[ FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT. ]

BANNOCK CITY, Peb. 8, 1864. ED. STATESMAN—A considerable period of time has intervened since the date of my last communication to the Statesman, several weeks of which we have been completely isolated from "all the world, and the rest of mankind," ontable of Boise basis. The winter has thus far been mild and pleasant, as a general thing. far more so than was anticipated last fall. once has the thermometer indicated a de-of cold below zero, and considering the northern latitude, the cold snap during the week of January was not extremely cold. though for about three days and nights blue noses and cold pedal extremities were the order of things reigning in Bannock. The holidays passed off with much hilarity and considerable eclat. All the trails and roads leading from here have been kept open, and not only passable but continuously traveled by teams, pack trains, "solitary horsemen." and horsemen in company, footmen and anismals, during the entire season.

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Merchandise, provisions, groceries, etc., in great abondance, are on hand for sale, and stored in fire-proof cediars in every town in the basin, and market prices are, for the high rates of freight, very reasonable. A combination was at one time effected by dealers in this city to make the standard value of Boise gold dust \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce, instead of 10, but it has failed \$15 per onnce. 115 per onnce, instead of 16, but it has failed to accomplish the desired object, and "every-thing goes" in the shape of dust at the old rate. many of those inaugurating the depreciating policy being among the first to hang out placards in front of their establishments announcing to the public in large letters, "Gold dust taken here at \$16 per ounce."

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Fears have been expressed that the fall of now is not sefficient for furnishing water the siter part of the season, but with the long lines and number of ditches that will convey water round next spring and sammer, and the depth f snow (varying at the present time from five of snow (varying at the present time from two to twelve feet on the surrounding hill and mountain tops, from whence the streams must derive their main supply), it is the helief of your correspondent that but little inconveni-ence in working claims advantageously on ac-count of scarcity of water will be experienced before late in the fall.

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The quartz mania, facetiously termed "quartz on the brain." still rages with unabated violence, and several ledges have been discovered during the winter quite as rich and extensive as any before known. Two of these, the Gamas any before known. Two of these, the Gambriaus and Juniata, are within five miles of this place, and men lave been making as high as \$50 per day working on them during the winter, by pounding the rock in mortars and "panning out" the dust from the polverized quartz. North Boise promises to rival the already famel South Boise region for rich quartz ledges, and Owyhee also comes in for a share of deserved celebrity. Parties left here last fall for Denver City, Colorado Territory, to purchase quartz mill machinery there, and are expected back with several mills early next spring. The present year will demonstrate to sceptical San Pranciscans. Californians, isalms Washoeites. back with several mills early next spring. The present year will demonstrate to sceptical San Franciscans. Californians, Jealons Washoeites, and others, that Idaho possesses untold and incalculable resources of minoral wealth not hitherto dreamed of in the world's philosophy. We have been kept in a state of profound ignorance as to the sayings and doings of the Territorial Legislature of Idaho at Lewiston, during the entire session which closed by limited.

during the entire session which closed by limitation of law on the 5th inst. But one law itation of law on the 5th inst. But one law passed by that august(1) body has as yet been made public by appearing in the Golden Age, the official paper of the Territory. The District Coort is to convene Fcb. 22d, and it is exceedingly questionable whether we shall know anything more of the "law of the land" then than we do now, except as may be "no-rated" verbally by some member of the Boise delegation who may accidentally have the good fortune to find his way back without getting lost, and being picked up by somebody and advertised as an estray. Funny state of things, isn't it, where every man is supposed to know laws he never saw saw or heard of, and has to shoulder the responsibility of not fully undershoulder the responsibility of not fully under-standing and soting in accordance therewith? The members of Congress expelled from the

House of Representatives a few years ago for corruption, would shine as bright particular stars in the galaxy of legislative intellect lately assembled at Lewiston, where, if rumor bath it truly, private franchiers, and the quantum of interests of honorable (!) members in the profits of toll-bridges, ranches, ferries, bridges, &c., have been the chief subjects of discussion and constitute the bulk of legislative enactments. The exploits of the famed forty thieves "pale their ineffectual fires" before the rapacious demands of these modern Solons for interests in every franchise granted by them.— There is one consolation in knowing that at least there is nothing more to be feared at present from either legislative knavery or igno rance, though there is little doubt the member Territorial Legislature have done

of the late Territorial Legislature have done their best in the former line, and that nature left but little undone in the line of perfection as regards the latter with a respectable quorum of that body.

