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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	\$ 6 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	75
Gent's Percalé Shirts, usual price \$1.25, now	85
Gent's Suspenders, per pair	15

Underwear and Cardigan jackets  
Selling Below Regular Wholesale  
sale 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 TOBACCOS  
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 pa.	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 Purse	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
Cabot W muslin, 14 yds for	1 00
Fruit of loam 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
We offer a large line of ribbons, all colors and widths, from No. 2 to No. 16, per yd	5 cts
Good curly combs	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.

### TO DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

#### COW CREEK CANYON.

The Remarkable Blockade in That Mountain Pass.  
ASHLAND, Or., Feb. 21.—The first mail from the outside world will enter this valley to-day, after a blockade arising from the California snows for over a month. Reports from the wrecking force in Cow Creek canyon now indicate that the damages to the railroad are much greater than at first anticipated. Now it is generally understood that the railroad people have abandoned all hopes of clearing out the big West Fork slide, but will build three miles of entirely new road around it, on the opposite side of the canyon beyond the big slide. Many miles of track will be almost entirely rebuilt also.  
An old resident and prominent Oregon surveyor furnishes the following description of

#### COW CREEK CANYON.

Cow Creek canyon in the Southern part of Douglas county is now the great barrier to a speedy resumption of railroad traffic between Portland and "Frisco." Cow Creek heads in the Cascade mountains between the waters of the Rogue and South Umpqua river. It runs nearly west for thirty miles, and then forming a curve to the north and then back to the east, empties into the Umpqua river near Riddle's station. From the mouth of the creek by Canyonville, along the old stage road, through the "big" canyon, it is only about fifteen miles to the upper valley, a distance of more than fifty miles by the creek. The R. R. leaves the old stage road at Myrtle creek, eight miles from the big canyon, and crossing the south Umpqua river passes Riddle's station, and enters the canyon proper some three miles south of the latter station. The construction of the road from this point to near Glendale, a distance of twenty-five miles is but little above, ordinary high water mark, and many places the road-bed was constructed in and along the bed of the stream, crowding its territory and much increasing its powers for danger. The stream is a very rapid one and as it seems, has almost wiped the railroad out of existence through this canyon. There are seven tunnels within this distance, and three bridges of considerable importance. One across West Fork, a stream that comes from the west, and two bridges across the creek. The mountains on each side of the creek are exceedingly steep, and landslides are a common annoyance. There being no roads through this canyon, travel will be compelled to take conveyance at Riddle—go through the big canyon and take railroad again at Glendale.

#### ANOTHER ENTERPRISE.

Salem to Have a Second Iron Foundry—Articles Filed and Work to be Pushed Forward.

For some time the fact has been realized that Salem was in need of a second iron foundry and articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state, by W. T. Gray, C. A. Gray and John Holman, all of Salem, to conduct a general foundry, machine and repair shop, and other business incident to such an institution.  
The company incorporates with a capital stock of \$25,000, divided into shares of \$100 each.  
The news of this new venture will be hailed with delight throughout the country. Mr. Holman will be the manager of the firm, and he is so well known that it is useless to speak at length upon his ability. He was for several years foreman of Drake's iron foundry and is considered one of the best machinists and workmen in his line on the coast. Most of the stockholders are competent mechanics and have had experience in the business.  
A JOURNAL reporter called on the gentleman interested in the matter and learned that the incorporators will settle upon a location at an early date, and expect to be in full operation inside of sixty days. A number of sites have been offered to the company.  
The new establishment will give steady employment to at least twenty men and will be a credit to the city.  
Miss Annie Vestib, of Kansas, who has been visiting with her uncle, J. P. Neatch, of this city, the past two months, started this afternoon for Ukiah, California.

### HO! FOR OREGON!

What Eastern People Think of The Red-Apple State—The Journal's Efforts Among Them.

It is not two months since the JOURNAL commenced its system of advertising in the East, yet it is already receiving many returns of its broad east upon the waters. We believe in advertising and consequently spend considerable in setting forth the merits of the CAPITAL JOURNAL. About a month ago we published a special edition for circulation in the East. It was noticed by some of the best papers of the East, and has brought us nearly a hundred replies during the past ten days. From among these we present a few to show what interest is being manifested in Salem and Oregon in general.  
Mr. J. W. Murphy, editor of the Burlington, Iowa, Post, writes: The possibilities of Oregon are simply beyond comprehension at the present day. I envy you your opportunities.  
J. F. Kempker, of Missouri valley, Iowa, says: "Please send me a copy of your paper this week and next. I would like to read up some about your wonderful country."

Four parties have written from Wichita, Kan., for papers, all of whom have been supplied. Salvation is free with the JOURNAL.

