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No Charges for Storage on Goods sold on Commission.  
All Proceeds of sales promptly remitted.  
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Saddle Trees, Blook and Bent Stirrups, etc.  
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THERE UNDERSTOOD AND KNOWN to the public, that  
this well known place of resort still lives and is in  
the hands of its management. He keeps a splendid stock of  
**LIQUORS, WINES AND CIGARS,**  
and all other things necessary to constitute a  
**Tip-top Saloon.**  
Give him a call and satisfy yourselves of the truth of the  
statement.  
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Sept. 22, 1866. 1-17

**DAVID WALL, DRUGGIST,** is determined to keep  
some trade at home, if selling more, but the best ar-  
ticles in his line at the lowest prices, will accomplish it.  
BOTTLES AND BOTTLES of all sizes and all kinds con-  
stantly kept on hand and sold at the lowest prices.  
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**ALL AND EXAMINE** the 1866 articles too nu-  
merous to mention, which are kept on hand always  
by  
DAVID WALL  
Vancouver Drug Store, 4th Street near Mai  
18-17

**THE LIFE WRECK.**  
Threading the alley ways dark as a damp,  
By the flickering light of the gas lamp,  
The pickers pass through the night tramp,  
The totters along—alone alone.  
From home to home, from street to street,  
The pickers pass through the night tramp,  
With not a friend in the world to greet,  
Not a loan to give, nor a word to set,  
If a word of earth to call her own.

Wearing her life out day by day,  
Throwing her portion out away,  
Bleaching for very shame the ray  
Of the sun of Heaven, the glorious sun—  
Wary of life and afraid to die,  
Afraid of the earth and afraid of the sky—  
Afraid of the light, she wears not why,  
She wears the night as she wears a sign,  
And thinks of a race that is almost run.

Phantom of life and beauty fled,  
Shadow sniffling the quick and dead!  
I know her before her soul was set  
To the domain of light and despair;  
I know her a th night's child,  
A picture of innocence, unadorned,  
In her state of being and impud and unadorned,  
And all her thoughts light as air.

I know her again in womanhood,  
When beauty and wit no heart withstood,  
Great and lovely, her great and great;  
Adorned and loved by the wise and the great;  
Perfect in all the good her kind,  
To make beauty, in all that she could,  
A trill whenever the proud knee bends,  
The crowning gem of a crown of beads,  
A queen to soul and a queen in state.

I know her now—yet I know her not  
Where all but praise from the soulless not,  
Where all but praise from the soulless not.

**A True Life.**  
There is, even on this side of the grave, a  
haven where the storms of life break out, or  
are but the gentle undulations of the sur-  
faced and mirroring waters—no ocean, not in  
the desert but beyond it; a rest profound and  
blissful as that of the soldier returned for ever  
from the hardships, the dangers, and the tur-  
moils of war, to the bosom of the dear do-  
mestic circle, whose blessings he never prized  
at half their worth until he had lost them.

This haven, this rest, this oasis, is a serene  
old age. The tired traveler has abandoned  
the dusty, crowded and jostling highway of  
life for one of its shaded and least trodden  
lanes. The din of traffic and of worldly strife  
has no longer magic for his ear; the myriad  
tongues of the city's stony walls are but noise  
or nothing to him now. He has run his race  
of toil, of trade, of ambition. His day's work  
is accomplished, and he has come to enjoy  
tranquil and untroubled, the splendor of  
the sunset or the milder glories of late evening.  
Ask not whether he has or has not been suc-  
cessful according to the vulgar standard of  
success. What matters it now whether the  
multitude has dragged his chariot, rearing  
the air with wild intoxicating acclamations,  
or howled like wolves upon his track, as he has  
fled by night from the fury of those he had  
waded his way to serve? What avails it that  
broad lands have awarded his toil, or that all  
as at the last moment been stricken from his  
grasp? Ask him not whether he brings the  
wealth of the Indies or the poverty of the  
bankrupt; whether his couch be of down or  
of rushes; his dwelling a hut or a mansion?  
He has lived to little purpose indeed, if he has  
not long since realized that wealth and re-  
nown are true ends of exertion, not their ab-  
sence the conclusive proof of ill fortune.

Whoever seeks to know if his career has been  
prosperous and brightening from its outset to  
its close, should not ask for broad acres, for  
towering edifices, nor laden coffers. Perverted  
old age may grasp these with unrelenting  
clutch of usanity, but they add to his car-  
ous and anxieties not to his enjoyment. Ask  
rather has he matured and harmonized his  
erring passions. Has he led a true life?

A true life! Of how many lives does each  
hour kneel the conclusion; and how few of  
them are true ones. The poor child of sin  
and shame, and crime who terminates her  
clouded being in the early morning of her  
scarce budding, yet bright existence; the  
desperate felon, whose blood is shed by the  
community as the dread penalty of its violated  
laws; the miserable deaucher, who totters  
down to his bathos grave in the spring-time  
of his years, but in the fullness of his  
feasting iniquities—these the world valiantly  
affirm have not lived true lives! Fearless  
and righteous world, how profound and how  
discriminating are thy judgments! But the  
idolater of self, who devoted all his moments,  
all his energies, all his strength to sciences  
which begin and end in personal advantage;  
the grasping of gold and lauds and tenebrous,  
the devotee of pleasure, the man of igno-  
rante and sinister ambition, the woman of frivolity,  
extravagance and fashion; the glib, the glib,  
the voluptuous—out all these and their  
myriad accomplices, how gentle is the re-  
proof, how charitable the judgement of the  
world! Nay, does it not pick its way daintily,  
cautiously and insensitively through the midst  
of drunkard making and national faith-  
breaking.

A true life must be simple in all its ele-  
ments. Animated by one grand and ennob-  
ling impulse, all the lesser aspirations find  
their proper places in harmonious subservi-  
ence. Simplicity in taste, in appetite, in  
habits of life, with a corresponding indifference  
to worldly honors and aggrandizement, is the  
natural result of the predominance of a divine  
and unselfish idea. Under the guidance of  
such a sentiment, virtue is not an effort, but  
a law of nature, like gravitation. It is in  
alone that seems unaccountable, monstrous,  
almost miraculous. Purity is felt to be as  
necessary to the mind as health to the body,  
and its absence alike, inevitable source of  
pain. A true life must be calm. We wear  
out our energies in strife for gold or fame,  
and then wonder alike at the onset and the  
worthlessness of the meed. How sloth is  
justified by gluttony, and pride wreathed by avarice,  
and ostentation bearded by meanness!

The soul that is not large enough for the in-  
dwelling of one virtue, affords judgment and  
scope and arena for a hundred vices; but  
their warfare cannot be indulged with impu-  
nity. Agitation and wretchedness are the  
inevitable consequences, in the midst of which  
the flame of life burns swiftly to its close.  
A true life must be genial and joyous.  
Tall me not, pale anch-ris, of your ceaseless  
vigils, your fastings, your scourgings. The  
man who is not happy in the path he has  
chosen, has chosen amiss.—Horace Grady.

**A Remarkable Clairvoyant.**  
Some publicity has recently been given to  
facts which for several months past have been  
familiar to many families in Brooklyn, re-  
specting the inexplicable peculiarities of Miss  
Mary —, who has been afflicted, and is  
still suffering from disease, and who prevents  
a study not only for the medical faculty, but  
for students in mental science. About a year  
ago this young lady had the misfortune to be  
thrown from a horse, and received severe in-  
juries in consequence, but so far recovered as  
to be able to walk and ride out for exercise.  
On one of the occasions when she was riding  
in a car, she attempted to step to the  
street, her hoop-skirt caught, and she was  
thrown down and dragged some distance, re-  
ceiving very severe injuries, which caused  
convulsions that she would lose her life—  
She was taken to her mother's residence, where  
she has since remained, and where every  
possible tenderness and attention were  
lavished upon her; and though many physi-  
cians have seen her and several of her friends  
yet the history of the case, which may be re-  
garded as extremely important to science, has  
been hitherto veiled from the public—pub-  
licity being the last thing that the family, of  
which the young lady is the most estimable  
daughter, would desire. The very great im-  
portance of the case, notwithstanding its  
marvelous character, must be the excuse for  
breaking silence upon the facts.

It appears that Miss Mary —, after  
being taken home, was a sufferer from severe  
spasms, after which she reclined on her right  
side, with her right hand under the back of  
her right ear. The left hand was at liberty,  
and one of the lower limbs was twisted  
around the other, the toes being somewhat  
near each other. In this condition the pa-  
tient remained, her eyelids and teeth being  
closed so that the physicians were of the  
opinion that lockjaw had set in. The patient  
not only took no food or no drink, but she  
did not sleep. Her eyes were closed, but  
her mind was always awake. The variations  
from these conditions and posture were only  
during spasms, when the limbs were set at  
liberty for a moment, and then flew back to  
their wonted places. While in the ordinary  
position and unaffected by spasms, the pa-  
tient soon began to display remarkable pow-  
ers, which will be comprehended when they  
have been described. She wrote with her  
left hand to her friends, and never failed to  
write on the ruled blue lines of the paper  
with the same ease as if she had the use of  
her eyes. Her letters to her friends and  
schoolmates are cheerful compositions, writ-  
ten in an elegant Italian hand, although the  
use of the thumb of the left hand is de-  
nied her. The pen has always been taken by  
the forefingers and bristly grasped, the little  
finger and the edge of the hand being paral-  
lel to the paper. These letters have been fa-  
miliarly signed "M. M.," and breathe no  
complaint of her sufferings, and this young  
girl, however, has not been deserted by na-  
ture altogether, and left to be pined. She  
has been able to call up the deepest interest,  
because she seems to be gifted with clairvoy-  
ance to a remarkable degree. She crickets,  
and that, too, in colors. The materials are  
placed at the back of her head, when she  
uses the thumb and forefinger of her right  
hand and her left hand in producing very  
handsome results. She can crochet thus, at  
the back of her head, without making any  
mistake in the colors, as well as any young  
lady who has the use of vision and her two  
hands. She can also cut beautifully in pa-  
per, and do embroidery work, and in this  
way she finds both employment and amuse-  
ment. Another faculty that she possesses is  
that of reading any book, without open-  
ing it. It seems, however, that it must be  
near her, or that she must touch it. A pub-  
lished report says that she does not see in  
this way everything in the room. This is  
possible, and even probable; but it seems  
that she can see, without the use of her eyes,  
anything that is near her. Our informant,  
who is well known in this community, avers  
that there is no doubt of her complete pow-  
er of clairvoyance, although he has never  
been satisfied that any case has been well  
authenticated, and he has called the attention  
of Professor Agassiz to the subject, in the  
hope that some scientific report, beyond the  
question of a doubt, may be made upon the  
facts.

The latest condition of the patient varies  
somewhat from that in which she has been  
for many months. About Christmas she fell  
into a trance that lasted twenty days, and  
since that time hopes have been entertained  
that some nourishment is given to her, but  
the physician in attendance states that so far  
as food or drink is concerned she cannot be  
said to have taken any for nine months.

It will naturally be asked if she has not  
become emaciated from such fasting. This  
would be the usual inference, but in her case  
she presents a picture altogether the reverse.  
She has grown more handsome and appar-  
ently more healthy since her disease. No signs  
of ill health mark her cheeks. As she re-  
clines upon her right arm, when not engaged  
in her employment, she might be regarded as  
in a gentle sleep. She is not pleased with  
the visits of physicians, but she is gratified  
with the presence of friends. The question  
of her recovery is doubtful, although the fact  
that she has seemed to obtain some very  
slight nourishment lately gives a little hope.

She is attended by one of the most eminent  
physicians of Brooklyn, who states that while  
she is ill it is impossible to give any opinion  
as to the direct cause of this peculiar malady.  
It is certain that at one period, from the 19th  
of September until Christmas, she never ate,  
drew or slept, and that during that time she  
worked at her employment and books as tho'  
possessing all her faculties.

