This officer, accompanied by Colonel Stone, arrived here on the 28th ult. and departed on the 3d inst., the mission of the General being to investigate the accounts of the State of Oregon in the recent Modoc Indian War. He states that fully nine-tenths of the entire claims were represented in person before him, each claimant duly swearing to the correctness of his account.

perience in the investigation of similar | the augur struck a fir log. The wood claims, growing out of Indian wars in is firm and hard. other sections, and we learn that he found matters in much better shape than he anticipated, and that the management of the war by the State authorities had been more economically and systematically conducted than any similar service elsewhere investigated by him.

We were pleased to notice a general attendance of the officers of the late Militia service present at the investigation. Among them we observed Gen. Ross, Col. J. N. T. Miller, Major Brooks, Captains Foudray, Kelly, Neil, Applegate, Hyzer and Rogers, and Lieutenants Reames and Berry.

We found the General an affable and eccommodating gentleman, and we be lieve the favorable impression he left on us is shared by the claimants and public generally. He will examine the accounts of the expenses arising from Capt. Fairchild's company of California Volunteers, and will remain in Yreka for a few days for that purpose.

#### Send Down a Peace Commission.

If reports are true, says the News, the United States forces and the Ranthe Indians near Jacksonborough, Texas. The defeat seems to have been a men were killed and a number woundcalls for a special peace commission. This was about the condition of things | 31st, 1873. -perhaps it is not so bad—as the Mobe a good field for that Christian-sol- itable notice. dier General O. O. Howard. The peothe necessary change.

# Senator Kelly.

The Eugene City Journal, (Republiand vigilance he could command all ments, employing about 2,000 men. winter among the scanty minority of Democrats who are in the Senate, and among Republicans also, in behalf of July 30th, and robbed of everything over a minute at Newark and a modthe Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake of value it contained, amounting to eration of speed at New Brunswick. Railroad bill and every measure in which Oregon was interested, no matter who introduced the bill nor in which house it originated. He was a member of the committee on railroads which reported this bill and recommended its passage."

# Grain Prospects.

The crop prospects in Great Britain are said to not be encouraging. It is estimated that an unusual demand will be made for American grain; the article of wheat alone exceeding seventy millions of bushels. In England, says the News, a short crop implies an extra demand from Russia and the United States. This country also furnished last year 160,000,000 bushels of corn, and 30,000,000 bushels of oats and barley. The indications are that the demand for the present year will be greatly in excess of these figures.

# The Case of Gerrand.

Governor Grover refused to commute the sentence of Thomas Gerrand, who was condemned to death for the murder of Thos. Hubbard, in Marion county. execution and the case will be carried to the Supreme Court. The Governor, in accordance with said stay, has suspended judgment from August 17th to October 2d.

#### PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

There is an eighteen-year-old girl near Stayton, Marion county, that weighs 338 pounds in her night-gown. The Bulletin omlts to mention the

letting-down process which has been commenced on its owner, Ben Holla-

Upwards of \$10,000 worth of goods were forwarded from the Willamette Woolen Mills at Salem to San Francisco and Portland last week.

It is reported that Captain Whyte, owner of the Forward, has gone to Europe to bring out two new vessels for the Oregon, Pacific Islands and

While boring the well at the Court House, Corvallis, last week, at a depth General Hardie has had much ex- of twenty-six feet from the surface,

> The price of syrup in San Francisco has advanced 25 cents per gallonabout 63 per cent. Sugar advanced two cents per pound. Coffee also has gone up, but the figures are not given.

A weekly paper, bearing the title of China News, is being published in San Francisco. It is printed in Chinese characters by the lithographic process. Bogardus & Gordon are the publishers. It is edited by a Chinaman of fame.

