



"If any man attempts to haul down the American Flag, shoot him on the spot!"  
—Gen. Dix.

## The Oregon Argus.

W. L. Adams, Editor.  
OREGON CITY:

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1862

### Woolen Factory.

The citizens of Oregon City are respectfully invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Court House on Thursday, the 18th inst, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of soliciting subscriptions for the purpose of building a Woolen Factory at this place.

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No dissatisfaction with the removal of McClellan is expressed by the leading officers, but quite the contrary. Burnside is a universal favorite, and is cheered wherever he goes. Yesterday a long conference with him washed by corps commanders.

To THE PUBLIC.—The lady managers of the Sanitary Aid Association for this County intend to make an extra effort for the good cause, by a sale of articles in connection with a Christmas tree, on the evening of Tuesday, the 23d inst.

Contributions are earnestly solicited of needles-work, fancy articles and refreshments, that our Christmas gift to the soldiers may be worthy of the benevolent enterprise of Clackamas County.

If each individual will send something, our tree and table will be abundantly supplied, and "the blessing of those ready to perish shall come upon us."

All will understand that these articles being for sale, will want purchasers, and we have made this advance upon our usual time, that they may be bought in season for Christmas presents.

Contributions for this purpose, may be sent to either of the following named ladies: Mrs. W. P. BURNS, Mrs. J. G. CAMPBELL, Mrs. D. W. CRAIG, Mrs. W. DODDRELL, Mrs. STEELE.

P. S. It will be understood, that as the tree will occupy the hall, dancing must be dispensed with.

SANITARY FUNDS.—According to the statement handed us by Dr. Steele, Treas., the amount netted at the last evening's meeting of the Clackamas Co. Association, was \$14.10. Owing to the severe rain, there was but a small attendance. The Dr. states the Committee deemed it best to charge 50 cents for the floor tickets hereafter.

The net proceeds of last Saturday evening's meeting of the Canemah Association were \$30. The ring cake donated by Mrs. Pease, netted \$7. The statement of S. L. Stevens, Treas., shows the total amount paid by their Association to the Sanitary Fund, to be \$128.55.

NOTICE.—All the Ladies wishing to attend the Sanitary Association at Canemah, on Saturday evening, Dec. 13th, will be furnished with carriage free, by leaving word at Dannenbaum & Ackerman's store.

DO APPERSON, Sec'y.

Let those interested in the construction of a wooden factory at this place, not fail to attend the meeting next Thursday.

BOUGHT OUT.—F. A. Collard, Esq., has purchased the establishment kept by Fred. Charman, and will carry on the same business at that stand. See advertisement.

The Message has crowded out our usual variety of reading matter this week.

### I. O. O. F.

OREGON LODGE NO. 3 meets at the Masonic Hall on Monday evening of each week. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend.

J. H. SCHRAM, N. G.  
C. M. KELTON, Sec'y.

Something New!

F. A. COLLARD

HAS bought the entire interest of CHARMAN, WAENER, & CO. at the old stand of FRED CHARMAN, in OREGON CITY, where he proposes to do business in all the various departments as heretofore done at that stand, and expects, by strict attention to business, to obtain a share of public patronage.

FRESH CANDIES and TOYS will be on hand for the holidays.

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Dancing Academy.

M. B. BIRNBAUM takes pleasure in announcing to the citizens of Oregon City and Clackamas that he will open a Dancing Academy at WASHINGTON HALL,

giving lessons every Tuesday and Friday evening.

A class for ladies will be opened every Tuesday and Friday afternoon.

G. BIRNBAUM, Teacher.

Dec. 13, 1862.

Second. On several occasions Gen. McClellan has telegraphed me that his army was deficient in certain supplies. All these telegrams were immediately referred to heads of bureaus, with orders to report. There has not been, so far as I could ascertain, any neglect or delay in any department or bureau in issuing all the supplies asked for by Gen. McClellan, or by the officers, or by his staff. Delays have occasionally occurred in forwarding supplies by railroad, on account of the crowded condition of the railroad depots, or a want of sufficient number of cars.

Third. Soon after the battle of Antietam,

Gen. McClellan was urged to give me information of his intended movements, in order that, if he moved between the enemy and Washington, the reinforcements could be sent from this place. On the 1st of October, finding that he proposed to operate from Harper's Ferry, I urged him to cross the river at once, and give battle to the enemy, pointing out to him the disadvantages of delaying till the Autumn rains had swollen the Potomac and impeded the roads. On the 6th of October he was peremptorily ordered to cross the Potomac and give battle to the enemy or drive him south. I said to him: "Your army must move now while the roads are in good condition." It will be deserved that three weeks have elapsed since that order was given.

