

The following is from the Corvallis Gazette, the property and organ of the Oregon Pacific: "An action has been commenced by leave of Judge Boise, by the district attorney of the third judicial district, Geo G Bingham, who resides at Salem, to cancel the charter of the Willamette Valley & Coast Railway company. Who may have inspired this novel method of putting another screw on this company has not yet appeared. The ostensible motive is alleged by the Salem Statesman to be to compel the receiver of the Oregon Pacific to pay the employees their back wages. How an attempt to forfeit the charter of the Willamette Valley & Coast Railroad company, which must inevitably injure the credit of the receiver's certificates, which he is under stringent orders from Judge Pipes to sell, can aid the receiver or even compel him to find the money to pay the men, is hard to comprehend. If the parties who are seeking in every way to obstruct and prevent the re-organization of the Oregon Pacific had openly suggested this little scheme, there might be an explanation of it. What the judge of the second judicial district may have to say to this invasion of his territory remains to be seen. It looks to an outside observer as if a movement of this kind was calculated to delay, not to aid the payment of the men." To an "outside observer," indeed. Attorney General Chamberlain assisted in bringing the suit, and before the papers were prepared in it he says he told the Hoag-Hogg-Hogue-Nash outfit what action it was his purpose to take to bring the Oregon Pacific to time in the matter of the payment of its back pay. Previously, suits have been brought in the second district and without exception the prosecution had been unable to obtain even the most unimportant ruling adverse to the Willamette Valley & Coast R R Co. The suit was brought in this district in order to get the matter before a judge who is not an ex-employee of the Oregon Pacific. Judge Pipes used to edit the Benton Leader, another organ of the Oregon Pacific.—Statesman.

A New York merchant, whose trade is mostly with Africa, says that Liberia offers no inducements for the migration of negroes from this country. The land is not so productive as the first accounts made it out to be, and the people there are doing no better than the negroes in this country. The exports from Liberia do not equal the imports, and the country cannot sustain a larger population than it now has.

The locomotive is at last heard on Coos bay, that for the Coos Bay, Roseburg and Eastern Railway having arrived, been set up and kept running since Sunday on the track so far as laid down. It reminds old Coosites of other days, and makes the heart of the hopeful, I-told-you-so person rejoice.—Marshfield Sun.

We are informed that there is considerable "talk on the quiet" that a portion of the democrats may ask Hon J P Galbraith, of Linn county, to accept the nomination for congress. Of course Linn is the banner democratic county of the state; and centrally located with a bright political career as Mr Galbraith has had, he would make a strong race.—Independence West Side.

People generally do not patronize business-men simply because they advertise; but when they want anything in any particular line, they are apt to go to the place the most familiar to them—to return again and again if the advertiser has goods or articles equal to what he represents in his advertisements.—Monmouth Democrat.

Our average consumption of wheat per capita is 5½ bushels. France 8½ bushels, England 5½ bushels, India and Russia about one bushel, Germany about 2½ bushels, India grows less than 1 bushel per capita, the United Kingdom grows less than two bushels, Australia 14 bushels and the United States 7 bushels.

There is an immense garden in China that embraces an of 50,000 square miles. It is all meadow land, and is filled with lakes, ponds and canals. Altogether it is as large as the states of New York and Pennsylvania combined.

Experiments have shown that tile drained soil is, on an average, about to degree warmer at seven inches below the surface than an undrained surface at the same depth. This fact illustrates the value of drainage. It lengthens the season at both ends for plant growth.

ATTENTION.—The very latest news is that you can buy of Julius Gradwohl's Bazaar, for net cash, 15 pounds granulated sugar for \$1.00 and 18 pounds Extra C. sugar. All goods sold for net cash from 10 to 25 per cent less the regular price, as I intend to run a strict cash store. Albany, Or., July 21.

Klein Bros have a large and choice stock of boots and shoes for sale at reasonable prices. Do not invest in foot wear until you have seen their stock and the elegant piano at their store.

A fine line of crockery ware at Conn & Hendrichsen's.

A large line of elegant gold watches in tasty time pieces at Will & Stark's.

Bargains in choice groceries can always be secured at Allen Bros, Flinn Block.

Agriculture furnishes about 75 per cent of American exports. They are our surplus meats and grains and cottons, the produce of our fields. The remaining 25 per cent are furnished by the "protected" industries in whose behalf the producers of the 75 per cent have been taxed more or less oppressively, from the moderate levy imposed by Hamilton to the monstrous pillage of the McKinley bill.