Wm. B. Bourn, a San Francisco capitalist worth two millions, committed suicide on the 24th inst. by shooting himself in his bath-room. No one can account for the act, except on the grounds that suicide is hereditary in

Independence, Polk county, claims the champion old man of the State. He is 111 years old, came to Oregon in 1843 and helped to build the first house in Portland. He says that he is good for several years yet. He probably will be if he is not taken off in his prime by the use of tobacco or

Governor Grover recently received gers met with a defeat at the hands of from the Treasury Department at Washington, a draft on the Treasury of the United States, which he turned severe one. Of the Rangers twelve over to the State Treasurer, for the sum of \$1,245.75, being five per cent. ed. The loss of the cavalry force is of the net proceeds of the sales of the not stated. This is a situation that public lands within the State of Oregon, for the year ending December

There is no part of Oregon more prosdoc situation was when Meacham, perous than Coos Bay. There are three Thomas and Dyar were sent out with | coal banks open-two of them extenthe olive branch and Government sup- sively-and two more preparing to plies to woo the Indians from their ship coal. Dr. Henry's coal mine on savage purposes and condole their the Isthmus Slough is being opened, bloody deeds. The Texas Indians the coal being of a superior quality. need praying for and with; that is ev- Utter & Co., at the Isthmus, are hard ident. It seems to us that this would at work bringing their mine into prof- suffer a loss equal to the profit of the

ple of Oregon are expecting him here; year export one hundred thousand but if the paramount interests of the tons of wheat. If the price is good peace commission require his presence this will bring into the State over elsewhere they will be reconciled to \$3,000,000. At 90 cents a bushel it it in the morning near the squirrel would amount to that sum. There burrows. That day he found about will be many other articles of export. The shipment of wool will be great a squirrel has been seen on his place and will yield a large sum of money. can) whose editor has been in Wash- The salmon fisheries along the Columington during the last session of Con- bia river will bring in probably \$1,200,gress, says this of Senator Kelly: | 000. There are thirteen of these sal-"Col. Kelly worked with all the energy mon fishing and canning establish- hind time, and made it all up before

The safe of Wells, Fargo & Co., in Salem, was opened on the night of in 59 minutes, including a stoppage of about \$4,000. The burglars entered There were some portions where the the building through a cellar door, speed was more than a mile and a having first broke into the agent's quarter a minute. Just beyond New house and secured his pants containing Brunswick five miles were run in the safe keys, and a combination with three and one-half minutes, which is which entrance to the safe was effect- at the rate of nearly 86 miles an hour. ed. At daylight a policeman employed for the purpose was in the office to turn off the gas, which is left burning all night, and at that time everything was all right as usual. No ctue as yet to the robbers. A reward of \$1,250

#### is offered. Attorney-General Williams Missing.

A Herald Washington special says it was rumored on Friday that a serious accident had befallen Attorney gan, gently expels all morbid matter from General Williams. The officials at the the alimentary canal, and imparts a health-Department of Justice refused to tell where he was. The last heard from him was by a telegram sent to the President, to the effect that Williams could not be found by telegraph. The anxiety respecting his whereabouts yesterday increased. Four ineffectual attempts were made by the Postmaster General to reach him by telegraph: Judge Bonham has granted a stay of the postal-car difficulty requiring the IN A FIRST-CLASS ESTABLISHMENT, attention of the Attorney-General immediately. No one could give the address or even a conjecture of what had befallen him. No explanation of the mystery has been made to-day.

#### GENERAL NOTES AND NEWS.

Italy is threatened with civil tumult on account of short crops, heavy taxes and misgovernment.

Kullman's attempt to assassinate Bismarck has embittered the quarrel between the civil and ecclesiastical authorities of Germany.

News from Cuba is favorable to the cause of the insurgents. A general uprising of the negroes against the Spaniards is expected and feared.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Susan B. Anthony, and Mrs. Bullard corroborate the version which Theodore Tilton gives of the Tilton-Beecher scan-

The Methodists of Chicago are discussing the propriety of abolishing camp meetings, owing to the difficulty of keeping away those who resort to them simply for sport and for evil

The New York Tribune has a report that Mrs. Hooker, sister of Beecher, expresses her belief in the substantial truth of the charges against Beecher, and has urged him to make a public confession.

France, under pretence that the Pope needs foreign protection, has had a French war ship stationed at Civita Vecchia as a refuge for his Holiness. Italy now demands that this ship be withdrawn.

