Mr. Editor—Will you please inform me through the columns of THE ARGUS, whether it is a postmaster's duty to open a sealed (or not) package addressed to a lady, or any other individual public or private? If you will do so I shall feel obliged.

INQUIRER.

Salt Creek, Polk Co., March 17.

The law requires all packages not charged with letter postage, to be left open at one end. A newspaper directed thus, ought to be delivered without tearing off the wrapper. If a sealed package comes, charged with letter postage, a postmaster has no more right to open it than he has to break open one of your letters.

☞ Don't believe half the rumors you hear now-a-days. Remember that white man, like poor Indian, *'berry unsartin.'* We have nearly worn our legs out in "tracing up" reports in order to get at the truth.—Out of a sack of news of the size of a well stuffed bed tick, we seldom get more than a thimbleful that is worth retailing through the papers, keep cool, for goodness sake keep cool; it will add to your happiness and health. Don't go off half cocked, at every thing you hear from two-legged gasometers.

☞ In another place we publish a receipt for making apple pies without apples. Sharp vinegar will do as a substitute for acid, if the latter cannot be obtained.—Last week we published receipts for making whitewash, candles, &c. These receipts are worth more to every housekeeper than the subscription price of our paper per year. Every body ought to keep a file of their papers, and be able thus to turn the information they contain to good account. This is probably one reason why those who take the papers, are generally in better circumstances than those who do not.

☞ A shrewd correspondent comes down upon the President's message in the last *Oregonian*, which might sound witty if we hadn't seen the most of it in a Boston paper about one month ago.

☞ By referring to our advertising columns it will be seen that the Yamhill Company will soon have a good boat running in the Yamhill trade. Success to the enterprise.

☞ Rev. Mr. POST, has been appointed by the Commissioners Court as Superintendent of Schools, in place of L. F. CARTEE.

☞ Judge PRATT is dead set against a State government at present.

☞ We shall send THE ARGUS hereafter outside of the mails to all offices on the river, when we can do so, by the boats. We are enabled by the kindness of the Captain and Clerk of the *Enterprise* to forward our packages up country considerably in advance of the mail.

☞ The weather has been warm and showery for a few days past. The grass is coming forward rapidly, and we hope that enough of it will soon be converted into butter to reduce the price something below 60 cents, or editors and other poor men will have to forego this luxury.

☞ The State of New York has about one-eigth of the population of the Union, Pennsylvania about a tenth, and Delaware about one hundred and twenty third.—There is one house to every six persons in the country. The Catholics have but one-eleventh as many churches as the Methodists. The Methodists and Baptists together have more than one-half the churches, and the Episcopal and Roman Catholic are about equal in number. The averege value of the church edifices in the country is but $2357; they will each seat 376 persons upon the average.

The Entire Length of the Mississippi Closed with Ice.

The following facts relative to effects of cold weather on the navigation of the Mississippi River, we take from the St. Louis Republican, of a recent date, as sufficiently remarkable to spread on the record of cold weather:

Capt. Sheble, of the steamer Michigan, has favored us with the following river news. When the Michigan left New Orleans, the probability was that she would have to contend with heavy ice, as the weather was cold for that latitude, and the people were going muffled up in shawls and cloaks as in mid winter at the North.

The Michigan met ice fifteen inches thick at Natchez, and stemmed it at that point with great difficulty. She, however, pushed along, breaking a wheel arm or bucket occasionally. At Vicksburg the ice was making very fast, and the river was almost impassable. The Michigan, however, plowed along slowly against the ice and current to Napoleon, at the mouth of the Arkansas River, where the ice had become so thick and heavy, and her wheels so broken, that she was obliged to lay up and await the opening of navigation.

For a considerable distance below Cairo the river is full of ice, moving slowly down in a solid body, and it is thought that another cold night would close it. There is no ice coming out of the Mississippi above Cairo, the river being gorged just above.—The Ohio River is also gorged at Paducah, and the ice with which the river is filled below Cairo, is all sharp, new made ice, and very heavy.

