The Ancient Greeks.

The very children of the ancient Greeks were taught to contend for prizes for beauty, and had statues erected to them if they succeeded. Their style of dress was itself a dream of beauty. Their language was as picturesque as it was expressive and rich. They inhabited a country which to all the romantic variety of Scottish landscape added the richness and warmth of an oriental clime; now towering up into the snowy grandeur of Olympus, and now softening into the unparalleled luxuriance of the Vale of Tempe; here rugged as the defile of Thermopylæ, and there panoramic as the Bay of Athens. The creations of their genius were just the projected images of their own beautiful selves. The heroes of their song were themselves, in shapes of sublime trial and ideal contest. Their gods were themselves—walking the mountain-tops of imagination, and covered with celestial glory as with snow. Their hell was the contorted reflections of their own Macedonian defiles or Albanian deserts; and their heaven was the colored image of their own Cretan vales. Towering over this magnificent people—the heroes of a hero land, the Mont Blancs of a mountain region—were the grand men of Greece, whose names sound yet like peals of thunder—Pericles, Epaminondas, Demosthenes, Socrates, Aristotle, Alexander, Plato, Homer—in whom the beauty of the land became all but divine, its strength Herculean, and its sublimity that of an Alp in the evening sun, or a hero of celestial race when his set time is come, and when he feels himself growing into a god. And then its statuary, so cool, and clear, and bright; and its oratory and logic, naked, nervous, and gigantic as a Thracian gladiator; and its drama, at once formal and fiery, passionate as their bosoms, and one as the wall of Pandemonium; and its philosophy, seeking to draw down the secrets of the gods to men, even as Franklin afterwards led down the lightning from its cavern like a lion in a leash, and yoked it to the majestic car of human progress; and its its poetry, either in its narratives and pictures, clear and literal as a mirror in the state chamber of kings—or, in its chorus and dramatic raptures, deep and dithyrambic as that melancholy music which seeks, it is said, not altogether in vain, to soothe the agonies of the lost, and

"To mitigate and assuage
With solemn touches, troubled thoughts, and chase
Anguish, and doubt, and fear, and sorrow, and pain,
From mortal or immortal minds."

Such was Greece, such were the ancient Grecians.—*Gilfillan's Portraits.*

War, and then the Arts.

The achievements of the warrior have exerted upon the arts a deep-felt influence, especially in the ancient heroic epochs. To the valor and to the victories of leading men in armies and in fleets we are indebted for some rich and attractive works of monumental art. Among these are masterpieces of the greatest sculptors. The finest and most complete effects of other arts—of painting, poetry, rhetoric, music, and the drama—have been produced in commemorating the warlike deeds of warlike men.—Yet they have, perhaps, afforded to the art of sculpture more particularly some of the grandest subjects for representation. The awful—the tragical incidents of the war—the suffering borne with such fortitude by the wounded and dying—the prompt action, the courage, and the skill of the soldiers—these have called forth the abilities of the artist, and tasked his power of expressing the human passions. The Parthenon of Minerva at Athens, when in all its glory, exposed to the view of the Athenians the victories obtained by Theseus against the Centaurs and the Amazons—victories which might have flattered their vanity, but which could not fail to fire their bosoms with patriotism. These victories, sculptured by Phidias, were the objects of excessive admiration; they have always been esteemed the most celebrated relics of ancient art, and were worthy of the unrivaled fame they adorned. The representation of these battles was calculated to elevate and to perpetuate the glory of the Athenians; nor were the impressions, which, as perfect works of art they conveyed, lost upon them—impressions which we ourselves, fortunately, are enabled to receive at the present hour.—*The Builder.*

☞ Mr Youatt, of England, in case of persons bitten by mad dogs, has healed more than four hundred cases with muriate of silver, and not one had any symptoms of hydrophobia. A writer in the New York Tribune states that lobelia and steam have cured several cases of hydrophobia.

☞ The Mississippi papers state, as a fact, that showers of brimstone have fallen in that State within the last two weeks. It has been dried and proven to be genuine.

☞ The Hadley Manufacturing Company have lately succeeded in making a nice article of paper from broom-corn stalks, which has been patented.

☞ Messrs. Gould and Lincoln, of Boston, have in press "God Revealed in Nature and in Christ"—a work which includes a refutation of the famous development theory in the "Vestiges of Creation."

☞ The newspaper is a law book for the indolent, a sermon for the thoughtful, a library for the poor. It may stimulate the most indifferent—it may also instruct the most profound.

