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AYER'S PILLS are the best. They regulate Digestion, cure Biliousness, Colic, and Constipation, relieve Sick Headache, Neuralgia, and Rheumatism. They contain no enemas and are sugar-coated. Mild, but effective, they are the favorite family medicine. As an after-dinner pill, used by thousands.

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 L. W. MEANS calls on
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Canned Fruits, Canned Meats,
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 Sugar, Spices,
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Get everything that is kept in a general variety and grocery store. Highest market prices paid for
ALL KINDS OF PRODUCE.

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 Best stock of 2nd goods in the Valley, and the most reasonable prices, both in buying and selling. I have on hand all kinds of

FURNITURE, STOVES, TINWARE,
TRUNKS, BOOKS, PICTURES,
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MONEY TO LOAN.
 \$200,000 to loan at 8 per cent on improved farm or city property.
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Real Estate Broker, insurance, and money to loan. I have a large list of improved and unimproved city property, and fruit garden and farming land in large and small tracts. As I sell on commission only, if you want to buy or sell it will pay you to call and see me.

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G. W. SMITH,
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"Superior," "Argand," "Garland"
STOVES AND RANGES.



Fire backs.
 Warranted for 15 years. All sizes and styles.

The World's best. More than hundred--7 hundred different styles cook stoves and heaters

Roofing, Job Work, Plumbing.
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 Hardware, Stoves and Tinware.

Where are you going my pretty maid? I am going to buy a Jewel Stove, she said. They give such good satisfaction that they make a home pleasant, and with Anti-Rust Tinware all is joy.

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in the fact that I am offering better bargains than any one else in Albany. Bought at bankrupt sales I can sell

First-Class Goods

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Fitted up in first-class style. Tables supplied with the best in the market. Nice sleeping apartments. Sample room for commercial travelers.
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 Agents for John B. Alden's publications, which we sell at publisher's prices with postage paid.
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Educate
 For business persons at the Portland Business College, Portland, Oregon, or at the Capital Business College, Salem, Oregon. Both schools are under the management of A. P. Armstrong, have complete courses of studies and same rates of tuition.
W. S. SHORLAND,
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S. W. Paisley,
 Albany, Oregon.
-WHOLESALE DEALER IN-
Tobacco and Cigars.
 Orders solicited from the trade.

KEEP POSTED.

Boots and shoes at cost at Read's.
 J. P. Wallace, Physician and Surgeon, Albany, Or.
 Just received new table linen at W. F. Read's.
 I. W. Starr, physician and surgeon, Albany Oregon.
 Good cooking stove only \$10 at Hopkins & Saltmarsh's.
 Best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyers.

Sixty dozen window shades just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.
 J. W. Bentley, best boot and shoe maker in city, opposite Fortmiller & Irving's.
 A large and fine line of window shades just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.
 We have the best \$1.50 kid glove ever brought to Albany at W. F. Read's.

Now is the time to save money by buying boots and shoes at cost of W. F. Read.
 Go to Barclay for honest weights, good goods and lowest living prices.
 A fine line of all kinds of furniture, plain and upholstered, best stock in this part of Oregon at Fortmiller & Irving's.
 J. A. Archibald, agent Singer Manufacturing Co., opposite Odd Fellows Temple, Albany.

An elegant line of six table spreads, in beautiful designs, just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.
 5 cans Golden Star tomatoes for 50 cents at C. N. Syers, and all other canned goods cheap or cash.

"THE LADIES ONLY."—I am now prepared to do all kinds of stamping, and have over two thousand designs to choose from. Also keep a nice line of embroidery materials, such as arraseses, crewels, No. 1 and 2 embroidery chenilles, princess chenilles, etc., etc., and the finest pompons, tassels, crescents, cords and plushes, felt and fancy work materials ever in the city. Zephyr is going at 5 cent an ounce. Miss Minnie Colwell has charge of this department, and has had several years experience in all kinds of fancy work and stamping.
G. W. SIMPSON,
 Albany, Oregon.

Ladies shoes, mens shoes, misses shoes, childrens shoes, mens boots, boys boots, at less than cost to make room for other goods at C. E. Brownell's.

