

NO DULL SEASON HERE.

There is no time of year when comforts and pleasures of life are more appreciated than in Midsummer. We are here to supply the public's wants, to supply them quickly, to supply them well and at right prices. Having no difficulty in buying at very great concessions, why should we not take and give advantage of the opportunities. Our past experience with old and new stocks of goods has taught us there is no profit in keeping goods on the shelves till they are old and shop worn. We bought all our Cloaks, Flannels and Blankets for winter which will arrive soon and in order to have room for them we are selling all our summer stock at greatly reduced prices. Our Stock is all new and we propose to keep it new. NO DULL SEASON HERE.

A. W. Weekes, Graham's Block, East Side.

USE DR. CRAIG'S ORIGINAL KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE.

They are the only safe remedies to use for those afflicted with Bright's Disease, Liver Complaint and Urinary Affections. Only those prepared in the laboratory are the original and the only Kidney and Liver Cure that will restore you to perfect health.

C. B. R. A. THE CRAIG MEDICINE CO., 150 CORNHILL BOSTON.

HUMPHREYS' SPECIFICS.

- List of ailments including: Headache, Stomach Ache, Back Pain, and various forms of colic and indigestion.

Young Mothers!

We offer you a Remedy which insures Safety to Life of Mother and Child.

"MOTHER'S FRIEND" helps in confinement and is safe for both mother and child.

BILE BEANS

To cure Biliousness, Sick Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, and other ailments.

CHEATING IN HORSE BLANKETS

Nearly every pattern of Horse Blanket is imitated in color and style. In most cases the imitation looks just as good as the genuine, but it isn't the way threads, and so lacks strength, and while it sells for only a little less than the genuine it isn't worth one-half as much.

5/A HORSE BLANKETS

Five Mile Boss Electric Extra Test Baler. Are the strongest. 100 SA STYLES.

WHAT CONSUMPTION SCROFULA BRONCHITIS COUGHS COLDS

Wonderful Flesh Producer. Many have gained one pound per day by its use. Scott's Emulsion is not a stimulant remedy. It contains the secretizing properties of the Hypophosphites and pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil.

NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

Kindnote. G. L. Stannard is getting his lumber and other material home to build his house this fall.

South Boston. So. Boston was quite well represented at the picnic at Lowell, and all seem well satisfied with their investment.

Logan. Mr Fry and daughter Anna, of near Hastings, visited at Mrs Hubner's Friday.

South Lowell item. The long looked for ram came at last. David Laver, wife and family, Sunday with Mr and Mrs Clifford, at Carlton.

Alton Atoms. Quite a sudden change in the weather. This ram has done any amount of good to corn and late potatoes and also to pastures.

Atton Atoms. Mr Huckleberry's horse got mired in the little marsh just west of their house last Sunday morning.

Atton Atoms. Mrs H. J. Walker and grandson Master Jay Waters, went to Grand Rapids last Saturday to visit friends.

Mr and Mrs Otis Bailey visited friends in Cascade Sunday. There was a small dance at Eddie Plant's last Friday.

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MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

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A BUSTLING OLD MAID.

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THE WOLVES OF FRANCE.

They Are Very Numerous, But It Is Said to be a Very Bad Time.

Flames in New York destroyed the buildings of L. H. Mace & Co., manufacturers of various toys and woodware of various descriptions.

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CITY BUS LINE.

ED. FORMAN, PROPRIETOR.

PENSIONS!

JAMES TANNER, Late Commissioner of Pensions, Washington, D. C.

MEAT MARKET.

J. J. McNAUGHTON, Always has on hand a fine selection of Fresh Meats, Salt Meats, Fish, Poultry, and Game in season.

CHOICE STOCK.

Choice Lard and Tallow, and is in the market to buy.

New Goods! New Goods! WE ARE NOW RECEIVING NEW GOODS DAILY!

and have marked down some lines to close, as we need the room for New Goods. We are bound to have our share of trade and will make prices that must move the goods.

We Have a Choice Line of Dress Goods and THEY MUST BE SOLD.

Our Carpet Stock is Fresh and Full and the Prices Cannot be Beaten. We have a Few Winter Cloaks and Jackets to Close at Cost.

The Place to Find Us is On the Dry Goods Corner!

N. B. BLAIN.

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Actual Business Shorthand and Typewriting AND TELEGRAPHY.

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What is more appropriate for a Birthday or wedding present, or for any gift, than a nice piece of Jewelry or Silverware

Young man, a present of an engagement ring or any nice piece of Jewelry will bring joy to the heart of your best girl, or your mother or your sister or some other fellow's sister. Father, just remember the partner of your joys and sorrows, by making her a neat little present of a ring, a gold or silver thimble, a brooch, collar stud, earrings, or anything of that sort and see how much joy it will bring you both. Has the boy got a watch? what do you suppose he would like better, just try him on one. Do you know where to buy these things and many others, where the best and most complete line of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry and Silverware ever brought in this town is kept? Ah Yes! Why of course it is at

H. A. SHERMAN'S.

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