

### An Exciting Announcement.

In last week's paper I announced that I was going to give away a new \$40 Rambler bicycle, 1901 model. That announcement has caused considerable excitement and a great many have called to examine the wheel and investigate the terms of the gift, and all have gone away happy with the prospect of being the owner of the wheel. Just opened a large line of manufacturer's samples of lace curtains, comprising some very beautiful designs, very wide and about two yards long. Lot 1 has been marked 20c, and lot 2, 25c. They will not last long at this price, come early and go away happy before the assortment is broken.

### LOCAL NEWS.

Hon. C. Obye of North Yamhill was in the city on Monday, after an illness of about a month from the grip.

Photo mounts cut to any size you wish at this office, and for sale cheaper than the cheapest.

Miss Lottie Reid, a student at the college, has been ill this week, threatened with pneumonia. Her mother is attending her.

I have money to loan on farm property at good terms. Parties wishing to borrow, call and see me.

R. L. CONNER.

Misses Ella and Laetitia Strong of Carlton visited friends in this city the first of the week.

There's a tiger loose in town. A "snap shot" may be seen and full particulars learned by calling at Grange & Farmers store.

J. H. Cunningham, Senator Howe's head man at Carlton, is said to be fostering the movement for a creamery at that place. If this is the case, something more than talk is likely to come of it, as Cunningham is a rustler and a man of good business ability.

Have you heard the latest? A big line of those famous Star 5 Star shoes in ladies' men's and children's. Be sure and get the best. They are the finest line we have had, at the Racket store.

On Friday evening of next week the Degree of Honor lodge of this city will have eleven initiations, to be followed by a supper. All members are requested to take notice of the fact, and each come prepared with his quota of provisions.

Miss Mary Bird entertained her class in rhetoric and literature last Friday evening at her home in Oak Park. Games of different kinds were indulged in and light refreshments served. Miss Stella Webster won first prize and Edith Reynolds, consolation.

Union growers of Washington county are beginning to plant the crop to be harvested in September. The industry has been profitable for the past two years and especially is this true of the market now. With the addition of the orient to former markets it is thought that over production will not prove disastrous this year.

## Getting Thin

is all right, if you are too fat; and all wrong, if too thin already.

Fat, enough for your habit, is healthy; a little more, or less, is no great harm. Too fat, consult a doctor; too thin, persistently thin, no matter what cause, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.

There are many causes of getting too thin; they all come under these two heads: over-work and under-digestion.

Stop over-work, if you can; but, whether you can or not, take Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil, to balance yourself with your work. You can't live on it—true—but, by it, you can. There's a limit, however; you'll pay for it.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the readiest cure for "can't eat," unless it comes of your doing no work—you can't long be well and strong, without some sort of activity.

The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE Chemists, 409 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.



Safe for sale. ODELL & WOOD. Wire fence at the Fence Works. Star 5 Star shoes at the Racket Store. You can buy fresh eggs for 10c a dozen of N. E. Kegg. Born, Monday, 11th inst., to the wife of Frank Bones, a girl. Rogers Bros. Poison oak cure. No cure, no pay. 50 cents. See those Hoosier disc drills at Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co's. New awnings have been put up the past week for R. Jacobson & Co. and the McMinnville Grange & Farmers Co.

Many things will pass away in time, but the disputes over the mixups when Senator Mitchell was elected bid fair to go on forever.

Sarah C. Cary, of Lafayette, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, showing her liabilities to consist of a deficiency judgment of \$830, with no assets.

At the annual school meeting in Dist. No. 47, John Redmond was elected director for three years, and J. E. High was chosen clerk for one year.

The office rooms vacated by Dr. Yose in Wright's block have been repaired and papered by Mr. Woollette for the occupancy of Dr. J. C. Michaux.

When a college student stands on a corner and gives his college yell, education totters and has to have more cement applied to make her stick on her pedestal.