Schools are flourishing in Bannock, and a large Methodist church is in the course of erection under the immediate supervisory control of Rev. C. S. Kingsley, of Portland, Oregon. As an off set to these, there are two large theatrical buildings, which will be in full blast in a few weeks, again, having been unning nearatrical buildings, which will be in full blast in a few weeks, again, having been running hearly all winter, to say nothing of hurdy-gordy and other dance-houses. The town is rapidly improving in size, and many large and fine edifices are going ap, and new streets are being opened, &c. There is little doubt of an increase in size the coming summer of the corporate limits of Bannock, quite as great as that of last season.

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Prominent among the amusements of the passing hoar, for some weeks past, that of "coasting." or riding down hill, has engaged the time and attention of hundreds of men and boys, and one principal street of Bannock, a quarter of a mile in length, from the summit of East hill to Elk creek, has been nearly monopolized by the "club." Several severe accidents occurred, and do still occasionally occur, in this way making the roysterers "have cracked crowns and bloody noses, and pass them current, too." but still the fun goes on.—
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Thus far, but one case of a broken, and some three or four of dislocated limbs have happened, though there have been numerous contusions, cuts, and braises of minor consequence.

Salt Lake City correspondence via S. L. C. Express (pray heaven we may soon have a mail route) informs us that we need expect little more in this mining camp in the line of products from Utah. If such is the case, the more must come from the Willamette and other localities, for the markets here are bound to be supplied from some quarier. If the new routes across the Cascade ra ge admit of affimals crossing next spring, they may be driven to Boise at a comparatively trifling expense.

In my next, I will give some particulars concerning the first term of the District Court here.

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A RACK IN THE SNOW.—During the holidays, at Pierce City, Idaho, a race occurred which was quite nevel and funny. Dr. Stone and a character known as "Old Ironsides" were the contectants. The race was run through five feet of snow; distance 200 yards; run at midnight, with candles burning for lights. The coursers being ready, the word was given, and off they jumped. Stone getting five feet the start. Haff way, neck and neck; Stone shoots ahead and goes out of sight under the snow.—"Ironsides," being a novice; flew the track and enck fast in a snow bank. The next seen of Stone is behind the stand, emerging from the mow, and he was declared winner, amidst great appliance from 'Squire—, who had his two bits bet on the winning nag.

An industrious tradesman having taken new apprentice, awoke him at a very early one on the first morning, by calling out that the family sere sitting at the table. "Thank ou," said the boy, as he turned over in bed to diget himself for a uap, "thank you, I never at anything during the night."

PRACTOR PAILED.—The Auborn and mail has been suspended on account of are of the contractor.

The Oregon Statesman.

MONDAY MORNING, FEB. 29, 1864. NOTICE .- All persons knowing themselves in lebted to CRAPDALL & WATE, for advertising, jo rock or subscription to Ovegon Statesman, will con fer a special favor by sending the amounts due, by this office immediately. CRANDALL & WAITE. Salem, Feb. 15, 1864.

Prospectus of the Oregon Statesman Nati week, the 54th rotume commences. The 7th of March settour New Year's day, when we shall enter upon the most teresting period of our journal's blodery. During the yet it is believed, will occur one of the most momentum cross our National if—the termination of the Rubellins and settlement of the questions out of which it originated, are aware of the grave responsibilities that rest upon a pill journal during the discosious of such a period, and, wall the help of a shower determination to do our part as a same them, and judgic sourceives to the performance everything which duty points out, according to our best a titles.

