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Goods of all descriptions moved, and careful handling guaranteed. Collections will be made monthly. Hauling of all kinds done cheap.

Revised services conducted by Rev. M. L. Jones and Mrs. Barrett in the Methodist church at Dayton, have resulted in over a score of additions to the church.

We are informed that the recent high water damaged the south approach to the bridge across the Yamhill river by low Trullinger's flour mill. An old gentleman by the name of Gilbert died about seven miles southwest of this place last Saturday morning, and was buried in the Stout cemetery on Monday. —North Yamhill Record.

The claim of other cough medicines to be as good as Chamberlain's are effectually set at rest in the following testimonial of Mr. C. D. Glass, an employe of Bartlett & Dennis Co., Gardiner, Me. He says: "I had kept adding to a cold and cough in the winter of 1897, trying every cough medicine I heard of without permanent help, until one day I was in the drug store of Mr. Houlehan, and he advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and offered to pay back my money if I was not cured. My lungs and bronchial tubes were very sore at this time, but I was completely cured by this remedy, and have since always turned to it when I got a cold, and soon find relief. I also recommend it to my friends and am glad to say it is the best of all cough medicines." For sale by Howorth.

LOCAL NEWS.

G. S. Wright, dentist. Bob Linn. Everybody knows Bob Linn. Mrs. A. Shilling is visiting friends at Oregon City.

Wall paper at cut prices. Must be sold. Call and see Hodson.

The new cigar maker at Wiesner & Ekstein's factory is Ad Silvy of Portland.

Duncan Ross was in the city Monday, having just recovered from a three-weeks' siege of grip.

Bob Linn, the harness maker, has charge of Manning's harness shop. Call and see him and get acquainted.

Paine and Ingersoll memorial at the First Secular church next Sunday evening. Address by Nettie Olds-Haight. Literary and musical program. The public cordially invited.

W. L. Warren, J. P. Irvine and J. W. Hobbs went over to Salem early in the week.

Mrs. L. W. Sitton of Portland has consented to be a candidate for the office of school director, and is likely to have the support of the city without opposition.

The Oregon Fire Relief Association will hold a meeting of its members on Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1901, to consider proposed changes in constitution and by laws. All members present have a right to vote, and all that can should attend.

Judge Bird has had his turn at the grip, incurred while taking a cold ride to inspect some damaged bridges. The Judge has a remedy, if taken in time: Keep eating a little gum camphor every two or three hours. It is said to be very effective.

H. M. Roberts, who bought out the general merchandise business of H. F. Bedwell at North Yamhill, took charge of the store last week. He retains Mr. Harry Gist as salesman. Mr. Frank Sladden will probably take a position with a Portland firm.

The Valley Transcript says that it has been sold by its owner, Mr. Snyder, to an unknown party, and Mr. Harbaugh, who is operating under a lease, declares that he will fill out all unexpired subscriptions.

The daily Guard of Eugene contained a notice of Elder Lindsey's recent revival meetings in that city which was very flattering. It said "that 800 to 900 people were in their seats by 7:30 to hear the pulpit orator of the northwest," and that his audiences were held spellbound for from 40 to 60 minutes.

Wheat 50c, oats, 35c@38c, baled hay \$8; oats and cheat \$8; poultry per doz, \$2 to \$3.50, pork, dressed 5 1/2c to 6c, live 4 1/2c, bran 70c per 100 lbs, shorts 80c per 100 lbs, flour 80c a sack, potatoes 60c a sk, prunes 5c, beef \$3.50 to \$4.00 per 100, butter 35 to 40c, eggs 23c, hops 13c, wool 14c.

D. M. Caldwell completed the work of taking the school census last Friday. The total number of children of school age found by him was 651—343 boys and 308 girls. The number of voters is 400, and the population was found to be 1,991. The latter figure is nearly as large as the U. S. census made the population of Salem.