A gentleman from Amherst, Mass., wants to know, 1st. The price of farming land. Prices range from \$10 to \$100. See real estate ads. 2d. What could a man with \$1000 do out there? A sensible man with good judgment and nerve could make a fortune with it, and hard work in five years. A fool could squander it here as quickly as anywhere. 3d. How cold are your winters? It seldom "freezes up," and zero weather is almost an unknown quantity. 4th. Give prices of provisions. See market reports. 5th. Would it pay to ship furniture? No, not from east of the Rockies, for loose furnishings here are almost as cheap as in the East. He says in conclusion, "There are a number of my neighbors interested in this letter, and would like to leave this poor worn-out land." Oregon is the most desirable state on the coast to live in, and there is no country in the world offers more advantage to the industrious than the Willamette valley.

W. D. Ferree, of Hancock County, Minn., wants to know what time he can get on land here, says the railroad company there gives seven years, with 7 per cent. interest. You can get as good time here, and not deal with a railroad monopoly either. An old veteran at Plankinton, S. D., says: "I am living in the land of the Dakotas, and the greatest fault I find is the intense cold. I served three years in the war and can't stand the cold. If your climate suits, there are many of my comrades here who would like to go too." As this comes from the border of the great Sioux reservation just thrown open for settlement at \$1.25 an acre, our friend's letter shows about how much it is worth. If you would be comfortable in your old age and enjoy your declining years as an old soldier deserves, come to the beautiful valley of the Willamette.

A young pedagogue from Lawrence, Mass., asks: 1st. Have you good schools? Yes, Salem not only has several good colleges, seminaries and private schools, but has one of the best public school systems in the intellectual west. 2nd. What of the country schools, and the wages of teachers, male and female? From \$35 to \$50. Sex cuts no figures. Competency is the only criterion. 3rd. Of manufactures, and wages of laborers? Salem has saw mills, grist mills, woolen mills, sash door factories, foundries and fruit evaporators, besides many other manufacturing interests in operation and prospect. No common laborer gets less than \$1.50 per day, and many \$2. Mechanics, from \$1 to \$5. 4th. What must I pay for a respectable (not extravagant) dress suit? The writer will simply state that he recently purchased what is for some time to be known as his best, society suit for the sum of \$17.50. However, some people here wear better clothes than newspaper men. On the whole, clothing is about as cheap here as in the mid West states.

The JOURNAL cannot answer all the letters thus received, and gives the above as a fair average, hoping the questions answered will cover nearly all that may be asked.

### CIRCUIT COURT.

Lewis Pettyjohn vs. A. Grant; the report of the referee referred back to him to report findings as to whether or not certain amounts of wheat for which receipts were issued by Grant were actually in the warehouse at the time and were the property of said Grant, and several other facts of a like character. Judge J. C. Peebles, the referee, will have another tedious job of going through the testimony to arrive at the required conclusions.  
State vs. Vernon Osborn; under bond the past year for good behavior; discharged and bond exonerated.  
Elizabeth Eberhard vs. Elms and Sarah J. Eberhard, I. R. Dawson, assignee, and others; demurrer to defendant's answer sustained; default against Elias Eberhard and John McCullon; decree of foreclosure for \$800.15, with 8 per cent interest, an attorney fee of \$89.61 and for costs and disbursements. Lewis H. Tarpley, W. M. Kaiser, and Tilton Ford for plaintiffs; Geo. H. Burnett, for defendants.  
Butler vs. Butler, partition; continued for report of referee.  
Mauer vs. Winkler et ux.; action for money; continued for settlement.  
M. A. Gunst vs. Speight & Roach; action for money; default and judgment.  
Pennoyer, governor, vs. Croisan, sheriff, and Shepard; plaintiffs ordered to file a bond; all rulings excepted to by defendants.  
First National bank vs. Stephen E. Lee, action for money; settled and dismissed.  
Watt vs. Hellenbrand, judgment on plea in abatement in favor of defendant for costs and disbursements.  
Pennoyer, governor, vs. Croisan, sheriff, and Shepard; undertaking filed, and perpetual injunction granted.  
Pettyjohn vs. Grant; order to receiver to sell the wheat and oats.  
Court adjourned and the journal will remain open until the additional report of the referee in the Pettyjohn—Grant case is ready, which will probably be some time next week.

LATE FILINGS.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the secretary of state's office to-day by the Security Savings and Trust company, with C. H. Lewis, Henry Felling, H. W. Corbett, C. A. Dolph and Chas. F. Adams, of Portland, and A. Bush, of Salem, incorporators; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$250,000 in shares of \$100. Also by the Oregon and Washington Fire Proofing company, with Charles Carroll Gillman, James Steel and A. M. Smith, incorporators; principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$200,000. Also by the Standard Iron Works, of Salem, with W. T. Gray, C. A. Gray and John Holman, incorporators; object, to conduct a general foundry machine and repair shop and carry on all the business incident to such an institution; capital stock, \$25,000, in shares of \$100. Lang & Co., of Portland, to-day filed a trademark of the word "Apex" to be used as the name of a cigar manufactured by them.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT.—Tomorrow morning, commencing at ten o'clock, an entertainment, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, comic songs, clog dancing, etc., will be given at the penitentiary, principally for the amusement of the prisoners, and in the evening commencing at early candle light the performance will be repeated for the pleasure of visitors who may wish to attend. Superintendent Downing assures a reporter this will be a rare treat, as the participants are highly accomplished in their specialties. Among the musical instruments will be two tenor-baritones, an organ and violin. A large attendance is expected.

