much to say that if he had terminated his career without the Turkish aggression which produced this war, history would have enrolled him amongst the most intellectual and successful monarchs of modern Europe. Perhaps it is as well for the future peace of the world that this outbreak of Russian rapacity took place when it did, for guarantees will now be enforced which will effectually prevent its repetition. The fangs of the wolf will be drawn and the lesson which he has been taught will tell upon his successors for centuries.

The Czar was born on the 6th of July, 1796, and if he lived until summer, would have attained his fifty-ninth year. He died not of old age, but of a broken heart—of the disappointment caused by the utter failure of all his schemes of aggrandisement, the prostration of all his hopes—a terrible example of the effects of unhallowed ambition.

Before a great event like this, all the other foreign affairs of the week fade into insignificance.

From the Manchester Examiner, March 3d.

The telegraph yesterday morning announced that intelligence had been received from Berlin of the dangerous illness of the Emperor of Russia.—This was the first intimation that had been made of even the indisposition of the Czar. Tidings rapidly followed of the final termination of his illness.—When the house of Lords met last night, Lord Clarendon made the astounding statement that he had been informed by a telegraphic message from the British Minister at the Hague, that our imperial foe, the Great Autocrat of all the Russias, had been suddenly seized with apoplexy, and was no more. Lord Palmerston made the same announcement to the House of Commons, and there can be no doubt that the intelligence is authentic.

This sudden and unexpected event will unquestionably exercise a most important influence over the future course of European politics. We shall not presume to speculate on the possible modifications which it may produce in the existing relations between Russia and the other great powers of Europe. The close of the career of such a potentate, in the midst of a great contest that threatened such disasters to the world, will not fail to arouse conjectures and suspicions as to the means whereby his life had been so suddenly terminated. The cause of his death is said to have been apoplexy; and when we remember the fact that he has long been supposed to labor under disease of the heart, and how greatly the toils and the anxieties of the past year must have pressed upon his mind, we can readily believe that his career has been cut short by an apoplectic seizure. If his death should tend in any way to facilitate peace, it will prove a great blessing to the world, and we can only hope that his successor may seize the opportunity of inaugurating his reign by frank assurances of his determination to give every reasonable security for the maintenance of amicable relations between Russia and the Allied Powers.

Prussia and the Western Powers.

The conferences at Paris between the Prussian envoys, Gen Baron de Wedell and Count Hatzfeld, and M. Drouyn de l'Huys, began on Tuesday, 20th ult., at the hotel of the latter. Gen de Wendell had found it necessary to return to Berlin to receive personal instructions from His Prussian Majesty, but is expected back again in the shortest possible space of time. Baron de Usedom has left for London.

The *Leipzgir Zeitung* gives the following version of the conditions under which Gen. von Wendell is authorized to conclude the mad treaty at Paris:—

1. No territorial dismemberment of the Russian empire shall be demanded by the Allied Powers.

2. All revolutionary elements are to be kept at a distance.

3. With respect to the guarantees to be demanded of Russia, the "four points" established by the Vienna conference shall not be exceeded.

4. With respect to the third of these "Four Points" (abolition of the Russian supremacy in the Black Sea,) only such demands shall be made on Russia, with due regard to her dignity and influence as a great power, might be enabled to accept.

5. A plenipotentiary on the part of Prussia shall take part in the peace negotiations which are forthwith to be opened at Vienna with Prince Gortschakoff the Russian plenipotentiary. In the event of these conditions being agreed to by the Western Powers, Prussia has offered to establish an army of 100,000 men on the eastern frontiers. The mission of Lieutenant General von Wedell, it is added, was the immediate result of the King of Prussia's own order, and did not emanate directly from the Prussian Ministry. The latter will adopt the consequences of the said mission, if its objects be unrelied in a satisfactory degree.

The following dispatch relative to the Vienna conference, had been received in London:—

COLOGNE, March 1, 1855.

Intelligence from Berlin states that Lord John Russell is to remain here only two days. The opening of the Vienna Conference being so very near, it is doubtful whether Prussia will be represented there at the beginning. Baron Usedom and Count Alvensleben are designated as Prussian Envoys. There is a rumor that the negotiations have been interrupted through unexpected difficulties.

The French Government still maintains that Prussia, as a preliminary condition to taking part in the Conference of Vienna, must engage herself to abide by the majority, whatever that may be, and Prussia, or rather Gen. de Wedell, declines that engagement, asserting that the point is one which is a proper matter for discussion by the Conference which he asks to be admitted to.

