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Nothing the Matter With SALEM?

The Bottom is Still Here!

WE WILL SELL UNTIL MARCH 1st:

Overcoats, usual price \$9, now	\$ 8 25
Overcoats, usual price \$12, now	8 50
Overcoats, usual price \$18, now	13 75
Men's Suits, usual price \$20, now	16 50
Men's Suits, usual price \$17, now	13 50
Men's Suits, usual price \$15, now	11 50
Men's Suits, usual price \$10, now	7 75
Men's Suits, usual price \$7.50, now	5 00
Boss of the Road Overalls, S. & R.	50
Boss of the Road Overalls, X & Y	60
Gent's Linen Collars	7
Gent's Celluloid Collars	15
Gent's Celluloid Cuffs	35
Gent's Percalé Shirts, usual price \$1.25, now	75
Gent's Suspenders, per pair	15

Underwear and Cardigan Jackets Selling Below Regular Wholesale Prices.

Boots and Shoes Will Be Slaughtered!

HATS BELOW MANUFACTURER'S PRICES!

GROCERIES.

We have a good fresh stock of Groceries, and for the next two weeks we will give you the benefit of sweeping reductions. WE HAVE REDUCED THE PRICE ON ALL TOBACCOES. Goods delivered free of charge to any part of the city.

Clark's Coats, Kerr's or Brook's spool cotton, white and black, per spool	2 1/2 cts
All kinds, 100 yds, silk, per spool	5 cts
A large line ladies', Misses and Children's gloves	10 cts
A large line of corsets worth \$1.25 reduced to	50 cts
Good lead pencils, per doz.	10 cts
A good Scrubbing Brush.	10 cts
Good Steel and Silver Thimbles, each	1 ct
All kinds needles, per pair	3 cts
All kinds of Silk Button Hole Twist, each	1 ct
All kinds of Dress Buttons, some that are actually worth \$1.00 per doz; per dozen	5 cts
All colors Zephers, single, per oz.	3 cts
Good Spring Clothes Pin per doz	3 cts
Good Lunch Basket, small.	10 cts
Good Pick Handles.	10 cts
Good Axe Handles.	10 cts
Nice China Matting, good.	12 1/2 cts
7 Pes. Pepper and Salt goods, worth 40 cts. per yd.	20 cts
Good Ladies' Morocco Purses	25 cts
All colors Worsted Braid, former price 10 cts.	5 cts
Toilet soaps worth 25c to 50c, per box	10 cts
Ladies' Arctics	60 cts
Children's Arctics	35 cts
Children's Rubbers	20 cts
Cabot A muslin, 13 yds for \$1.00	1 00
Cabot W muslin, 14 yds for \$1.00	1 00
Fruit of loom muslin 11 yds	1 00
Lonsdale muslin 11 yds	1 00
Boss of Road overalls, R. S., per pair	50 cts
Boss of Road overalls, X, Y, per pair	60 cts
We offer a line of worsted goods, all styles and colors, former price, 15 to 25c, 12 yds \$1.00	1 00
We offer a large line of ribbons, all colors and widths, from No. 2 to No. 16, per yd.	5 cts
Good currycombs	10 cts
Good horse brushes	25 cts
A large line of men and boy's wool hats	25 cts
Assorted styles and widths of laces, per yd.	2 cts
A large line of girl's wool hoods, each	25 cts
Eleven dozen pairs men's and boys' wool mittens, per pair	10 cts

CAPITOL ADVENTURE COMPANY, Opera House Corner,

SALEM - - - OREGON.

WHY NO TELEGRAMS?

Excuses of the Telegraph Managers for Not Getting any Dispatches to the Journal. THE JOURNAL has made all possible efforts to secure all the afternoon telegraphic news. The wreck of the wires has not allowed us to get many telegrams, but we have managed to get some every day.

A telegram to the Supt., of the Postal Telegraph obtained the following response:

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 12. MANAGING EDITOR JOURNAL:—You know the difficulties we have been laboring under lately and that must be our explanation of the service you have had. To-morrow we hope to have all our wires in good working order and in that event will be able to serve you regularly. You may be sure we have spared neither patience nor expense to keep up communication, but the elements have been against us.

L. W. STORROR, THE WESTERN UNION.

THE JOURNAL company has the promise of an evening telegraph service from the Western Associated Press. The manager here referred us to E. L. Powell, Agt. Western Associated Press, Portland. He referred our statement and business references to Charles S. Diehl, Pacific Coast agent, Associated Press San Francisco. We have failed to secure a reply from Mr. Diehl, so far, by mail or wire. THE JOURNAL will take all the news dispatches that can be had from the telegraph companies.

BIG MEETING.

Citizens Aroused and Taking Action to Secure a Bridge.

As we go to press fifty prominent citizens and business men of Salem are before the county court representing the necessity of a bridge at the earliest day.