At Memphis the ponds are frozen over to the thickness of twelve to fourteen inches, and the citizens are cutting and storing away their own ice—a circumstance, the like of which the "oldest inhabitant" does not remember to have occurred before.

In fact, the people along the river, from Cairo to New Orleans, are astonished at the results of cold weather, and all say that a winter like the present was never known before in these latitudes.

Capt. Sheble is of opinion—judging from the condition of the river, and the weather during the passage up—that the ice is now running out at the Balize, and the river may be considered closed for navigable purposes its entire length. Should this be the case, the circumstance will be unprecedented in the memory of any one living, and we doubt if tradition has a thing so remarkable to recount.

☞ The Charleston Evening News understands that the elephant which was lost overboard from a vessel bound to that port, made its way safely into Mount Pleasant harbor! The vessel was thirty miles out at sea, and a heavy gale blowing when the elephant went overboard. Its feat of riding out the storm is, we suppose, the most remarkable instance of animal strength and endurance on record.

☞ The Taunton (Eng) Courier states that the Mormon delusion in that neighborhood—where for the last twelve months, a couple of elders have been propagating their "latter day" doctrine—is fast dying out; and that the hall in which they have held their meetings is now let to a glass and china dealer—articles not quite so brittle even as the Mormon creed.

☞ The New York Commercial Advertiser notes an unintentional joke in that very grave document, the United States treasurer's report, viz:

We find in the enumeration among the articles which we do not import, but manufacture for ourselves, *vices of all descriptions.*"

☞ The annual tax bill for the city and county of New York provides for the raising of $3,485,944.

☞ Sixty children were sent West lately from the New York Home of the friendless. Good homes were secured for all of them.

]Advertisement.]

LINN CITY, April 1st, 1856.

Mr. Editor—In your notice last week of S. K. Remick's complaint against me I was pained to see that the facts were not correctly stated. I am a poor man and without influence, and I feel sure you will allow me through your paper to state the facts so that I may get simple justice,—I ask nothing more. For a long time past I have been an humble ferryman, doing my duty so far as I could, both to the public and to the owners of the ferry; and, while I cannot please all, I try at least to be accommodating to the people and faithful to my employers. Imposition is often sought to be practiced upon me by worthless vagabonds, and if I try to resist it I only ask honest and good men to hear and know the truth before they condemn me.

About one year ago Remick crossed the ferry often and ran up a bill of $2 00, in May afterwards I asked him for it, and he promised to pay in a week. I again desired him to pay. He made another promise but failed, and soon afterwards went off to the Colville mines. Before going he once more promised to pay when he came back, about the 8th of March, and after he returned, I went up to Mr. Dement's store where he was stopping, and once more, in a respectful manner, asked him to pay. To this he replied in an insolent toue, and I became satisfied that he would neither pay nor give me a civil answer. My feelings were hurt as well at his insult as at his cool and impudent determination to cheat my employers out of money which I had earned for him by hard labor. On the 25th of March he came to the ferry and crossed with a horse. he was about to go away—I said to him, "pay your ferriage" he inquired, "how much?" I said, "twenty cents for the present crossing, and if you ever intend to pay the old debt it is time you did it." He replied, "I've got no money." I then said, "you have lied to me so often I don't believe a word you say, so leave your coat in pledge." He then in a violent passion said, "you damned scamp, do you think I will do that?" and started to force himself off. Upon his saying this I was excited and picked up the first stick I could lay hands on and struck him. This brought him to his senses, and he very soon came to understand that poor humble, and unpretending as I am, there was a point beyond which my manhood could not and *would not* submit to insult heaped upon injury. To avenge himself, he has gone and sworn that I attacked him with an intent to kill. *He knows better than that.* I had no such intention. I was wronged, outraged and provoked; and, in the impulse of the moment I intended to teach him a lesson (in the only way I thought he could understand) to treat with common decency people who are his equals in all things, except silly pretensions and downright meanness. I had no other motive. If I did wrong, as I doubtless did so far as the public peace was concerned, I regret it; not on *his* account but because, under the impulse of his outrage, I violated the law, which all correct men are bound to respect.

