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This illustration shows the machine open for use.

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This shows the machine closed to be used as a center table, stand or desk.

SOLID QUARTER SAWED OAK DROP DESK CABINET, piano polished. One illustration shows machine closed (head dropping from sight) to be used as a center table, stand or desk, the other open with full length table and head in place for sewing. 4 fancy drawers, latest 1900 skeleton frame, carved, paneled, embossed and decorated cabinet finish, finest nickel drawer pulls, rests on four casters, adjustable treadle, genuine Smyth iron stand. Finest large High Arm head, positive four motion feed, self threading vibrating shuttle, automatic bobbin winder, adjustable bearings, patent tension liberator, improved lift wheel, adjustable pressure foot, improved shuttle carrier, patent needle bar, patent cross guard, head is handsomely decorated and ornamented and beautifully nickel trimmed. **GUARANTEED** the lightest running, most durable and nearest noiseless machine made. Every known attachment is furnished and our Free Instruction Book tells just how any one can run it and do either plain or any kind of fancy work. A 20-Years' Binding Guarantee is sent with every machine.

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Will buy a nice 5-room oil-finish house and corner lot, all fenced, close to school and short distance from street car, in pleasant part of suburbs of Salem. You should see this. It cost complete a few years ago $1050.

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Will buy 8½ acres four and one half miles east of the business part of Salem; good house, barn, hen house, wood shed, etc.; two acres good mixed orchard; never failing creek running through; good spring and a well. Two cows and calf; one horse and buggy; plow harrow, hoes, etc., also household furniture. The whole outfit can be had for the above figure. A great poultry ranch.

$750

Will take 10 acres of finest kind of land almost in the city of Salem. Land around it never offered for less than $150 to $200 an acre.

64 acres

Five miles northeast of Salem, with good house, cellar and barn, chicken house and other outbuildings. 13 acres in cultivation, balance in big fir and brush. A good span of horses, double harness, 3-inch wagon, open buggy and single harness, a cow, 35 chickens, 45 cords of wood, 15 cords of stove wood, plow, harrow and household furniture. All can be purchased at a sacrifice. One quarter of a mile to school. Land excellent quality. Pudding river forms one boundary line. Good road to place.

$700

Will buy a fine house of seven rooms and four large lots, barn, chicken house, wood shed, etc., Apples, pears, cherries and small fruit in abundance. Place well improved and beautifully located in the thriving city of Independence.

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AT INSANE ASYLUM

MONTHLY REPORT OF SUPT. J. F. CALBREATH AUDITED.

Flocks of Sheep Have Been Pastured on the State's Property as a Benefit to the Farming Lands.

The board of trustees for the Oregon hospital for the insane—Gov. T. T. Geer, Secretary of State F. I. Dunbar and State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore—held an extended session in the Governor's office yesterday, the occasion being the regular monthly session of the board to receive the report of Supt. J. F. Calbreath. The superintendent was present and filed his report. A number of the bidders, proposing to furnish wood at the recent opening of the bids, were also present, and filed a protest with the board against the action taken in awarding the contract for 3000 cords of wood to a speculator, instead of to wood-cutters who were bidding. The board explained to the men that, under the law, they were compelled to award the contracts to the lowest bidders, which had been done in this case.

The report of Supt. Calbreath, for the month ending April 30th, says:

"Owing to favorable weather, all outside work has progressed favorable this month. The teams are in good condition and we have reason to expect to be able to get all the seeding and planting done in good season.

"Owing to the rank growth of vegetation on the fields, that were to be plowed on the farm, I have had 300 or 400 head of sheep on pasturage, for which the state is to receive 5 cents per head per month. This has been done as a benefit to the land as well as a profit to the state. I think it would be profitable for the state to own and keep about this number of sheep on the farm.

"The two lower floors of the new wing are completed, and the furnishing of the same has been provided for in this months issue which will account for the increased rate per capita, which is $11.92 95-100.

"The architects (Messrs. Pugh & Gray) have the plans and specifications for a closed cottage nearly ready, and I will submit them as soon as possible, in order that bids may be advertised for this month.

"The general health of the institution, for April, has been good."

The report shows the number of patients received, discharged, died and eloped, and the number under care, as follows:

No. patients March 31st	798	365	1163
No. rec'd during April	11	8	19
No. ret'd escapes..	2		2
No. under care....	811	373	1184
No. disch'd, recovered..	2	1	3
No. disch'd much imp'd	1	1	2
No. discharged imp'd...	2	1	3
No. disch'd not imp'd..	1	1	2
No. died....	6	4	10
Disch'd, died and eloped	13	8	21
No. remaining April 30	798	365	1163

Average number daily 1164 25-30.

