The Democrat.

FRIDAY.....FEBRUARY 20, 1885

There are quite a number of Republican office-holders who are by no means satisfied with Mr. Cleveland's civil service reform doctrines.

During the last five years 10,901 soldiers have deserted from the regular army but the army still stands, as the other nine men are there.

Up to the present time President-elect Cleveland seems to be the only man in the dark as to who is going to be in his Cabinet.

Concerning the Illinois legislature the Chicago Herald says: "Viewed as a legislature it is a circus; but viewed as a circus it is a very snide show."

A republican exchange says: "We would like to know one or two of Mr. Cleveland's thoughts." No doubt of it. The possession of one or two sensible ideas would benefit our e. c.

There is some printer in our office who seems to have an especial grudge against us, for whenever we clip a particularly good thing he carefully leaves out the credit.

Brother Dana is now fairly humping himself to give Mr. Cleveland a loyal and zealous support. It was the cat, not Dana, who had charge of the Sun's columns before election.

Grover Cleveland will be the fifth president inaugurated on Wednesday. The others were Thomas Jefferson. Andrew Jackson, Millard Fillmore and James Buchanan.

The question, "Is secession treason?" is now being discussed by the two leading journals in Cincinnati. What does this controversy mean? We trust that Ohio does not propose to secede from the Union because Cleveland has been elected President.

New Jersey proposes Senator Stockton for Secretary of the navy. He would make a good one. So would Gen. McClellan. The trouble is, the association of New Jersey with the navy is very unsavory on account of Robeson's record. He is not only a big load for his party but for his state as well.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

John Kelly, of Tammany Hall, is said to be in a precarious condition, having been ill for several months.

The Alms House at Philadelphia was destroyed by fire on the 12th inst A large number of insane persons was kept there, of whom about 30 were burned alive.

William H. Gross, Bishop of Savannah, has been appointed Archbishop of the diocese of Oregon.

Steps are being taken to get up a National Agricultural Exhibition to be held at Louisville, Kentucky, where agricultural products shall be the chief articles of exhibition.

The Roseburg *Plaindealer* is growling and whining because "the Democratic county committee or some other committee" has taken steps to have a grand inaugural celebration at that place on March 4th. We suppose these sniveling objections will not drive the committee from its purpose, for the hearts of all good men will swell with joy when the change takes place. "When the righteous are in authority, the people rejoice; but when the wicked beareth rule, the people mourn."

It is generally believed now, in view of the fact that those who have attempted to make up a cabinet for Cleveland, have been unable to agree among themselves, that the president will be compelled to make it up himself on or before March 4th, 1885.

And, if after a forty day's fruitless effort to elect a Senator the legislature should elect J. H. Mitchell to the United States Senate, would not W.H. S., the Scottish Chief, burst forth in howls of indignation that would be heard from the Columbia on the North to the banks of the Rogue on the South, and from the sage brush deserts on the Snake to the fog-bemantled hills on old Pacific's shore. Great Scott! what a tumult there would be, and all aroused by one man.

The *Oregonian* says: "The national temperance society has addressed the customary letter to Mr. Cleveland asking him for his views on temperance and what is to be his policy with referance to wines on the White house table. No reply has yet been received, and it is a safe guess none will be made.

The man whom the "temperance" people have put into the executive mansion will have plenty of wine, and stronger liquors, at his feasts and on his sideboards."

If it be true as alleged, that the "temperance" people put Mr. Cleveland in the White House, they were fully justified in doing so. Mr. Cleveland promised temperance people nothing while Mr. Blaine promised them everything. But when Mr. Blaine was put to the test in the September election in Maine when the people were voting on a prohibition amendment, he showed the white feather and confirmed the belief which was fast gaining a hold upon the public mind that upon thes ubject of temperance he was a hypocrite. No well informed person seems to doubt it.

BLACK'S BILL.

