

THE RAIN DROP.

A little particle of rain,  
That from a passing cloud descended,  
Was heard thus idly to complain—  
"My brief existence now is ended!  
Outcast alike of earth and sky,  
Unloved to live, unknown to die!"

It chanced to fall into the sea,  
And there an open shell received it;  
And after years how calm was he,  
Who from his prison house relieved it,  
The drop of rain had formed a gem,  
To deck a monarch's diadem.

The Lost Tribes of Israel.  
Mr. Kennedy communicated the following to the British Association for the Advancement of Science, as the results of his researches into the interesting and much controverted question of the lost tribes of Israel:

That the number of those taken away in the different captivities had been much over-estimated, only the principal people having been made captive as hostages, with the man of war, and others most available as slaves; that the main body of the ten tribes were not taken away by the Assyrians, but were left in their ancient possessions, when they became again partially subjected to the kings of Judah; that the tribes that can be supposed to have been really removed were the Reubenites, the Gadites, with the half tribe of Manasseh, and that of Naphtali, who, being placed on the east of Jordan and on the north, were most exposed to the attacks of the enemy; that the greatest part of those who had been taken away to Babylon, or their descendants, and the descendants of those taken away by the Assyrians, returned to their ancient land; that, while in Babylonia, Assyria, and other countries of their conquerors, they could not be supposed to have lived apart by their tribes, so that in the space of two hundred years and upwards those taken away must have lost almost every distinction of tribe, and thus have become prepared to form part of that restored nation which took the name Jews from the principal tribe amongst them; that the tribe of Judah having been the most numerous, and their city of Jerusalem the centre around which the Israelites congregated, it follows as a natural consequence that their name would become the prevailing one; that the amalgamation of union into one people of all the Israelites was in accordance with the predictions of the Prophets; that the remnants of the Israelites left in Babylonia and Assyria, though smaller in number than that portion which was restored to their ancient possessions, might yet have increased to an immense multitude, in the six hundred years which elapsed between the first restoration and the time of Josephus; but that the remnant left beyond the Euphrates cannot properly be considered to have been the representatives of the tribes, much less the entire body of the ten tribes; that in the time of Josephus, all distinctions of the other tribes having become lost, except those of Judah and Benjamin, he erroneously supposed they were the only tribes that had returned, and that the other ten tribes still remained beyond the Euphrates; that, in any case, the dream of Edras respecting the ten tribes having taken counsel among themselves, and gone into a fourth country, where never mankind dwelt, was a mere dream or vision, as it in reality professed to have been.

NEWSPAPER PROFITS IN NEW YORK.—We learn from good authority that the net profits of the Tribune newspaper, for the past year, amounts to \$95,000, and that the profits of the Herald exceed \$75,000. The Courier & Enquirer and the Journal of Commerce have probably each a balance of about \$50,000 on the right side of the ledger, and the Commercial Advertiser \$25,000. The Times is also doing a good business, and the Express has found the past year one of unprecedented prosperity; the same is said to be true of the Post and News. The Saturday press has gone ahead in advertising patronage and circulation; and the Dispatch, the Times, the Atlas, the Courier, and the Mercury are making, we are assured, from \$5,000 to \$10,000 a year.—N. Y. Mirror.

Baltimore, Feb. 14.—Anthony Kennedy was to-day elected by the Legislature U. S. Senator for Maryland, in place of Hon. Thomas G. Pratt, whose term expires 4th of March, 1857.

When we record our angry feelings, let it be in the snow, that the first sunshine may obliterate them forever.

It is estimated that nearly three hundred slaves had escaped from bondage by crossing the Ohio River on the ice, during the month of January last.

OYSTERS.—The capital invested in the oyster trade in the city of Baltimore amounts to \$5,000,000, employing five hundred vessels and fifteen thousand persons.

A dog which had lost the whole of her interesting family was seen trying to poke a piece of crape through the door-handle of one of the sausage shops up town the other day.

