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and all other things necessary to constitute a  
**Tip-top Saloon.**  
(Give him a call and satisfy yourselves of the truth of the  
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Sept. 22, 1866. 147.

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and can furnish Lumber by the M.  
Wanted immediately a man with a Logging team and  
wheat wages. Permanent employment may be given.  
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**HOW THEY DID IT.**  
They were sitting side by side,  
And he sighed, and then she sighed.  
Said he, "My darling girl!"  
And he smiled, and then she smiled.  
"You are crabbit's bells, ah!"  
And he belloved, and she belloved.  
"On my soul there's such a weight!"  
And he waited, and she waited.  
"Your hand, Jack, so hold I'm grown!"  
And he groaned, and then she groaned.  
"You shall have your private gig!"  
And he giggled, and she giggled.  
Said she, "My dearest Luke!"  
And he looked and then she looked.  
"I'd have thee if thou wilt!"  
And he willed, and then she willed.

**TROUBLE ABOUT THE "YELLOW  
MEN" IN KENTUCKY.**  
Communication from Gen. Brislin.

**RECRUITING OFFICE,**  
LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 10.  
General James F. Wade, Superintendent Re-  
cruiting, New Orleans La.:  
GENERAL:—My attention has been called to  
the order of the War Department, dated  
Washington, January 25, 1866, forbidding  
recruiting officers hereafter to enlist boys under  
the age of twenty-one, without the consent of  
the parent or guardian. It will be almost  
impossible to comply strictly with this order  
in the enlistment of men for the colored regi-  
ments. A great many colored men, like  
Topsy, say they have no parent; yet I suppose  
the War Department will consider that all  
men have parents somewhere, and require  
the certificate on the enlistment paper to be  
filled up. I should like to be instructed also  
whether I am to put down the putative father  
of a yellow colored man, or the actual parent;  
for you must know that colored men in Ken-  
tucky frequently have three parents as well  
as sometimes none at all. To obtain the consent  
of the persons whom yellow men often say  
are their parents would, I fear, be so delicate  
and difficult a matter that I should have my  
bones broken in the attempt. Besides the  
official information I am obliged to furnish,  
under the order of the 22d of January,  
would, I am quite sure, should it ever find  
its way into the domestic circle, sadly dis-  
turb the peace of many of the first families  
of Kentucky. I do not like to make an official  
record of amalgamation against my  
Southern brethren, because it may found  
ground for future actions at law against  
them. When the colored people become, as  
they will, a part of the law-making power  
of the United States, they may legalize and  
legitimize their birth, and sue for a share  
of their father's estate; or they may bring  
action for damages to their character, for it  
certainly is a great damage to force a man  
into the world, and then deny him.

I am astonished that slavery should ever  
have been a cause for war, for, strange  
as it may appear, it is nevertheless actually  
true, that the people of the South, as well as  
those of the North, have for a long time been  
engaged in the work of emancipation. It is  
true that the methods of emancipation differed  
somewhat, those of the North proposing to  
abolish negro slavery by legislation, those of  
the South proposing to fade it out by infusing  
white blood and brains into the negro race.  
Of the two plans that of the North was un-  
doubtedly the most honorable, while that of  
the South was the most agreeable to the feel-  
ings and prejudices of those people South who  
were controlled by an organization known as  
the "Democratic party." The Democratic  
law of slavery gave the master absolute con-  
trol over the body of his slave, so that every  
slave girl or woman was at all times subject  
to the caprice, lust, pleasure or brutality of  
the master; and that the master did not scruple  
to use his power, even to the mingling of  
his blood with that of his slave, as well as  
evidenced by the mixed condition of the popu-  
lation here as well as elsewhere through-  
out the South. Although this disgusting and  
unjust plan of abolition has long been known  
to the people of the South, yet they do not  
consider it disgraceful, and inasmuch as it  
was undertaken by many of them in good  
faith, I do not think it right that we should  
now unlearn and parade the matter to their  
discredit or make it a disadvantage to  
them by forming ground for future actions at  
law against them. I have therefore to ask  
that you will represent the case to the De-  
partment of War, and urge that the order of  
the 25th of January may not be enforced so  
far as it relates to the enlistment of yellow  
men for the colored regiments.

Very respectfully,  
Your most obedient servant,  
JAMES S. BRISLIN,  
U. S. A. Recruiting Officer.

**INDIANS TO WATCH INDIANS.**—The Sioux  
delegation, from Fort Wadsworth, now in  
Washington, propose to guarantee by treaty  
the safety of travel, of the transportation of  
the mails and of supplies through the country  
claimed by them, and also the safety of the  
frontier settlements in Minnesota from all  
degradations from hostile Sioux Indians;  
provided the Government will authorize the  
organization of not less than two hundred  
and fifty men belonging to their bands, un-  
der an officer satisfactory to the Indians, to  
be appointed by the President for that pur-  
pose.

The compensation they require for their  
services they put at sixty dollars per month  
and rations for themselves and families, and  
grain rations for their horses, the Indians  
furnishing their own arms, ammunition, trans-  
portation, horses, and equipments of every  
kind, thus making the actual cost of the or-  
ganization but little, if any, greater than  
that of the same number of troops of the  
cavalry arm of the service, while their effec-  
tiveness repelling attacks or punishing depreda-  
tions of hostile Indians is far greater than  
that of the ordinary cavalry soldier.

These Indians have been used very suc-  
cessfully as scouts for the past few years, and  
their services have been highly spoken of in  
connection with the protection of the Min-  
nesota frontier, and the prompt punishment of  
hostile Indians attempting to reach the set-  
tlements, and we think this move is in the  
right direction to secure a permanent peace  
between the tribes now hostile to the whites  
and blocking the avenues of travel and trade  
over the great prairies of the West.

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE CLARKE CO.  
DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.**  
The Convention assembled at the Court  
House in Vancouver at 1 o'clock p. m., April  
6th, and was called to order by Jay D. Pot-  
ter, Esq., Chairman of the Democratic Cen-  
tral Committee. Mr. Knapp was chosen  
temporary chairman and D. B. Armstrong  
temporary Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Pollock, a Committee  
on Credentials was appointed, consisting of  
the following gentlemen: John Pollock, J.  
T. Lovelace, L. Van Vleet. On motion of  
Mr. Van Vleet the Convention took a recess  
of an hour.

The Convention re-assembled at 2 o'clock  
p. m. Mr. Knapp in the chair.  
On motion of Mr. Van Vleet the editor of  
the REGISTER was invited to a seat within the  
bar for the purpose of reporting the proceed-  
ings.

Mr. Pollock submitted a report from the  
Committee on Credentials, reporting that the  
following named persons were entitled to  
seats in the Convention, to wit:  
Pollock Precinct—J. Pollock, A. A. Bra-  
zee by Jay D. Potter proxy.  
Lancaster Precinct—O. W. Bozarth, G.  
Kinder.  
Patterson Precinct—A. Quigley, B. W.  
Pickens.  
Preston Precinct—H. M. Knapp, J. T. Lovel-  
ace, J. Dubach.  
Fern Prairie Precinct—Louis Van Vleet, W.  
Goodwin.  
Washougal Precinct—J. M. Fletcher, Steve  
Wright.

Vancouver Precinct—P. Healy, P. Keegan,  
D. B. Armstrong, W. R. Anderson, S. A.  
Wheeler, J. D. Potter, G. W. Brady, G. W.  
Martin, J. Petrain, P. Buckley, J. Jamieson,  
N. Bateman.  
Lackamas Precinct—E. T. J. Thornton,  
T. J. Fletcher.  
The Committee further reported, that they  
believed Mr. Fletcher, although elected by  
the voters of Lackamas was not a resident of  
the precinct and they therefore recommended  
that Mr. Jacob Proebstel cast the vote of the  
precinct in lieu of Mr. Fletcher.

