

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

WHAT WE HAVE LEARNED DURING THE WEEK FROM ALL AVAL.

Able Sources Dished up for Our Numerous Family of Readers in Abbreviated Paragraphs.

Job printing.
For groceries go to Osfield's.
M. Hayter, dentist, Wilson building.
A new and up to date stock of shot guns at Guy Bros.

A Mr. Clough is to be principal of the Ballston school.

Best 25 cent coffee in town at Howes also coffee at from 12 1/2 to 40 cents.

W. C. Brown has had new sills and floor put in the Gaynor shoe store.

Go to the Loughery & Ellis grocery store for the finest teas and coffees.

Saxon Humphrey, who was raised in this county was married last week at Vale.

Armand Riggs has established a hop office east of Chapman's furniture store on Mill street.

Mrs. A. P. Kirkland and daughter, are down from Enterprise and Mrs. H. M. Lines is up from Portland.

Mill Grant and wife and Mrs. Dr. Farley have returned from the fair where they saw a multitude of interesting things.

Dr. H. L. Toney, dentist, graduate of Ann Arbor, Mich. Office upstairs in the Uplow building. Examinations free. Phone 45.

See the four complete lines of crockery in white and gold. The newest thing on the market and for sale by Loughery & Ellis.

J. A. Covert has on the Boise place at Ellendale a fine crop of free stone Crawford peaches for which he finds a ready sale in Dallas.

When you need new hop-nips see Vaughn and Weaver about it. They have tools for making the very best grade and at lowest figures.

Now is the time to buy your hop baskets and the best one on the market is the strong oak split kind, which are on sale at Crider's store.

Lots and lots of folks around here went to Barnum & Baileys show in Salem and all agree that it is the greatest and best they ever saw.

Mrs. Parker, of California, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. A. Alexander, at Independence and Miss. T. Hill of Monmouth, is at Victoria.

Why not buy your ammunition where you can get it freshly loaded as we have no old stock. We also have a new stock of guns.—Guy Bros.

If you will need hops tickets it is time you were having them printed and we are prepared to do such work. It never pays to put off such things.

Mayor Charlie Johns, Dr. Steiner and our own Kirkpatrick have been fishing down at Alsea while their wives got along the best they could at Newport.

Anyone having good, clean taled oat hay for sale will please report the fact to this office. It would pay to advertise about whatever you wish to buy or sell.

A cord of good wood will pay for this paper and the weekly Oregonian or semi-weekly Portland Journal for a year. If any of your neighbors are not taking these papers tell them about it.

Changes of residence would be a matter of interest to many of our readers. Therefore we will be glad of such information and when your friends come from a distance please tell us about it.

Every man owes it to himself and his family to master a trade or profession. Read the Display Advertisements of the six Morse Schools of Telegraphy, in this issue and learn how easily a young man or lady may learn Telegraphy and be assured position.

A Burkhalter who has been on the Samuels place on Mt. Pisgah will move to Dr. Hayter's farm near Polk Station. We saw the present occupant of the Samuels place, P. W. Hitt, and state with four horses hitched abreast to his wagon. Being asked the reason for it, he said he had found by experience that four horses hitched that way could haul as much as six strong out.

Thanks to the dozen persons who this week stopped us on the street to give news items. Such things are always gratefully remembered. When ever you meet any of our correspondents all over the county, please give them what may be of interest to the reading public. If you have never been a volunteer news reporter try it. It will not be annoying to you but will be highly appreciated by us.

Hop picking will begin nearly everywhere about the first of September and thousands of persons all up and down the valley are getting ready for that occasion. Many consider their two or three weeks in the hop fields as their annual outing during which they make between \$1 and \$2 a day, gain health and have pleasure. Picking this year will be by the pound and cleaner work will be required than has prevailed. Better sulphur will be used in drying and neater baling will be done.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas county, Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of J. F. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of \$100 for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Halls catarrh cure.—Frank J. Cheney. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.—A. W. Glenn, notary public. Halls Catarrh cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists. 75 cents. Take Halls family pills for constipation.

NEW FRUIT JARS.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE LATEST PATTERNS IN USE FOR DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

Economy Jars Are Said to Embrace a Large Number of New Ideas—Sanitary, Hermetic and in Every Way Up-to-date.