Know Nothings in Virginia.

The Richmond Post, the organ of the Know Nothings, says:—"We learn from a source in which we place the most implicit confidence that there are already, in Eastern Virginia, 52,000 members of the Know Nothing order. How many there are in the West we do not know. We learn from Kanawha that there are two thousand in that county alone. We learn that there are already nine hundred in Wythe and that the weekly increase is tremendous. In the strongest Democratic counties in the West; the Know Nothings are the strongest. But they are strong everywhere. All over Western Virginia, the flame is carrying every thing before it, as inevitably as a fire on a prairie.

Darkness.

A negro wench, on a dark night, in a dark alley, looking down a dark hole after a black cat.

China.

The insurgents hold Canton in seige.

Belgium.

Lord John Russel had an interview with King Leopold on his way to Berlin.

Affair of Lord Lucan.

Lord Lucan arrived in London on the 1st inst. from the Crimea. The following particulars respecting the recall of the noble lord may be relied on:

"On the 12th February Lord Lucan received, through Lord Raglan, a letter from the Duke of Newcastle, to say that her Majesty desired that he would resign the command of the cavalry, and return to England. Lord Lucan had had a dispute with Lord Raglan about the charge at Balaklava. Lord Raglan had said in his dispatch that the "charge had taken place in consequence of the misconstruction of his order by the officer commanding the cavalry," or words to that effect.—Lord Lucan, when the dispatch came out in the newspapers here, wrote to Lord Raglan a strong letter to prove that he did not misconstrue the order and that he could not act otherwise than he did; and begging that his letter, in his own defence might have the same publicity as the original dispatch. They wanted Lord Lucan to withdraw the letter—he would not; so Lord Raglan forwarded it to the Duke of Newcastle; What comment he made on it we do not know. The Duke of Newcastle wrote to Lord Hardinge to have his opinion, as being more versed in military matters; but saying that his own opinion was that it would not do to have the general commanding the cavalry division disagreeing so seriously with his immediate Commander-in-chief; and that he thought it would be necessary to recall Lord Lucan. Lord Hardinge took the same view of the case, and Lord Lucan is recalled.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The election in New Hampshire.

The New York Herald gives the following as the result of the New Hampshire election:

GOVERNOR.

Baker, Dem.	24,575.
Metcalf, K. N.	31,232.
Bell, Whig,	3,175
Scattering	953,

CONGRESSIONAL.

Pike, K. N. Kittridge, Dem.	
First district	7,053 4,835
Tappan, K. N. Morrison, Dem.	
Second district	12,794 8,162
Cogan, K. N. Wheeler, Dem.	
Third district	2 824 4,217

The few towns to be heard from in each district will not materially alter the majorities of the Know Nothing candidates.

Whig Precinct Convention.

At a meeting held on Wednesday evening, April 25th, 1855, the following proceedings were had:

On motion S.S. White was appointed Chairman and M. Davenport, Secretary.

On motion the Chairman was authorized to appoint three as a committee to select five delegates to attend the County Convention to be held on Saturday the 28th inst.

The committee reported the following persons: Jno. L. Budow, E. Milwain, Jno. F. Brooks, J. E. Harford, and Jas. O'Neill.

On motion, the report was adopted.

On motion, the above proceedings were ordered to be published in THE OREGON ARGUS, and that the delegates from the several precincts be requested to meet with us, at one o'clock, on Saturday the 28th inst., in the Hall over the Drug Store.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

S. S. WHITE, Ch'n.

M. DAVENPORT, Sec.

Breach of Promise and Slander.

A suit to recover damages for breach of promise and slander, was tried in the Jefferson (Ky.) Circuit Court last week. The plaintiff, Miss Sarah Goodman, alleged that she was engaged to be married to Julius Edil, and pending the engagement, he spake slanderous words of her, and then said that, on account of the truthfulness of the words uttered, he would not marry her. Miss Goodman further alleged that by reason of the slanderous and abusive language used, and the refusal on the part of Edil to marry her, she had been injured in the sum of $3,000, for which she asked judgement. The jury gave her all she claimed.

Woman Shot.

