expense.

We regret to learn that Geo. W. Bobier has sold all of his property here and that he, with his family, will in a short time start for Ohio, where they will reside in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Bobier go to Ohio at the earnest and oft repeated request of the aged parents of the latter, who reside in that State and who desire to have their children with them during their declining years

Prof. Hartson, principal of the Old Town school, contemplates delivering a course of lectures at different points in the county during the coming Fall upon the subjects of Russia, Turkey, and Ireland. His lectures will be a historical treatment of the subject and a discussion also of the manners and customs of the people of those countries. The Professor has delivered his lecture upon Russia at several different places in this county and we hear it highly spoken of.

GAZELLE SCHOOL.

The writer had the pleasure of visiting this school, which is number 51, on the last day of the session, September 8th. Many of the parents and young people were present and manifested much interest in their school and were evidently much pleased with their young teacher, Mr. R. F. Robinson, who has just closed his first school.

The exercises consisted of reading, spelling, declaiming, singing, etc. A concert reading was a notable feature, and careful drill in this very important subject was manifest to all.

The picnic dinner was just such a dinner as our country cousins know how to get up. It was the work of the ladies, and was a fine preparation for the full enjoyment of the festivities that followed. But all things have an end. The schoolmaster called in his little flock. The committee awarded the prize, made to the pupil showing the most improvement in writing, to Mary Buoy.

The parting hymn was sung by Mr. Robinson and the Misses Ella Hallock, Anna Hallock and Mary Kimball.

Good-by's were said, and in company with our young friend, the teacher, we walked back the four miles to town, feeling well paid for our visit.

AMICUS ACADEMI.

Officers of the State Fair Association.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Association was held last Tuesday evening and the regular nomination for officers was made, with the following result: President, Capt. J. T. Apperson of Clackamas County; Vice Presidents, M. Wilkins of Lane and John F. Miller of Marion; Treasurer, A. Bush. These persons were the only nominees for the offices named, and were subsequently elected. Geo. A. Peebles was chosen Secretary. Mr. Wilkins, who has served the society acceptably in the capacity of president for a number of years, positively declined to fill the office again, and to this his retirement is due. The members by a unanimous vote called upon the Legislature now in session to support the bill now pending for the reimbursement of the society for certain losses sustained.

A Dynamite Explosion.

Last Sunday V. Kratz' son, a boy about fifteen years old, living at Dixie, got hold of a dynamite cartridge, which exploded in his hand, badly mutilating the thumb and fore-finger of his left hand. Dr. T. J. Lee, of Independence, was called and dressed the wound. Of course the lad did not know it was loaded.

Tuition Fees.

The cost of tuition in the La Creole Academy is $24 a year, in the academic department, or $6 a quarter in advance; and in the preparatory department, $20 a year, or $5 a quarter, in advance. This statement is made because many have the impression that the tuition is higher.

ZENA ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Miss Lizzie McLouch is teaching school at Forest Grove.

Capt. Connor makes occasional trips with his ox team.

Elder Stipp, of Scio, will preach at 4 P. M., to-morrow.

Jordan Purvine has gone to the Bishop Scott Grammar School, Portland.

We were reminded of Goldsmith's deserted village during the past week.

There has not been the amount of travel by this place as on former Fair weeks.

Mrs. Frank Cook, of McCoy, came over on a visit to Mrs. W. Harris and Mrs. Franklin.

Mr. John Phillips has treated his house to a new roof. The work was bossed by Mr. Claggett, of Independence.

Mr. Andrew Ennis, of the McCoy hotel, was upon our streets the other day. Andrew seems to be progressing finely.

The Daily Standard takes a pleasure trip via Salem, while it should come the way it is addressed, via McCoy. Somebody is at fault.

The first quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church, of this circuit, commences this afternoon, at 3 P. M., and preaching to-morrow, at 11 A. M., by the presiding elder.

Mr. J. B. Franklin and A. J. Glenn started for Nestucca on Tuesday last, to improve Mr. F's claim and make preparation to move his family out in a couple of weeks.

The most of our farmers staid at home and put in their summer-fallow, instead of going to the Fair. Sensible farmers. It will pay you best next fall by reaping a good crop.

Mr. Wyeth Harris, J. P., is practicing the acrobatic feat of tying a knot—converting a bachelor into a Benedict. Poor batchelors, eleven. Py and by only ten will be left.

We were glad to see that your correspondent at Perrydale has awakened from his slumbers, but sorry that he is not included in that class which seems to trouble him so much.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Clark have gone to the coast. The Captain wished us to bespeak for a half of a deer, bear, elk, coon, salmon, so on and so on. We may have a good market report on his return.

