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Underwood's Brick Building, Up Stairs.
Respectfully offers his services to the citizens of this place and vicinity, in all the branches of his profession.

The Latest Improvements in
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executed in a satisfactory manner.
STOCK IS CASH, and All Work Must be Paid for on Delivery.

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Guns loaned and ammunition furnished.
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Repairing Promptly Executed.
All Work Warranted.

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A RUGGLES ENGINE PRESS,
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TWO GOOD DWELLING HOUSES,
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Of all kinds done promptly and in a satisfactory manner.

WELLS DRIVEN PROMPTLY

AND

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

By attention to business and honorable dealing merit a share of your patronage

BEN. F. DORRIS.

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Our Stock of

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WE WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE
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GOOD MERCHANTABLE WOOL

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Of every description wanted, for which we will pay the highest market price.

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Come and see for yourself. A good article needs no recommendation.

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THIS WELL-KNOWN LANDLORD has again taken charge of the ASTOR HOUSE, and has refitted and re-furnished the same, and will keep it second to no house in the State. You need not fear to give him a call, for his table will be supplied with the best the country affords. Charges reasonable. Come one, come all.

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SEVEN OR EIGHT HUNDRED ACRES OF

Farm and Grazing Lands

For Sale on Easy Terms.

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HAVING PURCHASED the Machinery owned by C. Goodchild, I am now prepared to make all kinds of

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For customers

At the Lowest Living Rates.

WM. IRVING,

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THE BEST INVESTMENT

AN INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION BOND.

WHOLE BONDS, \$20 each.

HALF " 10 each.

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8 Allotments Annually.

All Bonds participate in each series drawing until redeemed.

Each Bond will receive more than its cost.

All the risk a purchaser runs is the loss of a portion of the interest.

A whole Bond must receive one of the following Premiums:

\$21, \$50, \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1,000,

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Portions of Bonds receive their proper proportion.

Next Allotment, March 6,

And in April, June, July, September,

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BUY A BOND NOW AND IT PARTICIPATES IN EVERY DRAWING TILL IT IS REDEEMED.

Fracture of Drawn Bonds, in March 6th Premium Allotment, \$5 each.

SEND FOR INDUCEMENTS TO CLUBS.

HOW TO PURCHASE!

Remit by Express, Postal Order, Bank Draft, Certified Check, Registered Letter, or order through any Bank or Banking House, payable to the order of the Secretary of the Industrial Exhibition Company, 12 East 17th Street, New York. Specially chartered by the State of New York, for the purpose of building in New York.

A Palace of Industry.

It is offered and controlled by the ablest and most distinguished business men of New York.

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Norr.—\$5 will purchase a Fraction participating in the

MARCH 6 ALLOTMENT.

If it draws less than \$5, Company will take it back as \$5 in the purchase of a whole bond of the Industrial Exhibition Co. of New York.

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PATENT LIGHTNING SAWS.

That the "Genuine 1876" excels all others in speed, ease and simplicity, and will do more work day in and day out, than any other saw in the world. I will back it against any responsible saw manufacturer.

Exact size and shape of Lightning Teeth for the Centennial saw, and showing the use of my special Cast File.



This cut represents the use of my special file, made to fit the angle of the teeth, doubling both points at a single blow, making the saw the simplest and cheapest to file in the world. The shortening of the teeth the thickness of a sheet of paper, (which need only single tooth penetrates), leaves but little dressing necessary. For the unadvised edges of the outside of M. the third surface of the file is all that will be needed. They are made 21 out of highest quality. By the use of this file all difficulty of removal, and the cost of filing Lightning Cross-cut saws at the factory is two cents per foot; buck saws, four cents each. The cost of the 18 inch for cross-cut is 50 cents each; five inch for buck saws, half price. A large stock kept constantly at my store, 50 Beekman Street, New York.

I will furnish my latest improved 1876 pattern Cross-cut, at 70 cts. per foot, and the one man saw at same price, for Cash in advance, where the Hardware Dealers do not sell the genuine latest improved Lightning saws. Agents Wanted—special inducements. Will send C. O. D. if express charges is enclosed.

Buck Saw Blades, sent by mail Postage Paid, at 75 cts. each.

The attention of the trade is especially invited to the vindication of my Patent saws as shown by the published Decree, Injunction and Costs of U. S. Court, of September 21, 1875. In the meantime the other varieties of Lightning Teeth saws have been overthrown and pronounced invalid. My patent M. Teeth alone stand as the only vindicated and protected Patent for Cross Cut and Buck Saw Teeth. I stand proud at my leisure to make it interesting to infringers, having retained exclusive counsel.

