Sonnet to a Pen.

"The pen is mightier than the sword." idea is expanded in the subjoined sonnet, which we find in the Weekly London Times, of Nov. 18: Yes, thought-winged Pen, I have much faith in

thee!

Weapon far mightier than the sword or gun;

Before thee yet shall wrong and outrage flee
As mists of mora before the rising sun,

Already for us thou must jawels won—
Fraction of speech—much of our liberty.

And crushed humanity shall one day see
A giant horde of evils totter down

Before the glerious marchine, mights see Before thy glerious marching, mighty pen.
Thy power increaseth even like a tide,
Bounding with force resistless to the wide
Ocean. And the sweet time approacheth when
Thine influence shall be felt in every clime. All own thy triumphs-glorious-subline !

The Cause of Prairie

In a recent number of Life Illustrated, . over the signature of "Bluff," in Notes and Queries, occurs the following question : -"What is the cause of prairies without timber, or the best theory on the subject ?" Having resided for a number of years in the prairie country of the West, the same inquiry has often arisen in my mind, and I would here, in answer, state the conclusion to which I have arrived on the subject.

It is an opinion held by many that the prairie region of the West was once covered by the waters of a great inland sea or lake, and that, in process of time, by geological causes, it was elevated to its present level. The theory is also supported by the fact that in many places there have been found at various depths beneath the surface, remains of different kinds, but especially leaves of trees, bark, cinders, etc.

There appears to be two principal causes for the existence of prairies in their present state. These are the close sod of the prairies grass, which tends to prevent the germination and growth of the seed of trees; and the fires which in the uninhabited parts so frequently sweep over the country and destroy the young trees which have succeeded in establishing themselves in the

These views are sustained by various reasons. The soil of the woodlands that skirt the prairies is mostly of a different quality from the prairie soil, and thus more favorable to the growth of trees than of grass. Lying along the bluffs which follow the course of streams, it is more broken and hilly. It is also of a poorer quality, being more exposed to the washing of the rains. Again, where the country is settled and the fires excluded, we frequently observe a thick growth of briers and hazel. These are soon choked out by the hardy plum and crab-apple, which latter in time give place to the still more flourishing forest trees. Sometimes the brier or hazel compose the strip next the open prairie; interior of this, and nearer the timber, the plum, black haw, and erab apple are found; then come the young forest trees, and finally the full-grown timber. We have seen quite extensive tracts undergoing this process of transformation. The facts heregiven are sufficient to convince our own mind, although we do not claim that the opinions expressed would stand the test of 1855-56 of all the Conferences of the M. E. a more scientific investigation.

NEW MAIL TRANSPORTATION .- We see it stated that I. S. Richardson, of Boston, has renewed his petition to Congress for an appropriation of \$75,000, to enable him to carry out his great project of transporting the mails between Boston and Washington in an hour's time, by the application of atmospheric pressure. Mr. Richardson's plan is cheap, simple and feasible. He proposes to lay down an iron pipe two feet in diameter, between distant cities. In this pipe the mail bags are fastened to a piston The piston is moved to and fro by the action of a steam air pump placed at each end of the pipe. The velocity of the piston will of course depend on the movements of the air pump. By increasing its pressure we can easily reach a velocity of two hundred miles an hour. Richardson's plan has been before the country some five years .-Everybody admits that it works well, yet nobody comes forward with necessary funds to put this wind instrument in motion.

BOTANY .- A writer in Blackwood's Magazine does not seem to put a favorable estimate on Mr. Greely's biographer. Here is an extract from the article:

Now, then, readers, if you do not give us credit for introducing you to the acme of modern biography, we pronounce you the most ungrateful and least discriminating of human beings. "If Horace Greely were a flower" says J. P., 'botanists would call him single, and examine him with interest.""He is what the Germans sometimes style 'a nature." And if J. P. also were a flower, botanists would inevetiably pronounce him "a tulip." He is what, in Scotland we sometimes call "a natural"--otherwise known as "a hafling," or, in vernacular

PRINTING OFFICE RULES .- Here are the latest. They should be observed :-

1. Enter softly. 2. Sit down quietly.

3. Subscribe for the paper.

4. Don't touch the poker.

5. Say nothing interesting.

6. Engage in no controversy. 7. Don't smoke.

8. Keep six feet from the table.

9. Don't talk to the Printers. 10. Hands off the papers.

11. Eyes off the manuscript.

If you'll observe these rules when you go into a printing office, you will greatly oblige the printer.