Day before yesterday, a negro by the name of South got into a quarrel with some Kanakas in the lower end of town, when Smith, in order to revenge for a rock which had struck the side of his head, fired a rifle into the house of the Kanaka. The ball passed through the clapboards and struck the Kanaka's wife (who was sitting on a trunk) in the hip, inflicting, no doubt, a mortal wound. Smith had a hearing before Esq. Johnson, and was committed to jail.

Cheering.

New Hampshire, the home of Pierce, and the gibralter of the Administration support has thrown off her shackles of party slavery and gloriously enlisted under the banner of true republicanism. Metcalf (American) is elected over all others, for Governor by a majority of 2,550. The people have ten Senators and Pierce one. The House stands People 221, to Pierce and Douglas 79.

(What a pity Jo Lane was not there to stump the State for Pierce, Douglas, Nebraska and "free trade" in whisky and "niggers." His tremendous powers and influence would unquestionably have caused N. Hampshire to roll up a still heavier majority against the administration. If he had been as successful as in Indiana, the single Nebraska seed of the Administration now in the Senate, might have been left to decay in its own pod, among the rocks and brush of one of the hollows of New Hampshire.)

500 lbs. Feathers for sale by
ap21tf T. JOHNSON.

"Say Gaines versus a seeing society, or something of that kind, but don't put him against the whole world and "the res of mankind."—*Statesman.*

We will gratify you by saying—Gaines against Jo Lane, which will come quite near enough to "*something of that kind.*"

MARRIED.

On the 12th inst., by Rev. J. O. Bates, in Polk County, Mr. MARIAS HENDRICKS to Miss ELLEN SAWYER, daughter of Mark Sawyer, of Yamhill County.

In Boonville, April 23d, 1855, by S. M. Black, Esq., Mr. CHRISTIAN SWEITZER to Miss ELIZABETH GEER.

By the same, at the same time and place, Mr. JOSEPH BUCKNEL and Miss JOSEPHINE LATOURETTE of Oregon City.

Oh, married lovers each heart shall own,
Where two congenial souls unite;
Thy golden chains in-laid with down,
Thy lamp with Heaven's own splendor bright.

Portland Prices Current.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

Dry Goods.

Sheeting, 4-4	11½
Drilling	11½
Bleached drilling	12½
" shirting, 10x12	
Striped do 13x14	
Ticking	12½x14
Denims	12½
Blue drilling	11½
Plaid linsey	14@20
Satinet	20@30
Kentucky jeans	25x40
Tweeds	35x70

Prints.

Blue and white	11½
Blue and orange	11½
Fancy	8@12
" super	12x15
Furniture do	12x12
" do. wide	14
M. de lanes	14x25
Ginghams	14
" Scotch	16x25
Alpaca	20x60
Table damask	62x84
" cloths	75@$2
Irish linens	40x84

Clothing.

Sheep gray pants	$2½@3
Satinet do	$2½@3½
Fancy cass. do	$3@5
Black cass. do	$4½@5
Fine clothing	25 pr ct.
advance on N. Y. cost	

Red flan'l shirts	$12@15
Blue do. do	$15@18
Hickory shirts	45@60
Calico do	$1@2

Boots & shoes.

Men's kip boots	$5@$6
" super do do	$4½
" heavy wax do	$3
" fine sewed do	$3
Boys' kip boots	$3
" heavy wax do	$2½
Misses' kip's pr. doz	$17
" kip's pr doz	$18
" calf sewed do	$21
Women's h'vy sh's	$1
" fine do	$1¼
" buskins	$1@1½
Child'n's shoes	25x30
et advance on N. Y. cost.	

Groceries.

Coffee	15x18
Tea	55x70
Sugar, no. 1 Chi'a	12@12½
" Peruvian	con
" crushed	15
Saleratus	12½
Starch	12½
Syrup	75x87½
Salt	2½
Fine salt	4
Pepper	25
Alspice	50
Cinnamon	55x60
Soap	7x10
From 3c. to 10c pr. ct.	
over N. Y. cost.	

Produce.

Wheat, pr bu	81
Oats do	50
Potatoes do	25
Onions do	$1½
Flour	8
Corn Meal, fresh	6
Buckwheat Flour	7

Fruit.

Apples, dry pr lb	2@3c
" dried do	15
Peaches, dried do	15
" do peeled	10
" Chili, dr ed	20x22

Provisions.

Pork, clear	$24
" mess	$20
Hams	14x28
Bacon	14

Powder.

Hazard's pr cane	$15
" pr keg	$11

Shot.

Small sizes	$2½@3
Buck	$3@3½

Lead.