Mr. Potter moved to adopt the report.  
Mr. Fletcher obtained the floor and con-  
tended that the Committee had no authority  
to go behind his certificate of election; that  
the people of Lackamas had the right to  
claim any representative they saw fit, whether  
he was a resident or not; that neither the  
Convention nor the Committee had the right  
to interfere with the rights of the people; that  
he was fairly elected by a unanimous  
vote of the Democrats in the precinct; that  
he was a resident of the Precinct and that  
this report was a preconcerted movement to  
keep him out of a seat in the Convention.

Mr. Potter made a lengthy argument to  
show that a non-resident had no right to be  
elected to represent a precinct in the Con-  
vention.  
Mr. Knapp thought the Committee had  
exceeded their authority; their duty was sim-  
ply to report, who had been elected in the  
several precincts, and not pass upon the qual-  
ifications of the delegates.  
Mr. Van Vleet said that the county was  
almost on the verge of bankruptcy and that  
it demanded the united efforts of all good  
citizens to save it from ruin. He thought  
that the delegates should consist of good sub-  
stantial tax payers, who had an interest in  
the county, and not transient citizens. He  
was satisfied that Mr. Fletcher was not a res-  
ident of the precinct and therefore should not  
be admitted, notwithstanding he had been  
elected.

Mr. Fletcher denied that he was a non-res-  
ident and challenged any gentleman to tell  
where his residence was, if not at Lackamas.  
He certainly had a residence somewhere in  
Clark County and he was certain, that he  
boarded and lodged in Lackamas precinct—  
He thought it very injurious to allow Mr.  
Potter, a resident of Vancouver, to represent  
in part Pollock precinct, when he had not  
even been elected, but merely held a proxy,  
and that he should be excluded. He was not  
a transient citizen, but identified with the  
interests of the county and paid as much tax-  
es as Mr. Potter or any other man. He  
would move an amendment, that the report  
be adopted except that portion which exclud-  
ed him as a delegate from Lackamas.  
The amendment was not seconded and the  
report of the Committee was adopted.  
Mr. T. J. Fletcher then presented a proxy  
from J. M. Fletcher, a delegate from Wash-  
ougal precinct giving him authority to rep-  
resent that precinct in the Convention.  
A motion was made to admit Mr. Fletcher,  
to which an amendment was offered by Mr.  
Van Vleet, allowing Mr. Fletcher only the  
vote of J. M. Fletcher and not of Mr. Wright  
the other delegate, who was absent.  
Here a lively discussion commenced be-  
tween Messrs. Van Vleet, Potter, Fletcher  
and others, which was summarily ended by  
the voluntary withdrawal of Mr. Fletcher  
from the Convention.  
The Roll was then called and all were  
found to be present, except the Washougal  
delegates.  
Mr. Van Vleet moved that Mr. Goodwin of  
Fern Prairie precinct be authorized to cast  
the two votes, to which Washougal was en-

titled.  
Motion decided in the negative, the eyes  
and nose having been demanded and called,  
resulted as follows: Ayes—Bozarth, Kinder,  
Pollock, Pickens, Quigley, Lovelace, Dubach,  
Knapp, Van Vleet, Petrain, Thornton and  
Proebstel. 12. Nays—Brazee, Goodwin,  
Healy, Brady, Armstrong, Jamieson, Potter,  
Keegan, Anderson, Bateman, Martin Whee-  
ler and Buckley. 13.  
The Convention then proceeded to a perma-  
nent organization by electing Louis Van  
Vleet as chairman, who upon assuming the  
chair, made a short address.  
Mr. Knapp was elected permanent Secre-  
tary.

Mr. Potter moved that the Convention pro-  
ceed to elect six delegates to the Territorial  
Convention to be held at Vancouver on April  
17 inst., the mode of election to be by ballot  
and that all of the six delegates be elected at  
the same time.  
Mr. Buckley moved to amend, so that the  
Convention should elect separately, one at a  
time.  
The amendment was lost and the original  
motion of Mr. Potter carried.  
No nominations were made.  
The Convention then proceeded to ballot  
for delegates. Messrs. Pollock and Bozarth  
were appointed tellers. The following was  
the result of the first ballot:

Geo. Grooms received	13 votes
P. Healy	14 "
J. D. Potter	13 "
J. Powell	13 "
H. L. Caples	13 "
L. Van Vleet	19 "
J. Pollock	10 "
O. W. Bozarth	11 "
P. A. Hera	11 "
J. Petrain	10 "
J. T. Lovelace	11 "
H. M. Knapp	4 "

Whole number of votes cast were twenty-five  
Messrs. Grooms, Healy, Powell, Caples, Pot-  
ter and Van Vleet having each received a  
majority of all the votes cast, were declared  
duly elected delegates to the Territorial Con-  
vention.  
Motions were made to instruct the delegates  
to vote for A. J. Lawrence and C. Lancaster  
as the first choice of the Convention for De-  
legate to Congress, but the motions were lost,  
one of the delegates (Van Vleet) emphati-  
cally declaring that he would resign if in-  
structed in any way; that he would go to the  
Territorial Convention, untrammelled and un-  
fettered or else not at all.

N. B.—The delegates are generally under-  
stood to favor A. J. Lawrence; at least a ma-  
jority of them do.—Editor REGISTER.  
On motion of Mr. Knapp, the delegates to  
the Territorial Convention were instructed to  
nominate candidates for Prosecuting Attor-  
ney and Joint Councilmen in conjunction  
with other Territorial delegates properly be-  
longing to the same Judicial and the several  
Council districts.  
On motion of Mr. Knapp, Mr. A. F. Dav-  
id, of Clark County, was declared to be the  
preference of this Convention as candidate  
for Joint Clerkman in the District compris-  
ing Clark, Skamania, Klickitat and Yakima  
Counties.

The Convention then proceeded to ballot  
for Representatives to the Legislative Assem-  
bly, one at a time. The first ballot resulted  
as follows:  
A. W. Nye.....11 votes.  
Peter Fox.....8  
H. C. Morse.....1  
O. W. Bozarth.....1  
A. Knight.....2  
There was no election.  
Mr. Potter moved to nominate representa-  
tives viva voce—carried.

On the 2d ballot Mr. A. W. Nye having  
received a majority of all the votes cast was  
declared nominated as one of the Representa-  
tives.  
Those voting for Mr. Nye were—  
Bozarth, Kinder, Pollock, Lovelace, Du-  
bach, Knapp, Van Vleet, Goodwin, Brady,  
Armstrong, Anderson, Martin, Wheeler,  
Thornton, Proebstel—15.  
Those voting for Mr. Fox were—  
Brazee, Pickens, Quigley, Healey, Jamieson,  
Potter, Keegan, Bateman, Petrain,  
Buckley—10.  
Mr. J. Pollock and A. A. Brazee were  
then placed in nomination from the lower  
end of the County and Mr. Pollock having  
received a majority of all the votes cast was  
declared nominated.