Home Circle No. 57, Women of Woodcraft, met in their new hall in the Burns building on Monday evening, Jan. 28th. Installation of the following officers took place: Past guardian, M. L. Bardon; guardian, Mrs. Jennie Grissen; adviser, Clara Rhude; attendant, Mrs. L. Gaunt; magician, Mrs. Bertha Herkosky; clerk, Mamie Woodrum; banker, Mrs. M. J. Neal; captain of guards, Nettie Derby; inner sentinel, Mrs. M. Dennis; physician, Dr. Cook; managers, Henry Gee, Mrs. Hayes and L. E. Wright. After installation ceremony and other lodge business was over, the members repaired to the reception room, where they were joined by a goodly number of Woodmen to partake of supper, after which games and a social time were had until a late hour, all feeling that it was good to be there.

On Friday last Governor Geer appointed the seven delegates to Washington, D. C., provided by the bill in the interest of pensions for Indian War veterans. The commission named is the same as was recommended by the veterans themselves, with the exception of Hon. Lee Laughlin of this county, who did not feel physically able to make the trip, and recommended in his stead W. D. Stillwell of Tillamook. The others are H. D. Mount, Marion county; Jason Wheeler, Linn; G. W. Riddle, Douglas; T. A. Wood, Multnomah; Col. O. Summers, Portland; J. C. Cooper, McMinnville. The delegates left for Washington on Tuesday. It is their intention to secure, if possible, an interview with President McKinley himself, who, being a veteran, and a man of near their own age, is likely to do for them all within his power. Some papers of the state, notably the Portland Telegram, have been inclined to look upon this trip as one of pleasure for the delegates, and as a sort of graft. The fact is, it is the best evidence on the part of the state of good faith in this Indian war business that she has ever given, and if the object of the mission is not accomplished through this effort, all hope may as well be buried. Later—Col. O. Summers was unable to accompany the committee on account of press of personal business.

G. S. Wright, dentist.

Star 5 Star shoes at the Racket Store. No baits at the St. Charles store. All goods sold at a profit.

O. H. Irvine's family have all been ill with the grip the past week.

The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance

Dr. W. H. Vose has been down to southern Oregon this week on business.

Mrs. Hussey, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Cows.

The great clearance sale of R. Jacobson & Co. will only last ten days longer, therefore don't delay your purchases.

Bring your best butter and fresh eggs to Wallace & Walker and get their worth in cash or mdse.

The wood air tight heater will save the price of a stove in one year. Hodson sells them.

Mrs. Eunice Brooks, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her brother, O. H. Adams.

We are paying this week 30 to 35 cts per roll for good butter and 20 cts per doz for fresh eggs. WALLACE & WALKER.

The gifts of Mrs. Leland Stanford are spoken of in the January Delineator. Now for sale at Grange store.

Jones & Adams started the ox teams to the mill Tuesday, preparatory to engaging in logging during the early months of spring.

We extend a special invitation to the Racket store in our new quarters on south side Third street.

C. F. MILLS & Co.

The T. B. Kay residence on Fifth street was sold to Scott Wright on Monday for \$1,000. Mr. Wright will occupy the house at once. S. D. Gaunt, the former occupant, will move into the U. S. Booth residence.

Why do postmasters now holding office fear the loss of their positions if McBride is not elected senator? Hasn't President McKinley as good as said that under the civil service rules postmasters would not be removed except for cause?

Hon. Wm. Chrisman and wife returned Thursday evening last week from Pueblo, Colo. They left Mr. and Mrs. Gaunt at that place. Mrs. Gaunt's health is about as good as ever, but that of Mr. Gaunt has grown very poor since he left McMinnville.

At the evening service in the Baptist church next Sunday, Miss Trumbull will give an organ recital, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. This will be a treat that the people of McMinnville have never before enjoyed, and those who attend for from 40 to 60 minutes.

M. O. Warner, the piano tuner in whom McMinnville pianists have confidence, is in the city. His visit this time was delayed because of the large amount of work he had to do in other cities. Mr. Warner carries a testimonial of his work from an eastern house for which he would not take \$100.