There has been considerable misunderstanding among the people with reference to the bill introduced by Mr. Black providing that where a contract of any kind is entered into it shall be lawful for the parties to the contract to stipulate and agree as to which shall pay the taxes which shall be levied upon the note, mortgage or other obligation. In order to understand the whole matter it is necessrry to state that when the legislature convened there was a strong determination on the part of many members to repeal the mortgage tax law, the usury law, the law allowing deductions for indebtedness, and to pass a law exempting credits from taxation, add other legislation upon the subject of assessment and taxation. A committee on assessment and taxation in each house was appointed and by resolution of each house it was made a joint committee. All these propositions on the subject of assessment and taxation were referred to this committee. Some of this committee favored the repeal of the mortgage tax law, others favored the repeal of the usury law, while others favored other expedients.

Senator Hare, of Washington county who is chairman of the Senate committee informs us that out of this conflict of opinion a compromise was agreed upon and Mr. Black was instructed by the committee to embody the compromise in a bill and introduce it in the house, which he did.

Senator Hare informs us that he and Mr. Black agreed to this bill in order to prevent the repeal of the mortgage tax law. Mr. Black informs us that in committee he favored making the law applicable to contracts drawing 9 per cent interest or less, but the committee decided to leave it at 10 per cent. This explanation we deem due to Mr. Black in view of the criticisms made upon the bill.

THE PROHIBITION AMENDMENT.

Both houses of the Legislature have passed a joint resolution (H. J R. No. 2,) providing for submitting a prohibitory amendment to the constitution, to be voted on by the people if the same shall be adopted by the next legislative assembly. The following is the vote. Democrats in italics and Republicans in romans:

HOUSE.

Yeas—*Abshier*, *Black*, Bleakney, Cole, Conner, *Cyrus*, Downing, Finn, Gibson, Geer, Gilbert, Henkle, Jolly, Kenworthy, *Kuykendall*, *Leineweber*, *Lewis*, Lyle, Manning, Mayo, McHaley, *Miller*, *Montanye*, *Nelson*, *Peery*, Porter, Prosser, Riddle, Roberts, Rogers, Sanders, *Shelton*, Smith, Thompson, *Veath*, *Watts*, Wait, Wilcox, Woodward and Mr. Speaker.—39.

Nays—Barnes, *Beall*, *Bilyeu*, Bourne, *Burton*, Cameron, *Chandler*, Cox, Cusick Davenport, *Dick*, *Hayes*, Locket, *Morrow*, Story, *Sutton*, Taylor, Thorkelson and Will.—19.

Absent—*Craven*, Sanders.

SENATE.

Yeas—Allen, *Bilyeu*, *Burch*, Cartwright, *Cauthorn*, *Coleman*, Davenport, Emmit, Hall, Hare, *Hoult*, Lee, Miller, *Pennington*, *Prim*, Shupe, Voorhees and Mr. President.—18.

Nays—Carson, *Dorris*, *Haynes*, Reed, *Rinehart*, *Siglin*, Simon, Williams.—8.

Absent—Hirsch, *Myers*, Warren, *Weatherford*.—4.

SENATOR SLATOR.

"The Democratic Territorial Committee of Washington Territory has passed a resolution favoring the appointmentment of Senator James H. Slator to the position of Ccommissioner of the General Land Office at Washington. The Democrats of the Legislature now in session have unanimously recomended him for the position of Commissioner of Indian Affairs. We have information that Idaho and Montana will follow the example of Washington Territory, and press his appointment for the position named. No man would give more satisfaction, and we think he will receive one or the other of these positions."

If senator Slator should be called to either station above named the appointment would meet with the hearty approval of the people of Oregon without regard to party.

For the first time in some years Grover Cleveland holds no public office. He is neither district-attorney, sheriff, mayor, governor nor president. And yet there has probably never been a time in his whole career when he has been the public's most obedient and faithful servant more surely than now. The short months before he will deliver his inaugural at Washington will be no play spell for him, but a season of anxious thought and hard work. That he works to some purpose the past has shown, and we believe the future will show it yet more abundantly.

The Senatorial vote yesterday (Thursday) noon stood; Cochran, 34; Hirsch, 29; Williams, 16; Boise, 6; Watson, 2; Carson, 1; George, 1. Absent, 1. Hirsch lost Mayo.

Chlorate of potash dissolved in water is a standard remedy for sore throat, particularly if the throat feels raw.

CORRESPONDENCE

Harrisburg.

Feb. 18th, 1885.

