

Thursday, January 8, 1890.

POSTOFFICE HOURS.

From 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. From 7:30 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. Money order hours from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. Sunday from 12 m. to 1 p. m. Mail south closes at 10 a. m. Mail north closes at 2:30 p. m. and 9 p. m. Mail for 5-15 a. m. train closes evening before at 7 p. m. Sheridan and southern Tillamook mail closes at 11 a. m.

CHURCH NOTICES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Prayers meeting Thursday evenings at 7:30. REV. W. L. ADAMS, Pastor. CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Prayers meeting Thursday evenings at 7:30. REV. W. L. ADAMS, Pastor. BAPTIST CHURCH—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Prayers meeting Thursday evenings at 7:30. REV. W. L. ADAMS, Pastor. CHRISTIAN CHURCH services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayers meeting Thursday evenings at 7:30. REV. W. L. ADAMS, Pastor.

THE MARKET REPORT.

Potatoes... 50 to 60 Chickens, young... 2.50 to 3.00 (Clear sides) per doz... 3.50 to 4.00 Bacon (Shoulders) per lb... 8 Hams... 10 to 12 Lard... 10 to 12 Eggs... 10 to 12 Butter, Creamery... 25 to 30 Butter, dull, fresh... 20 to 25 Wines... 10 to 12 Dried plums, dull... 6 to 8 Dried prunes, dull... 6 to 8 Dried peaches, dull... 6 to 8 Flour... 1.00 to 1.12

Local and General.

The bank of Albina will soon be made a National bank. Miss Ella Woods has resumed her position in the public school. Martin & Sanders are engaged in moving into their new quarters. Emma Abbott, the singer, died at Salt Lake Monday of pneumonia. The quarantine of the diphtheria district of Pendleton has been raised. Ladies, do you read the page devoted to you in the TELEPHONE-REGISTER? Will the ladies send to their registries pertaining to their sex for publication. The body of Wm. T. T. was found near the place where he was last seen. John Evenden sports the finest mersman pipe in the city. A Christmas present. Miss Nellie Gardner is learning the printer's trade. She is working on the Reporter. Marion Carter is improving fast. He will be about to be around on crutches in a week or so.

The rainy weather has been rather weakening on the electric lights. A leak or two perhaps. A gang of "de boys" went down to Lafayette Saturday night, broke down and had to remain all night. Snow fell in the mountains west of us Monday night and the weather here is considerably cooler because of it. A match shoot at 50 birds is being arranged between E. Long, of Lafayette, and Jas. Fletcher, of this city. Miss Cynthia Fellows received the prize at a masque ball at Oregon City last week for the handsomest costume.

The public school opened its doors Monday, and the youngsters trooped in as usual with their old-time shrouds of joy. Senator Mitchell writes that he will give matter of the improvement of the Yamhill river his personal attention, and he will. Walter Holman writes that he is enjoying himself and that he has not missed a lesson at the Boston conservatory of music. Representative S. A. Manning took his departure this week for Salem, where he will carry on his own business as a law-maker. Wm. Logan has moved his barber shop to a neat room which has been fitted up for him near the corner of Third and E streets.

The dead-end cheese is getting in its work. About 25 persons have been poisoned in Eugene by eating this delicacy of pork killing time. The show Thursday night last was not well attended and lucky the people who did not attend as the performance was very decayed. The Polk County Quarry Company has been organized, with a capital of \$10,000, and ground purchased for the development of the new enterprise.

Special meetings will be opened at the Baptist church next Sunday, and will be continued each evening during the week. Services will begin promptly at 7 o'clock. Farmer Jones who was bunched out of \$5000 last summer, is after another real creature for his money. He looks out, as he is liable to lose another \$5000 in this dicker. Read about the pretty girls of Washington in next week's paper, written by Margaret Manton. The article is illustrated by portraits of beautiful girls of the Capital city. Frank Wright has purchased the harness shop of H. Adams. He will have competent help and will keep a large assortment of harness and other horse furnishings constantly on hand. See his ad elsewhere.