27 The entire Democratic ticket was elected at the late municipal election in Philadelphia. The majority for Vaux, for Mayor, is 3,873. The upper branch of the City Council, with those holding over, will stand It Democrats to 10 opposition; the lower branch 69 to 17.

Paoganss or Telescoric Science.—Sir David Brewster, adverting to the prosp of of future astronomical progress and discovery, says that however great has been the achievements of the past, and however magnificent the instrument to which we owe them, the limits of telescopic vision have not been reached, and space has yet marvelous secrets to surrender. A ten feet reflection will be due to science before the close of the century, and disc of fint glass, twenty-nine inches in diameter, awaits the command of some liberal government, or some munificant individual, to be converted into an achromatic telescope of extraordinary power. There is no doubt that these expectations will be realized in less than half a century. So, so, wise Sir David Brewster, "space has yet marvelous secrets to surrender!" and with a 'ten feet reflector' you will make space yield them up. Sir David, your 'reflector' might add to your already crowded celestial charts, millions upon up. Sir David, your 'reflector' might add to your already crowded celestial charts, millions upon millions of systems of solar planets, and far beyond these milky ways, crowded with nebulas, with double and triple and quadruple stars made to appear, and then, Sir David, not a secret would be added. Were your reflector of the diameter of yielded! Were your reflector of the diameter of the planet you stand upon, it would not yield a soli-lary secret, and were it to bring you light from stars so distant that human language or human imagination could not invent terms to express the imagination could not invent terms to express the distance, and yet this earth and those far off stars would be but neighboring atoms in the center of the immensity we call space, and were Sir David to travel with the celerity of thought, in a right line, through the years of eternity, he would never arrive where space is not! Why, Sir Astronomer, space is eternity, and with your 'ten feet raflector, how could you make eternity surrender its secrets! Go to!

WATER .- "Water," says a celebrated chemist, "exists around us and to an extent and under con-ditions which escape the notice of cursory observ-ers. When the dyer buys of the dry salter one ers. When the dyer buys of the dry salter one hundred pounds each of alum, carbonate of soda and soap, he obtains in exchange for his money no less than forty-five pounds in the second, and a variable quantity, sometimes amounting to seventy-three and a half pounds in the third. Even the transparent air we breathe contains in ordinary weather, about five grains of water diffused through each cubic foot of its bulk, and thus rarified water no more wets the air than the solidified water wets the lime or opal in which it is absorbed. Of a pluster of Paris statue, weighing five pounds, more than one good pound is solidified water. Even the precious oral is solidified water, cembined in the proportion of nine grains of the earthly ingredient to one of the fluid. Of an acre of clay land a foot deep, weighing about one thousand two houdred tons, at least four hundred tons are water; and even of the great mountain chains with which the globe is ribbed, many millions of tons are water solidified

CURIOUS RELIC.-F. W. Armstrong has presented Prentice, of the Lousville Journal, with an old relic that is indeed a curiosity. It is an Indian jug, large enough to hold about three pints, having jug, large enough to hold about three pints, having a long narrow neck, and standing upon three feet in the shape of balls. It seems to have been made by the moulding and subsequent baking of pulverized muscle shells. It was found in digging a well forty freet beneath the surface, in Mississippi County, Missouri, forty miles from Wolf Island. The

Journal says:

This relic, which is the second one of the kind ever found in Mississippi Co., is unquestionably very antique. After the discovery of the first, nearly half a century ago, a steamboat captain, who has since died in this city, had a conversation about it with the aged chief of the tribe then fournal says: inhabiting Mississippi county, and was assured by him that there was no surviving tradition as to the Indians who manufactured that sort of

13 In a memoir of Marshal Ney, recently ned, Lord Brougham, after defending Wellington rom the charge that has been brought against him, of want of generosity in allowing the punishment to be carried into effect, mentions a circumstance which we do not recollect to have seen elsewhere

"While Napoleon passed within range of an En-"white Application passed within range of an En-glish battery at Waterloo, and the officers were about to fire at the group, he at once peremporily forbade it. "This passage, he adds, in his illustri-ous and unstained life is worth a thousand superloous panegyries, and puts to flight all imputat upon him as wanting in those feelings which, in company with more rare and stern qualities, are ever found to adorn the character of the greatest

Chuncu Statistics.—The general minutes for ompleted, and will soon be issued from the publishuse, at Nashville, Tennemee.

The returns show the following result in totals, with reference to the preceding reports:

Traveling preachers, 2,078; Superannuated preachers, 4,628; White members and probationers, 447,372; Colored members and probationers, 170,-50; Indian members, 3,613; Total membership

The total increase reported is 27,622, which is reduced by decrease in five conferences to the nett increase 24,689, as above given.