So wonderful a case as this of course is li-  
able to be received as a report of imaginary  
facts, but the knowledge that the whole mat-  
ter, for the sake of science, must soon be  
made public, is the only apology that is re-  
quired for directing public attention to the  
case. The medical men of Brooklyn have  
been much interested in this interesting young  
patient, and are able to corroborate the state-  
ment made, but they have no opinion to offer,  
so far as can be learned, on the causes of the  
malady. It is thought by some that the  
spine has been injured, and that the clair-  
voyance is the result of some abnormal  
condition of the brain.

There are nearly twice as many newspa-  
pers published in the United States as in all  
of the rest of the world together.

**Inhabitants of the Human Body.**  
What think you, reader, of your body be-  
ing a planet inhabited by living races, as we  
inhabit this earth? Whatever may be your  
thoughts on the subject, it is even so. Your  
body is but a home for parasites, that crawl  
over its surface, lurrow beneath its skin,  
nestle in its entrails, and riot and procreate  
their kind in every corner of its frame. The  
sensation in regard to trichini in swine flesh  
has sent the scientific to "knocking their  
heads together," and the results is the follow-  
ing facts: "Parasites not only inhabit the  
bodies of all animals used by us as food, but  
they are also found in abundance in our own  
organization. The species trichini spiralis,  
of which so much has been said, and whose  
existence has been discovered in pork, is ac-  
cording to our best anatomists in almost every  
muscle of the human body. It lies along the  
fibres of the muscles, enveloped in little cysts  
or sacs about one-fourth of an inch in length.  
It can be distinctly seen and examined only  
by the use of the microscope. Professor  
Wood, of Philadelphia, says: "No evidence  
has yet been produced of any morbid influ-  
ence exerted by the trichini upon the sys-  
tem during life. They have been found in  
subjects carried off by sudden death (acci-  
dental) and in the midst of health." An Eng-  
lish authority says:—"It is a notorious fact  
that the numerous parasites do crawl over  
our surface, burrow beneath our skin, nestle  
in our entrails, and riot and procreate their  
species in every corner of our frame. Near  
a score of animals belonging to the interior  
of the human body have been discovered  
and described; and scarcely a tissue or an  
organ but is occasionally profaned by their  
invasions. Each, also, has its favorite or its  
special domicile. One species of stragles  
chooses the heart for its dwelling place, an-  
other inhabits the arteries, a third the kid-  
neys. Myriads of minute worms lie coiled  
up in the voluntary muscles, or in the ar-  
terial tissues that connect the fleshy fibres.  
The guinea worm and the chique bore thro'  
the skin and reside in the adjacent vertebrae  
in our entrails, and riot and procreate their  
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"The rival of Carpentier went over a long  
bridge of love and desolation, concluding with  
these words:  
"Only one road is left open for us; let us  
take what is left and embark for—"  
"Vidocq stepped out of his place of conceal-  
ment.  
"My children be calm, or I'll break both  
your heads," said Vidocq, "we understand  
each other I suppose. Now tell me, where is  
the stolen money?"  
"We have only 100,000 francs left," replied  
the woman.  
"Are you telling the truth?"  
"Very well, give it to me."  
The money was given over.  
"Now, then, let this affair be forgotten; I  
never speak of this to your husband, and he  
shall know nothing. As for you, sir, give  
me your delicate little thumb."  
He placed his hands on the gentleman, con-  
ducted him to Havre, put him on a ship bound  
for America, and left him with the French  
adieu. "Go hang yourself elsewhere."  
Vidocq came to Paris and handed the 100,  
000 francs to the merchant, saying:  
"Your cashier was the thief, but he had  
spent 50,000 francs of the money with a dan-  
cuse. I embarked him for New York."  
Afterward no happier family was known  
than that of the merchant.

**Artemus Ward's Threshing Machine.**  
My wife is an exceedingly practical woman.  
I love her much, however, and humer her  
little ways. It's a reckless falsehood that  
she henpecks me, and the young man in our  
neighborhood who said so as I was distending  
my diaphragm with a gentle cocktail at the  
village tavern—'go home, old man, unless you  
want another teapot thrown at you by R. J.'  
"Betty Jane is my wife's front name, gentle  
youth, and I permit no one to allood to her as  
B. J. principally myself. Your other ob-  
servations I scorn and disgust, and I must  
polish you off." He was an able bodied young  
man, and removed his coat, he inquired if I  
wanted to be ground to powder? I said yes if  
there was a powder grinder, nothing would  
afford me greater pleasure, when he struck me  
a painful blow in my right eye, causing me  
to make a rapid retreat into the fire-place. I  
had no idea the enemy was so well organized.  
But I rallied and went for him in rather a  
vigorous style for my time of life. His parents  
lived near by, and I will simply state that  
fifteen minutes had only elapsed after his first  
blow when he was carried home on a stretcher.  
His mamma met the solemn procession at the  
door and after keepingly looking over her  
offspring, she said, "My son, I see how it  
is distasteful. You're bin foulen round a  
threshing machine. You went in at the place  
where they put grain into the thimungin,  
and let the horses tread on you, didn't you,  
my son?" The pen of no livin' orther could  
describe that disfortun' young man's situa-  
tion more stealer. But I was sorry for him  
and went and nursed him till he got well.  
His regular original father had been sent to the  
war. I told him I would be a father to him  
myself. He smiled a silky smile, and said  
I'd already been wuss than two fathers to  
him.

**EIGHTEEN YEARS AMONG THE INDIANS.**  
Under this heading the Elmira Advertiser re-  
lates the adventures of one James P. Kimball,  
who, with his wife, had just returned to the  
bounds of civilization after eighteen years  
residence among the Indians of the North-  
west. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball were with a  
party which left East Medway, Massachu-  
setts, in the spring of 1848, for California, by  
the overland route. They had crossed the  
plains of Utah, when they were attacked by a  
party of Snakes and Shoshones, and were  
captured or killed. The father of Mrs. Kim-  
ball was burned at the stake, but the young  
couple were adopted by the Indians and have  
lived among them ever since until last spring,  
when they were present at a fight near Fort  
Laramie. Mr. and Mrs. Kimball were re-  
scued by the U. S. troops. They left two  
daughters among the Indians, however. Both  
were the wives of chiefs. Coming East, Mr.  
Kimball learned that his father was living  
between Corning and Painted Post, and he  
was on his way to visit his parents when he  
passed through Elmira. His habits are still  
those of the wild Indian, in a great measure,  
his favorite food being raw beef steak. His  
wife was in company with him.

We have an Indian in this county who  
claims to be one hundred and thirty-five  
years old. We do not apprehend his claim  
to the honor of being that venerated auth-  
ority "the oldest inhabitant" will ever be ques-  
tioned.

When does glass become a Nightrising con-  
ductor? When it's a tumbler.

**VIDOCQ'S LAST EXPLOIT.**  
The last exploit of Vidocq, the famous  
French detective, is said to have been as fol-  
lows:  
A rich merchant went to him to consult on  
a deficit of 140,000 francs which he had found  
on his books. Vidocq demanded:  
"What is the age of your cashier?"  
"Twenty five. But I am as sure of him as  
of myself; he has also been robbed. He is a  
victim like myself."  
"Are you married?"  
"Yes."  
"How old is your wife? Is she handsome?  
Is she honest?"  
"Oh, yes, my wife is virtue itself—honor-  
able, attached to me above—"  
"Never mind all that; your cashier is 25,  
your wife is handsome?"  
"Since you insist upon knowing, she is  
handsome—but"  
"But! But! no matter about the Bats!  
You wish to find your money, don't you, and  
you have confidence in me?"  
"Of course I have, since I am here."  
"Very well, then, go back home, make  
believe you are going on a journey, and intro-  
duce me into the house."  
This was done, the merchant left home,  
and Vidocq hid himself in the closet near the  
chamber of the lady. Breakfast was served;  
a young man was shown in, and addressed  
thus:  
"Very well, Arthur; he is gone, but he  
suspects us."  
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He placed his hands on the gentleman, con-  
ducted him to Havre, put him on a ship bound  
for America, and left him with the French  
adieu. "Go hang yourself elsewhere."  
Vidocq came to Paris and handed the 100,  
000 francs to the merchant, saying:  
"Your cashier was the thief, but he had  
spent 50,000 francs of the money with a dan-  
cuse. I embarked him for New York."  
Afterward no happier family was known  
than that of the merchant.

**MISCELLANY.**  
The Kansas Senate has passed a bill for  
the creation of an Immigration Bureau, and  
appropriated \$100,000 to carry out its ob-  
ject.  
A libelous exchange says the Cincinnati  
admirer of Ristori presented to her six large  
bogs as evidence of their affectionate re-  
gard.  
The Kansas House of Representatives has  
passed the resolution to strike out "white"  
from the Constitution, and added an amend-  
ment striking out "male," and making in-  
telligence the basis of suffrage after 1870.  
The Boston free public bathing houses are  
to be increased in number and accommoda-  
tions next year, and one with hot and cold  
water and laundry will be placed in the new  
city charity building on Chardon street.

A woman in Boston, who acted as a cotton-  
buying agent during the war, for a salary  
and profits, has used the company for whom  
she acted for swindling her out of her profits.  
General Butler has been retained as the  
plaintiff's attorney.

While a body of soldiers were marching  
through Richmond on the way to camp, the  
9th ultimo, the inmates of a private house,  
occupied by a prominent rebel family, dis-  
played the rebel flag from the windows and  
greeted them with cheers and taunts.

An eagle, measuring twelve feet from tip  
to tip of wings, recently attacked a large dog  
of mixed mastiff and Newfoundland blood  
in Marquette, Wis., with intent to devour.  
The dog had disabled the eagle just as a boy  
came up with a pitchfork when the bird at-  
tacked the boy, but was eventually captured.

Richard H. Coxe, an ex-rebel of Georget-  
own, D. C., has commenced a suit against  
the lady directress of a benevolent society  
in Washington for \$10,000 damages for the  
use of his property without his consent.  
The property had been taken possession of  
by the Government and turned over to the  
society. Coxe, returning from the war, was  
paroled, because a good Johnson man, and  
this is the result.

In Lexington Ky., there is a negro girl  
who was not long since struck apparently  
dead and remained so for several days. When  
life again exhibited itself she was blind. She  
has since recovered her sight, but is paralysed  
and from her neck down, she professes to  
have visited heaven and hell, and to have  
been sent back to tell what she saw. She  
professes that she will recover the full use  
of her faculties, and will then preach in the  
streets.

The Boston Traveler says an old lady re-  
cently had her pockets picked in the case.  
Suddenly discovering her loss, she caught  
hold of an "ostentatious member of the Legisla-  
ture standing near," and accused him of the  
theft. The amiable lawmaker could only  
say, "Madam, I got up and gave you my  
coat, but I assure you I did not steal your  
money." Acquaintances vouched for the  
gentleman's character, and finally the accu-  
sation was dropped.

Ann E. Dickinson has presented to the  
physician who attended her at Rockford, two  
beautifully chased solid medalion goblets,  
bearing the following inscription: "To  
Charles H. Richings, M. D., in remembrance  
of a life well saved; with grateful regard,  
from Ann E. Dickinson—1867."

The library of M. Cousin has been left to the  
Sorbonne. It was worth \$50,000. In so-  
knowledge of the gift the Government  
has named after him one of the new streets  
in the Quartier Latin. The bulk of his for-  
tune Cousin left to the daughter of Madame  
Louis Colles, whom he knew as a child.

The lakes in the Regent's Park are still  
dragged for bodies, and divers were engaged  
in trying to bring to the surface. There were  
still numbers of them missing, altho'  
nearly fifty in all had been recovered. The  
Marquis de Buisson, a French nobleman, was  
among the divers.

A restaurant keeper in Norfolk, Virginia,  
has a cut with six well formed and perfect  
legs—two behind, two before and two in the  
middle. Unfortunately, having too many  
legs to support, it only lived a few days, and  
is now kept in a glass jar, well preserved in  
spirits—claws and all.