The shooting match for the Yamhill Rod and Gun club medal was won by W. E. Martin of this city, he breaking 21 out of 30 birds. John Rohr made a great sport for it, but fell just one short of spurring. He broke 20. The twenty-four page Salem Statesman issued on the 1st inst. was a complete history of events as they occurred during the previous year. Aside from the good quality of its subject matter, the press work was all that could be desired. Ellis Brenton was placed in the county jail Tuesday. He was arrested on the charge of larceny. It is claimed that he took some \$150 from Alf Wilson of Sheridan. He waived examination, and is not being able to furnish bail, languish.

Mr. Long has accepted the challenge of James Fletcher in another column, and the match will be shot on Saturday Jan 17, 1891, at the Yamhill Rod and Gun club's grounds in Oak Park. Let all the sports be there, as the score will undoubtedly be a close one. Ed Hoxie of Tillamook died Wednesday night, Dec. 31, from the wounds received in the fight chronicled in last week's paper. The coroner's jury found that the deceased came to his death from the effects of a knife wound inflicted by one Otis Howell.

J. H. Henderson has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Alisky Candy company of Portland. Mr. Henderson has the west side, Astoria and the Washington territory, near Astoria, on his route. A large portion of his time will be spent in Portland, and in the spring his family will move to Portland.

GOOD CLEAN HOME MADE SOUR KRAUT

The Best home bakery is the place to get your money's worth. For good fresh bread, pies, cakes, etc. go the Red front bakery. Holt Turner is the papa of a ten pound boy, born on Dec. 30, 1889. Redmond is having a clearance sale. You will find a lot of bargains there. Acorns in every conceivable variety at Hodson's, sold separately, not by the bushel. Cold weather is knocked out by Hodson's corn stovers. It stands no show at all. A ladies Jersey jacket was lost last week Tuesday. Finder will please return to this office.

Independence is having great trouble with her electric light plant. The Edison company put it in. Jarret Todd is once more able to be about town. He is a little deaf, owing to the severe case of measles. Call at Hodson's and see samples of White Bronze Monuments, better and cheaper than granite or marble. Wright's Blackberry Cordial should be kept in every house. Invaluable in all colds and coughs of the bowels. Sold by Rogers Bros. Free samples of Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve and Blood Purifier. Cures Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Neuralgia, Fits, etc.

The Rebecca had a very enjoyable installation on Tuesday evening. A sumptuous repast was provided and a good social time was the result. Hoffman, contractor of the Dayton bridge, was in the city Tuesday and looked at the bridge for the first time. He pronounces it the best bridge in the state. Impure blood and low vitality will make fearful inroads on your health. Wright's Sarsaparilla will cleanse your blood and build you up. Sold by Rogers Bros. Martin and Alice Adams, children of H. Adams, are down with diphtheria. Due care should be taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The cases are not severe. The council held their regular monthly session on Tuesday night and transacted the usual amount of business. Nothing of importance to our readers was done however.

No one can afford to do without Wright's Myrrh Tooth Soap. It cleanses the mouth, purifies the breath, preserves the teeth, and makes them beautiful. Sold by Rogers Bros. The acorns this year are very plentiful and many bear no doubt will fill their stomachs with them. Those at Hodson's will not digest and will make Mr. Bear very sick. Go and see them. The Best Remedy—Wright's Paragon Headache Remedy. Stops pain in five minutes. Harmless, tasteless, no ill effects. A positive cure for headache and neuralgia. Sold by Rogers Bros. Wm. Galloway attended the meeting of the county judges and commissioners held in Portland last week. He reports a splendid meeting. Numerous questions were discussed, especially the tax question.

The Tucker property has been cut up into lots and is now upon the market. This is a good part of the town, being across the street from the post office. It is in the hands of J. H. Steinmetz, the rustling real estate agent. Susanna, a klotchman of the tribe of Yakima, was found dead on the J. R. Lewis place on Christmas day, says the Yakima Herald. She came of a distinguished family, her sister having no one less than Sorey-eyed Whiskey; but she had the failure of liking whiskey more than she did her own, and it is intimated that she traded one for the other. Nearly a serious accident occurred at the new brick Thursday. The new elevator was used in hoisting goods into the upper story, and the counterweight hook holding the balancing weight gave way and the heavy box containing about a thousand pounds went crashing downward. The men in the elevator jumped and the weight did no damage, except smashing in the double doors in the rear of the store.