The masquerade given on the evening of the 13th inst, was pronounced, by those who participated, as being an enjoyable Ball. Following are the characters represented:

Addie Hogan, Pocahontas.
Lucintha Alford, Spring.
Mrs. S. M. Seigh, Wolf in sheeps clothing.
Belle Windom, Queen of Clubs.
Lily Wyatt, Jockey.
Etta Scott, High Tariff.
Mrs. E. Moyes, Low Tariff.
Viola Alford, Good Luck.
Etta Levis, Dew Drop.
Irene Morris, Sleigh Bells.
Dora Williams, Cigar Girl.
Mrs. A. Sherrill, Chamber Maid.
Lola Riley, Night.
Mrs. S. G. Castell, Highland Gipsy.
Ella Macey, Nun.
Maggie Shepard, Folly.
Nancy Hogan, Morning Star.
Minnie Hoult, Peekaboo.
Mrs. F. Baker, Queen of Hearts.
Mrs. A. Morris, Queen of Diamonds.
Etta McCulloch, Highland Lass.
Mary Hay, Spanish Princess.
Lena McCulloch, The Union.
Mrs. Lizzie Nichols, Good Luck.
Mrs. Allie Paine, Negro Wench.
George Jones, Don Pedro.
E. B. Smith, Knight of St. Croix.
Lee Baker, Jockey.
Lester Riley, Drummer Boy.
Geo. Macey, Base Ball.
Wm. Waters, Page.
W. Brandenburg, Negro Commedian.
Robert Hanls, Swiss Waiting Maid.
N. B. Miller, Sitting Bull.
Russ Wyatt, Fireman.
M. J. Brown, Count de' Chambourd.
Chas Center, Methodist.
Morgan Hoult, English Nobleman.
Grant Johnson, Jockey.
William Castell, Page.
Henry Tripp, Song and Dance.
A. Brandenburg, French Count.
Bay Jones, Page.
Wm. Moore, Jockey.
Harry Morris, Page.

Dr. Boswell and family of Colfax, W. T., arrived here on Monday last, with the remains of Mrs. Samuel Thompson, mother of Mrs. Boswell; the funeral immediately took place at the Harrisburg cemetery where several children of the deceased have been interred. The members of this family are well known throughout the county and state. They formerly lived near this place. Dr. Boswell and family will immediately return to their home, on account of Mrs. Boswell's aged father, who is now an invalid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baber, of Junction city came over on Monday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thompson, mother of Mrs. Baber.

Mr. Margo, who has been doing some excellent work here, in photography, has closed his gallery, with the intention of traveling in Eastern Oregon. We understand that Thos. Looper will be a par ner in the business.

Mrs. Mary Cooper of Whitcomb W. T. is here visiting her father, Mr. Jerry Sullivan.

Mr. Ladd Jr. of the Banking house of Ladd & Tilton, Portland, came up in the interest of their flouring mill at this place, it being formerly the property of Hiram Smith.

George Greenwood, arrived a few days since, having been called to the death bed of his father.

The steamer A. A. McCully came up last week and loaded with wheat for Portland, and on leaving the wharf, her rudder became disabled, and she drifted down the river a short distance, and brought up against the bank without further damage when the necessary repairs were made, only causing an hours delay.

Died.—On Monday 9th inst, W. H. Greenwood, aged about sixty-three years. The deceased having been almost a constant resident in this vicinity for many years, and possessing a genial character made many friends. He leaves six children, and other relatives to mourn his loss.

We understand that some of our aggrieved citizens think of engaging the services of an able detective to ferit out the *Mercury* correspondent from this place.

The Good Templars had a "Stuffing Bee" at their hall last Saturday night.

Mrs. N. B. Miller of Miller's station is visiting her mother and relatives here.

The Mathews assignment stock has been purchased for $750 by Mr. N. A. Blodgett, who will continue the business at the old stand in Sabin's building.

Brownsville.

February 17th, 1885.

Married—On Wednesday, the 11th inst., at the residence of the bride, by Rev. C. Sperry, Alonzo Keyes to Mrs. Edith Smith, both of Brownsville.