The usual services will be held in the Christian church next Lord's day by the pastor. Morning subject, "The Great Traitor;" evening subject, "How Did He Win?" Special music.

C. L. Ireland of Moro, Or., one of the editors of the Observer, and a resident of this city seventeen years ago, was visiting friends here over Sunday. He took the Monday afternoon train for home.

E. H. Flagg, who filled the editorial chair of the Salem Sentinel during the legislature, and advocated the cause of Senator McBride, has gone to Circle City, Alaska, where he assumes the duties of deputy collector of internal revenue, under Colonel D. M. Danne.

Beef is fast becoming a luxury for the table, not only locally but over the country generally. Local butchers claim to be paying 9c a pound for their meat, and are actually doing business at a loss. The cattle growers' reports show that the per capita of cattle to population is rapidly depreciating.

On Saturday, March 23d, Miss Eva Martin will give her annual opening display of spring patterns. This will undoubtedly be the finest display of the kind ever given in the county, and one that would be a credit to any city store. Any lady who misses it will miss a rare treat.

Send your name to R. W. Foster, Ticket Agent Burlington Route, Portland, Or., and by return mail receive a letter giving you just the information desired on your eastern trip, and our little booklet "What a Chair Car Is;" this will interest you. One of these elegant chair cars attached to every train run over the Burlington and seats are free.

F. M. York of Carlton was recently out riding with a sharp sheep shears in his overcoat pocket. As he attempted to bestride his horse the shears penetrated his two coats and pants and entered the fore part of his thigh to the depth of an inch and a half. The wound has not proved painful but has been weakening to the muscles, and has rendered walking very difficult.

Carlton lodge No. 88, A. O. U. W., received a fraternal visit from twenty-two members of Charity lodge of this place last Saturday night. Four young men of Carlton were initiated into the mysteries of the order, Master Workman W. S. Houck and assistant officers performing the work. The ladies of the Degree prepared a nice general supper, the first course consisting of oysters.

Mrs. C. J. S. Greer of Dundee has contributed to the Oregon Historical Society the past month the following interesting relics: Saddlebags used by Rev. John Spencer, her father, while an itinerant in the Pittsburg conference of the Methodist Episcopal church from 1828 to 1852; powder flask and brass bullet molds; a copper teakettle, rifle, dragoon pistol and Colt's revolver, the personal arms of Rev. John Spencer; medicine box (homoeopathic) made by Rev. John Spencer at Wellsville, O.—all brought to Oregon in 1852.

We have heard of newspaper subscription lists and good will being stolen, but there is something later down in a Portland suburb. A man named Starr owned a neat four-roomed cottage with nice lawn of flowers and fruit trees, a walk and fence built around it. That was the condition a month ago, when he last saw it. Imagine his surprise when a few days ago he visited his property and found his front door was not in its proper place, nor could he see the sign of any door. The plastering was torn from most of the walls. When he came to the kitchen he saw a hole where his brick chimney had stood. Even a part of the floor was missing. No one seems to know where the missing parts have gone, but the ground is covered with wagon tracks.

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Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions, which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents. All druggists sell the 50c. size, Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y. The Balm cures without pain, does not irritate or cause sneezing. It spreads itself over an irritated and angry surface, relieving immediately the painful inflammation. With Ely's Cream Balm you are armed against Nasal Catarrh and Hay Fever.