One of the latest developments in the fruit canning business is found in the use of up-to-date patent sealing jars and of all those now on the market not one is so popular with the housewife as the jar known as the Economy jar. It is a self-sealing glass bottle with a wide top requiring the use of no rubber ring and is said to be so economical, so easily and quickly sealed and opened as to make it really the cheapest jar in the world. It is hermetically air-tight and is said to be the only jar of the kind made in the world. It is also said to be perfectly sanitary, as all parts of the jar and cover are impervious to the acids of the fruits, vegetables, meat, and fish, or any other product. There is also said to be no possibility of poison from zinc or any other compound, and the danger which it is claimed is always present when using jars and covers largely composed of zinc.

These jars have the endorsement, it is said, of most of the agricultural colleges of the states, of pure food commissioners and especially of Mrs. Sarah Tyson Horer, the writer on food preparation.

The lacquer used on the Economy cover is absolutely impervious to the action of fruit or vegetable acids and is fully as hygienic as the glass itself; therefore no papers or other liners are necessary, thus making the Economy jar the cleanest, safest and only sanitary and perfect fruit jar made. The covers are interchangeable and fit the pint, quart and half-gallon jars and the Economy jelly glasses with equal perfection. A cover and clamp is furnished with every jar and jelly glass complete.

The Economy jar is the only one of its kind in which every kind of food product can be cooked and sterilized being contained in the jar, an article is preserved in its original shape and retains its natural flavor indefinitely.

The use of the jar is fully set forth in the following recipe:

Prepare and thoroughly cook the fruit exactly the same as for any other jar. See that jar and cover are perfectly clean, heating the jar evenly before putting in the hot fruit, to prevent cracking. Dip cover in boiling hot water for a few seconds, so as to sterilize it just before sealing and place it on the jar while wet.

Fill each jar separately with the fruit boiling hot. Wipe off any fruit or syrup that may adhere to the mouth of the jar and quickly place on the cover, immediately securing it in place with the spring clamp across the center.

To hold the cover firmly in place while the fruit is cooling, or if you have plenty of jars, secure the cover with two clamps crossed at right angles to each other.

After the jars are thoroughly cooled in about twenty-four hours, remove the clamps, when the cover will be found to be firmly fastened on. Always test the cover in this way to see that it is tight. If through any cause the cover should prove to be loose, boil the fruit once more and then seal again and test the same way a second time.

By testing the cover in this manner, not an ounce of fruit need ever be lost through spoiling. After this test the same clamps may then be used for sealing other jars.

For canning vegetables, meats, fish, game, etc., follow the same directions as for preserving fruit, except that they require more thorough boiling a greater length of time.

A valuable booklet of recipes with full directions and latest methods of preserving all kinds of fruits, vegetables, meats, fish, jellies and preserves, in Economy jars, will be sent free to any address upon receipt of a stamp for postage.

To open: puncture a hole, to admit the air, in the center or to one side of the cover, with any sharp pointed instrument, a long nail, ice pick, or can opener, then pry down and the cover will come off instantly.

Never use same cover twice. New Economy covers can be procured at a very small cost from your dealer, or will be sent to you direct upon application to Kerr Glass Manufacturing Company, Portland, Oregon.

If you are going to have a public auction this fall, come here for your sale bills.

Rev. G. F. Round, of Falls City says that he will neither quit preaching rattle in Dallas as reported.

A man who is tricky in politics would be so in office and will bear watching in the business world.

Putnam Fadeslee Dees are the fastest, brightest and easiest to use. Sold by druggists, 10 cents per package.

Marion, Polk and Yamhill are the three greatest hop producing counties in the state; their combined output last year having been 65,000 bushels.

John E. Smith, who was raised north of Bethel and has been teaching in the Roseburg school is to become teacher of sciences in the Salem High school.

Everybody's Magazine for September is a superb number. It deals with the most important and interesting things of today and its personal world make you wiser.

McClure's Magazine for September is fully up to the high grade of previous issues. There is nothing stale or commonplace in it. Every article is of special interest. Beyond read it.