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The Bratzskan will be devoted to the extrest advocacy of a vigorous proceedion of the war to the compiles suppression of the Rebellion and the extinction of treason. We recognize the obligation resting upon every good citizen tereder a generous and effective support to the constitutions authorities, most especially during a time. Her the presentence of the support to the constitutions authorities, most especially during a time. Her the presentence of the support considerations, we look supon the preservation of good and free government, as the one ranknown, and this end would we devote every energy and every institution of the country. In our judgment, no republican government and manufact, a quasistent with the the set of discoon, eithnow or hereafter. The subjugation of the Rebellion is the a communication demanded by every beneficient interest the age. Kvery measure calculated to accomplish that on in America, is quasistant with the idea of disanton, eith now or hereiter. The subquantion of the Rebellion is the consummation demanded by every homeleast hiterest he age. Every measure calculated to accomplish that or rill receive our hearty support. Every measure tooking scace or accommodation of our matiental difficulties, whiteops short of the extermination of tweaton and the periodic of the extermination of tweaton and the periodic of the externition of tweaton and the periodic of the territory of the United States, will receive our earning approximate the territory of the United States, will receive our earning approximate the territory of the United States, will receive our earning approximate the territory of the United States, will receive our their previous time alone the functions of the theorem ment can be exercised, powerless to preserve if. No nitroly supports the Government in a critis like the fiver ment can be exercised, powerless to preserve if. No nitroly supports the Government is a critis like the presentation of the united states of the Administration of the construction of the continuation of the part of the united since the united site of the armost years of the Administration for the unitedname of the Union. Ull such this os best plans are proposed. Meantine, we are for extremely, vigore war, so long as traitors reader it increasely not then for the unitedname of the Union. Ull such this os best plans are proposed. Meantine, we are for extremely, vigore war, so long as traitors reader it increasely not then for the continuation and the such as the present such than of previous such than of positive and and there are provided to the such as a such as a such as the construction and positive described to the providence of present interest from cases. It will be appointed as a positive of prevent interest of our readers. It will be a spec

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UNION LEAGUES-GOLDEN CIRCLES.

We know but little of the practical workings of the Loyal Leagues, but we do know that none of them ever proposed a disgraceful surrender of the cause of Union; none of them ever proposed measures to embarrass the Government in its patriotic endeavors to crush the rebellion; none of them ever professed or practiced sympathy with the rebel cause; none of them ever professed at the defeat of the national arms or at the disconfiture of the constituted authorities, and they what moment they would make us a call, as there were boats on that the disconfiture of the constituted authorities, and they made their headquarters at Guyandotte. We then felt easier. They had allowed 200 enlisted men, and had been there two or three weeks when they were attack of one night by 900 rebels. Ten were fined his efforts to a personal abuse of the author of the resolutions of expulsion. Wilson's reply was not long, nor was it so able as a and we did not know what moment they would make us a call, as there were boats on that the disconfiture of the constituted authorities, and they made their headquarters at Guyandotte. We then felt easier. They had allowed 200 enlisted men, and had been there two or three weeks when they were attack of one night by 900 rebels. Ten were fined his efforts to a personal abuse of the author of the resolutions of expulsion. Wilson's reply was not long, nor was it so able as a and we did not know what moment they would make us a feel of the river, in which a strong force could leave the resolutions of the old allage, that he who lead have to call the resolutions of expulsion. Wilson's reply was not long, nor was it was allowed the resolutions of the call allage, that he who lead have to call the resolutions of the question, but had confined the resolutions of the question, but had confined the resolutions of the question by the rest except. the discomfiture of the constituted authorities. We do not believe one of them ever proposed to do anything, publicly or privately, which a loyal man might not honorably and gladly dopublicly or privately. If one of them ever yet did or offered to do anything except to promote the best interests of the Union cause, we have never learned it. If any League ever bound its members to anything to which an honest Union man of any political antecedents, might the best houses were destroyed; also, all the best houses were destroyed; also, all the best houses were destroyed; also, all the