Owing to the deep snow, quails are being  
taken in large numbers by pot hunters about  
New Haven, Conn. One of the merchants of  
that city is endeavoring to stop the slaughter  
by offering to buy them alive, proposing to  
keep the birds over the winter and release  
them in the spring.

The St. Augustine (Florida) Examiner,  
speaking of the present crop of oranges, says  
that 60,000 will be ready for market. A  
gentleman writes that "they hang in rich  
yellow clusters from the trees on the sides  
of the streets, and the soft air is redolent of  
the rich perfume."

New Haven has an ice-boat, the *Minnie E.*  
*Dodd*, which can run with safety on ice four  
inches thick, and make 70 miles an hour—  
She is 30 feet long, 10 broad, and carries 25  
passengers. She has entered the list for the  
championship with the Hudson river ice-boat  
fleet.

Mr. W. H. Bidwell, the veteran editor of  
the *Electric Magazine*, will be sent by Sec-  
retary Seward to look after the Jaffa colonists  
from Maine. What are the peculiar quali-  
fications of that harmless old gentleman is  
known only to Secretary Seward and himself.

Mr. Jones, seventy years of age, recently  
married a young girl in Soboharie county,  
went to Albany on his wedding tour, fell  
down stairs at his hotel, made his will, and  
left her to go forth a rich widow who came  
in a wedded attendant of an infirm old man.

A dog recently followed his master into a  
store, in Iowa, and remained after his mas-  
ter had left. The proprietor of the store ob-  
serving the dog, ordered it to "get out," and  
it obeyed, going through a large pane of  
glass, costing two dollars and a half.

President Lincoln's old home at Springfield  
is occupied by an appreciative family, who  
keep things as nearly as possible as they  
were while he lived in it. It has been visit-  
ed since the martyred President left it by  
over 50,000 people.

A pair of illupians were lately brought in-  
to the world by a lady of Preston, Conn.—  
One of the infants weighed less than one  
pound and a half, and the other a little over  
two and a half pounds. A lady's finger  
ring fits their arms nicely.

AGENTS FOR THE REGISTER:

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THE COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

Before another issue of this paper appears, the several County Conventions will have concluded their labors and placed before the people of this County the names of citizens who are to be voted for at the ensuing election. Inasmuch as the present condition of our county affairs demand the services of honest, competent and intelligent officials, we deem it a fitting duty and an appropriate time to address a few suggestions to the Delegates of the Conventions, irrespective of party, who are charged with the important duty of nominating candidates.

In times past a custom has prevailed too extensively with both parties, of nominating men not with reference to their qualifications, but principally because they were available and would poll a large number of votes, and because they could enlist to the support of their ticket this or that element or this or that religious association. This is radically wrong. The result of this mode of procedure has been, that the claims of the best qualified men have been often ignored and inferior men as to qualifications have held a portion of the offices. The lessons which we have received as citizens of this County ought not to be lost upon us, but ought to create a wholesome reform.

The persons who hold official positions are the representatives of the people and form the standard, by which the intelligence and qualities of the people are judged. If the officers are notoriously incompetent and are lacking in moral qualities, it is fair to presume that the people themselves are wanting in intelligence and moral qualities. If ever there was a period, when we needed the services of good officials, now is the time. It is needless to deny that we are almost on the verge of bankruptcy, from what cause we will not now undertake to say, and nothing but reform and retrenchment, and faithful official services can aid us. We therefore earnestly ask the delegates of both Conventions to consider this matter seriously, that they may nominate only the best men. Before they give their votes to any person, they ought to be satisfied, that the candidate is honest, that he is competent and that he is well identified with the interests of the County. Then if one ticket or the other is defeated, all good citizens of the county have reason to be satisfied with the results of the election, although their political favorite may have been defeated.

Big Oaks from Little Acorns Grow.—Our readers are probably informed of the fact that a treaty has been concluded between the Emperor of Russia and the President of the United States by the terms of which the whole Russian Territory on the north Pacific coast is to be ceded to the United States upon payment of the sum of seven millions of dollars. It only awaits the ratification of the Senate to become a law of the land. The telegraph further informs us, that the primary cause of the treaty was a memorial passed by the Legislative Assembly of this Territory in 1866, relative to Coal-Fisheries on the Pacific Coast. The memorial was introduced on the 16th day of January A. D. 1866, by Mr. Smith of Stevens county and memorialized the President of the United States to secure to the American Fishermen full privileges in extending their operations to the coast of the Russian Possessions.

ABOUT WOOLEN FACTORIES. The Walla Walla Statesman has the following on the subject of Woollen Factories: The milling business being overdone in Walla Walla Valley, Mr. H. P. Isaacs proposes to remove all the machinery from his present mill, and if our citizens cooperate with him, will convert it into a woollen factory. The building is sufficiently large to accommodate all the machinery necessary to manufacture blankets and the coarser grades of bannets. The building, waterpower, and the requisite land, will be transferred to a woollen manufacturing company at the appraised value, and the whole amount taken in stock. All that will remain for the stockholders will be to raise the funds necessary to buy the machinery, pulleys, shafting, etc. To do this, will require a sum not to exceed \$10,000. That we are not mistaken in this, we give the following figures, taken from a manufacturer's circular:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Items include One set Carding Machinery, complete; One set 24 inch Flyer; One Jack, 300 Spindles; Five Broad Looms; Three Gigs; Fulling Mill. Total: \$12,500.

These are Eastern prices, and made previous to the late advance in all kinds of machinery. Place this advance at 50 per cent, and \$5,000 will cover the whole cost of the machinery, and leave a surplus to pay freight bills. An equal sum would probably be required to pay the expense of rigging, shafting, pulleys, etc., but certainly \$10,000 will cover the entire expenditure. It may be said that this is a small sum, and would scarcely meet the requirements of the country. To all of which we reply, that a mill provided with the machinery every facility for the estimate, would have called for manufacturing blankets and the coarser descriptions of bannets. To manufacture fine essames, would require a large amount of expensive machinery, which this market is scarcely likely to require for several years to come. A woollen factory organized on the scale we have proposed, will serve as a nucleus, and in a few years we will see grow up around it, a factory having all the modern improvements, and capable of turning out the finest fabrics.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY ITEMS.

UNION COUNTY CONVENTION.—It will be seen by the official report in another column that the Union Convention for Walla Walla county met at the District School Room, on Saturday last, and proceeded to the election of delegates to the Vancouver Convention. Other engagements prevented our attendance but we are informed that the assembly was in the success of the Union cause. The delegates elected to the Vancouver Convention are leading men in point of character and influence, and it is safe to say that this county has never at any previous convention been represented by a better class of citizens. Four of the delegates are understood to be unqualifiedly in favor of Judge Wyche's nomination. No instructions were given, it being thought that the delegation would be more effective in securing a candidate from this side of the mountains if left untrammelled. Advice from different quarters of the Territory go to show that the policy of sending delegates uninstructed has prevailed in a majority of the counties. As we have already stated, the popular sentiment in this section of the Territory is largely in favor of Judge Wyche, and in the event of his nomination it will require the democrats to bring out their strongest man to ensure his defeat. Regarding the Judge's nomination as a foregone conclusion, it becomes our democratic friends at their Convention of to-morrow to cultivate a spirit of harmony and conciliation, and having first ascertained which one of our citizens can best unite the conservative vote of the county, send to Vancouver a delegation that will leave no stone unturned to secure his nomination. It is everywhere conceded that the nomination belongs to the country east of the mountains, and if in the end we fail to carry off the prize, it will be owing to our local dissensions and divisions. In this regard the republicans exhibited a wise spirit of unity, and we trust the example thus set will not be lost upon our democratic friends.—Walla Walla Statesman.

The Globe gives the substance of the Territorial Penitentiary bill. It appropriates from the internal revenue tax actually paid by the respective Territories named, in the fiscal year ending, respectively, on the 30th of June, 1865, '67 and '68, an amount to build penitentiaries for said Territories, provided, that the sum so appropriated for Washington Territory shall not exceed \$20,000 and for each of the other Territories \$40,000.

MOUNT BAKER A BURNING VOLCANO.—We received the following from a correspondent concerning Mount Baker, under date of March 26: It may not be generally known to the readers of your paper, that Mount Baker is in active eruption at this time; but such is the fact! During the past twelve or fifteen days, since the clear cold northerly winds have been prevailing, dense volumes of smoke have been seen by me, and others, to issue from the southern peak, near the summit of the mountain. The Indians have a tradition, that about thirty years ago, as near as they can compute the time, Mount Baker was an active, burning volcano! They could see the fire plainly, on dark nights; but that about that time, a tremendous convulsion took place, changing the whole aspect of the mountain, and killing most all the Salmon in Skagit river; since which time, there has been but little seen to indicate a burning crater, until this present winter.—Olympia Tribune.

REVIVAL.—The United Brethren have been holding a series of revival meetings at the M. E. Church, in this city, and their labors have been rewarded by a number of conversions. The good work is still progressing.—Steinman.

OREGON NEWS.

A silver lode, it is said, has been discovered on Butter creek in Umatilla county. A large brick church will be erected at McMinnville this coming summer. A new steam saw mill has been erected near Lebanon, and will be put in operation in a few days.

The Umatilla learns from conversation with farmers of Marion county, that the coming harvest there will probably be lighter than for several years. A Post-office has been established at Wheatland, Yamhill county. Mr. Hendrickson has received his commission as Postmaster. So says the Umatilla.

From Jan. 1st to March 15th, Coos county sent to San Francisco 1,015 tons of coal. This at the lowest rates given in the last trade report will amount to \$12,180—not a bad item of income for a small county, from a single item in 45 days. A young man named David Andrews, of Lebanon, Linn county, was driving a team on the 29th ult., when the horses took fright and ran away. Andrews got entangled in the reins and was dragged through some brush and over rough ground for about one hundred yards before he could extricate himself. His right leg was dislocated at the knee, both bones below the knee were broken and the flesh badly lacerated. He is expected to recover.

We learn, says the Umatilla Press the new diggings have been struck about seventy miles south of Umatilla, on one of the forks of John Day river. Our informant states that a party of some seventy men has already started for the point covered to. A pack train of thirty mules left the head of Butter creek on Saturday last with the provisions and mining implements of the party. The diggings are reported to be extensive and deep. From prospects already made it is presumed that when properly and thoroughly worked they will yield about an ounce per diem to the hand.

A correspondent of the Umatilla Press writes as follows from Express Ranch, Burnt river: So far as explorations have extended and the more recently discovered diggings of Rye Valley and Shasta Creek, which have also proved very remunerative, extend over an area of country forty miles from east to west, and twelve miles in width. I have it from the most reliable authority that gold has been found wherever tested in any portion of this extent of country, ranging from the color to seventy-five cents in the pan.—I mention this for the benefit of those who are unable to go to Leumi and other distant diggings. A large portion of this country remains unexplored; but there are a number of miners camped near here awaiting a little more favorable weather. They contemplate pushing their prospects until satisfied. I have seen some prospects taken from Burnt river right here which were far from insignificant, and I predict and think the day is not far distant when the whole surrounding country will present a mining district unsurpassed in richness and depth. All the necessary for mining can be obtained near the diggings.

W. G. LANGFORD.—The Walla Walla Statesman says, that nineteen out of thirty-one delegates to the Democratic County Convention are supposed to be in favor of W. G. Langford as the Democratic candidate for Congress.

CASCADES CORRESPONDENCE.

CASCADES, W. T., April 3, 1867.

Thinking that some items of importance from this part of the world might be acceptable to you and your numerous readers, I have concluded to send a few. If they are not worth publishing, you will know well enough (as editors always do) what to do with them. And first as to politics—as it is always and everywhere first. The two parties held their Conventions and elected their delegates to the Territorial Conventions soon to be held in your city. What a rare opportunity your citizens will have afforded them of seeing the buying and selling—the wire pulling and trickery which have become too common and which form too large a part of the business in such Conventions—and as a matter of course we may expect from this time until the first Monday in June the usual amount of nonsense and slander of both parties and individuals.