It is wonderful how that McKinley tariff bill is stimulating things. The new tariff on tin has developed an enormous amount of tin ore down in Texas. The earth in some places is said to be fairly crisscrossed with tin. Of course, since the new tariff went into effect everybody is scratching for tin. The dazzling reward is fairly causing the tin deposits to flow, and run out of the ground. But, somehow, our American tin has never reached the market in paying quantities. The Black Hills, but nobody has ever seen a tin bucket or a tin plate or a tin cup fashioned from Dakota tin. About two weeks ago the Boise Water company, having an option on the veins of Idaho, proceeded to the north and west of the penitentiary, at Walla Walla, proceeded to sink an artesian well in the hope of sinking hot water. This hot water is a flow of water, with a temperature of ninety-two degrees, was struck at a depth of eighty feet. The work of sinking the well was completed in a very hard rock formation, until last Friday, when, at a depth of 115 feet, a stronger flow was secured, with a temperature of 120 degrees. This hot water overflowed the top of the well casing to such an extent that it became necessary to tap the pipe several feet below in order to draw off this overflow, so as not to interfere with the drill.

The January number of the Oregonian contains the list of two parts of Mrs. Van Rensselaer Cruger's new novel, Mademoiselle Rocco, pronounced by critics who have read it the best of her work. Mrs. Cruger is intimately acquainted with fashionable circles in this country and she writes in a realistic manner, without any of the offensiveness of the average realism. The next article of importance is from the pen of Miss Elizabeth in London. A most interesting posthumous paper by F. O. C. Darley, with his own illustrations, is also given. A Becke's clever story, Don Gracia, is illustrated in a novel manner, the well-known actors, Sothorn and Miss Hannah, having consented to pose for the situations of the novel, the results being reproduced in photogravure.

Christopher Columbus was the son of a weaver and a weaver himself. Claude Lorraine was bred a pastry cook. George Washington was a colonial. Homer was the son of a farmer. Oliver Cromwell was the son of a brewer. Howard was an apprentice to a shoemaker. Franklin was a journeyman printer and the son of a tallow-chandler and soap-maker. Daniel DeFoe was the son of a butcher and a skin-dresser. Cardinal Wolsey was the son of a butcher. Lucia was the son of a maker of statuary. Virgil was the son of a poet. Horace was the son of a shopkeeper. Shakespeare was the son of a wool-stapler. Milton was the son of a money scrivener. Paine was the son of a merchant. Robert Burns was the son of a plowman in Ayrshire, and T. T. Geer is the son of a salar.

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MCMINNVILLE POSTOFFICE.

A Summary of the Business During the Past Four Years. Gross receipts of the postoffice for the four years ending Dec. 31, 1889: 1887 \$ 1925.41 1888 2106.38 1889 2536.67 1890 3162.24

The expenses of the office for the year 1890 were: Postmaster salary \$ 1250.00 Rent 40.00 Fuel and light 1.48 Total \$ 1321.48 Leaving a net profit to the United States of \$ 1742.24

No. of MONEY ORDERS ISSUED. This was made a money order office in 1874, the first order being issued July 13. The following number of orders were issued in the respective years: 1874 110 1875 314 1876 370 1877 392 1878 436 1879 424 1880 1297 1881 1391 1882 1852 1883 1828 1884 1228 1885 1123 1886 1176 1887 1127 1888 1176 1889 1123 1890 1551

The number of orders issued to date is 17,000. Postal notes, 5,000. There are 8000 notes that receive mail regularly at this postoffice. On a basis of 5 to the vote would represent a population of 4000. The above report shows that McMinnville is increasing in importance. When the yearly receipts amount to \$8000 the office will become a second class one, the postmaster will be allowed a larger salary and more will be expended by the government in fitting it up. A first-class office is an office doing a business of \$40,000 per year. Let us hope that it will not be long before we reach it and have a fine new post-office building, built by the government. This office is more than self supporting and about pays the expenses of the branch stage routes in the county.

From ten to fifteen sacks of mail are handled daily at this office and other postoffices similarly situated are allowed a clerk hire while McMinnville is not. This office is a paying institution and there is no reason why its patrons should not receive a little attention in this matter. The postal system in Oregon does not pay its expenses by nearly \$300,000. It will not be long, however, before it is self sustaining. The Albany post-office total business amounted to \$7,162 for the past year.