Bar	14
White lead, in oil	14

Cordage.

Manilla, small	25
" large	25
Hemp	10x15

Candles.

Adamantine	32
Sperm	60x72

Cigars.

Havana	$40@90
German	$15@25
American	$20@50

Tobacco.

Pride of the Union	40
Sun	none
Luke's	50

Hardware.

Shovels	$10½@15
Spades	$13@16
Axes	$13@17
Mill saws	50x84
Y saw saws	75@?
Table cutlery, 10 to pr ct	
advance on N. Y. cost.	
Pocket cutlery, 25 pr ct	
advance.	
Other articles of hard-	
ware from 20 to 40 pr	
ct advance.	
Nails, cut	9
" horse shoe	20x25

Oils.

Lamp	$1¼@1½
Linseed boil	$2¼

April 28.

ESTRAY!

STRAYED from the subscriber, on the 17th of March last, two cows. One a brindle and white-pied cow, about six years old, having a piece broken off one of her horns.

Also, a dark blue brindle heifer with a white face, and some white on her legs and back. No ear marks recollected. Any person giving me information of the whereabouts of said cows, or who will return them to me, shall be suitably rewarded.

WM. BROUGHTON.

Oregon City, April 25, 1855-2t3

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration have been issued by the Probate court of Clackamas county, Oregon Territory, to the undersigned upon the estate of A. J. Cubbag, deceased, late of said county and territory, bearing date April 17, 1855. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to present the same with the necessary vouchers within one year from the date of this notice, to the subscriber residing on Milk creek in said county, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

MARY JANE CUTTING.

April 28, 1855-2t4 Administratrix.

Notice.

ALL those indebted to Preston, O'Neill & Co., are requested to call and settle the same immediately, by *Cash or Produce.* All debts remaining unpaid 1st of June, will be left for collection. [ap21tf] JAMES O'NEILL.

CLOCKS!—Beautiful time keepers, at very low prices. G. ABERNETHY & CO.

FURNITURE.—Bedsteads and chairs for sale low to close the invoice.
ap21 G. ABERNETHY & CO.

REAPERS & THRASHERS.—See the silver cup advertisement.
ap21 ABERNETHY & CO.

Central Produce Depot,

CANEMAH.

CONSTANTLY receiving, fresh from ranch, wheat, oats, bacon, lard, butter and potatoes.
ap21 JOHN P. BROOKS.

Just Received,

At the 'Old Stand,' Canemah, April 21, '55.

4,000 Lbs. Light Brown Sugar,
1,000 lbs. China No. 1, do.,
1,000 lbs. Rio Coffee,
15 Tons coarse salt; 500 lbs. fine do.,
3,000 lbs. Oregon Bacon;
1,000 bushels oats, for sale wholesale or retail, by
JOHN P. BROOKS.

10 tons Salt, imported direct from Sandwich Islands, for sale in lots to suit purchasers, by [ap21tf] THOS. JOHNSON.

OIL and syrup in barrels, for sale by
ap21tf THOS. JOHNSON.

A LARGE assortment of household furniture for sale by [ap21] THOS. JOHNSON.

PAPER Hangings, a new lot, for sale by
ap21tf T. JOHNSON.

25,000 feet Boards for sale in lots to suit, by T. JOHNSON.

BUSINESS CARDS.

JAMES O'NEILL,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
Provisions & Hardware,
No. 1, Main Street.

GEO. ABERNETHY & CO.,

MERCHANTS,
OREGON CITY, OREGON TERRITORY

GEO ABERNETHY, HIRAM CLARKE, | THOMAS POPE, JAS. R. ROSS.

April 21, 1855-1tf

CHARLES POPE, JR.,

DEALER IN

Hardware,
Groceries,
Dry Goods,
Clothing,
Boots & Shoes,
Medicines,
Books & Stationery.

Main-st., Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1tf

JOHN R. McBRIDE,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
Lafayette, Yamhill County, O. T.,

WILL faithfully attend to all busin ss entrusted to his professional care.
April 21, 1855-1tf

JOHN P. BROOKS,

Wholesale & Retail Dealer in Groceries, Produce, Provisions, &c. Main Street.

A General Assortment kept up of Selected Goods.

Canemah, April 21, 1855-1tf.

FRESH ARRIVAL OF GROCERIES, &C.

