

Political Prostitution.

The member of Congress to be elected on the 25th day of October next should be a Republican. The Administration of the National Government is in the hands of that party, and we place our young State in harmony by the election of a Republican Representative. But, whatever the result of that election may be politically, let us be sure of good talent and honesty of purpose.—Buffalo.

The argument for "electing a man in harmony with the Administration" is just a little behind the political and moral progress of these times. Democrats, Republicans or Independents do not propose to prostitute themselves to get in harmony with Grant's administration. "Harmony" with the Civil Rights bill, the Force bill and the postoffice, express jobbery bill, is not a desirable position just at this time. Republican principles are very good and we endorse them, but they are the shadow now, while legislation against law and without law, and political prostitution and stock jobbery are the substance.

A Man.

It may be of interest to some of our readers to know what party candidate we shall support in the coming Congressional election. We can tell better after the nominations are made. We have our political preference of course, but that should be a secondary consideration. The election of the best man is, with us, the first thought. Who is the best qualified both intellectually and morally to represent Oregon at Washington? That is the man we want to vote for and to speak for. Like the Cynic philosopher, we are on the hunt of a MAN. And when it comes to a vote we think that the man should be the first consideration of every true man in the State.

Remarkable Forbearance.

Dolph denounces the people of Washington and Yamhill counties because, as he says, they wish to destroy the West side road. We think that they have been very forbearing in their treatment of the railroad company under great provocation. The railroad runs over land in this county where it has never secured the right of way. The owners of these lands have a right to tear up the track and forbid the Company from passing over them in the future. Furthermore several of our farmers have had stock killed by the cars for which they have as yet received no pay, and some of them have not even asked for it.

What Beat Failing.

Failing was beaten for Mayor in the Portland city election last week by the whisky and communist vote, and beaten only six votes at that. The opposition of those two elements does him honor. We think more of Failing beaten than Failing victorious. Failing would make a good Congressman, and if he would run he would probably poll the full independent vote of the State. We would like the man who is opposed by whisky men and communists. It is a sure sign that he is a man of integrity and courage.

Dr. F. A. BAILEY'S address to the graduating class of the Medical college at Salem on the 24th inst. is highly complimented by the State press. The doctor has received a letter from the class asking for a copy of his address for publication and he has complied with the request.

We have just received the catalogue of Willamette University for the college year of 1874-75. The number of students in the collegiate classical course during the past year were 34; collegiate scientific 15; preparatory, 130; academic, 105; medical, 25. Whole number of students for the year, 309.

LAND buyers are numerous in this county now, and real estate is changing hands daily. The reason is that Washington county has the best lands and nearest the market for the least money that can be found anywhere in the State. Immigrants should visit the county before they purchase land elsewhere.

HAYING will begin next week, when the grangers will shuck their coats and go at it red-eyed.

J. N. Dolph, Gentleman.

In his speech against the new Board of Directors for the West side road in the Circuit court in Portland J. N. Dolph denounced the people of Washington and Yamhill counties and said that they wished to destroy this road built for their benefit! "Stockholders!" he exclaimed with infinite disdain. "Stock, that they bought with oats, and hay and stubble!" But didn't H. Y. Thompson in reply skin this incorrigible ass? Who is J. N. Dolph? some of our readers may ask. A pompous, fashionable legal shark of the firm of Hipple, Dolph, etc. Hipple manages Holladay's business in Washington and Dolph in Oregon. He is the fellow that inches the West side road out of \$5,000 a year as attorney for Holladay.

This codfish aristocrat sneers at the farmers and mechanics who own stock in the West side road. He denounces them because he hates honest men, and men that earn their bread by manual toil. He denounces them in the interest of the thieves who have gobbled their property and who own no stock in the road. He denounces them for \$5,000 a year, stolen from the actual owners of the road. Such is J. N. Dolph gentleman!

P. S. We forgot to state that J. N. Dolph is the man who wanted somebody to walk over his dead body on a certain occasion not long since.

