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Blight in Fruit Trees.

I suppose you are aware—if not, many of your readers are—that Oregon is the best suited country, I might almost say, in America, for the growing of Apples. There are some varieties that do not succeed well. Among that catalogue I would enumerate the Red June and Monstrous Sweeting. Many of your readers may say the latter is of little account in any country. The Red June blights after the tree gains a little size, so materially as to affect, to a great degree, the quality and quantity of fruit. Where it does well it is a valuable fruit, and is much prized for its flavor. This blight is by no means common to many varieties of Apples except the Red June, and, in some localities, the July Bough. To what this blight, as it is generally termed, is attributable, I have not heard any good and satisfactory cause assigned. The wood affected by it is of a whitish cast, and the leaves partake, likewise, of the same apparent signs of decay. The wood ceases growing. It makes its appearance in the summer months, either on the present summer's growth or that of the year before. If you or your correspondents can assign a cause or give a remedy, it would be duly appreciated by many persons.

There is a species of blight also common to the Peach, and nearly, if not quite all, varieties are affected by it to such an extent that the Peach might be reckoned as a failure in Oregon. For this I have heard several causes assigned. One, that the late frosts in the spring, after the sap has started, freezes the swelled buds and causes them to shrivel up and get full of blisters, and finally, when the hot sun comes on, they dry up and fall off; after which, if the tree has sufficient vitality left in it, it will re produce a new crop of leaves. Another cause is said to be the late growing of the trees in the fall, and the vigorous and imperfect state of the wood makes it tender and easily affected by winter freezing. I would like to see some of your contributors' ideas upon this subject. Light is wanted; and if the true cause and a remedy is known, it would be a matter of great interest to your readers to find it out.

Another matter of moment I would mention in this connection, about which there is considerable mystery. In Marion county quite a number of large bearing trees have prematurely died; in some orchards as many as a hundred trees have perished from some cause. It is a matter of much speculation, about which there are many conflicting opinions. With your permission, Mr. Editor, I will give mine. Most of the kinds of Apples have a strong tendency to early fruiting; this fact, added to the disposition on the part of many, to cultivate and manure too highly, is one great cause of early decline in fruit trees. It produces over-luxuriance of growth, which renders the wood too brash and tender to stand the winter weather.

The past winter, though comparatively mild, appears to have caused more damage than any two of the preceding winters. I am pretty well convinced that the location of an orchard thus affected, is owing in a great measure to the situation of the ground. Level land, of a black, loamy composition, to my mind is unsuited to a long-lived or permanent orchard. Manuring and high cultivation will produce early fruiting, but it is death to its continuance—particularly in such a location as I have mentioned, alone. Let us have the experience of older heads and owners of older orchards.

Deep Tilling and Labor Saving.

From the limited experiment that has yet come under our observation, we are not able to give as full satisfaction upon the importance of deep plowing as we could wish; but we are convinced, from what we have seen, that its value has been too much overlooked. In the earlier days of Oregon, when manufactures were little known, rude, horse-killing implements were the only things in vogue with our enterprising citizens—then it was "neck or nothing." They were compelled, from necessity, to make use of such as the country could afford. Of late years the introduction of labor-saving machines has greatly increased the profits of farming, and relieved those engaged in that kind of pursuit from much expense, attendant upon our proximity to the gold mining regions, which has greatly retarded a more full development of our agricultural resources. This has been a fruitful source of complaint ever since the discovery of the gold mines in California. Some of these drawbacks have been measurably overcome. We hail with pleasure the new inventions that yearly come to light. The establishment of an Agricultural Bureau by the general government was a desideratum greatly needed, and one we look forward to with high hopes. In a country like the United States, where one of the great and leading interests is—and has been—agriculture, we are astonished that its establishment is of so recent a date—that this branch of industry did not keep pace with that of others.

Sheep Raising.

The importance of growing sheep is awakening a new and increasing interest here. The profit arising from the sale of wool has not been, heretofore, very satisfactory; but in this particular there is promise of a better time coming. The high price of mutton in the Oregon market, the increased consumption of it, and their wonderful and unusual multiplication of numbers, makes an investment in sheep not only a safe but paying one. As to the wool, it can most unquestionably be produced of as fine a texture, if we once had the animals to grow it, as can be produced anywhere. One important consideration is that it is entirely free from dirt and burrs of all kinds, which enhances its value to the manufacturer. There is an unusual demand for sheep this season, and the prices range from $5 to $8 per head.

Ornamental Gardening.

In the ornamental department of gardening, in this country, there is room for many and great improvements. The immense number of indigenous trees, shrubs and plants, which are scattered so profusely throughout our woods and forests, affords facility for the beautifying and decoration of the pleasure garden which are too often overlooked. In the fashionable desire for exotics, many of which require constant care and attention, the humble flowers that adorn the appearance of the fields and pastures, the splendid and brilliant shrubs, and the lofty and noble trees which add picturesque beauty and grandeur to the scenery—these seem to be too much neglected. If they had but rarity to recommend them, they would be sought after and procured, though attended with difficulty and expense. Many plants introduced into our gardens, which were formerly regarded as tender, have by repeated trials become acclimated so as to withstand the rigors of our winter season, and every such addition to our hardy garden plants should be viewed as an important and valuable acquisition. But while such attention is lavished upon them to acquire the desired end, it is too generally forgotten that hundreds of our own clime, vieing in beauty, if not far excelling those of oriental production, are uncared for.

The Apple Crop.

This crop, the coming season, will fall far short of a corresponding increase, when compared with other years. The falling off is attributed, by many persons, to the unusual dryness of the season last year—that in consequence, fruit buds did not form. Others account for this partial failure from attacks of an insect, when the fruit was in embryo; or, in other words, that it was "nipped in the bud" by these destroyers. Be the cause what it may, we cannot safely calculate on a much heavier crop than was yielded last year. It is true that there will be thousands of trees that will come into bearing this season for the first time; but they will not, in our opinion, more than make up the deficiency that will occur by reason of the total destruction of some trees, and partial failure of those living.

Hymn of the Harvesters.

We gather them in—the bright green leaves,
With our scythes and rakes to-day;
And the mow grows big, and the pitcher heaves
His lips in the sweltering hay.
Oh, ho! a field! for the mower's scythe
Hath a ring of destiny,
Sweeping the earth of its burthen lythe,
As it sung in wrathful glee.

We gather them in—the nodding plumes
Of the yellow and bending grain,
And the flash of our sickles' light illumes
Our march o'er the vanquished plain.
Anon we come with the steed-drawn car—
The cunning of modern laws—
And the acres stoop to its clanking jar,
As it rocks its hungry jaws.

We gather them in—the mellow fruits,
From the shrub, the vines and tree,
With their russets, and golden, and purple suits,
To garnish our treasury;
And each has a juicy treasure stored
All aneath its tinted rind,
To cheer our guests at the social board,
When we leave our cares behind.

We gather them in—in this goodly store,
But not with the miser's gust,
For the Great All-Father we adore
Hath but given it in trust;
And our work of death is but for life,
In the wintry days to come;
Then a blessing upon the Reaper's strife,
And a shout at his Harvest Home.

Forget Me Not.

'Tis, like thy starry eyes, more bright
Than evening's proudest star!
Like purity's own halo light,
It seems to smile upon thy sight,
And say to thee, from afar—
"Forget me not."

Each dew-drop on its morning leaves
Is eloquent as tears,
That whisper, when young passion grieves
For one beloved afar, and weaves
His dream of hopes and fears—
"Forget me not."

THE BLACK FERRY.

While sitting at the fireside conversing with the ferryman and his wife, a smart, good-looking country lad, with a recruit's cockade in his hat, came in, accompanied by a young woman who was far advanced in pregnancy. They were told the state of the ferry, and that unless the recruit undertook to conduct the boat himself, they must wait the return of Dick.

They had been only that day married, and were on their way to join a detachment of the regiment in which Ralph Nocton, as the recruit was called, had that evening enlisted, the parish officers having obliged him to marry the girl. Whatever might have been their former love and intimacy, they were not many minutes in the house when he became sullen and morose towards her; nor was she more amiable towards him. He said little, but he often looked at her with an indignant eye, as she reproached him for having so rashly enlisted, to abandon her and his unborn baby, assuring him that she would never part from him while life and power lasted.

Though it could not be denied that she possessed both beauty and an attractive person, there was yet a silly vixen humor about her ill calculated to conciliate. I did not therefore wonder to hear that Nocton had married her with reluctance; I only regretted that the parish officers were so inaccessible to commiseration, and so void of conscience as to be guilty of rendering the poor fellow miserable for life, to avert the hazard of the child becoming a burden on the parish.

