

"RATHER BE A NIGGER."—We ask the citizens of Linn county to take notice that their lion, or mule father in a lion's skin, has been down here to tell us that he "would rather be a nigger at the South than a poor laborer at the North."

DELUSION'S AMBITION.—On Thursday, Smith said in his speech, "That he had rather be a decent man's nigger at the South, than a poor white laborer at the North."

LINN COUNTY.—We have assurance that Linn county has pretty much been renovated politically by the workings of the great Oberlin wool-grower.

THE OFFICER DOCTRINE.—One of the Democratic candidates, James officer, goes the whole figure, clear up to the handle.

Resolved, That the Constitution of the United States does recognize negroes as property only, and to hold such property is a constitutional right, co-extensive and commensurate with national citizenship.

FRUIT DESTROYED.—We hear a general complaint that most of the apples were killed by the heavy frosts in the early part of the spring.

MAP OF OREGON.—S. P. Dazan, Esq., is about starting out on a trip through the counties of Polk, Linn, and Benton, for the purpose of supplying subscribers with McCormick & Pownall's map of Oregon.

CITY SCHOOL.—The Oregon City School will certainly commence another quarter on Monday next, May 28.

RECKON.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company has reduced the price of freight on flour carried from Portland to Victoria, to five dollars per ton.

DELUSION IN HIS SPEECH.—Delusion is argued for the extension of slavery on the ground that it would benefit the nigger.

PERSONAL.—We received a call this week from L. E. V. Coon, Esq., late editor of the Roseburg Express.

Let the voters of Clackamas remember that Foster, Officer and Rev. J. D. Post were present to hear Delusion and gaped and hollowed with the rest when he was slandering poor white laborers.

THAMES.—To Pursuer Hoyt, of the steamer Express, for favors shown this office.

LINN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The annual meeting of the Linn County Agricultural Society was held at Albany, May 14th.

LARGE REVENUE.—The total receipts of the Treasury of Lane county for the fiscal year, is \$21,983 64.—Advertiser.

MARRIED.—At the residence of Mrs. Patterson, in Vancouver, W. T., on the 14th inst., by J. D. Biles, Esq., Mr. John Adams to Miss Nancy J. Brown.

DIED.—At Vancouver, W. T., on the 12th inst., CHARLES QUINN, aged 32 years and 13 days. Deceased was a native of Hamburg, Germany, and for several years a resident of Vancouver.

OREGON CITY MARKET.—Wheat, \$0.80 a bushel; flour, \$5 a barrel; potatoes, 25c; oats, 15c; butter, 25c; bacon, 12 1/2c; eggs, 20c.

OREGON PRODUCE IN SAN FRANCISCO.—Bacon—lards 20 1/2c; clear sides 15 1/2c; shoulders 12 1/2c—In this, 15 1/2c.

No More Mills Burnt! MR. BOOTH.—Dear Sir: I have now in my Mill one of your Centre Feed Fire-proof SMUT MACHINES, put up two weeks ago.

THE MILLERS OF THIS STATE: You will never get a trying this Smut Mill. You can call and see how this ceases what, before purchasing.

Notice: I HEREBY GIVEN that LAURA GOODALL and myself are no longer husband and wife, and I hereby forewarn all persons from harboring or trusting her on my account.

Notice: IF H. S. QUICK is in Oregon he will learn something to his advantage by calling at the Argus office immediately.

SIMILKAMEEN GOLD MINES, HAVE TURNED OUT A TREASURE!

HERE YOU CAN FIND THE STUFF that will stand the fire and wear. It respects well, for I raise the color every day, and if the times were only a little brighter, I think that it would pay very well; and if you don't believe it, just come and buy a pair of BOOTS, after you try them on, for

I have Just Received A NEW ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS AND SHOES, The Latest Style and Fashion.

Genie's fine sewed French calf boots, also pegged calf boots and shoes of all sorts and sizes; Ladies' kid, moose, camel and cloth gaiters, silk elastic Congress-hoof gaiters, misses' gaiters and shoes of every kind, coarse and fine; boys' shoes of every kind that is mentioned in any rhyme; children's calf and copper-toed shoes; ladies and children's HOSE of all sizes, white, brown, and fancy; Miller's Water-Proof BLACKING, J. S. Mason's Blacking;

Shoemaker's Findings, Pegs, nails, hammers, thread, wax, snips, and shoe-bricks.

Thankful for past patronage, I respectfully solicit a continuance of patronage from my old customers and as many new ones as choose to come.

W. W. FAULKNER & SON, 123 Sanson-street, corner of Merchant, San Francisco.

JUST received, the latest style of silk & sat in BONNETS, L. gowns and straw hats.

Yamhill Trade. The U. S. M. Steamer JAS. CLINTON, Capt. JAMES D. MILLER, makes regular trips to Dayton and Lafayette, three times a week, leaving Yamhill every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings, at 8 o'clock—returning next day.