Peanut Halsey.

A gentleman in Forest Grove came up from Portland recently on the cars and had a small package in his hand which the conductor wanted to take into the baggage car. The gentleman said that he would take care of it himself and asked the conductor what the charge would be, and he said fifty cents. The gentleman said, "I guess not," and stepped into the baggage car and expressed the package for twenty-five cents. This is a fair sample of Halsey's and Holladay's mode of running a railroad. They are either ignorant and know no better or they are knaves and think to impose on the people. If they knew anything about Eastern railroading they would know that passengers are permitted to carry their small packages with them into the passenger cars, and without charge.

THE REVIVAL.—The result of the revival meetings conducted in Portland by Rev. E. P. Hammond is as follows: Persons converted, 300; Covenant signers, 260. The adult meetings were not so successful as the children's, owing it is said to the adverse criticisms of the press and want of sympathy on the part of many Christians. Over 2,000 persons have assembled at nearly every meeting at the Skating Rink. Mr. Hammond will depart this week. No collections have been taken at these meetings which doubtlessly has added to the interest.

Meeting of the Independent State Central Committee.

The members of the Independent State Central Committee, are requested to meet at Portland on Friday, July 15, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, to arrange for a Convention to nominate a candidate for member of Congress, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the committee.

The members of the committee are S. P. Barrett, of Baker county; B. R. Bidwell, of Benton; L. D. C. Latourette, of Clackamas; John West, of Clatsop; Joel Hamilton, of Columbia; J. W. Book, of Coos; John Huntley, of Curry; James D. Burnett, of Douglas; D. N. Luce, of Grant; M. Hanley, of Jackson; Jos. Tuff, of Josephine; H. N. Hill, of Lane; Jas. Nixon, of Linn; D. Payton, of Marion; Jos. Buchtel, of Multnomah; J. S. Thompson, of Polk; W. D. Stillwell, of Tillamook; Thos. McCoy, of Umatilla; W. White of Union; Benj. Schofield, of Washington; Geo. Ruch, of Wasco; G. W. Barnett, of Yamhill.

JOSEPH BUCHTEL, Chairman.

OREGON.

A drove of 1,251 sheep, belonging to Messrs. Gaunt and Young, passed through Lafayette last week enroute for Eastern Oregon.

Three thousand salmon a day have been reported at Booth & Co's cannery, Astoria, last week.

The directors are meeting with very good success in soliciting subscriptions for the State University at Eugene City. They have only been out a day or so, and have succeeded in raising nearly a thousand dollars, and feel confident that the entire amount will soon be raised.

Subscribe for the INDEPENDENT.

Definition of Bible Terms.

A day's journey was thirty-three and one-fifth miles. A Sabbath day's journey was about an English mile. A cubic is twenty-two inches, nearly. A hand's breadth is equal to three and five-eighths inches. A finger's breadth is equal to one inch. A shekel of silver was about fifty cents.

MARRIED.

At the Parsonage in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, June 24th, 1875, by Rev. J. W. Miller, Mr. Carlos D. Wilcox and Miss Melinda E. Hanly.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. W. GIVENS, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, HILLSBORO, — — — OREGON. OFFICE.—Dr. Bailey's Drug-Store, jyl-14

Grove Meat Market. Grocery and Vegetable Store.

R. P. WILLS having bought the Forest Grove meat market and vegetable store, a continuance of Grove patronage, Yakima Be. I, fat and juicy groceries and vegetables, the cheapest and best in the market for sale. jyl-14

LAND FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS FOR SALE several Farms and a large amount of first class, unimproved land, lying in Washington County, Oregon.

Immigrants and others desiring to purchase would do well to give me a call.

Now is the time to secure comfortable homes on easy terms.

THOS. D. HUMPHREYS, Hillsboro, June 29th, 1875. jyl-14

Administrator's Sale.

In pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington county sitting in Probate matters, made on the 10th day of June, A. D. 1875, the undersigned Administrator of the estate of David T. Enox, deceased, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, in the town of Hillsboro, County of Washington, State of Oregon, on Saturday the 31st day of July, 1875, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described parcel of real estate situated in said County and State to-wit: The East 1/2 of lots 5 & 8, block No. 1 in the Town of Hillsboro, Oregon.

DAVID LENOX, Adm. of the Estate of David T. Enox, deceased. Hillsboro, June 28, 1875. jyl-14

Bridge Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until WEDNESDAY the 13th day of July next at 1 o'clock P. M. for the erection of the proposed New Bridge across Rock creek known as the Steeples Bridge. Plan and specifications may be seen at my office in the New Court House. I reserve the right to reject all bids.

THOS. D. HUMPHREYS, Superintendent. Hillsboro, June 21, 1875. jun24-3

BRIGGS & BUTLER

Wish to inform the public in general that they have bought J. J. Bruger's saw mill which they have thoroughly refitted, and are now prepared to do all kinds of work pertaining to a saw mill. Come Boys and try us. Taste us and try us. If you don't like us don't buy us. \$27.4m BRIGGS & BUTLER.

\$5 to \$20 Per Day at home. Terms free. Address G. Strickson & Co., Portland, Maine.

NOTICE!!!

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE School Fund for Interest, are hereby notified to pay up immediately, or the same will be put in the hands of an Attorney, for collection. By order of the Board. W. Strickson, Co. Treas. 1c264

Tualatin Hotel.

MAIN STREET — — — HILLSBORO, D. L. TURPIN, PROPRIETOR mar24tf

NOTICE.

THE undersigned will redeem all County Orders redeemed previous to the 10th day of May 1875. W. Strickson, County Treasurer. apr16-4

1776. 1875.

GRANGERS' CELEBRATION! Saturday, July 3.

The Grangers of Washington, Yamhill and Multnomah Counties will celebrate the day by a Grand Picnic on the beautiful grounds of the Hillsboro Park.

Where the day will be spent in Speech Making, Wheelbarrow Races, Climbing greased Pole, Blind-Man's Buff, Sack Races, Base Ball, Croquet, Foot Races, &c., &c., &c. These grounds are situated in a beautiful grove where seats, tables, and Speaker's stand have been put up. There are four good springs of delicious water on the grounds. Refreshments served on the grounds. EVERYBODY INVITED TO ATTEND.

WOOL CARDING FOR 1875.

The undersigned having located his Carding Machine at Glencoe seven miles north of Hillsboro in Washington county will be prepared by the middle of May to do Carding for the present season at reasonable rates. Work warranted. Give us a call. apr28-2 J. DIX.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO EXECUTIONS issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington county, one in favor of T. Dittenhoefer against J. A. Pickett for the sum of \$135.99 r. s. coin and one in favor of Corbett and MacLaney and against C. A. Pickett for the sum of \$288 r. s. coin, and in and to the proceeds of the 28th day of May 1875, commanding me to satisfy said execution out of the property of said C. A. Pickett, and for want of personal property I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said C. A. Pickett in and to the 1/2 of lots 1 & 2 in Blk No. 10 in the town of Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, and on Saturday the 24th day of July, 1875, at 1 o'clock p. m. at the Court House door in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, I will sell all the right, title and interest of C. A. Pickett in and to the above described property at Public Auction to the highest bidder for cash, in hand, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied in satisfaction of said execution and accruing costs. Said property will be sold subject to three (3) mortgages in favor of N. S. Westfall, 1st dated August 20th, 1873, for the sum of \$263.00 coin, with interest at 12 per cent per annum, 2nd dated Jan. 23d, 1875, for the sum of \$185 coin with interest at 12 per cent per annum, 3rd dated Apr. 20th, 1875, for the sum of \$209.50 coin with interest at 12 per cent per annum.

