The Bridal Wine Cup.

"Pledge with wine—pledge with wine," cried the young and thoughtless Harvey Wood; "pledge with wine," ran through the crowd.

The beautiful bride grew pale—the decisive hour had come. She pressed her white hands together, and the leaves of her bridal wreath trembled on her pure brow, her breath came quicker and her heart beat wilder.

"Yes, Marian, lay aside your scruples for this once," said the Judge, in a low tone, going towards his daughter, "the company expect it. Do not so seriously infringe upon the rules of etiquette; in your own home act as you please, but in mine, for this once, please me."

Every eye was turned towards the bridal pair. Marian's principles were well known. Henry had been a convivialist, but of late his friends noticed the change in his manners, the difference of his habits—and to-night they watched to see, as they sneeringly said, if he was tied down to a woman's opinion so soon.

Pouring a brimming beaker, they held it with tempting smiles towards Marian.—She was very pale, though more composed, and her hand shook not, as smiling back, she gracefully accepted the crystal tempter, and raised it to her lips. But scarcely had she done so, when every hand was arrested by her piercing exclamation of "oh! how terrible!"

"What is it?" cried one and all, thronging together, for she had slowly carried the glass at arm's length, and was fixedly regarding it as tho' it were some hideous object.

"What," she answered, while an inspired light shone from her dark eyes, "wait, and I will tell you. I see," she added, slowly, pointing one jeweled finger at the sparkling liquid, "a sight that beggars all description, and yet listen—I will paint it for you if I can. It is a lonely spot; tall mountains crowned with verdure rise in awful sublimity around; a river runs through and bright flowers grow to the water's edge. There is a thick warm mist, that the sun seeks vainly to pierce. Trees, lofty and beautiful, wave to the airy motion of the birds; but there—a group of Indians gather; they flit to and fro with something like sorrow upon their dark brows; and in their midst lies a manly form—but his dark cheek how deathly, his eyes wild with the fitful fire of fever. One friend stands beside him—I should say kneels—for see, he is pillowing that poor head upon his breast.

"Genius in ruins—oh! the high, holy looking brow, why should death mark it, and he so young. Look how he throws back the damp curls! see him clasp his hands! hear his thrilling shrieks for life! mark how he clutches at the form of his companion, imploring to be saved. Oh! hear him call piteously his father's name—see him twine his fingers together as he shrieks for his sister—his only sister—the twin of his soul—weeping for him in his distant native land.

"See!" she exclaimed, while the bridal party shrank back, the untasted wine trembling in their grasp, and the Judge fell overpowered upon his seat, "see, his arms lifted to heaven—he prays, how wildly, for mercy! but fever rushes through his veins.

The friend beside him is weeping; awe-stricken, the dark men move silently away, ann leave the living and the dying together."

There was a hush in that princely parlor, broken only by what seemed a smothered sob from some manly bosom. The bride stood yet upright, with quivering lip, and tears stealing to the outward edge of her lashes. Her beautiful arm had lost its extension, and the glass, with its little troubled red waves came slowly towards the range of her vision. She spoke again; every lip was mute. Her voice was low, faint, yet awfully distinct. She still fixed her sorrowful glance upon the wine-cup.

"It is evening now; the great white moon is coming up, and his beams lay gently on his forehead. He moves not—his eyes are set in their sockets—dim are their piercing glances; in vain his friend whispers the name of father and sister—death—and no soft hand, no gentle voice to bless and soothe him. His head sinks back! one convulsive shudder! he is dead!"

A groan ran through the assembly, so vivid was her description, so unearthly her look, so inspired her manner, that what she described seemed actually to have taken place then and there. They noticed also that the bridegroom hid his face in his hands and was weeping.

"Dead!" she repeated again, her lips quivering faster, and her voice more broken; "and there they scoop him a grave, and there, without a shroud, they lay him down in that damp, reeking earth. The only son of a proud father, the idolized brother of a fond sister. And he sleeps to-day in that distant country, with no stone to mark the spot. There he lies—my father's son—my own twin brother!—a victim to this deadly poison, father," she exclaimed, turning suddenly, while the tears rained down her beautiful cheeks, "father shall I drink it now?"

The form of the Judge was convulsed with agony. He raised not his head, but in a smoothered voice he faltered—"No, no, my child, in God's name—no."