The ferryman and his wife endeavored to reconcile them to their lot; and the recruit, who appeared to be naturally reckless and generous, seemed willing to be appeased; but his weak companion was capricious and pettish. On one occasion, when a sudden shower beat hard against the window, she cried out, with little regard for decorum, that she would go no further that night.

"You may do as you please, Mary Blake," said Nocton, "but go I must, for the detachment marches to-morrow morning. It was only to give you time to prepare to come with me, that the Captain consented to let me remain so late in the town.

She, however, only remonstrated bitterly at his cruelty, in forcing her to travel in her condition, and in such weather. Nocton refused to listen to her, but told her somewhat doggedly, more so than was consistent with the habitual cheerful cast of his physiognomy, "that, although he had already been ruined by her, he trusted she had not yet the power to make him a deserter." He then went out, and remained some time alone. When he returned, his appearance was surprisingly changed; his face was of an ashy paleness; his eyes bright, febrile and eager, and his lip quivered as he said,

"Come, Mary, I can wait no longer; the boat is ready, the river is not so wild, and the rain is over."

In vain she protested; he was firm; and she had no option but either to go, or to be left behind. The old ferryman accompanied them to the boat, saw them embark, and gave the recruit some instructions how to manage the ropes, as it was still rather early in the tide. On returning into the house, he remarked facetiously to his wife,

"I can never see why young men should be always blamed, and all pity reserved for the damsels."

At this moment a pattling shower of rain and hail burst like a platoon of small shot on the window, and a flash of vivid lightning was followed by one of the most tremendous peals of thunder I have ever heard.

"Hark!" cried the old woman startling, "was not that a shriek?"

We listened, but the cry was not repeated; we rushed to the door, but no other sound was heard than the raging of the river, and the roar of the sea-waves breaking on the bar.

Dick soon after came home, and the boat having swung back to her station, I embarked with him, and reached the opposite inn, where I soon went to bed. Scarcely had I laid my head on the pillow, when a sudden inexplicable terror fell upon me; I shook with an unknown horror; I was, as it were, conscious that some invisible being was hovering beside me, and could hardly muster fortitude enough to refrain from rousing the house. At last I fell asleep; it was perturbed and unsound; strange dreams and vague fears scared me awake, and in them were dreadful images of a soldier murdering a female, and open graves, and gibbet-irons swinging in the wind. My remembrance has no parallel to such another night.

But when the night returned next year, I was seized with an unaccountable dejection; it weighed me down; I tried to shake it off, but was unable; the mind was diseased, and could no more by resolution shake off its discomfort, than the body by activity can dispel a fever. I retired to my bed greatly depressed, but nevertheless I fell asleep. At midnight, however, I was summoned to awake by a hideous and undefinable terror; it was the same vague consciousness of some invisible visitor being near that I had once before experienced, as I have described, and I again recollected Nocton and Mary Blake in the same instant; I saw—for I cannot now believe that it was less than apparitional—the unhappy pair reproaching one another. As I looked, questioning the integrity of my sight, the wretched bride turned round and looked at me. How shall I express my horror when for the ruddy beauty which she once possessed, I beheld the charnel visage of a skull; I started up and cried aloud with such alarming vehemence, that the whole inmates of the house, with lights in their hands, were instantly in the room—shame would not let me tell what I had seen, and, endeavoring to laugh, I accused the nightmare of the disturbance.

This happened while I was at a watering place on the west coast. I was living in a boarding-house with several strangers; among them was a tall pale German gentleman, of a grave impressive physiognomy. He was the most intelligent and shrewdest observer I have ever met with, and he had in a singular degree the gift of a discerning spirit. In the morning when we rose from the breakfast table, he took me by the arm, and led me out upon the lawn in front of the house; and when we were at some distance from the rest of the company, said,

"Excuse me, sir, for I must ask an impertinent question. Was it indeed the dream of the nightmare that alarmed you last night?"

"I have no objections to answer you freely; but tell me first, why you ask such a question?"

"It is but reasonable. I had a friend who was a painter; none ever possessed an imagination which discerned better how nature in her mysteries should appear. One of his pictures was the scene of Brutus when his evil genius summoned him to Philippi, and, strange to tell, you bear some resemblance to the painted Brutus. When, with the others, I broke into your room last night, you looked so like the Brutus in his picture, that I could have sworn you were amazed with the vision of a ghost."

I then related to him what I have done to you.

"It is wonderful," he said "what inconceivable sympathy hath linked you to the fate of these unhappy persons. There is something more in this renewed visitation than the phantasma of a dream."

The remark smote me with an uncomfortable sensation of dread, and for a short time my flesh crawled as it were upon my bones. But the impression soon wore off, and was again entirely forgotten.

When the anniversary again returned, I was seized with the same heaviness and objectless horror of mind; it hung upon me with bodings and auguries until I went to bed, and then, after my first sleep, I was a third time roused by another fit of the same inscrutable panic. On this occasion, however, the vision was different. I beheld only Nocton, pale and wounded, stretched on a bed, and on the coverlet lay a pair of new epaulettes, as if just unfolded from a paper.

For seven years I was thus annually afflicted. The vision in each was different, but I saw no more of Mary Blake. On the fourth occasion, I beheld Nocton sitting in the form of an aide-de-camp at a table, with the customary tokens of conviviality before him; it was only a part of a scene, such as one beholds in a mirror.

On the fifth occasion, he appeared to be ascending, sword in hand, the rampart of a battery; the sun was setting behind him, and the shadows and forms of a strange land, with the domes and pagodas of an oriental country, lay in wide extent around; it was a picture, but far more vivid than painting can exhibit.

On the sixth time, he appeared again stretched upon a couch; his complexion was sullen, not from wounds, but disease, and there appeared at his bedside the figure of a general officer, with a star on his breast, with whose conversation he appeared pleased, though languid.

But on the seventh and last occasion on which the horrors of the visions were repeated, I saw him on horseback in a field of battle; and while I looked at him, he was struck on the face by a sabre, and the blood flowed down his regimentals.

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Just as we were about to sit down to our frugal supper, literally or philosophically so, as if it had been served for Zion himself, Dick, the son of the old ferryman, who by this time was some years dead, came to the door, and requested to speak with me in private. Of course I obeyed, when he informed me that he had brought across the ferry that night a gentleman officer, from a far country, who was in bad health, and whom he could not accommodate properly in the ferry-house.

"The inn," said Dick, "is too far off, for he is lame, and has an open wound in the thigh. I have therefore ventured to bring him here, sure that you will be glad to give him a bed for the night. His servant tells me that he was esteemed the bravest officer in all the service in the Mysore of India."

It was impossible to resist this appeal. I went to the door where the gentleman was waiting, and with true-heartedness expressed how great my satisfaction would be if my house could afford him any comfort.

I took him in with me to the room where my German friend was sitting. I was much pleased with the gentleness and unaffected simplicity of his manners.

He was a handsome middle-aged man—his person was robust and well formed—his features had been originally handsome, but they were disfigured by a scar, which had materially changed their symmetry. His conversation was not distinguished by any remarkable intelligence, but after the high intellectual excitement which I had enjoyed all day with my philosophical companion, it was agreeable and gentlemanly.

Several times during supper, something came across my mind as if I had seen him before, but I could neither recollect when or where; and I observed that more than once he looked at me as if under the influence of some research in his memory. At last, I observed that his eyes were dimmed with tears, which assured me that he then recollected me. But I considered it a duty of hospitality not to inquire aught concerning him more than he was pleased to tell himself.

In the meantime my German friend, I perceived, was watching us both, but suddenly he ceased to be interested, and appeared to be absorbed in thought, while good manners required me to make some efforts to entertain my guest. This led on to some inquiry concerning the scene of his services, and he told us that he had been many years in India.

"On this day eight years ago," said he, "I was in the battle of Borupknow, where I received the wound which has so disfigured me in the face."

At that moment I accidentally threw my eyes upon my German friend; the look which he gave me in answer caused me to shudder from head to foot, and I began to ruminate of Nocton the recruit, and Mary Blake, while my friend continued the conversation in a light desultory manner, as it would have seemed to any stranger, but to me it was awful and oracular. He spoke to the stranger on all manner of topics, but ever and anon he brought him back, as if without design, to speak of the accidents of fortune which had befallen him on the anniversary of that day, giving it as a reason for his curious remarks, that most men observed anniversaries, time and experience having taught them to notice, that there were curious coincidences with respect to times, and places, and individuals,—things, which of themselves form part of the great demonstration of the wisdom and skill displayed in the construction, not only of the mechanical, but the mortal world, showing that each was a portion of one and the same thing.