Weather Report for the Past Year.

Abstract of meteorological observations at McMinnville, Oregon, latitude 45° 12' 20", longitude 122° 55' 30", during the year 1890; elevation above sea level 188 feet.

Table with columns for MONTH, MEAN MAXIMUM, MEAN MINIMUM, MEAN, and THERMOMETER. Rows for January through December.

Temperature given in degrees of Fahrenheit scale. Rainfall in inches and hundredths of inches. WYATT HARRIS, Vol. Observer U. S. Signal Service. Public School Notes. The city public schools resumed their sessions on Monday the 5th inst. Several new pupils entered school this week. The attendance in the higher and intermediate grades fully sustains the average record below the holiday vacation.

The primary grades there is quite a falling off occasioned by the measles and mumps epidemics. Miss Ella Woods again took charge of her room after her long absence on account of sickness. There are about 240 pupils at school this week. All pupils suspended from school on account of measles and mumps prevailing in the family to which each suspended pupil belongs will be readmitted to school on application for re-admission, as nearly all pupils now in school have had these diseases. Every precaution will be taken to prevent diphtheria being brought into the schools.

Remarkable Rescue. Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. She bought a bottle and to her delight found her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued and after taking ten bottles found herself sound and well, now does her own house work, and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this great discovery at Rogers Bros' drug store, large bottles 50c and \$1.

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COUNTY COURT.

The following business was done by the county court at its regular monthly session commencing Jan. 28, 1891: E. C. Hughes vs. Thos. Morgan; judgment rendered for \$73.70 and attorneys' fees \$6.67 with costs. J. C. Lanckin vs. Thos. Morgan; dismissed on motion of plaintiff. Jones & Co. vs. G. M. Raleigh, demurrer overruled. Judgment in favor of plaintiff. Attached property ordered sold. M. Fisk vs. B. F. Huff; settled and dismissed on motion of plaintiff. Ira F. Powers vs. C. G. Morey; judgment by default; attached property ordered sold.

Probate Court. The following probate business has been transacted during the past week: Estate of Lavina Davidson; inventory approved. Estate of Harris & Hanes; Final account approved. Notes and accounts on hand turned in to executors of Reuben Harris estate. Estate of Wm F Perkins; Petition for allowance for monument allowed. Final account for hearing March 3, at 10 a. m. Estate of Chas Caldwell; petition to sell personal property. Report of sale of personal property approved. Eleventh annual report approved. Estate of Jas A Walker; Wyatt Harris appointed guardian ad litem for all minors named in petition. Petition for sale of real estate granted. Estate of Agnes Glendenning; Petition for appointment of Walter Glendenning granted. Bond fixed at \$100 and bond approved. J. W. Cows, J. L. Stratton and E. C. Apperson appointed appraisers. Inventory approved. Estate of H. G. Burns; Third annual account approved. Estate of A. Kinyon; Petition to use interest for support of minors granted.

Expect to be Repealed. It is evident the managers of the Spectator and the Oregonian are expecting the legislature to repeal the railroad commission law and abolish the board of Commissioners. In renewing the passes for 1891 of the gentlemen constituting the local board—their traveling permits having expired Dec. 31, 1890—Mr. Koehler made the new passes expire with March of the present year. Speaking of passes it may not be uninteresting to learn that the Southern Pacific company has made its courtesies to the members of the legislative bodies null and void after March 31st next. While on the subject of railway passes the opportunity of relating a little joke on Oregon's governor is taken advantage of. The other day the governor started on his return home to Portland. When the conductor came around collecting the tickets the governor, forgetting that he had entered upon a new year and that his pass for 1890 had died with the old year, pulled his 1890 annual from his pocket and handed it to the conductor who replied, "That won't go." The governor laughed and handed over a V, remarking at the same time that he thought that "would go."