THE subscriber has just received a fresh supply of *Groceries, Provisions and Hardware,* which, in addition to his former stock, he will sell at *extremely low prices for Cash or Produce.* His stock consists in part of the following articles:

New Orleans sugar,	Sandwich Island sugar,
Crushed do.	Powdered, do.
Rio & Java coffee,	Young Hyson and Imperial teas,
New Orleans syrup,	Dried Apples & Peaches
Sandwich Islands do	Yeast & Soap Powders,
Saleratus,	Cinnamon & Cloves.
Pepper & Alspice,	
East Boston syrup,	

Saws.—Cast and German steel, mill and cross-cut, hand, panel, and whip-saws.

Files and Rasps.—Mill saw files from 10 to 16 inches; flat bastard files from 10 to 14 inches; taper files from 3 to 7 inches; half round files from 7 to 14 inches; round do from 5 to 7 inches; horse rasps from 11 to 14 inches.

Carpenters' Tools.—Firmer chisels and gouges in sets or single; locket chisels; bench planes; iron and steel squares; try squares; scratch awls and saw setters; plain and slatted marking gauges and bevels; common and screw-nose augers; hand-saws; hammers and hatchets.

Builders' Hardware.—Rim, flat, pad and mortice locks and latches; brass, mineral and white knobs; complete round, oval and flat spring bolts; cast butts of all sizes, and screws; also, round and flat bar iron; nail rod, &c.; horse shoe bar, &c., and plow steel.

ap21tf JAMES O'NEILL.

OATS wanted at the store of
ap21 C. POPE, Jr.

SEED buckwheat for sale by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

CHAIN pumps for sale by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

Dr. Jayne's medicines for sale by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

CAL de Coalgate, a superior article, at
ap21tf POPE'S.

BARRY'S Tricopherone for sale by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

WINDOW glass, by the box or single light, at
ap21tf POPE'S.

RIFLE powder, also blasting powder, wholesale and retail, at POPE'S.

SANDS' sarsaparilla for sale by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

5 doz. maple chairs for sale cheap by
ap21tf C. POPE, Jr.

LADIES Gaiter Shoes selling cheap at the store of [ap21tf] C. POPE, Jr.

MARBLE toilet ware, a few more sets left at
ap21tf POPE'S.

BIBLES and Testaments, all sizes, may be found at [ap21tf] POPE'S.

BOSTON syrup, New Orleans sugar, and Liverpool salt, for sale, wholesale and retail, by
[ap21tf] C. POPE, Jr.

Blacksmiths' Attention!!

ON HAND—Plow steel, iron, bellows, anvils, horse shoes, vices, horse nails, mule shoes, crow bars, wrought nails, and English bar iron at 6 cents per lb.
ap21 G. ABERNETHY & CO.

WHEAT, Oats, and Flour wanted in exchange for merchandise.
ap21 G. ABERNETHY & CO.

For San Francisco.

THE staunch and fast Bark C. Dervenis, Haley, master, will load with produce for San Francisco about the 23d April. Freight $10 per ton. Shippers can consign to our house in San Francisco if desired.
ap21 G. ABERNETHY & CO.

FERRY ROPE.—2 and 3 inch cable, suitable for Ferry Rope, just received.
ap21 G. ABERNETHY & CO.

For Sale—Less than Cost!

CHAIRS, bedsteads, window blinds, counter legs, wrought nails, horse nails, framing pins, mill saws, frying pans, grass scythes, cart harness.
ap21 GEO. ABERNETHY & CO.

Allan, M'Kinlay & Co

HAVE just received

A NEW STOCK OF GOODS,

and would invite all those who wish to procure GOOD articles at reasonable prices, to call and see them. They consist in part of the following:

grindstones	canal & wheel barrows
grain cradles	fancy brooms
grass scythes & snathes	plain do
brush do do	assort'd colored pails
16 oz harrows 23 teeth	painted tubs
garden rakes	zinc wash boards
do hoes	blacksmith's bellows
do spades	cross cut saws 7 ft
polished shovels	do 6 ft
hay forks	mill saws 7 ft
manure forks	hair mattresses double
chorus	do single
window glass 8 by 10	hair bolsters double
do 10 by 12	do single
do 7 by 9	sperm candles
window sashes 8 by 10	adamantine do
do 10 by 12	grape brand tobacco
ex bows and spikes	lucke tobacco

BLANKETS, BAISE, LINDSEYS, Sheetings Ticks, &c. &c.