H. M. Knapp was nominated from the up-  
per portion of the County as Representative  
and having received a majority of the votes  
was declared nominated.  
The Convention then proceeded to vote for  
Sheriff by written ballot. Mr. C. H. Han-  
der, H. L. Caples, and A. L. Coffee were  
placed in nomination. The following was  
the result:  
1st ballot 2d 3d  
C. H. Hander 11 11 11  
H. L. Caples 9 12 14  
A. L. Coffee 4 3 3  
After the 2d ballot Mr. Coffee withdrew—  
Upon the 3d ballot Mr. Caples having receiv-  
ed a majority of all the votes cast was de-  
clared nominated for Sheriff.  
The following gentlemen after ballot being  
had were declared nominated as County Com-  
missioners: Lewis Van Vleet, J. T. Love-

lace, Riley Bartlett.  
The vote for Probate Judge stood as fol-  
lows:  
Those voting for Mr. Petrain were—  
Bozarth, Kinder, Pollock, Pickens, Quig-  
ley, Lovelace, Dubach, Knapp, Goodwin,  
Healey, Brady, Jamieson, Keegan, Bate-  
man, Martin, Wheeler, Buckley by Petrain  
proxy, Thornton, Proebstel.  
Those voting for Mr. C. F. Short were—  
Brazee by Potter proxy, Brady, Armstrong,  
Jamieson, Potter, Anderson, Petrain.  
Mr. Petrain was declared nominated.  
Mr. John Corless having received a majori-  
ty of all the votes cast, was declared nomi-  
nated as candidate for Assessor.  
Mr. P. A. Spink was nominated School Su-  
perintendent.

The Convention then proceeded to the nomi-  
nation of Auditor with the following result:  
Those voting for Mr. P. A. Hera were—  
Bozarth, Kinder, Braze, Pollock, Pickens,  
Quigley, Lovelace, Dubach, Knapp, Good-  
win, Healey, Brady, Jamieson, Keegan, Bate-  
man, Martin, Wheeler, Buckley—18.  
Those voting for Mr. Spink were—  
Van Vleet, Armstrong, Potter, Anderson,  
Petrain, Proebstel—7.  
Mr. A. Hera was declared nominated for  
Auditor.

The balance of the ticket was filled up as  
follows, each of the candidates having re-  
ceived a majority of the votes cast:  
For Treasurer—Michael Wintler.  
" Coroner—Patrick Healey.  
" County Surveyor—T. J. Thornton.  
On motion the proceedings of the Con-  
vention were ordered published in the VANCOUVER  
REGISTER and the Oregon Herald.

Mr. Potter moved the appointment by the  
chairman of a County Central Committee for  
the ensuing year. Motion carried and the  
following named gentlemen were appointed:  
J. Petrain, J. Pollock, O. W. Bozarth, B.  
W. Pickens, J. Proebstel, J. T. Lovelace,  
Wm. Goodwin and Stephen Wright.  
On motion the Convention adjourned sine  
die.

**A ROMANTIC COURTSHIP.**—A very roman-  
tic courtship, followed by marriage, is related  
to have begun in one of the "New Year"  
booths of Paris, once on a time, only about  
six years ago. A lady very young and very  
beautiful, was suddenly left a widow and  
peniless, with two children. The idea  
struck her that she, as well as others, might  
succeed in obtaining money enough to feed  
and warm her little family for the trying  
months of the year by sitting up a stall. She  
obtained the necessary authorization, bought  
a quantity of dolls, etc., and bravely took  
her place behind her little counter. Her  
booth was situated near a restaurant, and it  
chanced—it always chanced—that a gentle-  
man of fortune had lately selected this res-  
taurant to take his dinner. The lady remark-  
ed several days in succession, that the gen-  
tleman in question made a great many pur-  
chases, but supposed that he must have a  
number of little friends to please. On the  
last day the gentleman bought the whole re-  
maining stock of the young widow, request-  
ing permission to go home with her to make  
presents to her children, and the result of  
the visit was a friendship, a courtship and a  
marriage, when the lady's year of mourning had  
transpired. The lady, wishing to perpetuate  
the memory of her first meeting with her  
husband, gives every year a magnificent chil-  
dren's fête at her hotel in the Avenue de  
l'Imperatrice, the principal feature of which  
is a booth in gilded boards built in the mid-  
dle of the saloon, from whence she herself  
distributes New Year's gifts to a circle of  
happy children. This is one of the bright  
pictures of Paris.

**TERRIBLE SCENE TO A MOTHER.**—The Cin-  
cinnati Enquirer of the 23d says: "On yester-  
day morning, when the train on the Cin-  
cinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railway was  
coming in, and just as it was about to pass  
the crossing at the Upper Mill creek bridge,  
the conductor saw a small child right upon  
the crossing. An immediate check was im-  
possible, but he whistled down the brakes  
and reversed his engine. At that moment  
the mother of the child emerged from a house  
at the side of the track, expecting to see her  
darling crushed beneath the wheels of the  
approaching engine. The speed of the train  
was gradually slackening, but the distance  
was only a few yards, and it seemed impos-  
sible to check it in time to save the child,  
who seemed fastened to the track and made  
no attempt to move from the approaching  
danger. The engine went on and on; the  
cow catcher struck the child and knocked it  
across the track, but the momentum of the  
train was counteracted just as the wheels  
touched the clothing of the little one. A few  
inches farther, and it would have been  
crushed and mangled. The mother caught  
the child in her arms, and when she found  
it was still alive and comparatively unharmed,  
her mother's feelings of joy were too great,  
and she swooned entirely away.

The skeletons of a horse and its rider and  
a long, rust-eaten lance lying close by, have  
been discovered in the midst of a tuft of  
bushes of extraordinary thickness in the for-  
est of Cinglais, near Caen, France. An ex-  
amination has led to the conclusion that the  
remains are those of a Crusader and his steed  
that perished during the invasion of France  
in 1815. The supposition is that the animal  
being wounded, fell with its rider into the  
thicket, which lies low, and that they were  
unable to extricate themselves.

Concerning Barnum and his Congressional  
aspirations a Connecticut paper says that  
"sawing a monkey's head and a fish's tail to-  
gether, to make a mermaid, is a performance  
well calculated to make a man notorious, but  
it affords no evidence of statesmanship."  
The postage on drop letters, according to  
law, is only one cent.

**MISCELLANEOUS.**  
**THE POPE.**—A letter from Rome says:  
"Pio Nino does not seem to have grown de-  
crepit during the past few years, and I no-  
tice but little change in his personal ap-  
pearance since I saw him four winters ago. He  
appears a hale and vigorous old man; his  
age is like a lustrous winter, frosty but kindly." He  
is dignified and even majestic in his bearing,  
and seems benignant and gentle in his  
expression.

**RESTORED.**—The Duke de Mouchy, who  
married some months ago the Princess Murat,  
a relative of the imperial family, has been  
restored by the queen of Spain to all his titles  
as first grandee of Spain; a compliment to  
the Empress Eugenie.

**QUEEN EMMA.**—Queen Emma held a gen-  
eral reception on the afternoon of Nov. 21,  
and announced her intention in a way some-  
what novel for royalty, viz., by advertise-  
ment, as follows: General reception—Queen  
Emma, in celebration of her safe return from  
her visit to Europe and America, will hold a  
grand general reception at her residence,  
corner of Nassau and Beretania streets, on  
Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 21, between the  
hours of four and six o'clock. Sans cere-  
monie.

**THE KING AND THE TAILOR.**—A Berlin pa-  
per has the following: "The king and the  
princes have returned from their shooting  
excursion at Dessau. His majesty, during  
his visit, was received at the entrance of a  
village by the principal inhabitants, pre-  
ceded by the schoolmaster, charged to deliver  
an address. The document, being well drawn  
up, was very graciously listened to, and the  
king shortly afterwards asked for a copy,  
as his majesty wished to preserve it. The  
schoolmaster, greatly pleased, drew from his  
pocket of a new coat which he wore a paper  
and handed it to his majesty, who, on open-  
ing it, exclaimed with a smile, '19 thalers 20  
groshen! I promise you the bill shall be  
punctually paid. The schoolmaster in the  
confusion of his joy had handed the king  
the tailor's bill, left in the pocket of the new  
coat."