THE SALMON. They will soon be here again to rejoice the heart of the Siwash. Perhaps in no part of the world is there a people who live so entirely on a single article of food as do these Indians. And if the salmon were to fail entirely there would soon be no Indians here, they could not live without them.

And perhaps there are few places in the world where salmon can be more easily taken or in greater quantities than here. The "Bastons" too are beginning to appreciate the importance of the salmon fishing here. Last year there was something done in the way of putting up salmon for market and a few sent to the States. This year it is expected there will be quite a large amount as compared with other years prepared for market. Several parties are making arrangements to put up salmon and from year to year the business will continue to grow in importance.—There are few places in the world offering superior advantages for such a business, and certainly, parties who go into it as they ought will find it to pay. More anon.

SEEKINGS.

LEVES AT THE WHITE HOUSE.—The last Presidential levee of the season was held at the White House, February 22d, from eight to eleven o'clock. The crowd was so great that it was impossible to enforce the customary regulations for the preservation of order and decorum. Although an unusually large detail of policemen and soldiers were on duty in anticipation of a throng, the mass of people was so great as to be uncontrollable. The policeman stationed at the door of the Red Room to prevent the visitors from rushing through in so large a body as to inconvenience the President and his family, were swept away and carried onward with the living tide to the Blue Room, where the throng was soon as dense as it was in all the other rooms and halls. The President seemed to be in excellent health, and received the best of friends that poured in upon him with sincere pleasure and unfeigned courtesy.—Nearly all the first dignitaries of the land and foreign ministers were present, and among them were many radical Senators and Representatives.

IN BAD REPUTE.—The Nevada Legislature which recently adjourned, and is soon again to be summoned together by State Executive proclamation, did not stand very high in the esteem of the good people of the sage brush country. The Virginia Enterprise, of the 10th, alludes to it in no very complimentary terms, as may be discovered by a perusal of the following extract from its leading article: Let the Commonwealth breathe easy. The curtain has fallen on the ugliest burlesque on representative government ever played in any State Territory in the Union. No such another Legislature ever assembled in this State. The majority of the members of this one will, ere the next election, be either hung, in the penitentiary, or in the chain gang, and their peers, thank God, cannot be found in this world. Oh! for a photograph of this last Assembly!

THE SISTERS OF CHARITY.—The Catholic Mirror publishes some facts concerning the Sisterhood, whose headquarters for the United States are at Emmetsburg, Maryland, from which it appears that it is in a flourishing condition. The present number of this Sisterhood is 951, being a net increase of 20 during the past year. They have founded 4 new establishments during the same period, and they have now under their charge 22 hospitals, 32 orphan asylums, 49 parochial schools, 4 houses of charity, and 1 academy—making a total of 108 establishments.—These institutions extend from Boston to San Francisco, throughout the most of the States of the American Union. The kind ministrations of these devoted ladies during the late war, both on the battle field and in the hospitals, to the spiritual and physical wants of the wounded and sick, have been universally recognized, and can never be forgotten.

AN OLD ACQUAINTANCE.—The telegraphic dispatches of yesterday inform us of the massacre of Col. Rankin, commanding Fort Buford, together with about 80 whites by the Indians. Col. Rankin is well known at Fort Vancouver, having been formerly employed here as commissary clerk under Gen. Ingalls. His untimely and sudden death will be regretted by many of his old friends and acquaintances.

ONE TOO MANY.—We observe in the proceedings of the Skamania county Union Convention that Messrs. Edward Copely and John Jaggy were elected to the Territorial Convention. Skamania county is entitled to only one delegate, the basis of representation being upon the basis of the representation in the lower house of our Legislature. The whole number of delegates is only thirty. Skamania county only having one Representative in the Legislature, is therefore, only entitled to one delegate.

CAPLES' LANDING.—We have been indirectly requested to give this place a puff.—We learned during a recent visit to the neighborhood, that the ocean steamers have landed there yet, neither have any lots been sold, nor wharves or houses built, nor any other improvements made. In our opinion the place if fenced in, would make in due season a tolerably fair stock range.

CHANGED HANDS.—The Puget Sound Weekly has been purchased by Mr. I. M. Hall, who is now publishing it under the name of the Puget Sound Weekly Gazette.

It has also been somewhat reduced in size.—The new editor speaks as follows concerning the proposed political course of the Gazette: With regard to the politics of the Gazette, we would say that it will hereafter be an organ of the Union sheet. We have faith in the great Republican party. We believe that the people who had the courage and wisdom that carried the nation successfully and gloriously through the most gigantic rebellion that the world ever before saw, and preserved the Constitution, have the courage and the wisdom to reconstruct the Union upon a firm basis. We believe that the loyal people ought of right to be heard upon the questions of reconstruction, rather than disloyal people; that the views of those who struggled manfully for four long years to preserve the country from irretrievable ruin, should prevail against the wishes of those who struggled with might and main for the same length of time to destroy it. We believe that in the present Congress of the United States is to be found as great a combination of learning and intelligence as was ever found in any similar body of men since Government was first instituted. Lastly, we believe in the people, and we are decidedly in favor of the people. So long therefore as we entertain these views, and so long as the Union Republican party adheres to these principles, we shall give it our cordial support.

NOT CONFIRMED.—Sen. for Williams writes to a friend in Oregon, that the nomination of Geo. E. Cole as Governor of this Territory, has been rejected by the U. S. Senate. Who is Governor now?

ST. HELENS.—This town is still progressing rapidly. Numerous new buildings are in process of erection and as soon as the new steers saw mill is in running order and lumber can be put into the market, we are assured, that a great many new houses will be built during the ensuing season.

RETURNS FROM THE DIFFERENT PRECINCTS in this county on the Democratic side, indicate a close race between A. J. Lawrence and Columbia Lancaster for the vote of this County in the Democratic Territorial Convention. Skamania County has instructed for Mr. Lawrence and we learn, that the Pacific County Democracy did the same thing.

A CANDIDATE.—Hon. Chas. Westmoreland, a former Attorney of this place, is announced by the Trinity Journal as a candidate to represent the Northern District of California in Congress.

WE call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Dehm, offering for sale his real estate in this city. Now is the time to make a good bargain.

A Springfield telegram to the Chicago Times: Lieut. Gov. Brass' lecture in the hall of house of Representatives, on his trip across the continent with the Colfax party, was listened to by a large audience. The lecture was very interesting and instructive, and highly relished by the audience. It contained much valuable information about the mighty empire lying toward the setting sun, and of the hardy people who are planting the banner of civilization in the wilderness of the Far West. That portion of the lecture devoted to the Mormons, and the country in Utah, was particularly interesting.

DOLLS.—Dolls in Paris are a great institution, and the stores where they are sold among the most attractive of sights. The dolls—always arranged in groups in the windows, representing tableaux of larger life; for instance, before a pretty and perfectly made piano 12 inches long, sits a pretty doll of 18, her expression is life like, her dress, of the richest material, hangs with all the ease and grace of reality, she has a minute little diamond ring on her finger, and little ear rings and braespin complete. Behind her stands a gentleman doll holding the music sheet and singing; he is complete in fashion, and looks as a real life "fellow." In another place before a little dressing table, stands a doll in the act of brushing her hair; her dressing case stands open, and you see all these little trinkets in which dressey ladies delight in. She has on a delicate pair of silk slippers, white her dainty shoes are just seen peeping out from under the wardrobe; her trunk is open, and you can see she has a large supply of the finest hosiery, with elaborate lace work, all in miniature.—Upon the bed are spread numerous dresses, of all kinds and materials. And thus you will see many like life scenes produced by this doll world in shop windows.

TRAGIC LOVE AFFAIRS.—In tragical love affairs the cold and rational city of Berlin emulates warm and susceptible Vienna. At the moment when, in the latter city, a youth of 18, the only son of wealthy parents, poisoned himself for seeing his love for a young girl of his own age unrequited, a young man of Berlin shot, for a similar reason, the girl he adored. At the inquest he threw himself over the dead body, exclaiming, "I am a spy of grief, 'Oh, my poor Mary!'" A laborer of an age tolerably advanced, commits suicide by hanging himself from a chimney pipe for a blind itinerant harp playing woman of nearly 60 years! If such things happen among the aged it is not surprising if a youth snatches up a pistol, and in his blind fury levels it at his former sweet heart because she no longer smiles for him. The woman thus murdered, herself a girl of 18, was working at a factory. Her unhappy lover waited in the evening until the girl saying he would not live without her, asked her if she did not pity him. Receiving no answer, he, in wild despair, discharged at her a pistol loaded with two bullets.—And the wife of a printer strangled her husband.

OIL SHARES.—The Erie Dispatch has the following in relation to oil shares: "As a proof of the worthlessness of a large amount of oil stock, we may cite the following auction sales which were made at Philadelphia a few days ago: 100 shares Glenn Rock Oil company, 5 cents; 300 shares Green Hill Oil company, 2 cents; 400 shares National Petroleum company, 1 cent; 378 shares Decatur Oil company, 1 cent; 500 shares Columbus Oil company, 4 cents; 500 shares Walnut Island company, 1 cent; 500 shares Donaldson Oil company, 2 cents; 500 shares Maskington and Morgan Oil company, 9 cts.

WASHINGTON, MARCH 30.—A message was received from the President which stated that in giving his approval of the joint resolution carrying into effect the act for the more effectual government of the rebel states, he did so because it limited the expenditures to half a million of dollars, and not because he had modified his objections to the original act. It was ordered printed. After the transaction of some minor business the Speaker declared the House adjourned until the first Wednesday in July.

NEW YORK, MARCH 31.—The Herald says the Russian treaty was fully discussed in Cabinet council on Friday and that evening the Russian Ambassador was received at the State Department, the negotiation having been brought to a satisfactory conclusion on Saturday last. The treaty must be ratified by the Senate, and both Houses of Congress must concur in making an appropriation for the payment of the purchase money before the treaty can become an accomplished fact.

CHICAGO, MARCH 31.—The Republican's Washington special says that when the treaty with Russia was received in the Senate in Executive session yesterday, it created a general smile, and in some cases ridicule. Had the vote been taken nearly all the Senators would have voted against it. It goes over until the extra session to-morrow. There does not seem to be the slightest prospect that it will be ratified by the Senate. The consideration of it will lead to a spirited debate. Senators are unable to learn wherein the value of the treaty consists or who desires to pay money for such a purpose. It is said an investigation committee will be appointed to ascertain the origin of the scheme and what is behind. Nobody believes that the whole seven million dollars will go into Russian coffers.

SPEAKER COLFAX will probably postpone his visit to Colorado till after the July session. Democrats are much displeased with the President for signing the bill to suspend the compensation for slaves. Should the President make acceptable nominations the Senate will adjourn in a week.—It may stay in session for ten days. Should Connecticut go Democratic, Mr. Foote will be nominated Minister to Austria. The President has signed the deficiency bill containing provisions for publication of the laws in northern newspapers formerly reported.

CHICAGO, APRIL 1.—A dispatch to the Journal says the Committee on Foreign Affairs have decided to report back the Russian treaty. An effort will be made to postpone its consideration until December. The coming statement will show the reduction of the public debt to be \$72,000,000.—About \$120,000,000 of gold in the Treasury. McCulloch has decided not to retire the \$4,000,000 greenbacks monthly authorized by the Senate.

NEW YORK, APRIL 1.—The following are the returns of the Connecticut election: Sixty towns, including Hartford and New Haven, give English 600 majority. The result is close and doubtful. The State is claimed by the Democrats. New Haven, April 1.—English (Democrat) is probably elected by 1,500 majority. The Democrats claim three Congressional Districts viz: Hubbard, in the 1st, Hutchins, in the 2d, and Wm. H. Barnum, in the 4th. The Republicans elect Starkweather in the 3d District. The Senate and the House are probably Republicans.