A FACT, or CORRECTION.—As a friend of ours who wears a tarred-and-oiled moustache, which curls over his lip, was passing the residence of a couple of dunces, the following conversation is said to have been overheard:  
Dunce.—"I wonder how it goes to his eye when you wear such a horrid moustache."  
Admirer.—"Why, Louis, of course I don't know."  
Dunce.—"Well, I'm going to get the shoe brush and try it."

California Gold.—The total shipment of gold from California in 1855, were \$49,192,500; in 1854, \$51,506,132, being a decrease in 1855 of \$2,313,632. The total shipments for five years past amount to \$291,576,688.

Biblical Science.

Lieut. MAURY expresses his belief that science had advanced to a high state of cultivation in the days of Job. Many passages in the Bible convey a mysterious meaning, which the light of astronomical discovery can alone elucidate. He shows that this passage, "The wind driveth away rain," contains a meteorological fact of great importance in the study of the circulation of the atmosphere. He observes:

"The Bible frequently makes allusions to the laws of nature, their operation and effects. But such allusions are often so wrapped in the folds of the peculiar and graceful imagery with which its language is occasionally clothed, that the meaning, though peeping out from its thin covering all the while, yet lies in some sense concealed, until the lights and revelations of science are thrown upon it; then it bursts out and strikes us with the more force and beauty. As our knowledge of nature and her laws has increased, so has our understanding of many passages in the Bible been improved. The Bible called the earth 'the round world'; yet for ages it was the world as round, and, finally, sailors circumnavigating the globe, proved the Bible to be right, and saved Christian men of science from the stake.

"Canst thou tell the sweet influences of the Pleiades?"  
"Astronomers of the present day, if they have not answered this question, have thrown so much light upon it as to show that, if ever it be answered by man, he must consult the sciences of astronomy. It has been recently all but proved, that the earth and sun, with their splendid retinue of comets, satellites, and planets, are all in motion around some point or centre of attraction inconceivably remote, and that point is in the direction of the star Alcyone, one of the Pleiades! Who but the astronomer, then, could tell their sweet influences? And as for the general system of atmospheric circulation which I have been so long endeavoring to describe, the Bible tells it all in a single sentence:—'The wind goeth toward the south, and turneth about unto the north; and it whirleth about continually, and the wind returneth again according to his circuits.' Eccl. i. 6."

Visit Your Schools.  
The following remarks are worthy of the attention of those interested:  
"You could not do a better thing. Your boy has the idea that you care scarcely more than a fig's value about his progress there—your girl thinks you are too busy about more important matters, to worry about her recitations. Grammar as dry as dust to her, geography is tedious, arithmetic a torture. You talk of stock and mercantile, she is lushed up. You talk of stock and mercantile, of the war and free trade. The young ones learn to think their studies small matters in comparison with yours.

"Visit your school to-day. Hear a lesson or two recited. Learn from their teachers what their standing is, in what they often fail, in what they excel. See who sits next them in the school-room. See how they look, happy and at home, acquainted with their school matters, you cannot but be interested in them, and then you cannot possibly avoid talking of them. Making their matters subjects of home conversation, will certainly stimulate them to better efforts—make letter scholars of them. By all means then, visit your schools to-day, if no one will go with you. You will always be welcomed by the teacher, unless he is a fit one to be turned off."—Pittsburg Visitor.

Steam Navigation in the Valley of the Mississippi.  
The Railroad Record of a recent date contains some interesting statistics respecting the steam navigation of the Mississippi river, and its tributaries, from which we copy the following comparative tables, for the years 1851 and 1856:

BOATS AND TONNAGE.				
	1851.	1856.		
	Boats.	Tonnage.	Boats.	Tonnage.
New Orleans,	122	34,756	139	41,405
Pittsburg,	112	15,842	44	26,568
Wheeling,	46	7,190	48	7,448
Cincinnati,	111	24,709	91	25,600
Louisville,	61	15,680	89	29,106
Nashville,	19	8,578	42	9,671
St. Louis,	121	31,333	168	45,548
Other places,	0	700	17	2,745
Aggregate,	610	188,868	787	216,091
Increase of boats,				20 per cent.
" tonnage,				40 "

OFFICERS AND CREWS.  
Steamboats.  
In 1851, 610 12,412  
In 1856, 787 114,894

Of all the steam vessels employed in the United States, nearly half are on the rivers of the West; and if we were to include the ports of the Gulf, quite half.

