

EXPENSES REDUCED

MARION COUNTY FINANCES IN BETTER CONDITION.

Semi-annual Statement Will Show a Marked Improvement—Criminal Business Light.

County Clerk W. W. Hall is now busily engaged in preparing his semi-annual statement so far as the same can be done for the first day of October, so as to enable him to publish it as soon after October 1st as possible.

Table with 2 columns: Year (1898, 1900) and various financial items (Road and bridge, Court house and jail, Stationery, etc.)

A VALUABLE HORSE DEAD.—Rueben Kiger an old-time horse man, had the misfortune yesterday to have his valuable trotting horse, Hugo, become suddenly ill while warming him.

"A Word to the Wise is Sufficient." But some stubborn people wait until "down sick" before trying to ward off illness or cure it.

For all blood impurities, scrofula, pimples, as well as diseases of the kidneys, liver and bowels, Hood's Sarsaparilla is the effective and faultless cure.

Rheumatism—"I was practically helpless from rheumatism in my shoulder. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me and ever since is a household favorite."



Hood's Pills cure liver ills, the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

What We Keep

At a bazaar you're privileged to ask for most anything from the proverbial needle to the threshing machine, but in one of our size there are limits, and the limit with us is bicycles.

RACKET PRICES

Wiggins' Bazaar, 307 Commercial St.

which last night resulted in the horse's death. The horse had, to all appearances, been in the best of condition during the summer, and yesterday was the last work-out the horse would have before the races.

A FAIR APPROPRIATION.

Will Not Be Paid by the State This Year to the Southern Oregon District Society.

Secretary of State F. I. Dunbar recently asked Attorney General D. R. N. Blackburn for advice in the matter of paying state funds to the Southern Oregon district agricultural society, the law of 1893 providing for an annual payment of \$600 to the First Southern Oregon district society, to be expended in the payment of premiums for agricultural and other industrial pursuits.

A COMPLETE STOCK

One of the most varied and well-selected stocks of goods in Salem, can be found at the New York Racket. It is made up of just such goods as are required for the comfort of every one. They do not keep everything that is needed, but what they do carry is useful to almost every one.

WILL FIRE A SALUTE

In keeping with the suggestion offered by Governor T. T. Geer on Tuesday, it is very probable that the arrival of Admiral Dewey in New York City, on the 28th inst., will be announced in proper style in this city.

A NEW HEARSE

W. T. Rigdon, the Court street undertaker, last evening received on the steamer Ruth from Portland, a new hearse. The vehicle, which is said to have cost \$2,200, is the most beautiful conveyance of its kind that has ever been seen on Salem's streets.

BARLEY FROM PORTLAND

M. Klingler, the Salem brewer, last evening received from Portland 411 sacks of barley. The grain was brought to this city by the steamer Ruth.

Our Shoes

We place especial emphasis on shoes, for we've worked up a splendid trade on the celebrated Hamilton Brown line of warranted goods that always give satisfaction.

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Wiggins' Bazaar, 307 Commercial St.

Twenty-four Bales Are Stored in Salem.

QUALITY IS NOT DETERMINED

Conflicting Reports Concerning Prevalence of Mold—Transfer of Hop Tickets.

(From Daily Sept. 14th.)

The first lot of 1899 hops was delivered at the Southern Pacific company's warehouse in this city yesterday. There were in all twenty-four bales, representing the yield from the yard of David Schneider, of Salem.

They are of the late variety—the "English Cluster"—but the quality of the product has not been positively ascertained, no sample having been taken from the bales.

Last year Mr. Schneider harvested twenty-eight bales from the same yard but he thinks the yield this year, which is represented by only twenty-four bales, is equally as large as that of last year, the product being considerably heavier.

Conflicting reports are constantly in circulation respecting the appearance and prevalence of mold and the extent of the damage that has and will result from the spread of this agent. Conservative buyers are not disposed to give such reports serious consideration, for such unwelcome news is invariably founded largely on hearsay and not from actual observation.

Local mold has appeared in some localities. It is not thought to be spreading to any great extent and is consequently not accomplishing much damage. With a continuation of fair weather, picking in a large majority of the yards in the valley will be completed on Saturday, the 23d inst.

G. W. Hubbard, Salem's veteran hop buyer, when seen yesterday afternoon, said "From my last inspection of the yards, I am more hopeful of a fine quality of hops, on an account of which I am more cheerful."