Did one of them ever propose to uphold the constituted authorities in this great crisis of the nation! Did one of them ever effer sympathy sometimes does, we have to sleep with one eye is not a formal one, our rather partakes of the nature of a "talk" and agreement on the part of the Indiana to behave themselves. It nation! Did one of them ever effer sympathy and countenance to the brave men who are periling life and fortune to uphold the national flag? Did one of them ever propose a measure earling and the ever propose a measure earling life and fortune to uphold the national flag? Did one of them ever propose a measure earling and the ever propose a measure earling in the Senate will go through, so that a permanent treaty can be effected with those through the form may obscapious attendant to places of amusement and to church and whom I have to eleep with one eye is to be hoped that the measure of Mr. Harding in the Senate will go through, so that a permanent treaty can be effected with those through the form of the experiment of the senate will go through, so that a permanent treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with the experiment treaty can be effected with the experiment treaty can be effected with those through the experiment treaty can be effected with the experiment treaty can be effected with the experiment treaty can be effected with the experiment treaty can be stacle in the way of national triumph! Did how I feel, but can never know until you have one of them ever organize except upon terms of hostility to the Federal authorities! Did one of them ever cease to embarrass, by all one of them ever cease to embarrass, by all means in his power, all efforts for an honorable solution of the rebellion? Did one of them ever hear of rebel success or Federal discompanies, without a chuckle of delight? There is not a living man who can truthfully answer married, and Irvine, he cidest son, is a Locueither of these queries in the affirmative.—
There is not a "democratic" club in existence at Fort Pickens. His is the highest non-connow but has for its base a deadly hostility to missioned office in the service, so you see some the Union cause, as supported by the official of our representatives are in the field, if you representatives of the people and by the masses of the people themselves. There is not one

of our representatives are in the indicate of the statement, for it is simply ridiciones to and I are not. My poor father is unfitted for suppose that such a tebel sheet as the Newses of the people themselves. There is not one

heard from him since last July, and feel quice could enlarge upon legitimate patronage in the of them that dare or that wills to unqualifiedly denounce the rebellion. If they have the courting the courti

Golden Circles in this country, but there is evidence that they have existed since the breaking out of the rebellion. The captions and malicious hostility of the copperheads to the war and to the Administration, has not abated has been good. My health is miserable. The in any degree since the beginning. If they had treason enough in their hearts at any time to organize such cabals, there is nothing in extra to organize such cabals, there is nothing in extra to organize such cabals. istence to show that such treason is not festering as rankly there now as ever or that their
mad folly would not as soon lead them into traitors' miduight dens now as three years ago.
We believe firmly that there are organizations of the horrors of it, as seen even here, and our of the Golden Circle in the State of Oregon, experience is but a drop in the ocean. We beand that there has been, if not now, one of them in Marion county. There is the most them in Marion county. There is the most positive proof that there are secret copperhead clubs at various localities in the State, into clubs at various localities in the State, into signs and words. What purpose they have in view, is best judged of by their open and self-confessed sympathy with the Southern Confederate and the confessed sympathy with the Southern Confederate and the eracy. They have, beside these, very numer- ed I know the cause would be speedily decided oracy. They have, beside these, very numer on clubs into which anybody may enter. All in our favor.

But you will be glad to rest

gets strength. While the copperheads, inspired by the spirit which animates the rebels, are organizing for the purpose of overthrowing the Union, shall Union men lie supposely on their backs and flatter themselves that all is well? Not if they are true to the Union or true to themselves. Their country's peril calls copperheads would have any objection to King upon them to leave undone nothing to defeat. Dahomey or any other despet if he were only upon them to leave undone nothing to defeat the infanous schemes of their country's ene- a copperhead. Jeff Davis is something of a mies. The first and commonest impulses of patriotism ought to move them to organize—him. organize in all loyal ways practicable, for the To We met a copperhead the other day who into office you will, of course, send him back defense of the Union. There ough: to be a was in favor of taking "high ground" on the with a better blanket for the rebels, have all loyal league or Union club in every precinct in questions of war and peace. We left him, those unconstitutional women arrested, and the State. Will not the Union men see to it thinking that if he had his deserts he would thus vindicate the "constitution as it is" underthat this is done!

