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At Cost! **Entire Line of Summer Dress Goods**

Shirt Waists, Skirts, Jackets, Wrappers and Millinery at cost with-

out reserve. Silk Waists from 10 to 20 per cent off. We call your special attention to our Clothing Department. We claim that our regular price of Clothing beats any 20 per cent dis-count claimed to be given in other stores. This is admitted by a good many people, besides we have a Hat and Suspenders free of charge with every suit of clothes. The main secret in selling goods cheap is in buying, and this is just the point; therefore, we claim that our goods are the cheapest because we buy right and sell good

A Trimmed Hat or a Parasol to be given away free of charge with every Ladies' Tailor Made Suit.

Special Sale of Carpets For 2 Weeks

Ingrain all-wool extra heavy 3 ply, regular price \$1.25, sale

price	86c	
Ingrain all-wool extra heavy 2 ply, regular 75c, sale price	58c	
Ingrain all-wool extra heavy 2 ply, regular 65c, sale price	48c	
Ingrain all half wool good weight, regular 55c, "	45c 32c	
Ingrain C C Union, regular 40c, sale		
Hemp	10c	1
Matting in proportion.		1
8-4 Heavy Linoleum per square yard	48c	
4-4 Oil Cloth per square yard,	30c	4
Stair Carpets per square yard 50, sale price	38c	<
	31c	*
The above prices is cut and matched only.		*

New Goods Arriving Daily are offered at Bedrock Prices.

> R. Jacobson & Co., McMinnville's Greatest Store.

CLEARANCE SALE ~~~~ of FURNITURE.

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We never have had a time-worn stock of Furniture, but we are making a Clearance sale just now of a nice, durable and medium grade of goods, and in their place will put in the best stock ever landed in McMinnville, both as to styles and quality. Along with this we will continue to carry

Sewers, and How To Assess.

The Question of The Hour.

EDITOR REPORTER: For the last few weeks there has been more or the best in the county. less agitation in relation to the construction of the sewer on C street. As I have been one of the promoters of this public benefit, and have been more often misquoted than I have been quoted correctly, I beg your indulgence for a little time and space in your paper. For over twenty years the question of proper sewerage for the city has been discussed by those who wished to see the city take the place to which it was entitled. One of the most urgent needs of any city is to get away with the refuse and garbage of the city, in order that the people may have and keep good health, and the first step along this line is the construction of proper sewers, and until last summer nothing but talk has ever been done. At that time a few of the public spirited citizens on E street decided that they would have a sewer, let it cost what it would. They commenced the work, and others at once took it up, until it was extended almost to C street, those along the lateral lines paying the main line sewer \$25 for the privilege of connecting. They at that time offered me the same privilege for the same money, but it was kinds of vegetation has been benefited. not what I wanted, as it was not deep enough in the ground. I then offered \$50 if they would put it down so that it was seven feet at my corner, and would pay in addition my part of the cost of the lateral sewer. But it could not be done. Then others along the line of C street said, "We must shape and it looks as if they will stay have a sewer." And so the move was started. While upon my trip to the here for some time. east, I spent much time investigating the sewer system of the different cities that I visited. First, as to the construction of the sewer, and second, as to the manner of assessing for the payment of the same. I found twenty additions to the church there as two systems. One was upon the eash value of the land; the other was up-on the area of the land, the latter plan being the one most used, as it was following Sunday for the state meeting considered worth as much to one lot to get rid of the sewage as it was to at Turner. another. This is also the plan adopted by the city of Portland, as the folowing letter from the city engineer of Portland will show

PORTLAND, Or., June 15, 1900.

O. O. HODSON, Esq., McMinnville, Or. Dear Sir: When all property is equally benefited, and have equal facilities for the people what they were Sunday night the most fair and equitable way of assessing. If a man owns four lots on the line of sewer, he pays twice as much as the owner of two lots. The plan outlined for McMinnville by Mr. Hodson is correct I think. The principle governing assess-worship, and it looks like something McMinnville by Mr. Hodson is correct I think. The principle governing assess ments is, as outlined above, equal assessments for equal adventages. Yours sincerely, WILLIAM B CHASE, City Engineer.