The teachers' institute last Saturday in this city was attended by about 60 of the "profess." Every city principal was present except Prof. Linden of Sheridan, whose dignified presence and wise counsel were missed. This office acknowledges a pleasant call from Prof. Fisher, the new principal at Amity, and Prof. Duncan of Dayton. The next session will be held on the last Saturday of February, in Newberg.

The county commissioners at their meeting on Monday placed the county levy for taxes at 18 and 3-10ths mills, which is one-tenth mill less than last year. This levy added to the city and school district levies makes the total rate in McMinnville 26.3 mills. One of our neighboring cities has a city levy alone of 27 mills, and another of 13. Considering these figures, we are pretty well off.

There is strong probability that McMinnville's postoffice will change quarters in the near future. Former prospects for a change a few months ago were nipped in the bud by a remonstrance. Since that time Postmaster McCain has made shift with several inconveniences, such as lack of room, a leaky roof, no rear outlet, etc., until patience had ceased to be a virtue. In response to his request the inspector again visited the city last Saturday, and examined the Odd Fellows building, just vacated by H. C. Burns. This seems the most available room, and the terms made are favorable. It is offered, with everything furnished, and a large window to be put in the east wall, for \$30 per month. The news that the office will go there, is looked for at any time.

The location of Spaulding & Co.'s new lumber yard, which will open next month, will be the vacant lots of Geo. Bentley just east of W. J. Loughary's residence. A new office will be constructed fronting on Third street near the railroad, and there will be a driveway from Third to Fourth streets. Spaulding & Co.'s mill is the old Durance mill on the river at Newberg, and their supply of logs is obtained from a tract of timber on the Luckiamute, and from tracts adjacent to the North Yamhill. Several million feet have been floated down the latter river this winter. To give them direct rail connection with this part of the country they contemplate extending the switch now running to the tile factory at Newberg on to the mill, thus saving a transfer charge at that point. This is the same firm which furnishes the balm logs to the paper mill at Oregon City.

CHICAGO STORE!

Our Third Annual Clearance Sale

Continues only Ten Days longer. Those of you who have attended this Sale appreciate the

STERLING BARGAINS

offered throughout the house. If there are any who have failed to come and see us since this sale was inaugurated, our advice to you is, come at once.

You Can Save From 1-4 to 1-2 on all your purchases

as every article in the House has been reduced from 25 to 50 per cent.

THE CHICAGO STORE

If in doubt as to what to make or select as a New Year's present, consult the January Delineator. Now for sale at Grange store.

People are divided into three classes now. Those who have had the grip and are over it, those who have it now, and those who are going to have it. Watt Henderson belongs to the second class and has been pretty sick.

When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and pleasant in effect use Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. Every box guaranteed. For sale by Howorth.

Date Wardle is a whole fire company in himself. Saturday night he discovered the roof of Mrs. Steward's house to be on fire, and he climbed the roof and extinguished it in less time than it would have taken to give the alarm. Wardle is a man of action in such an emergency.

Try H. A. Palmer for groceries, the best on the market at prices to suit your purse. Everything guaranteed. No poultry dressed after 5 p. m. Saturdays. Strictly cash or produce. Get your order in early.

The fat beef problem is worrying the butchers of McMinnville, notwithstanding this is the most favorable stockgrowing section on earth. Inquiries have been sent as far away as Corvallis, by our local butchers, but it seems that the supply of marketable beef cattle is about exhausted throughout the valley.

C. J. Goodbrod, department commander of the G. A. R. in Oregon, visited Custer post at this place last Saturday. His visit was not less pleasant because unexpected. From here he went on to Sheridan to visit a brother living there.

Bulletin No. 63, on the prevention of smut in oats, and bulletin No. 64, on investigation of diseases in poultry, have been issued from the Oregon agricultural experiment station at Corvallis, and will be sent free to any resident of Oregon who will write for them.

A little local inserted in The Reporter last week of standing timber for sale by T. H. Rogers, brought many inquiries to the advertiser, and he made a very satisfactory sale to D. C. Crawford. This timber is located on the south side of the timbered portion of the J. W. Rogers donation land claim one mile southwest of the city. It will make quite a change in the appearance of that section when cleared off.