My advice to the trade is to cease selling counterfeit copies of my goods. I will make any of these imitations good at prices as low as they be made of good material and workmanship, while I will furnish the genuine Patent Lightning Saw, so that it can be retailed at 75 cts. per foot, by the dozen.

Special terms made with the jobbers and agents for quantity.

Special inducements offered to Agents.

For further particulars, send for catalogue.

Address,

E. M. BOYNTON,

50 Beekman St., N. Y.

Oregon's Display at the Centennial.

Sunday Welcome.

Few persons outside of the citizens of this State are aware of the quality, quantity, and variety of Oregon's productions, and when informed of it do not believe the informant, although his or her veracity has never before been doubted; therefore it is a source of congratulation to know that samples of our State's productions will be on exhibition at the Centennial, where all doubting Thomases can see for themselves that the remarkable stories have in no wise been exaggerated, but, if anything, not much more than half told.

To the untiring energy and perseverance of Mr. A. J. Dufur this State is indebted to the good display that will be made at the centennial exhibition of Oregon's productions. So that any and all citizens interested in knowing that fair samples of the production of the soil will be exhibited, Mr. Dufur secured a room to make the display previous to shipping them East.

The samples exhibited are taken from large parcels as averages, and therefore convey a better idea of the superior quality of our productions. Of cereals, we noticed samples in straw and also threshed, of wheat, barley, rye, oats, spels, flax, corn, etc. Of wheat, there are many varieties of spring and fall; their names, as far as we can learn, are as follows: Chili Club, Canadian Club, Chili White, Australian Club, White Velvet, Scotch Fife, Touzell Fall, Noah Island, Mammoth White, Maccaroni Wheat, Golden Amber Egyptian (seven headed). The yield to the acre of samples was from 35 to 100 bushels, and weight from 60 to 65 pounds to the bushel. Some of the samples in straw are as high as six feet. There is but one variety of barley. It is of superior quality, and the straw is over six feet in height. The rye in straw is nine feet high. Of oats, there are in grain and straw, six varieties as follows: New German, Side-oats, White Norway, Surprise, Somerset, and Hopeton. Some of the samples in straw are over eight feet high, and the yield to the acre is from 50 to 80 bushels; some weigh as high as 50 pounds to the bushel. Rye in straw is nine feet high, and threshed, the kernel is large and of superior quality. Spels is a German cereal, and grows in great luxuriance in this State. The yield to the acre is from 80 to 120 bushels. Its weight we do not know. It is claimed that Spels makes excellent flour, and is superior feed for stock. There are several varieties of flax exhibited—both in straw and grain. Two varieties, the Bombay and Chili, were imported for seed by the Pioneer Linseed Oil Works; they give a good return in seed for oil, but is not of much value for lint. The other two varieties, Riza and Dutch, are of great value in producing lint, but for seed, crop is short when compared with the other two.

There are two varieties of corn in ear—the Yellow and White Dent. In cultivated grasses there are twelve varieties. Some of the names we could not get; those named were as follows: Red-top in straw, six and a half feet high; Orchard grass, six feet high; Kentucky Blue-grass, six feet high; timothy, six feet high. These varieties gave a return of from two and a half to three and a half tons to the acre. A sample of clover five feet high is displayed, and also a fine sample of Rescue and Millet grass. In the root crop, they only exhibit some large and fine varieties of potatoes. In fruit, only pears. Mr. Dufur informed us that it is the intention to forward from here to the exhibition samples of all kinds of fruit in their seasons. A most beautiful sample of currant wine, jam and jelly is sent by Mr. Goulding. There are six fleeces of wool from which samples are taken and exhibited on cards. The combing wool is one year old, and averages thirteen inches in length. The lambs combing wool, six months old, is six inches in length. The samples of Spanish and French merino are very fine for this State. There are twenty-one varieties of native grasses, and one of the Spice tree. It is very pungent, and can be utilized to advantage. In preserved fruits, vegetables, and meats, the Alden Fruit Preserving Co., at Oregon City make a fine display. One which it is impossible to do justice to in a written article, and to be appreciated, must be seen. Several ladies in Columbia county have shown a commendable zeal in collecting and arranging Oregon ferns, moss, Autumn leaves, etc. The taste displayed can not be excelled. The Pioneer Linseed Oil Works send samples of their production—raw and boiled oil and oil meal. A beautiful wreath of cone work and also baskets of cone work, besides, a large-sized engraving or painting of the State House at Salem, and a map of Oregon ten by twenty feet, and also a mining scene in moss—perfect to life—will be on exhibition at the Centennial. The map of Oregon will be of itself of much value, and will, undoubtedly

