## SIDE TRADING Co

Dress Goods.
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Look at our center counter

## Flannels.

Winter Outing Flannels at 6 12 fets per yard.

## Muslins.

Cabot W and Cabot A and
Musline selling away down.

## Prints.

We are selling prints at 5cts
per yard.
Shoes.
A bargain counter for Shoes

## Clothing.

Overcoats, Macintoshes, Rnb-
ber goods,
ble figures.

## A Great Reduction All Over the House. We Have

 the Goods--We Have the Prices to Suit Everybody.EVERYTHING sold on its merits. Satisfaction guaran

## West Side Trading CO.

Cor. Main and C. Sts, INDEPENDENCE.

P. S.-Newberg Never Rip and Bull Breeches are the best on earth. The newest novelties in Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Gimp and Furs.
Inlependence Roller Flour Mills,
L. HELMICK, Prop.

Dealer in Flour, Germea, Gra-
ham, Bran and all kinds of ham, Bran
mill stuffs,
Warehouses at Independence \& Parker.


Tomatoes.
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From this distance and at this point in the evidence it appears case have to build upon a very frail superstructure. While all thetevidence both for the prosecucircumstantial, yet the weight of testimony is agaiust the defendant. neck whll be saved from the hat.g man's noose, but he is standing
upon dangerous groand, which upon dangerous groand, which
must be apparent even to his callous nature. If Theodore Durrant is innocent, he is certainly the
most unfortunate of men for fate and circumstances are against him.
Ir is a gruesome and blood-
curdling story that comes from curdling story that comes from tempted murder of Mrs. Hiatt near Sco hast Thursday evening. It would-be assassin is a woman, it disguised as a man, is the person who made the murderous aspears
upon Mrs. Hiatt. There appear to be some diversity of opinion as to the motive. There is evidence
to show, as it is alleged, that the motive was for the purpose of
robbery, while there is other evidence that the "green-eyed moster"
inspired the murderous deed. It is inspired the murderous deed. that Mrs. H
nocer.

| Atrentros is called to notice of pecial meeting of"the "Sons and aughters of Oregon pioneers" to e held in this city on the 19th nstant. It is hoped that as many s can conveniently attend will be resent. The object of the meetng is to sufficiently organize so he "sons and daughters associaion" can co-operate with the Polk County Pioneer Associa'on's" reunion at Dallas next une. The movement is certainly orthy in every way and we trust hat the descendants of the Oregon ioneers will gladly aid in perpetating the memory and noble ork of their mothers and fathers. No piuneer's son or daughter hould be recreant to this sacred uty. <br> Spectal attention is called to Principal Hayes' announcement of the opening of the Independence chools, which appears in an other column. Parents should carefully ead the list of books which come inder each grade and see to it that heir children are properly equipwith the necessary supplies. The name of every child in the disrict should appear upon the school nrollment. There is no excuse in this day and age for depriving he boys and girls of this country f the beneflts of a common school ducation. It is better for the tate to pay for the education of he young than it is to support a horde of paupers and criminals, and it is better for parents to deny hemselves some of the convenences of life than to raise their hildren in ignorance. The jails and almshouses are filled with illiteracy; and, other things being qual, the person with a common chool education is better equipped o successfuly fight the battles of ife than those who have not these dvantages. In all ages of the world ignorance has been the hot bed of crime, and it is largely he influence of the common chools of this country that makes Americans the most proressive and the most enterprising |
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|  |  | people of the world today.

OUR Roseburg correaponden
again discusses an interesting topio
in his usual entertaining manne in this week's Extrapask.
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onlarge the paper and make other essential changen as moon as they
conld see their way clear to do so. The change is made with this woek's issue. We have never saic much about the improvements we
had in view, for we think it better to work diligently, "saw wood and
say nothing" than to fill up our say nothing" than to fill up our
columns with promises only made to be broken and vain vauntings
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pass has now more reading matter than any newspaper in the
county, and the matter is fresh county, and the matter is fresh
diversified and entertaining. I gives the news from all parts of the
world in a concise, entertainiog world in a concise, entertainiog solid thought ior the sedate and a variety of sparkling brevities for olls column and the world's mar ket reports are of special interest ot those engaged in agricultura pursuits. The local and editsia
departments of the paper will be along similar lines traversed hereofore, modified, of course, by such
oprovements as we may be able mprovements as we may be abs time to time. W
to make from confidently predict that our readrs will be pleased with the me
hanical and literary changes in his week's issue. The newspapers of Wethern Ore the question whether or not th climate and soil of the Williametl valley is adapted to the cultivation of sugar beets. To be sure, the
cxperiment has never been tried on a large acale, but a number of pro gressive, intelligent farmers have an sugar beeto for meveral years and with fairly good results. An anal.
ysis of the product sent to the Ag . ysis of the product sent to the Agen Williamette valley count
gave an average percentage
14.98 in crystalized sugar from juice of the beets. This falls abou 05 per cent below the averag
richness of the German produc yet the samples from Linn county
yielded as high as 17.10 per cent It is the concurrent opinion of in
telligent observers that the Wil liamette valley is destined at no
distant day to become a grea
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localities bent adapted to successful
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THE CHRYSANTHEMUM
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trained and accomplished singers.
The Dallas Glee Clab proved them.

was applauded to the echo.
The local talent of Independ
The ladies of the Congregntionat encesang some very interesting
chureh will give their annual Chrys- selections. Miss Susie Fennell, one
church will give their annual Chrys-
anthemum Fair in November.
The premiums will be an follows:
of our local talents, rondered an
excellent violin solo, acrompanied
by Miss Ella Fennell on the pianoThe program as a whole was highly
entertaining.
The gross receipts of the evening





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Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill, was told by her doctors
she had Consumption and that she had Consumption and that
there was no hope for her, but two
bottles of Dr. King's. New Discovery completely cured her and she says it aaved her life, Mr. Thos. Eg.
gera, 139 Florida street, San Francisco, suffered from a dreadful cold, approaching Consumption, tried
without result everything else then
bought one bottle of Dr. King's亿告
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