"I have been," said he to the stranger, "an observer and recorder of such things. I have my book of registration here in this house; I will fetch it from my bedchamber, and we shall see in what other things, as far as your fortunes have been concerned, how it corresponds with the accidents of your life on this anniversary."

My friend soon returned with the book. It was a remarkable volume, covered with vellum, shut with three brazen clasps, secured by a lock of curious construction. Altogether, it was a strange, antique, and necromantic looking volume. The corner was studded with knobs of brass, with a small mirror in the centre, round which were inscribed, in Teutonic characters, words to the effect, "I WILL SHOW THEE THYSELF." Before unlocking the clasp, my friend gave the book to the stranger, explained some of the emblematic devices which adorned the cover, and particularly the words of the motto that surrounded the little mirror.

Whether it was from design, or that the symbols required it, the explanations of my friend were mystical and abstruse; and I could see that they produced an effect on the stranger so strong that it was evident he could with difficulty maintain his self-possession. The color entirely failed from his countenance; he became wan and cadaverous, and his hand shook violently as he returned the volume to the philosopher, who, on receiving it back, said:

"There are things in this volume which may not be revealed to every eye, yet, to those who may not discover to what they relate, they will seem trivial notations."

He then applied the key to the lock, and unclosed the volume. My stranger guest began to breathe hard and audibly. The German turned over the vellum leaves searchingly and carefully. At last he found his record and description of my last vision, which he read aloud. It was not only minute in the main circumstances in which I had seen Nocton, but it contained an account of many things, the still life, as it is called, of the picture, which I had forgotten, and amongst other particulars, a picturesque account of the old General whom I saw standing at the bedside."

"By all that's holy," cried the stranger, "it is old Cripplington himself—the queue of his hair was, as you say, always crooked, owing to a habit he had of pulling it when vexed—where could you find the description of all this?"

I was petrified; I sat motionless as a statue, but a fearful vibration thrilled through my whole frame.

My friend looked back in his book, and found the description of my sixth vision. It contained the particulars of the crisis of battle, in which, as the stranger described, he had received the wound in his face. It affected him less than the other, but still the effect upon him was impressive.

The record of the fifth vision produced a more visible alarm. The description was vivid to an extreme degree—the appearance of Nocton, sword in hand, on the rampart—the animation of the assault, and the gorgeous landscape of domes and pagodas, was limned with words as vividly as a painter could have made the scene. The stranger seemed to forget his anxiety, and was delighted with the reminiscences which the description recalled.

But when the record of the fourth vision was read, wherein Nocton is described as sitting in the regimentals of an aide-de-camp, at a convivial table, he exclaimed, as if unconscious of his words,

"It was on that night I had first the honor of dining with the German general."

The inexorable philosopher proceeded, and read what I had told him of Nocton, stretched pale and wounded on a bed, with new epaulettes spread on the coverlet, as if just unfolded from a paper. The stranger started from his seat, and cried with a hollow and fearful voice.

"This is the book of life."

The German turned over to the second vision, which he read slowly and mournfully, especially the description of my own feelings, when I beheld the charnel visage of Mary Blake. The stranger, who had risen from his seat, and was panting with horror, cried out with a shrill howl, as it were,

"On this night, as I was sitting in my tent, methought her spirit came and reproached me."

I could not speak, but my German friend rose from his seat, and holding the volume in his left hand, touched it with his right, and looking sternly at the stranger, said,

"In this volume, and in your own conscience, are the evidences which prove that you are Ralph Nocton, and that on this night, twice seven years ago, you murdered Mary Blake."

The miserable stranger lost all self-command, and cried in consternation—

"It is true, the waters raged; the rain and the hail came; she bitterly upbraided me; I flung her from the boat; the lightning flashed, and the thunder—Oh! it was not so dreadful as her drowning execrations."

Before any answer could be given to this confession, he staggered from the spot, and almost in the same instant fell dead upon the floor.

The following letter was sent by a man to his son at college: "My dear son—I write to send you two pair of my old breeches, that you may have a new coat made out of them. Also, some new socks, which your mother has just knit, by cutting down some of mine. Your mother sends you ten dollars without my knowledge, and, for fear you will not use it wisely, I have kept back half, and only send you five. Your mother and I are well, except that your sister has got the measles, which we think would spread amongst the other girls, if Tom had not had them before, and he is the only one left. I hope you will do honor to my teachings; if not, then you are an ass, and your mother and myself your affectionate parents."

Judge Burke, who came from Ireland, and was something of a man in South Caroling, about the time of the revolutionary war, was very apt to make mistakes, even in his office of Circuit Judge. On one occasion, having to pass sentence of death on a man who had been legally convicted, he concluded as usual with the words, "that you be hanged by the neck until you are dead;" to this he unfortunately added, "I am sorry for it, my friend, it is what we must all come to,"—and the solemnity of the scene was interrupted by a burst of laughter, at which the Judge was the only one surprised.

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"Pledged to no party's arbitrary sway,
We follow Truth where'er she leads the way."

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THE CATTLE MARKET.

Dame Fortune is accused of being a fickle goddess; and, if we are to admit that she has the entire control of pecuniary matters, we shall be compelled to come to the conclusion of others. But while unforeseen incidents sometimes leave the best calculations at fault, good sound judgment very much decreases the power of Dame Fortune to build up and tear down. When the existence of gold in this northern country no longer remained a question, and all manner of property advanced in price to an amount equivalent to the increased supply of gold, some articles in particular localities were scarce, and advanced in price more than the aggregate. Among the articles found scarce in the neighborhood of the mining region was Beef. It could not be obtained in quantities for a considerable length of time. It could not be shipped and stowed away with no expense except interest on money, and all were a little slow to engage in the attempt to supply the demand. Meantime the demand increased and the supply decreased until Beef commanded almost fabulous prices. Into the market rushes everybody, and "down comes the article." Panic-struck, some are found ready to sacrifice any amount and be off, and the farmers and stock raisers are cited to the ruling prices, and urged to sell accordingly. We are glad to notice, however, that our farmers are as shrewd calculators as the best of them; and, while they were ready to sell when Beef was at its highest point, they are now slow to sell below what the price of Beef should and must be when the matter is properly regulated.

The amount of cattle in Oregon and Washington is not more than adequate to the demand; and, while the price of Beef must range low for three or four months, owing to the extra amount thrown on the market, inside the present year holders must realize well, and during the next year the ruling rates will be higher than for years before.

Oregon cattle holders, slow to believe the gold reports, were badly sold by allowing the middlemen all the profits of the advance in prices; but, at last awake, they are now determined to have a share in the profits on what cattle yet remains unsold. Fortune has not favored those who bought with the calculation of realizing at the highest range of prices, nor will she smile on those who run to the other extreme, and sell for the first offer. Misjudgment has carried prices too high, and misjudgment may reduce it too low, but ultimately the price of Beef must settle down to a figure much above the prices ruling a year ago.

A PROTESTANT INQUISITION.—The last mail brings us an account of the expulsion of five women from Sweden on account of their having been converted from the Protestant belief to the Roman Catholic faith. We have often heard of the intolerance of the Catholics in Italy, but they have been outdone in this case by the Lutherans. It is said that both France and England have made representations to Sweden on account of the great intolerance of that Protestant country.

"Ah! for the rarity
Of Christian charity
Under the sun!"

A NEW VISITOR.—We were very agreeably surprised, on Monday last, by a visit of the fine river steamer *Surprise*, from Victoria. Like all river steamers of the present day, she is built with a view to carrying passengers and speed, and both in respect to her capacity for the former and her superiority in the latter she is unequalled by any steamer we have yet had on the Sound. On looking at her from the shore, one cannot but wish to enjoy a trip in her handsome saloons. She is better calculated for the business of the Sound than any of her predecessors, and as such we hope her visits will be many and oft repeated.

MINERS.—Not a day passes that does not bring to Steilacoom more or less miners from Bellingham Bay and Victoria, in canoes and small sailing craft. Being without means, on coming here, they are compelled to seek employment at anything they can find to do; and many of them are now domiciled with our farmer, assisting in harvesting operations. This will again afford them the means with which to prosecute their original purpose of mining; and they only await the departure of a sufficiently large body over the mountains.