STILL AT WORK.—The committee consisting of P. H. D'Arcy, A. Bush and W. H. Byars, appointed by the court to examine plans and report upon rebuilding the Willamette bridge, are busy looking over specifications, etc., and expect to be ready to make a report to the court at its March session.

PAY YOUR TAXES.—Now is the time that county taxes should be coming in promptly, as costs must be added in a short time unless they are attended to. Give this matter your attention, if party owners.

Salem has never stood still. See new adds in this paper. Salem has never ceased to progress. See call for school district meeting for tax-payers.

Geo. W. Minto returned to Portland this afternoon.

Rev. L. Metayer, of Albany, is in the city on a short visit.

George Wright and family went to Portland this afternoon.

A. B. Buren, the furniture dealer, is in Portland on business.

"The relation of faith to salvation" to-night, at the Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kearns, of Stayton, are visitors in Salem this afternoon.

Miss Margaret Macrum took this afternoon's train for a home visit at Portland.

Mrs. H. B. Holland took this afternoon's train for a visit with friends at Oregon City.

Hon. T. T. Geer, of the Waldo hills, made the JOURNAL a pleasant call this afternoon.

Banker J. A. Cusick, of Albany, came down this afternoon to visit his brother, the doctor, who is very sick.

As we go to press a \$100,000 fire is raging in the granite block at Helena in which the legislature meets.

H. F. Gibson was a Portland passenger this afternoon, Mrs. G. having preceded him a day or so since. See announcement of auction sale of C. W. Pugh. There will be some great bargains. Remember the date.

Miss Angie McCulloch and Mrs. A. J. Herren returned this afternoon from Harrisburg, where they have been in attendance at their father's burial.

Mr. Olinger has his new cottage ready for plastering, but last night it was so cold the plaster froze, so he will have to wait till the weather moderates.

W. V. Ware who has for the last two months been unable to leave his house is able to walk around. He is building a cottage near the woolen mills, and expects to run a restaurant. Success to his undertaking.

A. Noltner, weigher and gauger in the Portland custom house, a newspaper man in Oregon these many years past and the great apostle of democracy in this state, was greeting friends in this city a short time to-day.

PROBATE COURT.—Petition was filed to-day for the appointment of M. A. Bellinger administratrix of the estate of E. H. Bellinger, deceased. In the estate of W. R. Robertson, deceased, W. E. Patton, administrator, files his bond in the sum of \$3000 with W. H. Hobson and J. P. Thomas as sureties.

## SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings on the glands of the neck; causes painful running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors"; and fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption, and death. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it.

## How Can It Be CURED

By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, often when other medicines have failed, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. Some of these cures are really wonderful. If you suffer from scrofula or impure blood, be sure to try Hood's Sarsaparilla.  
"Every spring my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, sores breaking out on them in various places. My little boy, three years old, has been a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one mass of sores from head to foot. I was advised to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and we have all been cured. The result is that all have been cured of the scrofula, my little boy being entirely free from sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy." W. B. ARTHUR, Passaic City, N. J.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by druggists. \$1; six for \$5. Prepared by C. L. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass. 100 Doses One Dollar

## JOHN HUGHES,

Dealer in Groceries, Paints, Oils and Window Glass, Wall Paper and Border, Artists' Materials, Lime, Hair, Nails and Shingles, Hay, Feed and Fence Posts, Grass Seeds, Etc.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

## EAST SALEM MEAT MARKET!

R. A. DOZIER, Prop.

All kinds of meats of the best quality always on hand. Shop located on Center street, between 12th and 13th streets.

Persons living in this vicinity will find it to their interest to trade here. All meats delivered on short notice. 1-24-11

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Spend an hour pleasantly in our well kept

## BILLIARD AND POOL ROOMS

which are run in connection with the above establishment.

## P. H. EASTON'S Salem Music Store

Headquarters for Chickering & Sons', Steinway, Hazleton, Colby and Emerson Pianos, and all White Organ's, Cash or Installments.

94 State Street, Patton's Block.

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Fast trains with Pullman Vestibule Drawing room sleepers, dining cars and coaches of latest design, between Chicago and Milwaukee and St. Paul and Minneapolis.

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SHAW & DOWNING,  
Real - Estate - Agents  
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We have a large list of farm lands and city property for sale. We also take charge of auction sales in any part of the State.  
NO. 204 COMMERCIAL STREET, SALEM, OREGON.

ANNUAL School Meeting  
Monday, March 3d, 1890.  
The annual school meeting of the local voters of school district No. 21, Marion county, Oregon, will be held at the Opera House, at Salem, on  
At 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of hearing report of directors and clerk, to levy a tax for school purposes and payment of interest on bonds and to transact any other business proper to be done at said meeting.  
JOHN G. WRIGHT, Chairman.  
DAVID SIMPSON, Clerk.  
Salem, Or., February, 21st, 1890.