CAN'T AFFORD IT.—"Come in, Joe, and let's take a drink."  
"Thank ye, Thomas, can't afford it."  
"Well, but I'll pay for it."  
"O, I'm not speaking of the money."  
"What then?"  
"Loss of health and energy, moral principle, character, peace of mind, self-respect, and a sweet breath."

"I say, Pat, are you asleep?"  
"Then let the lid!"  
"Then be either lending me a quarter,"  
"In snare, be jabbers!"

TRICK.—Some enthusiastic married man has written the following:  
"Oh, there's not in this wide world a happier life, than to sit near the stovepipe and bask your wife; taste the sweets of her lips in the mountain of glee; and twist the cat's tail when she jumps on your knee."

A Judge's duty is to snub the counsel on both sides, and bother the jury by furnishing them with a third method of looking at the case. We get this from a wag who once went to law to get damages, and he got what he went for, enough to last him a lifetime.

Old Babylon.—Dr. Oppert, of France, has spent two years on the site of old Babylon, examining the cuneiform inscriptions on the bricks and stones. He states that the famous old city, during the days of its grandeur and power, covered rather more than an acre of two hundred square miles, being about two and a half more than the size of London. But all this space was not inhabited, there being immense fields to supply the city with corn and pasture in case of siege.

Great Country.—When our country becomes as densely populated as Holland, it will contain 837,433,019 inhabitants—nearly the present number of the human race.

California Gold.—The total shipment of gold from California in 1855, were \$49,192,500; in 1854, \$51,506,132, being a decrease in 1855 of \$2,313,632. The total shipments for five years past amount to \$291,576,688.

The Allied Loss in the European War.

The New York Tribune, in speaking of the European war, says:  
"Indeed, when the south side of Sebastopol was abandoned by its Russian garrison, it had cost the Allies, in dead and wounded, two hundred and fifty thousand men, besides millions of millions of money. The Russians, always wonted in battle, had regularly defeated their enemies in resolution, activity and the skill of their commanding engineer. If Ikerkman was an indelible disgrace to the Russian, the building up of the redoubt on Sapan and the Marston by the Russians, under the very nose of their opponents, was an indelible disgrace to both English and French. And after all it appears that Sebastopol did not so much exhaust the forces of Russia as those of the Allies, for it did not prevent the Russians from taking Karn."

"The taking of Karn is, in fact, the most disgraceful thing which could have happened to the Allies. With the enormous naval armaments at their disposal, with a number of troops superior, ever since June 1855, to the Russians in the field, they never attacked the weakest points of Russia—the trans-Caucasian provinces."

The North American remarks that the election of Mr. Banks as Speaker of the National House of Representatives completes the following unusual results: The President of the United States, the Speaker of the House, the President of the Senate, the head of the Cabinet, and the occupant of our most important diplomatic post, the Minister to England, are all Northern men.—A majority of the Cabinet are also from the North. Gen. Pierce and Mr. Banks are from New England. Mr. Marcy and Mr. Buchanan from the Middle States, and Mr. Bright from Indiana.

Wool and Raw Materials Free!  
We learn on good authority, that the important revision of our present Tariff, recommended in the last Report of Secretary Gaithe, meets the hearty approval of the Committee of Ways and Means, of which Mr. Campbell, of Ohio, is at the head, who will shortly report a Tariff Bill drafted under the advice of Mr. James, of Rhode Island, and other large manufacturers—which will fix the import duty on all Goods, made in whole or part of Wool, Silk, Cotton, Hemp, Flax, &c., at thirty per cent, and admit of Wool, Dyestuffs, Hair, Silk, and all Raw Materials, Free. It is understood that this bill meets the approval of the President and Cabinet, and that it will undoubtedly be carried through by a large majority.—N. Y. Times.

Late news from the South Pacific or Feejee Islands, details the particulars of many shocking murders of American citizens there, and the summary vengeance taken upon the murderers by Commodore Burchard, of the U. S. S. Albatross, who landed and burnt four of their towns, and charged, and the proof furnished, that those atrocities were committed at the instigation of the English missionaries, who thought thereby to further the scheme of annexing the island to the Government of Great Britain.