She lifted the glittering goblet, and letting it suddenly fall to the floor, it was dashed in a thousand pieces. Many a tearful eye watched her movement, and instantaneously every wine-glass was transferred to the marble table on which it had been prepared. Then, as she looked at the fragments of crystal, she turned to the company saying, "Let no friend hereafter who loves me, tempt me to peril my soul for wine. Not firmer are the everlasting hills than my resolve, God help me, never to touch or taste that terrible poison. And he to whom I have given my hand—who watched over my brother's dying form in that last solemn hour, and buried the dear wanderer there by the river in that land of gold, will, I trust, sustain me in that resolve. Will you not, my husband?"

His glistening eyes, his sad, sweet smiles was her answer. The Judge left the room, and when an hour after he returned, and with a more subdued manner took part in the entertainment of the bridal guests, no one could fail to see that he, too, had determined to banish the enemy at once and forever from his princely home.

Those who were present at that wedding can never forget the impression so solemnly made. Many from that hour forswore the social glass.—*Boston Olive Branch.*

☞ Delazon Smith, in a long article in the Oregon *Statesman*, says that the State of California has received *nineteen millions* of dollars from the National treasury.—Smith thinks that Oregon should be a State as soon as the thing can be done. It is presumed that Delazon has no objection to be U. S. Senator.—*Columbian (Columbus, Ohio.)*

☞ The Love of a cross woman, they say, is stronger than the love of any other female individual you can start. Like vinegar, the affections of a high strung woman never spoil. It is the sweet wines that become acidulated, not the sour ones.

☞ A pear tree more than 200 years old was cut down in New Haven recently. It stood in Crown street, and was transplanted from England in the early days of the Colony.

☞ Of all the ills that love brings, jealousy is the one for which women have the least sympathy.

☞ The Chinese have a strange prejudice against milk, and never touch it.

☞ Ladies wear corsets from instinct—a natural love of being squeezed.

☞ For taking the romance out of young folks marriage is nearly as bad as a lawsuit. Think of that, ye votaries of hymen!

☞ An artist in New Orleans is about getting up a panorama of a law suit. The first scene opens with the year one, and the last closes with doomsday.

Characteristics of Vulgar Portraits.—The traveling artist, Mr. Jones or Mr. Brown, generally in bandit-like costume and beard, puts up at the village inn, in the bay window of which he displays his specimens. In an incredibly short space of time, half the inhabitants of the place, in gorgeous frames, hang resplendent upon the walls of the back parlors, while, with much persuasion, they induce their shy pastor to sit for his likeness on a gigantic scale, and present it to his wife and daughters. Somehow or other, the predominating expression in every instance, is a satisfied air of well-to-deism, beneath which individual characteristics are lost; while the most imaginative ingenuity is expended upon the portrait, though certainly not with a view of helping out the likeness. For instance, at a first glance, one would pronounce the meek pastor to be a keen sportsman; the rough fox-hunter a bookworm; the shoemaker, who can scarcely write his name, has pens and paper enough before him to be mistaken for Mr. James, the novelist, at least; while the butcher, with his wig pushed half off his head, to give it intellectuality, leans upon a gilded volume of Milton. As to the ladies, their chief anxiety seems to be to get a satisfactory portrait of the best cap and gown, with every article of jewelry that can by any possibility be mustered for the occasion; and this done, their minds are easy upon the subject. We have inspected a set of portraits, in which a yellow turban did duty for the whole circle of ladies, and a Shakspeare and inkstand for the gentlemen; the effect was peculiar, but scarcely pleasing.

A Slight Mistake.—The Louisville Journal has the following nonchalant paragraph: "We learn that a shooting affair came off at Lake Providence about a week ago. A man named Jones shot a man named Patterson, mistaking him for one Pennington. Patterson, after being shot twice, one of the balls lodging in his breast, drew a pistol and was about shooting Jones, when the latter begged his pardon, saying he had mistaken his man. Patterson generously accepted the apology. His wounds are not mortal."

A Fast Country.—A large six story building, standing on one of the conspicuous corners of Chicago, was built by a clerk in that city, from funds purloined from his employer. When detection became unavoidable, he left town and sent back an agent to negotiate. The matter was finally arranged by the employer taking the building, and paying the thief *ten thousand dollars*; and it was remarked, so great has been the rise in the value of property, that the employer made his fortune by being robbed.