Thirty Portland bound passengers came from Independence and Monmouth on the motor Wednesday morning and among those going from here were, W. V. Fuller and his daughter, Mrs. Hayter, Fred and Mina Hughes, T. B. Rowell, Miss Berth Ellis and Mrs. Dr. Hunter.

Henry Black, who has owned and lived on the 128 acre Olmsted place on Red Prairie for four years, has sold it to Clinton Hill of Nebraska and will give possession the first of October. He says their thrashing is over, the grain having gone from 12 to 16 bushels to the acre.

Our jail is empty now.

Best coffee in town at Howes.

Hard wheat flour at Howes and none better.

Miss Stella Dodson is to again teach at Pioneer.

John Robbins and family are taking an outing at the coast.

D. L. Keatland family spent three days of last week at the fair.

Hood Craven, of Monmouth, has been viewing Portland sights.

Mrs. Bonnie Smith of Lewisville has been visiting Mrs. W. I. Reynolds.

Miss Maggie Hodge, of Independence, visited Miss Lucile Dalton Sunday.

Uncle Joe Savary who lives in the South Methodist parsonage has been quite sick.

Frank Fawc and Arch Lewis, of Oak Grove have had business at the county seat.

Mr. and Mrs. Vassall and Mrs. Murphy have been visiting the Drumhellers at Sheridan.

E. A. Finesth and wife, also Mr. and Mrs. A. Malmsten have been among the fair throngs.

Aura Ford, Tom Stockwell and wife have been admiring exposition attractions down the road.

Grandma Richter, her son John and Miss Bertha Ernest, from the east, are spending a week at the fair.

J. W. Truax and Miss Margaret Murray, of Falls City, have been pronounced husband and wife.

Will some of those who have advertised under our New Today heading please tell us their experience.

Will Wagner has been to the fair and his cousin Anna and Emma have gone back to their Kansas home.

R. E. Williams is back from his annual summer outing and getting ready to gather his large acreage of hops.

Ralph Casey, of Seattle, and his sister, Mrs. Maud Mahlig, of Portland, have been visiting their childhood friends.

J. E. Smith, the iron worker, is employed in Portland, where his daughter, Emma has been visiting her uncle J. D. Lee.

Special bargains in lumber to clean up the yard. Five dollars a thousand and all kinds on hand. Bryan, Lucas Lumber Company, Falls City.

Mrs. Fred Palmer, nee Birdie Green and Mrs. J. M. Palmer, a niece of Mrs. I. M. Palmer, and children are down from Seattle for a few weeks visit.

There is no better coffee on the market than Santos. Give it a fair trial and you will want no other. Every pound of it guaranteed at Crider's store.

Frank Myer who keeps hotel at Dolph is out from there for the first time in six months. He says they feed from a dozen to three dozen travelers each meal.

J. B. Nunn spent two days last week around Independence and south of Monmouth, gathering fruits and vegetables for our Portland display and obtained many fine specimens.

Sick headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach and is quickly cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.—For sale by the Staffin drug company.

At the Rocco mill on Pellee last week a limb fell on Miles Davis and tore nearly all the flesh from the calf of one leg. Dr. Cary was called and has given the case close attention.

The Hughes-McBee crew quit thrashing because it did not pay. Most of the other machines still running have increased their prices to 6 cents a bushel for oats and 7 for wheat.

Rev. Jas. Moore and family are back from their vacation. Residing Elder Hollingshead will hold quarterly meeting here Sunday and the annual conference will begin at Eugene September 23rd.

Clarence Brown had one of the best wheat crops in the county, getting 100 bushels from 20 acres. It is a new kind of wheat all having come from a single stalk raised by his grandfather some years ago.

Notice to hop pickers: all persons who wish to pick hops in the Brown, Groves and Cutler yards will record their names with R. E. Williams, C. L. Starr or Wm. Tatom, as only those recorded will be allowed to pick.

A little forethought may save you no end of trouble. Anyone who makes it a rule to keep Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy at hand knows this to be a fact. For sale by the Staffin drug company.

At the Bee Hive store the other day we saw great stacks of new goods being opened for the fall trade. Among them were many pairs of the famous \$3.50 Douglas shoes, also nobby suits and overcoats for boys. Watch this paper for notice of great fall opening.