A Scramble for a Postoffice. The war among the faithful for the postoffice in this city rages fiercely. As the time when Postmaster Thompson's term will expire approaches the heat and fire of the contest increases in intensity. The applicants are: C. W. Watts, Frank L. Benton, Thomas Monteth, Jr., S. A. Dawson, S. S. Train. The friends of each claim that their man has the pull. It is said that C. W. Watts backs his claim for the office upon the invaluable services rendered by his father as a stumper in the last campaign for Harrison. Monteth hopes to succeed through the influence of some of his particular friends here with Senator Mitchell. Frank L. Benton has hopes that his fine record as an efficient, thoroughly competent and ever obliging deputy postmaster will lead to his appointment. No one has informed us upon what grounds Dawson and Train base their claims.—Albany Democrat.

A Challenge. I hereby challenge Ed Long for a match shoot at 50 Peoria blackbirds aprons—single birds—from three unknown traps, for a purse of \$50 a side. The match to take place in McMinnville on Saturday, Jan. 17, 1891, at the shooting grounds of the Yamhill Rod and Gun club. Twenty-five dollars forfeit to be deposited with the secretary of said club when challenge is accepted. Winner to pay for birds. Rules of the American shooting association to govern the match. JAMES FLETCHER.

Miles' Nerve Line Pills. Let on a new principle—regulating the liver, stomach and bowels through the nerves. A new discovery. Dr. Miles' Nerve Line Pills, had tonic, tonic, liver, pills, constipation. Unequalled for men, women and children. Smallest and surest. 20 doses, 25 cts. Samples free at Rogers Bros.

A Mishia Company. Chas. Fleming and several more of the young men in the city are attempting to organize a militia company in the city. This is a good idea, as we are taxed to support a state militia, and why not support with the tax, one in the city. The town is large enough to recruit from, and there is no reason why a military company, consisting of sixty members, cannot be raised here. Socially they are a great help, and our young people should help it along in every way possible. G. A. R. Custer Post.

Hall corner of Third and F streets, McMinnville, Or. Post meets on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Transient comrades cordially invited to attend. J. B. GARDNER, Commander. WYATT HARRIS, Adjutant.

Remarkable Facts. Heart disease is usually supposed to be incurable, but when properly treated a large proportion of cases can be cured. Thus Dr. Chas. H. Hatch, of Elkhart, Ind., and Mrs. Mary L. Baker, of Ovid, Mich., were cured after suffering 29 years. S. H. Linberg, druggist at San Jose, Ill., says that Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure, which cured Levi Logan, of Buchanan, Mich., who had heart disease for 30 years, says two bottles made him feel like a new man. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure is sold and guaranteed by Rogers Bros. Book of wonderful testimonials free.

Dr. R. C. Hill, who died at his home in Albany was well-known in this city, and was one of the chief promoters of the Baptist college in this city. The funeral of this pioneer was held Friday last in Albany and was attended by a large concourse of friends and relatives. The services were conducted by Prof. T. G. Brownson, of this city, assisted by J. C. Richardson, of Eugene. Mr. Brownson read the following biographical sketch of the well-known pioneer: But a few short months ago a mother in Israel entered into her eternal rest. She had lived a long, useful and honored life. Nearly sixty years she and her companion had traveled the pathway of life together, sharing together the joys, and sympathizing with each other in the sorrows of life. And now her companion has fallen—fallen like a shock of corn fully ripe. He had lived to be nearly 83 years old, being born in 1808. He remained in his native state and adjoining states until he was about 40 years old in which time he had availed himself of the limited educational advantages then in the vicinity, made a public profession of faith in Christ in 1833, married Margaret Lair in 1832, entered upon the practice of medicine and was ordained to the gospel ministry in 1846. In 1850 Dr. Hill visited the Pacific coast, remaining about two years and returning to bring his family. He settled in Benton county upon a farm almost the entire management of which was entrusted to other members of the family, while he gave himself to the double work of practicing medicine and preaching the gospel. Both phases of his work covered a very large area, he doing almost an equal amount of preaching and medicine at the same time carrying on a large medical practice. He was especially successful in holding revival services, having buried in baptism more than one thousand rejoicing converts who had been instrumental in leading to Christ. He was a preacher of exceptional power, logical, fervent, winning, evangelistic, magnetic, biblical. Aside from the churches that were organized by him, and some of which he ministered to regularly for many years he preached in many desolate communities where the gospel had not been preached. During the first twenty years of his life in Oregon, while he had a large practice, he perhaps gave still more of his time and strength to religious work. He was prominently identified with the founding of the Baptist college at McMinnville and a member of its board of trustees from that time up to the day of his death. In that board his opinions and counsels had great weight. About 1870 the institution came into a crisis. It had no invested funds, and accumulating debts threatened its very life. It was decided to undertake to raise an endowment fund, the success of which efforts was believed to depend upon Dr. Hill's undertaking the arduous duties of a financial agent. He was having a lucrative practice yet heeding their judgment he left that practice to accept a smaller income, that he might accomplish an important work in the interest of Christian education. In many respects he was admirably fitted for this work, having profited convictions as to the need of institutions of higher learning under positive Christian control and especially having very strong convictions as to the importance of an educated ministry. Not being a college graduate, his appeal for higher education had greater effect. Possibly no college educated man ever pleaded on the Pacific coast for a thoroughly educated ministry more earnestly and more convincingly than did Dr. Hill. Whether we look at Dr. Hill as a citizen, a business man, a physician, a preacher, or an advocate of higher education, there can be but one verdict, that his life was a success.