WAR OF THE BORDER.

The following letter, received by a lady of

er and I stayed four nights longer, our true
friends begging us not to stay alone, and our
old neighbors and intimates looking daggers at
us when we chanced to meet. A loaded revolver lay at all times within convenient reach
and those who knew me were well aware that
I could and would use it, if I had occasion, and
I have no doubt that knowledge added greatly

of which is nearly true; and now, backed by

UNION LEAGUES—GOLDEN CIRCLES.

The copperhead mind of this State is terribly alarmed about the introduction of the Loyal Leagues. That is one of the best evidences of the particitic character of the institution, for, it may, as a general rule, be set down as certain that whatever the coppers howl against, is right; not because they are morally certain to take the bad side of any question affecting the Union. We know but little of the practical workings of the Loyal Leagues, but we do know that none will remain so till the end of time. Now for es and even anonymous letters, the

one of them ever attempt to remove any ob- met almost daily for years. You may imagine

denounce the rebellion. If they have the cournge to do it, they are apparently unwilling.

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of these organizations are pledged to an unreleasting hostility to the present Administration. I will close, in the hope that the New Year Mow, considering these facts, what is the plainest duty of loyal men? Organization be-Yours, &c.,

occupy a high position, but not on the ground. stood by coperhads.

SENATORIAL TRIAL FOR TREASON.

There was a great rush yesterday at the Sen this place, from a young lady in the East, will ate to hear the trial of Garrett Davis, of Ken this place, from a young lady in the East, will tucky, upon the indictment embedded in the furnish some idea of the condition of those who live on the border during the present war:

Wilson. It had been braited about that a stir. PROCTORSVILLE. (Ohio) Dec. 31.

My DEAR COUSIN: If this epistle ever was possible that a bit of a fight might be exceeded its destination, you will learn that couse pected. So the galleries were crowded to exin S— is not one to allow a good correspondent to rest easy under the conviction that she has had the last. I will admit that in this case you have had the best of reasons for thinking quarters by the sxtraordinary press from the so, but will tell you the cause of this seeming outside. There was a profound hash in the neglect, and trust to your good nature for pardon.

\* Before this question was settled, one of far greater importance agitated and distracted our dear country, and since then showing how all their logical connection was and distracted our dear country, and since then baving how an iller logical connection was baving had the fortune—whether good or ill I am unable to decide—to te a good deal mixed up in the hubbub. I have no doubt that you, since this war began, have thought "full the same word "revolt" against the present Administration—showing that the Kentucky Senator had need to "revolt" as applied to the reginia, and wondered how they were situated. and what part or side they would take in the awful struggle. Let me set your dear heart at rest on that score—no one can ever name the which proposition Davis assented to as the deword traitor in connection with any members bate wore on. He then endeavored to show of your father's family; they are of good old that the appeal of the Kentocky Senator was call revolutionary stock and possess too much good culated to incite rebellion and revolution, and Yankee grit ever to join hands with treason or he adduced evidence from the resolutions of traitors. Luckily for my temper (and his base con) my good step father takes the same view cent, disrespectful and treasonable.

trators. Lockily for my temper (and h) baicon) my good step father takes the same view
of the matter, but on the strength of that opinicon he had to take himself out of Virginia in a
prodigious horry.

Guyandotte is the only town on the Ohio
river that has ever presumed to flaunt the rebel
flag; that was raised on Saturday, and as father was one of three who dared to vote for Liu
coln, he knew full well when the flag was raised
it was time for him to leave. Monday morning a friend came in just as Pa was about to
cops the river, and tolk him he was a marked
man, and had no time to spare. He came at
once and engaged a house on this side. Most
of our furniture came over that day, but moth
er and I stayed four nights longer, our true
friends begging us not to stay alone, and our to our safety. Now was not the tapretty state of affairs?