"The McKinley bill will enhance the cost of living to the people of Iowa not less than six or seven millions of dollars annually."—Chicago Tribune. (rep.)

SEE HERE.

A piano.
Bot and Shoe store.
New cloaks at W F Read's.
Latest styles of hats at W F Read's.
Reduction in summer goods at W F Read's.
Apple papers for sale at Stewart & Sox's.
S A Hulin, druggist, French's corner.
Fragrances at Conn & Hendrichsen's.
Latest sheet music at Will & Link's.
Parasols and sun umbrellas at less than cost at W F Read's.

Gold spectacles and eye glasses, all styles and prices, at F M French's.

The finest line of pocket knives in the city at Stewart & Sox's.

Complete stock of ladies and gent's gold watches at F M French's.

Bargains in gold watches at French's, "The Corner Jewelry Store."

Stewart & Sox sell the very best patent tempered shears and scissors.

A full line of Warner's corsets, best in the world for the money, at W F Read's.

J. W. Bentley, leading boot and shoe maker, just east of Rovers House.

C W Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block, does first class work.

See that elegant piano at Klein Bros Boot and Shoe store.

Notice—the extra hollow ground razors used by barbers are sold by Stewart & Sox.

Ladies Oxford ties at Klein Bros. Cheap—best in the city. Will be sold at greatly reduced rates.

With his new bakery Conrad Meyer is able to offer old and new customers everything first-class in baked goods.

Any one contemplating buying a gold watch will do well to call at F M French's and examine stock and prices.

The Charles E Zine kid gloves manufactured at Philadelphia are the best in the market. Call at A B McIlwain's and examine them before purchasing.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST.—A gold ring, band, with flowers cut in band in several colors. Return to DEMOCRAT office.

WANTED—Girl to do general house work. Good wages to a good girl. Call at southeast corner of Third and Lyon streets.

WANTED, four or five acres of good garden land, near Albany, to rent. Apply to Peter Downs at Charles M. Urlich art's.

FOUND—A black leather valise, containing clothing etc. Call at this office.

FOR TRADE, property in a good town, where there is plenty of work, for Albany property. Call at DEMOCRAT office for particulars.

WANTED—By the end-r-signed, 100 cords of maple chair timber. Call at our shop near Farmers Warehouse, Albany, Oregon. R. VEAL & SON.

The Road to Wealth

Cannot be successfully traveled without good health. To reach wealth or any coveted position in life requires the full possession and operation of all the faculties kind nature has endowed us with. These conditions cannot exist unless the physical being is in perfect working order, and this is impossible when the liver and spleen are torpid, thus obstructing the secretions, causing indigestion and dyspepsia, with all of their accompanying horrors.

DR. HENLEY'S
Engle's Bandy Tonic
exerts a specific influence over the liver, excites it to healthy action, resolves its chronic engorgements, and promotes the secretions; cures indigestion and constipation, sharpens the appetite, tones up the entire system, and makes life worth living.

Sale and Races

ON SATURDAY, OCT. 17TH, WE will sell to the highest bidder without reserve, 25 head of young trotting and draft stock, 3 and 4 years old; trotters sired by Oneco, 2234 (sire of Bales), 2234 (sire of Alverta, son of Altamont), and some choice mares by Edward Everett, sire of the dam of Bales, 2234. Grade draft stock, both Percheron and Clydesdale; also saddle ponies, and one Jersey bull, 2 years old, from the herd of Ex-Governor Moody, and several grade milch cows.

- TERMS -

One year's time without interest, with good approved security, or 10 per cent discount for cash.

We will offer a purse of \$25 to be trotted for over our track on the farm, on that date. It is open to all road horses owned in Linn county, barring Mr Gourley's and Mr Junkin's horses that trotted last July. Race to be mile heats, best two in three. An entrance fee of \$5 will be charged and added to the purse. This fee must accompany entries, which will close on Oct 15th. 60 per cent to the first horse 3 to the second and 10 to the third. We will enter no horse in the race. Arrangements will be made for a good lunch, so all can come early and see the day's sport.

McKnight Bros.