If you will publish the foregoing I shall be grateful. Yours, &c.,

MICHAEL O'LAUGHLIN.

Notice.

The eighth annual meeting of the Oregon Auxiliary Tract Society will be held at Salem on Thursday, May 15th, at 9 o'clock A. M.

G. H. ATKINSON, Sec'y.

County Temperance Convention.

The friends of the Temperance movement are requested to meet in County Convention at the Hall over the Drug Store, in Oregon City, on Monday, the 14th day of April, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of taking action in regard to the next election of Territorial officers.

By order of the Central Committee.

March 29. THOS. POPE, Sec'y.

For Seat of Government,

STEAMER HOOSIER.

☞ Subject to the decision of the People. 51tf

For Seat of Government,

CANEMAH,

☞ Subject to a vote of the People. 50tf

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office at Oregon City April 1, 1856.

Anees Jim	Kinsey Mrs Elizabeth
Bloyd William A 2	Kelley Wm A
Brock D	Kennard Joseph
Blanchard Joshua P	Kitchen Wm
Brown Dr Z J	Kell Elizabeth Miss
Brown Geo W	Knechtesum J Geo
Brown Chas	Lepley Geo
Brock Jeremiah	Long Sarah A
Bagby Wm	Lockwood R T 2
Burkheart John	Lawson Geo W
Beagle Wm	Lasater J H
Butcher John	Millard Owen C
Blodget Joseph S	Machin Rev P
Brown I M	Mitchell Mathew W
Beer Wm	Muse James H
Buff Joseph	Olds Daniel G
Bidford Franklin	Olds Mrs Nancy Ann
Buckingham Heman	Ogle Howard
Brown Hugh	Pomeroy Mrs M Jane
Burns Lawrence	Patterson C A B
Collings John	Perham Eugene L
Crocket David M	Pooler Louis
Criswell I R	Pitkin Geo W
Coburn John R 2	Pease David
Chamberlin Joseph	Phips Wm
Crawford Robt M	McCoy James F
Cline Joseph	McFarland Mrs D
Durham D O 3	McCormick Isaac
Durham Sylva D	McDonald James
Davis Rev J M	McMillan Robt L 2
Doty Nelson R	Quinn Jas H
Duvlon Mr	Ralls V
Delashmut Russell T	Read David
Douillot Monsieur	Riley Joseph B
Ellsworth Henry M 2	Smith Nathan 2
Eldred Albert	Smith Barnard
Fisher John	Shepherd Edmund G 2
Fisher E T T	Shepherd G A
Fleming H H	Star Philip
Frasure Elizabeth	Simpson Miss Marthey
Ford Jas Washington	Settlemire Geo
Francis Abner H	Steren Samuel L
Faircle Paul S	Stout Richard
Flanagan Miss Bridget	Shanock E
Foster I M	Strolent Randolph
Good D H 2	Sebastian Daniel
Gansner Geo	Shaw Silas
Garret Ameline	Sayers B G
Garlick Wm	Sawtell Henry
Gregg Wm R or Levi	Teal Wm H
Holcomb Guy Corlton 2	Teal Pamelia L L
Hayes Henry E	Tillotson Geo W 2
Howard Wm	Taylor Cris 2
Hukill Allen W	Taylor J C
Helmick Henry	Taylor John A
Hearwick Miss Eliza	Todd John
Hebert Mrs L M	Traul John
Husted Mrs Mary	Tash D N
Hughbanks Geo	Thompson David P
Hubbar Chas	Vanderpool Marion
Haydard Benjamin B	Willis Miss Matilda
Hite Wm S	Wills H G
Irvin Robt	Wells Nicholas
Jamison John C	Wheeler Wm
Knoblock Jacob	Whitlock John
Knight Ira care John Sweek 2	Wm N Wade

W. W. BUCK, P. M.

Yamhill Trade.

