Rates for Advertising

Will be made satisfactory to all applicants. McMinnville, Or. - Dec. 29, 1886

George M. Pullman was lately asked whether he did not think the railway carriages so numerously built for the general publie by his workmen, unnecessarily elegant and rich. "I consider such cars educative to the masses," was the reply. "To many a man or woman it is a look at comfort and luxury that is their ideal. They dress themselves better to travel, behave more courteously in a handsome vehicle than a tasteless and cheap one."

The Salvation Army prospers simply because religious denomnations imagine that good comes from it. The practical benefits will not stand the test. The way they work a town is in part explained by the Salem Statesman: Two of them yesterday, went up and down the streets, demanding a dollar for the Lord in an imperative way, and intimating that it was the duty of every one to give them a dollar for the Lord. But, from strong indications, it's mighty little of the money these fellows receive that the Lord will ever get any benefit of. Their religion is used as a pretext for begging money, and and when they get it they divide it up among themselves. These fellows intend to return to Portland, Friday, and next week, a whole gang will come up. They say that a brass band will accompany the expedition, and that Salem will be taken by storm. They ought not to be encouraged.

Discussing the mongolian Farmer states a fact. birds in question are not only of no earthly use to the people of Oregon, but fast becoming an unmitigated nuisance to the farmer. They were brought here simply as a game bird and at the instance of a few city sportsmen. The assembly has undertaken to compel the farmers to raise them, under heavy penalties of fine an imprisonment. What for? That city men may shoot them; that is all there is to it. If there is more, perhaps the Oregonian will enlighten us. Perhaps. also, this leading journal will tell us by what rule of right or justice the birds were brought to all who attend. here let loose upon farmers, and they be threatened with arrest and punishment for killing birds they raised on their own land. Could the sportsmen with the liberally supported. same propriety introduce the red fox as a game animal, and comthem to chase? Why not?

A Live Merchant.

Some six or eight months ago, Capt. E. B. Fellows bought out the furniture and undertaking establishment of D. C. Narver. It was thought at the time that the new proprietor would add new life to the business and materially increased the business prosperity of the city. The public have not been mistaken. Capt. Fellows immediately began-to add a large and choice assortment of fine furniture. As the business began to increase in volume, a new front was added to the main store, making it at once the most attractive place of business in the city. For many years the public have had to put up with whatever facilities offered for the burial of the dead. Mr. Fellows at once, with his usual foresight and energy, opened out a correspondence with an eastern house, and the result to-day is a handsome plate-glass hearse comparing favorably with any city on the Pacific coast. The undertaking department is constantly in receipt of handsome burial cases. With the increase of business that has been justly merited by this energetic man, Mr. Fellows has found the present establishment far too small for his business, and has been forced to lease another building in which his numerous employes are constantly at work upon large invoices of handsome furniture. Mr. Fellows will continue to dispose of his goods at prices that can't be beat.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Amity.

Amity is aglow with life and fun. The young folks had two parties last night, i. e., a dance at the Agricultural hall, and a social gathering at Mrs. Delashpheasant F. S. Matterson, in the mond's. Both were well attend-The ed and enjoyed, so we learn.

> So many turkeys are being cooked that one would imagine fowl would be scarce in future, in consequence of the Christmas dinners. We are kindly invited to dine with our esteemed friend Mrs. Bunting.

Quite a number of our young folks are quitting the world of single blessedness but so quietly do they step of the stage that we scarce have time to say good-bye. Our school now numbers 79 and is becoming very pleasant interesting and we hope, profitable

expected New Year edition of the Reporter. Hope it will be E.S.L

Senator Logan's funeral will pel the farmers to raise him for be held in the senate chamber upon the reassembly of congress.

W. F. COLLARD.

Dealer in Guns, Ammunition, fishing tackle, cuttlery, &c. All kinds of gunsmith, locksmith and sewing machine work done with neatness and dispatch.

Choke boring a Specialty and satisfaction guaranteed,

Third street, McMinnville, Or.

A. H. & O. O. HODSON

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That they will

SELL FOR CASH VERY LOW.

They also have a SMALLLLOT of

Hardware, Tinware, Etc., Etc., Fit neater, That will also be sold

Low for Cash.

They have a few

PLOWS, HARROWS, SEEDERS And

BAIN WAGONS

That will be sold

Low for Cash.

When you want anything in that line you will consult your own interest as well as ours to call and see us. We think we can suit A. H. & O. O. HODSON.



Come and See Me.

C. GRISSEN'S. Santa Claus HEADQUARTERS.

Candy, Nuts, Toys and Presents for every body. Persons buying 5 lbs or over will be given wholesale rates.

With every \$1 purchase will be given a chance on

We are much interested in the 3 Handsome Prizes. (Groceries Excepted.)

I extend a cordial invitation to the people of this county to and compare prices.

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Wants You to get right down to business.

Because you feel that times are a little hard is just the reason you should take advantage of our popular way of doing business.

We ask you to buy Good Goods at low prices,

For they are cheaper in the long run, Look better,

And are nicer in every way.

It is for your interest and our interest. Economy for you,

And makes you solid customers of ours.

We give you plain, honest talk and let our competitors feed you on

We show you the new and exclusive

Latest Novelties,

Finest qualities in Seasonable, Goods for fall and Winter.

Mens', Youths' and Boys' Tailor-fitting clothing.

Our Specialties,

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Clothing and Groceries, Boots and Shoes, Hats, Caps and Underwear.

The prices tell.

The quality sells.

The best assortment.

All the leading styles.

Prices which startle everybody.

People of taste and economy, now is your chance.

Our specialty-To please our customers.

Our Aims-To save money for our

Our Intentions-To do better by you than anyone else.

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