Paris has no lace curtains large enough  
for the White House at Washington, and  
some are being made to order.  
Among the plants destroyed by the fire at  
the Washington Conservatory was a Sage  
Palm which was planted by General Wash-  
ington.  
Seventeen of the principal business men of  
Boscobel, Iowa, have pledged themselves  
by a written bond, under one hundred dollars  
forfeiture, not to drink any more liquor, nor  
swear, play poker, or sledge, billiards, or  
other idle games. What a terrible set of fel-  
lows "the principal business men" of Boscobel  
must have been heretofore.

**A WARRIOR.**—A correspondent of the Den-  
ver News, writing from Julesburg, gives a  
description of the daring young Indian Chief  
Red Cloud, who is to command the Sioux  
Cheyennes, Arapahoes and other tribes in  
the coming campaign. He is described as  
being six feet in height, straight as an arrow  
and as "fine a horseman as the world can  
produce." Gen. Augur, who is to command the  
pale faces, has a foeman worthy of his  
steed.  
A woman in Elgin (C. E.), a few nights  
since, heard a dog barking furiously at the  
door. She followed the animal about a quar-  
ter of a mile through the snow and found her  
father dying from exhaustion and exposure.  
The dog would scarcely allow any one to ap-  
proach the body.

The secretary of the Treasury recently sent  
to Congress, in reply to a resolution as to  
what amount of the debt due by the United  
States to the State of Texas, previous to the  
rebellion, yet remains unpaid, that the sum  
of \$371,000 of the principal of the Texan  
indemnity bonds remain unpaid, with an un-  
known amount of interest coupons. Of these  
bonds \$1 are in the Department where they  
were deposited by an agent of the late Pro-  
visional Government of the State. None of the  
remaining \$370 are believed to be in the pos-  
session of the State authorities or under their  
control.

The Mobile Times says that in the last  
storm "the last remaining traces of the pas-  
sage through the obstructions have been swept  
away, and that to-day our whole shipping  
is exposed to perpetual dangers. The  
"Camel," which was one of the reconnoitering  
points of our mariners, has been floated off  
far away, and at night or during the pre-  
valence of a fog the valuable steamers which  
remain within our waters are in constant dan-  
ger of being run on the hidden piles which  
were intended to protect their approach." It  
urges prompt action by the city govern-  
ment, and thinks that the steamboat com-  
panies would contribute liberally.  
A colored boy in Norfolk, Va., bears one of  
the most singular marks Dame Nature  
has ever placed upon the form of human  
species. Each finger nail on the right hand  
is the exact counterpart of an oyster shell  
The crustaceous covering of the bivalve is  
perfectly represented in shape, color, and the  
rough appearance that the outer surface of  
the oyster shell usually presents. The boy  
was born and raised in the oyster district,  
and bears the evidence of his nativity on his  
fingers.  
An interesting libel case was decided in the  
superior court in Cincinnati, on February  
1st. The Daily Times' in an article published  
in November last, printed the words  
"bawdy house" by mistake for boarding  
house. The plaintiff, Cox, keeper of the  
house, complained to the publisher, and the  
mistake was rectified next day, and apology  
made for the error. Nevertheless, the plain-  
tiff brought suit three days later. The jury  
returned a verdict for the plaintiff, but  
assessed the damages at only one cent.  
The African Methodist Episcopal Confer-  
ence of Virginia, at the recent session at Pe-  
tersburg, Va., adopted a report on the "state  
of the country," in which this passage oc-  
curs: "In very many of the districts of the  
country, where the dependence of the colored  
people upon the white, and the white upon  
the colored, has been so complete, good feel-  
ings exist toward us and efforts to-day are  
making over our white brethren in the South-  
ern States to benefit us, religiously and other-  
wise."  
Atlanta, Georgia, has a population of 10,  
000, 700 of whom are widows.

AGENTS FOR THE REGISTER:

L. F. FISHER, San Francisco.
S. H. HARRIS, Salem.
J. H. MUNSON, Olympia.
W. S. PORTER, Seattle.
J. C. G. BELLEFAY, Walla Walla.
JAMES JONES, Walla Walla.
HEBERTIAN CAPLES, St. Helena.

PUGET SOUND AND COLUMBIA RIVER.

As an abstract proposition it makes no difference, whether the territorial delegate to Congress, to be elected by our people next June, comes from Puget Sound, Walla Walla or this section of the Territory. There are good honest and competent men residing in all the various sections, who if elected would faithfully discharge their duties and properly represent the whole Territory in our national councils.

Such a man the interests of our people require, and therefore so far as their interests are concerned, the local habitation of the candidate would properly be considered a matter of indifference. But it is fair and just at the same time, that the honors, profits and emoluments of high office should not be monopolized almost exclusively by any one geographical division, but be equally enjoyed by all the various portions of the Territory.

By common consent and understanding there exist two divisions in this Territory. The one comprises all the counties bordering on the waters of Puget Sound and the other embraces those bordering on the Columbia river. The Seat of Government is located on Puget Sound and it may be safely assumed, that five-fifths of the Federal patronage, which forms in our sparsely populated Territory no inconsiderable portion of our sources of revenue, is exclusively enjoyed by the Puget Sound people.

The two divisions contain a population about equal in number, taking as a basis the election returns, yet the Puget Sound people have unjustly and improperly a larger representation in our local Legislature. With a knowledge of these facts, the people of this section and Walla Walla manifest a strong and growing feeling, that the delegate to be elected this year, shall not be chosen from Puget Sound.

This Territory has now been organized for some 14 years and during that period, the delegates to Congress have been chosen as follows:
FROM PUGET SOUND.
From 1855-57 J. Patten Anderson.
" 1857-59 I. I. Stevens.
" 1859-61 I. I. Stevens.
" 1861-63 W. H. Wallace.
" 1863-65 A. A. Denny.

FROM ALL OTHER PORTIONS OF THE TERRITORY.
From 1855-55 C. Lancaster.
" 1863-65 Geo. E. Cole.
It will be seen at a glance, that the division of the perquisites of that office has been a very unfair one to us, as Puget Sound has had it ten out of fourteen years. We understand that at this time the candidates from Puget Sound are very numerous and we have little doubt, from the disposition manifested, but what one from that section would be nominated if all their votes could be united upon one man, in which event they have the strength to do so.

But we give fair warning and in doing so, we but express the general sentiment of the people of this section irrespective of party, that if one Convention or the other, both, take their men from the Sound, there will be huge dissatisfaction on the part of the river men, which even the strength of political party ties and associations cannot suppress. We can all vote as we please at the polls and votes are counted alike all over the Territory. Our people are entitled to the lion they ask; if it is not given them, there will be some talk shaking up and rattling of dry bones, if we are not mistaken.

AN UNWARRANTED ASSUMPTION.—"You can't please every one" in journalism any more than in keeping hotel. In many instances, especially with neutral papers, the objections are identically the same: "Too hot," says one of an article which we may have taken special pains to render palatable to the most sensitive swallow. "Too cold," says another. "That remark is not well reasoned." "It's too fiery, too much pepper, for my taste." "It's too milk and waterish; it lacks (fattie) salt," and so on. Any one who may imagine they can give every one satisfaction, even in the conduct of a neutral paper, will discover upon trial that it is an unwarranted assumption.