J. R. RALSTON, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN General Merchandise, is now in receipt of NEW GOODS selected with much care in San Francisco.

I have just received ex Northern and Brother Jonathan, French, English, & AMERICAN PRINTS, bleached sheetings and long cloths, plain & barred muslin, do do snip muslin, Victoria lawn, brown sheetings & shirtings, hickory stripes, deans, dills and ship's duck.

IRISH LINENS, linen damask, white damask, table covers, Russian towels, and crash.

FLANNELS, white, yellow, red, grey, & blue, plain and twilled, plain & figured, satinet, jeans, cottonades, wool lined—beautiful styles—blankets, white, red, blue, & grey.

Hosiery: ladies', misses', and children's brown, slate, and mixed hose—guilt's and boys' wool and cotton half hose.

Boots and Shoes: a large lot—gent's fine, medium, and coarse boots & shoes, ladies' and misses' calf shoes, gaiters, & slippers, boys' boots & shoes, children's shoes, fancy and plain.

Hardware: Pocket knives, pruning and budding knives, knives and forks, scissors and shears, butts and screws, strap hinges, door locks, variety of styles and patterns, hand saws, tenon saws, compass saws, bench planes, chisels, augers, auger bits, axes, hatchets, hammers, shovels, hoes, potato rakes, brads, tacks, finishing nails, cut nails, wrought nails, horse nails, &c.

PROCESSIONS: Sugars, coffee, tea, sugar, salt, spices, soap, powders, candles, salarates, yeast powder, cream tartar, soda, sal soda, indigo, clothes pins, scrub brushes, paint brushes, brooms, dust brushes, hand bellows, wooden pails, wash tubs, and wash boards.

PAINTS & OILS: White lead, red lead, Ven. red, Prussian blue, chrome yellow, chrome green, burnt and raw umber, yellow & black paint, Van Dyke brown, T. D. Sienne and assorted colored smalts.

Boiled and Raw Linseed Oil, Polar oil, lard oil, fish oil, tanners' oil, China oil, &c., &c.

Terms: J. R. RALSTON, Corner Main & Fifth Sts. Oregon City, October 1, 1853.

PURIFY THE BLOOD, MOFFAT'S Vegetable Life Pills AND PRONIX BITTERS.

THE high and envied celebrity which these preparations have acquired for their purgative efficiency in all the diseases which they profess to cure, has rendered the usual practice of purging not only unnecessary, but unworthy of them.

Before and After: The Rev. Robert Schuyler, of Peabody, says: "For years both myself and brother have suffered so from dyspepsia, weakness of our stomach, indigestion and flatulence, that life at times was a burden."

Books! Books! AT THE OREGON CITY BOOK STORE, consisting of Standard Religious, Miscellaneous, and Poetical works, Waverley and Dickens's Novels, &c., &c., &c.

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I can administer to a mind (and body) diseased, And with a sweet oblivious antidote Cleanse the foul system of its perious staff.—Shakspeare.

A Blessed & Divine Remedy SANGUIFEROUS NERVE TONIC!

Read my Theory of LIFE and DEATH, THAT most diseases prove fatal; that early death occurs, that people live for years a living death, weak, imbecile, and exhausted—not from the disease itself, but from an inability in nature, and nature's strength to withstand or maintain life through the ravages of disease.

Dr. Webber's Sanguifer acts on the blood, heart, brain, intestines, sinews, nerves, the fluids and semi-fluids, and the whole physique, and BENEFITS ALIKE

the gloomy hypochondria, the dyspeptic, the nervous, debilitated and feeble, the over-dressed invalid, the bilious and liver-diseased sufferer, the gourmand, the debauchee, the intemperate, and all who suffer ill health.

"OH HORRIBLE! OH HORRIBLE! Most Horrible!!!"

When worn-out nature succumbs to DEATH, because she has not strength to resist. Now, Dr. Jacob Webber's Invigorating Cordial causes strength—that is its main quality.

Nervousness, Weakness, Langor, Fever and Ague, Chills, Pains in the Limbs, Joints, Body, Delirium Tremens, Tremors, Constitutional Decline, (from any cause,) Debility in either sex or age, Torpor of the Liver, Bowels, & HABITUAL CONSTIPATION!!

This will purify the thick stagnant blood, cause a healthy action on the bowels, heart, skin, and brain, and thereby revolutionize the whole system, which has become dormant and inactive.

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Inebriates and Drunkards! READ! The Appetite for Liquor Destroyed! ONE of the beautiful properties possessed by DR. WEBBER'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL

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NEW SCHOOL. The Sisters of the HOLY NAMES OF JESUS AND MARY WILL open a Day School near the Catholic church in OREGON CITY, on Monday, April 23d.

