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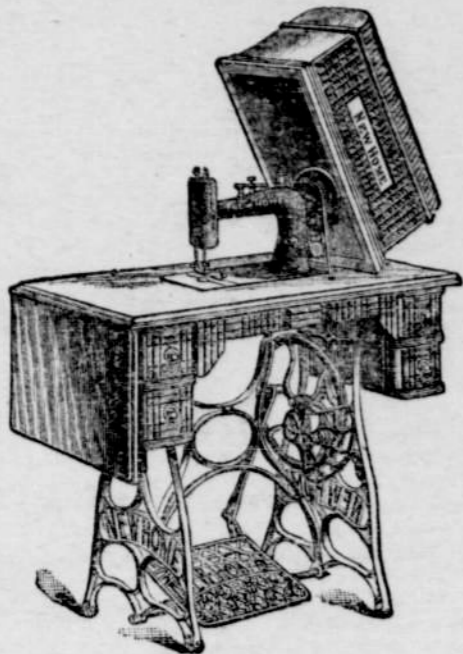
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McMINNVILLE, ORE., FRIDAY, FEB. 10, 1899.

One Dollar if paid in advance, Single numbers five cents.

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From regular Cash prices this month on all Musical Instruments and Sewing Machines.

Emerson Pianos,
Kimball and Cottage Organs.

CHAS. GRISSON, McMinnville, Oregon.

Take No Risks...

Disease lurks in impure water, and may cause sickness and fever while you lay it to conditions far removed from the real cause. The well-known safeguard is

The Pasteur Filter.

It has stood the test of time and the experience of thousands.

O. O. HODSON.

The Chicago Store

We place on Sale Saturday
Morning our first shipment of

New Spring Goods.

250 pieces New Wool Dress Fabrics, all the New-est New York Novelties.

300 pieces New Wash Dress Fabrics consisting of
PARIS BRODIERS, MADRAS WASH SILKS,
ZEPHYR GINGHAMS, PERCALES,
DIMITIES, OUTINGS, PENANGS,
SATTEENS, Etc.

Some of the most beautiful designs ever originated
in Wash Goods.

40 pieces New Spring Silks in Plaid, in Stripes
and Brocades. Full line TAFFETA SILKS in
colors.

Complete line Housekeeping Goods, Sheetings,
Seamless Pillow Case Muslin, Ready-made Sheets
and Pillow Cases, Table Linen, Silkolones, Prints,
Ginghams, etc.

50 Cases New Shoes.

We're going to do business this spring if Stock
and Prices talk.

CHICAGO STORE.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

FEBRUARY TERM.

Supervisors were appointed as follows: Road district, No. 4, J. T. Stimpson; No. 5, J. R. Forrest; No. 8, Joseph M. Robertson; No. 19, A. L. Myers; No. 17, E. S. Remington; No. 18, W. R. Everest; No. 19, J. N. Youcum; No. 25, Mr. Ball; No. 26, Chas. Taylor; No. 29, Wm. Russell.

In the matter of advertising for bids for furnishing lumber for the several road districts in wagonload lots for the year 1899. Ordered that clerk advertise in each paper published in the county for sealed bids.

Resignation of Pleasant Smith as supervisor of road district No. 29, accepted.

BILLS ALLOWED.

E Earhart, bridge work	\$ 7 75
" " tile for road	2 46
G F Earhart, supervisor	224 00
J W Martin, " "	70 00
A M Waddle, " "	27 00
Henry Dunstan, " "	54 00
Jno Bradley, " "	146 00
A L Myers, " "	99 00
L Christenson, " "	50 00
David Leno, " "	92 00
Chas Taylor, " "	31 00
F H McGrow, " "	40 00
J R Forrest, " "	20 00
I E Conner, " "	50 00
O J Leabo, " "	64 00
T Goodrich, " "	80 00
M Underwood, house rent	2 00
O O Rhude, salary treasurer	50 00
E V Littlefield, Supt salary	66 35
R Jacobson, supplies for poor	24 25
A P Morris, overpaid tax	1 00
F Keller, care of poor	11 00
David Leno, bridge work	6 00
G W Gaunt, shoveling snow	1 25
A H Grenz, shoveling snow	1 00
Wm Minty, " "	1 00
Justice transcript	9 35
W V Telephone Co, rent	3 00
Orville Parker, janitor	25 00

NEWBERG.