OTTAWA, CANADA, MARCH 31.—The cable announces that the intercolonial bill passed the House of Commons by a large majority, and that the confederation bill has received the royal assent. New York, March 31.—A Vera Cruz correspondent of the 15th says that Marshal Bazaine, with the rear guard of the French army, left on the 13th. The city is in a state of siege. The gates are closed. It is feared the troops in the city will pronounce for Juarez as soon as the liberals appear in front of the walls. It is rumored that Maximilian has offered to abdicate if Juarez would consent to abide by the decision of the people for or against the Empire. The rumor is not confirmed. The young Prince Irturbide is in charge of his father's route for New York. A dispatch has been received from Gov. Throckmorton, of Texas, saying Texas will immediately organize under the reconstruction law. The steamer New York sailed today. John Bidwell and Wm. Higley are among the passengers. Duke Wiggin is in town.

NASHVILLE, APRIL 1.—The Conservative Convention met to-day, Judge Whitworth and Williams, a colored orator, were the principal speakers. The former advocated a policy recognizing the negro to participate in political rights. Williams held that the owners of the soil and the laborers were identified in interest and would cooperate. He believed the Southern men were the negro's best friends. Williams is from Pennsylvania, and served in the federal army. A resolution was adopted requesting the freedmen to appoint a delegate to the Conservative State Convention to be held on the 2th.

NEW YORK, APRIL 1.—The Times says that efforts are making to depreciate the condition of the treasury for speculative purposes, and quotes a circular recently sent to Europe by a New York house with that view. The Times correspondent learns on the highest authority that the treasury is not insolvent prospectively to the extent of maturing obligations. The prospect is precisely the reverse. The customs revenues approximate closely to the receipts of last year, although the internal revenue receipts are considerably less. It is positively certain that the fiscal year will close with a gratifying balance.

NEW YORK, MARCH 31.—The City of Paris, with dates to the 20th, has arrived. In the House of Commons, Mr. Disraeli made an able and brilliant speech in favor of the proposed Government reform scheme.—In view of settling the reform question, the Government proposed a household suffrage with two years residence and tax-paying conditions. It is said that of 733,000 non-voting householders in England and Wales the proposition would enfranchise 237,000. It would increase the number of borough voters to 881,000. Gladstone severely criticised the scheme and declined to receive Disraeli's figures. He said three-fourths of the non-voters were men in buckram. He denounced the Ducal vote as a gigantic fraud. In his opinion the bill would never pass, as the whole law and other supporters of the Government opposed it. Liberal journals, including the Times, say there is little chance for the bill.

CHICAGO, APRIL 1.—The Republican says the first business of the Supreme Court is the election of a U. S. Marshal. The recent law devotes this upon the entire Court. Richard Parsons, of Cleveland, Ohio, will undoubtedly be elected. The Russian treaty will probably go over to the next session. None of the members present favor ratification. Sixty postoffices are without proper custodians.

VANCOUVER DRUG STORE.

DAVID WALL, APOTHECARY. Keeps constantly on hand a Choice Selection of Drugs, Medicines, Acids, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Dye Stuffs, Alcohol, Turpentine, Perfumery, Toilet Articles.

FANCY GOODS.

Pure Wines and Liquors for Medical Use. ROBERTSON'S BITTERS, DRAPER'S BITTERS, ROOPLAND'S BITTERS, RABBIT'S POTASH, CANNARY SEED, CABBAGE SPONGE, CASTLE SOAP, SHAKER BEER, INDIGO, DOMESTIC DYE, CREAM TARTAR, BLUE STONE, NITRE, ROSIN, OLIVE, COMMON & WHITE, SULPHUR, GLASSER SALT, BATH BRICKS.

MICHAEL WINTLER.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Cor. Main and Fifth Streets, Keeps constantly on hand and for sale a full assortment of GROCERIES, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE AND NAILS, DRY GOODS, READY MADE CLOTHING, BLANKETS.

HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES. Will buy all kinds of Farmers Produce at the highest rates. Cash Paid for Wool and Hides. M. WINTLER. Vancouver, Sept. 22, 1866.

L. C. HENRICHSEN.

Practical Watchmaker & Jeweler. 105 Front St., Portland, Oregon. Respectfully informs the public that he has just returned from San Francisco with a splendid stock of Clocks & Jewels!

Watches and Jewelry Repaired and Warranted. Particular attention paid to Diamond Setting, Engraving and Emelning. Portland, Jan. 20, 1867.

ST. CHARLES SALOON.

REBATAURANT. (Lately known as the Mount Hood.) Having been newly fitted up, is now ready to accommodate the citizens of Vancouver, and the public generally.

Boarding by the week, - - - \$5 00 " per day, - - - - - \$1 00 " Single Meals, - - - \$75 00

The Bar always well stocked with the best of imported LIQUORS AND CIGARS. J. D. BRUILLETTE & W. H. BOGGS, PROPRIETORS. Vancouver, March 24, 1867.

J. D. HEALY.

DEALER IN—STOVES, TIN PLATE, SHEET IRON, Wire, Pumps, Lead Pipe, &c., &c. And Manufacturer of TIN, COPPER, Sheet Iron Ware, &c., &c. Jobbing Work Done to Order.

He has on hand a large and well assorted stock of Ware, and other articles in his line, suitable for the trade, which he will sell at low rates, for cash. Jan. 12, 1867. J. D. HEALY.

Notice to Sheep Growers. One hundred sheep to let out on shares. All for a term of one, two or three years. Now if to comply with good terms you are willing. Just call on the wateragent. W. H. DILLON.

DAVID WALL, DRUGGIST, is determined to keep home trade at home, if selling some but the best of articles in his line at the lowest prices, will accomplish it.

BURNS AND BISHOP of all other small kind made and steadily kept on hand and sold at the lowest price by JAMES TURNBULL & CO. 1247

CALL AND EXAMINE THE 17663 articles for reference to mention, which are kept on hand at the VANCOUVER DRUG STORE, 4th Street near Main 1247.

Local Matters.

GOVT PROCEEDINGS.—We publish below a portion of the proceedings, which were omitted last week accidentally.

S. Kaiser vs. P. Karibala.—Continued for service.

O. H. Rolfe vs. Caroline Rolfe.—Dismissed at Plaintiff's cost.

R. C. Smith vs. Cowitts Lumber Steamboat Company.—Continued as per stipulation on file.

S. W. Brown vs. A. G. Tripp.—This case was for the third time tried by jury, but the jury failed to agree; hence the case was continued for another term.

J. S. Hathaway vs. E. Matthews.—Dismissed.

J. J. Henderson vs. J. Miles et al.—continued.

COMMON COUNCIL.—An ordinance was passed by the Council on Monday night providing for the organization of a Fire Department.

A chief engineer, two assistants and a Board of Delegates are to be elected on the first Monday of May, who are to govern the Department. The Department is to consist of Vancouver No. 1, General Allen No. 3 and Vigilant Hook and Ladder No. 1.

Each company elects three of its members and all of the members so chosen will constitute the Board of Delegates. The ordinance will be published next week, provided it receives the approval of the Mayor.

VIGILANCE No. 1.—This is the name of the new Hook and Ladder Company, that has been lately organized in this town.

The following named gentlemen are the officers elected for the present term: Wm. Baker, Foreman; W. H. McOrath, 1st Assistant; Chas. T. Sillie, 2d Assistant; H. Cochran, President; J. Battersby, Secretary; M. A. Tubbs, Treasurer.

We learn that the company will drill in conjunction with Vancouver No. 1, on Friday evening April 5th.

TO BE TRANSPORTED.—We understand that in pursuance of an order from the District Court, Sheriff Morse of this County will start on Monday for Stellacoom, for the purpose of conveying to the penitentiary at that place, Tom, Wilson, the notorious robber and desperado.

We would advise Mr. Judson, the Sheriff at Stellacoom, to provide himself with extra good shackles, handcuffs and other prison jewelry, as Wilson is in every respect a dangerous character and an expert in breaking jail.

A PEACEABLE FIGHT.—A couple of chancellors, in open defiance of the law for the maintenance of order, selected the corner of Bateman and Main Streets for the adjustment of some difficulty of a private nature.

A large crowd—such as a dog-fight or a cock-fight can gather, had assembled, and were waiting in breathless suspense the issue of a contest so well sustained on both sides.

At length a party who regarded the matter in a more humane light stepped forward and part of the combatants—whereupon a native of the Emerald Isle, of a decidedly sporting turn, exclaimed: "bad 'esse to ye what do you mane? Can't ye let them alone sure. Its but a peaceable fight there havin'."

PRIMARY MEETINGS.—On Saturday the Democrats of this precinct held their meeting and elected the following delegates to the County Convention, which meets to-day.

To wit:—M. Bateman, Joseph Petrain, Patrick Keegan, Patrick Healy, Patrick Buckley, W. Rees Anderson, J. Jamison, Jay D. Potter, D. B. Armstrong, G. W. Martin, G. W. Brady and S. A. Wheeler.

The Union men met on Monday and elected the following delegates to their Convention, which meets on Monday next:—Jos. H. Goddard, J. M. Fletcher, A. G. Tripp, S. R. Whipple, S. C. Achilles, Leander Matthews, I. I. Lancaster, Wm. B. Turnbull, Levi Farnsworth and J. E. C. Durgan.

ELECTED.—The following delegates were elected by the Walla Walla Union County Convention to represent that county in the Territorial Convention. D. S. Baker, J. F. Wood, A. Flanders, J. M. Hedrick and Anderson Cox. The four first named are understood to favor the nomination of Judge Wyche.

FAVORS.—We are again under obligations to S. J. McCormick for the latest files of Eastern papers and periodicals. Mr. McCormick is the special agent of nearly all the prominent papers and periodicals published in the Eastern States and on the Pacific Coast and can furnish them ahead of all other dealers—by mail or express—as desired.

TWO UNIMPROVED LOTS.—Two unimproved lots situate on the corner of Fourth and Main street in this town were sold last week for \$1,700 in coin. They were purchased by Dr. Wall, who intends to make permanent improvements thereon, probably during the ensuing season. This augurs well for the substantial prosperity of the town.

SMELT.—This delicate fish, which has never before been known to come up higher than Lewis River, has made its appearance off this city in large numbers. They can be caught by hand—evening, just after dark is the best time.

LARCENY.—The St. Charles Saloon of this place was entered on Tuesday night of this week and numerous articles were stolen therefrom. No clue to the thieves has been obtained.

FLOURISHING.—The Good Templars in this place are very successful in their laudable undertaking. We understand that both lodges are having frequent and numerous additions to their ranks by initiation. This town affords a good field for temperance institutions.

COUNTY PRACTICES.—The following named persons have been elected delegates to the several County Conventions to be held in this County:

Washougal Precinct—Ed. Gibbon, Jacob Wistler, Hiram Strong.

Fern Prairie Precinct—T. M. Coffey, W. Pyburn, R. Baxter.

Preston Precinct—H. D. Mason, Seneca Knight, Abner Armstrong.

Lackamas Precinct—G. Venatti, G. W. Proebstel, E. Hall.

Patterson Precinct—Geo. Thing, F. Shubert, J. Henry.

Washougal Precinct—Stephen Wright, J. Fletcher.

Fern Prairie—Lewis Van Vleet, Wm. Goodwin.

Preston Precinct—J. T. Lovelace, H. M. Knapp, J. Dubach.

Lackamas Precinct—T. J. Fletcher, T. J. Thornton.

Patterson Precinct—Arthur Quigley, B. W. Pickens.

Lancaster and Pollock Precincts have not yet been heard from.

WALL PAPER.—Messrs. Sohns and Schuele have just received one of the largest and best assortment of Wall Paper and Borders, that has ever been brought to this town.

Mr. Sohns himself is a practical painter and paper hanger and he has shown excellent judgment in making his selections. The above articles are for sale at very reasonable rates. Call and see them.

BLANKS.—Messrs. Jones, Turnbull & Co. have a first-rate assortment of blanks. The majority of the blanks sold by them may be used with perfect safety without any alteration, because they generally meet the requirements of our local statutes.

We would commend this fact to the special attention of Justices of the Peace and other county officers.