Colt's Revolvers.—It has been estimated that over 400,000 pistols have been turned out at the manufactory in Hartford. Of these over one-third have been sold in California. The U. S. Army have been furnished with six thousand, which, at a cost of $28, would be $168,000, added to repairs, which would amount to several thousand more. About 2,000 are annually sold in New York city by jobbers and the retail trade, which would amount by average to nearly $40,000.

☞ From the top of Chimborazo to the bottom of the Atlantic at the deepest place yet reached by the plummet in the Northern Atlantic, the distance in a vertical line is nine miles. The deepest part of the North Atlantic is probably somewhere between the Bermudas and the Grand Banks. The waters of the Gulf of Mexico are held in a basin about a mile deep in the deepest part. There is at the bottom of the sea, between Cape Race in New-foundland and Cape Clear in Ireland, a remarkable steppe, which is already known as the telegraphic plateau. The great circle distance between these two shore lines is 1,600 miles, and the sea along this route is probably no where more than 10,000 feet deep.

How Ships are Named.—Since the last war, ships of the line in the United States navy are named after States; frigates after American rivers; sloops of war after State capitals and other cities; brigs after some noted deceased naval commander; and revenue cutters after members of the cabinet. The Collins steamers are named after oceans and seas, and the Cunarders after countries.

☞ Richard W. Anderson, of Huntsville, Alabama, has addressed a printed circular to the sovereigns of France, England, Russia and Turkey, inviting them gradually to relinquish their regal power, "that the people may return to their primitive rulers." He tells them that the Israelites committed a fatal error 2950 years ago, when they called for a king.

Wm. C. Dement & Co.,

At their old stand, opposite the Land Office,

ARE now receiving per bark "Ork" and brig "Haleyon," the following goods:

150 boxes sperm and adamantine candles,
50 kegs dried apples and peaches,
100 bbls and hlf bbls crushed sugar,
50 cases pickles,
30 " fresh peaches,
50 " pie fruits,
10 tons G. A. salt.

CROCKERY & GLASS-WARE:

500 doz cups and saucers,
300 " plates,
200 " tumblers,
20 " water pitchers,
Sugar bowls, tea-pots, &c., &c.

OILS & PAINTS:

200 kegs pure lead,
200 gals linseed oil,
100 gals turpentine,
50 gals varnish,
300 gals lamp oil,
100 gals lard "

DRY GOODS:

6000 yds brown sheeting,
5000 " prints,
Bleached cottons, bed ticking, &c., &c.,

all of which will be sold as low as they can be purchased of any other house in Oregon City. may17

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

Logs, Logs.

CASH will be paid on delivery for fir and cedar LOGS at works of Oregon Milling & Transportation Co. R. PENTLAND, Ag't.

Linn City, May 10, 1856.

Sacks! Sacks!

THE undersigned has constantly on hand at his sack manufactory in Oregon City, SACKS of all qualities and sizes, which will be sold as low as they can be bought in the Territory. Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

WM. WHITLOCK.

Oregon City, May 3, 1856.–3y.

Lumber, Lumber.

THE Oregon Milling and Transportation Co. have established a LUMBER YARD on the river bank in rear of the store of Allan, McKinlay & Co.

Lumber in large or small quantities, including dressed siding and flooring, can always be had by application at the store of

F. S. & A. HOLLAND.

Oregon City, May 10, 1856.

KELLY'S

Private Boarding House,

Opposite Holmes & Co's Fire-proof building, *OREGON CITY, O. T.*

☞ Charges reasonable. Nov. 3-6m.

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 brooches,
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.

Charman & Warner.

MR. EDITOR—You will please tell all our fellow-citizens of Oregon that we are still doing business under the old firm, and under the old adage that a nimble sixpence is better than a slow shilling. We want to sell goods, and will do so as cheap as any other house in Oregon City.

We have enlarged our business materially, and now have on hand, as usual, all kinds of *GROCERIES*, such as will suit city and country trade, which we hope all who have favored us with their liberal patronage know full well. Call again—we will do our best. CHARMAN & WARNER.

April 19, 1856.

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.