☞ A young lady was discharged from one of the largest vinegar houses in Cincinnati lately. She was so sweet that the vinegar was kept from fermenting.

☞ Never ask a lady for her heart and hand just before dinner. An empty stomach is a poor basis on which to seek divinity, sunshine, and prospective population. The chances are, in case you violate this rule, that instead of a rose tinted, delicate YES, you will receive a startling, burning, big NO. Beware.

A Learned Oddity.

The Baltimore correspondent of the New Orleans *Picayune* gives the following brief sketch of a very singular and eccentric personage whom he recently met:—His name is Henry Ottmer. He was born, some fifty-two years ago, in Somerset county, Pennsylvania, of German parentage. He came to Baltimore when a boy, and served an apprenticeship to a watchmaker. Working in this city until beyond his majority, he got sick of city life, and retired to the country. Having a taste for study, and with only a rude education, he applied himself to books. The taste for literature and science grew upon him, and ever since he has been a laborious student. Solitary and alone, he toiled day and night, until he accomplished a thorough knowledge of Latin, Greek, French, Spanish, Hebrew, German, and several other languages. This done, he took himself to history, the sciences, etc., and now ranks amongst the best scholars of his age. His present favorite study is mathematics, and admits of but two problems which have given him pause—these are squaring the circle, and the solution of cubic equations. He is an astronomer, philosopher, chemist, poet, mechanic, mathematician, and somewhat of a theologian. In my whole life I have never seen such a singular personage. He lives in a small isolated cottage, apart from society. Peter the Hermit was not so thorough a recluse, nor Diogenes more learned. He rather eschews woman, lives a bachelor, has a fine library of the classics and modern literature, and is happy beyond measure. His expression to me was, that he would not exchange positions with the most favorite crowned heads of Europe. He professes no religion, but respects all, and takes the Bible alone as his guide and standard of morality. His personal appearance is remarkably singular. Scarcely a hair can be seen on his head, which looks like a greased pumpkin. Beneath a high intellectual forehead and a projecting brow, is seen a small, quick, penetrating black eye, full of character and intelligence. He never shaves, has a fine moustache and ample whiskers, with a face vivid in expression. His entire costume would not sell for ten dimes, if put up at public auction. A passer by would suppose him a poor mendicant, and be inclined to extend the hand of charity; and yet he is comfortable in this world's goods—owes no man a farthing, independent as a king, happy as a lord. His food is literature, and his delight the classics; he is, by profession, a skilful repairer of clocks; and after finding his funds getting low sets out on an expedition through the country on a professional tour of clock mending.

From the Philadelphia New Church Herald.

Dr. Tyng and Dr. Cumming on the Second Advent of Christ.

It may sound strange to some of our readers to be reminded that some of the most eminent Doctors of the Old Dispensation are still maintaining that the day of the Lord's literal personal appearance is rapidly approaching. We see it mentioned that Dr. Cumming, an eloquent Scotch preacher, and a popular theological writer, has published a work on the "Signs of the Times," in which he affiliates very closely with the views of the Millerites.

His theory is that Christ will come in 1864—that the advent will be what is termed pre-millennial; or, in other words, that Christ will come before the millennium, and the millennial glories will consist of Christ's personal reign on earth for a thousand years—that the Jews will be literally gathered to Jerusalem to be converted—that the Moslem power is about to expire, not by destruction of the Turks, but by their conversion and absorption into the Church—that Popery will be destroyed by Christ's coming, and not before it.

Strange as their visionary phantasies may sound to one whose mind has been even in the least degree opened to the reception of the rational light of the new dispensation, yet such notions are still extensively promulgated through the pulpit and the press, and not simply by the "deluded Millerites," but by men who are highly esteemed for their learning and eloquence. Dr. Tyng, formerly of this city, now of New York, has, within the last few years, publicly and earnestly advocated a doctrine identical in its main features with the one referred to above.

Several of the Episcopal Bishops hold and teach the same.

A Word to Boys.—Who is respected? It is the boy who conducts himself well, who is honest, diligent, and obedient in all things. It is the boy who is making an effort continually to respect his father, and to obey him, whatever he may direct to be done. It is the boy who leaves no effort untried to improve himself in knowledge and wisdom every day, who is busy and active in endeavoring to do good acts towards others. Show me a boy who obeys his parents, who is diligent, who respects age, who always has a friendly disposition, and who applies himself diligently to get wisdom, and to do good towards others; and, if he is not respected and beloved by every body, then there is no such thing as truth in the world. Remember this boys, and you will be respected by others, and grow up and become useful men.