COCHRAN, CASSADY & Co., under the name and style of the *Yamhill Company*, are now building a steamer of about 30 tons burthen at Canemah, expressly for the Yamhill trade. She will be ready to run some time in June.

COCHRAN, CASSADY & CO.

Oregon City, April 5. 51tf

Daguerreotypes--Look Here!

JOE BUCHTEL is again on hand at his rooms over Milwain's store, and warrants a good picture to every one who will favor him with a call. Come on and try him. Get a correct likeness of yourself and give it to your wife, your husband, children, brother, sister, or lover. The time will come when they will prize it more highly than any gift you could bestow upon them.

Pictures taken in all weather, and all the various styles of cases. Satisfaction warranted. Entrance to rooms on Third Street.

JOSEPH BUCHTEL.

Oregon City, April 5, 1856. 1y

Morris Thomas,

BARBER AND HAIR DRESSER,

Main st., nearly opposite Holmes & Co.'s.

TERMS OF SHAVING, &C.

Shaving twice a week, one shampoo, hair trimmed once, per month,	$2 00
" once a week, one shampoo, hair trimmed once, per month,	1 25
Hair trimmed,	25
Hair cut and dressed,	50
Shaving, and hair dressed,	25
Shampooing,	50

Oregon City, April 5, 1856-51

Sealed Proposals

WILL be received by the Oregon Manufacturing and Transportation Company for framing and raising a FLOUR MILL, 50x80 feet, 4 stories high, at their works at Linn City.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the counting room of G. Abernethy & Co.

Payments will be made in instalments as the work progresses.

Bids will be received up to the 20th of April.

The Company reserve the right to reject all bids.

Linn City, April 5, 1856. 51-3w

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have taken out letters of administration upon the estate of William Quincey, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same to me for allowance at my residence in Clackamas county, O. T., within one year from date. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

JAMES FINLAYSON, Adm'r.

April 5, 1856. 51-4w

Household Furniture at Auction.

A LOT of household furniture belonging to J. R. Robb, Esq., will be sold at auction on SATURDAY, APRIL 5, at 10 a. m., at the store house of J. G. Campbell, Esq., adjoining the residence of Mr. Robb. The following is a list of some of the articles:

1 dressing bureau, 4 bedsteads, 3 hair mattresses, 2 sofas, 2 mahogany tables, 1 center table, 1 rocking-chair, 3 looking-glasses, 1 wash-stand, together with crockery, tin ware, stove, lamps, churn, &c., &c. Terms cash.

G. ABERNETHY & CO.

Oregon City, March 29. 50-2w

KELLY'S

Private Boarding House,

Opposite Holmes & Co.'s Fire-proof building,

OREGON CITY, O. T.

☞ Charges reasonable. Nov. 3-6m.

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

500 lbs. Feathers for sale by T. JOHNSON.

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CIGARS—The best chance to pick is at the store of *CHARMAN & WARNER.*

Farm for Sale.

A FARM of 640 acres of land in Yamhill county, six miles west of Lafayette, is offered for sale. There are 80 acres in cultivation, and 150 acres in pasture—an orchard of 50 bearing apple trees. The place is well watered and timbered, and has two wells of excellent water, good buildings and out-houses. The land is as good as there is in Oregon or the world, and its location makes it as good a stock farm as there is in the Territory. Farming utensils and stock will be sold with the place, if desired. The claim is well stocked with cattle, horses, and hogs, and can be had on reasonable terms.

☞ Inquire at THE ARGUS Office, Oregon City.

Reapers---Thrashers.

WE have shipped from New York on fast clipper ships the following articles, which we offer to sell before or after arrival:

4 Seymour & Morgan's self-raking Reapers;
4 eight-horse Thrashers, improved iron power;
1 two-horse Thrasher;
12 Straw cutters;
100 Grain Cradles.