The London Daily News, referring to the results of the Times and the Post upon the United States, thus refers to the latter:—"We do not fear that the vapour of the Past will disturb the equanimity of the citizens of the United States; but we are heartily ashamed to find that there is even one Englishman capable of giving utterance to such vulgar and lawless language."

The Missouri river, opposite Boonville, has been measured and found to be 2,339 feet wide, or 491 feet less than half a mile. The ice in the channel is 18 inches thick, and in other places near the 25th of December.

THE SHARPS FROZER.—It is said, by the oldest settlers, that so severely cold weather has never been experienced in Florida up to this winter.—Capt. James De Ora informs us that skulls have been frozen to death during the late cold spell in the Charlotte Harbor. An event has not happened since his knowledge, for the last thirty-five years.—Tampa Peninsular.

The widow of the ill-fated Prof. Webster has two of her daughters married into the Dabney family. Mr. Dabney, Sr., is an American of princely fortune and manners, and of great influence at Fayal.

The total receipts of the American Book Society, for the month of December last, amounted to the sum of \$30,503.57. The receipts into the Treasury of the American Tract Society, for the same month, were \$34,666.95.

Among the deaths the past year were several noted soldiers of the Revolution. There are but few left.

TEMPLE OF HONOR.—Thalatin Temple of Honor, No. 1, meets every Wednesday evening at the American Hall, Forest Grove, Oregon. Brethren of the Order in good standing are invited to visit this Temple.  
M. TUTTLE, W. C. T.  
S. A. DIXON, W. R.

Farm for Sale.  
A FARM of 610 acres of land in Yamhill county, six miles west of Lafayette, is offered for sale. There are 80 acres in cultivation, and 120 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 can be had on reasonable terms.  
Inquire at THE AGRICULTURE, Oregon City.

Canemah, Nov. 25, 1855.  
ON hand and for sale, low, for cash or produce  
Paints & lead,  
white lead,  
red do in oil,  
lik. do " blue paint,  
blue paint,  
Common and permanent green—putty, glass,  
&c.  
JNO. P. BROOKS,

Land for Sale.  
I OFFER to sell 100 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. Call and see for yourselves. "This no time to lose"—the land.  
S. C. ADAMS,  
Glen Avoca, Dec. 25th, 1855-31st

Tunatin 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  
Absent Languages } 8.00  
French & drawing, each, extra, 25 cts.  
Incidental charge, 25 cts.  
For information respecting the School, address  
E. D. SHATTUCK,  
Nov. 28, 1855—33-Gmo Principal.

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

New Books!

THE subscriber has just received a large assortment of BOOKS, direct from New York, among which are the following:  
Alison's Hist. of Europe. American Institutions, Silliman's do. Love of the Sages, Democracy in America. Babylon and Nineveh, "Sea and Land," "Ship and Shore," Three Years in California. Egypt and the Holy Land, Manual of Fine Arts, Lecture on the Arts, Travels in Persia, Polar Regions, Mahan's Philosophy, 500 copies of "Bands" Speller, 200 " Readers, 200 " McGuffey's do, 200 " Webster's Dictionaries, Davies' Algebra, Newman's Rhetoric, " Geometry, " do, " Parley's Univ. History, " Boardman, Goodrich's Plat. U. S., " Surveying, " Monthly's Geography, " Legendre, " Arithmetical, " Little's Speller, Thompson's do. N. American Speller.

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.—Erasor-Knives, Envelope Rubber, Gummed Labels, Faber's Pencils,—INK, in quart and pint bottles.  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.  
CHARLES POPE, JR.,  
Oregon City, August 18, 1855.

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 Mason—just the thing for singing schools; for sale at [30] HOLLAND'S.