The largest white membership reported, is for the Georgia Conference, 44,252; the largest colored membership, South Carolina Conference 37,-933; and the largest membership generally, South Carolina, 79.005.

POPULATION OF ROME.—The General Vicariate of Rome has just published an official census of the population of Rome for the year 1855. In all there are 177,461 inhabitants, among whom there are 36 bishow, 1,216 secular priests, 2,213 monks and other religious, 1,249 nuns, and 687 seminarists. At Rome, therefore, there are in all 5,081 priests, monks, nuns or seminarists. That is to say, one to

13" A London letter says that the differences of opinion which have existed in regard to the pro-posed law legalizing marriages with the deceased wife's sister, will probably be arranged by requir-ing such marriages to be selemnized before a Register, and not in Church.

A COLLEGE PROFESSOR .- He was one of your precise men, who measured off sentences as a clerk does choice ribbons. The good professor took it into his head to relieve the monotony of his existence by an aquatic excursion. The boat was unfortunately capsized near the shere, and he was put in a fair way to test Priesnitz's theory. He was averse to making any uncouth outcry, and had just gone down twice without saying a word; but just as his occiput was disappearing the third time, he rolled on his back, and blowing like a porpoise, exclaimed, rather louder than usual, "It is anticipated that some one will extend to me a rope."

65 John Randolph was one of the most sareastic men that ever lived. One time a young man attempted to make his acquaintance. He obtained an introduction, and among the first remarks said:

"I passed by your house lately, Mr. Randolph."

"I hope you always will!" was the reply West Windsor, Vt., is remarkable for the longevity of its citizens; fifteen of

its 1,000 inhabitants died over 80 years of

age during the month of March. La A late writer wahes to know what m precious offering can be laid upon a man's heart than the first love of a pure, affectionate girl, with an undivided interest in eight corner lots, and four-teen three-story houses?

'To o'er the empire of the heart That woman helds the reign, Where what she conquers not by art Her team wil n'er obtain.

La The flag of Nicaragua has a device of five volcames in full blast, intended, we suppose, to in-dicate the explosive energy of fill-busterium. 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 The land. tered and unibered, and has two wens 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 ofensils 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.

L' Inquire at The Anaca Office, Oregon City.

Water Power for Sale.

THE undersigned would like to sell one half of he 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.

Something New.

A NY person having a Melodeon, Seraphine, Accordeon, or other reed instrument, with oken or defective reeds, can have them repaired broken or defective reeds, can have them repaired by applying or sending to Chas. M. Kester, at his residence, two squares back from the Beptist 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 num-ber. C. M. KESTER. Oregon City, September 22, 1855-23

TEMPLE OF HONOR.—Tualatin Temple of Honor, No. 1, meets every Wednesday eve-sing, at the American Hall, Forest Grove, Oregon. Brethren of the Order in good standing are in-

vited to visit this Temple.
M. TUTTLE, W.C. T. S. A. Dixon, W. R. TAYNE'S Alterative, Espectorant, and Pills,

Cod Liver Oil, Castor Oil, and Sweet Oil, at OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. EXICAN Mustang Liniment, G. W. Mer-chant's Gargling Oil, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

TRUSSES, right and left and double, and Aboregon city Drug Store.

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

PERFUMERY, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

RAEFENBERG MEDICINES: Graefenberg Sarsaparilla, Uterine Catholicon.

Dyscalery symp, consumptive

balm, Pile Ointment, " Health Bitters,
" Eye Lolon &c., &c.,
To be found at the agency of the Company,
the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

TAYMAN'S Dyspeptic Elixir-warranted to 11 cure the dyspensia—just received and for ale at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. DR. Guysott's compound extract of Sarsaparilla and Yellow Dock, at the

sep15 OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. OLD Dr. Jacob Townsend's Sarsaparilla, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

New Jeweller.

HAVING employed one of the best Working Jewellets on the Pacific coast, I am now fully prepared to manufacture every description of 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. C. Portland, Dec. 29, 1855-371f G. COLLIER ROBBINS.

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

OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

SHAKER Sarsaparilla, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

SANDS' Samaparilla, in any quantity, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. MOFFAT'S Life Bitters and Pills, Bernard's Dysentery Syrup, Wistar's Balsum of Wild

Cherry, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. UST RECEIVED at the Oregon City Drug Store, direct from New York and San Fran-cisco, 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. DERUVIAN Febrifuge, for the cure of fever

and ague, &c., &c., just received and for sale at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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

Canemab, Nov. 25, 1855. hand and for sale, low, for eash or produce chrome green, prussian blue Paints & lead. red do in oil, chrome yellow, blue paint,

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

Land for Sale.