G. C. Sears has returned to his farm after a few weeks' recreation in Portland. Mrs. C. B. Frizzell of Hillsboro was in town, visiting relatives and friends last week.

The grip has had full sway in and about town, but is somewhat subsiding now.

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Moffet is lying at the point of death. I regret the retirement of Mr. Barnhart from the Reporter, and hope to see Mr. Asbury meet with unbounded success.

Quite a number of our citizens were prepared to go to Portland as witnesses in the suit of Osborne vs the Newberg Orchard Association, but owing to the sickness of the defendant the case was postponed.

Little Ella Nelson was considerably shaken up by a fall down a flight of stairs on Tuesday morning.

Laurence Hall received word from Butteville that his Grandmother Ellis is in a critical condition from a stroke of paralysis.

Real Estate Transfers.

Week ending Feb. 8th:	
Sophia Combs and husband to Joseph McDaniel 150 a pt of S Allen d l c t 5 r 4	\$ 1800
Daisy Hillier and husband to Ezra Boyce 160.80 a sec 3 t 3 r 5	3000
A E Hanford to Sarah A McCann lot 111 Dayton 4 t r 3	375
Jesse Edwards and w f to J H Douglas, jr, and J F Taylor, trustees of Douglas trust fund 3.36 a near McMinnville	500
Mary E and L A Thomas to J R Brown lot 4 blk 13 Faulconer's add to Sheridan	60
J S and Jennie Cooper to Ina P Cooper lots 12 and 13 blk 18 Whiteson	1
H C Burns and w f to C A Wallace 50 a t r 5	488 70

City Wood Bids.

McMinnville, Or., Jan. 31, 1899. Sealed bids will be received by the city up to 7:30 o'clock, Feb. 15th, 1899, for 500 cords of old fir, free from large knots, and 500 cords of second-growth fir, split. Bids for less than 25 cords not considered. City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. W. L. HEMBREE, Recorder of the City of McMinnville.

OUR CLUBBING LIST.

Weekly Inter Ocean	\$1.35
St. Louis Globe-Democrat, semi-weekly	1.50
Rural Northwest, Portland, semi-monthly	1.25
Oregonian, weekly	2.00
McClure's Magazine, monthly	1.85
Cosmopolitan Magazine, monthly	1.85
The Weekly San Francisco Call	1.70
The Weekly New York Tribune	1.25

THE SCHOOLS.

COOK BUILDING.

The children were snowballing Wednesday afternoon.

The water pipes are bursted and we are now without water.

The directors were with us Monday morning.

Miss Clara Irvine is teaching the 4th and 5th grades. Miss Mann was called to Salem.

The pupils are slowly returning to their studies after having had a tussle with the grip.

Probate Court.

Estate of W. T. Hasb. Final account filed. March 7th at 1 p. m. set to hear same.

Estate of Mary Stephens. Inventory filed and approved.

Estate of S. C. Pearson. Report of sale of personal property approved. Final account filed and Saturday, March 11th, 1899, at 10 a. m. set to hear same. Notice to be given in the Yamhill County Reporter.

Estate of Jacob T. Williamson. Motion to dismiss and strike from the files of this cover the petition of Virginia Espy to set aside the probate will of deceased J. T. Williamson.

Estate of Robt. Atkinson. Motion of Margaret Green, one of the heirs at law, to dismiss and strike out the objection of J. and S. Atkinson to former report. Hearing continued.

Estate of S. Forehand. H. W. Hogue appointed administrator. Bonds fixed at \$27,000.

Estate of L. C. Forrest. Final account approved and the executor discharged and the estate declared fully and finally settled.

Estate of Alexander Stoutenburg. Will admitted to probate upon proofs taken in open court. Neal A. Stoutenburg appointed executor with will annexed. Bond fixed at \$6,000.

Estate of John Perkins. Seventh semi-annual account filed and approved.

Meeting of City Council.