do great service in directing immigrants this way. Besides the above, there is a fine sample of Oregon glue—clear and beautiful. It is packed in highly finished box of Oregon maple and laurel; two samples of flour; a sample of mineral paint, and a sample of porcelain clay. The display made here of furs, skins, and horns of native animals is large, but then, we are informed that not more than one quarter of the different kinds to be exhibited are on exhibition here. There is on exhibition here the head and antlers of an elk, mule-deer, and fallow deer. The mule-deer is a cross between an elk and a black-tail deer, and is peculiar to this section. There are furs and skins of the fisher, martin, otter, black mink, white mink, gray wolf of the Cascades, and the coyote. Of Oregon timber, there are pieces of thirty different kinds. The yellow fir is represented by two pieces taken from a tree fifteen feet at the base—one was taken out at a height of 130 feet, and is eight feet in diameter, and the other was taken out at a height of 200 feet, and is five and a half feet in diameter. The tido land spruce is represented by two sections, taken from a tree sixteen feet at the base—one of the pieces was taken out at a height of 98 feet and is seven feet two inches in diameter, and the other piece, taken out at a height of 143 feet, is five and a half feet in diameter. There is a piece of Scotch laurel, white oak, curl maple, crab apple, chitem (two kinds), finishing laurel, 42 inches in diameter, silver fir of the Cascades, white pine of the Cascades, arrow wood, wild plum, wild cherry, hazel, chickopin, black thorn, yellow or white thorn, ponderosa pine of the Cascades, stone pine of the Alps, (this last specie is only found at the base of the snow of the Alps and the Cascades,) yew wood, alder three feet and a half in diameter, ash and several other kinds. At Astoria they will forward samples of shingles, staves, bolts, etc.

As remarked elsewhere, this article does not pretend to embrace all that will be forwarded; it is only intended to convey a fair idea of that which will be sent from here.

Is Wheat Growing Profitable.

Editor Cultivator.—I find there is a great diversity of opinion in the farming community of Oregon, in regard to the manner of farming, and the profits of capital invested; I propose at this time to review this field of enterprise, especially the cost and profit of raising wheat, also giving a few hints relative to theory and experience. In order to keep the wheel of progress in motion we must first excite our intellectual faculties; and commence thinking, from this we are very liable to talk and act. In this way the world advance in all sciences and improvements. Is it a profitable business to invest capital in land at the average price of land, and what? this is the question. We will endeavor to investigate this matter by actual figures, and see if theory and experience conflict, and let the reader be the judge. I think it is quite as necessary for farmers to make calculations relative to their business as it is for mechanics and mechanics. If a mechanic is called upon to erect a costly mansion, it would look very unwise for him to even give expression as to the cost of construction, until he had examined the draft and specifications. This being the case he comes to the conclusion from actual figures based upon facts and experience. There are two kinds of mechanics in the world, one kind proposes to learn every thing by experience, and are always twenty years behind the times; the other kind act upon the basis of figuring, and dratting, and are always up and ahead. This practice holds equally true with the farming community. I have often heard of farmers saying that it costs so and so much to raise a bushel of wheat; this is what I call an unqualified expression. Now my experience and the figures I propose to give will show conclusively that no one can tell what it costs per bushel unless he knows the circumstances that surround each and every crop; no more than he can tell what the coming crop will yield per acre, or what the ruling price may be. In order to approximate the cost of raising wheat, and see whether it is a profitable business or not we shall be obliged to establish a basis to work upon, as much as a mechanic needs his draft and specifications. The average price of good farming land in this valley, we will estimate at \$30 per acre, average price of wheat 75 cents per bushel; average number of bushels per acre 25. You will bear in mind the calculations are based upon land worth from \$15 to \$50 per acre, from this basis we find on an average that an acre of land will turn off in value \$18.75. Some may be of the opinion that the average prices of land, wheat and bushels per acre, are over and above the true estimate. I contend good farming

land cannot be bought for less than \$15 per acre, and from that to \$50. Wheat oftentimes