Klickitat County Union Convention.
According to public notice the Union men assembled at Rockland, on the 10th of April, to select a delegate to represent Klickitat and Yakima counties in the Union Territorial Convention to be held at Vancouver on the 10th day of April.
On motion Amos Stark was elected Chairman and James H. Jenkins Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins Wm. Connel was elected a delegate to the Union Convention at Vancouver, and it was resolved that the delegate be instructed to vote for Judge J. E. Wyche for Delegate to Congress and to use all proper efforts for his nomination.
On motion the proceedings of this Convention be published in the Vancouver Register and Dalles Mountaineer.
On motion the meeting adjourned.
A STARK, Chairman.
J. H. JENKINS, Secretary.
April 10, 1867.

A New Governor.—A private letter from Washington to Governor Ballard, of Idaho, contains the news, that a Mr. Ward, of Kentucky, a brother of Gov. M. L. Ward, of New Jersey, has been appointed and confirmed as Governor of this Territory, vice Geo. E. Cole, rejected by the Senate. The new Governor is a Radical Union man in politics, which fact, however, was not known to the President at the time of the appointment. We state this upon the authority of Judge Cummins, of Idaho.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CLARK CO. UNION CONVENTION.

The Convention met at the Metropolitan Hall, Vancouver, on Monday, April 8th, and was called to order by H. Cochran, Esq., Chairman of the Central Committee.
On motion J. M. Fletcher was elected Chairman and H. G. Struve was elected Secretary.

Mr. Henry moved the appointment of a Committee of Credentials, one from each precinct, except Fern Prairie, in which precinct there were two acts of delegates, each claiming seats.
Motion carried and the following committee was appointed by the chair: S. C. Achilles, Geo. Thing, J. Bartlett, M. Webb, E. M. Hall, S. D. Mazon, E. Gibbons.
Mr. Henry moved the appointment of a committee to prepare and submit an order of business for the Convention. Carried.

The following committee was appointed: S. R. Whipple, O. P. Henry, Jacob Wintler, G. E. Venatti, A. Armstrong.
Mr. Lockwood moved the appointment of a Committee on Resolutions. Carried, and the following Committee was appointed: R. M. Lockwood, W. R. Turnbull, G. W. Probstel, A. G. Tripp, F. Shubert.
Mr. Mazon moved that the Convention take a recess until 1 o'clock, p. m. Motion carried.

Convention re-assembled at 1 o'clock p. m. Mr. Fletcher in the chair.
Mr. Whipple submitted the following report on behalf of the Credentials Committee:
Mr. President: Your Committee would respectfully submit the following, as the order of business for this Convention:
1st. Report of Committee on Credentials.
2d. Resolutions.
3d. The election of three (3) delegates to the Territorial Union Convention.

4th. Nomination of officers in the following order: Two Joint Councilmen, three Representatives, one Prosecuting Attorney, 24 Judicial District, one Sheriff, one Probate Judge, three County Commissioners, one County Auditor, one County Treasurer, one School Superintendent, one Coroner, one Assessor, one Surveyor.
5th. Nominations for Precinct officers to be made respectively by the delegates from the different precincts.
6th. Election of a County Central Committee.
Respectfully submitted,
S. R. WHIPPLE, Chairman of Committee.

Mr. Knight moved to adopt the Report.—Motion carried.
Mr. Mazon submitted the report of the Committee on Credentials, reporting the following named gentlemen entitled to seats in the Convention:
Vancouver Precinct—J. H. Goddard, J. M. Fletcher, A. G. Tripp, L. Matthews, J. E. C. Durgan, I. I. Lancaster, S. R. Whipple, W. R. Turnbull, S. C. Achilles, L. Farnsworth.
Preston Precinct—S. D. Mazon, A. Armstrong, S. Knight.
Washougal Precinct—J. Wintler, E. Gibbons, H. Strong.
Luckamas Precinct—E. M. Hall, G. W. Probstel, G. E. Venatti.

Fern Prairie Precinct—E. D. Dale, J. Probstel, S. W. Beal.
Patterson Precinct—Geo. Thing, F. Shubert, O. P. Henry.
Pollock Precinct—J. Bartlett, R. M. Lockwood, J. S. Kelly.
Lancaster Precinct—M. Webb, A. B. Cilly, A. Gilson by M. Webb proxy.
Mr. Henry moved the adoption of the report. Motion carried, ayes, 29—noes, 2.
Mr. Lockwood reported the following from the Committee on Resolutions:
WHEREAS, it is customary for political Conventions to express their political sentiments, etc., therefore

Resolved, That the Union Convention of Clark County assembled at Vancouver, declares itself emphatically in favor of the reconstruction policy of Congress—decidedly preferring it to that other, popularly known as "my policy."
Resolved, That the deplorably bad financial condition of our County, calls upon us to provide a cure, so far as the same may be effected by the nomination of honest, faithful and competent men, whereto we pledge our undivided support.
Resolutions adopted on motion of Mr. Beal.

Mr. Hiram Strong from Washougal Precinct being absent, Mr. E. Gibbons was instructed to cast his vote.
Mr. Beal moved to proceed to the election of delegates to the Territorial Union Convention, mode of election to be voted upon. Motion carried.
The following is the result of the balloting for delegates:
S. D. Mazon received 28 votes.
R. M. Lockwood " 30 "
J. M. Fletcher " 18 "
Jas. A. Orr " 12 "
Lewis Love " 2 "
J. Bartlett " 1 "

Messrs. Mazon, Lockwood and Fletcher, having each received a majority of all the votes cast were declared duly elected delegates.
Mr. Farnsworth introduced the following resolution:
Resolved, That this Convention concedes to the Union men of Skamania, Clackit and Yakima counties, the right to nominate a Joint Councilman and that the Union party of Clark County will cordially support the person selected for that position by the Union men of the aforesaid counties.
Resolution unanimously adopted.
Mr. Whipple introduced the following resolution:
Resolved, That H. G. Struve is the choice of this Convention for Councilman in the lower Council District and that the delegates from the counties of Cowlitz, Waiakum and Pacific to the Territorial Union Convention are earnestly requested to ratify this nomination.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.
Mr. Durgan moved that all the other officers be nominated by ballot and that a majority of all the votes cast should be necessary to constitute a nomination. Carried.
Messrs. Knight, Hall and Beal were appointed as tellers.
Nominations were then made for Representatives and the following was the result of the final balloting:
G. W. Jones received 17 votes
H. Cochran " 19 "
O. P. Henry " 18 "
A. G. Tripp " 10 "
J. Bartlett " 12 "
A. Armstrong " 10 "
S. Knight " 3 "
S. C. Achilles " 1 "
Scattering " 3 "

Messrs. Jones, Cochran and Henry having each received a majority of all the votes cast, were declared duly nominated for the office of Representatives.
Mr. Jacob Wintler introduced the following resolution:
Resolved, That our delegates to the Territorial Union Convention are hereby authorized to nominate a suitable candidate for Prosecuting Attorney, in conjunction with the delegates in said Convention from the 2d Judicial District, W. T.

Resolution unanimously adopted.
Mr. G. W. Durgan was nominated for Sheriff.
On motion Mr. Durgan was invited to come within the bar and define his position. Mr. Durgan came forward, defined his political status and successfully refuted certain charges made against him. His frank and candid remarks elicited much applause and upon motion the rules were suspended and Mr. Durgan was unanimously nominated by acclamation as candidate for Sheriff.
Messrs. Douthit, Dale and Malsbury were placed in nomination for Probate Judge.
The following was the result of the balloting:
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Levi Douthit 12 16
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M. R. Hathaway 4 2

Upon the second ballot Mr. Douthit having received a majority of all the votes cast, was declared duly nominated.
The balance of the ticket was filled up as follows, each of the candidates having received a majority of all the votes cast:
For County Commissioners—John Probstel, Lewis Love, F. Lee Lewis.
For County Treasurer—David Schuele.
For School Superintendent—David Wall.
For Assessor—Seneca Knight.
For Auditor—Levi Farnsworth.
For Coroner—M. Shea.
For Surveyor—Alex M. Andrew.
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For Constables—John H. Walsh, M. Dampheffer.