### Mr. Canfield Has a Legislative Vision.

LAFAYETTE, OR., MARCH 11, 1901. LAFAYETTE, OR., MARCH 11, 1901. To THE EDITOR: I would like to ask Messrs. Butt and Smith more questions. Say, I voted for you fellows; I am not bragging, only stating it. What I want to know is, what is the consideration when you sell out a whole crowd this way; is it money or are you to have office? I would suggest the G. O. P. invent an office and let it have a wholesome salary. I name it this: "Inspectors of Public Opinion," and your duties are to go about the county, hand in hand, visiting the people that sent you to represent them, getting each and every one's opinion of yourselves, and jot it down. It would make a fine reference book. If I were clever at drawing I would picture that scene at Salem something like this: I would have the members of our legislature playing ball inside of a high board fence, when our newly-elected United States senator would climb on the fence from the outside and call out, "cast-iron razors for you! Just one pull, gentlemen, and you will be shaved for life!" and the attractive form and voice brings the horn-tooters, gawkers, squawkers, etc., to take their shave, while the boys in uniform play ball. Now one more question I would like to ask the G. O. P. managers, you that are able to build a fine platform, dictate a ticket to the delegates, apportion the offices about the county, step up to precinct delegates and say, "Boys, the coroner is your candidate this year, the senator belongs to the other part of the county," what becomes of the platform when your picked ones get down and vote for any old thing, and where do they get off at? Did not these men accept these principles in accepting these offices? Yours truly, F. J. CANFIELD.

### PROGRAM.

The following program will be given in District No. 46, Friday evening, March 22d, 1901: Song by school. Recitation by Allan Mitchell. Recitation by Dotsie Reeves. Minute speech by May Martin. Recitation by Justa Pennington. Duet by Elsie Fletcher and Lora Booth. Minute speech by Sarah Reeves. Recitation by Emil Fletcher. Recitation by Vern Gabriel. Minute speech by Lora Booth. Recitation by Guy Gabriel. Recitation by Virgil Booth. Minute speech by Frank Keen. Recitation by Lloyd Gabriel. Song by school—"Far in the Beautiful Blue." Debate—Resolved, That the Indians received greater abuse from the American government than the negroes. Affirmative—Leader, Harold Miller; colleagues, Vern Gabriel and Christel Pennington. Negative—Leader, Elsie Fletcher; colleagues, Fred Mitchell and Tressie Booth.

### Nervy Corvallis Minister Made Him Give Up.

An elderly gentleman (?) canvassed the town during the week, selling the recipe for a nice and rat exterminator, says the Corvallis Times. This worthy called Wednesday at the home of a local minister, and declaring himself to be needy, hungry and tired, was given 25 cents in cash and invited into the house to rest and refresh himself. The money was eagerly accepted, but the alleged tired traveler declined the proffered hospitality, and left. The clergyman's suspicions were aroused and at a discreet distance he followed to see whether the weary one journeyed. Straight into a saloon went the latter, and straight in after him went the minister. Collaring the culprit the indignant parson demanded the return of his two bits. The discomfited individual at first feigned ignorance of the pastor's identity, but the look in the latter's eye showed that no trifling would be tolerated. The two bits were reluctantly handed over, and the "Weary Willie" allowed to go on his way. The joke is much enjoyed by the pastor and others familiar with the incident.

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## A Bureau of Information.

The Burlington ticket office in Portland is a veritable Bureau of Information for travelers—a place where they can learn what it will cost to reach ANY point in America or Europe; how long the trip will take, and what there is to see on the way.

If you are figuring on an eastern trip, drop in and get full information, or, if you prefer, write me about it. Omaha, Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis—and EVERYWHERE beyond.