TEAM DROWNED.—Word reached the city this morning that a team belonging to a Mr. Stock, of Monmouth was drowned in the big slough at Independence last evening at 8 o'clock. Since the bridge has gone out across the slough a temporary flat boat has been run for the accommodation of the traveling public. Yesterday evening Mr. Stock arrived dark at the landing and immediately started to drive on to the flat boat. As soon as the team struck the boat it turned to one side and started out into the water. This caused the team to start back and in the scramble the boat floated out from under the horses which were participated into several feet of water. They attempted to swim out but being attached to the wagon their efforts were futile and the team drowned. The loss will prove a severe blow to Mr. Stock who is a poor man and is wholly dependent upon his days labor for a living.

ROBBED A CHINAMAN.—Yesterday a chinaman, who resides in a cabin about two miles south of town came in the city and complained to City Marshal Ross that he had been robbed, that some one had entered his cabin and stolen quite a lot of plunder. Marshal Ross in a short time located the culprits and with Chief of Police Minto, went to a house on the Independence road some three miles south of the city and arrested James Nobbitt and Joe Osborn who were in hiding with the stolen goods and other articles which have been stolen around the city. They were arranged before Recorder Conn this evening, waived examination and were bound over to await action of the grand jury in the sum of \$500, in default of which they were committed to the county jail.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CHEMEREKETE HOTEL. E F Sox, Albany; Thos Broughton, Lexington, Or.; T S Hammond & Son, Marion county, Or.; J M Ingersoll, Concordia, Kan.; J A Finland, Turner, Or.; E L Barger, Jamesville; S W Cummings, J H Walkeu, Oregon City; D L Wheeler, Albany; H M Remo, Portland; J A Jones, Jefferson; C Forward, Silverton; Mark Levi, San Francisco; Jeff Meyers, Seio; A R Creigh, Chicago; J E Mager, San Francisco; P H Pinkston, Oakland.

COOK HOTEL.

J J Leavitt, Jefferson; S R Smith, Jefferson; J S Moser, Silverton; Jny S date e, Orange; F T Cory, Portland; J E Rosoin, Chicago.

WANT TO KNOW ABOUT OREGON.

Answers to Interested Correspondents And Parties Intending to Settle Here in Salem.

The first batch of mail brings us many letters of inquiry from eastern parties. This is very largely the result of our special edition got out nearly a month ago. The blockade of mails has detained letters to which replies would otherwise be already in the hands of the parties. We take this public way of answering all inquiries, and we cordially invite friends of Oregon to take advantage of our columns in publishing letters of inquiry and suggesting proper answers. In this way information reaches large numbers of people.

E. W. Mahoney, Marshal, Minn.: "I read sample of your paper, am well pleased with it. Here is your dollar; cheap enough. I will see your city some time in the near future."

John Smith, Sprague, Wash.: "Send me your paper. I came to this country to settle, but the climate does not suit me. Eastern Oregon has been highly recommended to me and I am anxious to find the best climate, that has excellent lands and timber."

J. S. Cotter, Chenoa, Ill. P. O. Box 193: Send me a copy of your paper. I and others are about undertaking a trip to California and the Willamette valley in Oregon next spring.

C. L. Smith, Morrisons, Va.: Send me a paper. Is there any land that can be taken up as soldiers' homestead? What are the chances for making a living? Let me know about fish and game. Is there a chance to get lumber to build with at a reasonable price?

[Any man who can swing an axe and has means to buy nails need not go without shelter in Oregon.]—Ed.

J. W. Jacobs, Vernon Center, Minn.: I see by your paper a number of farms for sale. Please let me know distance from town and price per acre of each, as I can get up quite a colony in the spring.

[Read real estate ads. a little closer.]—Ed.

Richard Collins, Oak Valley, Kansas: Send me a sample copy. We wish to find suitable location for parties who desire to emigrate to Oregon in colonies or separately.

Charles E. Churchill, Park Rapids, Minn.: I have a copy of your paper. What are the prevailing complaints? Is there a good deal of malaria, fever and ague, or typhoid fever? I want work and have poor health. What I must have is a milder climate. Will it pay to ship my household goods?

[We are not here long enough to be well versed in the leading "complaints"; we hear little or nothing about them. Have heard of nothing in Oregon this winter but gripe. Household goods are not very high here. It will pay to ship most stuff that is of any value.]—Ed.

Wm. O'Donnell, Albion, N. Y.: Have some means, about \$5000, and an excellent portable sawmill, traction engine, shingle mill and grain thrasher. Would like a good heavily timbered farm well located for shipping. Can move my mill and set it up for 15,000 feet.

[A Maryland man writes to know if the Indians do not swoop down on us once in a while. We are just as well off as the eastern states in this respect—we have no trouble except with civilized Indians.]—Ed.