GOLD SHIPMENT.—Wells, Fargo & Co. took to San Francisco, on the last passage of the *Panama* hence, sixty pounds of gold from Victoria.

PRODUCTS OF OUR TERRITORY.

A small sheaf of fresh cut wheat was brought into our office on Wednesday last, as a sample of the product of Mr. Croft's farm, some five miles from Steilacoom. In length, the stalks are about five feet, while the heads will average six inches. The grain, for size, is unequalled by any we ever saw before, and, we venture to say, will compare favorably with that raised in the best wheat-growing States of the Union. The yield in Pierce (this) county ranges from twenty to thirty bushels per acre, and, so far as we have yet learned, it is equally large in other counties of the Territory. The average yield we believe to be greater than that of any of the old States, and the quality, while it is superior to many, is really inferior to none.

We have observed in years past that Oregon and Washington wheat and flour realize lower prices in San Francisco than the California products. The market reports show this; but why it should be, we cannot conceive, unless our products suffer damage on the passage. In our dwelling we have now two kinds of flour, one from California, (San Jose Mills) and the other from the mill of Messrs. Barnes & Crosby, Olympia. The two will not bear comparison; that from California being dark and coarse, while that from the Olympia mill is of the whitest and finest quality, such as confectioners use exclusively in their business. Before to-day we have used flour from California mills and flour from Washington mills alternately, always with the same result; the difference in quality, in every instance, being very marked, and always in favor of our own product.

In the growth of other articles here, the same rule holds good. Potatoes of a better quality than the best in California are raised in this territory, though not so large as the famous Bodegos. Our fruit-growers, after having given both California and Oregon a trial, pronounce Washington better adapted to fruit-growing than either of the two former. And we doubt not, as further trials are made, our territory will be found to produce, in quality and quantity, nearly or quite all articles in the vegetable kingdom equal to the most favored of the States. We are still in the first stage of infancy; when we shall have reached maturity, and have fully developed our resources, we shall attain a greater degree of excellence in our productions than is now foreshadowed.

THEFT AND PUNISHMENT.—While the attention of everybody in town was taken up with the steamer *Surprise*, on Tuesday afternoon, an Indian entered the store of Messrs. McCaw & Rogers, and appropriated to his use a pair of pantaloons, with which he made off. Having been detected, however, he was seized and taken back to the steps of the store, where Mr. McCaw armed himself with a ponderous pair of shears, and clipped off the luxuriant locks of the culprit, who bore the punishment with Christian resignation. Divested of his hair, he was bidden to depart, and was helped in his retreat with a few kicks, doubtless glad to get off so easy.

ANOTHER STEAMER ACCIDENT.—The Pacific Mail Co.'s steamer *Oregon*, during a fog on the night of the 31st ult., ran on the rocks at Point Reyes, about thirty-five miles from San Francisco. She was on her return from Victoria, with, it is stated, some 600 passengers. It is not positively known that any of them are drowned; some forty or fifty jumped overboard when she struck, five or six of whom are said to be missing. The *Oregon* reached San Francisco the following day. Those who left her at Point Reyes arrived safely overland.

HARVESTING.—During the past week, all of our farmers have been engaged in harvesting their grain. Notwithstanding the heavy rains which set in so inopportunely, at the beginning of the preceding week, we are pleased to learn that the yield this season will be a very abundant one; far exceeding that of any season for some years past. We congratulate our country friends on this happy result of their labors.

OUR announcement, last week, of the resumption of the trips of the steamer *Constitution*, we regret to say, was premature. The failure was caused by the *Panama* omitting to bring a piece of pipe containining a valve, which will positively arrive by the next mail steamer from San Francisco.

AS WILL be seen by our letter from Seattle, another party is forming at Meridian Prairie for the mines, via the Snoqualmie Pass. We trust that this time a company large enough and strong enough to defy the Indians will be got together. Nothing more is wanted to insure success.

STEAMERS FOR THE SOUND.—Three small steamers (the *Wilson G. Hunt*, *Antelope*, and *Martin White*) left San Francisco recently for the Sound. The two former were obliged to turn back by rough sea; the last named arrived at Victoria on the 9th inst.

ONE WEEK MORE.—Mr. Ford, the Daguerreotype artist, will remain here one week longer, and then depart for Victoria. Those wishing likenesses should avail themselves of the present opportunity.

CITY GOVERNMENT.—See notice in another column of a vote to be taken on this question.

LETTER FROM FRAZER'S RIVER.

FORT YALE, July 30th, 1858.

I came down from Niagara Bar yesterday, and intend stopping here until to-morrow.

There was a meeting of miners yesterday to prohibit the sale of liquors, at which resolutions were adopted as follows:—

1st. That we, the miners of Fort Yale, prohibit the sale of any liquors on or in the vicinity of said bar after this date.

2d. That, for the better protection of life and property, we deem it expedient to destroy from our midst all liquors that may be found about the premises of any person

3d. That any person, after being duly warned, who shall be found selling liquors to any one without a license from government, shall be seized up and whipped with 39 lashes on his bare back, and be expelled from this vicinity.

4th. That a standing committee of 12 be appointed to see the above resolutions carried into effect until such time as the government see fit to to carry out its own laws; and said committee is to be appointed from among the permanent residents of this bar.

The Indians lately have been very troublesome, and scarcely a day passes but some men are killed and other depredations committed, and nearly all through the influence of liquor. The people are getting desperate. They are waiting to see if the stopping of this whisky selling has any effect. If not, there will be war. Men are afraid to travel on the trail except in large companies, for fear of being robbed. Yesterday I overtook a sick man coming down who had just been robbed, and saw the Indians with the articles.

The water has fallen six feet within the last eight days, and is still falling. The weather is and has been for the last ten days very warm. About two-thirds of the miners are at work between the canyons, averaging $4 or $5 per day each. Between here and Fort Hope nearly all are at work. Hill's, Emery's and Texas bars seem to be doing the best; from all accounts, they make from an ounce to $30 to the rocker.

Men leave here daily in large parties for the forks of Thomson and Frazer's Rivers. Some few days since a man brought two horses from there and packed a load of provisions back. He reports a good trail with the exception of a few fallen trees, and says that eight men could clear the trail as fast as a train could get along.

Provisions here are very high: flour, $1.50 per pound; meat, $2, and other things in proportion.

At present there are two express offices, two doctors, one blacksmith shop, one gambling house and ten rum mills, though the latter have been closed to-day.

Yours, &c., N. H. CUNNINGHAM.

A dispatch from Leavenworth says Governor Denver will certainly resign his office immediately after the August election. It had been previously reported that he intended to do so, and that he was anxious to return.

LETTER FROM SEATTLE.

SEATTLE, Aug. 16th, 1858.

A company of miners are now concentrating on Meridian Prairie for the purpose of crossing by way of the Snoqualmie Pass. They desire all who wish to go to the mines to meet them on said Prairie by the 25th inst., about which time they expect to start. Mr. Lyle and C. C. Terry have gone to Victoria to make known the above arrangement, and, if possible, to increase the number of the company.

The schooner *Frances Ellen* arrived here on Monday last, with freight from San Francisco and 25 passengers from Victoria; barque *Ella Frances* arrived on Friday, the 13th, with freight and passengers from San Francisco.

The brig *Franklin Adams* sailed on Monday last with lumber for San Francisco.

The twelve months inquest into the wholesale frauds perpetrated during the last five or six years by city officials upon the municipal treasury in New York, and involving millions of dollars, has resulted in the indictment of James B. Smith—or, politically, "Chemung Smith"—late clerk in the Comptroller's office. Two bills for forgery in the third degree were found against him, and he was required to give bail in the sum of $5,000; a very small proportion of the amount which he is supposed to have filched from the treasury.

The Democrats of Maine have nominated Manasseh H. Smith as their candidate for Governor. The Republicans had previously nominated Governor Morrill for re-election.

Steilacoom Prices Current.