A Word to Little Girls.—Who is lovely?—It is the girl who drops sweet words, kind remarks, and pleasant smiles, as she passes along; who has a kind word of sympathy for every boy or girl she meets, and a kind hand to help her companions out of difficulty; who never scolds, never teases, nor seeks in any way to diminish, but to increase, their happiness. Would it please you to pick up a string of pearls, drops of gold, diamonds, or other precious stones as you pass along the street? But these are precious stones which can never be lost. Sympathize with those in trouble. Strive everywhere to diffuse around you sunshine and joy. If you do this you will be sure to be beloved.

☞ Byron's partiality towards America is well known, but perhaps never more strongly expressed than in a letter to Tom Moore, where he observes: "I would rather have a nod from an American than a snuff box from an Emperor.

Oregon Bacon.

1000 LBS., for sale by W. C. DEMENT & co.

W. C. Johnson,

CONVEYANCER AND COLLECTING AGENT.

MORTGAGES, Deeds, Bills of Sale, &c., drawn up with neatness, correctness, and dispatch. Collections made in all parts of the Willamette valley. Persons leaving the City, and desiring to place their property in care of an Agent, can be accommodated. Charges most reasonable. May be found at THE ARGUS office

Oregon City, Aug. 25, 1855

Selling Off at Cost.

THE subscriber, wishing to close up his business in Oregon City, will dispose of his stock of goods, consisting of groceries, dry goods, and hardware, at cost, or less than cost prices. ALL persons indebted to the late firm of Preston & O'Neill, or to James O'Neill, must settle up *immediately.*

aug 25 1914. JAMES O'NEILL

PORK in barrels at F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.

DRIED Apples, in b'l and whole barrels, at F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.

FLOUR, fresh, kept constantly on hand by F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

N. O. SUGAR, coffee, tea, syrup, salt, at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.*

POWDER, lead, shot and caps at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.*

BOOKS—by the cord, at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.*

LIGHT—plenty—at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.*

SALERATUS, tobacco,—not hale codfish, at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.*

SOAP—by the foot, at *F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S*

Probate Notice.

Territory of Oregon, County of Yamhill, } ss.

AT a Court of Probate, held at Lafayette in said county, on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1855,—present Martin Olds, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John B Rowland, deceased: where n Jeremiah Rowland, Administrator of said estate, presented his last account, praying for a final settlement of said estate. This is therefore to the end that all persons interested may appear at the October session of said Court, to be holden at Lafayette, at the Court House in said county, on the second day of Oct. next, to show cause, if any, why the account shall not be allowed, and a final settlement had. And it is further ordered that this notice be published in THE OREGON ARGUS, a paper printed at Oregon City.

MARTIN OLDS,
aug.7. 19-t3 Judge of Probate.

A List of Letters

REMAINING in the Post Office at Oregon City on the 15th of August, 1855, which if not called for within three months will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters.

Allan Saml	Morgan Mariah
Akin James	Moser Elias
Albright Edward	Martin John M
Atwater G W	Marshal John
Burns Hugh	Muzzy Dwight
Bixly Wm W	Miller J W
Bullock J	Malone Richard
Brown James H	Moore Lucinda
Bradley E	Masters Watson
Baugluman Eph	Millard Helen
Brown Milton	McMillan Joseph
Ball Susanna	McCubbin Abram
Bell James	McWilliams John M
Ball David	Nowlen M
Brocer Oliver	Owens Lorena
Ball Isaac	Perrin M K
Baker James W	Peck L L
Barstow Joseph	Patterson C A B
Bridges Marshal	Parker E A
Costin Henry	Pollard Zacha.
Church Joseph al	Pease Geo A
Crist Nicolas	Palmer B N
Cosby Warren	Pomroy S D
Cobern John R	Reese George
Campbell H B	Rudolph John
Chase Nancy	Reed J S
Chitwood James	Robbinson Mary C
Clark Jennie Miss	Rowe G C
Coram Hardin	Reed David
Dunbar G W	Remick S K
Drake Henry	Rowley Henry
Diller Mary M Miss	Settle Josiah
Davis John	Steel Saml
Evans O J	Shunk Edw R
Epley Saml	Stowt John
French Wm	Strode Robert
Foster James W	Stewart Lorenzo
Felton James	Shaddle David
Fiegler Jos Anton	Sharp Wm
Githens Geo	Shell John
Greenman Clark	Sullivans Webster
Gamble James	Stephenson D D
Goehong Joseph	Smith Wm
Hughes Joseph	Seymore Mr
Hubbard F E	Sexton John
Howland John	Souchu Madm
Hacket E E Mrs	Seal W H
Hughbanks Geo	Thomas Loran
Harding A M	Taylor S E
Hamilton Milton	Taylor John A
Hall Luke	Tracy Eugene
Howlett W J	Tucker Wm
Haughton A J	Vinson J S
Hobert L M	Vernon G W
Hounsley Baily A	Wade Owen
Harris Stephen M	Williams Hiram
Hughes Saml	Woodcock Horace
Hatch Mrs	Welch John
Hunsacker J T	Without Phebe
Inglis Henry	Whobry Mathew
Jones Griffith	Whitlock M
Joy Warren	Warnock Presley
Jackson Emret	Whitlock John
Kennard Joseph	Wilson Walter
Kaughman John F	Walker Gilliam
Klee Henry	Woodcock W D
Kayler Henry	Wilcox J J
Kiley M C	Wade Charles
Kasine Mahala	Wilber J H
Locey J D	Whitlock Wm
Long Sarah Ann	Warnet C A
Lowe Sylvester J	Young Morgan N
Lewellen Ellison B	Yeaton James J