The Convention then proceeded to the election of a County Central Committee for the year 1867 with the following result:
H. G. Struve, Geo. Thing, Joseph Gaither, I. Q. Austin, E. M. Hall, Seneca Knight, John Probstel, E. Gibbons.
After divers and sundry speeches made by delegates and others, the Convention adjourned.
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POLITICAL ITEMS.

The Walla Walla Democratic County Convention elected the following named delegates to the Territorial Convention: W. A. Ball, S. W. Babcox, S. Linkton, Jesse Drumheller, Joseph Hancock, Eugene Howard, W. P. Horton, W. M. McCool, Hugh D. O'Drury, M. Baker.

The Convention also adopted unanimously the following resolution:
Resolved, That W. G. Langford is our choice as a candidate for Delegate to Congress. And that our delegation to the Territorial Convention is hereby instructed to use all honorable endeavors, consistent with the harmony of the Democratic party, to effect his nomination.

The following named gentlemen have been elected delegates to the same Convention from the different counties in the Territory:
Pierce County—S. Judson, W. R. Downey, Sam. McCaw, E. A. Light.
Lewis County—Michael T. Simmons, J. R. Jackson.
Kitap County—Messrs. Collins, Condon, Clancy and Bowers.
Clam County—H. Heckert, S. F. Scott.
Mason County—E. A. Wilson.
Whateam County—W. King Lear, John Plaster.

The persons hereafter named have been elected delegates to the Union Convention.—We have not heard from all the counties in the Territory:
King County—J. R. Watson, C. Clymer.
Kitap County—M. S. Drew, W. K. Temple.
Spahamish—E. C. Ferguson.
Island—Hill Harmon.
Whateam—E. Eldridge.
Clam—Henry A. Webster.
Jefferson—J. R. Kennedy, W. Snyder.
Clark—J. M. Fletcher, S. D. Mazon, R. M. Lockwood.
Walla Walla—D. S. Baker, J. F. Wood, A. Cox, J. M. Hedrick, A. Flauders.

List of Subscribers to the Irish Relief Fund.
CASH.
P. O'Keane, \$100.00. P. Buckley & wife, \$50.00.
David Wall, 25.00. J. McNeil & wife, 25.00.
P. O'Keane, 25.00. Lawrence Kidd, 25.00.
John Healy, 25.00. Peter Hogan, 25.00.
Patrick Healy, 25.00. J. T. Maroney, 25.00.
James G. Kelly, 25.00. J. W. Keenan, 25.00.
Patrick Keegan, 10.00. M. O'Connell, 10.00.
L. Kivona, 5.00. F. Case, 5.00.
John Murphy, 5.00. E. Corcoran, 10.00.
Friend, 5.00. J. Stevens, 15.00.
Michael Shea, 5.00. J. Condon, 15.00.
R. J. Moore, 5.00. Peter Fox, 10.00.
Friend, 5.00. P. Connor, 10.00.
Friend, 5.00. J. Lynch, 10.00.
C. E. Stegert, 5.00. John O'Keane, 15.00.
W. T. Jackson, 5.00. Dr. Tolson, 7.00.
E. Johnson, 5.00. J. T. Maroney, 15.00.
Joseph Wilson, 5.00. J. Union, 5.00.
Mark Dillon, 5.00. H. G. Struve, 5.00.
James A. Turnbull, 5.00. J. Stevens, 5.00.
H. B. Wood, 5.00. A. O'Leary, 5.00.
Friend, 5.00. Brumfield & Egg, 5.00.
T. Devlin, 5.00. Thomas Redmond, 5.00.
John Morrow, 5.00. Charles Lawling, 5.00.
Joseph Brandt, 5.00. James J., 5.00.
E. M. Conley, 5.00. Thomas Redmond, 5.00.
C. H. Hamer, 5.00. William Curtis, 5.00.
A. J. Conroy, 5.00. Friend, 5.00.
T. McDonald, 5.00. J. F. Smith, 5.00.
M. McGuire, 5.00. Friend, 5.00.
M. A. Bartlesley, 5.00. Friend, 5.00.

Two fishes came through the pump of the new artesian well at Newway, Wis., a few days ago. The well is one hundred and seventy feet deep, about the whole distance, and closely filled at the top with a force pump, so that the fishes can come from nowhere but at the depth underground. They are about two inches long, nearly white, and do not resemble any variety common in these waters. One of them was injured coming through the pump and died, the other is alive. There was no indication of having struck a stream when the well was finished, although the water came in inexhaustible quantities, accompanied by exceedingly fine sand.

Dan Rice remitted, in settlement of an account with a newspaper out West, a three dollar bill which was returned endorsed. This note is counterfeit; please send another. It was two months before Dan replied, when he apologized for the delay, saying he had been unable "until now to get another counterfeit three-dollar bill," but he hoped that the one he now enclosed would suit, professing at the same time his inability to discover what the objection was to the other, which he thought as good a counterfeit as he ever saw.

A young man in Paris, who wanted to drown his dog, took him in a boat and threw him overboard. While pushing the animal from the boat with his oar he fell overboard, and would have drowned had not his dog held him up till assistance came.

(ORDINANCE NO. 29.)

An Ordinance to Organize the Fire Department of the City of Vancouver.
Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Vancouver.

Section 1st. The Fire Department of the City of Vancouver, shall consist of one Chief Engineer, two Assistant Engineers, one Hook and Ladder Company, and one or more Fire Engine Companies, who shall be admitted into the Department, in the manner hereinafter prescribed. Provided, That every Fire Engine, or Hook and Ladder Company organized at the date of the passage of this Ordinance, shall, upon conforming to the requirements of this Ordinance be admitted into the Department.

Sec. 2d. There shall be an election held on the first Monday in May, 1867, for the officers named in the preceding section, each of whom shall hold their office for one year, and until their successors shall be duly elected and qualified, which election shall be conducted by three judges, appointed for that purpose by the Common Council. The said judges shall before entering upon the discharge of their duties, subscribe to an oath or affirmation before the City Recorder to faithfully and impartially perform their duty as such judges, and when so qualified they shall appoint two Clerks of election. The voting shall be by ballot. The polls shall be opened at two o'clock p. m., and close at six o'clock p. m., and immediately upon the closing of the polls, the judges shall proceed to count the votes, and the person who shall have received the greatest number of votes for the office he shall have been voted for, shall be declared duly elected, and the judges shall certify the result of the election to the Common Council, by whom all cases of contested election shall be finally decided. Provided, That no person shall be entitled to vote at said election who shall not have been a member of some organized fire engine, or hook and ladder company, for at least eight days immediately preceding said election. Each person elected shall receive a certificate of election signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the company by whom he was elected, upon presentation of which to the City Recorder, the said Recorder shall administer to him an oath or affirmation to faithfully discharge the duties of his office, which oath or affirmation subscribed by said person, and filed in the office of the Recorder.

Sec. 3d. Each fire engine or hook and ladder company shall at the regular meeting next preceding the first Monday in May, 1867, and on the same day in every year thereafter elect, each fire engine company three, and each hook and ladder company two, of its members, to represent their respective companies in a Board of Delegates. Each person elected shall receive a certificate of election signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the company by whom he was elected, upon presentation of which to the City Recorder, the said Recorder shall administer to him an oath or affirmation to faithfully discharge the duties of his office, which oath or affirmation subscribed by said person, and filed in the office of the Recorder.