John Cable, Glen Elder, Kansas: Please give me all information you can of country. There are several who want to come to your state.

[We can only furnish you papers, edited honestly as we see it. You must draw your own inferences. We looked this country over last September and were pleased with it. An industrious, economical man can support himself well almost anywhere in this country. If he can get a superior climate and a location where everything is going ahead, he can prosper.]—Ed.

A LAND SLIDE.—The Independence mail carrier who arrived in the city this morning, coming by the way of Hall's ferry, reports quite a landslide out near the Croisan place, about a mile and one-half from the city. He says that a chunk of the hill has broken loose and is slowly moving down the hill, taking everything with it. It contains several hundred tons of earth, so the driver reports, and is making good headway.

Democratic Compliments.

Roseburg Review, Jan. 20: The Salem CAPITAL JOURNAL came out Monday evening under the new management, and is somewhat improved in appearance. J. L. Mitchell is still local editor and seems to pick up most of the news about the city. Hofer Bros., the new editors, came from Iowa preceded by a great many recommendations, and they are no doubt all right, and competent as journalists, but they will find that while journalists are scarce in Oregon, newspaper men are plenty and that they will have to rustle to keep up with the profession. However, we wish the management success.

Corvallis Gazette, (21 years old): Evidently 1890 will be a year of recommendations. A half interest in the CAPITAL JOURNAL, at Salem, has been sold to fellows lately from Iowa named Hofer. They come loaded down with letters of recommendation from W. B. Allison, Ret. Clarkson, Wm. Larrabee, and others, all of which have been published in that paper, much to the amusement of the public. Evidently the newspaper business in Salem will be terribly revolutionized by the advent of these Iowans to that city, and the old and reliable Salem Statesman will have to purchase a faster press to meet the growing demands for its daily issues.

Waukon (Ia.) Democrat: It is stated that the brothers Ernst and A. F. Hofer, Jr., of the McGregor News family, have purchased a controlling interest in the CAPITAL JOURNAL a prominent daily and weekly paper at Salem, Oregon. Both gentlemen have had considerable journalistic experience, and Ernst is an easy and graceful writer. They are upright young men and we anticipate that bright prospects are before them in the newspaper field over on the Pacific slope. They certainly have our wishes for a prosperous career, as have all young men who have the ambition and the will to do for themselves.

Notes From Exchanges.

Orting Oracle: Newspapers don't provoke libel suits for fun. When they take the pains to blister a man's corpus, the blister is raised generally just where it belongs.

Pendleton Tribune: "Ya-tin-e-nat, a Cayuse brave living in our midst, has been experimenting with la grippe. These are his conclusions: "Heap burn, much cold, scratch all time, bark like dog, feel bad, like squaw, tear blanket, like go happy hunting ground, tough, ugh."

Albany Democrat: Official statistics show that the average railroad charges for carrying a ton of freight one mile on eighteen leading railroad lines, at the present time, is .95 of a cent. It is very evident that the freight charges of railroads in this section were not taken into consideration to strike this average.

Note the pluck of an Oregon woman. The Jefferson Review says: The wife of Wm. Miller, on the island opposite Fairfield, gave birth to child in the rafters of a building last night. Her husband was alone in the house and by means of ropes swung the bed with his wife in it to the rafters of the house when she gave birth to a child: They were rescued to-day.

Oregonian: Oregon has become by this time great enough to support a new school of liars. We boast a progressive state; yet probably if the authority of ancient legend were to prevail forever we should in time become slaves to it, as the Chinese are, and consequently fossilized, petrified, unprogressive. Upon this view of the subject it becomes necessary to give the modern pseudologist a chance.

Albany Herald: The Portland World, democratic, is in favor of Senator Butler's scheme to colonize the negroes in Africa. Probably if it could succeed in that scheme, it would next turn in to colonize all the white people in the country, who differ with it politically in Alaska or Samoa. Then it could have a fat time with the loaves and fishes. It wants but little here below, but that little is the whole world to itself and let it have it.

Astoria Pioneer: If there is any thing more than another that needs an infusion of new blood it is the postoffice department. For upwards of six years now it has been run upon a plan which completely ignores the Pacific coast, and although some hope was entertained from a

man of business, such as the present incumbent is known to be, yet the same state of affairs exist as relates to the west.

MARKET REPORT.

A Synopsis of the Markets—Buying and Selling Prices.

The recent floods and washouts have not had so bad an effect upon the markets as might have been looked for; especially is this the case regarding the local markets. A reporter in looking up the market quotations this morning visited the Salem Flouring Mills Company's office and discovered that the company are entirely out of feed. Their supply of flour is something over 3000 barrels and remains at \$4.20 per barrel. A large supply of wheat is on hand and the company are working on the damaged flume and expect to have the mill running night and day by the latter part of the week. Wheat remains at 60 1/2 cts net and 63 cents on storage.