OFFER to sell 160 acres of choice land for two dollars and a quarter an acre, cash. The fayette, in the county of Yamhill. Title good—Call and see for yourselves. "Tis no trouble to show"—the land. S. C. ADAMS. Glen Avona, Dec. 25th, 1855-37tf

Tualatin Academy, Forest Grove, Washington County, O. T. QUARTERS COMMENCE: First Wednesday in December ; Last do in February ; Last do in February; Third do in May; First do in September. TUITION PER QUARTER: Primary English Higher Ancient Languages, French & drawing, each, extra, 93.00

Incidental charge, For information respecting the School, add E. D. SHATTUCK, Nov. 28, 1855.-33-6mo Principal.

Central Produce Depot. CANEMAIL.

CONSTANTLY receiving, fresh from ranch, wheat, ears, bacon, lard, butter and potatoes. Dec. 1, '55, JOHN P. BROOKS.

500 lbs. Feathers for sale by ap211f T. Je

Wheat Wanted.
IT IGHEST cash prices paid by
Nov. 2. WM. C. DEMENT & CO. DRIED Apples, in h'f and whole barrels, at F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.

CIGARS—The best chance to pick is at the store of CHARMAN & WARNER. FLOUR, fresh, kept constantly on hand by

GILT MOULDING for picture frames, for

TO PICK CIGARS, the best chance is at CHARMAN & WARNER'S. New Books !

THE subscriber has just received a large as-sortment of BOOKS, direct from New York, among which are the following: Alison's Hist. of Europe, American Institution do. Lives of the Signers, illiman's Democracy in A "Deck and Port," "Ship and Shore,"
Home Cyclopedia,
Egypt and the Holy Land Three Years in Califor Lardner on St'm Engine, Anc't Monasteries, ectures on the Arts, Peruvian Antiquities, Choice Estracts, A variety of Poets. Mahan's Philos

500 copies of Sanders' Speller, Readers, 250 6 Webster's Dictionaries. Newman's Rhetoric, Davies' Algebra, Day's do. Parley's Univ. History, Goodrich's Piet. U. S., Monteith's Geography, Geometry, Bourdon, Surveying Legendre, Arithmetics,

"Little Speaker," N. American Speaker. ALSO, Day Books, Journals, Ledgers, Record Books, Memorandums, of all sizes, Diaries, & C., Note and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Pens, &c., &c.—Erassi Knives, Erasive Rubber, Gummed Labels, Faber's Pencils,—INK, in quart and pint bottles.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. CHARLES POPE, Ja. Oregon City, August 18, 1855.

T. 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 Hallelujab, a new singing book, by Low-ell Mason—just the thing for singing schools; for sale at [je30] HOLLAND'S.

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

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

8 vols. Revelations, by A. J. Davis, the Clairvoyan Approaching Crisis, Harmonial Men, Special Providences, Present Age and

Inner Life, 8 " 1st, Great Harmonia, " June 30, 1855 .- y F. S. & A. HOLLAND. JUST RECEIVED,

40 hlf bbls N. O. 20 " " erwhed S bbls 40 matts No. 1 China sugar; 100 sacks Ro coffee; 2000 lbs Eng. scap; 1000 " saleratu

10 cases olive oil; prunes: " G. P. ten; 6 boxes yeast powders;

candles: DRY GOODS, &c. 4 bales sheeting;

hickory; blue driffs 1 " prints; 100 doz. Coats' spool thread; 10 pieces alpacas and merinoes;

Also, a lot of Boots and Shoes, Crockery, Glass vare, and one or two other "ictas" just now recollect. Give us a call, for we are de termined to sell out. F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

Sebastopol has Fallen! ND CHARMAN & WARNER wish to inform the citizens of Oregon City and the public in general that they have just received a good assertment of GROCERIES suitable for this season of the year. Also, we have received a

figs, bottled pie fruits, raspherry 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 caudies, 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. better than a slow shilling.

We are now commencing to prepare in the Ba-kery for Christmas, and shall have a good assort-ment of cake. We shall also keep on hand a superior quality of butter crackers, Boston erackers, 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 materiais in Oregon.

Who Wants a Good Saddle? THE subscriber, living five miles south-west of Lafayette, in Yambill county, is now carrying on the husiness 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 each, 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 Pertland and Oregon City, "up country" by the way of Smith's bridge on the North Fork of Varshell.