A General Court Martial, of which Gen. Elliot is President and Capt. Babbitt is Judge Advocate convened on Tuesday morning at this Post for the trial of 1st Lieut. Converse lately commanding Fort Walla Walla.

The general impression prevailing here seems to be, that the charges preferred against him are without foundation and that the incalculable facts are of a frivolous nature.

CONTRIBUTIONS.—Our fellow citizens and others interested in the cause of redeeming the Emerald Isle from the yoke of British tyranny have responded liberally to the call for relief made by the General Relief Committee. The sum of \$707 50 has already been paid into the hands of Dr. Wall, the local Treasurer of the Irish Relief Fund in this town.

ANOTHER RICHMOND IN THE FIELD.—The friends of Mr. G. W. Brady desire to present his name to the Firemen of Vancouver as a suitable candidate for Chief Engineer of this city. The election takes place on the first Monday in May next.

We were entertained on Thursday evening by a performance of the celebrated Congo Troupe. They well sustained the reputation which they have acquired in Portland. They will play again to-night. We advise every one who wishes to enjoy a good laugh to go and see them.

Irish Relief Fund. A meeting of the subscribers to the above cause will be held at the Young America Hall, on Wednesday evening, April 10th, 1867, at 7 1/2 o'clock. By request of the Collecting Committee.

The Union County Convention will meet at the Metropolitan Hall on Monday, April 8th, 1867, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

Columbia Lodge, No. 3, I. O. G. T. Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 1/2 o'clock at the New Hall, corner of Main and 10th streets. Members in good standing are invited to attend.

For Sale. Valuable Real Estate in the City of Vancouver.

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE Real Estate situate in the City of Vancouver will be sold at private sale upon reasonable terms:

Two lots on the corner of Fifth and Main streets, together with improvements thereon, being the corner occupied by a dwelling by S. Kaiser. This property is slightly located for business purposes, has a good well on the premises and is otherwise well improved.

Also the north half of fractional Block No. five situate on Main street, nearly opposite Durgan's new brick store and adjoining the proposed site for a city hall.

Also lot No. three in Block No. fifty-two in Mrs. Esther Short's survey of the city of Vancouver.

For terms and further particulars acquire of F. Dehn, Dallas City, or at the law office of H. U. Struve Vancouver, W. T., April 6, 1867. 19-1f.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE. Estate of Eberhard Schuk, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDER-SIGNED EXECUTRIX, of the above named estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within one year from the first publication of this notice to the undersigned at her residence in Clarke County, W. T.

And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. EMILIN SO: DH. Executrix of the last will and testament of Eberhard Schuk, deceased. By J. D. Porter, her Atty. Vancouver, March 14th, 1867.

HYGIENIST. Wm. H. Goddard, Hygienic Physician, and authorized agent and Lecturer for the "National Health Reform Association," has treated successfully the following cases of disease:

Dyspepsia, Brain Fever, Fever and Ague, Cough, Colic, Headache, Constipation of the bowels, Rheumatism, Pleurisy, Bone Pains, Flatulency, Cholera, Stricture, Syphilis, Gonorrhoea, Scalded Head, and what is more remarkable, he has not up to this time lost a single patient. Office at the UNION HOTEL, where persons coming from a distance for consultation, or treatment, may obtain good board and comfortable lodging.

REFERENCES.—Messrs. J. L. Rankin S. E. Whipple, M. R. Hathaway and L. Holmes Esq. Vancouver, April 6, 1867. 20-1f.

The Vancouver Harmonic Society hold their regular monthly meetings on the first Thursday evening of each month at 7 o'clock.

Vancouver Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F. Holds its regular meetings at their new Hall in Durgan's Brick Building, on Monday evenings at 7 1/2 o'clock. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. G.

Washington Lodge No. 4, A. F. & M.—Holds its Regular Communications on the first and third Saturdays of each month, at 7 1/2 o'clock p. m. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

REMOVAL. THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING REMOVED their entire stock of FURNITURE!! TO THEIR OWN NEW AND COMMODIOUS SALES-ROOMS, 67 First Street, Near Salmon Street.

WHERE, WITH AMPLER ROOM, THEY NOW invite the attention of the public to a Larger and Better Assortment!

Then ever presented before, and although situated a little way from the center of trade, they will, however, receive and GOODS FROM EASTERN MANUFACTURERS' DIRECT, they feel confident that it will repay themselves in goods cheap and.

BURGESS & SHIELDER. Portland, Nov. 12th, 1866. 12-1f.

DAVID WALL, Druggist, is determined to sell at prices as low as any drug store in Portland. He receives his importations direct from San Francisco.

NEW DRUG STORE. VANCOUVER, W. T. LAWRENCE KIDD, Proprietor.

The proprietor would respectfully announce to the citizens of Vancouver and vicinity, that he has just opened a new DRUG STORE on Main Street opposite Chas. Baker's Grocery, where he offers to those, who will honor him with their patronage a well selected stock of DRUGS.

CHEMICALS, PERFUMERY, EXTRACTS, ESSENTIAL OILS, HERBS and a complete assortment of all popular PATENT MEDICINES.

ALL KINDS OF BITTERS. The purest Wines and Liquors for medicinal purposes, in fact all articles generally kept in well stocked DRUG STORES.

Special attention paid to prescriptions of Physicians which are prepared of the purest drugs and carefully compounded. LAWRENCE KIDD, 12-1f.

IMPORTANT NEWS.—BY THE—ORIFLAMME!!

MAXIMILIAN has not left MEXICO, but he has Beggar all packed ready to start by the first MULE TRAIN.

SUNNER BARKER. Came up as a passenger, bringing with him a fine and well selected STOCK OF MERCHANDISE.

Bought in San Francisco for Cash, and shipped to the Columbia River for one dollar per ton and is now prepared and will sell goods, at his Store in Vancouver, on Main Street, opposite the Union Hotel, Cheaper than any House in Town, let him be.

"JEW OR GENTILE." Give us a call. S. BARKER. Vancouver, Jan. 5, 1867. 16-1f.

PRIVATE SCHOOL! On Monday April 8th, the undersigned will open a Private School in this place, proposing to teach all branches usually taught in:

HIGH SCHOOLS. Every effort will be made to advance pupils in morality and deportment as well as in Text Books, as they will at all times be under the immediate observation of Teachers or Professors.

TERMS: Per quarter in advance, \$5 00. An extra charge will be made for the higher Mathematics, Astronomy, Chemistry, Philosophy, Rhetoric, &c.

SPINK & HATHAWAY. Vancouver, W. T., March 16, 1867. 20-1f.

Important Notice. CITY OF VANCOUVER, W. T.

WHEREAS the following described Lots and Blocks of land situate in the City of Vancouver were sold at public auction by authority of the Common Council in A. D. 1860, to pay the delinquent taxes due thereon and whereas at said sale Wesley Van Schoyner became the purchaser thereof for the respective same heretofore stated. Now this is to notify all persons claiming to own said lots and blocks or any of them, to pay to the said Wesley Van Schoyner within one month from the date hereof the several sums due upon said lots and blocks together with ten per cent. per annum interest thereon from the date of said sale and that in default of such payment, within the time and in the manner hereto before stated, deeds will be executed by authority of the City Council of Vancouver, W. T., conveying to the said Wesley Van Schoyner all the said lots and blocks and interest which the said City had at the date of said sale and in such lots and blocks of land, for which payment has not been made, as hereto before prescribed:

No. of Lots. No. of Blocks. Amount paid. 41..... 20 00

42..... 4 00 43..... 4 00 44..... 4 00 45..... 4 00 46..... 4 00 47..... 4 00 48..... 4 00 49..... 4 00 50..... 4 00 51..... 4 00 52..... 4 00 53..... 4 00 54..... 4 00 55..... 4 00 56..... 4 00 57..... 4 00 58..... 4 00 59..... 4 00 60..... 4 00 61..... 4 00 62..... 4 00 63..... 4 00 64..... 4 00 65..... 4 00 66..... 4 00 67..... 4 00 68..... 4 00 69..... 4 00 70..... 4 00 71..... 4 00 72..... 4 00 73..... 4 00 74..... 4 00 75..... 4 00 76..... 4 00 77..... 4 00 78..... 4 00 79..... 4 00 80..... 4 00 81..... 4 00 82..... 4 00 83..... 4 00 84..... 4 00 85..... 4 00 86..... 4 00 87..... 4 00 88..... 4 00 89..... 4 00 90..... 4 00 91..... 4 00 92..... 4 00 93..... 4 00 94..... 4 00 95..... 4 00 96..... 4 00 97..... 4 00 98..... 4 00 99..... 4 00 100..... 4 00

By order of the Common Council. JOHN F. SMITH, City Recorder of Vancouver, W. T. Vancouver, March 30, 1867. 28-1f.

For Sale. THE undersigned offers for sale the following real estate, to wit:—Lots No. 3, 4 and 5, in Block No. 18. For particulars inquire of Weinhard & Dellinger, City Brewery, Portland, Oregon. 27-1f.

LUMBER. HEVINS' MILL, CLATSOP CO. W. T., March 30, 1867. } Mether Hollister: You will notify the Public that the Saw Mill is being and can furnish Lumber by the M. For particular inquire of a saw with Logging team at good wages. Permanent employment may be given. J. H. HETTER.

New Book, Stationery AND—GROCERY STORE!!

JONES, TURNBULL & CO. Main Street, Vancouver, W. T.

BOOKS, STATIONERY & NOTIONS, One door south of Crawford, Slocum & Co., Main Street, Vancouver, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of Vancouver, and the public generally, that they have just opened

A NEW STORE, And will constantly keep a general assortment of STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS, Blank Books, Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, & MISCELLANEOUS WORKS.

We will be in receipt, by each Steamer, of California and Eastern Papers, Periodicals, New Novels, and Light Reading.

SPECIAL ATTENTION Is called to our STOCK OF PICTURES We shall keep an excellent variety of FRAMES AND MOLDINGS

Window Shades. We have also on hand and will constantly keep A Fine Assortment of Wood & Willow Ware

MATTING, WINDOW GLASS, AND WALL PAPER. —ALSO— A general assortment of Groceries, comprising Sugars, Syrups, Tea, Coffee, Flour and Cornmeal, FLOUR, SALT, POTATOES, BUTTER, CANDIES, Wines and Liquors, Wholesale & Retail. And every thing else adapted to the trade. JONES, TURNBULL & CO.

GLORIOUS NEWS JOSEPH WISE Has come back to town again, and is at his old stand, corner of MAIN & BATEMAN STREETS, Where he will be happy to see his old customers and a great many new ones.

ROOM FOR ALL WHO WANT TO BUY CHEAP GOODS! MY WAY OF SELLING IS SMALL PROFITS AND QUICK SALES. I will take in exchange all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, the same as I used to. My stock consists of

Dry Goods, Clothing Hats and Caps, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, All kinds of Salem Goods, BOOTS AND SHOES OF ALL SORTS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE, And many other things too numerous to mention.

COME, ALL, AND SEE WISE AGAIN! HE HAS COME BACK THIS TIME TO STAY.

TO THE LADIES: I would say, Mrs. Wise will wait on them with all kinds of FANCY ARTICLES, LADIES' DRESS GOODS AND TRIMMINGS. Remember Wise at the old Corner Store. W

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS Having Demands on the Government, PENNIONS, PRIZE MONEY, BOUNTIES, PATENTS, PAY for Vouchers, Scrip, Back Pay, Lost Horse and Spoilation Claims, obtained by the undersigned—who will attend to all other business before the Department at Washington City.

C. M. CARTER, Claim Agent, Office—Corner of Alder and Front streets, PORTLAND, Oregon.

Williams Bros. St. Helens, Ogn. WHOLESALE & RETAIL DRY GOODS

AND—Grocery Merchants. We are receiving goods on every Steamer from San Francisco, and are able to sell all goods in our line.

CHEAPER Than anywhere on the Columbia River. We are paying the highest market price for

IN CASH For Butter and all kinds of country produce. WILLIAMS BROS. St. Helens. 11-1f.

