

LOCAL NEWS.

J. H. Nelson, dentist.
 Robert Lancelfield of Forest Grove was in the city Monday.
 We need all the wood due this office on subscription—need it at once.
 Miss Carrie Schenk is employed as clerk at R. Jacobson & Co's.
 The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance.
 Miss Louise Yoren of Eugene has been visiting Miss Allie Link the past week.
 Kay & Todd have the nicest line of fancy shirts and ties ever brought to the city.
 B. F. McLaughlin has become a partner in the publication of the Sheridan Sun.
 During the current month Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Heath will visit Baker City and other points of interest in eastern Oregon.
 Frank Abram Powell will preach next Lord's day at 11 a. m. on "Manhood In Christ," and at 7:30 p. m. on "Saul of Tarsus."
 Jonas Howell was here the first of the week attending to some business. The Howells are nicely situated in their new home at Elk Rock station.
 E. N. Ford and family will shortly go to southern Oregon for the benefit of Mr. Ford's health. They will probably remain several months. Wm. Booth will accompany them.
 Hon. Lee Laughlin has secured the Redmond dwelling, corner of Second and F streets, and expects to occupy it this week. Mr. and Mrs. Redmond will leave shortly for Watsonville, Cal., we understand.
 The new ladies' quartette at the Baptist church is a good one. It is composed of Misses Glen, Snyder, Spencer and Dorris. There is a good chorus choir besides, which furnishes excellent music under direction of Miss Glen.
 Saturday saw a big crowd in town, and many a nimble nickle passed across the counter during the day. What with the new fall stocks laid in by our merchants in various lines, the grand millinery displays opened out, and two or three closing out sales in full blast, the next few weeks promise to be a succession of big days in McMinnville. She was never in better shape to take care of a big trade. She has the stocks and competition is red hot.

Died, at her home near Happy valley, Sept. 23, 1897, Mrs. Nancy Williams, daughter of B. and E. E. Brower. Deceased was born in Mills county, Iowa, Oct. 25th, 1871, and with her parents came to Oregon in 1876. She was one of ten children, the others all surviving. She was converted and united with the M. E. church in 1889. Funeral services were conducted on Friday at the home, by Rev. Joseph Hoberg.

E. F. Manning reached home Saturday evening. He was as far south as San Francisco, and stopped off at half a dozen places this side. The evidences of prosperity, he says, are manifest everywhere among the people, and the banks full of money that they don't know what to do with. Lower rates of interest are among the good things people are promising themselves. Six per cent is about the mark they have set.

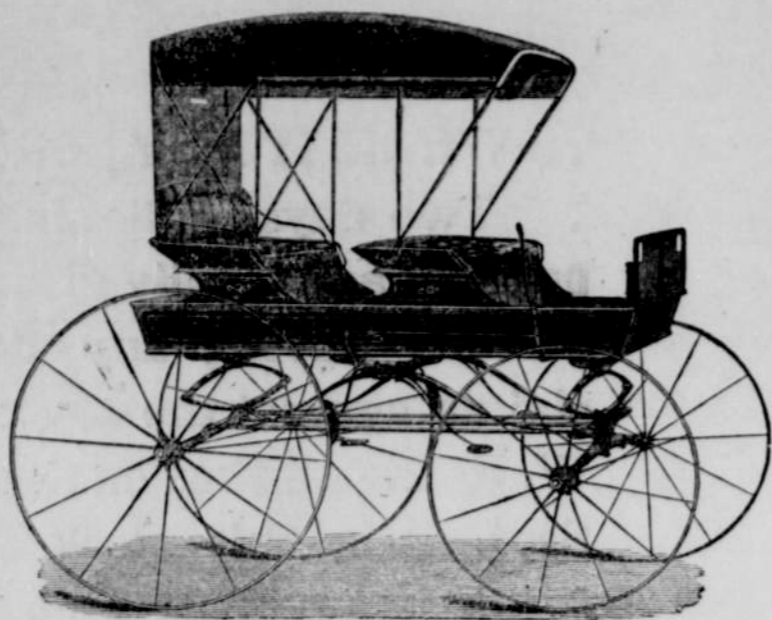
This is the second week of the college term, and up to Tuesday the enrollment had reached 80, with several prospective students in view. It appears more than likely that the 100 mark will be passed. President Boardman remarks, with a gleam of satisfaction on his face, that the work is moving off nicely, and the ambitious and exultant spirit is abroad among the students also. That this is to be the most successful year in the history of the McMinnville college goes without saying.

Cook School notes: School opened on its second week last Monday morning. There were 155 pupils in attendance. There were about 90 the first week. Supt. Prentiss paid us a visit Tuesday afternoon. The first game of the season was base ball, and when the rain started the boys started black-man. This being the first week of these notes and not much going on besides hard work, there is not much news.

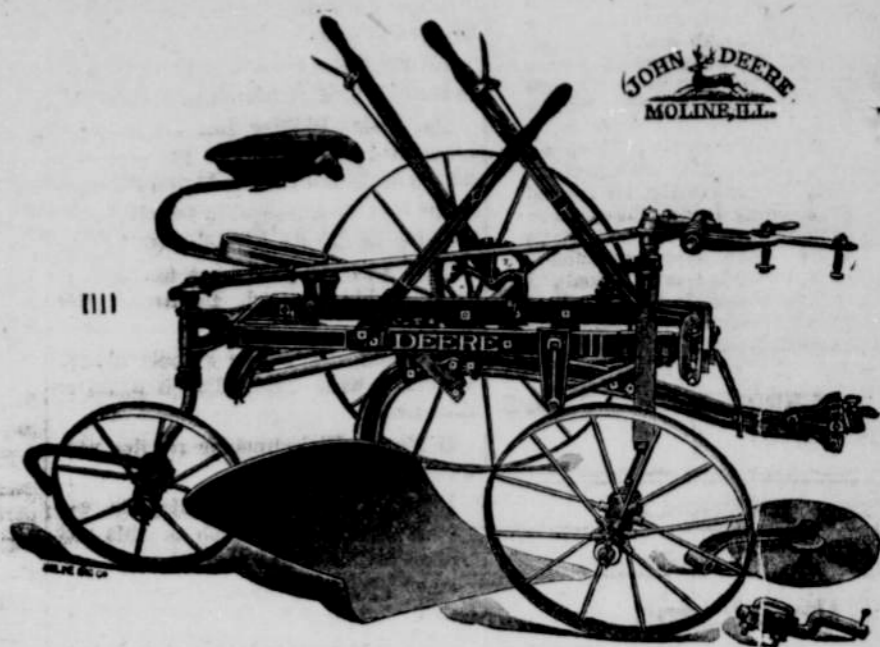
Correspondent.
 The public opening of the reading room, while not largely attended owing to other entertainments, was a season of pleasure to the few faithful ones who are trying to do something beneficial to the youth of our city. The address of President Boardman was to the point and he said as head of the institution of learning with which he is connected, he could heartily endorse the reading room from selfish motives if nothing else, as it is a benefit to the students, but more so to the public at large. His address was followed by one from Prof. Reynolds of the public schools, and the wish of the writer is that every parent could have heard the plain facts contained therein. Revs. Thompson, Summerville and King each spoke encouraging words for the work of the union, and especially the free reading rooms which are being established by the organization in almost every town and city of our land. After this came the social hour and refreshments. The ladies take this opportunity to thank each and all who in any way helped to make the meeting a success. Rev. King especially, and others for donation of books, etc.

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