Sec. 4th. When elected and qualified as provided in the preceding section, the said Board of Delegates shall assemble on the second Monday in May, 1867, and proceed to organize by the election from their own number, a President, Secretary, and Treasurer, who shall thereafter be known as the President, Secretary and Treasurer of the Fire Department.
Sec. 5th. The said Board of Delegates shall have the power to fix the time and place of holding its regular and special meetings, to make rules and regulations for its own government, and for the government of the Fire Department, and any rule or regulation established by the said Board, shall be valid and binding upon each and every member of the Fire Department. Provided, That such rule or regulation be not in conflict with the laws of this Territory or the ordinances of this City.

Sec. 6th. All elections for Chief, or Assistant Engineers held after the first Monday in May, 1867, shall be called by the Board of Delegates, and shall appoint three judges of election, (and if there be three or more companies belonging to the Department, not more than one judge of election shall be selected from the same company,) and shall prescribe the time of opening and closing of the polls, and the qualifications of voters. Each judge of election shall before acting as such, qualify in the manner prescribed in the second Sec. of this Ordinance, and at the close of each election they shall certify the result to the Board of Delegates, by whom all cases of contested election shall be finally determined, and in case two or more persons shall receive an equal number of votes for the same office, the Board of Delegates shall decide by vote as to which of them shall hold the office. A majority of all of the members of the Board of Delegates shall be necessary to form a quorum, all voting shall be by ballot, and a majority of all the votes cast shall be necessary to the decision of any question.

Sec. 7th. The Chief and Assistant Engineers shall before entering upon the duties of their respective offices, subscribe to an oath or affirmation before the City Recorder to faithfully perform the duties of their respective offices, and shall thereupon be entitled to certificates of election signed by the President and Secretary of the Department. Provided, That no person shall be entitled to hold any office in said Department, who is not of the full age of twenty-one years nor unless he has been a member of the Department for at least sixty days next preceding the day of his election. But this restriction shall not apply to any charter member of any organized company at the date of the passage of this Ordinance.

Sec. 8th. Whenever from any cause, a vacancy occurs in the office of Chief Engineer, the Board of Delegates shall call a special election to fill such vacancy, and should a vacancy occur in the office of First Assistant Engineer, the Second Assistant Engineer shall succeed to his office, and the Board of Delegates shall elect a Second Assistant Engineer, and whenever any vacancy occurs in the office of Delegates, the proper company shall elect one of their number to fill the vacancy.

Sec. 9th. Any officer or member of the Fire Department who shall violate any rule or regulation lawfully established by the Board of Delegates, or who shall refuse to obey any lawful order of the Chief, or either of the Assistant Engineers, shall upon written complaint, and not less than two (2) days notice, be tried by the Board, and if found guilty, shall be censured, suspended, removed from office, or expelled from the Department, at the discretion of a majority of the Board, and the said Board shall in like manner hear and determine any complaint between two or more companies, or between members of different companies, and in all such cases the action of the Board shall be final, and all of the proceedings of the Board shall be public.

Sec. 10th. A company desiring admission into the Department must make application to the Board of Delegates, accompanying such application with a copy of their Constitution, signed by at least the number of persons required to constitute a company, of the age of eighteen years or upwards, who shall be officers of the city, the names of their officers, and the location they desire, and should the Board, by a vote of the majority of all its members, decide to recommend the admission of such company, the Secretary of the Department shall forward to the Common Council a certificate of such recommendation, together with the petition of the company, the names of the officers and men, and the location they desire, and if such recommendation be approved by the Council the company shall be declared admitted into the Department. And it shall be unlawful for any company or association not belonging to the Department, to perform any of the duties of firemen, when said Department or any portion thereof is in service, without the consent, and under the direction of the Chief Engineer, or the Assistant Engineer in charge.

Sec. 11th. Each Fire Engine Company shall be composed of not less than thirty or more than seventy five members, and each Hook and Ladder Company of not less than twenty or more than forty members. All of whom must be registered members of the Department, and whenever the roll of members of any company shall have been reduced below its minimum of members, it shall be the duty of the foreman of the company to notify the Board of Delegates of the fact. At the first regular meeting of the board of Delegates after such notice be given, they shall enquire into the condition of said company, and shall decide whether such company shall be disbanded, or continued in the Department, which shall be decided by a majority of all of the members of the Board.

Sec. 12th. If any Chief or Assistant Engineer, shall for thirty days after his election, neglect, or refuse to qualify as provided in section seven of this ordinance, or shall be absent from the city for more than thirty days without the written permission of the President of the Board of Delegates, the office of such Chief or Assistant Engineer shall be declared vacant, and the Board of Delegates shall proceed to fill the vacancy in the manner prescribed in section eight of this ordinance.

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At an election for officers of V. H. B. Society held on the evening of April 24th, the following officers were elected: E. O'Keane, President; P. Buckley, V. President; John Morrow, R. Secretary; Jas. O'Keane, C. D.; Jas. McMullen, Treas.

J. T. MARONEY, C. S.
"John Chris."—The redoubtable Christopher Swinesburger has returned after a prolonged sojourn in the misty regions of Salem. Our readers will be rejoiced to learn that Chris is no longer "king of a fantastic realm" but has almost recovered his complete reason.

THREE HANDED.—Some persons are always behind-hand. Some one said to a person of this class, "I see that you belong to the three handed people." "Three handed! That's rather uncommon. "Oh, no, common enough—two hands like other people—and a little behind hand."

By a vote the West Virginia Legislature, it has been decided that Morgantown, in Monongalia county, is to be the new capital of that State. Heretofore the seat of Government has been at Wheeling, in the extreme Northwest corner of West Virginia. Morgantown is situated on the Monongahela river.

The Seary (Ark.) Record says a negro woman and her child, while passing along a mountain road in White county, recently, were attacked by a flock of wolves and eaten up. The Record says the country is swarming with these ravenous creatures.

President Johnson has accepted an invitation from the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts to visit Boston on the 24th of June next, and aid in dedicating the new Masonic Temple, if his official duties will permit.
Greenfield, Mass., is laboring to raise a public library fund, and will hold a Fair shortly to aid the project. Representative William B. Washburn offers to give \$1,000 if the citizens will increase the amount \$5,000.
In Cincinnati each policeman is required by law to carry a city directory in his pocket.

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, AND—FANCY GOODS.
Pure Wines and Liquors for Medical Use.

HOSIETTES BITTERS, BAKER'S BITTERS, DRAKE'S BITTERS, HOOPER'S BITTERS, RABBIT'S POTASH, CANARY SEED, CARRIAGE SPONGE, CASTLE SOAP, SHAKER HERBS, INDIGO, DOMESTIC DYES, CREAM TARTAR, BLUE STONE, NITRE, ROBIN, BLUE COMMON & WHITE, SULPHUR, GLAUBER SALT, BATH BRICKS, CONCENTRATED LYE, Congress Water and Fragrant Saccharine.

And all articles usually kept in Drug stores. Physicians prescriptions carefully prepared at all hours. Vancouver, Sept. 25, 1866.
MICHAEL WINTLER, DEALER IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Cor. Main and 15th Streets. Keeps constantly on hand and for sale a full assortment of GROCERIES, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE AND NAILS, DRY GOODS, READY MADE CLOTHING, BLANKETS.

And all kind of Salem Woolen Goods, 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. 25, 1866.