W. W. BUCK, P. M.

Charman & Warner

HAVE just received a heavy stock of groceries, which they brought here expressly to *markake* at a reasonable price. Call in, and you will find us still doing business on as reasonable terms as before the other bakery caved in. No monopoly is our motto, for we are determined to deal as fairly without competition as with it.

Oregon City, Aug. 18, 1855.

Off for the Mines.

OWING to the tremendous stampede of the farming community for the new mines, I have concluded to hang my tools "in the hall," and practice plow making no more for the present. I have already beat my last plow-share into a pick, shovel, and spoon, and am about to take up my line of march with the popular crowd for the mines, where I may reasonably expect (having fully settled up with the printer) to make something, if any body does. My books and accounts are all left in the hands of my brother, A. K. Post, of Oregon City. All those indebted to me will please call and settle with him immediately.

EZRA POST.

Canemah, Aug. 18, 1855.

MINERS' SHOVELS. 50 doz. just received by Wm. C. DEMENT & co.

MINERS' TENTS for sale cheap by Wm C. DEMENT & co.

New Books!

THE subscriber has just received a large assortment of BOOKS, direct from New York, among which are the following:

Allison's Hist. of Europe,	American Institutions,
Silliman's do.	Lives of the Signers,
Democracy in America,	Babylon and Nineveh,
"Land and Lee,"	"Duck and Poet,"
"Sea and Sailor,"	"Ship and Shore,"
Three Years in Califor.,	Home Cyclopædia,
Cyc. of Literature,	Egypt and the Holy Land
Buchan's Fam. Phys'n,	Lardner on St'm Engine,
Manual of Fine Arts,	Ancient Monasteries,
Lectures on the Arts,	Chance Biography,
Travels in Peru,	Peruvian Antiquities,
Polar Regions,	Choice Extracts,
Mahan's Philosophy,	A variety of Poets.

500 copies of Sanders' Speller,
500 " " Readers,
250 " McGuffey's do.
250 " Webster's Dictionaries.

Davies' Algebra,	Newman's Rhetoric,
" Geometry,	Day's do
" Bourdon,	Parley's Univ. History,
" Surveying,	Goodrich's Pict. U. S.,
" Legendre,	Monteith's Geography,
" Arithmetics,	"Little Speaker,"
Thompson's do.	N. American Speaker.

ALSO,

A Fresh Supply of Stationery.

Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Record Books, Memorandums, of all sizes, Diaries, &c., Note and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Pens, &c., &c.—Fruit Knives, Erasive Rubber, Gummed Labels, Paper's Pencils,—INK, in quart and pint bottles.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

CHARLES POPE, Jr.

Oregon City, August 18, 1855.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE firm hitherto known as that of ALBRIGHT & PRICE, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 17th of July, 1855. Those who are indebted to the old firm will please call and settle with Charles Albright, who is still carrying on business at the old stand.

CHARLES ALBRIGHT,
JOHN B. PRICE.

Oregon City, Aug. 17, 1855. 18-3t

Notice.

WHEREAS my wife, Elizabeth Center, has left my bed and board, without provocation, I hereby forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date.

SAMUEL CENTER.