Price of Reaper,	$400
" " 8-horse Thrasher,	850
" " 2 " "	400

GEO. ABERNETHY & CO.

Oregon City, March 22, 1856.

Splendid Jewelry.

G. COLLIER ROBBINS has now on hand the finest assortment of JEWELRY ever brought to Oregon. The assortment consists in part of the following articles:

Diamond breastes,
Diamond rings,
Gold railway time-keepers,
Ladies' watches, in enameled cases,
Ladies chatelaners,
Mosaic ear-rings,
Gold thimbles, gold and silver pens,
Card cases, mantel ornaments,
Card baskets, pearl caskets,
Gold guard, vest, and fob chains,
Sleeve buttons, shirt studs,
Ladies brooches,

and a variety of other goods too numerous to mention.

Call and see the most magnificent display of Jewelry ever seen in Oregon.

G. COLLIER ROBBINS,

March 22. Front street, Portland.

Furniture.

THE subscriber has just received a large supply of FURNITURE of all descriptions, consisting in part as follows—

Sofas, mahogany and black walnut;
Chamber sets;
Bureaus, with or without marble tops;
Office desks;
Rocking chairs, stuffed in hair, carpet, and with cane and wood seats;
Dining chairs, cane and wood seats;
Office chairs, do do do
Children's do, high dining and rocking;
Bedsteads, various kinds;
Tables, center, card, and dining;
Writing desks;
Sideboards;
Parlor chairs;
Settees;
Reading, toilet, and work tables;
Looking-glasses;
Mattresses, hair, moss, and wool;
Window shades;
Feathers;
Paper hangings, of every style;
Oilcloth; Chinese matting; fluid lamps, and burning fluid; with a variety of other articles too numerous to mention.

Persons wishing to purchase will please call and examine for themselves.

All kinds of country produce taken in exchange for goods. THOS. JOHNSON.

March 22, 1856. 49tf

WESTERN HOTEL,

Morrison st., between Front and First sts.,

PORTLAND, O. T.

Charges reasonable. S. D. SMITH,

March 15, 1856-48 Proprietor.

Time.

W. F. HIGHFIELD,

WATCH-MAKER.

Persons desirous of getting good work done will do well to give me a call, as my whole time is devoted to the repairing of Chronometer, Lever, Duplex, and Horizontal watches.

An assortment of Jewelry on hand.

Jewelry made to order, and repaired.

Prices to suit the times. I am thankful for past favors, and hope to give satisfaction in future.

☞ Located at the old stand, opposite the Telegraph Office, *OREGON CITY.* Feb. 2.

To all whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE, that I claim for myself and wife, and shall insist upon holding, all of the following described land, as our land claim taken and held by me under and in compliance with the act of Congress entitled "An Act to create the office of Surveyor General of Oregon," &c., approved Sept. 27th, 1850, and the amendments thereto, all pretensions of Wm R. B. Cotton to the contrary notwithstanding, to wit: Commencing at a stake on the Willamette river 19 chains and 25 links south and 27 chains and 50 links west of the south-east corner of section 35 in township one south of range one east, thence running east 160 chains, thence north 66 chains and 60 links, thence west 80 chains, thence south 54 chains and 10 links, thence west 80 chains to said Willamette river, and thence up said river with its meanderings to the place of beginning.

JOSEPH KELLOGG.

March 22, 1856. 49

To all whom it may concern.

TAKE NOTICE, that I claim, and shall insist upon holding, all of the following described land, as my land claim taken and held by me under and in compliance with the act of Congress entitled "An Act to create the office of Surveyor General of Oregon," &c., &c., approved Sept. 27th, 1850, and the amendments thereto, all pretensions of Wm R. B. Cotton to the contrary notwithstanding, to wit: Commencing at a stake 16 chains south of the south-east corner of section 31 in township one south of range two east, thence running south with section line 40 chains, thence west 113 chains, thence north 30 chains and 75 links, thence east 91 chains and 50 links, thence north 6 chains and 25 links, and thence east 21 chains 50 links to the beginning corner.