JONES TURNBULL & CO. Have just received from San Francisco, A full and complete assortment of STATIONERY.

Consisting of LEGAL CAP, FOLIO CAP, LETTER and NOTE PAPER. Also all kinds of BLANKS and LEGAL FORMS, such as DEEDS, MORTGAGES, POWERS OF ATTORNEY, ACKNOWLEDGMENTS, BILLS OF SALE, PROBATE BLANKS, &c., &c., &c. Also Form Books for practical use.

The above articles have been selected with special reference to the local demands, and said Legal Blanks can be safely used under the laws of this Territory. Vancouver, Jan. 5, 1867. 16-1f.

CRAWFORD SLOCUM & CO., INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT THROUGH ALL THINGS change, they are still the same, yesterday, today, and to-morrow, and will be for some time in the future, selling

Any Amount of Goods, Importing Direct FROM SAN FRANCISCO AND THE EAST EXPRESSLY FOR THIS MARKET

Consisting of DRY GOODS Of all Kinds and Descriptions.

Embracing particularly A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF LADIES' DRESS GOODS Ready-Made Clothing For the Million, BLANKETS, CASSIMERES, Tweeds, Linseys, AND ANY AMOUNT OF HOSIERY HATS AND CAPS, Boots and Shoes, And all Kinds of Groceries,

Embracing particularly SUGARS, SYRUPS, COFFEE, TEA, RICE, SALT, Tobacco, Cigars, Salmon, Mackerel, Codfish, Corn-meal, &c., &c., &c. Flour always on Hand.

In addition to the above, we have a FEW other things, all of which we are bound to sell cheap, such as AN IMMENSE STOCK OF Crockery and Glassware, HARDWARE AND NAILS, WOODEN & WILLOW WARE, Patent Medicines, OILS, PERFUMERIES, &c., &c.

PITCH, TAR, ROSIN, TURPENTINE, OAKUM, Salt, Lime, CEMENT, AND CHOICE LIQUORS or Medical Uses, ALWAYS ON HAND.

We have all of the above, and about a thousand other things, which must be sold immediately to make room for more.

CRAWFORD, SLOCUM & CO., Cor. Main and Third Streets, VANCOUVER, W. T. Sept. 11, 1866.—11-1f.

YOUNG AMERICA SALOON! MAIN STREET, VANCOUVER. F. O'KEANE, - PROPRIETOR.

THIS POPULAR PLACE HAS NOW BECOME A Fixed Institution, celebrated for the gentleness of its Wines, LIQUORS, and CIGARS.

PAPERS OF THE LATEST DATES ALWAYS ON HAND.

The Proprietor has, at considerable expense, fitted up this Saloon for the accommodation of the Public, and as it is the Largest, most Central, and best Lighted Saloon in this City, he flatters himself that all "or any other man"—who may call in to see him will not go away dissatisfied.

A Splendid assortment of goods consisting in part of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, PICKLES, PRESERVES, JELLIES, —in short, everything last

Man Struck By Lightning

With the exceedingly low price asked for goods of such excellent quality. They are determined that in the matter of fair dealing and strict attention to business they will not be outdone.

Women, or child can need. They flatter themselves that any person who will call and examine their stock of goods will at once be

JOHNSON, or "any other man." They make no charge for showing goods, but if you buy nothing else, just try one little worth of Shedd's

SOHNS AND SCHUELE. 11-1f.

Dress Goods. The undersigned have added to their stock of groceries a Splendid Assortment of DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, &c., &c. To which they invite the attention of their old customers and the public generally.

JONES TURNBULL & CO. OFFICE—Corner of FRONT and ALDER STREETS, Entrance on ALDER STREET, PORTLAND, OREGON. WORK DONE AT NEW YORK PRICES.

G. W. COOL, DENTIST. OFFICE—Corner of FRONT and ALDER STREETS, Entrance on ALDER STREET, PORTLAND, OREGON. WORK DONE AT NEW YORK PRICES.

S. KAISER Is not Dead, as was supposed, But has just returned from San Francisco with a carefully and well selected and immense Stock of MERCHANDISE!

Which he is now opening and which he will sell at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES At his Old Stand on Main Street, Adjoining Alder & Stager's Meat Market.

He has a well selected Stock of READY MADE CLOTHING! ALL KINDS OF COAT Varying in price from \$7 to \$40, and PANTS, VESTS, AND SHIRT To suit all classes of Customers.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS! OF ALL KINDS AND DESCRIPTIONS, Embracing the latest and most desirable styles of German, English, French, Scotch, & AMERICAN MANUFACTURE.

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CITY BAKERY —AND— Confectionery. JOHN MANEY

Keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of BREAD, CAKES, PIES and Crockery of all kinds. Also a good assortment of GROCERIES AND FRUITS, of all kinds. Fancy Cakes made at short notice. Vancouver, Nov. 16, 1866. 9-1f.

J. F. SMITH, Main Street, Vancouver, W. T. Has just returned from San Francisco with a large assortment of new goods, which he offers for sale lower than Portland rates. Consisting of Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes, Matches, Playing Cards, Cutlery, Port Monies, Perfumeries, Combs, Brushes, Fishing Tackle, Toys, Fly and Lemerick Hooks, Silk and Other Lines, Fancy Goods, Also, Powder, Shot, Lead, Powder Flasks, Confectionery and many other articles, too numerous to mention. ALL KINDS OF FRUIT KEPT ON HAND. A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF FAMILY GROCERIES. Special attention is called to my fine assortment of Toys and Tobacco. Vancouver, Oct. 12, 1866.—24-1f.

PORTLAND PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING ESTABLISHMENT, No. 110 First Street. ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM THE EAST—Cooking Ranges, Hot Water Boilers, Copper, Tin, and Plumber's Bath Tubs; Square and angular Black Walnut Copper-Bath Marble Wash Stands; Cold and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS; SILVER-PLATED BABY CUCKERS; MARBLE WASH-BASINS; PUMPS AND LIFT PUMPS; HYDRAULIC RAMS; NON-FREEZING HYDRANTS; WATER CL-SISTS, &c., &c. Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Brass, would do well to give me a call. Portland, Jan. 9, 1867. C. H. NYEHS.

Come and See Them! THE CELEBRATED MIRROR JACK, (BETTER known as the Angel Jack,) will stand the present season two miles East of Vancouver. Also a Sun three year old Humboldt Colt.

All those who wish FINE FAST and FANCY stock, would do well to come and see him; or those who wish GOVT. STAMPS, SUBSTANTIAL and LONG EARLED stock, call at the same place. A. W. N.Y. Vancouver, March 3, 1867.

Terms of the above Advertisement. The Colt will stand at \$25 for impurities and \$15 for impurities. The Jack will stand at \$15 for impurities and \$10 for impurities. The Mirror will stand at \$10 for impurities and \$5 for impurities. The Angel Jack will stand at \$5 for impurities and \$2 for impurities. The Sun will stand at \$2 for impurities and \$1 for impurities. The Humboldt Colt will stand at \$1 for impurities and \$0 for impurities.

Farm and Household.

VARNISH FOR SHOES—It is a bad plan to grease the upper leather of shoes for the purpose of keeping them soft; it rots the leather and admits dampness more readily. It is better to make a varnish of gum shellac broken up in small pieces, in a quart bottle or jug cover it with alcohol, cork it tight, and put it on a shelf in a warm place, shake it well several times a day, then add a piece of gum camphor as large as a hen egg; shake it well and in a few hours shake it again, and add one ounce of lamp black; if the alcohol is good it will be dissolved in three days, then shake and use. If it gets too thick add alcohol—pour out two or three teaspoonfuls in a saucer, and apply it with a small paint brush. If the material is all good it will dry in five minutes and will be removed only by wearing it off, giving a gloss almost equal to patent leather. The advantage of this preparation above others is, it does not strike into the leather and make it hard, but remains on the surface and yet excludes the water almost perfectly. This same preparation is admirable for harness, and does not soil when touched, as lamp black preparations do.

CURE FOR COLIC IN HORSES.—A turf man furnishes the following to the Rural World: A great many valuable horses are annually killed by being drenched by various medicines recommended by quacks. Let me tell your readers the best remedy for either flatulent or spasmodic colic that I have ever seen tried. It is to give copious injections of warm water to move the bowels, and when that is done your horse is safe. I have seen many horses cured by this treatment, and none killed. All so treated have speedily recovered. If drenching will be persisting in, take a handful of ground ginger and put it in a quart of water and let it boil for 15 minutes, and when it cools, pour it down the throat of the horse. This warms the stomach and bowels and is an excellent remedy. Let any person violently attacked with colic, drink ginger tea, thus prepared, and he will find speedy relief. And what is good for man is sickness is good for a horse, as well as a horse and medicine good for the disease of a man is good for the disease of the other—the world over.

CIDER VINEGAR.—The quickest way to make cider vinegar, says a writer in the New York Tribune, is to teach the cider through an open barrel filled with shavings of some tasteless wood; let it drip slowly through the atmosphere—the farther it falls the better. Whisky and water treated the same way, makes very good "cider" vinegar. He says also that an article called "cider vinegar," eagerly sought for and purchased by persons in some localities—because it is sharp—is probably nothing more than diluted muriatic acid.

CARBONATE OF SODA.—A new process for producing this in Great Britain by Mr. Walter Wellen is in vogue in this country. It consists in equal equivalents of common salt and carbonate of magnesia, with a small quantity of water, and pumping into the vessel carbonate acid, formed by passing atmospheric air over ignited coal. The carbonate thus becomes the bicarbonate of magnesia, which dissolves in water and thus decomposes the chloride of sodium. The chlorine unites with magnesium, forming chloride of magnesium and at the same time liberates soda in form of precipitated soda. The whole process lasts but a quarter of an hour. A moderate heat drives off the second atom of carbonic acid thus changing the bicarbonate into carbonate of soda. By evaporating the solution of chloride of magnesium to dryness, and raising it nearly to a red heat, the chloride is driven off and magnesium is formed. America now imports every year several million dollars worth of carbonate of soda from England, where it is made by the use of common salt, sulphuric acid, and charcoal. It is estimated that the production of soda in Oregon is valued at \$1,000,000 annually.

ANALYSIS FOR TUBERCULAR CONSUMPTION.—Mo K'any, the French Consul in China, remarks that the people of that country mingle a resin in their smoking tobacco. This practice has been observed by other writers; and the smokers are said to be healthy and stout, with powerful lungs, etc. The publication of this statement in France called out a letter from Dr. Londe, who announced that a discussion of medical men some years ago upon the agents to be employed for tubercular consumption, he had found only one to be successful, arsenic taken in the way of smoking. If this is an established fact, some one ought to explain the matter definitely.

ORIGIN OF ANTHRACITE.—Dr. Percy F. R. S., in his recent lecture on the Chemical Geology—after describing the formation of Daney, in breccia, which subjected fragments of firewood, in a close tub with water, to a high temperature and pressure, and thus transformed the wood into a black mass having a bright lustre and resembling anthracite—proceeds to say: "It has long been supposed that bituminous coal is converted into anthracite simply by application of heat; but a method more than this is required to satisfy the conditions, for if it were simply a matter of heat we ought to get not anthracite, but coke, also a proportionate increase in the quantity of fixed organic matter, or ash, in the coal. It seemed to him there must have been some other condition in order to account for the conversion of bituminous coal into anthracite. He believed that water played an important part in this conversion, that anthracite has been the result of thermodynamic or hydro-thermic action; and that water has in some way or other removed to a large extent the inorganic matter or ash.

STRENGTH OF GROWING TREES.—An English paper says Walton Hall had at one time its own corn mill, and when that inconvenient necessity no longer existed, the millstone was laid by in an orchard and forgotten. The diameter of the circular stone measured five feet and a half, while its depth averaged seven inches throughout; its central hole had a diameter of eleven inches. By mere accident, some bird or squirrel had dropped the fruit of the fibret tree through this hole on to the earth, and in 1812 the seedling was seen rising up through the unworked channel. As its trunk gradually grew through this aperture and increased, its power to raise the ponderous mass of stone was speculated upon by many. Would the fibret tree die in the field? Would it burst the mill stone? or would it lift it? In the end, the little fibret tree lifted the millstone, and in 1863 wore it like a crinoline about its trunk, and Mr. Waterson used to sit upon it under the branching shade.