Salem, Marion co., Aug. 15, '55. 18-4t

Probate Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that William Phillips, administrator of the estate of Hiram Phillips, deceased, has filed his accounts and vouchers with the Probate Court of Clackamas county for final settlement, and said Court has appointed the first Tuesday in September next for the adjustment of the same.

HECTOR CAMPBELL,
Aug. 8, '55.—18-t3 Judge of Probate.

Money to Loan.

$250 or $300 to loan upon approved security—Apply to

aug. 11. W. L. ADAMS, Argus Office.

Colville Mines.

THE subscriber will leave for the Colville mines about the 22d inst., or upon the arrival of the Mail Steamer, with an Express for the mines.—Persons wishing to send letters to their friends there, can leave them at the following places:

Corvallis,	Barnard & Matteson, & Statesman Office.
Albany,	Wakefield & Co.
Salem,	Geo. H. Jones & Co.
Champoeg,	J. W. Graham.
Buteville,	J. W. Case.
Oregon City,	J. N. Banker, office of W. F. & co.
Portland,	Office of Wells, Fargo & co.

aug. 11, 1855 JAMES O'NEILL, Agent.

Divorce Notice.

ELISHA Randal, formerly known by the name of John Walker, is hereby notified that his wife, Frances L. Randal has applied to the District Court of the county of Clackamas, in the territory of Oregon, for a divorce; and that her petition will be heard at the term which will commence on the third Monday of September, A. D. 1855.

WAIT & KELLEY, Pltf's Attys.

August 8, 1855. 17-t4

Probate Notice.

Territory of Oregon, County of Yamhill, } ss.

AT a Probate Court, holden at Layfayette, in said county, on Tuesday, the 7th day of Aug in the year of our Lord 1855, present, Martin Olds, Judge of Probate:

In the matter of the estate of Daniel S. Minkler, deceased, wherein John H. Blacker, Administrator of said estate, presented his last account, praying for a final settlement of said estate.

This is therefore to the end that all persons interested may appear at the next session of said Court of Probate, to be holden at the Court House in the town of Lafayette, in said county, on Tuesday, the 4th day of Sept. next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to show cause, if any, why the said account shall not be allowed and a final settlement had.

And it is further ordered that this notice be printed in THE OREGON ARGUS, a weekly paper, published at Oregon City, for three successive weeks.

MARTIN OLDS, Judge of Probate.

August 11, 1855. 17t3.

Notice.

THE undersigned is calculating to leave the Territory in a few weeks. All persons having unsettled business, will please call immediately and settle

J. R. ROBB.

August 11, 1855 17-tf

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership existing between Geo. Abernethy, Thos. Pope, Hiram Clark, and Jas. R. Robb, under the name of GEO. ABERNETHY & Co., expires this day by limitation. Persons indebted to us will please call and settle their accounts immediately, as we wish our books closed. Thos. Pope is authorized by us to close the business of the late firm.

GEO. ABERNETHY,
THOS. POPE,
HIRAM CLARK,
JAS. R. ROBB.

Oregon City, August 1, 1855.-16t3

Partnership.

GEO. ABERNETHY and HIRAM CLARK will continue business under the name of GEO. ABERNETHY & CO., at Oregon City. Thos. Pope will attend to the business, and is authorized to sign the name of the firm.

GEO. ABERNETHY.
HIRAM CLARK.

August 1, 1855. 16-t3

GEO. ABERNETHY & CO.,

MERCHANTS,

OREGON CITY, OREGON TERRITORY.

aug. 1, 1855. 16tf

Abernethy, Clark & Co.,

COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,

San Francisco, Cal.

WILL attend to selling Oregon produce, and fill orders for Goods, Groceries, &c. at the lowest rates. The patronage of the people of Oregon is respectfully solicited. aug 1, 1855-16tf

Buildings for Rent.

THE one now occupied by Wm. Myers & Co., and known as the "French Store," will be for rent from the 1st of August next. Also the building immediately in the rear, fronting on 3d street. Apply to

July 19, 1855. Wm. C. DEMENT & co.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

Portland and Astoria.

The Splendid Steamer

Multnomah

WILL continue to run regularly between Portland and Astoria, via Vancouver, twice a week, leaving Portland on Monday and Thursday mornings of each week for Astoria; and Astoria for Portland on Tuesday and Friday mornings, touching VANCOUVER, ST. HELENS, RAINIER, CATHLAMET, &c. each way. For freight or passage, apply to R. HOYT, Master.