L. C. HENRICHSEN, (Successor to Jacob Cohen), PRACTICAL WATCHMAKER & JEWELER. 105 Front St. Portland, Oregon. He has just returned from San Francisco with a splendid stock of CLOCKS! WATCHES & JEWELRY!

In the store recently occupied by Jacob Cohen, (which he succeeds in business), and

Local Matters.

EXTENSIVE ROBBERY.—All the numerous robberies that have ever occurred in this city...

HONORABLY ACQUITTED.—Lieut. Oscar Converse, lately commanding Fort Walla Walla...

In publishing the list of officers of the Vigilance Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1 last week...

NEW BREWERY.—We learn that Messrs. G. W. Proebstel and M. Dampffofer contemplate building a new brewery in this town...

VEGETABLES.—Any person who wishes to be supplied with good and fresh vegetables...

NEW SAW MILL.—Mr. Allen Gilson is about to erect a large saw mill on the North Fork of Lewis River in this County.

BELL TOWER.—We notice that a bell tower of some 50 feet in height is being erected for Vancouver, No. 1.

THANKS.—Mr. John McMullen desires to return his sincere thanks to the officers and soldiers of the Garrison and to citizens generally...

We are under many obligations to Dr. Ten Broeck and Mr. Tierney, Hospital Steward, for a bountiful supply of papers...

There will be Quarterly meeting at the M. E. Church in this place, commencing on Saturday the 20th inst. at one o'clock.

NOTICE!!!

There will be a Temperance Lecture delivered by L. HOLMES, Esq., at the Methodist church on Saturday evening, April 13th 1867...

The Public are respectfully invited to attend.

At the request of many friends the undersigned announces himself as an independent candidate for the office of Assessor for Clarke County.

Sovey and M'Grath, MANUFACTURERS OF Boots and Shoes, VANCOUVER, W. T.

THE CANDIDATES.—We think the people generally have reason to be satisfied with the action of both Conventions...

Col. Hodges has workmen engaged in building a suitable Engine house to contain General Allen Engine No. 3.

A Road-Supervisors election is announced to be held to-day at the house of W. Stevens in Vancouver.

PLEASE NOTICE the advertisement of Messrs. Sovey and M'Grath in another column.

INDEPENDENT.—Happy Wood announces himself as an independent candidate for County Assessor.

STILL ANOTHER.—Mr. Troup purchased the other day a small Fire Engine in Portland intended for the Young America's of Vancouver.

Mr. Wm. Barnard was elected Road Supervisor of Road District No. 1, which comprises a portion of this town.

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

Vancouver Lodge No. 3, I. O. of O. F. holds its regular meetings at their new Hall in Durgan's Brick building...

Washington Lodge No. 4, A. F. & M.—Holds its Regular Communications on the first and third Saturdays of each month...

Columbia Lodge, No. 2, I. O. G. T., meets every Wednesday evening at 7 1/2 o'clock at the New Hall corner of Main and 10th streets.

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

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

DAVID WALL, Druggist, is determined to sell at prices as low as any Drug Store at Portland.

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

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

IMPORTANT NEWS.—BY THE ORIFLAMME!! MAXIMILIAN has not left MEXICO, but has his baggage all packed ready to start by the first MULE TRAIN.

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

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

PRIVATE SCHOOL! On Monday April 1st, the undersigned will open a Private School in this place, proposing to teach all branches usually taught in HIGH SCHOOLS.

STALLION. WILL stand for March this season on the Fourth Plain Clarke County, W. T., at Charles Bird's farm.

ESTRAY NOTICE. THESE are some stray pigs at my place in Vancouver. The owners of the same will please call, prove property and pay charges.

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

EXECUTRIX NOTICE. Estate of Eberhard Schaub, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDER-SIGNED executrix, of the above named estate...

For Sale. THESE undersigned offers for sale the following real estate, to wit: Lots Nos. 3, 4, and 5, in Block No. 13.

New Book, Stationery AND GROCERY STORE!! JONES, TURNBULL & CO.

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

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

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FRAMES AND MOLDINGS, Window Shades, A Fine Assortment of Wood & Willow Ware

GLORIOUS NEWS, JOSEPH WISE Has come back to town again, and is at his old stand, corner of MAIN & BATEMAN STREETS.

Dry Goods, Clothing Hats and Caps, GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, All kinds of Salem Goods, BOOTS AND SHOES OF ALL SORTS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.

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

CHEAPER IN CASH For Butter and all kinds of country produce. WILLIAMS BROS. St. Helens.

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

G. W. COOL, DENTIST. OFFICE—Corner of FRONT and ALDER STREETS, Entrance on ALDER STREET, PORTLAND, OREGON.

CRAWFORD SLOCUM & CO., INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT THROUGH ALL THINGS cheap, they are still the same, yesterday, to-day, and to-morrow.

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

DRY GOODS Of all Kinds and Descriptions. Embracing particularly A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF LADIES' DRESS GOODS, Ready-Made Clothing

SUGARS, SYRUPS, COFFEE, TEA, RICE, SALT, Tobacco, Cigars, Salmon, Mackerel, Codfish, Corn-meal, &c., &c., &c.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE, HARDWARE AND NAILS, WOODEN & WILLOW WARE, Patent Medicines, OILS, PERFUMERIES, &c., &c.

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

SOHNS AND SCHUELE. BROTHERS respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have opened at the corner of Main Street, (near the Metropolitan Hall) a CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF FAMILIAR GROCERIES.

Man Struck 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.

Dress Goods. The undersigned have added to their stock of groceries &c a Splendid Assortment of DRY GOODS, FANCY GOODS, DRESS TRIMMINGS, &c., &c.

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!

At his Old Stand on Main Street, Adjoining Alder & Bequest'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 finest and most desirable styles of German, English, French, Scotch, & AMERICAN MANUFACTURE.

Sheetings, Shirtings, LADIES' SHAWLS, AND AMERICAN, FRENCH, AND GERMAN PRINTS.

BOOTS & SHOES, Kip and Calf Boots OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY, And Balmorals and Gaiters For the Ladies.

HATS AND CAPS! For Men and Boys. And a well selected Stock of GROCERIES

Adapted to the wants of this Market. All of which will be sold at the LOWEST LIVING PRICES; Vancouver, Oct. 14, 1866.—G. H.

CITY BAKERY AND Confectionery. JOHN MANEY Keeps constantly on hand a good assortment of fresh 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. 24-1/2

J. F. SMITH, Main Street, Vancouver, W. T. He 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 FAMILIAR GROCERIES. Special attention is called to my fine assortment of Toys and Yankee Notions. Vancouver, Oct. 13, 1866.—24-1/2

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 Plated Bath Tubs; Square and angular Black Walnut Counter-Sinks (Marble Wash Stands); Cold and Hot and Cold WATER BLOWERS; SILVER-PLATED BATH COCKS; MARBLE WASH-BASINS; FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS; HYDRAULIC RAMS (FOR) NON-FRECKING HYDRANTS; WATER CLOSETS, &c., &c.

SPRINKLING MACHINES, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give me a call. Portland, Jan. 2, 1866. G. H. MYERS.

Come and See Them! THEIR CELEBRATED MISSOURI JACK, (BETTER known as the Angel Jack), will stand the present season two miles East of Vancouver. Also a few 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 GOOD STRONG, SUBSTANTIAL and LONG BARED stock, call at the same place. A. W. F. L. Vancouver, March 5, 1867. 25-1/2

Terms of the above Advertisement. The Colt will stand at \$25 for insurance and \$15 for the season. The Jack will stand at \$15 for insurance and \$15 for the season. And remember, my favorably made liberal deductions for liberal patronage. Ours and you. ADD NITE.