Upon the investigation of our charter it was thought best to adopt the first system and assess the property upon the basis of cash values, which I believe will come nearer satisfying the majority of the people, and that is what should be done. The plans of the construction of the sewer are from plans and specifications that I received from the city of Muncie, Ind., and are as complete as time and experience can suggest. I am sure that when our sewer is in and complete and the property connected therewith that whom we sincerely mourn. not one of the people who have it would be without for many times what it will have cost them, and they will then thank those who were the promot-ily of our beloved brother, our sympathy ers of one of the health preservers of the city.

Respectfully Yours, O. O. HODSON.

Notice to the Public.

I have engaged J. A. Frisbie as local manager of my lumber yard located at the old foundry site, McMinnville. He will be pleased to figure with you on all house bills or smaller orders. A. TRUDELL. 18m6

Remember we carry a strictly highthat will surprise you. Call and get fig-ter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days. ures before buying. JONES & ADAMS. The REPORTER and Weekly Oregonian

one year for \$2, strictly in advance

One Dollar if paid in advance, Single numbers five cents

Gravel hauling has commenced. Miss Faith Tanderup is visiting friends

AMITY.

Ed Rea is fencing the lots that he has

just purchased. Mr. Simmons has bought the Roth

traction engine. The roads adjacent to this place are

John Henderson of Tillamook is visit-

ing friends and transacting business

Mrs. Gilbaugh, south of town, has the best garden for this time of year we have seen

Several of the young men of this place will give a concert at the hall next Friday night.

Mr. Losey, father of Mrs. Savage of this place, fell from a building at Salem last week and was killed.

A great deal of clover hay has been damaged by the recent rains, but all

Two Seven-Day-Adventist preachers and their friends are tenting and preach-

Arthur Cane returned from his meeting at Elkton last Friday. He reports

Young men and women who go to church and misbehave lack good breed-ing and are not ladies and gentlemen.

Resolutions.

WHEREAS, the angel of death has entered our Temple and taken from us Resolved, That Dianicia Temple No. 15 has lost a valuable and true friend for

condolence in their sad bereavement; and be it further

Resolved, That a memorial page be set apart in our minute book as a token grade, guaranteed mixed paint at a price be inscribed thereon, and that our char-

> JENNIE GRISSEN, OLLIE GAUNT. Committee. MABEL HENDERSHOTT,

The weather continues to be cold and lisagreeable

NO. 28.

Lynn Jones of Mill creek was a Sun day visitor at Chas. Agee's.

Philip Evenden of Gervais is visiting his mother and brothers in this region.

Miss Dot Fendall of Willamina visited with Misses Belle and Minnie Evans few days this week.

Mrs. E. H. Taylor and little son spent Thursday and Friday with friends and relatives in McMinnville

Mrs. J. Thompson returned home Saturday from a short visit in Portland with her daughter, Mrs. C. Duvall.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Baker came over from Salem Saturday and spent a few days with I. N. Grohe and wife.

Jasper Agee returned to his Salmon river ranch Monday. He is preparing to move his family out before August 8.

James Brown, a cattle dealer from Sheridan, was in the valley Monday and succeeded in purchasing a few head of cattle.

Miss Lillian Cockerham visited her sister, Mrs. J. Eborall, for a few days last week. She returned to her home near McMinnville Monday.

The base-ball boys from this place played the Sheridan team Sunday after-noon at Sheridan. The Gopher team was defeated by a score of 10 to 5.