Jel6 Or at Hoyt's Wharf-boat, Portland.

F. S. HOLLAND. A. HOLLAND.

F. S. & A. Holland,

DEALERS in Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots & Shoes, Crockery, Books, Stationery, &c., Main Street, *Oregon City.* June 30, 1855.-y.

Hallelujah! Hallelujah!

THE Hallelujah, a new singing book, by Lowell Mason—just the thing for singing schools; for sale at [je30] HOLLAND'S.

Progression, Progression, Progression

IS ever onward—and they that do not make onward progression "are a little behind the times," and for the benefit of those that have a desire to keep up with this age we have just received direct from New York the following list of BOOKS, of which we offer at wholesale or retail, on terms to suit:

Constitution of Man, by Geo. Combe; Combe's Lectures, on Phrenology; Domestic Life—Thoughts on its concord and discord; Familiar Lessons on Phrenology and Psychology; Love and Parentage: applied to the improvement of offspring; Marriage: its history and philosophy, with directions for happy marriages; Memory, and Intellectual Improvement; Mental Science; Lectures on the Philosophy of Phrenology; Matrimony: or Phrenology and Physiology applied, &c.; Phrenology proved, illustrated, and applied; Phrenological guide, &c.; Religion, Natural and Revealed; Self-culture, and Perfection of character; Self-instructor in Phrenology and Physiology; Temperance and Tight Lacing; Accidents and Emergencies; Hydropathic Cook Books; Consumption: its causes, prevention, and cure; Curiosities of common water; Cholera: its causes, &c.; Domestic Practice of Hydropathy; Errors of Physicians, &c.; Experience in Water-cure; Hydropathic Family Physician; Hydropathic Encyclopedia; Home treatment for sexual abuses; Hygiene and Hydropathy; Introduction to the Water-cure; Midwifery, and the Diseases of Women; Parents' Guide, and Children's Guide; Pregnancy and childbirth; Practice of Water-cure; Water-cure in Chronic Diseases; Water-cure in Every Known Disease; Water-cure Manual; Amativeness: or, Evils and Remedies, &c.; Combe on Infancy; Combe's Physiology; Chronic Diseases; Fruits and Farinaceous the Proper Food of Man; Hereditary Descent: its Laws, &c.; Maternity: or the bearing and nursing of children, &c.; Natural Laws of Man; Physiology, Animal and Mental; Tobacco: its effect, &c.; Elements of Animal Magnetism; Fascination: or the philosophy of charming; Library of Mesmerism and Psychology; Philosophy of Mesmerism; New illustrated Encyclopedia, complete in one vol.; Spiritual Intercourse, Philosophy of, &c.; Familiar Lessons on Astronomy; Future of Nations, by Kossuth; Hints towards Reforms, by Greely; Hopes and Helps for the Young of both sexes; Human Rights; Home for all, &c.; Labor: its history and prospects, &c.; Power of Kindness; Woman: her education and influence, &c.

—ALSO—

8 vols.	Revelations, by A. J. Davis, the Clairvoyant.	
8 "	Approaching Crisis, "	"
8 "	Harmonial Man, "	"
8 "	Special Providences, "	"
8 "	Present Age and Inner Life, "	"
8 "	1st, Great Harmonia, "	"
8 "	2d, " " "	"
8 "	3d, " " "	"

June 30, 1855.-y F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

Daguerreotypes.

HAVING concluded to remain in Oregon City and establish myself permanently in the Daguerreotyping business, I would request those wishing daguerreotypes to give me a call, as I have a full supply on hand of everything necessary to the business, and will warrant perfect satisfaction in all pictures taken. Prices, varying from three to fifteen dollars. A variety of lockets on hand.

☞ Rooms over the French Store.

June 30, 1855.-11tf JOSEPH BUCHTEL.

Notice.

Territory of Oregon, County of Clackamas } ss.

District Court of Clackamas County.

Betsey A. Barnes vs. Asa Barnes. } Petition for Divorce.

TO ASA BARNES, Defendant in the above entitled suit:—You are hereby notified that Betsey A. Barnes, Complainant in said suit, has filed a complaint against you in the District Court of Clackamas county, Oregon Territory, on the 15th day of August, A. D. 1855, charging you with habitual gross drunkenness, and the commission towards her of personal indignities, rendering her life burdensome, and praying a divorce from you of the bonds of matrimony, and that alimony may be allowed her out of your estate.