We were not the only ones in trouble. commotions in the North which could be torthough we, as genuine Yankees, and known to possess strong anti-slaver, principles, were and argued therefrom that the North especially special objects of hatred. We were so forth. New England, had been guilty of repeated were so forta- New England, had been guilty of repeated nate as to save all our movable property of any great value, but a large amount of money is setts had never lifted his voice or arm against still due from many of the rebels and probably it. He read copiously from laws, letters, speech

not freely subscribe, we have yet to learn the business part of the town. A good many Un. Modoc tribes of Indians, by which they agree lonists were heavy losers, too, but the rehs re- to be subject to the authorities of Port Klam-Now how stands the matter with the Golden ceived a sev a lesson which taught them to be ath. We judge from the reports that the trea Circle and its brother "Democratio" Clubs !- careful ab at anviting their friends another ty is not a formal one, but rather partakes of

columns with boastings of its great success, the what appears good authority, that Ben Wood came to the rescue by pledging Wood \$1000 per week to continue the publication. The sadden turn of boasting which came across the News, and its enlargement, are confirmatory

to run his feeble muchine against.

Long-primer Hall, formerly editor of the Corvallis Occidental, has recently been "busmoralized condition. His shameless devotion to the Jeff Davis concern was the cause of his

ARKANSAS .- The Act organizing a Provis-

LT A dispatch from Washington City to Astoria, has been received just four days after its date at Washington. This time, the shortest ever accomplished, will soon be shortened to a day and a half, or two days.

LF Among Union prisoners recently escaped from Richmond, the name of dobn R McCallough, of the First Wisconsin, is reported McCallough feigured dead, and was carried out in a collin. Some Union ladies of Richmond formished him a cost, made of a secreth himself, by means of which he was enabled to work his way up to our lines and finally to reach Washington.

That feigning "dead" was upconstitutional. wasn't it. O'Meara ! Now, wasn't it a mean ' abolition outrage," Jimmy ! Then what despicable meanness to steal that secesh blanket! But pever mind, Jimmy, when your kind get AN ATROCIOUS PROPOSITION.

Chicago Times :

Chicago Tines:

Perhaps the Souls will consent to those terms also done, the degradation they after will not be has a sceres as should be inflicted upon a people would accept that degradation. If she done, she is fit to be in the Union upon terms of equality we other States, or to exercise any political privilege may name or nature. If she done, her prophe show be compelled to change situations with their slaviand generated and generated by by the overner's test. No transcription of the state of the form of the same of the first that they have been made proof that their safely is either insome with function or a traiter who glories in his country's shares, the Confederates are not days, they will free, era in an are shall their slaves for confictly offering all gee or bribes than are offered them by Abalticoniats, beforeign the such as no patriot or true Unioniat, or a who respects the memories of those who founded to government, or the honor of the American name This extract is from a paper which constant-

ly charges that the administration does not wish the war closed; that it is ready at all Y. Herald's persistent use of his name in contimes to oppose any proposition upon which a nection with the nomination for the next presipeace might be concluded. Now, when a dis- dent, writes : tinct, practicable plan is proposed by the President, the copperhead Times, boiling over with venomous hatred of everything not rebel.

"Inspire to only one political office. When this war is over, I mean to ran for Mayor of Galma (his place of residence.) And if elected, I intend to have the sidewalk fixed up between my house and the deport." throws off the veil of hypocrisy, and reveals tirely to the advantage of the rebels. It distinetly advises the traitors not to accept the Mayor than President. President's terms ; to fight to the last rather than do it : to arm their slaves for the hell-born work of treason. The Times, and like copperhead sheets have never ceased, night or day, to consure and howl down the employbut now when terms of peace are offered, to which no loyal man can have an objection, the them, frantically appeals to the rebels to not head press and the coppersnakes generally .-To arm a black man in the cause of the Union is infamous! But to arm him in the cause of treason is right and advisable!