IT I keep every thing in the saddlery line, as bridles, Martingales, Halters, Lines, &c. &c. Sept. 20-23tf. J. O. HENDERSON J. O. HENDERSON.

Melodeons.

FEW of Prince & Ca's best MELODE. ONS for sale, Low. Enquire at the fele OREGON CITY DRUG STORE. DOWDER, let d, shot and caps at

F. S. & A. HOLLAND'S.

Allan, Decliniay & Co.,

HAVE just received 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: canal & wheel barrows grindstones grass scythes & snaths plain do brush do do assort'd colored pails 16 sq harrows 23 tech painted tube 16 sq harrows 23 tech inc wash boards garden rakes blacksmith's bellow cross cut saws 7 tt

do hoes do spades olished shovels do mill saws 7 ft bay forks hair mattrasses double nanure forks charns window glass 8 by 10 do 10 by 12 do 7 by 9 window sashes 8 by 10 do single sperm candles adamantine do

do 10 by 12 grape brand tobacco ox bows and yokes BLANKETS, BAISE, LINDSEYS, Sheetings Ticks, de de.

And keep constantly on hand a large supply GROCERIES, elothing, hardware, and many articles too numer Oregon City, April 21, 1856-1y

IN addition to our present stock we are now receiving direct from New York, "ex clipper ship Phenix," Late Arrival.

50 bbls, and half bbls. N. O. Sugar; 20 bbls crushed sugar; 10,000 lbs. Rio coffee; 20 bbls. N. O. molasses; for sale low by WM. C. DEMENT & CO., une 30-y Opposite the Land Office. June 30-y

50 BBLS. Santa Cruz Line just received and for sale by WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

Oregon Bacon. W. C. DEMENT & co.

UST RECEIVED.

100 boxes candles, 20 bbls, pork, by WM. C. DEMENT & co.

Egyptian Wheat. FEW bushels for sale by nov10 WM. C. DEMENT & CO. A Rare Chance

For those engaged, or wishing to engage the Flouring Business. WE have on hand and for sale, the following machinery for grist mills, which will be sold for cash, or on a short time :

2 portable mills, complete : 1 run of four feet four inch French Burrs, with spur wheel, 114 cogs, weighing 1025 lbs.; with spinile, pinion, brush and oil-pot and collar. I run, same size, without pinion. Other iron

the same as above.

Together with a general assortment of bands bolting cloths, pulleys, gudgeous, wheels, couplings, hangings for bolting chests, &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 'Sman Abigail" and bark "Chas. Devens from San Francisco, the following goods: GROCERIES:—150 kgs E. B. syrup, 5&8 gals

20 bhis New Orlans do. 5000 lbs No. 1 Chinasugar, 5000 lbs table salt, 290 boxes English and American soap, 20 cases pie fruit, ass'd, 2 gross P. & B. yeast powders,

5000 lbs tobacco, ass'd brands, 100 hulf boxes raisins, bbis and balf bbis crushed spour 3000 lbs saleratus. CROCKERY—A General Assortment. DRY-GOODS:-5000 yds brown sheeting,

1000 yds satinets, 2000 " mints 10 pieces alpacas,
50 pairs English blankets,
200 vds carpeting,
200 oil cloth;

Together with a general assortment of ready made clething, boots, shoes, hats, caps, and carpenters' tools. WM. C. DEMENT 4-CO.,

Nov. 10. To Arrive 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 WM.C. DEMENT & co., opposite the Land Office. oct 12. FRESH OREGON TIMOTHY SEED-50
but. for sale by WM. C. DEMENT 4-CO.

Santa Cruz Lime. 50 BBLS. for sale by NM. C. DEMENT & CO.

N our bakery we keep constantly on hand bread, crackers, cakes, pies, &c. CHARMAN & WARNER. CANDIES, nuts, vaisins, of an excellent quality just received and for sale low by CHARMAN & WARNER.

Oranges

R ECEIVED upon the arrival of every steam
er. Don't fail to call ou CHARMAN & WARNER.

EVERY THING in the line of Groceries,— as cheese, all kinds of spice, sal soda, cabon-ate soda, saleratus, cream tartar, &c.,—are sold at CHARMAN & WARNER'S.

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

Just Received. supply of fancy groceries, such as Farina, Sugar A such as tea, sympts, sugar, &c.; also fine and coarse salt, cream tartiar, apples, chili peaches, articles too numerous to mention.

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