Rev. W. C. King, of Wisconsin, has been appointed lecturer by the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, and will shortly commence in this county. Give him a cordial welcome when he comes, as he is laboring in a good cause.

The Ballston Band gave us a call on Monday last; they treated our citizens to some fine music. The boys made a fine appearance, and no doubt the band was one of the best at the State Fair. Old Polk is ahead of any county in the State for music.

The people of our sister village, Lincoln, were much disappointed the other day, as they saw once more the welcome sight of the steamboat; but, alas! it proved to be the government snag boat. It passed on by, without giving them as much as a blast of its whistle.

Dr. Roberts will officiate at the dedication services of the Oak Grove Church, on Saturday, September 30th, at the hour of 3 P. M., and the dedication sermon will be preached by the Rev. H. K Hines, of Portland, at 11 A. M., October 1st. Rev. Roberts will preach at 3 P. M. the same day.

Mr. Henry Sterling, of Eola, was here in the fore part of the week, looking for a couple of fine brood mares, that he supposes were taken out of his pasture on Sunday night. One of them is a sorrel, and the other a brown, with two white spots on the forehead, and a ring mark, caused by a saddle. There are other complaints of losing horses. If horse thieves are around they had better look out, as the people's patience has about given out and Judge Lynch will be called on.

Coming.

Attention is called to the fact that Mr. W. H. Grant, of the well known firm of I. G. Davidson, the leading artist of Oregon, will be in Dallas and vicinity in about one week and will take orders for enlarging from photograph to India Ink and Water Colors. When contrasted with the photographs this work is said to be simply beautiful. The artist catches a true likeness and it is changed from a dull, unmeaning photograph to a life-like appearance. People having friends or relatives whom they wish to retain their likenesses, will do well to patronize Mr. Davidson's agent, Mr. W. G. Grant, instead of trusting their work to irresponsible foreign agents, and in doing so keep your money in circulation at home. Mr. Grant intends making a thorough canvass of Polk County and the entire State. Do not let him pass without examining his specimens of work.

Medicine Given Away.

The fairest proposition yet brought to our notice, is now made by the proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, that great remedy which is producing such a stir all over the land by its many marvelous cures; positively curing Asthma, Hay Fever, Bronchitis, Dry Hacking Coughs, Severe Colds, Croup, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Difficulty of Breathing, Phthisic, Quinsy, or any chronic or lingering disease of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. They do not ask you to buy, but request you to call on Jasper R. Miller, Druggist, and get a Trial Bottle free of cost, which will convince you what a regular dollar size bottle will do. As you value your existence you cannot afford to let this chance pass.

An Important Notice.

I have sold my drug store in Independence, and desire to settle up my business at as early a date as possible. Those indebted to me will therefore much oblige me by paying their accounts with as little delay as they can. I hereby extend my hearty thanks for the liberal patronage I have received, and bespeak for my successor's, Messrs. Goodman, the same good will I have myself received.

L. W. ROBERTSON.

INDEPENDENCE, Sept. 5, 1882.

TO MY PATRONS.

Having business calling me East, I expect to start about October 10th. I shall regard it as a favor if those indebted to me will call at their earliest convenience and settle. While East, I shall avail myself of the opportunity to attend a first class medical college, and return about March 15th to resume the practice of medicine.

W. CAPPS.

DALLAS, Sept. 22, 1882.

FURNITURE CHEAP.

Until the 1st of October, I will sell my stock of furniture almost at cost. Those wishing to purchase furniture can make it pay to call on me now. I wish also to give notice to those indebted to me to pay their bills by the first day of October next.

J. M. CAMPBELL.

DALLAS, Sept. 16, 1882.

A Wise Plan.

Everyone wishing to try the new remedy for biliousness and constipation—Syrup of Figs—can obtain a trial bottle free of charge at Jasper R. Miller's Drug Store, Dallas. Knowing Syrup of Figs to be better in its effect and more pleasant to the taste than any other remedy, the California Fig Syrup Company has adopted a wise plan to make its merits known to the people.

OREGON LEGISLATURE.

The Senatorial question has been so absorbing, that, beyond the introduction of a number of bills, legislative work has been slow. At the Republican caucus, held on Monday night, only 36 out of the whole number of 54 Republicans attended. Mitchell received the nomination on the first ballot, only two votes being cast for other candidates, to-wit, one for Failing and one for Dolph. The eighteen who refused to go into caucus are Waldo, Davenport, Voorhees, Gilbert, Bleakney, Ford, Jones, Rigdon, and Baughman, of Marion; Keady and Carter, of Benton; Lee, Truitt, Patterson and Hawley, of Polk; Sharp, of Clackamas; Nichols, of Wasco, and Jessup, of Yamhill. Mitchell, therefore lacks ten votes to elect him.