WHOLESALE—CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Provisions.		Tea, per lb	75a1 00
Beef, fresh, per lb	15	Dried Apples, per lb	19
Mutton	15	Dried Peaches	25
Pork, fresh	15	Chili, do	25
Salt do	18	Soap, No. 1	12½
Mess do., per bbl	40	Soap, No. 2	10
Clear do	45	Starch	20
Bacon, clear, per lb	33	Sugar, No. 1 China	20
Bacon, prime	25	Sugar, No. 2 do	18
Hams, per lb	25	Crushed, white, do	25
Salmon, per bbl	$7 00	Candles, mould	35
Codfish	none	Adamantine Candles	25
Mackerel	do.	Sperm do	—
Butter, fresh, per lb	50	Tobacco, per lb	37½a75
Lard	30	Saleratus	12½
Cheese	30	Pepper, whole	40
Flour, per 100 lbs	$3 00	Molasses	70
Corn Meal, do	6 00	Syrup	$1 25
Salt, fine, per lb	5	Vinegar, per gal	50
Salt, coarse	2½	**Liquors.**	
Potatoes, per bush	$1 25	Brandy, per gal	$1 50
Beans, Chili, per lb	6a7	Whisky	1 00a2 00
Beans, whole	10	Gin	1 50a3 00
Peas, marafat, per lb	4	Port Wine	2 50
Dry Goods.		Cherry Brandy	2 00
Sheetings, bro. 4-4, per yard	16	Porter, per doz	5 00
Shirting, bro. 3-4	12½	Ale	5 00
Shirting, bleached, 4-4	13	Cider	5 00
Drilling, brown	14	**Sundries.**	
Prints, per yard	12½a20	Nails, per keg	$8 50
Hosiery, wool, hf, per doz	83a5	Window Glass	7 00
Cotton, do	2 50	Shot, per light	20
Paints, &c.		Axes with handles	$2 00
White Lead, per lb	18	Buckets, 3 hoop	50
Colors, do	25	Brooms	3a7 50
Linseed Oil, per gal	87	**Lumber.**	
Turpentine	2 00	Sawed Fir, per M	$11a12
Lamp Oil	1 00	Cedar	18a20
Olive Oil	7 00	Shingles	6 00
Groceries.		Square Timber, per foot	8a12
Coffee, per lb	18½	Piles	83a4 00
Coffee, ground	20		

WANTED—By the Puget Mill Co., at Teekalet, W. T., good Choppers, Sawyers, Teamsters, and Contractors for getting logs. J. P. KELLER,
16-tf Agent for Puget Mill Co.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

BALCH & WEBBER

HAVE JUST RECEIVED, PER BRIG CYRUS and barque Ork, a large assortment of articles, viz:

China and New Orleans Sugars;
Soap;
Candles;
Syrups;
Liquors and Wines of all kinds;
A full assortment of
CROCKERY,
DRY GOODS, and
CLOTHING,

Which they offer at the lowest market rates. Give us a call and judge for yourselves.
18-tf STEILACOOM, W. T.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED, PER STEAMER Republic—
HAMS, BACON,
SMOKED BEEF, CORNED BEEF,
SARDINES, DRIED APPLES,
FRESH CHEESE, SYRUP,
SUGAR, TEA,
COFFEE, OYSTERS,
LOBSTERS,

And a general variety of Groceries of all kinds, suited to the country and Mining trade, all for sale on the most reasonable terms for cash or country produce.
15-tf P. KEACH.

S. McCAW & CO.

Offer for Sale, at Wholesale and Retail,

A GREAT VARIETY OF DESIRABLE Goods at low rates, such as

Pork, Dried Apples,
Bacon, Dried Peaches,
Hams, Soap,
Salmon, Starch,
Butter, Sugar,
Cheese, Crushed do,
Flour, Adamantine Candles,
Beans, Saleratus,
Rice, Pepper,
Peas, Alspice,
Potatoes, Cloves,
Salt, fine, Mustard,
Salt, coarse, Capers,
Tobacco, Table Sauces,
Molasses, Can Oysters,
Syrup, Can Lobsters,
Vinegar, Can Chickens,
Nails, Can Beef,
Glass, Can Peaches,
Axes, Bottled Peaches,
Buckets, Brandy Peaches,
Broome, Can Apples,
White Lead, Can Strawberries,
Oil, Can Pie Fruits,
Turpentine, Bottled Pie Fruits,
Lamp Oil, Ex. Lemon,
Olive Oil, Ex. Vanilla,
Coffee, Ex. Orange,
Tea, Ex. Rose, and other articles suited to the wants of the community.

Also, a large assortment of good Liquors. 1-1y

OLD TOM—200 gallons Old Tom on hand and for sale cheap, by S. McCAW & CO.

BARLEY—1400 sacks just landed and for sale by BALCH & WEBBER,
18-tf Steilacoom, W. T.

HAY—500 bales of good California Hay for sale by BALCH & WEBBER,
15-tf Steilacoom, W. T.

PLOWS—Boston Steel Clipper and Eagle Cast Iron Plows on hand and for sale by S. McCAW & CO.

NAILS—On hand, an assortment of Cut Nails, For sale by S. McCAW & CO.

CALICOS—5000 yards of Calicos of the latest styles and fast colors, suited to the Indian trade, For sale by S. McCAW & CO.

PORK—20 bbls Eastern packed Pork; Also Domestic do do; For sale by S. McCAW & CO.

New Advertisements.

JOB M. SEAMANS
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,
Will attend promptly to Repairing Watches, Clocks, &c., in Steilacoom, W. T. 24:tf

WATCHES, CLOCKS, AND
JEWELRY.
JOB M. SEAMANS,
WATCHMAKER AND JEWELLER,
Steilacoom, W. T.,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND, WATCHES, Clocks, and Jewelry of all kinds. Those articles are also made to order and repaired in the best possible manner, and with dispatch in all cases. 24:tf

Just Received,
EX SCHR. L. P. FOSTER, ON CONSIGNMENT, 75 bbls. S. I. BEEF;
SYRUP,
MOLASSES, and
SUGAR;
For sale low, by FOWLER & CO.,
24:2m Port Townsend.

FREDERICK RABJOHNS,
DEALER IN
Horses, Cattle, Produce, &c., &c.,
AND
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Olympia, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING PERMANENTLY established himself in business as above, the public are informed that he will at all times hold himself in readiness to make purchases of horses, cattle, produce, and property of all kinds to order, or otherwise, and give prompt attention to the making sale or otherwise disposing of, or storing such property as may be placed in his hands for that purpose.
☞ Terms—CASH. Apply at the Washington Hotel.
24:2m* FREDERICK RABJOHNS.

B. F. DENNISON,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,
Whatcom, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING PRACTISED TEN YEARS in Ohio and California, has opened an office in Whatcom, W. T., where he will continue the practice of Law, and attend to all business entrusted to his care.
Particular attention given to litigated and criminal cases.
24:1y B. F. DENNISON.

PACIFIC FOUNDRY
AND
Machine Shop,
SAN FRANCISCO.
Established in 1850.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT IS BELIEVED to have facilities for the manufacture of every description of
CASTINGS AND MACHINERY
superior to any other on the Pacific coast. Every kind of SAW and FLOUR MILL MACHINERY, STEAM ENGINES, &c., &c., made at short notice and in the most workmanlike manner.
We manufacture a style of
Shingle Machine
at moderate cost which we believe to be more efficient than any other in use.
Orders are particularly solicited from Oregon and Washington Territories, which will have the same authority as though the parties were personally present.
GODDARD, HANSCOM & RANKIN,
24:6m Late RANKIN & Co., San Francisco.

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry,
THE BEST REMEDY EVER KNOWN

For Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup, Bronchitis, Influenza, Bleeding of the Lungs, Difficult Breathing, Pain or Weakness of the Breast or Side, First Stages Consumption, &c.

In short, this Balsam is peculiarly adapted to every disease of the Lungs and Liver.

Wild Cherry has long been known to possess important medicinal properties. This fact is familiar to every matron in our land, and Physicians often prescribe it in different forms for a variety of complaints. Tar also has been equally noted for its virtues; and some physicians, whose fame is familiar to the whole country, have gone so far as to declare that even Consumption could be cured by that alone. In other hands, again, it was nearly valueless, owing, no doubt, to their ignorance in preparing and administering it; a difficulty now entirely obviated by patient experience and long experiment.

The extraordinary medicinal powers possessed by the above substances are now, for the first time, combined and embodied in DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. By a nice chemical process, everything deleterious or useless is rejected, so that what remains is the most extraordinary and truly efficacious remedy for all kinds of pulmonary and liver diseases ever known to man.

CAUTION.—As there are many *Counterfeits*, look well at the signature before purchasing; take none unless the name of Sanford & Park is engraved on the outside wrapper—all others are *base imitations*.

Sold by all Druggists and country merchants.