ELISHA KELLOGG.

March 22, 1856. 49

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have been appointed administrator of the estate of Isaac Warwick, deceased, late of the county of Clackamas and Territory of Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same to me for adjudication at my residence within one year from date. All persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment. JAMES M. MOORE, Adm'r.

Tualatin Mills, March 15, 1856. 48-4w

W. P. Burns,

WAGON AND CARRIAGE MAKER,

OREGON CITY, O. T.

☞ Strict attention paid to repairing, and satisfaction to patrons warranted. feb9-43

JUST RECEIVED at the Oregon City Drug Store, direct from New York and San Francisco, a fresh supply of *DRUGS, MEDICINES,* Patent Medicines, Family Medicines, &c., &c., which *will be sold as low for cash as they can be procured in the Territory.* Call and examine for yourselves, and get an Almanac for 1856, gratis.

Citizens' Line of Steamers.

PORTLAND, Capt. MURRAY,
ENTERPRISE, Capt. JAMIESON,

Will run in connection, the Portland leaving PORTLAND daily (Sundays excepted) for Oregon City at 10 o'clock, A. M.,—the Enterprise making semi-weekly trips to CORVALLIS, leaving CANEMAH on Mondays at 6 o'clock A. M., and Thursdays at 2 P. M.

☞ All freight for the above line will be receipted for at Hoyt's Wharf Boat, Portland.

ALEXANDER S. MURRAY,
ARCHIBALD JAMIESON.

Feb. 16, 1856. 44tf

Water Power for Sale.

THE undersigned would like to sell one half of his mills and water power on the Tualatin river, about three miles from Linn City, known as Moore's Mills. It is probably the best water privilege, with the exception of the great Falls of the Willamette, that there is in Oregon. I would like to sell one-half or one-fourth of my claim together with the mills and water power. My object is to get a partner, to enable me to properly improve the water power. JAMES M. MOORE.

Feb. 9, 1856. 43tf

Something New.

ANY person having a Melodeon, Seraphine, Accordeon, or other reed instrument, with broken or defective reeds, can have them repaired by applying or sending to Chas. M. Kester, at his residence, two squares back from the Baptist Meeting House, in the North part of Oregon City. Charge for inserting single reeds from $1,50 to $2,00. Reasonable deduction for a greater number. C. M. KESTER.

Oregon City, September 22, 1855-23

Wanted.

I WANT TO BUY good BEEF CATTLE, for which I will pay $8 per cwt. at my shop.

CHARLES ALBRIGHT.

Oregon City, March 15. 48tf

HAVING CLOSED BUSINESS at Oregon City, I would request all those indebted to me to make immediate payment, either to me or to F. S. & A. Holland, and much oblige.

March 1, 1856-46 O. B. TWOGOOD.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of the following named executions issued out of the District Court for Clackamas county, and to me directed, viz: R. E. Random, surviving partner of the firm of Random & Co., against Wm. R. B. Cotton, Aaron Chamberlain against the same, Joseph Zeighler against the same, Joseph Zeighler against the same, and Seth Lewelling against the same, have levied upon and shall proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court-House door in Oregon City, county of Clackamas, on MONDAY, the 21st day of APRIL, 1856, all the right, title, and interest of the above named Wm. R. B. Cotton in and to the following described tract of land situated in Clackamas county, and bounded and described in notification No. 648, now on file in the Land Office for the Willamette District of Oregon, as follows:

Part of Sections 1 & 12, T. 2 S. R. 1 E., and " " " 6 & 7, " 2 " " 2 "

bounded as follows: Beginning at a point 3.75 chs. south of N. E. corner of Sec. 1 in T. 2 S. R. 1 E., thence West 34.29 chains,
" South 90.00 "
" East 67.29 "
" North 81.50 "
" West 33.00 "
" North 8.50 " to the place of beginning, and a tract of land lying "between the above described land and Lot Whitcomb's on the North and Mrs. Crow's on the South, and running West to the Willamette river."