Also on Thursday, the 12th inst., by H. J. C. Averill, Esq., at the residence of the officiating magistrate, Mr. Chas. N. Banta, of Mabel, to Miss Altureas Marquiss, of Crawfordsville.

Also on Sunday, the 15th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents, in Brownsville, by Rev. C. Sperry, Mr. Wm. Skiff, of California, to Miss Becca Sperry, daughter of the officiating clergyman. We wish Becca a pleasant voyage in her new boat.

Elder Shea, of Sweet Home, put in an appearance here on Friday night, and remained over till Saturday morning. Your correspondent is not informed as to his mission, but presume he is looking after the spiritual interests of his diocese or district, whichever it is called.

Hon. J. N. Rice, of Brush Creek, was in town yesterday on business.

W. H. Grant, of Portland, travelling agent of the Accident Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., has been in town a day or so, and seems to be very energetically pushing the interests of his company.

R. W. Thompson has sold his residence in North Brownsville to Wm. B. Blanchard, and Mr. Thompson has purchased F. F. Croft's residence on the corner of Mill and Race Street.

Thos. Kay has purchased two lots in Hausman's addition to North Brownsville. Times must be improving in the real estate business.

Prof. W. S. Walker, Principal of the North Brownsville Graded School, was taken seriously ill on Friday last, with premonitory symptoms of pneumonia, but under the skillful management of Drs. Starr and McCauley he has been brought around, until they now think he will miss a severe spell of that dread fever. During the Prof's. illness his place is supplied in the school by Mr. Herman Gregg, an advanced student in the school. The school is now in the seventh week of the second term since Prof. Walker took charge of it, and the average daily attendance thus far this term has been about 90 scholars. The Prof. is a fine educator, and we hope to soon see him around again in the enjoyment of his perfect and robust health.

Jupiter Pluvius has undisputed sway and we have water, water, water in every direction.

PHAD.

Chicken Bristle.

Feb. 14th, 1885.

They wandered arm in arm through the shady avenues of Chicken Bristle. Her beautiful cream colored hair flowing in wavy masses over her graceful but slightly twisted offside shoulders.

"Samantha darling" cried the young man, as he tenderly lifted one of her golden tresses and looked down into the azure depths of those glorious Butter milk eyes. "Would to heaven I could always hold these bright and lovely locks of thine in this trembling hand of mine."

"Philander," she whispered in a voice that shook the cones from the lofty Pines, "your wish shal be gratified." Hastily unpinning her switch she placed it in his hand, and with the step of the jack rabbit, sprang up the steps of her parential home three at a time.

Grain is looking finely in this little valley.

Mr. Willis Gaines and wife have just returned from an extended tour through the eastern states; they were accompanied by their grand-son Alvis W. Gaines. They say they had a very pleasant time visiting relatives and friends, but say that they like Oregon better than any country they have seen.

Mr. John Flougher closed his school at this place Friday. He is well liked as a teacher, giving universal satisfaction.

Prof. W. J. Ribelon gave us a pleasant call this week.

John W. Gaines sold 32 head of calves last week at $12 per head.

Mr. T. Curl, son-in-law of the Hon. Harvey Shelton is very low with consumption.

A post office has been established at Dotyville five miles south-west of Scio.

BRICK DUST.

Sodaville.

Our school is well attended.

Almost all of the houses are occupied.

The debating society meets here every Saturday evening.

We have a singing school here conducted by Mr. Casedy.

A sidewalk from the spring toward the school house has just been completed.

For amusement the youngsters occasionally spend an hour at the skating rink.

Mr. Workman, (instead of Wordman,) and lady have moved into the Fountain House.

General health in and about this community good, as it cannot very well be otherwise.

The city lots, formerly owned by Mr. Chris Hardman, have been purchased by Mr. C. Talbott.

Mr. Hunt and family, who have been residing here for several months past, left for their home in Douglas county on last Tuesday.

Mr. O. Fry, living near Albany, and Douglas Markham, of Chehalis, W. T., have been visiting at the residence of Mr. Olney Fry, Senior.

Mr. Chris Hardman has been improving his property considerably of late, is now preparing to put out a fine orchard. The writer is of the opinion that it would be an excellent idea if some others would follow Mr. Hardman's example.