You are hereby notified, therefore, to appear at said Court, to be holden in Oregon City, in said county, on the third Monday of September next, and answer said complaint, or the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment had against you by default.

WITNESS, F. S. Holland, Clerk of said [L. S.] Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 4th day of August, A. D. 1855.

Aug. 4-18-4t F. S. HOLLAND, Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.

E. T. Stone vs. F. C. Cason. }

BY virtue of a certain writ of Execution, issued out of the District Court for Clackamas county, and to me directed, against E. T. Stone, plaintiff in the above entitled cause, for the sum of two hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighty cents, ($262.80) together with interest and accruing cost, and for want of personal property whereof to make the same, I have levied upon and shall proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, at the Court House door in Oregon City, county of Clackamas, Oregon Territory, on Tuesday the 4th day of Sept., next, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, all the right, title and interest of the above named E. T. Stone in the following described real estate, (or the right, title and interest that he had therein on the 7th day of March, 1855, being the day on which this judgment was docketed against the said Stone in Clackamas county,) to wit;—A certain tract of land situated and lying in Clackamas county, and bounded as follows:

Commencing at a cottonwood stump on the south bank of the Clackamas river, thence running southerly till it strikes the corner of the late Newton Wheeler's land; thence along the course of said Wheeler's line until it strikes the land of Nineveh Ford; thence in a north-westerly direction along the line of said Ford's land until it strikes the Clackamas river, thence down said river with the meandering thereof, to the place of beginning;—containing about 10 acres, and being included within the boundaries of the land claim of Hiram Straight and Susan his wife, as filed in the Land Office of Oregon Territory, and numbered 681, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereon or thereto belonging.

SEP. HUELAT,
Sheriff Clackamas co.

Oregon City, Clackamas co., July 29, 1855.-14ds

PAPER Hangings, a new lot, for sale by

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OREGON CITY Wholesale Prices Current.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

DRY GOODS.		DRUGS & MEDICINES	
Sheeting, 4-4	11½	100 pr. cl.over N. Y. cost.	
Drilling	11	PRODUCE.	
Bleached drilling	13	Wheat, pr bu	$1
" shirting,	11a16	Oats do	40a50
Striped do	14	Potatoes do ..new	$1
Ticking	14a16	Onions do	$1½
Denims	15	Flour	$3½
Blue drilling	14	Corn Meal, fresh	6
Plaid linsey	16a24	FRUIT.	
Satinet	70a90	" dried do	12
Kentucky jeans	25a45	Peaches, dried do	16
Tweeds	55a70	" do pealed	
PRINTS.		" Chili, dried	20a25
Blue and white	12	PROVISIONS.	
Blue and orange	12	Pork, clear	none.
Fancy	8a12	" mess	$28a30
Furniture do	10a12	Hams	3a
" do. wide	12½	Bacon	23a20
M. de laines	14a25	POWDER.	
Ginghams	15a25	Hazard, pr ca	$15
Alpaca	25a60	" pr keg	$10
Table damask	50a75	SHOT.	
" cloths	65a$1½	Small size	$2½a3
Irish linens	40a$1	Buck	$3a3½
CLOTHING.		LEAD.	
Sheep gray pants	$2½a3	Bar	10
Satinet do.	$3½a3	White lead, in oil	14a15
Fancy cass. do.	$4a5	CORDAGE.	
Black cass do.	$5a7	Manilla, small	40
Red flan't shirts	$14a18	" large	25
Blue do do.	$15a18	Hemp	10a15
Hickory shirts	5a7	CANDLES.	
Calico do	8a12	Adamantine	40
BOOTS & SHOES.		Sperm	60
Men's kip boots	$3½a4½	CIGARS.	
" super do. do	$4	Havana	$40a80
" fine sewed	6½	German	$30a35
Boys' kip boots	$3	American	$27a50
" he'vy w'x do	$1½a2	TOBACCO.	
Mens' brg's pr. doz.	$17	Pride of the Union	40a45
" kip brg's pr doz.	$20	Sun	30a35
" calf sewed do.	$21	Luke's	37
Women's h'vy sh's.	$13	HARDWARE.	
" fine do	$15	Shovels	$8a14
GROCERIES.		Spades	$14a16
Coffee	18a20	Axes	$12a20
Tea	65a70	Mill saws	90a$1½
Sugar, no. 1 Chi'a	11½	X cut saws	75a$1
" crushed	17	Table cutlery, 10 per ct	
Saleratus	16a.18	advance on N. Y. cost	
Starch	14	Pocket cutlery, 25 pr ct	
Syrup I. Boston	90a$1	advance.	
do. S Island	75	Other articles of hardware from 20 to 50 pr ct advance.	
N O Molasses	60		
Liv. Salt	3a3½		
Table Salt	3½a4	Nails, ass'd sizes, pr kg	$3
Sandwich I. Salt	2a2½	" horseshoe	25a35
Pepper	30	OILS.	
Allspice	40	Lamp	$1½a$2
Cinnamon	60a80	Linseed boil	$2 00
Soap	10a11	Turpentine pr gall	$2