McKinley Mitchell, of Gervais, was in the city yesterday. He reports that mold has appeared in some yards in his vicinity, affecting principally the outer vines of the yard, but the mold is not so general that the picking of any parts of the yards has been abandoned. The mold does not appear to spread at all.

In the Butterville and Aurora district picking will generally be finished at the end of this week or the first of next. In many yards it is already over. Where mold has appeared, hills affected are being left untouched, as this is bringing the picking to a close a few days earlier than would otherwise have been the case.

Both the dealers and growers in the Gervais district were claiming yesterday that their yards are entirely free from mold. While this may not be absolutely true it is evident from their claims that the hops in that neighborhood will be above the average as to quality, when put up in the bale.

The war revenue act has been construed to apply to hop tickets, when such evidences of value are given in exchange for merchandise.

In connection with the hop picking season, it might be interesting to give some statistics as to the amount of

WE ARE RECEIVING IMMENSE LINES OF

Fine Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Etc.,

And will sell these goods at the lowest possible prices. The sun does not always shine in Oregon, so prepare yourself with one of our new UMBRELLAS; steel-rod umbrellas, with a good cover as low as 50c.

Rubber Goods, Macintoshes, Etc.

Best quality rubbers for children 25c
Best quality rubbers, misses' sizes 35c
Ladies' sizes 50c

Macintoshes for everybody—girls and boys, ladies and gents, full assortment. Fine CLOTHING for boys or men. Hats to fit and suit everyone. Our fall overcoats just arrived. Trunks and valises, blankets and comforters.

Come here for your dry goods and get best quality of goods at lowest prices.

Friedman's New Racket

CORNER COMMERCIAL AND STATE STREETS.

SUDDEN DEATH.

CORNELIUS VANDERBILT PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY.

Was an Industrious Man and Worked Hard When Young—Paralysis the Cause of His End.

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Proprietor of Stone's Drug Stores

SALEM, OREGON.

The stores, (two in number) are located at No 235 and 333 Commercial street, and are well stocked with a complete line of drugs and medicines, toilet articles, perfumery, brushes, etc., etc., etc.

DR. STONE

Has had some 25 years experience in the practice of medicine and now makes no charge for consultation, examination or prescription.

DIED.

NICHOLAS.—At the state insane asylum in this city, Tuesday, September 12, 1899, Thomas Nicholas, aged 56 years.

FARLEY.—At the Oregon insane asylum, Salem, Oregon, Wednesday, September 13, 1899, at 11 p. m., Arthur R. Farley, aged 23 years.

ALLENBACH.—At the family home, near Fruitland, Oregon, Sunday, September 10, 1899, August Allenbach, aged 58 years, of consumption.

BALTIMORE.—At the Marion county poor farm, two miles north of this city, Thursday, September 7, 1899, P. Baltimore, aged about 60 years, of paralysis.

MARTIN.—At the home of S. S. Martin, on Court street, between High and Church streets, Salem, Oregon, Monday, September 11, 1899, at 9:15 p. m., James S. Martin, aged 22 years, 11 months and 23 days, of consumption.

Decayed was born and raised in the Walden Hills, near Macleay, and lived in Oregon all of his short life. Several years ago his health failed, and last spring he went to Eastern Oregon, hoping to benefit his health, remaining in Baker City several months. He continued to fail, however, and returned to Salem, to the residence of his uncle, two weeks ago, and it was at that place he breathed his last. The parents of the young man both died several years ago. He leaves three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Plattner, of Baker City, Oregon; Mrs. Dora Huffmire, of Meacham, Oregon, and Mrs. Amy Bates, of Butte, Montana.

ONE NOTARY.—Gov. T. T. Geer yesterday appointed George B. Hamilton, of Pendleton, a notary public to serve two years.

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Market Reports

The local market quotations yesterday were as follows:

Wheat—48c for new; 51c for old. Oats—30 cents (buying). Hay—Cheat, buying 46; oats, 36 to 37; timothy, 38 to 38.50.

Four—Salem Special, per sack, 90c; per barrel 43.60.

Mill feed—Bran, 114; shorts, 115. Butter—18 to 25 cents buying.

Eggs—Buying, 18 cents. Poultry—Hens, 8 cents; young chickens, 8 to 9 cents.

Pork—Fat, 6c dressed. Beef—24 to 25c.

Just One

Of the Good things

In Our Fall Styles

Ladies' Light Turn Sole, for dress wear, \$2.50 up.

Ladies' Heavy Welt Sewed Sole, for street wear, \$2.50 up.



Lacy's NEW SHOE STORE 84 STATE STREET.