

HOME AND ABROAD

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Perry Conn

GATE

C W Read returned from Albany Thursday.

The creditors of the O P in this section are very well pleased over the defeat of Miller for receivership.

It is reported that C W Read is talking of buying the O P, but maybe he won't.

Master Claude Lambson is making Frankie Drummond a visit.

It is the opinion of your correspondent that the Salem Board of trade is off when they say that Gov Penney's statement to the effect that one third of Oregon's people are in actual want, is false and misleading.

The Gates Literary is a rising institution. It meets every Saturday evening when a program familiar to all such societies is carried through.

Resolved that the United States should annex Hawaii. It was decided in the affirmative after a very interesting and instructive debate.

COUNTY WARRANTS—Bought and sold by H F Merrill.

FOR RENT.—The opera house store, a splendid location. Call on the secretary at the DEMOCRAT office for particulars.

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The Corner Drug Store, Albany, Or.

A GOOD RECORD.—A Salem paper says the State Insurance Company's increase in assets during 1893 was nearly \$8000.

The increase in surplus about \$3000 and the increase of premiums over 1892 nearly \$15,000. The latter part of the year business was better than in the earlier months, the premium receipts for the months of September and November being each about \$7000 in excess of the receipt for the same months of the previous year, and business is steadily improving as the year closes.

A DESERTED SOLDIER.—Some time ago a soldier named Frank C Prenton, was in the city.

He had escaped from Fort Canby and gotten as far as Albany, when he found himself in destitute circumstances. He divulged the fact of his desertion to Mr Henry Taylor and agreed to give himself up if Mr Taylor would keep him. Investigation revealed the fact that he was what he claimed to be, and Mr Taylor took him to Vancouver last week and received the \$60 reward.

THEY INCREASE APPETITE, PURIFY THE BLOOD, AND REGULATE THE LIVER.—Little Breads.