A SHARP ITEM.—The finest line of cutlery and shears in the city at Stewart & Sox's. Their goods are the very best and will stand the test.



I am now better prepared than I have ever been to suit my customers in the shoe line. I have just received a large invoice of the celebrated Laird Scheber & Mitchell fine shoes for ladies. There is no manufacturer who claims anything better than these shoes. I intend to keep a full assortment of them in all prices, widths from A to EE and can sell the most fastidious in fit and price. I have received another invoice of the popular shoe E. P. Reeds in Waukenphast and Patent leather tip. These shoes are well known in Albany as a first class style shoes. Orders from the country filled with care and satisfaction guaranteed.
AMUEL E. YOUNG.

Pianos.

Those wishing a first class instrument, the best made to stand the climate of the Coast, can be out of by calling at Mrs B. E. Hymes's, opposite the Masonic Temple, on First Street. The latest vocal and instrumental music kept for sale, also the largest assortment of stamping patterns to select from this side of Frisco. Lessons given in painting and embroidery in her studio over Lion County Bank. Give her your order and you will be pleased.

Albany Nurseries.

We are permanently located on the old Clime homestead 1 mile from Albany on Corvallis road, and have on hand a large stock of

Choice Fruit Trees

of our own growing, which we sell at the lowest living rates.
 Parties contemplating planting should consult their interests by examining our stock and prices before purchasing.
HYMAN & BROWNEN,
 Albany, Oregon.

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

President Monroe's seventh annual message December 2, 1823: The citizens of the United States cherish sentiments the most friendly in favor of the liberty and happiness of their fellow men on that side of the Atlantic. In the wars of the European Powers, in matters relating to themselves, we have never taken any part, nor does it comport with our policy to do so. It is only when our rights are invaded or seriously menaced that we resent injuries or make preparations for our defense. With the movements of this hemisphere we are of necessity more immediately concerned, and by causes which must be obvious to all enlightened and impartial observers. The political system of the allied Powers is essentially different in this respect from that of America. This difference proceeds from that which exists in their respective Governments. And to the defense of our own, which has been achieved by the loss of so much blood and treasure and maintained by the wisdom of their most enlightened citizens, and under which we have enjoyed unexampled felicity, this whole Nation is devoted. We owe it, therefore, to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the United States and those Powers to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety. With the existing colonies or dependencies of any European Power we have not interfered and shall not interfere. But with the Governments who have declared their independence we have, on great consideration and on just principles, acknowledged we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny, by any European power in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States.



Crawford & Faxon
 Leading Photographers Albany Oregon.

We have bought all the negatives made by L. W. Clark and W. H. Greenwood up to Nov 15th, 1889. Duplicates can be had from them only of us at reduced rates. We have also about 18,000 negatives made by ourselves, from which duplicates can be had at like rates. We carry the only full line of views of this state and do enlarged work at lowest rates for first class work. We shall be pleased to see you at our Studio in Froman's block, next door to Masonic Temple.

The Verdict (Unanimous).

W. D. Sult, Druggist, Bippus, Ind., testifies: "I can recommend Electric Bitters as the very best remedy. Every bottle sold has given relief in every case. One man took six bottles, and was cured of rheumatism of 10 years' standing." Abraham Hare, druggist, Bellville, Ohio, affirms: "The best selling medicine I have ever handled in my 29 years' experience, is Electric Bitters." Thousand of others have added their testimony, so that the verdict is unanimous that Electric Bitters cure all diseases of the Liver, Kidneys or Blood. Only a half dollar bottle at Foshay and Mason's Drug Store.

A Woman's Discovery.

"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Deanna fastened its clutches upon her and for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus writes W. C. Hamrick and Co., of Shelby, N. C.—Get a free trial bottle at Foshay and Mason's Drug Store.

Albany Market.

Wheat—90¢
 Oats—30¢
 Butter—25¢ per lb.
 Eggs—25¢
 Hay—8,00¢
 Potatoes—75¢ per bushel
 Beef—on foot, 3½¢
 Apples—75¢ per bu.
 Pork—6½¢ per lb. dressed
 Bacon—bams 12½¢,
 shoulders, 8¢,
 sides 10¢.
 Lard—9¢ per lb.
 Flour—4,25¢ per bu.
 Chickens—3,00¢ per doz.
 (1) Feed—bran, 14,00¢ per ton
 shorts, 16,
 middlings, 20.
 Coal—90¢.