Burlington Route

A. C. SHELDON, General Agent, Cor. Third and Stark Sts., Portland, Ore.

Real Estate Transfers. Week ending March 6th. Ammon Shadden & wf to Union Lodge No 43 A F & A M 7 42 a and other parcels, pt Solomon Berry d l c t 4 r 4 ..... \$33 90 J D Carter & wf to Fred H Granhoy Q C deed to a pt J B Rogers d l c t 3 r 2 ..... 1 00 H L & Savina G McCann to H C Gist 17 200 sq ft in Alfred Job d l c t 3 r 4 ..... 500 00 Mary A Rogers to Ivan L Daniel & wf parcel 58 rods in S Berry d l c ..... 850 00 Union Lodge No 43 to P C Mikkelson s hf lot 23 cemetery... 11 00 Dora W & Frank C Savage to Agra Frank 6x100 ft off w side lot 1 blk 8 McM and 1x100 ft off of e side lot 2 blk 8 McM. 500 00 F Wolf & wf to Emma Zwicker 15 a in sec 10-24 and other land ..... 1 00 Arthur Zwicker & wf to Metta G Wolf same land ..... 1 00 Frederick & Elizabeth Florey to Jane McAlpin 35 a in sec 23 2-4 ..... 300 00 Jas McCain & wf to W T Vinton 160 a in sec 24-2-6 ..... 100 00 J W Smith & wf to S R Goodrich 108.30 a pt W C Goodrich d l c t 4 r 4 ..... 75 00 O & C Ry Co to J W Bewley lot 4 sec 27 t 5 r 7 ..... 99 00 Ziba K Ferguson & wf to Clara Ferguson lots 5 & 6 blk 4 and lots 1 & 2 blk 4 Willis add to McM ..... 2000 00 Frank C Ferguson & wf to Ziba K Ferguson same land ..... 2000 00 Lucy A Versteeg & husb to John Nash pt lot 3 blk 6 Deskins add to Newberg ..... 200 00

An Honest Medicine for LaGrippe. George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash on no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's cough remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturer of an honest medicine." For sale by Howarth.

Creamery Meeting at Carlton. Carlton will be the scene of a meeting of those interested in the creamery industry throughout this section. This gathering will be held March 20, and will be attended by many of prominence, including Dr. Withycombe, vice-president of the Oregon Agricultural college, and General Freight and Passenger Agent C. H. Markham, of the Southern Pacific. It is thought that the location presents as favorable an opportunity for the establishment of a creamery as any other in the state, and besides being central possesses another decided advantage—that of good roads. Throughout the entire year it is accessible to the farmers. This is regarded as an important consideration in the establishment of a creamery at this point, and one which will argue well for its location. The inability of farmers to deliver milk during the entire season has tended to handicap creameries of several sections, and while everything else seems to be favorable the prospects are generally regarded as not of the best unless the roads leading to it are in good shape.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bro-mo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Licenses to Marry. March 11—Thomas H. Rogers, 36, and Lenor Kirkwood, 26, both of this county.

Advertised Letters. The following letters remain uncalled for in the McMinnville postoffice March 12, 1901: Clarence W. Black, Clares Crimmins, Kathleen Cook, Arthur Dodge, M. E. Hendrickson, H. M. Smith, Geo. E. Smith, Mrs. U. Long, K. P. Loop, R. Rogers, Annie Vanhorn 2. Package, Mrs. V. V. Holman. JAMES MCCAIN, P. M.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK? Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable. Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medicinal triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, kidney, bladder, uric acid troubles and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work, in private practice, among the helpless too poor to purchase relief and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Birmingham, N. Y. The regular fifty cent and dollar sizes are sold by all good druggists.

It's a Short Road from a cough to consumption. Don't neglect a cough—take Shiloh's Consumption Cure when your cold appears. The "ounce of prevention" is better than years of illness.

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"I suffered for years from a cough, bronchial and lung trouble. Faced blood frequently. Spent years in the Dakotas and other parts of west but got no relief. Returned east and began taking Shiloh's. A few bottles completely cured me. I consider it the greatest of remedies."

HENRY T. DETCHER, With F. L. Camp & Co., Brokers, Buffalo, N. Y.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure is sold by all druggists at 25c, 50c, \$1.00 a bottle. A printed guarantee goes with every bottle. If you are not satisfied go to your druggist and get your money back.

Write for illustrated book on consumption. Sent without cost to you. S. C. Wells & Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

## SOUTH AND EAST VIA SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY The Shasta Route

Trains leave McMinnville for Portland and way stations at 5:38 a. m., and 5:56 p. m. Leave for Corvallis at 10 a. m.