The Oregon supreme court has ruled that the special tax on bicycles for creating a fund with which to construct bicycle paths is unconstitutional, and that it contravenes Article IX, section 1, which requires uniform and equal rates of assessment and taxation, and a just valuation for taxation of all property, both real and personal, since it levies a uniform tax on all bicycles regardless of age, pattern, condition and quality. It also operates to produce a double assessment of bicycles.

That much discussed and heralded play, "Way Down East," which is now touring the Pacific slope, under the direction of Wm. A. Brady, begins a week's engagement at the Marquam Grand opera house, Portland, on Monday, Feb. 4. The management promises an exact reproduction of the great New York presentation, and with a cast that has received the unqualified endorsement of the San Francisco papers. So strong is the faith of the management that it will be given one entire week. Matinees will be given on Wednesday and Saturday only. The country within a radius of a hundred miles of Portland has been thoroughly advertised for this engagement, and so confident is the management that the piece will duplicate its success in Portland as in other cities, that it is now concluding to remain in Oregon.

W. A. Howe, General Merchandise

We have to offer our customers good prices in the following lines:

Rubber Goods Heavy Winter Wear.

Wait a little and see our offers on Summer Goods. Best Prices for Farm Produce.

W. A. HOWE, Carlton.

R. Jacobson & Co's

Clearance Sale

Is a wonderful surprise to the public. Every day during our Great Sale our patrons are surprised how first-class merchandise can be sold at such a ridiculously low price.

We Are Determined to Clean Up Our Entire Stock of Winter Goods.

Therefore we must cut prices nearly in two. If you have not visited our establishment during our great sale, you had better do so at once, as goods are moving out very fast.

R. JACOBSON & CO.

Clearance Sale of Shoes.

Now is the time to get some genuine bargains in ladies' and men's shoes as we need room for spring stock. There is no place like the Racket Store for real values.

Howorth, the druggist, will refund you your money if you are not satisfied after using Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets. They cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness, constipation and headache. Price, 25 cents. Samples free.

George N. Reynolds of the D street meat market has sold his interest to Chas. H. Powell, his partner, the change taking effect today. It is understood that Mr. Powell will enlarge the business by increasing the stock. Mr. Reynolds will return to Portland soon, and again enter the employ of the Union Meat Co., whom he has served for several years.

The fifth place on the text book commission, made vacant by the resignation of Judge Lowell, of Pendleton, has been filled by the appointment of Charles A. Johns, the well-known attorney of Baker county, and president of the Baker City school board. He is a graduate of Willamette University. He was formerly county judge of Polk county, formerly mayor of Baker City, and has a good law practice. Mr. Johns was born in Missouri and was brought to Oregon when he was only two years old. The editor of The Reporter is personally acquainted with Mr. Johns, and believes him a good man for the place.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Hamilton visited in Portland Wednesday.

Capt. H. S. Maloney is surveying near the Grand Ronde reservation.

Mrs. M. Hodson spent the past week with her son's family, in Portland.

Mrs. R. Jacobson came up from Portland Wednesday evening, for a few days' visit.

Station Agent Merriman returned from a business trip to Roseburg Monday evening.

There is a slow leak in the hydrant at the corner of Fifth and Grant streets that needs attention.

Mrs. J. W. Cows arrived home during the week from a visit with relatives in Portland.

Why do you sell your eggs for 20c per dozen when you can get 23c at M. E. Hendrick's?

Mrs. W. D. McDonald and Mrs. Mary A. McDonald are visiting in Portland for a few days this week.

W. M. Rennie arrived home from Portland Wednesday, where he had been visiting his daughter.

"A Turkish Bath" was played to a small audience at the opera house Tuesday evening. The title seems to have no connection with the character of the play, which is a very airy little comedy designed to make you laugh rather than to study plots. There were six performers and a pianist. The acting and singing were both good, and the jokes were new.