Mr. D. Peebler and wife, who have been residents of this city for several years past, are contemplating moving from this place. They are quite an aged couple, so think they will break up housekeeping and make their future home with Mr. John Smith, their son-in-law. They will be greatly missed by their many friends.

WAVE.

Millers.

Feb. 14th, 1885.

The general health of this community is good with few exceptions.

Farmers are all very busy preparing to put in their spring grain. Fall grain never looked better.

Mrs. Phillip's school will close the 27th of this month. We are sorry for she is a splendid teacher, and has had a very successful term.

Notwithstanding the hard times there is considerable work going on in our neighborhood. Mr. Graham is running a large hop yard and has several men employed setting poles and grubbing them. Mr. Zimmerman also has quite a number of chinamen grubbing for him.

I will advise the people to look out for chicken thieves for they are very numerous in this community. There was one captured in Thos. Alphine's chicken house a few nights ago. He was formerly of Albany but now of Knox Butte. He is well known in this community.

A SCRIBLER.

Lebanon.

The City treasury was again enriched this week to the amount of $5.

The River bridge that was injured by the snow storm is being repaired.

The Senatorial contest is the main topic of conversation among the men now.

Mrs. D. Crabtree, of Marion Station, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. J. Bilyeu.

The many friends of J. L. Cowan and wife will be glad to know that they will be home Thursday evening.

Dr. E. Cheadle is home on a visit from British Columbia, where he has been for the past two years.

Suppose we will soon have another wedding here, as we saw our Post Master out looking at vacant houses the other day.

Saturday night Mrs. B. Blick came up from Jefferson where she lives, with the body of a dear little one to bury it beside its father.

A.

Halsey.

Feb. 18th 1885.

Halsey appears to be going slow at present. Nothing rushing. Business with merchants is light, as they are pressing every opportunity to pay up below.

Mr. Jas. Pearl is selling horses in the Portland market which brings some cash into circulation in this place.

The city authorities have been making some arrests among the hoodlum element in and around Halsey, making a little excitement with parties interested.

The familiar face of Mr. B. H. Allen is once more seen on our streets.

Mrs. T, J, Black spent a few days in Salem last week. Also Wm. Penland, H. C. Davis and wife were down to attend the state alliance and visit friends.

W. J, Bramwell, of Harrisburg made a flying trip to this place the other day.

Miss Blaker of Shedd spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Bridge is announced to lecture in the M. E. Church on Friday night.

Rumor says there is to be a wedding this week.

Oakville.

Feb, 17th, 1885.

The health of this neighborhood is good. Some have been sick, but all are rapidly recovering.

Herman Walker is yet in a critical condition. He seems to be getting better, and strong hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Mr. L. C. Walker of Forest Grove is visiting his brother at this place.

Mr. G. T. Hamill closed his school at Greenback on Friday last. He has been successful and has given satisfaction we understand to all.

The roof bridge on Muddy which was washed away by the recent high water was taken from the creek yesterday.

Rev. A. M. Acheson spent last Sabbath at Halsey, assisting Rev. T. J. Wilson.

At a recent meeting of Willamette congregation, John McCoy was chosen president; M. W. Walker secretary; Washington Eagy treasurer and John Barton, trustee for three years.

H. M. Stone, and brother are putting in a raft of logs in Muddy at Wolvertons farm.

NONYELLIS.

Tangent.

February 18th, 1885.

The population of Tangent is increasing.

Born—Feb. 8th, to the wife of J. F. Beard, a boy. We suppose John intends to feed his boy on chicken, as we saw him coming down the R. R. with a large rooster under each arm.

Born—Feb. 8th, to the wife of J. B. McFarland, a boy.

Prof. Snodgrass' writing school is progressing finely with a good attendance.

Mr. Carter Sharp went to Soap Creek to attend a dance, and we understand that they had a very pleasant time.

Mr. M. C. Calloway was in town last Monday. He wants to buy a fine pair of horses.

Mr. E. L. Bryan gave Tangent a pleasant call this week. He has some fine potatoes for sale.

Mr. Jessie Moses and Arthur Beard have turned egg merchants. Success to them.

We are informed that Mr. George Luper is in very poor health.

