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McMINNVILLE BACKS OUT.—Manager Smith, of the Salem baseball club, informs a JOURNAL reporter that the McMinnville club has completely backed out of its contract to come here and play return games, without giving the least excuse.

IMPORTANT SUIT.—The paper have been filed in a civil action in this city which promises, unless settled, to create great deal of excitement and anxious interest in the community.

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THE BIG STEEL BRIDGE.

A Busy Crowd of Workmen, but the Mills Cannot Supply Timbers Fast Enough. Work on the Willamette bridge is moving along as rapidly as possible, but the sawmills have been unable to get out material enough to keep such a force of men going as the contractors contemplated using.

The first tier of false work is built from this side out to the first pier, the sub-structure piling for which is driven and is to be made ready for the reception of the crib to-day.

On top of the piling when cut off will be placed the cribs to receive the abutments. These cribs are already framed and anchored in the river above the bridge, waiting to be set in place.

The bank above the bridge is strewn with timbers in process of napping and framing and with no further delay the false work will be completed in a short time and the first span put in.

It is thought that the first of November will see the bridge completed, so that Salem this year can have its Thanksgiving day a little earlier than common.

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THE BIG SHOW.

John Robinson's aggregation of curiosities and pleasant things to see, arrived this morning and by nine o'clock the streets presented a holiday appearance that would put to shame the census supervisor of this district if he could have seen it.

The parade formed an admirable pageant and was viewed with much pleasure by an immense throng of people belonging to the city and surrounding country. The managers are gentlemanly and courteous and take pains to make a visitor enjoy the sights.

"THE OLD HOMESTEAD."—Denman Thompson's famous play of New England life will be seen at Reed's opera house Saturday evening August 2nd.

Mr. Jones bit and had good luck. His first draw was \$5, which was promptly paid and in a little while his luck was even better, this draw being five thousand dollars.

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A BOLD BUNCO GAME.

A French Prairie Farmer Robbed of Five Thousand Dollars Right Before His Eyes. S. W. R. Jones is a wealthy farmer and land owner north of Brooks, but he is \$5000 poorer and wiser to-day than he was a day or two ago, having been burced out of that amount by a well laid scheme.

Last Sunday a well dressed man and woman, the latter full of beauty and confidence-breeding manner, drove up to the residence of Mr. Jones in search of a desirable farm in which to invest surplus wealth.

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REMEMBERED.

About fifty Salem citizens, lovers of baseball, met and adopted resolutions complimentary to Rev. H. H. Brown for his liberal views on Sunday baseball, at the same time presenting that gentleman with a gold headed walking cane.

Save on Groceries. Try the Capitol Adventure Co's new grocery store for bargains in that line. Fresh groceries, provisions, oranges, bananas, candied fruits and vegetables always on hand.

WELLS! WELLS!—Wells driven; wells dug; wells repaired; on fair terms. A. Darr, South Salem. If \$2500 will buy a well established business with a good paying trade no better about Salem. Part cash, balance on time.

How to Dress the Boys. Dress them well. Well dressed children are a pleasure to their parents, and good clothes increase a child's self respect.

Persons suffering from the prevailing cold will do well to try Holden's Ethereal Cough Syrup. It is an excellent remedy and has been used by hundreds of persons in this city who will join in commending it to their friends.

A Cure for Sick Headache. This distressing complaint is due to an inactive or sluggish liver or constipated bowels which deranges the stomach and disturbs the nervous system causing dizziness and an oppressive dull pain in the head.

Instruments Filed for Record at the County Recorder's Office. Oregon Land Co to W H McOscar, lots 7 and 8 in blk 14, Riverside. \$ 285

SECURE YOUR TICKETS Before Leaving Salem. Gilbert Bros, have now on sale ROUND TRIP TICKETS to Yaguina and return. Tickets good for going and coming on any Week day until October 1st, '00.

CITY WARRANTS. THERE are being funds on hand sufficient for paying all city warrants endorsed prior to December 31st, 1899, interest will be paid on such warrants from date of this notice.