The Democratic caucus, held on Monday night nominated Judge Prim, the vote on second ballot being Prim, 25; Bonham, 8; Fenton, 2. A resolution binding members to stand by the nominee to the last was voted down.

The standing committees of the Senate and House are as follows:

SENATE.

Judiciary—Waldo, Simon, Humphrey, Prim, Haines.
Ways and Means—Hirsch, Hall, Davenport, Dorris, Clow.
Elections—Tyson, Pennington, Clow.
Claims—Jessup, Dorris, Hoult.
Corporations—Waters, Tyson, Haines.
Counties—Hall, Hendricks, Stearns.
Military Affairs—Waters, Wright, Siglin.
Commerce—Simon, Reed, Siglin.
Education—Jessup, Colvig, Cauthorn.
Engrossed Bills—Starkweather, Waldo, Bilyeu.
Enrolled Bills—Lee, Myers, Humphrey.
Roads and Highways—Davenport, Myers, Wright.
Public Lands—Gates, Sifers, Stearns.
Federal Relations—Hirsch, Reed, Hoult.
Mining—Humphrey, Sifers, Prim.
Railroads—Colvig, Voorhees, Bilyeu.
Printing—Tyson, Waters, Cauthorn.
Public Buildings—Voorhees, Jessup, Pennington.
Assessments—Lee, Starkweather, Hendricks.

HOUSE.

Elections—Truitt, Marquam, Jones, Bruce, Whitney.
Ways and Means—Gilbert, Stewart, Veatch.
Education—Eakin, Gault, Jamison.
Judiciary—Farmer, Ford, Truitt, Ison, Whitney.
Claims—Nichols, Bleakney, Ford.
Military Affairs—Marston, Baughman, Sperry.
Roads and Highways—Wilbur, Falconer, Hayes.
Engrossed Bills—Stewart, Hawley, Noyer.
Enrolled Bills—Dufur, Rigdon, Curtis.
Indian Affairs—Perkins of Grant, Thornton, Robnett.
Printing—Keady, Perkins of Douglas, Cyrus.
Corporations—Flummer, Truitt, Stanley.
Commerce—Webb, Morras, Harris, Parker, Nelson.
Counties—Sharp, Jones, Kizer.
Federal Relations—Kelly, Mosea, Hindman.
Mining—Brown, Stanton, Furry.
Public Lands—Patterson, Hunt, Dunbar.
Internal Improvements—Sappington, Carter, Moss.
Public Buildings—Ford, Carson, Rice.

Hon. L. T. Barin, Register of the Land Office at Oregon City, in speaking of the rights of women to file on land, says: A single woman must be twenty-one years of age to file on land. A widow under twenty-one years of age can file on land. A married woman who is the head of a family by reason of desertion by her husband, or whose husband is a confirmed drunkard, can file on land.

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 warmpa 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.

After All Else Had Failed.

SANTA CLARA, Cal., May 3, 1881.—H. H. WARNER & Co.: Sirs—I suffered from Catarrh of the Bladder for three years. I employed the best medical aid to be obtained, but found no permanent relief. I tried your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure, and can now say I am well.

J. L. KNAPP.

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.

Adolph Wolf, of Independence, makes a specialty of the San Francisco make of boots and shoes.

All persons indebted to Riess Bros. & Whiteaker are requested to make cash settlement on or before October 1st.

The next steamer from San Francisco will bring Adolph Wolf one of the largest and most elegant stocks of children's misses' and ladies' cloaks, of the latest styles, ever brought to Independence.

Having enlarged my store and added to my already large stock of goods, I am now prepared to furnish my customers with anything they may call for.

ADOLPH WOLF, Independence.

Sleepless nights made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. 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.

Will you suffer with Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale by Jap. R. Miller, Dallas.

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.

SALEM ITEMS.

[FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.]

Salem will have a new national bank in operation in a few weeks.

Water in the Willamette is very low, and but few boats running. There is one steamboat in course of construction at the Salem yards, and will be ready to launch in about four weeks.

The first week of the session passed away without anything being done beyond an organization of both houses, which was accomplished the first day without any dissension worthy of notice.

The Polk County delegation is made up of gentlemen who attract attention among the crowd, as men who quietly attend to business, and know how to look after the interests of their constituents. They will make a favorable mark.