SEP HUELAT,
Sheriff Clackamas Co.

March 22, 1856. 49-5w

GILT MOULDING for picture frames, for sale by CHARMAN & WARNER.

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, and Dye-stuffs,

at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE,

sep15 Main Street, Oregon City, O. T.

DR. Guysott's compound extract of Sarsaparilla and Yellow Dock, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. sep15

OLD Dr. Jacob Townsend's Sarsaparilla, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

DR. Townsend's Sarsaparilla, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

SHAKER Sarsaparilla, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

SANDS' Sarsaparilla, in any quantity, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

McLANE'S celebrated Vermifuge and Liver Pills, OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

DR. Osgood's India Cholagogue, and Dr. Jones' American Cholagogue, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

DR. J. Ayres' celebrated Cherry Pectoral for coughs, colds, and consumption, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

MOFFAT'S Life Bitters and Pills, Bernard's Dysentery Syrup, Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

New Jeweller.

HAVING employed one of the best Working Jewellers on the Pacific coast, I am now fully prepared to manufacture every description of Jewelry.

Masonic Jewelry, Odd Fellows' Pins, Rings, &c., made to order.

Engraving neatly done.

Call and see specimens of work.

G. COLLIER ROBBINS.

N. B.—I devote my entire attention to repairing Fine Watches. G. COLLIER ROBBINS.

Portland, Dec. 29, 1855-37tf

Land for Sale.

I OFFER to sell 160 acres of choice land for two dollars and a quarter an acre, cash. The land is a portion of my claim, six miles west of Lafayette, in the county of Yamhill. Title good.—Call and see for yourselves. "'Tis no trouble to show"—the land. S. C. ADAMS.

Glen Avoca, Dec. 25th, 1855-37tf

Tualatin Academy,

Forest Grove, Washington County, O. T.

QUARTERS COMMENCE;

First Wednesday in December;
Last do in February;
Third do in May;
First do in September.

TUITION PER QUARTER:

Primary English	$6.00
Higher do	$8.00
Ancient Languages,	$8.00
French & drawing, each, extra,	$3.00
Incidental charge,	25 cts.

For information respecting the School, address E. D. SHATTUCK, Principal.

Nov. 28, 1855.-33-6mo

Canemah, Nov. 26, 1855.

ON hand and for sale, low, for cash or produce;

Paints & lead,	chrome green,
white lead,	prussian blue
red do in oil,	chrome yellow,
blk. do "	blue paint,
litharge,	

Common and permanent green—putty, glass, &c. JNO. P. BROOKS.

OREGON CITY

Wholesale Prices Current.

CORRECTED WEEKLY.