Mr. C. Scott is talking of going to California to visit his father.

Miss Mollie LaRou, of Halsey, is visiting Mrs. J. F. Beard.

Jessie Moses and wife are visiting friends at Crawfordsville.

Mr. LeFrancis has sold his farm and has moved into Tangent; he also brings with him Carter Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Beard started for Portland Wednesday.

The great wonder of Tangent is who is the little

SUNFLOWER.

Sheriff's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County.

Henry Click, Plaintiff.
vs,
J W Gilmore, J T Gilmore, Nancy Davenport, T W Davenport, Martha Kuykendall, Nathan Kuykendall, Sarah Cassidy, L. Cassidy, Elizabeth Wheaton, David Wheaton, James Gilmore, Robert Gilmore, John Gilmore, William Gilmore, J B Wyatt and E A Hauley, Defendants,

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF EXecution and order of sale issued out of the above named Court in the above entitled suit to me directed and delivered, I will on Saturday the 21 day of February, 1885 at the Court House door in the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., sell at public auction for cash in hand to the highest bidder the real property described in said order of sale as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Block No. 37 in Hackleman's second addition to the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, and running thence south on the west line of said Block, 113 feet; thence east 132 feet; thence north 113 feet; thence west 132 feet to the place of beginning. The proceeds arising from the sale of said premises to be applied first to the payment of the costs and expenses of sale. Second to the payment of the costs of suit taxed at $36,45 and $50 Attorney's fees. Next to the payment to the said Plaintiff the sum of $551,10 with accruing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 7th day of Nov. 1884, and one ninth of the residue if any to be applied to the payment of the judgment of the defendant, J B Wyatt and the remainder of said residue to be paid to the parties entitled thereto.

Dated this 22nd day of January, 1885.

J. K. CHARLTON,
Sheriff of Linn county, Or.

N. H. Allen & Co.,

Having purchased the

BANKRUPT STOCK

of merchandise of Colwell, Becker & Licke, Salem, Oregon, at

Less Than Half Price,

consisting of

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, CAPS, ETC.,

much of which has been

REMOVED TO ALBANY,

and our customers shall have the benefit of the low prices. Come and secure rare bargains

FOR CASH OR PRODUCE.

Remember the place, 57 First Street, Albany, Oregon.

N. H. ALLEN & CO.

L. E. BLAIN

MEN'S, BOY'S and YOUTH'S CLOTHING,

BOOTS and SHOES,

FURNISHING GOODS

In all the Latest NOVELTIES

Newest Styles OF HATS,

THE LARGEST Newest and Best STOCK In the Valley.

DON'T FORGET IT.

If you try to build now while wheat is only worth 54 cents you should by all means go to Peters & Stewart's, at Albany for your hardware. You can get what you want at their store and at reasonable figures.

CARPENTERS TOOLS.

We want carpenters to know that we keep constantly in stock the very best tools the market affords, and sell them as cheap as they can be sold. Every tool we sell we can warrant. No shoddy articles are kept. Come and see us.

PETERS & STEWART.

ONECO

Three year old record, 2:41.

THIS YOUNG STALLION will be kept during the season of 1885, on the farm of J W. McKnight one mile northeast of Lowson Station, on Narrow Gauge R. R., Linn County, Oregon. He will be limited to 20 mares at $50 for the season, payable when the mare is removed or at the end of the season, with the privilege of returning in 1886 if the mare should prove not in foal. Good pasturage will be furnished free of charge to mares from a distance, but no responsibility will be assumed for accidents or escapes.

ONECO was bred by Jay Beach, Esq., of Springhill Stock Farm, and will be four years old June 1st, 1885; is a dark bay with a sprinkling of white hairs through his coat; 15 hands 2½ inches high, and weighs 1350 pounds.

He was sired by ALTAMONT (record 2:27,) dam Belle Price, by Dowble (two year old record 2:40½), son of Ericsson (four year old record 2:30½), son of Mambrino Chief, Dobles dam was by Tom Crowder, half brother to Pilot, Jr., sire of dams of Maud S. and Jay Eye See; grand dam Fattie Price, by George D Prentice, by Mambrino Chief, sire of Lady Thorne (2:18¼,) Woodford Mambrino (2:21¾,) Great grand dam by Woodpecker, sire of Grey Eagle, sire of dam of Mag Furgson, the dam of Piedmont.