Progression, Progression, Progression  
I never onward—and they that do not make it, ward progression "are a little behind the times," and for the benefit of those that have a desire to keep up with the 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 Lee, on Phrenology; Domestic Life—Thoughts on its concord and discord; Familiar Lessons on Phrenology and Psychology; Love and Marriage; 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; or Perfect on of character; Self-instructor in Phrenology and Physiology; Temperance and Tight Lacing; Accidents and Emergencies; Hydropathic Cook Books; Consumption; its causes, prevention, cure; Curiousities 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 Childbirth Made Easy; Pregnancy and childbirth; Practice of Water-cure; Water-cure in Chronic Diseases; Water-cure in Every Common Disease; Water-cure Manual; Amputations; or, Evils and Remedies, &c.; Combe on Infancy; Combe's Physiology; Chronic Diseases; Fruits and Farnaces the Proper Food of Man; Hereditary Disease; its Laws, &c.; Maternity; or the bearing and nursing of children, &c.; Natural Laws at Man; Physiology, Animal and Mental; Tobacco; its effect, &c.; Elements of Animal Magnetism; Fascination; or the philosophy of charming; Library of Metempsychosis and Psychology; Philosophy of Metempsychosis; New Illustrated Encyclopedia, a complete in one vol.; Spiritual Intercourse, Thisosophy, &c.; Familiar Lessons on Astronomy; Future of Nations, by Kosmuth; Hints towards Reform; by Hepes and Heaps 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 " " Revelation in Crisis, " "  
8 " " Harmonical Men, " "  
8 " " Special Providence, " "  
8 " " Present Age, " "  
8 " " Inner Life, " "  
8 " " 1st, Great Harmonia, " "  
8 " " 2d, " " " "  
8 " " 3d, " " " "  
June 30, 1855-y F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

JUST RECEIVED,  
49 lbs. N. O. sugar,  
29 " " crushed " "  
5 lbs. " "  
40 matts No. 1 China sugar;  
100 sacks R. O. coffee;  
200 lbs. Eng. soap;  
1000 " saleratus;  
8 " castor oil;  
8 " turpentine;  
25 " prunes;  
25 " G. P. tea;  
6 boxes yeast powders;  
4 " candied;  
15 " candles;  
40 lbs. sheeting;  
1 " hickory;  
1 " blue drill;  
1 " prims;  
100 doz. Coats' wool thread;  
10 pieces alpaca and merino;  
Also, a lot of Boots and Shoes, Crockery, Glass ware, and one or two other "bits" which we can't just now recollect. Give us a call, for we are determined to sell out.  
F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

Subtopol 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 Family Groceries, such as Raisins, 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 the line, such as we will send the greatest assortment of candies, and we also on hand a good assortment of cigars, and are receiving a supply nearly every day. 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 cakes. We shall also keep on hand a superior quality of butter crackers, Goshute crackers, and 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.  
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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, "our country" by the way of Smith's bridge on the North Fork of Yamhill.  
I will keep every thing in the saddle line, as Bridles, Maltingales, Halters, Lines, &c., &c. Sept. 20-23rd. J. O. HENDERSON.

Melodons.  
A FEW of Price & Co's best MELODEONS for sale, low. Enquire at the [30] OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.  
POWDER for slot and caps at F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.

Allan, McKinlay & Co.,

HAVE just received A STOCK OF NEW 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:  
cane and wheel barrows  
fancy brooms  
plain do  
assorted colored pails  
painted tubs  
zinc wash boards  
blacksmith's bellows  
cross cut saws 7 ft  
do 6 ft  
hair saws 7 ft  
mill saws double  
do single  
hair bolsters double  
do single  
sperm candles  
do 8 by 10  
do 10 by 12  
do 12 by 10  
do 10 by 12  
adamantine do  
grape brand tobacco  
lucke tobacco  
BLANKETS, BAIZE, LINSEYS,  
Sheetings, Ticks, &c. &c.

And keep constantly on hand a large supply of GROCERIES, clothing, hardware, and many articles too numerous to mention.  
ALLAN, MCKINLAY & CO.,  
Oregon City, April 21, 1855-1y

Late Arrival.  
IN addition to our present stock we are now receiving direct from New York, "ex clipper ship Phoenix,"  
50 lbs. and half lbs. N. O. Sugar;  
20 lbs. crushed sugar;  
10,000 lbs. Rio coffee;  
20 lbs. N. O. molasses; for sale low by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.,  
June 29-y Opposite the Land Office.