Happy Hoosiers. Wm. Timmons, postmaster of Idaho, Ind., writes, "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicine I have ever used. It cured my trouble from kidney and liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman, of the same place, says, "Find Electric Bitters a most valuable remedy for liver, medicine, made me a new man." J. W. Gardner hardware merchant in same town, says: "Electric Bitters is just the thing for me. It has done for me what I thought was all down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c a bottle at Rogers Bros' drug store."

Unfortunate Man. Samuel E. May, who has had a somewhat checkered career in life, turns up in Washington city in a state of destitution. A dispatch from the Oregonian's correspondent in that city says that on the 2nd inst. a minister informed the Oregon delegation that May was at the point of death, and had been sent to the hospital and it was thought he would not live more than three days. It was added that the minister took up a collection to pay his hotel bill, which the sick man was unable to pay. Mr. May was a picturesque figure in Salem life for many years, living here as secretary of state from 1862 to 1870, and for several years at another time before that. From here he went to Salt Lake City, and after a residence of a few years there he turned up in Chicago, where it was understood by his friends here that he had re-married and was fairly prosperous. They will hear with surprise of his present unfortunate condition. When Mr. May was elected secretary of state his home was in Jacksonville.

USEFUL INFORMATION. Tibbery Fox, M. D., the eminent medical writer, in his work "Skin Diseases," thus accounts for the itching on the face and neck and neck. Eating too rich or too greasy food, or too hearty eating while the excretory organs are sluggish, causes in most people indigestion or a dyspeptic condition, which causes the blood to move sluggishly, which in turn inflames the pores. The result is that the sweating secretions block in the pores, which inflame, cause the itching and the itching is a signal. Dr. Fox therefore does not prescribe "blood purifiers" as called, but a "dyspeptic cure" to be taken, to use his own words "to get the epigastrium and stomach in a normal condition, so that the eruptions were caused by a humor in the blood," for which he treated the blood, giving the internal organs a normal condition. The result is that the pores are open, and the skin is healthy. Dr. Fox's Vegetable Sarsaparilla follows the modern ideas of Dr. Fox, and does not give a dyspeptic cure, but cleanses the blood and gives a normal condition to the system. It is sold and guaranteed by Rogers Bros. Book of wonderful testimonials free.

PIONEER DEAD.