Have you seen those wonderful attractive ladies walking skirts at the Bee Hive. Mr. Finesth has made a very happy selection generally in ladies and childrens wear. His clerks are busy getting things in ship shape and in a few days there may be seen on display one of the handsomest and most desirable stocks in the valley.

Mrs. Marcus Tatom is here from Alaska, at the home of his brother, William. Mr. Tatom has for some years been foreman of the great Tremble mine from which millions of dollars have been taken. There are now 700 men employed there. Thomas Tatom, whose wife was a Miss Pike of Spring Valley, is also working in said mines, their address being Douglas, Alaska.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Canned goods for lunches at Howes grocery.

Oak hop baskets at Howes. The lightest and best made.

Jell O Ice cream powder at Howes store. Try it and you will like it.

Dick Wells and wife of San Francisco, have been visiting kindred at Independence.

The peaches in Robert Howes orchard and up the creek are unusually fine this season.

B. F. Hevland of the handle factory has bought the First property next to Amos Holman for \$575.

Mrs. Josephine Boyle near Rickreall has been seriously afflicted with neuralgia of the stomach.

Cornelius Hughes has the best seedling apricots we ever saw, and has sent samples of them to the exposition.

Rev. A. H. Dodd, of Falls City, occupied the Christian church pulpit here last Sunday and will do so again next Sunday.

George Johnson, and family, of the Dallas saw mill, have gone to Newport with his brother in law, and Mr. Peak and family from Iowa.

Prof. Reynolds went to Portland Monday, to meet a brother from Texas, and his daughter. They had not seen each other for many years.

Fred Toner, of Dallas, and John Clark, of Oregon City are off on a fishing and hunting trip, of several weeks in the Cascade mountains.

J. B. Nunn yesterday went to the Edla Hill and Spring Valley regions to gather fine products for our Portland exhibit which is being much improved.

Within the past few weeks there have been in and around New Orleans about 700 cases of yellow fever of which 150 have proved fatal. The government has undertaken to stamp it out.

If the weather continues dry and warm no more damage will be done by hop lice. Nearly all growers have given up all thoughts of contracting before picking time. The coming crop will not put in neat, square bales of about 200 pounds.

From Monmouth we hear that Dr. Crowley and family, D. M. Hampton and wife and Miss Maggie Butler have been taking in the fair and that F. Reesler, George Boothby and wife, Mrs. B. F. Mulkey, Miss Maud Hawley, John Stump, Ira Powell and their families have been to Newport.

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Those whose rat at the George lunch counter always get the full worth of your money.

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The cheapest one price cash store in town is conducted by E. T. Barnes. He is selling the new fall model Thompson glove fitting corset for a fifth less than you can get them anywhere else. His special value fancy broadcloth dresses are beautiful. Clothing of all sorts for men, women, and children.

Trunks of all sizes, styles and patterns at Oscar Johnson's fine and popular store on State street. He has all sorts of under garments that will fit and please men and boys. Some persons may not know that he is the best summer things at a big reduction rather than carry them over.

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COUNTY SEAT DROPPINGS.

As usual at this season Gaynors shoe store is adding a large and fine assortment of footwear for fall and winter use. Remember that it is the only exclusive shoe store in town.

Hunters will not be numerous this fall but it will be so much the better for those who have paid for the privilege. Forget not that Rissers gun store is the best place to get your ammunition.

Staats, the confectioner next to the Belt & Cherrington drugstore has delicious summer eatables and drinkables. Everybody knows Tracy Staats and his country friends should trade there.

No bakery in the state has a better reputation or more generous patronage than the one in Dallas. Good goods and courteous treatment to everyone all account for it.

The Salem stage driver will promptly bring what ever you want from there.

Prescriptions filled at the Staffin drug store always contain exactly what the physician prescribed and patent medicines obtained there are always the best of the kind. They have a variety of inks and other writing material and ladies say their perfumes are exquisitely nice.

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Good Health to the Children

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As good cake can be made only with good eggs, so also a cake that is healthy as well as dainty must be raised with a pure and perfect baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable in the preparation of the highest quality of food. It imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, doughnuts, crusts, etc., and what is more important, renders the food wholesome and agreeable to young and old.

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