I am now receiving my Fall stock of Dry Goods, and am showing full lines of seasonable goods in the following departments, viz:

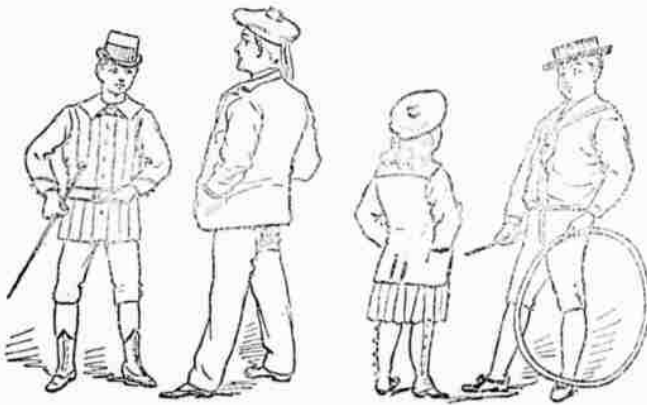
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Laces
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Carpets
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Groceries

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They like to dress well.
Their sisters want them to appear well.
Their mothers want warm, durable garments for them.
And their fathers want good value for the money.

Boys, Brings Your Sister, Mother and Father

To see the new Fall Stock of Boys Clothing, and get a present of a base ball and bat, a pair of stilts, a Castonet wheel or something else that will please you, when you buy a suit.

THERE IS MONEY IN IT

For everybody that buys of

L. E. BLAIN,

The Leading Clothier and Merchant Tailor.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

NOTICE is hereby given to whom it may concern: That sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, at the office of the County Clerk of said County and State, up to 1 o'clock P. M., Wednesday, October 7th, 1901, for the construction of a County bridge across Thomas Creek at "Hannah's Crossing" in Linn County, Oregon, said bridge to be of the following dimensions to-wit:

Main span 100 feet long, 16 feet wide in the clear, main span to rest on bents or piers; North approach to be 76 feet and south approach to be 16 feet long, bents under approaches 16 feet apart, both approaches to be protected by banisters.

No bid will be considered unless accompanied with plans and specifications, and 5 per cent of bid in cash or certified check.

The County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

N. P. PAYNE,
County Clerk.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

THERE HAS BEEN TWO hundred and seventy-eight of you gentlemen in our establishment saying that you were going to order fence from us this fall and winter. Each of you require from 20 rods to 2½ miles. Do you not see that it will require some time to manufacture that amount of fence? We would suggest that more of you order NOW, thereby giving us time to accommodate you all.

ALBANY FENCE WORKS.

Albany Nurseries.

We are offering to planters the finest lot of fruit trees, in all desirable varieties, in the state.

One hundred and fifty thousand trees for this season's trade.

INSPECTION INVITED, —and—

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

Send for catalogue or call on us at the old China homestead, one-half mile southwest of Albany.

HYMAN & BROWNELL.

SALE OF BLOODED STOCK.

TWO EXTRA FINE FULL BLOOD CLYDES—dale bay stallions, 5 and 6 yrs old, 16½ hands high, weigh nearly 1700 lbs each; can now show a better lot of draft cows than any horse that has ever stood in Lane county. Also one span of matched bay Clyde mares, 3 bloods, 16 hands, weigh nearly 1500 lbs each; Also one bay 4-year old Clyde mare 15½ hands; one span of 2-year old matched bay Clyde mares, 1 bloods, and two yearlings 1 bloods. These will be sold in Eugene to the highest bidder on the 17th day of October, 1901, at 1 o'clock p.m. The mares are well broke, true and kind. Terms—A credit of 30 months, with the exception of one horse; notes with approved security at 10 per cent per annum.

GEORGE HEISHAW.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Will sell cheap for cash or trade for wood, four horses, varying in price from \$60 to \$120. Call at once at the marble shop next door to DEMOCRAT office.

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Where to get the Best Bargains,
Where to get the Best Value for Your Money.

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And they will Answer with One Voice, at

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They carry all the Latest Styles and Novelties in the Millinery line, and a complete stock of Ladies and Children's Furnishing goods, and ready-made garments. Goods the best, and prices the lowest. Call and be convinced.

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Who carry the most complete line of Hardware, Stoves, Ranges, etc., in the market.

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Stock of SILVERWARE, consisting of spoons, knives, forks, fruit dishes, etc., gold and silver watches, jewel y, etc., is the largest and best in the city, and by far the best ever brought to ALBANY.

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