The report showing the number of persons fed and lodged during the month, follows:

No. officers and employes.. 143
Ave. No. patients daily.....1164 25-30

Total.... .. ..1307 25-30

The cost per capita is given in the following:

Per capita, monthly.....$11.92 95-100
Per capita, daily.... .. .. 39 76-100

The payroll for the month has the names of 146 regular officers and employes, and foots up $5419.88.

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough.

Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy very successfully for croup and naturally turned to it at that time and found it relieved the cough and effected a complete cure.—John E. Clifford, Proprietor Norwood House, Norwood, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by F. G. Haas, druggist, Salem, Or.

Love is hurt with jar and fret;
Love is made a vain regret.
—Tennyson, "The Miller's Daughter."

Fine printing. Statesman Job Office.

NEW TO-DAY.

FOR SALE.—A good, heavy span of mules, 7 and 8 years old. Must sell them by May 24th. John Hamilton, six miles north of Salem, on the Wheatland road 539-3td 1tw1.

Market Reports

The local market quotations yesterday were as follows:

Wheat—42 cents at the Salem Flouring Mills Co.'s office.

Oats—28 and 30 cents (buying).

Hay—Cheat, buying $8; timothy, $8.50 to $10.

Flour—75 cents per sack.

Mill feed—Bran, $13; shorts, $15.

Butter—10 to 15c.

Eggs—12½ cents, cash.

Poultry—Chickens, 8c per lb; young chickens (friers) 12½ to 15c. live weight; ducks, 10c.

Pork—Fat, 4¼ gross, 5½ net.

Beef—Steers, 4@4¼c; cows, 3½@3¾c; good heifer, 4c.

Mutton—Sheep, 3¾ on foot.

Veal—6c dressed.

Potatoes—20@25 cents.

Wool—16to 19 cents.

Mohair—26 to 28 cents.

Hop Twine—15 cents per pound.

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STEINER'S MARKET REPORT

Fat hens, 8c per lb.
Young roosters, 7@8c per lb.
Spring chickens, Fries 12½@15c.
Eggs, 10c per dozen.

AN EVENTFUL TRIP

DR. E. A. PIERCE RETURNS FROM THE ALASKA GOLD FIELDS.

The Salem Physician Was an Eye-witness to the Destruction of the Schooner "Dora B."

Dr. E. A. Pierce returned Sunday night from a business trip to the Alaskan gold fields. The doctor is interested with Portland and San Francisco parties in some mining properties near Yakutat and the trip was made for the purpose of investigating the value of the property. Dr. Pierce was accompanied on the trip by his nephew, Byron E. Loomis, reently from Binghamton, New York, who remains at Yakutat to represent Dr. Pierce.

The doctor is not over-enthusiastic over the alleged fabulous wealth of the Alaskan gold fields but takes a common sense view of the situation. He paints no glowing word—pictures of the gold districts and is not really satisfied with his trip for the reason that he was unable on account of exceptionally severe weather, to visit the property in which he is interested. However, he brought home with him a number of samples of quartz, gathered promiscuously on the beach, which he is having assayed, the result of which will afford him some idea of the mineral worth of the property in which he has an interest.

Dr. Pierce and party left Seattle April 8th, and reached Yakutat on Easter Sunday, the 15th ult. Yakutat is in Indian village at the foot of Mt. St. Elias and is situated about 1240 miles north of Seattle. The place has a population of between 200 and 300 Indians, and probably a half-dozen white men. A Swedish mission is located there.

Dr. Pierce took passage on the steamer Bertha from Seattle and while en route to Yakutat witnessed the destruction, in a terrific gale, of the schooner Dora B, which was being towed by the Bertha, from Juneau to Latuya Bay. Owing to the fearful storm, the steamer was unable to land the Dora B. at the destination agreed upon and attempted to tow her on to Yakutat bay but before fifty miles had been covered, the line parted and the schooner with five men aboard drifted hopelessly to destruction. No effort, however, was made on the part of the commanding officer of the steamer to assist the helpless schooner, which was the property of the Latuya Bay Gold Placer Mining Company of San Francisco, in whose employ were the five men who lost their lives. The case will very probably be thoroughly investigated by the San Francisco Company.

Dr. Pierce remained at Yakutat thirteen days and during that time it rained and snowed incessantly making it impossible for any successful explorations of the country. Dr. Pierce sailed for home on the steamer Bertha April 28th. Just before the steamer departed, one of the crew sustained a fractured limb and the services of Dr. Pierce as a physician were called into requisition.