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

TEMPLE OF HONOR.—Tualatin 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. 39

GLASS, Queensware, and Crockery, at
ap19 *CHARMAN & WARNER'S.*

WE have a full assortment of BOOTS & SHOES, also Ladies' Gaiters and Boskins, in fact all kinds of ladies' shoes.
ap19 *CHARMAN & WARNER.*

OREGON HAMS and SHOULDERS for sale by
a19 *CHARMAN & WARNER.*

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,
Sillman's do.	Lives of the Signers,
Democracy in America,	Babylon and Nineveh,
"Land and Lee,"	"Duck and Port,"
"Sea and Sailor,"	"Ship and Shore,"
Three Years in Califor.,	Home Cyclopedia,
Cyc. of Literature,	Egypt and the Holy Land
Buchan's Fam. Phys'n.,	Lardner on St'm Engine,
Manual of Fine Arts,	Anc't Monasteries,
Lectures on the Arts,	Choice Biography,
Travels in Peru,	Peruvian Antiquities,
Polar Regions,	Choice Extracts,
Mahan's Philosophy,	A variety of Poets.

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

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

ALSO,

A Fresh Supply of Stationery.

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

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

CHARLES POPE, Jr.

Oregon City, August 18, 1855.

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.

Mason'c 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

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

MEXICAN Mustang Liniment, G. W. Merchant's Gargling Oil, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

TRUSSES, right and left and double, and Abdominal supporters, at the OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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.

GRAEFENBERG MEDICINES:
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.

HAYMAN'S Dyspeptic Elixir—warranted to cure the dyspepsia—just received and for sale at the *OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.*

DR. Guysott's compound extract of Sarsaparilla and Yellow Dock, at the
sept5 OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.

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

DR. J. Ayres' celebrated Cherry Pectoral for coughs, colds, and consumption, 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.

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

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.

PERUVIAN Febrifuge, for the cure of fever and ague, &c., &c., just received and for sale at the *OREGON CITY DRUG STORE.*

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

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.

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 / 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

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

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:

grindstones	canal & wheel barrows
grain cradles	fancy brooms
grass scythes & snaths	plain do
brush do do	assort'd colored pails
16 sq 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 mattrasses double
churns	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
ox bows and yokes	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, 1856–1y

50 BBLS. Santa Cruz Lime just received and for sale by
je23-10 WM. C. DEMENT & CO.

Oregon Bacon.

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

Egyptian Wheat.

A FEW bushels for sale by
nov10 *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 Burrs, with spur wheel, 114 cogs, weighing 1025 lbs.; with spindle, 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 cloths, pulleys, gudgeons, 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 22, 1855.

WE ARE NOW RECEIVING, per brig "Susan Abigail" and bark "Chas. Devens," from San Francisco, the following goods:

GROCERIES:—150 kgs E. B. syrup, 5&8 gals.,
20 bbls New Orleans do.
5000 lbs No. 1 China sugar,
5000 lbs table salt,
200 boxes English and American soap,
20 cases pie fruit, ass'd,
2 gross P. & B. yeast powders,
5000 lbs tobacco, ass'd brands,
100 half boxes raisins,
20 bbls and half bbls crushed sugar,
3000 lbs saleratus.

CROCKERY—A General Assortment.

DRY-GOODS:—5000 yds brown sheeting,
1000 yds satinets,
2000 " prints,
10 pieces alpacas,
50 pairs English blankets,
200 yds carpeting,
200 " oil cloth;

Together with a general assortment of ready made clothing, boots, shoes, hats, caps, and carpenters' 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. 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.,
oct 12. opposite the Land Office.

FRESH OREGON TIMOTHY SEED—50 bus. for sale by *WM. C. DEMENT & CO.*

Santa Cruz Lime.

50 BBLS. for sale by
nov10 *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,—as cheese, all kinds of spice, sal soda, cabonate 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.; also fine and coarse salt, cream tartar, apples, chili peaches, sardines, oysters, clams, yeast powder, also a large quantity of superior cheroot cigars, and tobacco of every brand—and almost every thing else in our 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, Handsaws, Curry Combs, Horse Brushes and Cards, Gun Locks, Gun Caps, Wool Cards, Chest Handles, Planes, &c

April 21, 1855–1tf

Groceries

FOR SALE BY CHARLES POPE, JR.

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

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