A. T. Stewart, now in his seventyfirst year, has gone on his sixteenth trip to Europe, and the N. Y. Sun 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090 and 1091. ays the great dry-goods millionaire be paid after this date traveled plainer and carried less baggage than a fifteen-year-old boardingschool miss.

Gov. Davis, in an appeal to the Granges of Minnesota for aid, reports that half a dozen counties of that State have been swept by grasshoppers of all crops as completely as if by fire. Women and children are already suffering for food. The implements and stock of the settlers are mortgaged, and they are living upon the uncertain expectations of another year.

Telegraphic dispatches give some particulars of the wheat crop of the United States, as presented for July of this year in the Agricultural Bureau's report. The crops appear to be fully up to the average, taking winter and Spring; and in many of the States from four to twenty per cent. above the average. The wool crop is above the average in most of the States, and LINN'S BRICK BUILDING, CALIFORNIA St., below in only one (Vermont) to any considerable extent.

The squirrel pest is so destructive in some parts of California that farmers crop nearly every year. Asa Ander-It is estimated that Oregon will this son of Visalia recently added a small can of thoroughly pulverized strychnine, sweetened with sugar, to two gallons of wet wheat, and distributed seventy-five dead squirrels, and hardly

> by the newspaper train, which left Jersey City nearly half an hour bereaching Trenton. This distance—a fraction less than 57 miles—was run



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### NEW. THIS WEEK.

#### NOTICE.

THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF the Jackson County Agricultural Society at the Court House, in Jacksonville, on August 15, 1874, for the purpose of making preparations for holding the ANNUAL FAIR. A full attendance is requested. By order of the President. W. J. PLYMALE, Sec'y.

#### A CARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED RETURNS HIS heartfelt thanks to his many friends for the kindness extended his father and himself since the recent fire, and also respectfully notifies the public that he has opened a w store with a fresh stock of Groceries, etc., in David Linn's new building on California street, where he will be pleased to see his father's old friends and customers, besides as many others as will favor him with Respectfully,

JOHN A. BOYER. Jacksonville, August 5, 1874.

#### Executor's Notice.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson county, Oregon, Executor of the Estate of John W. George, deceased. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all persons having claims against the said estate are requested to present the same with the proper vouchers to me at my residence on Rogue River within six months from the date hereof.

C. SCHEFFELIN, Executor of Estate of J. W. George. August 4, 1874.

#### Fifth Notice.

STATE OF OREGON. TREASURER'S OFFICE, Salem, Aug. 4, 1874.) OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to claimants holding the following warrants, drawn upon the State Treasurer, that there are funds now on hand applicable to the payment of the same, to-wit :

Numbers 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898 899, 900, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, Interest on the foregoing warrants will not

L. FLEISCHNER,

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#### Jacksonville, August 5, 1874, NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

DY AN ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE D of the State of Oregon, approved Oct. 25, 1870, appointing a Board of Equalization for Terribly fast time was recently made the adjustment of the Tax Roll for the different counties of the aforesaid State, therefore, this is to give notice that the said Board of Equalization will meet the taxpayers of Jackson county on the

# Last Monday in August, 1874,

at the Clerk's office, in Jacksonville, for the ourpose of correcting any errors that may have occurred in the assessment of lands, lots or other property, either in value or ownership; and that said Board will continue such sittings until the examination of said Assessment Roll is completed. All those feeling themselves aggrieved by over assessment, will appear before said Board and state said grievances

D. H. TAYLOR, Assessor of Jackson County

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WAR CLAIM AGENCY! NO. 34 MONTGOMERY BLOCK,