DRY GOODS.		**DRUGS & MEDICINES**	
Sheeting, 4-4	12½	100 pr. cLover N. Y. cost,	
Drilling	12½	**PRODUCE.**	
Bleached drilling	13	Wheat, pr. bu.	$1
" shirting,	11a16	Oats do.	80
Striped do	14	Potatoes do	75
Ticking	14a16	Onions do	$1½
Denims	15	Flour	$3½
Blue drilling	14	Corn Meal, fresh	6
Plaid linsey	16a24	**FRUIT.**	
Satinet	70a90	" dried do	18
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	BOBL.
Fancy	8a12	" mess	$28a30
Furniture do	10a14	Hams	15
" do. wide	12½	Bacon	12
M. de laines	14a25	**POWDER.**	
Ginghams	15a22	Hazard, pr ca	$15
Alpaca	25a60	" pr keg	$10
Table damask	50a75	**SHOT.**	
" cloths	63a$1¼	Small sizes	$2½a3
Irish linens	40a$1	Buck	$3a3½
CLOTHING.		**LEAD.**	
Sheep gray pants	$2½a3	Bar	90
Satinet do.	$2½a3	White lead, in oil	14
Fancy cass. do.	$4a5	**CORDAGE.**	
Black cass. do.	$5a7	Manilla, small	40
Red flan'l shirts	$14a18	" large	25
Blue do. do.	$15a18	Hemp	10a15
Hickory shirts	5a7	**CANDLES.**	
Calico do.	$9a12	Adamantine	50
BOOTS & SHOES.		Sperm	65
Men's kip boots	$3¼a4¼	**CIGARS.**	
" super do. do	$4	Havana	$40a80
" fine sewed	6½	German	$10a25
Boys' kip boots	$2	American	$20a50
" he'vy w'x do	$1¾a2	**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	14a18	Axes	$12a90
Tea	65a70	Millsaws	90a$1¼
Sugar, no. 1 Chi'a	11½	X cut saws	75a$1
" crushed	16	Table cutlery, 10 per et advance on N. Y. cost	
Saleratus	12a16	Pocket cutlery, 25 pr et advance.	
Starch	14	Other articles of hardware from 20 to 50 pr et advance.	
Syrup E Boston	90a$1		
do. S Island	80		
N O Molasses	70		
Liv. Salt	3a3½		
Table Salt	3½a4	Nails, ass'd sizes, pr kg	$3
Sandwich I. Salt	2½	" horseshoe	25a35
Pepper	30	**OILS.**	
Allspice	40	Lamp	$1¼a$2
Cinnamon	60a80	Linseed boil	$2 25
Soap	10a11	Turpentine pr gall	$.2

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Portland and Astoria.

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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,

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JAYNE'S Alterative, Expectorant, and Pills, Cod Liver Oil, Castor Oil, and Sweet Oil, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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PURE White Lead, raw and burned Umber, Crome, Green and Yellow, and other paints, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

PERFUMERY, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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Graefenberg Sarsaparilla, Uterine Catholicon.
" Dysentery syrup, consumptive balm,
" Pile Ointment,
" Health Bitters,
" Eye Lotion, &c., &c.,

To be found at the agency of the Company, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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Sebastopol has Fallen!

AND CHARMAN & WARNER wish to inform the citizens of Oregon City and the public in general that they have just received a good assortment of *GROCERIES* suitable for this season of the year. Also, we have received a supply of fancy groceries, such as *Farina, Sugar Tapioca, Arrow Root,* and a variety of other such articles too numerous to mention.

We have a good assortment of *FANCY GOODS* for the holidays, such as raisins, dates, figs, bottled pie fruits, raspberry preserves, and a variety of other articles in this line, such as will suit the greatest epicure of the land. We have also on hand a good assortment of candies, and are receiving a supply nearly every steamer. So please give us a call; we will sell as cheap as any house in Oregon. Our motto is that a quick penny is better than a slow shilling.

We are now commencing to prepare in the Bakery for Christmas, and shall have a good assortment of cake. We shall also keep on hand a superior quality of butter crackers, Boston crackers, and also the sweet York crackers. Please give orders for the above in good time. Our prices shall be reasonable, and the goods made of the best materials in Oregon. nov24

Who Wants a Good Saddle?

THE subscriber, living five miles south-west of Lafayette, in Yamhill county, is now carrying on the business of Saddle Making in good earnest. He keeps constantly on hand the best saddles that can be manufactured with the materials at command in Oregon. Those wishing a genuine saddle warranted to fit on both sides, and rigged out in complete style, cheap for cash, or good trade would do well to give me a call. My shop is situated on Bakers Creek near where the road crosses it leading from Portland and Oregon City, "up country" by the way of Smith's bridge on the North Fork of Yamhill.

☞ I keep every thing in the saddlery line, as Bridles, Martingales, Halters, Lines, &c., &c.

Sept. 20-23tf. J. O. HENDERSON.

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WITHIN a few days, direct from New York, ex clipper ship "Golden Eagle,"

400 gals. linseed oil,
150 gals. spts. turpentine,
200 boxes window glass, (ass'd sizes,)
200 kegs white lead, pure,
25 gals. varnish,
200 lbs beeswax,
200 lbs rosin, by

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