Change of Business. THE undersigned calls attention to the fact that he has returned from Portland to Yamhill county for the present, preparatory to leaving for the Atlantic States.

GEO. E. COLE, (SUCCESSOR TO W. H. SPENCER.) Dealer in IRON, STEEL, AXLES, SPRINGS, Wagon Material, Mechanics' Tools, Agricultural Implements, and GENERAL HARDWARE, FRONT STREET, PORTLAND.

Notice: GEO. SMITH: You are hereby notified that a writ of attachment has been issued against you, and your property amounting to \$446.50.

OREGON CITY SENEWARR Y. FRANCIS D. HODGSON, A. M., PRINCIPAL. Mrs. Mary Hodgson, Teacher Ornamental Branches; Miss Louisa Breyman, Teacher Instrumental Music; Miss Abrahama Hunsaker, Assistant, English Branches.

Sheriff's Sale: BY VIRTUE of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the fourth Judicial District of the State of Oregon, in and for the county of Clackamas, and to me directed, in favor of M. F. Triest and others, against J. S. Bridges, for the sum of twenty-five hundred and fifty-nine dollars and eighty-one cents, with interest from the 6th day of September, 1853, together with costs and accruing costs, and for want of sufficient personal property to satisfy said execution, I have levied upon and shall proceed to sell to the highest bidder for cash, on the twenty-third day of May, 1854, all the right, title, and interest which I hold in the said J. S. Bridges now has, or which he had on the 6th day of September, 1853, in and to all that certain tract and parcel of land situated in Oregon City, county of Clackamas, and State of Oregon, known and designated on the plat of Oregon City as lots 3 and 6 in block 46, together with the improvements thereon belonging.

GROCERIES! JUST RECEIVED, A NEW SUPPLY OF Choice Young Hyson Tea, Rio Coffee, Chemical Olive Soap, Candles, &c.

For Sale: A FARM, situated on Rock creek, in Clackamas county, on State road to the Forks of the Willamette, and 16 miles south of Oregon City—containing 320 acres of land—70 or 75 in cultivation, and under good fence—an orchard of about 150 bearing trees—with a good dwelling-house, and common log stables. There is a good tanyard on the premises of 17 vats, shop and bark mill—also a good building suitable for a store—in a good settlement. The above property will be sold on reasonable terms—the whole, or in parcels to suit purchasers. For terms, inquire at the Argus Office. GEORGE W. JACKSON, P. S.—There is a good creek of living water the year round. May 5, 1854

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KELLY'S TEMPERANCE HOUSE, Main st., opposite Geo. Abernethy & Co's, OREGON CITY.

GOOD ROOMS FITTED UP with CLEAN and comfortable BEDS, for the especial accommodation of the traveling public.

OREGON HOUSE, Corner Third and Water streets, opposite the Ferry Landing, OREGON CITY.

THE traveling public are respectfully invited to give me a call. The Oregon House is the most pleasant, airy, and best located hotel in the State, and has been so arranged as to make it one of the most comfortable houses in the country.

ESTABLISHED 1760. PETER LORILLARD, Snuff and Tobacco Manufacturer, 15 & 18 CHAMBERS ST., (Formerly 42 Chatham street, New York.)

Woolen Druggists to his removal, and also the articles of his manufacture, viz: BROWN SNUFF, Macanahy, D. Mignos, Fine Happers, Pure Virginia, Coarse Rapp-e, Nachitoches, American Gentleman, Copeland's, YELLOW SNUFF.

J. FLEMING, (AT THE POST OFFICE BUILDING) OREGON CITY, HAS on hand for sale, a well-selected assortment of Books and Stationery,

comprising, in part, the following: Family Bibles and Test. Copy, letter, and note papers, 7 1/2c.

Dr. Moffat's Pills and Phoenix Bitters, and the Graefenberg Medicines, which are recommended to those who wish to live till they die. May 14, 1853.

Notice: SOLDIERS', TEAMSTERS', SAILORS', (or their widows or orphan children,) who served in any wars or battles, either in California or elsewhere, prior to March 3d, 1853, or their children who were under 21 years of age at that date, or sailors who served on the coast of California in the Mexican war, will do well to address us.

UPPER WILLAMETTE Transportation Line! STEAMER ONWARD, " SURPRISE, " BELIEF,

Hogs Wanted. CASH WILL BE PAID FOR 250 Head of Hogs, Delivered at the... ISLAND MILLS, IMMEDIATELY. Hogs bought constantly.

J. B. PAINTER, (LATE OF MEARA & BUDGET) Dealer in Type, Presses, Printing Material, Paper, Cards, and Printers' Stock generally, 152 Clay street, near Sanson, SAN FRANCISCO.

Special Notice: ALL those indebted to me are requested to settle their accounts before the 10th day of May, 1854, or I will be obliged to place the same in the hands of a collector.

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