ALTAMONT, sire of ONECO, was sired by Almont, "the great sire of trotters," who has to his credit 28 horses in the 2:30 list, including Fannie Witherspoon (2:16¼,) Piedmont (2:17¼,) Aldine (2:19¼,) Westmont, pacer (2:13¾,) with running mate (2:01¾,) and he was by Alaxander's Abdallah, from whose loins came Belmont, Thorndale, and the incomparable Goldsmith Maid, ALTAMONT'S dam was by Brown Chief, by Mambrino Chief; Grand dam by imported Hooton: great grandam by Bertrand; great-great-grandam by imported Buzzard.

We call especial attention to the rich breeding of this young horse. He represents the Hambletonian—Mambrino Chief cross; a combination that has produced fourteen performers with records better than 2:20, including Trinket, Director, Edwine Thorne, Piedmont, Phalas, Rosa Wilks, and Santa Claus; while no other combination has produced more than eight.

We entered ONECO in all the principal three year old races of Oregon in 1884 that his merit might be weighed in the scale of public performance. After making a season in the stud, and with only four weeks preparation, he won the Breeders Stakes for three year olds at the Gentleman's Driving Park, July 23rd, trotting third heat in 2:48¾. August 8th, he won the $1000, match race over City View Park track, defeating the fast mare Susie S, trotting the fifth heat (the fastest in the race) in 2.44. He lost the race at the State Fair, his half sister Almonette winning in 2:32, the track estimated as ten seconds slow. He won the three year old race at LaGrande, Union County, October 3rd, making his record of 2:41, which stands at the head of all three year old records on the North Pacific Coast. His record of 2:41 is not to be understood as his utmost at that time for it was the first heat in the race and he was never once pushed. He has trotted a half mile in 1:17 and shown quarters at a faster gait, Though he has shown us trials much faster, yet 2:41 must be regarded as remarkable time for a three year old over Oregon tracks; and no three year old has ever approached it nearer than six seconds, excepting his aunt Venita, who won the three year old race at the State Fair in 1883 in 2:42½. His action is perfect, requiring no toe weights to balance him, and when in motion is the exact counterpart of his distinguished sire. As he inherited speed he will certainly transmit it. For particulars address

McKNIGHT BROS.,
Albany, Oregon.

NOTICE.

JOHN BRIGGS,

having concluded to close out his business, now offers his entire stock of

STOVES, RANGES, HEATING AND COOK STOVES,

together with his entire stock of

TIN, COPPER AND SHEET IRON WARE

AT COST.

As this is a genuine closing out, now is the time for housewives to replenish their kitchens and dairies with ware.

ALBANY, FEB. 9th, 1885.

BLACKSMITH'S OUTFITS,

Anvils, vises, bellows, hammers, sledges, stocks and dies and almost every tool used by blacksmiths we keep constantly on hand. Also a full stock of iron of all sizes, horse shoes and horse shoe nails. Special prices made on small outfits for farmers use.

PETERS & STEWART.

BARN DOOR HANGINGS,

Are always breaking, unless you have the kind sold by Peters & Stewart, of Albany. They are made of wrought iron, cannot jump the track and will last a life time. Don't hang another barn door until you have seen them.

J. I. CASE PLOWS.

This famous plow is well known in Linn County. The chilled and steel plows are well made from the very best material and are warranted to do as good work and scour fully as well as any other plow Peters & Stewart are the sole agents.

VIOLINS.

Made and repaired. New tops, backs and necks. Bows rehaised and repaired. Old and new violins, bows and superior strings for sale. Refer to E E Courson and Chas. Bray, Portland,

H. S. RICHARDS,
Teacher of Violin.
Corner of 2nd and Ellsworth Sts., Albany.

THE BEST WAGON

In the market is the celebrated Studebacker sold by Peters & Stewart, and the spring wagons and hacks of the same make are just as good. Every article is warranted. The prices are down on a dead level with wheat at 50 cents.

THE BEST THING OUT,

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