PARK & WHITE, Sole Agents, to whom all orders should be addressed, 132 Washington street, San Francisco. Also, Importers and Wholesale Agents for all GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES, which are offered to the trade at reduced rates for cash. 1-3m

☞ Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters for Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Nervous or Chronic Debility, are very pleasant in taste and smell, and can be taken under any circumstances. In cases of Dyspepsia it acts like magic, strengthening the tone of the stomach, stimulating the digestive powers, and giving ruddy health to the cheek and brightness to the eye. In all cases of diseases of the stomach, whether acute or chronic, it may be recommended for its soothing, cordial and renovating influence. Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Loss of Appetite, Nausea, Nervous Tremors, Relaxation, Debility, etc., are relieved by the Bitters in a very short space of time, and a perseverance in their use never fails to work a thorough cure. Every family should have Hostetter's celebrated Stomach Bitters. No article is so peculiarly adapted to our climate. Sold by Druggists, Hotels, and first-class saloons throughout California and Oregon.

CAUTION.—Buyers are particularly requested to beware of a spurious article manufactured and represented to be Hostetter's Bitters, which all who sell or use the genuine article can detect, as it is never sold by the gallon, but in square bottles containing a full quart, with the cork covered with a metallic cap, and name on cap and bottle, with directions for use.

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RUSSIAN CHEMICAL
STEAM BATHS,
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DANIEL COLLINS,
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QUICK, CERTAIN,
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Permanent Cure

For Rheumatism, Paralysis, Stiff Joints, Neuralgia, including Tic Doloreux, Painters' Cholic and Lame Wrist; all affections arising from working in metals and poisons Also, Fever and Ague; Intermittent, Typhus and Typhoid Fevers; Isthmus Fever; Jaundice; Diseased Liver and Kidneys; Indolent Ulcers; Scrofula; Cancerous Affections; Cancer of the Womb; Blotches and Pimples on the Face; Diseases of the Sexual Organs; Diseases of the Eye, and for the

Extraction from the Human System

Of Calomel and Mercury in all its forms, Iron, Lead, Zinc, and all other Metallic and Mineral Poisons, the almost universal cause of Rheumatism, Paralysis, Stiff Joints, &c., &c.; thus proving the iniquity of medical practice, which employs ruinous and deadly poisons in a pretence to cure disease. Also, Poison from Oak cured.

BATHS!

By which the most wonderful and quickest cures are effected without a particle of nasty and poisonous medicine of any kind; and he makes very moderate charges, though he does not attempt to swindle any man into the idea that he does it all

Without Pay!

☞ These Baths improve the complexion, rendering the skin soft and smooth, and are adapted to all Female Difficulties. Ladies are requested to accompany each other, and every facility is offered for their enjoyment. They may be taken by persons in perfect health, being the most luxurious Bath ever devised. 21:tf

PHOTOGRAPHS!
Ambrotypes!
DAGUERREOTYPES!
Melainotypes, &c.

THE CITIZENS OF STEILACOOM AND VICINITY are respectfully informed that I am now prepared to take Pictures in all the latest and most improved styles.

Those desirous of obtaining their Likenesses would do well to call immediately, as I intend leaving for points down the Sound in a few days.

Steilacoom, July 19th, 1858. C. FORD.
20-tf

LAFAYETTE BALCH. J. B. WEBBER.

BALCH & WEBBER,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in
DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
BOOTS, SHOES, &c., &c.

☞ In connection with the store there is a commodious WHARF, at which vessels of any class can lay at low tide.
Store corner of Cincinnati and Snoqualmoo streets, Steilacoom, W. T. 1-1y

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AMERICAN AND ENGLISH BAR IRON; Swedish and Norwegian Bar Iron; Sanderson's and Naylor's Cast Steel;

Penn Boiler Plate	Norway Shoe Shapes;
Low Moor Boiler Plate;	English Shoe Shapes;
English Sheet Iron;	Plow Steel;
Shutter Iron;	Sheer Steel;
Pig Iron;	Blister Steel;
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Steel Springs;	Wright's do;
Blacksmiths' Tools;	Smiths' Bellows;
Griffin Horse Nails;	Wright's Solid Box Vices;
Band and Hoop Iron;	Nuts and Washers;
Boiler Tubes;	Tire Benders;
Borax;	Carriage Bolts;
Boiler and Shutter Rivets;	&c., &c., &c. 1-3ipdm

COARSE SALT—In bbls and for sale by S. McCAW & CO.

CHOPPED FEED—Nourse & Mason's Patent Hay Cutters on hand and for sale by S. McCAW & CO.

Special Notices.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

STEILACOOM CITY, W. T., Aug. 16th, 1858.

☞ Pursuant to notice, the qualified voters, residents of Steilacoom City, assembled at Musical Hall at 6½ o'clock P.M., and,

On motion of O. P. Meeker, Esq., William H. Wallace was called to the chair. On motion of Charles Prosch, Esq., Wm. H. Woods was appointed Secretary.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of ascertaining whether the citizens of Steilacoom wished for a City Government.

In answer to several questions propounded, the chairman stated that the Mayor and Councilmen would not receive any pay for their services until the city had three thousand inhabitants, and that the City Council could not levy a greater tax than one half of one per cent. per annum. [See Act to incorporate the City of Steilacoom, page 455 Laws of Wash. Terr., 1853 4]

On motion, Resolved, That this meeting adjourn until 10 o'clock A.M., on Saturday next, the 21st instant, at the house of E. A. Light, Esq., when a vote by ballot will be taken. Those in favor of a City Government shall write the words "City Government," and those opposed to it will write the words "No City Government," on their respective tickets.

On motion, Resolved, That the editor of the Puget Sound Herald be requested to insert the proceedings of this meeting in the next issue of that paper.

On motion, Resolved, That the Secretary be instructed to post written notices in the three most conspicuous places in the city, so as to have a full attendance on next Saturday.

On motion, the meeting adjourned until Saturday next, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M.

Attest: W. H. WALLACE, Chairman.
W. H. WOODS, Secretary.

☞ All persons knowing themselves indebted to the firm of BALCH & WEBBER prior to the 1st of January, 1858, are hereby notified to call and settle immediately, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. 3-tf

To our Patrons.

WE would say to our patrons, that in consequence of some changes in our business, we are desirous of a settlement with all who have running accounts with us, MORE ESPECIALLY THOSE OF LONG STANDING. We propose to close all accounts up to the 25th February of the present year, and those indebted to us would confer a great favor by promptly coming to a settlement.

Grateful for past favors, we would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. We are in receipt of new goods by nearly every vessel, and we will spare no endeavors to please our customers. Our prices shall be as low as practicable with the times.
1-tf S. McCAW & CO.

STEILACOOM LODGE, NO. 8,

OF Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, holds regular communications on the first and third Saturday evenings in every month.
All members of the fraternity in good standing are invited to attend. J. M. BACHELDER, W. M.

OLYMPIA LODGE, NO. 5,

OF Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, holds regular communications on the first and third Saturday evenings in every month.
All members of the order in good standing are invited to attend. T. F. McELROY, W. M.

NEW ARRIVAL.
P. KEACH,

HAVING JUST ARRIVED FROM SAN FRANCISCO, per steamer Constitution, offers for sale, at the lowest cash prices, a large and well selected

STOCK OF GOODS,

suited to the wants of farmers, miners, and the town trade. My stock is selected with care; and, as my expenses are very small, I am determined to sell goods cheaper for coin, dust, or country produce, than any other store on Puget Sound. Miners are particularly requested to call and price my goods before purchasing elsewhere, as I intend to give them a good deal of grub for a little dust.