As the copperheads are on this question of perro soldiers, so they are on all others. Any expedient which promises help to the government, meets their denunciation. Reverse

cipal scenes of battles since the firing upon Ft that great injustice, or at least hardship, has Sumter down to the bombardments of last au- been done the soldiers who are thus disfrantumn, together with many other scenes of his- chised, we cannot approve the practice among toric interest. It is decidedly the best paint- newspapers, of attacking the adjudications of ing of the panoramic kind ever exhibited in our courts upon strictly political grounds. Our

ED .- The U. S. Senate on 19th January con- honest understanding of the law and never by

the life of an honest farmer

came very near gouging the landlord of the dated "old hat"—a fitting representative Golden Eagle Hotel, at Gold Hill, a few days all that was left of their hero—and with to

who were tamping at the time, were sushockingly

forming him if he does not talk differently, he will have to be banished. He replies in a somewhat defiant epistle which is published in the Aurora Times. Trouble may grow out

In regard to the noted Del Monte Claim, the Aurora Times says: It is not a little singular, in view of the fact that stock in this great mine has declined from \$450 to \$70 per foot, within the past month, to see the yield of bullion from its rich rock. Lately the company has been running three mills in this district. Seven handsome bullion bars, the result of three days' crushing in Fogue's 12 stamp mill, five days' crushing in the Aurora mill, 10 stamps; and four and a half days' crushing in their large new mill, amounting to \$28,771 72.

The following is a sample of the tone of the last week succanced that the pirate Alabama ken of on all hands, as a most complete of Copperhead press at the North, which is equal- was cornered in the Chinese port of Amor, and cess. In strong contrast with the general chin by afraid with the Richmond rebels that the watched by two American vessels. The vest acter of the copperhead gatherings, the audi-President's proposition of amnesty will find fa- sels are the Junestown and the Wyoming, the ence was composed of the highest order of citvor at the South. Could anything be more former one of the old fashioned sloops of war izens - men of property, business, character atrocious than the subjoined extract from the earrying some heavy guns; the latter is heavi- and intelligence, instead of the conglumeration soon sail for New York.

Gen. Grant, being annoyed by the N.

a more loval man than Abraham Lincoln," and comes. ment of negroes in subduing the rebellion; the declaration was applieded by the club FF The peach crop in the Walla Walla members. That is democratic, according to valley is reported nipped in the bud by frosts. the modern sense of the word. It is also dem- There is danger that the same thing may hap-Times, alarmed lest the South shall accept ocratic, in the same sense, to believe that Jeff's pen in this valley, for the buds are opened, in cause is a right-ous one and ought to prevail. many localities. only fight on, themselves, but to 'ree and arm It is, therefore, also democratic to do Jeff any little service within the power of the democratic patriots, by impeding the war and bringing the national Administration into contempt .-We are glad to see the demogratic club officers thus frank in the declaration of their real sentiments. It shows what estimate to put upon their passage, at the same meeting, of a set of war resolutions. They profess to be loval; think Jeff Davis more loyal than Lincoln ; pass For sand

receipt which promises help to the government, meets their demonication. Reverse things and affer the same measure for the advantage of the rebels, and they adopt it with the utmost avidity.

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Lewis C. Gunn, of California, to be Collector of Customs for the District of Paget Sound, Territory of Washington.

Charles James, Collector of Customs for the District of San Francisco.

H. M. Miller, Appraiser of Merchandise for the Port of San Francisco.

PORTLAND PRICES CURRENT.—On Saturday the following prices roled at Portland:

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Flour, country brands, \$4 25@\$4 50 buckwheat flour, 5 cis; Indian meal, 5 cts; butter, fresh rolls, 30@35 cts per lb; lard, in kegs, 124 cts \$P\$ Bb—P Bb, in tims, 16 cts; baces, sides 17@18 cts \$P\$ Bb—hams, 15@18; cggs, 25 cs \$P\$ dez.; wheat, 70 cts; oats, 60 cts; hay, from wagons, \$20.