The Maine House of Representatives has refused to repeal the law prohibiting intermarriage of blacks and whites.

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MARBLE'S MILL. ANSEL'S MARBLE WOULD RESPECTFULLY INVITE the patron that he is now prepared at his NEW MILL, six miles north of Vancouver, in Salmon Creek, to grind all grain brought to his mill, in a superior manner at the lowest working order, and he always accomplishes what he undertakes or promises to do. He is also prepared to saw at his mill and deliver any amount of superior ROUGH LUMBER for as low prices as can be bought for in this market. His machinery is in excellent working order, and he always accomplishes what he undertakes or promises to do. A share of the public patronage is respectfully solicited. ANSEL S. MARBLE, Proprietor, Sept. 22, 1866.

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REPRESENTATION ON ALL CLASSES OF DESIRABLE PROPERTY at rates consistent with safety and security, without any charge of Brokerage, Commission, or otherwise, by the establishment of two witnesses, that of the land holder and entered by you under the Homestead Act, and the other half of the north-east quarter of the same, and the Homestead Act, in Township No. one north of Range No. six east, has been received by the United States, by reason of some failure in complying with the requirements of the said Homestead Act. The amount of interest on this note is to give you an opportunity of being paid and re-examining the same, if you desire to do so. JOHN PEARSON, Dated March 11, 1867.

YOUNG AMERICA. SPECIAL NOTICE. This is to notify all persons indebted to me, that I have closed all my accounts and must meet upon the payment of the several accounts due me before the 15th day of March A. D. 1867. All accounts unpaid at that date, will be advertised and sold publicly to the highest bidder for cash. P. O'KEANE, Vancouver, Feb. 16, 1867.

CITY BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY! If you want a pair of BOOTS made, of good material and good workmanship, and a good fit, give the undersigned a call at his OLD STAND on Main Street, at the sign of the BIG BOOT, and he will guarantee that you get the worth of your money. N. B.—Repairing done with neatness and dispatch. E. J. MOORE, Vancouver, Dec. 5, 1866.

Lumber!! SOME 60,000 feet of rough LUMBER, of a good merchantable quality for sale at Vancouver by Feb. 9, 1867. H. G. STRUBE.

FLORENCE SEWING MACHINE COMPANY.

Florence, - Massachusetts, MANUFACTURERS OF THE CELEBRATED REVERSIBLE FEED SEWING MACHINES! Making Four Distinct Stitches. WHILE a large number of Machines have been offered to the Public, some of which possess points of excellence and acknowledged merit, we have long felt that others have experienced, the real reality of a Machine more perfect in its mechanical structure, combining in the highest degree simplicity and durability, and while capable of doing a greater range of work, one that could be easily understood and comprehended by all. To supply a deficiency, we have had no recourse to others, but have seen to it that we had not only to surpass others as they appeared your age, but also to surpass them in time, by more recent experience. We claim to have accomplished by the liberal expenditure of capital, and the patient, laboring labor of years; and in presenting our Machine to the public, we shall make strong assertions respecting its merits, which we are prepared to substantiate in every particular. Involving the Great and Long, or Knot stitch, we adopt the Lock Stitch, (slit on both sides of the fabric), which is regarded by the masses as best suited to all kinds of work. But the most objection sometimes urged against this favorite stitch, we have added the Knot, Double Lock and Double Knot, either of which is stronger and more elastic than the other, thus enabling the operator to select a stitch perfectly suited to every grade of fabric, and where necessary new seams much stronger than it is possible to do by hand. The FLORENCE makes four different stitches with as much ease as ordinary Machines make one, and work as fast as any. The result of repeated tests has been we could desire, and from its first introduction the FLORENCE has gained in favor, and been regarded as a household necessity, proving that the public fully appreciate the utility, beauty, and durability of the FLORENCE. The following advantages over any other Sewing Machine: 1. It makes four different stitches, Lock, Knot, Double Lock and Double Knot, on one and the same Machine. Each stitch being alike on both sides of the fabric. 2. Every Machine has the reversible foot motion, which enables the operator, by simply turning a thumb screw, to have the work run either to the right or left, to stay any part of the seam, or to turn the ends of seams, without stopping the fabric. 3. Changing the length of stitch, and from one kind of stitch to another, can readily be done while the Machine is in motion. 4. The needle is easily adjusted. 5. It is almost noiseless, and can be used where quiet is necessary. 6. It is all positive; there are no springs to get out of order, and its simplicity enables the most inexperienced to operate it. 7. It does not require fine thread in the under thread, but will run on the coarsest of threads, without change of needle, tension, or breaking thread. 8. The tension is easily adjusted, and will turn any width of hem desired. 9. No other Machine will do so great a range of work as the FLORENCE. 10. It will hem, gather, fell, bind, blind, quilt, and gather, and sew on a ruffle at the same time. 11. The taking up and setting down of the fabric is performed by the irregular contraction of a wire coil or uncertain operation of wire levers. The precision and accuracy with which the FLORENCE draws the thread into the cloth, is unsurpassed in any Sewing Machine hitherto offered in the market. 12. We furnish each Machine with "Barrow's Self Sewer," which guides the work itself, and is of incalculable value, especially to inexperienced operators. 13. It is fully patented and licensed by Elias Howe, Jr., and his associates, and our own Letters Patent. While possessing the above and many other advantages, the FLORENCE is sold at corresponding prices with other first class Machines, and a careful examination will fully convince you that all we have claimed for it, and justify the assertion we now make, that it is the best Sewing Machine in the world. We warrant every Machine to be all that we claim for it, and will give a written warranty. Further references may be had by addressing J. L. FARRISH & Co., Agents, Portland, Oregon.

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Wool! Wool!! 25,000 POUNDS OF WOOL WANTED For which the highest market price will be paid by CHAWFORD, ALCOUM & CO CIGARS. O'NEILL'S BRAND always on hand at JONES & TURNBULL'S. Lard. LARD OF THE BEST QUALITY IN THE TOWN OF CARRS AT JONES & TURNBULL'S. Fish. MACKEREL AND CODDING of the best quality always on hand at JONES & TURNBULL'S. PAINTS AND OILS, VARNISH AND BRUSHES and all kinds of Paints and Brushes just received by Messrs. From San Francisco by DAVID WALL, Vancouver Drug Store 13-17. DOMESTIC DIES of all varieties for sale by the undersigned, cheap, to which due attention is invited by DAVID WALL, Vancouver Drug Store, 13-17.

WASHINGTON HOTEL! Cor. 6th & Main Sts., VANCOUVER, W. T.

Joseph Brant, Proprietor. THIS WELL KNOWN HOUSE HAS JUST BEEN enlarged and thoroughly renovated in every department. The Proprietor announces to the Traveling public with confidence and pleasure, that he is now prepared to entertain all who use, give him a call, to their entire satisfaction. THE PARLORS AND SLEEPING APARTMENTS Are fitted up in an elegant manner, and furnished with special reference to the Comfort of Guests. A First Class Piano will at all times be found in the Ladies Parlor. Carriages (and drivers, if desired) are always ready for hire, at reasonable rates.

METROPOLIS HALL

IN CONNECTION WITH THE ABOVE HOUSE, is still in running order, and fitted up in a superior style for Public Assemblies, Theatricals, a number of the best Stage, Society, Court, and all necessary accommodations. A First Class Piano and such other Musical Instruments as may be desired in connection with Plays, Musical Entertainment will at all times be in readiness for the use of the Hall. Vancouver, Sept. 7, 1866.—11-17.

UNION HOTEL, (FORMERLY KEPT BY M. HERR.) J. L. RANKIN, PROPRIETOR.

THIS WELL KNOWN HOTEL IS STILL OPEN at the reception of Guests. The Proprietor, by special attention to the comfort of his Guest, hopes to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage. TERMS: BOARD AND LODGING per week \$10.00 NO BED PER DAY " 1.00 SINGLE MEALS " 25.00 LODGING " 1.00 ALL BAGGAGE CAREFULLY TAKEN CARE OF. Vancouver, Oct. 27, 1865.—8-17

OYSTERS. CAPT. W. BAKER. OYSTERS, Oysters in Every Style MEALS AT ALL HOURS FROM 6 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING TO 12 AT NIGHT Board by the day or week. The table is supplied, at all times, with the best market affords. Families Supplied with Oysters, IN THE SHELL OR OUT. W. Baker. Vancouver, Aug. 20, 1865.—11-17.

ALTA HOUSE! VANCOUVER, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING JUST PURCHASED the above Hotel, and repaired and renovated it in all its departments, is now prepared to entertain the traveling public, just as last things ought to be done. It is the Proprietor's intention to satisfy every reasonable patron, both as to accommodations and charges. The ALTA HOUSE is situated on the river bank, convenient to the Steamboat landing. A. RIGGS, Prop. Vancouver, Sept. 11, 1866.—11-17.

WHAT CHEERHOUSE No. 126, 128 & 130, Front Street, PORTLAND, OREGON. M. O'CONNOR, Proprietor.

THE LARGEST, CHEAPEST, AND BEST HOUSE in Oregon. Can accommodate 1000 persons. Superior accommodations for Families. Board and Lodging, per week \$10.00 Baggage taken to the House Free of Charge. Portland, Sept. 4, 1866.—11-17.

BENNETT HOUSE, SALEM, OREGON. L. JAY S. TURNER.

HAVING leased the above named Hotel, I prepared to accommodate the traveling public, and also accommodate boarders, in as good style as any House on the coast. He has determined to make the "Bennett" a good and comfortable place for the traveler to stop in. He will now complete some important improvements, which will add greatly to its appearance and comfort, and intends to merit and hope to receive his share of patronage. He has secured the services of "Charles" (known to be the best cook in Salem, and one of the best in the West country) and other competent persons to manage the culinary department, and is resolved to see that a table can be laid out where not to disappoint, pump and show, sumptuous and fine furniture, but in an abundant supply of the very best market affords. His Barroom will be kept well stocked and lighted, and well supplied with newspapers, periodicals and other suitable reading matter, and kept in a manner which will make it an agreeable resort. In short, he intends making an effort to please all who stop at the BENNETT HOUSE. And he most respectfully requests his friends everywhere to give the old and well known stand at least one more trial before concluding they can do as well elsewhere, and promises if they are not well treated, and properly cared for, and of reasonable prices, it will not be the fault of the public's most obedient and most humble servant. L. JAY S. TURNER. N. B.—Furnished rooms with or without board, by the day, week or month, at the Bennett, cheap and moderate. L. J. S. T. Salem, Oregon, Nov. 12, 1866. 11-17

Vancouver House. Foot of Main St., opposite the Steamboat Landing, Vancouver, W. T.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs leave to inform the public, that he has lately opened the above named house, and is now ready to receive guests. His table will be well supplied and he has very superior accommodations for lodging. The house has been thoroughly renovated and enlarged and being conveniently located near the steamer landing, commands a view particularly to the transient customer. The proprietor's strict attention to the comfort of his patrons hopes to receive a due share of the public patronage. H. REINHARDT, Proprietor, 17-18

Blacksmithing. THE UNDERSIGNED, TAKE THIS METHOD OF Informing the Public generally and the rest of mankind in particular, that they may be found at all seasons of the working day or night, at THE OLD AND WELL KNOWN SIGN.

GOR. FIFTH AND MAIN STREETS, VANCOUVER, Where they are prepared to do all kinds of BLACKSMITHING, with neatness and dispatch. Particular Attention paid to Shoeing. All kinds of Wagon and Carriage Ironing done in the best style. Plows, Mill Irons, Edge Tools, &c., made to order. S. HARRIS, EDWARD. Vancouver, Sept. 23, 1866.—11-17.

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