There is present about the usual lobby, but it is noticeable that the members and lobby are systematically starving the saloon-keepers, as there is not a tithe of the usual quantity of liquor drank—everybody sober and apparently on business.

So prosperous is the capital city that there is not a vacant residence or business house to be had at any price. This state of things has given a new impetus to building enterprise, and before winter sets in there will be scores of houses built and occupied.

The celebrated Clow bill has been introduced again, and, in some form, will probably pass during the session. It provides for a pro rata interchange of freight by common carriers, and is such a law as has been passed and is being enforced in several of the States.

The work of improving our city water works is going rapidly forward. The plan is to force the water directly into the mains on the plan of the Holly works, as throughout the East, and to tear down the two dilapidated and unsightly reservoirs now in use by the company.

The country adjacent to Salem never raised so much wheat before in any year. The yield was immense, the weather was most favorable for harvesting and hauling to granaries, and the result is, farmers are mostly out of debt, have plenty of money, and money lenders are seeking loans at nine per cent.

An old company, to whom a charter was granted some years ago, is reviving the question of building a bridge across the Willamette river at this place. Some capitalists are considering the matter of taking hold of it. The proposed structure, if built at all, will be of iron and on a new plan, lately patented.

The State Fair is grinding along somewhat in the old fashion, but with the present fine weather and the extra crowd attracted by the session, it is proving the greatest State Fair Oregon ever had. It is hoped the success this year will place the society out of debt, and enable it to make many needed improvements on the grounds.

This, the second week, is being taken up on general figuring on the matter of United States Senator. A few hours are spent each day introducing bills, but they are bills prepared before the meeting and are receiving but little attention after their presentation. There will be a rush of business, already on hand, when the solons get around to it.

Sister Dr. Watt has abandoned his land office duties to look after the more important matter of getting a prohibitory amendment to the constitution submitted to the people. Sister Duniway is getting ready to saddle the measure with her female suffrage bill. It is not improbable that both measures will be quietly taken up, without the assistance of these distasteful lobbyists, and presented to the people for their rejection or approval.

An important bill, evidently prepared with great care, has been introduced, which in effect declares mortgages to be real estate, and makes them taxable in the counties in which the mortgaged property is located. This bill will receive determined opposition, but it is likely to pass in some form, as the question was put in issue in several counties prior to the election. There is room for our wise heads to show themselves while discussing this intricate legislative problem.

The City of Salem Mills Company is pushing forward the work on their new mills as fast as men and money can do it. The new warehouse, with a capacity of holding 200,000 bushels of wheat, is almost finished, and already grain is being stowed in it. The entire building is to be encased with heavy corrugated iron, and made as nearly as possible fire-proof. Brick work on the new mill is progressing rapidly, and it is said the entire building will be enclosed and the machinery all set by the first of January next. The woolen mill building will hardly be put up this fall for want of brick. The plans have been changed and the scheme enlarged to an eighteen set mill. This requires a very large building, and the season is too far advanced to dry the brick. The stone work will be put in yet this fall and everything put in readiness, as far as possible, to push the work to completion early next season. This company is an important accession to the business of Salem.

A THOUSAND TIMES BETTER.

The State Legislature of Oregon has no authority to spend precious time and State funds in party wrangle which must delay and impede needed legislation, embitter feelings, and call off the attention of the people's representatives from the needed careful supervision of grave subjects to little petty personalities. We ask loyalty to the State first, and loyalty to party afterward. Personally we prefer to see a Republican United States Senator, but it is not worth the cost, if weeks and months are to be spent in a dead-lock to be broken at last by some kind of a compromise in which neither party carries its point and the whole State loses a good Senator. A thousand times better that a good Democrat be sent than a worthless Republican or independent.—The Polaris.

Once on a time a notion was started that if all the people would shout at once, it would be heard in the moon. So the projectors agreed it should be done in just ten years. Some thousand shiploads of chronometers were distributed to the selectmen, and other great folks, of all the different nations. For a year beforehand nothing else was talked about but the awful noise that was to be made on the great occasion. When the time came, everybody had their ears so wide open to hear the universal ejaculation of "Boo"—the word agreed upon—that nobody spoke except a deaf man in the Fejee Islands, and a woman in Pekin, so that the world was never so still since the creation.—Holmes.

The Evening Telegraph, published at Los Angeles, on Tuesday announced that it would be immediatly moved to this city. The Telegraph takes the Associated Press dispatches, and is a first-class paper in every respect. The reasons of the managers for coming here, is the better field offered for their paper.—Standard.

BE THERE HIM.