The Remarks of Prof. Brownson at the Funeral of R. C. Hill. Dr. R. C. Hill, who died at his home in Albany was well-known in this city, and was one of the chief promoters of the Baptist college in this city. The funeral of this pioneer was held Friday last in Albany and was attended by a large concourse of friends and relatives. The services were conducted by Prof. T. G. Brownson, of this city, assisted by J. C. Richardson, of Eugene. Mr. Brownson read the following biographical sketch of the well-known pioneer: But a few short months ago a mother in Israel entered into her eternal rest. She had lived a long, useful and honored life. Nearly sixty years she and her companion had traveled the pathway of life together, sharing together the joys, and sympathizing with each other in the sorrows of life. And now her companion has fallen—fallen like a shock of corn fully ripe. He had lived to be nearly 83 years old, being born in 1808. He remained in his native state and adjoining states until he was about 40 years old in which time he had availed himself of the limited educational advantages then in the vicinity, made a public profession of faith in Christ in 1833, married Margaret Lair in 1832, entered upon the practice of medicine and was ordained to the gospel ministry in 1846. In 1850 Dr. Hill visited the Pacific coast, remaining about two years and returning to bring his family. He settled in Benton county upon a farm almost the entire management of which was entrusted to other members of the family, while he gave himself to the double work of practicing medicine and preaching the gospel. Both phases of his work covered a very large area, he doing almost an equal amount of preaching and medicine at the same time carrying on a large medical practice. He was especially successful in holding revival services, having buried in baptism more than one thousand rejoicing converts who had been instrumental in leading to Christ. He was a preacher of exceptional power, logical, fervent, winning, evangelistic, magnetic, biblical. Aside from the churches that were organized by him, and some of which he ministered to regularly for many years he preached in many desolate communities where the gospel had not been preached. During the first twenty years of his life in Oregon, while he had a large practice, he perhaps gave still more of his time and strength to religious work. He was prominently identified with the founding of the Baptist college at McMinnville and a member of its board of trustees from that time up to the day of his death. In that board his opinions and counsels had great weight. About 1870 the institution came into a crisis. It had no invested funds, and accumulating debts threatened its very life. It was decided to undertake to raise an endowment fund, the success of which efforts was believed to depend upon Dr. Hill's undertaking the arduous duties of a financial agent. He was having a lucrative practice yet heeding their judgment he left that practice to accept a smaller income, that he might accomplish an important work in the interest of Christian education. In many respects he was admirably fitted for this work, having profited convictions as to the need of institutions of higher learning under positive Christian control and especially having very strong convictions as to the importance of an educated ministry. Not being a college graduate, his appeal for higher education had greater effect. Possibly no college educated man ever pleaded on the Pacific coast for a thoroughly educated ministry more earnestly and more convincingly than did Dr. Hill. Whether we look at Dr. Hill as a citizen, a business man, a physician, a preacher, or an advocate of higher education, there can be but one verdict, that his life was a success.

What It Means. [Extracted from a sermon by Rev. Thomas Dixon, Jr., pastor of the Twenty-Third Street Baptist church, New York city, delivered Sunday, Dec. 7, 1890.] The Farmers' Alliance movement means the education of the masses—the farmer as a farmer. It means the assertion of the manhood of the yeoman of the nation. This is real education. The accent of our education has hitherto been to get on "to rise." We have been taught to climb out of the humble sphere in which we were born into some so-called higher sphere. The smith rises to despise his anvil, and the clock-maker to look with contempt upon the plow. They rise to "higher" things. They become lawyers, and doctors, and preachers, and bankers, railroad men and politicians. We now have fully 8,000,000 men in this country educated to be presidents of the United States. We only need about a dozen presidents in a hundred years—an awful waste of raw material. The farmers are learning and teaching to their children, in this organization, that the work of the farm is as sacred, as noble, as honorable as that of any other sphere in life. The farmer makes cash that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. T. Chaney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, and the said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh of the Bladder cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHANEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 5th day of December, A. D. 1890. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous membrane of the system, and for testimonials, free, F. J. CHANEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Congressional Districts. A year from next June Oregon will have two congressmen to elect. The legislature this winter will form the two districts. How is the state to be divided, is the question so as to make two equal districts in population? To make a district from the part east of the Cascade mountains would not be a just and equal division. By making a north and south district, running the line east and west, would more nearly divide the population, but to do this the line would have to be on the north line of Benton and Linn counties, and this would make the southern district greatly out of proportion in area. Eastern Oregon will probably work hard to be created into the separate district, but that will not be satisfactory to the rest of the state, for the reason first given—an unequal division of population.—Yonkers Republican.

Startling Facts. The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Hempling, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus' dance Dr. Miles' great Restorative Nerve Cure cured him. Mrs. J. R. Miller, of Valparaiso, and J. D. Taylor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vista, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration, by one bottle. Trial bottle, and line book of marvelous cures, free at Rogers Bros', who recommend it and guarantee this unequalled remedy.