I have just received, per steamers Constitution, Columbia, and barque Madonna, the following articles:

Sugar	Oysters	Buckwheat Flour
Syrup	Lobsters	Olives
Coffee	Roast Chicken	Olive Oil
Tea	Green Corn	Candles
Chocolate	Cherries	Soap
Raisins	Sardines	Tapioca
Candy	Apples, fresh	Vermicelli
Lemon Syrup	Apples, dry	Pepper
Starch	Currants, dry	Ginger
Saleratus	Fresh Butter	Allspice
Tobacco	Fresh Cheese	Cloves
Cigars	Pilot Bread	Cinnamon
Pipes	Soda Biscuit	Mustard, California
Fresh Flour	Mace	Mustard, French
Pepper Sauce	Pineapples	Worcestershire Sauce
Pickles	Macaroni	Brandy Peaches
Beans	Matches	Matches, Sperm
Catsup	Nutmegs	Hams
Bacon	Beef	Macaboy Snuff
Brandy, French	Whiskey, Scotch	Rope "
" American	" Monongahela	Gentleman's "
" Cherry	" Rye	Catarrh "
" Cider	" Peach	Scotch "
" Peach	" Bourbon	Gin, Holland
Wine, Port	Ale	Porter
" Sherry	Bunker's Bitters	Schnapps
" Hock	Monnie Ridge, &c	Powder
" Santerne	Shot	Balls
" Cherry	Lead	Waterproof Caps
" Catawba	Bowie Knives	Knives and Forks
" Champagne	Sheath "	Silver Plated Spoons
Axes	Pocket "	German Silver "
Hammers	Chisels	Iron "
Hatchets	Augers	Saws, assorted
Planes	Nails	Squares
Rules	Compasses	Powder Horns
Spades	Shovels	Flasks
Picks	Pick Handles	Rakes
Hay Forks	Manure Forks	Scythes and Sneaths
Grindstones	Butts and Screws	Whetstones
Files, assorted	Rasps	Door Locks
Bench Screws	Vises "	Pad "
Gun Locks	Gun Nipples	Chest "
Door Knobs	Coat Hooks	Till "
Bed Casters	Bed Screws	Desk "
Sash Rollers	Sand Paper	Trunk "
Brass Kettles	Dinner Bells, &c	Cupb'd "
Sands' Sarsaparilla	Willow Baskets	Rocking Chairs
Townsend's "	Nursery Chairs	Brooms "
Licorice	Kegs	Bar-room "
Sal Soda	Twine	Office "
Sulphur	Mops	Bedsteads
Jaynes' Extract	Washboards	Ride Paddles
Brandreth's Pills	Baby Wagons	Whips, assorted
Beeswax	Clothes Lines	Spurs, "
Camphor	" Pins	Oilcloth "
Castor Oil	Market Baskets	
Sponge	Feather Dusters	Calf Boots
Bluing	Dust Pans	Kip "
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STEILACOOM, W. T., AUG. 20, 1858.

ATLANTIC NEWS.

It is stated that all the members of the administration concur in regarding both the principle and practice of the right of search as abandoned by Great Britain. The government has resolved, it is said, to despatch an efficient naval force to Nicaragua to protect our citizens there, and insure the opening of the Transit route to the commerce of the world. Late accounts from Paraguay indicate a favorable settlement of our difficulty with that republic. Our dispute with New Granada, however, is not likely to be adjusted speedily. The new constitution of that country was duly signed on the 22d of May. It is now looked upon as certain that the Cass-Herren convention will not be ratfied unless prompt measures are taken by our government to bring the New Granadians to terms. The steamers Arctic and Water Witch have been ordered home from the Gulf. They will repair to Washington.

We have received authentic accounts of outrages perpetrated by Montgomery's free State banditti upon peaceble and inoffensive inhabitants of Kansas. These ruffians, armed and well mounted, roam about the country plundering travelers and settlers indiscriminately. To such an extent have their depredations been carried, and so formidable have the banditti become, that Gov. Denver has recently issued a proclamation declaring Lynn, Licking and Bourbon counties in a state of insurrection, and proclaiming martial law therein. He also ordered the militia to be called out to aid in preserving the peace; and accordingly several hundred men were soon in the field, armed and organized to act against the public enemy. Gov. Denver is determined to extirpate the villians who have so long infested the localities designated, and will use all the power in his hands to effect so desirable an object.

The Democrats of Iowa held a Convention on the 24th June for the nomination of State officers. Among the resolutions reported was one endorsing the Administration of Mr. Buchanan. This resolution elicited a fierce debate, and it was finally laid on the table by a vote of 163 to 112.

A dispatch from Washington says: Should the news about Col. Steptoe's situation in Oregon prove true, one of the regiments of infantry now in Utah will be immediately pushed forward to Fort Walla Walla.

The lumber yard of Van Vleck, Churchill & Parker, at Buffalo, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 1st July. The loss is put at $30,000, of which $18,000 were insured.

Frank P. Blair, Jr., has been nominated by the Republicans of St. Louis for re-election to Congress. The resolutions passed by the Nominating Convention were of Free-Soilish tone, boldly advocating the total extinction of slavery in Missouri, and the removal of the negroes from the State. There will be a desperate triangular fight over this election, as the Americans have a candidate in the field.

James B. Swain, editor of the *Albany Register*, has been arrested on the complaint of Archbishop Hughes, who charges him with libel. The matter grew out of the recent statement in the *Register*, concerning a secret society called the "Circle of Jesus," of which it was alleged the Archbishop was a member. Swain was held to bail.

Commodore Vanderbilt has succeeded in obtaining from the Nicaraguan Government the concession of the Transit route, and will re-open it in the course of two or three months.

The weather in New York since June 25th has been intensely hot, the thermometer ranging in the shade at from 85 to 100 during nearly the whole period. The deaths from sun-stroke have been more numerous than ever at any former period, the number chronicled last week, in N. York and Brooklyn alone, reaching to upwards of one hundred.

A violent assault was committed at the Metropolitan, in New York, upon Hiram Webb, by William Mulligan. Webb, it said, was a prominent member of the San Fancisco Vigilance Committee, and Mulligan is one of the gentlemen whose absence from California was enforced by that Committee. The assault was committed in the hall of the hotel, in the presence, it is said, of two Policemen, who stood by intently looking on. Mulligan was subsequently arrested on a warrant, and held to bail. This is the second assault upon a member of that Committee, of which Mulligan has been guilty. It is said he has threatened with the same sauce every one of the Committee whom he may hereafter chance to meet.

The Republicans of Vermont have nominated Hiland Hill for Governor, Burnham Martin Lieut. Governor, and Henry M. Bates for State Treasurer.

General William Walker has published a letter in which he denounces the conduct of Judge Campbell, who presided at the recent farcical trial of the great filibuster in New Orleans. A gentleman from that city, who is well posted in all the movements of the filibusters, states positively that Walker's plains for another attempt upon Nicaragua are nearly matured. The expedition is to be of a different character from the former ones, but in what respect it is to differ from them is not positively known outside of the leaders. It is whispered, however, that the General is to proceed to the Isthmus without an armed force.

Extensive preparations are being made toward the opening of the Memphis mail route to California, in August. One firm in Concord, N. H., the Messrs Abbott, have one hundred wagons nearly completed for that road.

Thomas Dunham, of the wealthy shipping firm of Dunham & Dimon, in New York, was dangerously stabbed at Blancard's Hotel, Broadway, by a young lawyer named Edward S. Anderson. Both parties, with their families, are boarders at the hotel, and jealousy is said to have been the moving cause of Anderson's crime; Mrs Anderson having accepted an invitation to take a ride with Mr. Dunham and family, in their own carriage. Dunham's wound was at first deemed so critical that bail for Anderson was refused; but he is now considered out of danger.

Mrs. Littles, the famous Rochester murderess, and sister of Ira Stout, has been adjudged guilty of manslaughter in the second degree for assisting her brother in killing her husband, and sentenced to seven years' imprisonmen at Sing Sing.

Judge Russell, of New York city, has been indicted by the Grand Jury for an assault and battery on George Wilkes and John Darcie, editors and publishers of *Porter's Spirit of the Times*. The charge arose out of the famous affair at the Academy of Music, last spring, when Wilkes and Darcie were ejected from the Academy by order of the management, because their critiques did not suit. Russell is charged with aiding and abetting the management in their high-handed proceeding.

Information has reached us of the total loss of the splendid steamship *New York*, of the New York and Glasgow line. She run on a rock in the Clyde the first day out from Glasgow, and soon went to pieces. All the passengers and crew were saved, but the cargo was nearly all lost with the vessel.

A curious case of disputed identity occurred recently in Portsmouth, Ohio, the particulars of which reached you in the papers by the last steamer. The case alluded to is that where the wife of an absentee in California was called on by a person, who represented himself to be her husband, Robert H. McAuley. The man appeared to be well posted in all Mr. McA.'s family affairs, and was accepted by all the neighbors as the veritable Robert H., just returned from the land of gold. Mrs. McA. alone was skeptical. She denied his identity, and refused to have anything to say to him, much to the scandal of the neighborhood, which became quite indignant at her cruel obstinacy, while the journals in the neighborhood commented severely on the occurrence. It now turns out that the woman's instinct was truer than that of her neighbors. The man was an impostor, and has since confessed the fact. He is the brother of Robert H.,—his own name being William McAuley—and had recently returned from California, where he had learned the many particulars concerning Robert H.'s wife —who, by the way, he had never seen—which enabled him so successfully to impose upon her neighbors. McAuley escaped a lynching by a sudden disappearance from Portsmouth.

Orders were issued recently for the frigate *Savannah* to cruise in the Pacific, as far north as Guaymas, and to investigate any injures inflicted upon Americans along the coast.