A gentleman of this city who for years has been more or less under the influence of liquor, and whose red nose and bloated figure stamped him as an inebriate, had gone home to his wife and children in his usual condition. He was not unkind in act or word. It was his delight to play at games with his little ones, as he was able, and to entertain them with wonderful stories.

On this occasion the family were all together in the sitting room, and the usual games having been played, little Freddy, a lad of about six years of age, had climbed upon his father's knee, and was asking him all sorts of boyish questions. He talked as a child, of what he would be when he was a big man; asked if he would be like papa, and, finally, after a long and serious look into his father's face, with every shade of childish curiosity in his voice and glance, put to him this bewildering query:

"Papa, when I grow up to be a man, will my nose be red like yours, and my face all swelled?"

Ah! Why should his arms so quickly draw that boy to his breast? And why should his tears flow and his voice tremble as he replied in words and tones that made the mother's heart glad:

"No, Freddy, please God, you won't be like me when you get to be a man, and neither will your father, my son, be so any longer, for from this hour he will lead a sober life."

"Be like him!" He had not thought of that before, and the bare possibility staggered him. All the love in his father's heart cried out against such a fate. The boy, his pride, going about with a bloated face and poisoned breath! No, no, he was not prepared for that. Never before had he so clearly reflected on the boys—the boy growing to manhood and honor, affection and reason came to the rescue. The child had preached a sermon no orator could deliver, and innocence and ignorance had accomplished what learning and logic had aimed at in vain. These words went home.—Cedar Rapids Republican.

"Does it, after all, pay to be honest?" a disappointed young man writes. No, my son, not if you're honest for pay, it doesn't. Not if you are honest merely because you think it will pay; not if you're honest because you hate to be a rogue; indeed, my dear boy, it does not pay to be honest that way. If you can't be honest because you hate a lie and scorn a mean action, if you can't be honest from principle, be a rascal; that is what you are intended for, and you'll probably succeed at it. But you can't make anybody believe in honesty that is bought and sold like merchandise.

The latest device for swindling is under cover of an advertisment, "To those just married or contemplating marriage," promising to send for one dollar, to any address, "carefully sealed and secure from observation a work which no newly married couple should be without," etc. Hundreds of letters came, each containing the dollar. To each address was sent a cheap Testament, costing, with postage, about ten cents. And it would be hard to say wherein it "did not fill the bill."

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

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SIX MERINO BUCKS FOR SALE, CHEAP. APply at once to WM. BOWMAN, Salt Creek.

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HAVING CONCLUDED TO DISCONTINUE FARMing, I will offer for sale at Public Auction, on

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At my farm, one and one-half miles east of Dallas,

HORSES, STOCK & BEEF CATTLE,

Sheep, Hogs, Poultry,

Wagon, Hack, Plows, Harrows, Mower, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms—All sums under $10, cash in hand; over $10, one year's time, with interest at ten per cent. with approved security.

JAMES HARRIS.

DALLAS, September 22, 1882.

Notice of Proof.

LAND OFFICE, OREGON CITY, OREGON, September 15, 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 Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, October 30, 1882, viz: Louis Bodley, Homestead Entry No. 3690, for Lot 25 of Section 6, and Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11 and 12 of Section 7, T. 5 S., R. 10 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: C. B. Sutton, of Sheridan, Yamhill County; S. Hardman, of Elkhorn, and G. C. Litchfield, of Grand Ronde, Polk County, and S. H. Rock, of Cloverdale, Tillamook County, all of Oregon.

L. T. BARIN, Register.

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HOUSE FOR SALE!

My house in Independence is for sale. No reasonable offer will be refused. M. L. PIPES.

DALLAS, September 9, 1882.

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BETTMAN & ROSENBLATT.

DALLAS, Oregon, September 8, 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.

Thanking the people for their liberal patronage in the past, and hoping to share a portion in the future, I am very truly,

H. S. SMITH.

LEWISVILLE, September 1, 1882.

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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 G. Quick, Preemption D. S. No. 3,678, for the S. E. fourth of N. E. fourth and N. E. fourth of S. E. fourth of Section 11, and W. half of S. 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. Redfield and J. L. Ledever, all of Nestucca, Tillamook county, Oregon.

Also, A. D. Farmer, Preemption D. S. No. 3,867, for the E. half of N. E. fourth and E. half of S. E. fourth of Section 1, T. 4 S., R. 10 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Geo. W. Wallace, G. W. Redfield, J. L. Ledever, and Isaac G. Quick, all of Nestucca, Tillamook county, Oregon.

L. T. BARIN, Register.

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