On the return trip there were numbered among the passengers from Latuya bay to Juneau a man named Nelson and his wife who delivered themselves over to the government authorities, reporting the sensational murder and lynching case at Latuya bay last November, an account of which appeared recently in the telegraphic columns. Dr. Pierce says Nelson gave him a detailed account of the lynching of the desperado, Steve Severts. The account given by Nelson corresponded in every particluar with that which appeared in the papers.

DOESN'T CARE FOR WAGNER.

"Do you admire Wagner?" she inquired, at the musicale, looking up at him soulfully, for, although they had met but ten minutes before, there already seemed to be a bond between them.

"Not much, after the bum article of baseball he's been making us stand for here in Washington all these years!" was the emphatic reply, and then she was forced to the conclusion that he, too, was lacking in appreciation of the higher and nobler.—Washington Post.

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BORN

SAUVAIN.—At the family home in East Salem, Friday, May 4, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Sauvain, a daughter.

DIED.

MOSHER.—At the family home in Englewood, Salem, Oregon, Friday, May 4, 1900, Ida Pauline Mosher.

BURDICK.—At the home in North Salem, Thursday, May 3, 1900, Mabel Fay, the 10-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burdick, of spinal meningitis.

SHANTZ.—At the family home, corner of North and Capitol streets, North Salem, Oregon, Sunday, May 6, 1900, at 12:15 a. m., Mrs. Annie Elizabeth Shantz, aged 70 years and 8 months.

SIMPSON.—In this city, May 5, 1900, of hemorrhage of the brain, Robert G. Simpson, aged 74 years, of Albany.

WILLOUGHBY.—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Eilers, East Salem, Monday, May 7, 1900, of old age, Mrs. Lucinda Willoughby, aged 86 years.

Deceased leaves five sons and two daughters, as follows: Reese McReynolds, Wm. McReynolds, Jos. McReynolds, Warren Willoughby, Wist Willoughby, all of Pullman, Wash.; Mrs. C. H. Eilers, Salem, and Mrs. Harriett Nichols of Montana.

CANNOY.—At the home in Polk county, May 6, 1900, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cannoy.

Funeral services were conducted on Sunday afternoon and the remains were given burial in the Zena cemetery.

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Friday, May 11th

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A PRACTICE CRUISE

OREGON NAVAL MILITIA IS TO GO TO SEA THIS YEAR.

On the Famous Gunboats Bennington and Concord, Recently Dispatched from the Asiatic Station.

Gov. T. T. Geer yesterday received a letter from Hon. H. W. Hackett, acting Secretary of the Navy, in regard to the annual practice cruise of the Oregon Naval Militia, which, the Department proposes shall this year be taken on the gunboats Bennington and Concord. The letter follows:

"It is the desire of the Deptartment that, if practicable, the regularly organized Naval Militia of the Pacific coast states shall each take a cruise of practical instruction and drill on board a naval vessel during the present season. In this connection, I have to state that the United States gunboats Bennington and Concord have recently been detached from duty on the Asiatic station and ordered to the Pacific coast, where they are to go out of commission for repairs. In view of the fact that no other vessel is available for the purpose, as in previous years, the Department considers it possible to employ these gunboats in the annual tour of duty, previous to placing them out of commission. The Bennington and the Concord will each accommodate seventy-five Naval Militiamen, but will not be able to handle a greater number at one time.

"In view of the present circumstances and conditions of the service, the Department would be pleased to know whether it would be practicable to divide the Naval Militia of Oregon into bodies of seventy-five men each (the number that can be accommodated by either one of the vessels named) and thus enable them to participate in the usual annual cruise.

"The tour of duty, if given, will continue for a drill period of seven days for each party embarked, and the general conditions and arrangements will be upon the same basis as that of last year on the United States ship Badger. The Department would be pleased to learn of your decision in the premises at the earliest practicable date."

The letter was referred to Adjutant General C. U. Gantenbein for action.

SENTENCE REMITTED—Gov. T. T. Geer yesterday remitted a jail sentence of six months, in the case of Elmer Scott, aged 18 years, sent to prison in Washington county, on a plea of sodomy, on March 18th. The sentence was remitted upon the petition of a number of residents of Washington county, who set forth the fact that the boy was an orphan; that arrangements had been made to ship the boy as a sailor, on board the ship Aspirce, for Liverpool, now loading in Portland, and the petitioners pledge themselves to see that the boy would be thus shipped. The sentence was remitted by the Governor, upon the condition that the petitioners' pledges should be carried out.

Levity of behavior, always a weakness, is far more unbecoming in a woman than a man.—William Penn.

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