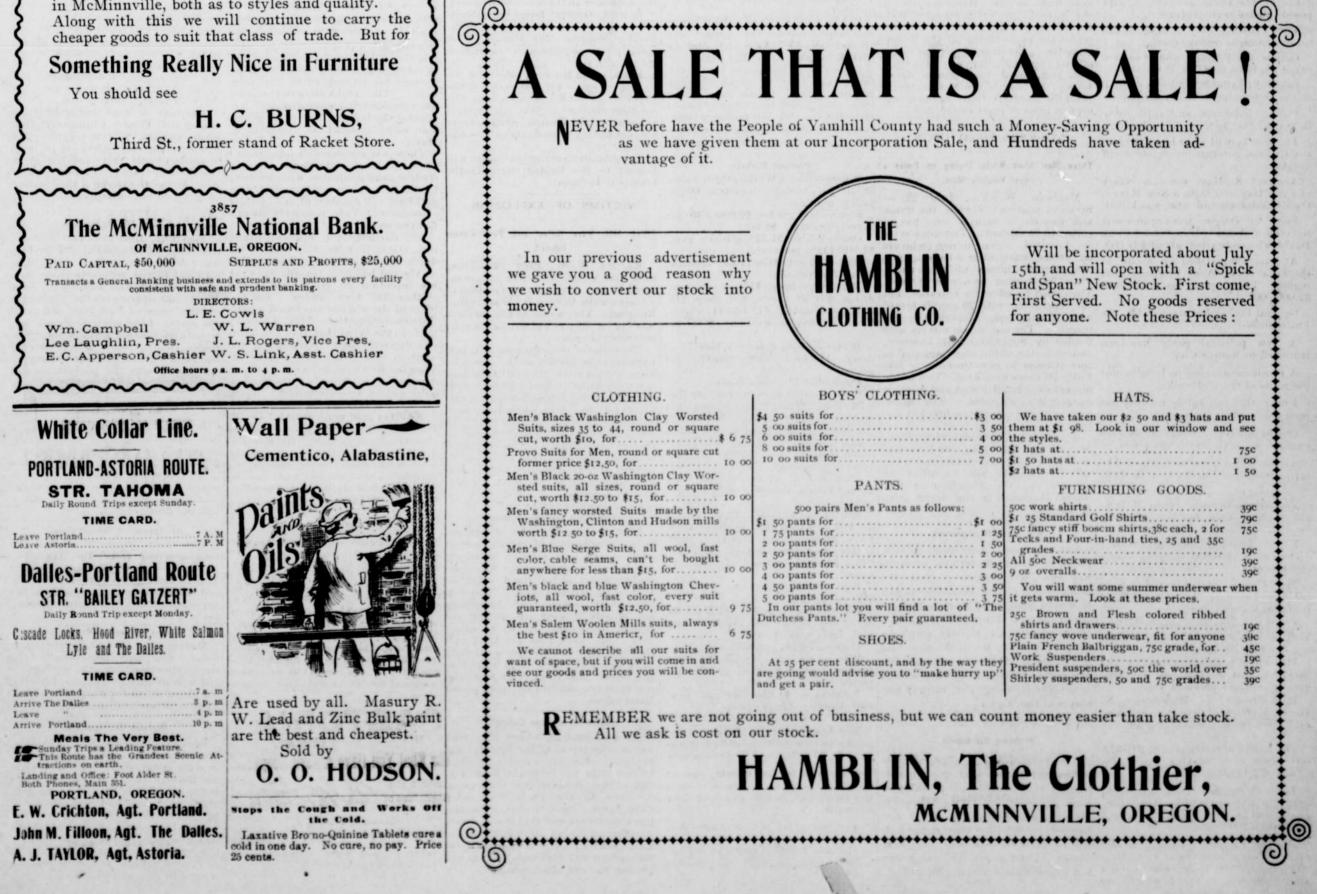
School district No. 57 also takes part in our picnic the 28th inst. We intend to have a grand time. The Sheridan and Mill creek teams will play ball in the afternoon.

General Sheridan's Gun.

Prof. A. M. Sanders, of this city, sent this week to the Oregon Historical Society of Portland, as a loan, a shotgun, which was brought to Oregon by Gen. Philip H. Sheridan in 1856. Sheridan, then a lieutenant, was stationed at Grande Ronde from 1856 till the breaking out of the civil war in 1861. Before our esteemed brother, O. H. Irvine, be it leaving for the front he gave the gun, with some other belongings, to a halfbreed, who sold it to Joseph Sanders, grandfather of the professor. Joseph Sanders was at that time superintendent of farming on the reservation. After his death in 1868 the gun became the property of Hon. J. R. Sanders of Yamof love and respect to our deceased hill county, who, a few years ago, gave brother's memory, that these resolutions it to the present our deceased it to the present our deceased hill county who, a few years ago, gave it to the present owner.

> The historical society is making a collection of Sheridan relics and this gun is to be a part of that collection .-Independence Enterprise.

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