Since the weather became clearer and the rains ceased eggs have declined from 40 cents to 25 cents per dozen, and will probably go one notch lower.

Potatoes have advanced from 65 cents to 90 cents per bushel. The price will not go above this quotation soon, is the opinion of leading merchants. Green apples are scarce and are not obtainable even at \$1.00 and \$1.25 per box.

Following is a revised state of the market up to date.

SELLING PRICES.

Shoulders—Sugar cured, per lb.	12 1/2 @ 14c
Breakfast bacon—15 to 17c	
Hams—Sugar cured, per lb.	16 @ 10 1/2c
Beef—6 @ 12 1/2c	
Pork—8 @ 10 1/2c	
Mutton—10c	
Veal—10 @ 12 1/2c	
Timothy seed—Per pound, 8c; selling.	
Red clover seed—Per pound, 12c.	
White clover seed—Per pound, 20c.	
Beans—5c per lb., selling.	
Oat meal—Selling at 4 to 6c.	

BUYING PRICES.

Wheat—60 @ 68c net.	
Flour—Per barrel, \$4.20.	
Oats—Per bushel, 20 @ 30c.	
Barley—Per bushel, 50c.	
Bran—Per ton, \$14.00 at the mill.	
Shorts—Per ton, \$14.50.	
Chop—Per ton, \$20.	
Hops—Quoted at \$9.00 per lb.	
Eggs—25c per dozen.	
Potatoes—Per bushel, 90c.	
Corn meal—3c per pound.	
Cheese—10 1/2c per pound.	
Dried apples—Per lb., 6c to 7c.	
Green apples—50c @ \$1.25, per box.	
Dried plums—Per lb., 6c to 7c.	
Shoulders—7c to 8c per lb.	
Chickens—8c to 10c per pound.	
Hogs—On foot 2 1/2	
Beef—On foot 2 1/2	
Wool—Per pound, 20c.	
Turkeys—Per pound, 16c.	
Hams, old—Per pound, 10c.	
Young chickens—Per pound, 6c to 8c.	
Geese—8c to 9c per doz.	
Ducks—8c to 9c per doz.	

MONMOUTH NOTES.

The flood is past, and we now begin to count the loss which at present is not an easy matter.

Mr. James Weir, of Sherman county, is inspecting our town with a view of engaging in business here.

Mr. McMillan, who purchased the Tribune plant at Independence and moved it here last week, has returned to Wasco for his family.

The heavy wind on the 3d blew the decking off the opera house. It has been repaired in a good and substantial manner.

Grandma Boothby is very low with a complication of diseases, and her recovery is doubtful.

The new printing office will be located in one of the upper rooms of the opera building, a good location.

F. S. Barzee goes to Portland this week, thence to Eastern Oregon where he will interest himself with a large business concern.

The new chapel is being used now by the schools. F. S.

ED. N. EDES,

Proprietor of the

Candy Kitchen,

CONFECTIONERIES,

FANCY GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CIGARS

AND TOBACCOS

313 Commercial Street, Salem, Oregon.

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Warm lunch at all hours. Everything first-class. Give us a call. 212 1/2

Teachers' Examination.

NOTICE is hereby given that the regular quarterly examination of applicants for teachers' certificates to teach in the public schools of Marion county, Oregon, will be held at the Marion county court house, commencing Wednesday, February 20th. D. W. YORDE, superintendent of public schools for Marion county.

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Is carefully prepared from Sarsaparilla, Dandelion, Magrabe, Dock, Pipsissewa, Juniper Berries, and other well-known and valuable vegetable remedies, by a peculiar combination, proportion, and process, giving to Hood's Sarsaparilla curative power not possessed by other medicines. It effects remarkable cures where others fail.

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Is the best blood purifier. It cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Boils, Pimples, all Humors, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Indigestion, General Debility, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver complaints; overcomes that Tired Feeling, creates an appetite, builds up the system.

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Has met unparalleled success at home. Such is its popularity in Lowell, Mass., where it is made, that Lowell druggists sell more of Hood's Sarsaparilla than all other sarsaparillas or blood purifiers. The same success is extending all over the country.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is peculiar in the confidence it gains among all classes of people. Where it is once used it becomes a favorite family remedy. Do not be induced to buy other preparations. Be sure to get the Peculiar Medicine.

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Persons living in this vicinity will find it to their interest to have all meats delivered on short notice. 130-1st

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Cigar and Pool Rooms!

SMITH & McMANON, PROPS.

A well selected stock of cigars. Tobacco, both chewing and smoking always on hand; also the best periodicals, daily papers, books and all goods kept in a first-class news stand on first.

Spend an hour pleasantly in our well kept

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