And keep constantly on hand a large supply of

GROCERIES,

clothing, hardware, and many articles too numerous to mention.

ALLAN, M'KINLAY & CO.

Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1y

Great Distress among the Army of Sevastapol!!

Dreadful scarcity of Provision!—Oregon Granaries full and overflowing!!

CHARMAN & WARNER,

Agents under Providence for lightening the load kind!!

DO not suppose that Charman & Warner's establishment died off with that of the old "Speculator!" We are happy to inform all our *old friends* in particular, and our *new ones* in general, that we are still alive and knocking at the old stand, where we will make it our particular business to furnish fried and fat with just such dainties in the line of provisions, groceries and confectionery as would make even an anchorite's heart swim, his soul stand on tiptoe, and make him wish his throat as "long as a fence rail," so he might protract the pleasure afforded by swallowing some of our nice things.

Do not forget our old stand and get into the wrong place, but be sure you are "all right" when you are striking a bee-line towards the house of

CHARMAN & WARNER.

Oregon City, April 21, 1855.—1y

Reading for the Million!

S. J. McCORMICK

HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND AT THE FRANKLIN BOOK STORE, FRONT-ST., PORTLAND, OREGON,

A Choice selection of Popular Books, Newspapers, Magazines and Fancy Stationery.

Among the books on hand will be found works on Temperance, Agriculture, Horticulture, History, Poetry, Biography, Medicine, Religion, Science, School Books, Romances, &c., &c., &c.

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"Statesman" copy—1 mo.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY

FOR SALE BY

CHARLES POPE, JR.

WEBSTER'S Dictionaries, all sizes, from primary school to two dictionaries.

Blake's Biographical Dictionary;

"Progress of America," by McGregor;

"Shady Side," "Queechy," and Uncle Tom's Cabin;

T. S Arthur's works; Charlotte Elizabeth's do Dr. Spring's do.

POETS.—Milton, Young, Thomson, Cowper, Ossian, Pollock, and others.

AGS.—Downing's Fruit Culturist; Thomas' do. Youatt on sheep; Do. on horse.

Allen's American Farm Book; Do. domestic animals.

Rural Architecture, Rural Homes, &c. and Sanders' New Readers—1st, 2d, 3d, 4th & 5th.

McGuffie's Readers.

Sanders' Spellers; Elementary do.

Thomson's Arithmetics; Book-keeping, Copy Books, &c.

AGS.—Faber's Pencils, Gillott's Pens, Blank Books, Envelopes, Foolscap, Note and Letter Paper, Wafers, &c., &c. ☞ Wholesale and Retail. ☞
Main-st., Oregon City, April 21, 1855—1y

MEDICINES FOR SALE

BY CHARLES POPE, JR.

SANDS' Sarsaparilla, Peck's Wild Cherry Bitters, Baleman's drops, Brandreth's pills, Lee's pills, Perry's vermifuge, Opodeldoc, Gum Camphor, Gum Arabic, Brandish oil, Lobelia, Hot drops, 2d preparation, Roman rye balsom, Dalley's pain extractor, Laudanum, Paregoric, Oil of Peppermint, Essences, Composition Powders, Carter's Pulmonary Balsom, Sulphur, Epsom Salts, &c.
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HARDWARE

FOR SALE BY CHARLES POPE, JR.

BRASS and Iron Butts, Screws, Locks and Latches, Hammers and Hatchets, Axes, Drawing-knives, Handsaws, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes and Cards, Gun Locks, Gun Caps, Wool Cards, Chest Handles, Planes, &c.
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GROCERIES

FOR SALE BY CHARLES POPE, JR

SUGAR, Salt, Coffee, Tea, Syrup, Chocolate, Starch, Saleratus, Cream Tartar, Sal Soda, Cash Soda, Pepper, Spice, Alum, Rosin, Copperas, &c. April 21, 1855-1tf

G. ABERNETHY & CO.

WHOLESALE DEALERS,

OFFER for sale the following goods just received from New York and Sandwich Islands, per barks C. Devens and Ocean Bird, i. a.