A regular session of the city council was held Tuesday evening, with Mayor McPhillips in the chair and councilmen Wright, Nelson, Jones and McDonald present. Minutes of both regular and special meetings were read and approved. A petition signed by 51 citizens, asking that all delinquent water and light tax due from ordinance enacted in January, 1896, exempting councilmen and mayor from paying same, be collected, was read. Mayor McPhillips issued an order to the marshal to present bills for all arrearages to the present councilmen and mayor and ex-mayor and ex-councilmen, and if same is not paid to shut off the water and disconnect the light from their houses. The bond of Geo. Sauter was approved and saloon license granted for six months. A smoke house in the vicinity of the opera house was reported dangerous, and marshal was instructed to look after it. Wright moved to rescind the former action taken toward buying a new arc light machine, and that the committee turn over all correspondence on the subject to the recorder, and that the committee be discharged. Motion carried. Investigation along this line, however, will probably continue.

The city superintendent reported the water and light plant in fairly good condition, and that 76 cords of wood were required in January. Marshal Neal reported four arrests for the month. Miss Patti, city collector, reported \$458.20 collected in January and paid over to treasurer. Only \$3 reported delinquent. Treasurer Apperson's report showed cash on hand in all funds \$261.56, with warrants outstanding to the amount of \$3,370.30.

CASTORIA

Bears the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER. In use for more than thirty years, and The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Mrs. Regina Stoutenburg, relict of A. Stoutenburg, deceased, died at her home near Wheatland, Thursday, February 23, 1899, of cancer of the stomach. She would have been 72 years of age the 9th day of February. A wave of excitement was caused one evening this week at the M. E. church. While Chas. Scott was giving his testimony, he fell as if knocked down and swooned. Some were greatly alarmed, and several ladies in their alarm shrieked aloud. It appears, as Mr. Scott states, that at the time of his conversion he promised the Lord that he would do anything the Lord would require of him. After conversion he became convinced that God wished him to preach, but this he refused to do, even though God would knock him down. He says God did knock him down, and does so every time he testifies, when reaching a particular period in his testimony.—Dayton Herald.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

A Presidential Social.

This was the name of a pleasing form of entertainment given by the endeavor society of the Cumb. Presbyterian church on Saturday evening. Members were designated to come prepared to impersonate or in some manner represent the 24 presidents who have ruled the nation up to date, the society to guess the character. Geo. Washington was represented by the pastor, Rev. Fender, who wore a colonial hat, and had an illustrated soap advertisement of a girl washing pinned on his back, and carried a hatchet. Miss Bessie Houck recited the first lines of the immortal declaration to characterize Thos. Jefferson. Miss Bergitta Nelson counted four and pressed a dent in a hat for "fourth president"—Madison. Miss Nettie Kigery read from the Monroe doctrine for Monroe. Mr. O. Hobson said his president was the author of that document—John Quincy Adams. Miss Nannie Maloney held a piece of well-seasoned hickory, for "Old Hickory" Jackson. Miss Emma Green read about a prosperous administration and a wide political experience and rule, which was soon guessed as VanBuren. Miss Kathleen Bird held a toy canoe, which she tipped in her hand for Wm. H. Harrison or "Tippecanoe." Miss Mollie Patty wore a plug hat with a large R upon it for Tyler. Miss Josie Gortner impersonated Grant by a necklace of "Let us have peace," and the letters "Gr" preceding the picture of an ant. Chas. Nelson stood up and ate a large piece of candy to represent Fillmore, and has been sick ever since. Miss Nellie Cooper feigned to do violence to Mr. Franklin Rennie to represent Franklin Pierce. Mr. F. E. Rogers began quoting President McKinley's famous factory opening utterance, and was guessed before he could finish. Miss Josie Gardner stood for Jas. K. Polk by wearing a very striking poke bonnet. Mr. Frank Rennie held in his hand a draft of a buck sheep and a cannon, for Buchanan. Mr. Louis Nelson appeared with a needle and thread and tape line, and was soon guessed as Taylor. Mr. Eckman represented Andrew Johnson by drawing his son with a rope.

Following the impersonations was a guessing contest by filling out numbered blank lists of presidents from pictures of the presidents hanging on the wall. Miss Josie Gortner won the contest. Following this was a presidential race to balance a croquet ball on the point of the finger and place it in a chair fifteen feet away, two minutes being given each contestant, who stood for some presidential candidate. This was won by Mr. O. Hobson, who stood for the prohibitionist, Levering. The social closed with all singing "America," and prayer for the nation by the pastor. Seid Back, jr., a young Chinaman of Portland, sang three songs during the evening, which were very much appreciated.