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W. H. AIKEN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, and Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic in California and Nevada. will give prompt attention to the collection of Additional Travel Pay, now due California and Nevada Volunteers discharged 300 miles from home. Soldiers can depend on fair dealing. Information given free of charge. When writing enclose stamp for reply and state company and regiment and whether you have a discharge. Congress has extended the time for filing claims for additional Bounty under Act of July 28, 1866, to January, 1875, so all such claims must be made before that time. Original Bounty of \$100 has been allowed all volunteers who enlisted before July 22, 1861, for three years, if not paid the same when discharged. Land Warrants can be obtained for services rendered before 1855, but not for services in the late war. Pensions for late war and 1812 obtained and increased when allowed for less than disability warrants, but no pensions are allowed to Mexican and Florida war soldiers. State of Texas has granted Pensions to surviving veterans of Texas Revolution. New Orleans and Mobile Prize Money is now due and being paid. W. H. Aiken also attends to General law and Col-

#### INDEPENDENT LITERARY SOCIETY, Holds its regular meetings at the District School House every Friday evening.

lection Business.

AL. CARDWELL, President. SOPHIE NICKELL, Sec'y.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

### Estray Notice.

TAKEN UP BY HENRY NOLAND, living twelve miles east of Jacksonville. on the 22d of June, 1874, one white horse about fifteen hands high, twelve years old -a work horse. This horse is breachy. Appraised on the 3d day of July, 1874, at \$60.00, by J. W. Simpson, J. P.

## Administrator's Notice.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of Jackson county Oregon, Administrator of the Estate of A W. Jones, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to settle the same immediately, and all persons having claims against said Estate are requested to present them with the proper vouchers, to me at my residence on Salt Creek, within six months from the date hereof.

## July 29, 1874.

Fourth Notice.

Administrator.

STATE OF OREGON, TREASURER'S OFFICE. SALEM, July 22, 1874. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO claimants holding the following warrants drawn upon the State Treasurer, that there are funds now on hand applicable to the payment of the same, to-wit: Numbers 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 888, 889,

890 and 891. Interest on the foregoing warrants will not be allowed after this date L. FLEISCHNER, State Treasurer.

## Redemption of State Relief Bonds.

STATE OF OREGON, TREASURER'S OFFICE. SALEM, July 10, 1874.) Amount applicable for Redemption (\$45,-903.00) forty-five thousand, nine hundred and three dollars.

CEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RE-O ceived by the undersigned at his office at Salem until August 15, 1874, for the surrender of Relief Bonds, issued under provisions of an Act of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, granting relief to Volunteers of this State, enlisted in the service of the United States, approved October 24th, 1864, at the lowest rate, not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest numper of bonds. Bids to include interest to date of surrender, and to be addressed L. FLEISCHNER,

28t4 Treasurer of State, Salem, Oregon.

#### Redemption of State Bounty Bonds. STATE OF OREGON,

SALEM, July 10, 1874. Amount applicable for Redemption (\$44,-800,00) forty-four thousand and eight hun-

dred dollars. SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE REceived by the undersigned at his office at Salem until August 15th, 1874, for the surhere. We would be pleased to have persons | render of Bounty Bonds, issued under provisions of an Act of the Legislative Assemthem in, and we will place them in the Cab- | bly of the State of Oregon, granting Bounty to Volunteers of this State, enlisted in the service of the United States, approved October 24th, 1864, at the lowest rate, not exceeding par value, as may redeem the greatest number of bonds. Bids to include interest to date of surrender, and to be addressed

L. FLEISCHNER, 28t4 Treasurer of State, Salem, Oregon.

# Administrator's Sale.

Estate of Samuel Dewitt, deceased. N PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE NEW County Court of Jackson County, Oregon, the undersigned Administrator of said

estate, will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Jacksonville, Saturday, the 8th day of August, 1874, at one o'clock P. M. all the real property of said estate, consisting of the undivided onethird of certain mining claims on Foots Creek in Jackson County, Oregon, extending from the lowest line of the "Orme Claims" up the creek about 700 yards; also the undivided one-third of a mining ditch about 11/2 miles long, leading from the mid-

dle fork of Foots Creek to said claims. Also a like interest in an old ditch about onefourth of a mile long, leading from the same creek to the same claims; also the one-third interest in the mining fixtures, tools and water rights belonging thereto. Said property will be sold for one-third cash, in coin, and the balance on nine

> ASHER D. HEALD. Administrator of said estate.

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