The Postmaster General has notified the Navy Department that he has closed another mail contract with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

Of the eight sloops-of-war ordered to be built by Congress, one is to be constructed at the Navy Yard in San Francisco, provided the necessary timber can be procured there.

A slight gold fever has broken out in Vermont, near Montpelier, where two returned Californians are said to be digging with very successful results. The gold thus far has been pronounced by a jeweller to be purer, and worth more per ounce than that which is brought from California.

A rencontre took place in Broadway, New York, between Mr. Ashby, late surgeon of the last steamer *Central America*, and Capt. McGowan, of the *Moses Taylor*. Some difficulty has existed between the parties ever since the loss of the *Central America*, arising from statements made at that time by Mr. McGowan to the prejudice of Ashby.

The last steamer carried out the narrative of a case of mysterious poisoning in the family of Mr. Velie, at Poughkeepsie, Dutchess county, N. Y. Poison, it was stated, was mixed with the coffee, and the whole family were made sick. The mystery is now explained. Miss Velie, the niece of Mr. Velie, who acted so strangely at the time, is the culprit. She first robbed Mrs. Smith of the remittance sent from her husband from California, and then, seeing detection inevitable, she took this means to get rid of her suspectors. Miss Velie has been spirited away by some of her friends. The Smith family are luckily all convalescent.

Lieut. C. K. Thorburn, of the Navy, has been ordered to California to join the exploring expedition fitting out at the Navy Yard at San Francisco. Lieut. Thorburn, it will be recollected, is the officer who accompanied the camel expedition to California last year.

The ship *Indiaman*, which sailed from Boston for San Francisco, took out seventeen hundred tons of assorted merchandise. She arrived from Batavia only on the 8th of June, and between that date and the 26th, had discharged her East India cargo, of eighteen hundred tons, and taken on board her California goods, besides being caulked, newly-coppered and painted.

Mr. Weller has been reappointed Postmaster at San Francisco, after a determined opposition. The Postmaster at Benicia has also been re-appointed.

A terrible accident occurred on the 24th, at Wellsville, New York. There was a Masonic celebration held there, and some seven hundred persons—men, women and children—had assembled in a large hall, when a portion of the flooring gave way, precipitating upwards of three hundred persons into the room below. At the same time, the flooring of the story above the hall, in which was stored a large number of fanning mills, and other agricultural implements, also gave way, emptying its contents upon the people below. Some forty or fifty persons were injured, a few quite severely, but, strange to say, not a single one was killed.

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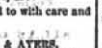

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When does a man rob his wife? When he hooks her dress.

Opposition sometimes is more the result of envy than a settled conviction of propriety.

Newspapers have been called the only paper currency that is worth more than gold or silver.

An Emeralder, being charged with stealing a wagon, swore he had it ever since it was a wheelbarrow.

Young ladies educated to despise mankind generally finish their studies by running away with footmen.

Why is a colt getting broke like a young lady getting married? Because he is going through the 'bridal' ceremony.

At the Newsboys' Lodging House, in New York, two boys sleep spoon fashion in one bed, two feet wide, says the Superintendent.

An editor, who was short of traveling funds, sat upon a saw-horse for an imaginary journey in the country, and wrote letters home for his paper.

A wise, rich man is like the back or stack of the chimney, and his wealth the fire; he receives it not for his own need, but to reflect the heat to others' good.

"A conservative," says Douglas Jerrold, "is a man who will not look at the new moon, out of respect for the ancient institution—the old one!"

Whoever is afraid of submitting any question, civil or religious, to the test of free discussion, is more in love with his own opinion than with truth.

If a pound of cheese costs nine cents, what should a ferry-man receive for putting you across the "Rhine.' Answers containing remittances will be received till they stop coming.

When you are addressing a blockhead, be as grandiloquent as possible—for the less such people understand, the more profound they think you are. In a vacuum, recollect, feathers fall as far as guineas.

Never break your neck to bow to a "sweet sixteen" with a hooped dress, who is ashamed of her old fashioned mother, or a strutting collegiate who is mortified at his grandmother's bad grammar.

"I think," said a farmer, "I should make a good Congressman; for I use their language. I received two bills the other day, with a request for immediate payment; the one I ordered to be laid on the table, the other to be read that day six months.

An old English divine adviseth thus:—"Have you got a sister—then cherish her with a holy friendship."

All right. But what if a feller hain't got no sister?

"Then," says the New Bedford *Standard*, "go take another man's."

A short time since, a widow in a church down east, who was known by the entire congregation to be greatly in want of a husband, was praying with great fervency.

"Oh, thou knowest what is the desire of my heart!" she exclaimed.

"A-m-a-n!" responded a brother, in a broad accent.

From a false position of society, death causes, in reality, more trouble than fear, from the havoc and temporary confusion it creates in a family. A mother or father removed, with a family of young children left upon the hands of the survivor, is not a very enviable position to be in. Were society rightly ordered, this could not happen, and death would be wholly divested of its sting.

Deity is written on the flowers that sweeten the air—upon the breeze that rocks the flowers upon their stem—upon the rain drops that refresh the sprig of moss that lifts its head in the desert—upon its deep chambers—upon every pencilled sheet that sleeps in the caverns of the deep no less than upon the mighty sun that warms and cheers millions of creatures.

An old lady in the country had a dandy from the city to dine with her on a certain occasion. For the desert there was an enormous apple-pie. "Ls, ma'am!" said the gentleman, "how do you manage to handle such a pie?" "Easy enough," was the quiet reply; "we make the crust up in a wheelbarrow, wheel it under an apple tree, and then shake the fruit into it."

"Prisoner," said the Magistrate, "you hear what the policeman says, that you, and some ten or twelve other boys not yet in custody, were seen in the act of demolishing a street lamp. Now, what have you to say for yourself?"

Prisoner—"So please yer worship, as there wur more nor ten on us engaged in the job, why, I pleads limited liability!"

That was special pleading run mad.

Long Puritanical yarns from the pulpit, in days of yore, were very common, particularly in "bonnie Scotland," nor does it appear that they have got quite into disuse yet. A Scotch paper narrates the following:

The services in one of the churches in Perth, one Sunday, were protracted to 10 o'clock at night, with the exception of a very short interval about 8 o'clock. The substitution on such occasions of quantity for quality reminds us of a circumstance which occurred in Kirkcaldy, many years ago. The parish minister, after a lengthy and fatiguing sederunt, was bringing the service towards a close, somewhat prematurely, as was thought by a sleek and demure member of session, who checked his clerical superior with a whisper, thus:

"Cannie, sir, cannie, or we'll be out afore the Seceders!"

"All is not gold that glitters;" there is something brighter, worthier, and more likely to last. Pope says:

> Riches, like insects, while concealed they lie,
> Wait but for wings, and in their season fly.
> To whom can riches give repute or trust,
> Content or pleasure, but the good and just?
> Judges and senates have been bought for gold,
> Esteem and love were never to be sold.

An English paper tells the following:—Lady Trelawny, who was very short-sighted, being on a christening visit, waited for a considerable length of time, with very much impatience, to see the child, which was to be brought down to her. The maid servant in the meantime entered the apartment with a coal-scuttle, and, approaching the fire, near which her ladyship was seated, she immediately rose, and, being extremely desirous of complimenting the family with a thousand commonplace observations on the bantling, ran on in the following manner with great volubility: 'La! it is the sweetest little creature I ever beheld! My lord duke's nose! My lady duchess's eyes and mouth! Dear nurse, this is an universal joy; for sure, no mother had ever so sweet a creature!" The company stared, and her ladyship, who did not discover her error, took her departure, congratulated herself on having paid her visit, and returned home full of her Grace's delightful baby.

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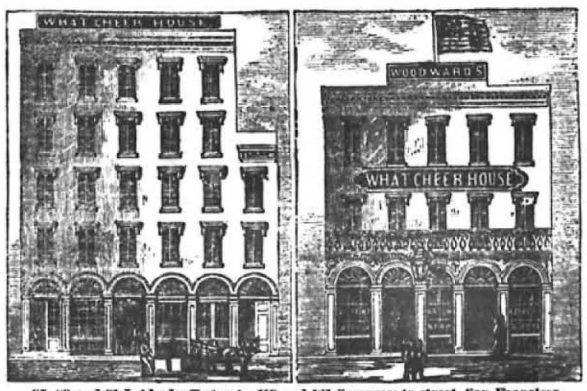

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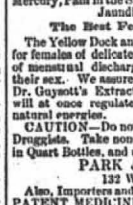

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