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LF The Washington Statesman says a band of Indians has gathered on Statesman says a band of Indians has gathered on Snake river, a few miles above Pelouse, and ordered off a company of miners wintering in that vicinity. On the refusal of the miners to leave, the Indians tore down their house and compelled them to leave.

FROM NEVADA TERRITORY.

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The Virginia Bulletia is informed that a ledge hung in effigy here by Ben. Hayden and Out of ten feet wide, of really good ore, has been struck within the past few days on the Hartford claim.

M. jor F. Alton Wheelock, the notorious, Golden Eagle Hotel, at Gold Hill, a few days ago. He had made the landlord believe that he was Mr. Ralston of the banking firm of Donhee, Ralston & Co., of San Francisco; but Virginia officers stepped up and nabbed him. He was detained awhite and set adult.

On the 11th inst., says the Gold Hill 'Nees, an explosion occurred in the Cedar Hill Tubbody.' That 'eend' of the renowned defunct net, on Cedar Hill, by which two workmen, who were tawping at the time, were sus-bookingly ward, probably, indicated a run 'agrin' the ward, probably, indicated a run "agin" the Their names are Peter Kelly and C. O'Neal.

Kelly is the same wan who on the 4th of July South, demonstrative, hkely, of the "Ginerals" peace proclivities (and it may have been intended for other figurative purposes), and, tended for other figurative purposes), and, that marked the same in the San Francisco Saloon, Virginia.

The Committee of Safety of Aurora, have addressed a letter to C E. H. Wheaton, in cred spot where the "old hat" rested, was rev-

"Here Lies Gen. Joseph Lane The greate Citizen and soldier of the United States Who was ingloriously Hung by a Band of ruffians.

O Ye Pentical Demagagues Stay thy Hans
for here lies a man Which was Slayen by a
Band of Midnight Assifins Who is much more
worthy than those that Head Band of Midnight Assums Wao is much more worthy than those that Hungh'mb!"

And then, with mingled imprecations and lamentations the patriot band di persed,

"And left him alone in his glory."

till the hogs rooted him up. LACHRYMUS.

THE ALABAMA. - The telegraphic news of | LF The Union meeting at Lafayette is snow ly armed with broadside guns of nine inches, of ignoramuses, loafers, bummers, &c., that and two pivot guns of eleven inches. The Al- form so considerable an element in the latter abana was in dock for repairs and in that con- day democratic assemblages. The men who dition would be easily destroyed if the Federal have most at stake are naturally in favor of vessels should attack her at once, instead of sustaining the government. The bummer who watching the entrances to the harbor, of which lives from hand to mouth, or by the chances of the there are three; one shallow and dangerous, day, naturally looks to revolution of any kind the other two, deep and of easy passage. Fur- as a God send that may turn up somethior to ther intelligence may be looked for in about his advantage, but which cannot do him any ten days, when another vessel is expected from harm. Hence that stripe are naturally seces-Kanagawa. We hope then to hear that this sionists and copperheads. We should go far pirate scourge of the seas, has been destroyed. beyond the truth, however, in classing with Semmes had just before written a letter to the them all the copperheads. There are men of Commander of the Jamestown, that he should honest convictions and of intelligence among them, but it is undeniable that the larger proportion are of that class of citizens that the community could best spare.

It is cheering in the highest degree, that in Yambill and elsewhere, the loyal masses are waking up to the importance of preventing the en this bave sons upon the public mind without any, let or hindrance. A few such meetings in each Gen. Grant would make a model Mayor. as county as that held at Layfayette last week, will how little it wants peace on any terms not en- he is a model fighter; but we are inclined to lay the secession faction in Oregon, so low as to agree with him that he would make a better be beyond the trumpet of resurrection. Let them be held in every county, and if possible, in DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES.—We are informed that at the meeting of the democratic done, the result in the approaching canvass, ciub at Eola on Saturday, the Secretary of the will as certainly be a most crowning triumph club declared his opinion that " Jeff Davis is for the Union party, as that the day of election

## Special Notices.

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T. B. Cox. Sec'y.

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Jan 18, 1864.