50 Tons S. I. Salt,	15,000 yards new style prints
92 bags prime coffee	10,000 " bro'n muslins
10 tons fine salt	5,000 " bleach'd do
100 kegs brown sugar	100 lbs. linen thread
100 " syrup & molasses	50 pieces silk bdkfs
5 barrels whale oil	1,500 yards hickory
10 doz grain scythes	2 doz. umbrellas
50 " grain cradles	50 cas. boots & shoes
2 reaping machines	20 doz. slates
3 threshing do	20 " draw'g knives
12 straw cutters	10 " coffee mills
100 reams wrap. paper	2½ jack planes
150 lbs. Manx twine	10 doz. hand saws
10 doz. Colins' axes	150 fancy stocks
10 " hoes	25 kegs saleratus
5 Smith's bellows	10 cases "Lucke's" tobacco
10 dozen mill saws, best quality	10 " "Ceranocula" tobacco
15 doz bed cords	Joyne's medicines
10 coils rope	1 pr. 4 ft. mill bars
100 box'es cream tartar	5 doz. cross bars
100 lbs. borax	25 lbs. b'k saw'g silk
25 " alspice	10 " sew'g " "
1,000 " ginghams	

Together with a large assortment of dry goods, clothing, medicines, iron, steel, blacksmiths' tools, chains, bedsteads, cigars, and other articles previously on hand; and all of which are offered for sale for cash, produce, or on short time to approved customers.

Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1tf

Selling off at Cost.

THE stock of Dry Goods and Hardware of Preston, O'Neill & Co. will be closed out at cost prices. Persons desirous of buying cheap, will do well to call on the subscriber.
ap21tf JAMES O'NEILL.

New Orleans Sugar & Molasses.

50 Barrels of New Orleans sugar per clipper ship "Hathay."

50 do. of New Orleans molasses per clipper "Herald of the Morning."

The above articles I shall receive about the 15th of May, *direct* from New York, and will close them out at low prices.
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COARSE & FINE SALT.—I have in store 25 tons coarse and fine salt, to be sold very *cheap.* [ap21tf] JAMES O'NEILL.

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JAMES O'NEILL, *Agent.*

Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1tf

Who Wants the Silver Cup?

WE will give a *SILVER CUP,* or $25 in *GOLD,* to the owner of any Reaping machine who will, at a public trial of reapers, in presence of regularly chosen and disinterested judges, produce a reaper that will do more and better work than *Burrill's Connertible Reaper.*

Said trial to occur during this coming harvest, and not more than one reaper of any one kind to be introduced as competitors. Time and place to be agreed on with parties entering for the trial.

Below we give a notice of this machine and some of the advantages claimed for it:

"At the trial of reapers in the harvest field in Genesee, New York, in July last, by the judges appointed by the *New York State Agricultural Society,* nine reapers were entered, and each required to cut about three acres of wheat and two of barley much lodged and tangled, the straw soft and tough, on rough and uneven ground. Every facility was afforded for a full and impartial trial, and examination as to draft, construction and performance; and the first prize was awarded to Thos. D. Burrell for the *Best Grain Reaper.*

The judges, in the report, say: 'T. D. Burrill's machine performed its work in the most admirable manner; the gavels were well laid, the workmanship and materials excellent.' It has no extra wheels or pinions beyond what are simply necessary; no reel to beat down and waste the grain, no hand wheels, pulleys, belts, straps, or harness to get out of order; simplicity and strength for doing work *all day and every day* have been the leading objects.

1st. It cuts grain of all kinds, in all conditions, without clogging, and may be worked either by horses or oxen.

2d. It cuts at any height required by a few moments change.

3d. It discharges the grain in the rear, if preferred, like Hussey's, or at the side, like McCormick's. This change is made by an extra apron, (attached in a moment,) from which the grain is laid in better condition than by any other machine.

4th. It has a balance wheel, which gives a quiet and uniform motion to the machine.

We have a few of these reapers for sale. They will be ready for exhibition on and after April 20th, and the attention of Farmers is solicited to *THE BEST REAPER OUT.*

ALSO, 1 Eight Horse Thresher; 2 Two Horse Threshers; 20 dozen Grain Cradles; 30 dozen Grain Scythes; 12 Straw Cutters; 3 Fan Mills.

GEO. ABERNETHY & CO.,
Oregon City.

April 21, 1855-1tf

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THE undersigned has on hand, and is now making daily, every description of the above well-known Plows; which for material and workmanship are vastly superior to any in the Territory. All warranted to scour and do good work, and which he will sell at moderate prices, for *Cash or Grain.* Those in want of a good plow would do well to come and examine mine before purchasing elsewhere.

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EZRA POST,
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April 21, 1855-1y

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Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1tf

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