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In view of the above enactment, and to have the order in which we think it best for the work of the office to proceed under stood, we now say to the donation claimants of the Townships herein designated that we shall proceed to make out the certificates of such of those claimants as are disposed to take the prescribed oath of loyalty, and pay for their certificates. A reasonable time will be allowed within which to file request for certificates, complete proof, and take the oath. We shall then pass to other townships, and in this order call on all the Donation Claimants in our district.

Persons who live at a distance from this Office can take the oath before a Justice, having the Clerk of the proper county certify that the Justice was authorized at the time to administer oaths.

Township 10 South, Range 2 West,

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### Notice To Donation Claimants in Oregon.

The sixth section of the Act of Congress entitled An Act to reduce the expenses of the Survey of the Public Lands in the United States, approved May 30th, 1862, is as follows:

"Section 6. And be it further enacted, That from and after the first day of July next the compensation of Registers and Recorders in all the Land Offices in the United States shall be an annual salary of five hundred dollars to each, with the fees and commissions now prescribed by law and, to be paid by claimants, an additional fee in donation cases of five dollars for each final certificate, for one hundred and sixty acres, ten dollars for three hundred and twenty acres, and fifteen dollars for six hundred and forty acres."

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W. A. STANWEATHER, Register.

W. T. MATLOCK, Receiver.

Oregon City, Dec. 13, 1862.

State of Oregon, In County Court.

Clackamas County.

In the matter of the Estate of Thos. G. Rook, an Insane Person

NOW on this day came Archon Kelly, guardian of the ward aforesaid, and filed his petition as required by law for license to sell all the real estate belonging to his ward in Clackamas county; and it appearing from said petition that it is necessary and beneficial to said ward that said estate should be sold, it was ordered by the court that the next of kin of said ward, and all persons interested in it, his estate, be required to appear before the County Court of Clackamas county on the first Monday in January, 1863, to show cause why a license should not be granted for the sale of such estate. And it was further ordered by the court that a copy of this order be published three successive weeks in the Oregon Argus, a newspaper published and circulated in said Clackamas county.

SETHUS HUELET, County Judge.

State of Oregon, In County Court.

J. James Winston, County Clerk of said county, certify the foregoing, to be a correct copy of the order in said matter, entered at the December term, 1862, of said court, as the same remains to record in my office.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, [L. S.] the 10th day of December, 1862.

JAMES WINSTON, Clerk.

JOSEPH & LOVETT, Attorneys for Guardian.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Clackamas.

James Shirley, Plaintiff.

vs. Wm. J. Brown and Adeline Brown, Defendants.

TO W. J. BROWN, Defendant: You are hereby notified that in pursuance of an order made in the above cause, at chambers, on the 2nd day of December, 1862, by the Hon. George D. Shattuck, Judge of said court, that said plaintiff has filed his bill of complaint against the above-named defendants, and claims to own and hold a certain note and mortgage made and delivered by you and your late wife Adeline Brown to plaintiff James Shirley—said note executed by you on the first day of November, 1859, and said mortgage to secure the payment of said note executed by you and your late wife Adeline Brown on the first day of November, 1859, for the sum of ten hundred and ninety-three dollars and eight-fifteen cents, with interest at eleven percent annum from time date, no part of which said note has been paid, and plaintiff pays judgment and decree of foreclosure and for sale of the mortgaged premises to pay the amount due, to wit: \$143.85, with interest at eleven per cent per annum from the first day of November, 1859, which premises are mortgaged as in Clackamas county, Oregon, described as follows, to wit: In Township 4, range 1 east, west half of section 31, bounded on the east by the claim of the heirs of J. D. Beets, deceased, south by C. O. Bayton's claim, west by P. Gleason's, no. 10, Wm. Mitchell's, together with all the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging. And you are further notified that unless you appear in the circuit court of the State of Oregon, on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1863 (being the third Monday in said month), and answer the bill of complaint filed, the same will be taken for confessed, and the prayer thereof will be granted by the court.

SETHUS HUELET, County Judge.

Dec. 13, 1862.

Att'y for Plaintiff.

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