Annual Meeting of Fire Companies.

Monday night was held the annual meeting of the fire companies of the city. The report of Chief Scott Wright showed that there had been three incipient fires during the year, as follows: On February 8th, from the falling of a large lamp in the store of Mrs. Morris & Co., on March 10th, the burning out of a chimney on Mrs. M. A. Shadden's house, and on January 10th, the burning of the Oliver bakery. None of these fires proved disastrous, and the record for the year is a very creditable one. The fact is, the city has pretty good protection with its efficient fire companies and the new water mains.

The officers elected Monday night for the ensuing year are as follows: Earl Seibert, chief; D. W. Feely, assistant chief.

Alert hose company—President, E. S. Warren; vice president, L. G. Daniels; secretary, Chas. P. Nelson; treasurer, Clarence P. Irvine; foreman, Arthur Seibert; assistant foreman, Mr. Ferguson.

Star hose company—President, R. L. Conner; vice president, E. F. Sutherland; secretary, C. J. Taff; treasurer, Wm. F. Dielschneider; foreman, D. A. Smith; assistant foreman, Carl Fuchs.

Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. B. Q. on each tablet. For sale by Rogers Bros.

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Thought They Were Held Up.

There was an exciting experience in Portland as the west side evening train pulled out Monday evening. Detective Weiner was talking to a desperado as the train reached Market street, and the desperado anticipating arrest started to run to board the train, at the same time firing two shots at the detective without effect. The detective returned the shots, also without effect, as the bad man climbed into Engineer Dumphy's cab. The engineer at first thought the train was being held up, and threw up his hands, but quickly pulled the throttle wide open when ordered to do so by the desperado. Some passengers who were on the back platform of the train also believing that the train was being held up, jumped off and ran to the sidewalk, but the train moving on, they returned, only to tumble off again, giving people on the street the impression that they were shot. Conductor Cline, coming to the conclusion that something was wrong, opened the airbrake valve, and the train quickly came to a stop. At this the desperado jumped off the engine and started up Harrison street. Detective Weiner was coming up Fourth street as fast as he could, but was not within shooting distance. Albert Wey, son of Butcher Wey, who was recently held up by the robber, hearing the cries of "Stop thief!" came out with a shotgun and let drive, the full charge of No. 5 shot taking effect behind the robber's ear. The only perceptible effect was to cause him to increase his speed and he turned up Fifth street, running into a yard and behind a house about the middle of the block. He jumped the fence into the next yard, and as he came out on Hall street was arrested by Detective Weiner and Patrolman E. J. Wilkinson, who had gone round the block to head him off. The robber was as cool as could be. He said he would have done some more shooting, but the whole town was after him. He gave up his gun cheerfully, and was handcuffed and walked to the police station, the wound behind his ear attracting considerable attention from people on the streets. The robber and an accomplice are believed to be the parties who have done nearly all the robbing, which has been so frequent in Portland the last two months.

A colored person called William King, of New Bedford, Mass., has enjoyed the uninterrupted possession of two hearts for a century, as he is one hundred years old, and is still so hale and literally hearty as to be able to bend bars of iron across his arm. According to the New York Herald, which records this remarkable freak of nature, Dr. Monroe B. Long, of the Muhlenberg hospital staff, a physician of high repute, after visiting King, said: "King has one heart on the right and one on the left side of the chest, whose separate beats in unison could plainly be determined. By a certain muscular contraction King let one heart drop to the left iliac region, where I clearly heard the beating; then let the other heart drop to the right iliac region, where its beating was also plainly heard, both beating in the lower part of the abdomen in unison. Next, King threw over the interior of the abdomen a wall of bone from the neck down, giving every evidence of having two sternums, or breastbones, one of which is movable at his will and seems to lie behind the regular breastbone when in repose."

The young ladies of Dallas have found something new under the sun in the line of a social party. They invite the young men to a party at an unknown place and have them hunting over the town to find it. It doesn't take long, though, to locate the merry chatter and laughter of a band of romping girls.

Alex. Holmes, who lives near the railroad this side of McCoy, takes the Daily Oregonian and his smartest dog goes to the train to get the paper when thrown off. It used to be that he considered bread and meat as good enough pay for his trouble but now nothing short of sugar will procure the delivery of the paper when he gets home with it.—Dallas Itemizer.

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