Leave Portland ..... 8:59 a. m. 7:50 p. m. Leave Albany ..... 12:30 p. m. 10:50 p. m. Arrive at Ashland ..... 12:33 a. m. 11:30 a. m. Sacramento ..... 3:00 p. m. 1:25 a. m. San Francisco ..... 7:45 p. m. 8:15 a. m.

Ogden ..... 5:45 a. m. 11:45 a. m. Denver ..... 9:00 a. m. 9:00 a. m. Kansas City ..... 7:25 a. m. 7:25 a. m. Chicago ..... 7:45 a. m. 9:30 a. m.

Los Angeles ..... 1:20 p. m. 7:00 a. m. El Paso ..... 6:00 p. m. 6:00 a. m. Fort Worth ..... 6:30 a. m. 6:30 a. m. City of Mexico ..... 9:55 a. m. 9:55 a. m. Houston ..... 4:00 a. m. 4:00 a. m. New Orleans ..... 6:25 p. m. 6:25 p. m. Washington ..... 6:42 a. m. 6:42 a. m. New York ..... 12:45 p. m. 12:45 p. m.

Pullman and Tourist cars on both trains. Chair cars Sacramento to Ogden and El Paso, and Tourist cars to Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and Washington.

Connecting at San Francisco with several steamship lines for Honolulu, Japan, China, Philippines, Central and South America.

See MR. T. J. RELTS, agent at McMinnville station, or address C. H. MARKHAM, Gen. Passenger Agent, Portland, Or.

## BEHNKE'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE PORTLAND, OREGON.

The only exclusively PERIN SHORTHAND school in the Northwest offers unexcelled facilities for learning this system, either personally or by mail. The Perin employs neither shading, position nor arbitrary contractions, and is consequently the simplest, most legible and rapid shorthand in use. It can be learned in one-third of the time required by the Pitman, Graham or Munson systems. Send for Free Trial Lessons and catalog. Commercial Bldg., cor. 2d & Washington.

### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been by Hon. E. F. Bird, judge of the county court of Yamhill county, Oregon, duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Anna HURNER, deceased. Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same duly verified to the undersigned, at his residence near Carlton, in Yamhill county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated the 11th day of February, A. D. 1901. 95 FRED A. HURNER, Executor of the last will and testament of Anna H. Hurner, deceased. R. L. CONNER, Attorney for said Estate.

### Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned C. T. Long, has been duly appointed by the county court of Yamhill county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of T. H. Rhodes, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are hereby notified and required to present them with proper vouchers, duly verified, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned administrator, at his residence, or at the office of Rhodes & Rhodes, in McMinnville, Yamhill county, state of Oregon. Dated February 23d, 1901. C. T. LONG, Administrator of said Estate. RHODES & RHODES, Att'ys. for said Estate.

## Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly. Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

### Remarkable Cures of Rheumatism

From the Vindicator, Rutherfordton, N. C. The editor of the Vindicator has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's pain balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days, which was relieved with two applications of pain balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and realizing instant benefit and entire relief in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain. For sale by Howarth.

### ALL THE YEAR ROUND.

### Popularity Gauged by no Particular Season.

The fact is now established that the most successful railway route, whether you take it in the spring, summer, autumn or winter, is the Rio Grande Western Railway, the only transcontinental line passing directly through Salt Lake City, that quaint and picturesque city on the shores of America's Dead Sea. The climate of Utah and Colorado is temperate the year round, which makes the travel over the Rio Grande Western Ry., in connection with either the Denver & Rio Grande or Colorado Midland railroads, an unbounded success and delight. The dining car service is unparalleled. The road operates only the newest of Pullman Palace and ordinary sleeping car equipment, as well as free reclining chair cars. For illustrated matter apply to or write any of the following general agents: J. D. Mansfield, 253 Washington, Portland; or Geo. W. Heintz, General Passenger Agent, Salt Lake City.

Headache often results from a disordered condition of the stomach and constipation of the bowels. A dose or two of Chamberlain's stomach and liver tablets will correct these disorders and cure the headache. Sold by Howarth.