Garment Famine. A famine in Soudan has existed for several months past. It is only where Europeans have been that some detailed information has reached the outside world as to the terrible condition of the people. The extent of the affected region is very great—in fact, trustworthy native accounts indicate that there is no town or district from the borders of Egypt proper to Senaar in the south, from Darfur in the west through Kordofan to the Nile provinces and east to the sea that has not been, during the past year and a half more than decimated by starvation. Not only have the inhabitants of the plains suffered, but misery has also reached the mountaineers from the Bet Amer country to Abyssinia.

Sudden Deaths. Heart disease is by far the most frequent cause of sudden death, which in three out of four cases is unsuspected. The symptoms are: a habit of lying on the right side, short breath, pain or distress in side, back or shoulder, irregular pulse, asthma, weak and hungry sleep, wind in stomach, swelling of ankles, dropsy, oppression, dry cough and smothering. Dr. Miles' Nerve Cure, which cures nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, effects of drinking, etc. It contains no opiates.

He's a Shiner. The following advertisement in the Independence West Side was inserted by a young man who will not work if he knows himself and he knows himself well enough that he looks luminous beside the majority of worthless loafers: "A handsome young man who hates work would like to make the acquaintance of a young lady with means sufficient to support a husband in ease and indolence; beauty no object; the only dollar is the only matrimonial motive. Address Box 146, Independence, Or."

Worse than Leprosy is Catarrh, and there is but one preparation that does cure that disease, and that is the California Positive and Negative Electric Liniment, sold by Rogers Bros. It also cures neuralgia, rheumatism, headache, sprains, burns and all pains. Try it and tell your neighbors where to get it.

The Two Made One. The following license was issued by the county clerk during the last week: S. M. Penland, 32; Laura V. Branson.

Excitement. Runs high at Rogers Bros' drug store over System Builder, as every-body is using it. For Catarrh of the Stomach, Dyspepsia, Constipation and Impure Blood and to build up the system it certainly possesses wonderful merit when all speak so well of it.

\$100,000 to Loan. Money to loan upon real estate in Yamhill county, for a term of years. For terms write to or call upon F. W. Fenton, attorney at law, McMinnville, Oregon. "Hackstack," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by Howarth and Co.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Gen. Francis E. Spinner, ex-treasurer of the United States, died Dec. 31, 1890. Francis E. Spinner was of German descent, his father, John Peter Spinner having been born in Jerbach, Baden. After obtaining twelve years as a Catholic priest the elder Spinner became a Protestant, married and emigrated to the United States in 1801. He became pastor of the German Flats and Herkimer Reformed Churches and preached until his death in 1848. Francis E. Spinner was born in German Flats, now Mohawk, N. Y., Jan. 21, 1802. His father was a man of ability and erudition, and carefully educated his son, but insisted that he should learn a trade. Young Spinner was accordingly apprenticed to a confectioner in Albany, and afterwards to a saddler in Amsterdam. He engaged in trade at Herkimer in 1824 and was made deputy sheriff of the county in 1828. He filled this position so satisfactorily during the six succeeding years that, in 1834, he was elected sheriff, holding that office three years. He took an active part in every public enterprise, among others the organization of the Twenty-sixth regiment of New York State Artillery, of which he was chosen lieutenant. In 1834 he attained the rank of major-general of the Third Division of artillery, and shortly afterward organized the Lafayette Guards, which was a company of considerable celebrity in its time. Gov. Marcy appointed him one of the commissioners for building the State Lunatic Asylum at Utica, in 1838 and the year following he accepted the cashiership of the Mohawk Valley. He filled either this position or the presidency of the bank during twenty years and his administration was exceedingly successful. From 1845 to 1849 he was auditor and deputy naval officer of New York and in 1854 was elected to congress as an anti-slavery democrat from the Herkimer district and two years later was elected as a republican. In 1861 came his appointment as United States treasurer, from which office he retired on July 1, 1875. During the war the absolute fidelity with which he guarded the millions of dollars entrusted to his care caused him to be called the "Watchdog of the Treasury." After fourteen years of service as treasurer and when he came to close his accounts with the government, he was found to be one cent short. The story of the famous hunt for that missing cent, which was finally found, is still told in financial circles. Gen. Spinner had a strong, rugged personality and was beloved by all who knew him intimately. His manner was exceedingly brusque at times, but never failed to close up any temporary matter he had to handle with an immediate act of kindness. The latter years of his life were