CHAS. T. TOZIER, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. Hillsboro, June 23, 1875. jun23-4

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF EXECUTION and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington county, in favor of J. A. Natrop and against J. D. Whiting and F. K. Arnold et al for the sum of \$5,211.45 U. S. coin, to me directed and delivered on the 5th day of June, 1875, commanding me to make sale of the following described real estate, situate and being in Washington County, Oregon, and consisting of all of donation claim No. 45 as shown upon the maps in the Surveyor General's office for the State of Oregon, being parts of sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 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CHAS. T. TOZIER, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. Hillsboro, June 8, 1875. jun10-4

Administrator's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of an Order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, sitting in probate matters, made on the 7th day of June, 1875, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of James A. Mills deceased will sell, at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in the town of Hillsboro, County of Washington, State of Oregon, on Saturday, July 10, 1875 at 1 o'clock, a. m., the following described parcel of real estate situate in said County and State: The southeast quarter (S E 1/4) of section twelve (Sec. 12), township one south—T. 1. S.—range one west—R. 1. W.—containing about forty—40—acres; ten acres in cultivation, including two acres of various kinds of fruit trees; two acres of good garden land; running stream of water, conveniently situated; good frame barn. Said land is bounded by the following: on the north one mile and a half from the head of the Canyon.

TERMS OF SALE: CASH. Payable in U. S. gold coin on delivery of deed, at the expense of the purchaser.

W. J. Robinson, Administrator of the estate of James A. Mills deceased. Hillsboro Lodge, No. 17, I. O. G. T. meets at its Hall in Hillsboro, every Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. All members of the order in good standing are cordially invited to attend. By order W. C. T. mts

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Notices hereby given that by virtue of a warrant issued by the County Clerk of Washington County and State of Oregon, on the tenth day of May, 1875, and to me directed, commanding me to collect the delinquent taxes for the year 1874, charged against the persons named below, and for want of personal property I have levied upon and will sell at public auction, at the Court House door, in the town of Hillsboro, in said County, on Thursday, the 1st day of July, 1875, the following described tracts or parcels of land, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the taxes thereon together with the costs and charges.

Table with columns: Names, Description of Land, Tax. Includes entries for Albert Henry, Arnold A. K., Bentz G. W., Bird Arthur, Best, Eliza, Culbertson, Daniel, Clarke, Tabitha, Caldwell, Wm., Coleman, D. C., Cartwright, Ed., Church, P. S., Carter, C. M., Dolph, J. N., Durham, G. H., Davis, Isaac, Dolan, W. P., Fields, P. S., Fleischner, L., Fain, W. D., Griffin, J. O., Griffith, J. E., Hughbanks, George, Hill, W. H., Keel, J. M., K. G. Sannell, McKean, John, Mason, Mary, McLaren, Marshall, Martin, J. I., Noland, H., heirs of, Pearson, J. F., Painter, Milton, Pitcock, H. L., Reed, James, Rider, G. C., Richardson, Chas., Skelton, Emily, Snodgrass, Mary E., Scott, Harvey, Smith, Henry, Swaley, Temple, Smith, Isaac, Sebastian, Daniel, Smith, James, Shaw, J. C., Shilling, J. G., Smith, E. N., Tyler, N. J., Thompson, Mrs. M. A., Unknown owner, Vaughn, T. M.

CHAS. T. TOZIER, Sheriff of Washington County, Ogn.

Hardware, Iron Steel Hubs Spikes Rims Oak Ash and Hickory Plank. NORTHUP & THOMPSON. Portland, — — — mar25m3 — Oregon.

THIS SPACE FOR HOXTER

W. D. HOXTER HAS SO MANY customers at his store all the time that he has no time to write an advertisement. That is what we call business. 33ts

W. H. SAYLOR, DEALER IN Drugs Medicines, Books and Stationery

Forest Grove, Oregon. 43ny 1854f

A Watch Within REACH OF EVERYBODY.

The Manufacturers of the Justly Celebrated ROSKOPF PEOPLES' WATCH! Have established an Agency in Portland