50 BBLs. Santa Cruz Lime just received and for sale by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.  
Oregon Bacon.  
LBS., for sale by W. C. DEMENT & CO.

JUST RECEIVED,  
100 boxes candles,  
30 lbs. pork by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

Egyptian Wheat.  
A FEW bushels for sale by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

A Rare Chance  
For those engaged, or wishing to engage in the Flouring Business.  
WE have on hand and for sale, the following machinery for grist mills, which will be sold low for cash, or on a short time:  
2 portable mills, complete;  
1 run of four feet four inch French Bars, with spur wheel, 114 cogs, weighing 1095 lbs.; with spur wheel, pinion, brush and oil-pot and collar.  
1 run, same size, without pinion. Other irons the same as above.  
Together with a general assortment of bands, bolting cloth, pulleys, engines, wheels, couplings, hangings for bolting chutes, &c., &c.  
In other words, every requisite necessary to the completion of a grist mill by  
WM. C. DEMENT & CO.,  
Opposite the Land Office,  
OREGON CITY, Nov. 28, 1855.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING, per brig "Susan Abigail" and bark "Chas. Devens," from San Francisco, the following goods:  
GROCERIES—150 gals. E. B. syrup, 568 gals, 200 lbs. New Orleans do,  
5000 lbs. No. 1 China sugar,  
5000 lbs. table salt,  
200 boxes English and American soap,  
200 cases pie fruit, ass'd,  
2 gross P. C. B. yeast powders,  
5000 lbs. tobacco, ass'd brands,  
100 half boxes raisins,  
200 lbs. and half lbs. crushed sugar,  
3000 lbs. saleratus,  
CROCKERY—A General Assortment,  
DRY-GOODS—3000 yds brown sheeting,  
1000 yds satinetts,  
2000 " prints,  
10 pieces alpaca,  
50 pairs English blankets,  
200 yds carpung,  
200 " oil cloth;  
Together with a general assortment of ready made clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, and carpenter's tools.  
WM. C. DEMENT & CO.,  
Nov. 10. Opposite the Land Office.

To Arrive  
WITHIN a few days, direct from New York, ex clipper ship "Golden Eagle,"  
400 gals. linseed oil,  
150 gals. ope. turpentine,  
200 boxes window glass, (ass'd sizes),  
200 kegs white lead, pure,  
200 " zinc white,  
200 lbs. beeswax,  
200 lbs. resin, by Wm. C. DEMENT & CO.,  
oct 12. opposite the Land Office.

FRESH OREGON TIMOTHY SEED—30 bus. for sale by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

Santa Cruz Lime,  
50 BBLs. for sale by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

IN our bakery we keep constantly on hand bread, crackers, cakes, pies, &c.  
CHARMAN & WARNER.

CANDIES, nuts, raisins, of an excellent quality just received and for sale low by  
CHARMAN & WARNER.

Oranges  
RECEIVED upon the arrival of every steamer. Don't fail to call on  
CHARMAN & WARNER.

EVERY THING in the line of Groceries—such as cheese, all kinds of spices, salt soda, carbonate soda, saleratus, cream tartar, &c.,—are sold at  
nov24 CHARMAN & WARNER'S.

TOYS, of different kinds, for sale by  
CHARMAN & WARNER.

Just Received.  
A splendid assortment of Family Groceries, such as tea, syrup, sugar, &c. &c. also fine and coarse salt, cream tartar, apples, chili peppers, sardines, oysters, clams, yeast powder, also a large quantity of superior cheroot cigars, and tobacco of every brand—all and almost every thing else in the line of business—all of which will be sold as low as at any other place in town, for cash or produce.  
CHARMAN & WARNER.

Hardware  
FOR SALE BY CHARLES POPE, JR.  
BRASS and Iron Butts, Screws, Locks and Latches, Hammers and Hatchets, Axes, Drawing-knives, Handaws, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes and Cards, Gun Locks, Gun Caps, Wood Cards, Chest Handles, Planes, &c.  
April 21, 1855-14

Groceries  
FOR SALE BY CHARLES POPE, JR.  
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