ART.

J. F. Whiting, Artist.
 Instruction given, and work executed in Landscape, Portrait and Decorative Painting, Lettering, Designing and Mechanical Drawing.
 Rooms 8 and 9, Foster Block, Albany, Or.

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The Pride of Albany soap by far the best laundry soap in the market, contains no rosen. Try it and you will use no other. For sale only by
C. E. BROWNELL.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

Drowned While Skating.
 VICTORIA, Feb. 19.—Two young men, James and George Alexander (colored), were drowned today while skating on a pond close to the outskirts of the city. The ice broke and both men were precipitated into the icy water. The sister of the young men witnessed the accident and ran to a house for assistance. She had barely time to tell what had happened when she fainted from fright and excitement. The people of the house ran to the scene of the accident, but both men had disappeared beneath the water.

A R R Accident.
 SACRAMENTO, Feb. 20.—Last night, at 9:30 o'clock, at Cape Horn mills, plow engine 415 and four other locomotives were derailed by a broken rail. The plow engine and two succeeding locomotives were carried down the bank some sixty feet, the two rear engines being dragged from the rails. Brakeman J. Williams was so badly scalded that he died in two hours; fireman Evans was severely scalded and bruised; engineer William Dorland was badly injured; fireman Bates was more or less bruised.

A Bad Outlook.
 PETALUMA, Cal., Feb. 20.—It commenced raining again here Saturday. The farmers are badly discouraged. There will be no wheat in this section except a small area of volunteer. It will be very late.

Bent's Oregon.
 SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 20.—The rain fall in this city and vicinity last night was the heaviest known for a long time, amounting here to nearly two inches, and unfortunate pedestrians were soaked by the heavy down pour. The season's total rainfall in this city to date now nearly equals that of the famous season of 1862. The year of Sacramento's great flood, the records show that thirty nine inches of rain fell here that season to the present date. The same record for this season gives a total of thirty seven inches.

Around the World.
 BOSTON, Feb. 20.—George Francis Train is busy perfecting plans for his proposed trip around the world, which he expects to accomplish in sixty days, starting from Tacoma, Wash.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
 The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Scars, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Foshay and Mason.

An Excellent Remedy.
 Dr. Holden: I consider your Ethereal Cough Syrup an excellent remedy for all the diseases for which you recommend it.
 DAVID RICHART, Modesto.
 Large size \$1.00, small 50 cents. For sale by H. C. Hubbard, druggist.

Teachers Examination.
 Notice is hereby given that the regular public quarterly examination of teachers of Linn county will take place at the Court House in Albany, commencing at one o'clock Wednesday, February 26th, 1890. All teachers desiring examination will please be present at the beginning.
 Teachers desiring a state certificate can be examined for the same at the above time; also teachers having first grade certificates who desire a state certificate, should present their recommendations at that time.
L. M. CURT,
 County School Superintendent.

Some fine honey looking for customers at C. E. Brownell's

GARLAND STOVES & RANGES
 Means It is the best that experience and skill can contrive. Sold only by G. W. Smith.

WHERE TO GET THEM.—When wanting an organ or piano call on G. L. Blackman, where you can select from a first class stock.

Smoke the celebrated Havana filled cigars, manufactured at Julius Givens's cigar factory. Only 5 cents.

STUCK OIL.—At \$1.25 per 5 gallon can best Standard oil, at the Willamette Packing Co.'s store.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Letter List.
 Following is the list of letters remaining in the Post Office, Albany, Linn county, Oregon, Feb. 19, 1890. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised:
 Bates, Franklin
 McGowan, Michael
 Ogden, Miss E.
 Sinclair, Dan
 Webber, Chas
 Wallace, F. M.
 Co's. L. E.
 Moore, Mrs. Zada
 Richards, William
 Thomas, Herb
 Wallace, J. D.
 Webber, G.
E. THOMPSON, P. M.