MARRIED. MAGEE-HOBART.—At the altar of the M. E. church, Salem, Wednesday, July 30, 1899, Miss Delta Hobart and Mr. Levi Magee, President Thomas Van Scoy, of Willamette university, officiating.

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25c Want Column.

Notice inserted for ONE CENT PER WORD EACH INSERTION. No advertisement inserted in this column for less than twenty-five cents.

FOUND AT LAST.—A Polish that will clean a piano without gumming it. For sale at Diamond's music house.

FOR SALE.—One house and two lots in South Salem. Inquire of W. B. Simpson. Price \$250.

PATRONIZE Home Industry, and use Mountain Balm Cough Cure. Guaranteed to give relief or money refunded. Manufactured by H. H. Cross, Salem, Oregon. Smith & Steiner sole agents for Salem.

Invitation of Proposals. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the secretary of state until Wednesday, August 2, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m., for flooring, plastering and finishing the old "armory" room and vault therein, on the first floor of the state house, according to specifications now in the office of Governor McBride, architect, Salem, Oregon.

Board of Equalization. To the tax papers of Marion county, Oregon. The board of Equalization will meet at the office of the county clerk, at the court house in Marion county, Oregon, on the 1st Monday in August, 1899, being the 25th day, at 9 o'clock a. m., and publicly commence the examination of the assessment as returned by the assessor for the year 1899, correcting all errors in value or description of lands, lots and other property. Said board will remain in session from day to day for one week only. Therefore all tax payers or owners of property in said Marion county are notified to appear at the time and place herein mentioned and show cause if any they have why their assessment should not remain as taken by the assessor. Assessor, Marion Co., Or. Dated this 29th day of July 1899.

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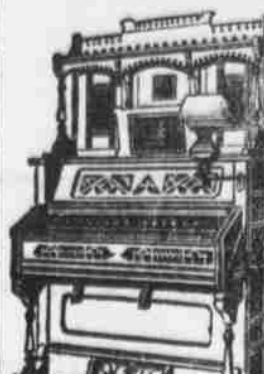
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Great Offer!



\$600 PIANO for \$225, Upright brand. ENORMOUS BARGAINS on the celebrated COLBY Pianos for a few weeks only. \$250 ORGANS, the finest in the world, for \$150. \$150 ORGANS for \$70.

EASTON'S Eldridge Block, Commercial St. EVERYTHING GUARANTEED.

In Grand Father's Day.

In grandfather's day, when the world was good, On Sundays, folks all went to church as they should. There the grace of salvation to seek; And then, afterwards, in the quiet, cool shade, In hammock, on lawn, or in parlor they laid, And thus resolutions were firmly made, With S. FRIEDMAN to trade all the week.

In the days of our fathers things were not much changed, From church going habits we were not yet estranged. And still one great thought was in sight, That whatever was done on the great Sabbath day, Whether worship or music or harmless play, This sound line of reasoning they all must obey. Where FRIEDMAN was selling the goods were all right.

And now as brass bands send their melody forth, Calling crowds of a Sunday south, east or north, To take part in excursion, foot race or ball, Though a change is proclaimed in the way of devotion, And the world has assumed a more go-ahead motion, The desire is still as resistless as ocean, On Fredman, at the Capitol Adventure, to call.

The world in some things is the same all the time, This especially true is in the care of the dime, Which is never too plenty or easy to get. This truth once allowed, the reason is plain, Why the Capitol Adventure Company fill every train, With the wares of the world, for sale to the throng, At the Opera House corner, where this is the song, "FRIEDMAN still leads the market, you bet!"

CHEAP MEATS.

I am selling at my markets on State and Court streets meats at the following prices: BOILED BEEF from 6 to 8 Cents. ROAST BEEF 8 Cents. GOOD STEAK 8 to 10 Cents. BEEF by the QUARTER 5 Cents. MUTTON by the QUARTER 7 Cents. PORK by the QUARTER 7 Cents.

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GO TO GEO. F. SMITH

307 COMMERCIAL STREET, FOR Tents, Awnings, Lawn & Camp Goods. The Finest Stock in Salem.

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