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COUNCIL GROUND,
WALLA-WALLA VALLEY, W. T.,
June 12, 1855. }

AT A TREATY concluded with the Yakima Nation of Indians at the Council Ground in the Walla-walla Valley the 9th day of June, 1855, the land included within the following boundaries was ceded to the United States, to wit:

Commencing at Mt. Ranier, thence northerly along the main ridge of the Cascade mountains to the point where the northern tributary of the lake Chelan and the southern tributaries of the Methow river have their rise; thence south-easterly on the divide between the waters of lake Chelan and the Methew river to the Columbia river; thence crossing the Columbia, on a true east course, to a point whose longitude is one hundred and nineteen degrees and ten minutes—which two latter lines separate the above confederated tribes and bands of Indians from the Okinakane tribe of Indians; thence in a true south course to the forty-seventh parallel of latitude; thence east on the said parallel to the main Palouse river—which two latter lines of boundary seperate the above confederated tribes and bands from the Spokane; thence down the Palouse river to its junction with the Moh-ha-ne-she or southern tributary of the same; thence in a south-easterly direction to the Snake river at the mouth of the Tucannon river, seperating the above confederated tribes from the Nez Perce tribe of Indians; thence down the Snake river to its junction with the Columbia river; thence up the Columbia river to the "White Banks" below Priest's Rapids; thence westerly to a lake called "La Lac;" thence southerly to a point on the Yakima river called "Toh-mah-lake;" thence in a south-westerly direction to the Columbia river at the western extremity of the "Big Island," between the mouth of the Umatilla river and Butter creek—all which latter boundaries separate the above confederated tribes and bands from the Walla-walla, Cayuse and Umatilla tribes and bands of Indians—thence down the Columbia river to midway between the mouths of White Salmon and Wind rivers; thence along the divide between said rivers to the main ridge of the Cascade Mountains; and thence along said ridge to the place of beginning.

There is, however, reserved from the land above ceded, for the exclusive use and occupation of said confederated tribes and bands of Indians, the tract of land included within the following boundaries, to wit:

Commencing on the Yakima river at the mouth of the Attahnam river, thence westerly along said Attahnam river to the forks; thence along the southern tributary to the Cascade mountains; thence southerly along the main ridge of said mountains, passing south and east of Mt. Adams to the Spur whence flow the waters of the Kilickat and Pisco rivers; thence along said divide to the divide separating the waters of the Satass river from those flowing into the Columbia river; thence along said divide to the main Yakima, eight miles below the mouth of the Satass river; and thence up the Yakima river to the place of beginning.

Also a tract of land not exceeding in quantity one township of six miles square, situated at the forks of the Plaquose or Wenatshapam river, and known as the "Wenatshapam Fishery;" which said tract shall be surveyed and marked out whenever the President may direct.

By an express provision of the treaty, the country embraced in the cession and not included in the reservation, is open to settlement, excepting that the Indians are secured in the possession of their buildings and improvements until removed to the reservation.

This notice is published for the information of the public, and the attention of citizens proposing to locate claims upon the ceded territory, is especially called to the above provision, and for further information they are requested to apply to subagent, A. J. Bolon.

ISAAC I. STEVENS,
Gov., and Supt. Ind. Aff., W. T.

June 29, 1855. 13-6m

Notice.

District Court—Clackamas County—Territory of Oregon.

A. J. Pope vs. J. S. Higgins. } Summons.

To J. S. Higgins—

YOU are hereby required, in the name of the United States of America, to appear before the District Court of Clackamas county to be held in Oregon City on the 17th day of Sept. next (being the third Monday of said month) to answer the complaint of A. J. Pope. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for four hundred and twenty-four dollars, and interest from the 13th day of January, 1855, together with costs of suit.

L. S. Witness F. S. Holland, Clerk, and the Seal of said Court, this 31st day of May, 1855.

7-w3 F. S. HOLLAND, Clerk.