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March 25, 1866.

## Irreducible School Fund.

THERE IS, IN THE TREASURY OF Jackson County, Oregon, Fifteen Hundred and eighty-five and seventy-one one-hundredths (\$1585 71-100) dollars—in coin and currency—of the above Fund to loan on Real Estate Security. Interest to be paid semi-annually, in advance.

DAVID LINN,  
Treasurer for Jackson County,  
Jacksonville, March 22, 1866.

## NOTICE.

### L. BLUMENTHAL

Has this day withdrawn from the firm of Abraham & Bro., of Roseburg and Oakland, Douglas county, Oregon, by the mutual consent of all the partners, Abraham & Bro. assume all liabilities of said firm, and are authorized to collect and receipt for all outstanding demands due the firm.

SOL. ABRAHAM,  
H. ABRAHAM,  
L. BLUMENTHAL.

Roseburg Oregon,  
March 14, 1866. mar24w2

## MAGIC OIL!

### SAVAGE & SUTTON

Having purchased the right to prepare Murray's Magic Oil, would cordially invite every body to go to the City Drug Store at once and procure a bottle.

It cures Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Toothache, Burns and Scalds, Earache, Cramp-colic, Flux, Diphtheria, Sprains and Bruises, and is really death to Gout.

In future, no well regulated family will be without a bottle of it in the house.

Dealers will be furnished on liberal terms. Send in for a dozen bottles and try it.

Jacksonville, March 7th, 1866. mar10if

## YREKA FOUNDRY

### MACHINE SHOP.

CASTINGS of all kinds executed at the shortest notice. Wrought or Cast iron work manufactured from the best material. All kinds of Brass Work. Castings and Habbit's metals for sale. Cash paid for Old Iron.

## SUMMONS.

### IN THE COUNTY

Court for Douglas County, Oregon.

J. Abraham and Hyman Abraham, Composing the firm of Abraham & Bro., vs. L. G. Thompson.

TO L. G. THOMPSON, Defendant:

You are required to appear in said Court and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs, filed against you, within ten days from the time of service of this summons on you, if served with said Douglas county, or if served on you within any other county in this State, then within twenty days from the time of the service thereof, or if served on you out of the State of Oregon, then it is ordered by the Judge of the above named Court, that publication of this summons be made for six weeks, prior to the 1st Monday of May, A. D. 1866, in the "Oregon Sentinel," a newspaper of general circulation, published at Jacksonville, Oregon—there being no newspaper published in this county; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiffs will take judgment against you for the sum of two hundred and seventy and seventy-eight one-hundredths (\$270 78) dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent, per annum, from the 27th day of May, 1865, and costs and disbursements of this action to be taxed.

R. F. CHADWICK, Atty's Plaff.  
Roseburg, Douglas Co., Oreg.,  
March 15, 1866. mar24w6

## Sale of School Land.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order by the Board of Commissioners of Jackson county, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public vendue, at the Court House door in Jacksonville, on Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1866, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., the following described School Land, to wit: The west half of N. E. 1 S. 16 T. 35 S. R. 2 West containing 80 acres; also the south half and the North East quarter of the North West quarter of S. 16 T. 35 S. Range 1 West containing 114 2/3-100 acres.

Terms of sale—One-fourth of the purchase money to be paid in gold coin, on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal, annual installments, bearing interest at ten per cent, per annum, payable in gold coin; the deferred payments to be secured by notes of the purchaser with sufficient security.

M. A. WILLIAMS,  
Supt. Com. Schools J. C.  
March 10, 1866. mar10w6

## THE OREGON SENTINEL.

ISSUED EVERY SATURDAY MORNING.

### B. F. DOWELL, Proprietor.

Subscription—For One year, in advance, Four Dollars; if paid within the first six months of the year, five dollars; if not paid until the expiration of the year, six dollars.

Advertisements—One square (10 lines or less), first insertion, Three Dollars; each subsequent insertion, One Dollar. A discount of fifty per cent will be made to those who advertise by the year.

Legal Tenders received at current rates.

## A Mid-Summer Morning.

BY CARRIE CARLTON.

The yellow hills are sleeping,  
Wrapped in a sombre cloud;  
A grey, dumpy, filmy curtain—  
A misty, jeweled shroud.

Dark is the brow of Nature,  
Still is the pulse of Morn,  
As in the hour when Chaos  
Died, and the Earth was born.

Now, through the rayless silence  
Invisible riders dash,  
Their wind-winged steeds advancing,  
Impatient of rein or lash.

Swiftly before their presence  
The monk-cowled shadows flee,  
And shatter their misty jewels  
Unheeded o'er hill and lee.

Now through the dim, grey distance,  
Another battalion comes—  
An army of snow-white contrails,  
With dancing silvery plumes.

They herald their monarch's coming—  
They flutter their banners white;  
And a certain of Heaven's own angels  
Falls o'er the conquered Night.

Then brighter they grow, and brighter,  
The advancing host of morn,  
As nearer they come with halings—  
The glorious day is born!

Their rosy chariots clamber  
The billowy ether bills,  
And their reins are the silver sparkle  
From a thousand sun-kissed rills.

They have mantles of purple and scarlet,  
And helmets with golden bars;  
Their banners are fields of azure  
Flecked over with diamond stars.

Now there is a flash of glory—  
The heralds their couriers stay;  
Aurora, with rosy fingers,  
Is opening the gates of Day.

And from the shining portal,  
In garments of burnished light,  
The new-born god, majestic,  
Is coming in royal sight.

The ethereal air is golden  
With the radiance of his face,  
And his breath is a sea of perfume  
Floating in amber space.

Unspeaking rays of glory  
Through earth's broad realm are hurled,  
And Nature sings, exultant,  
Morning has blent the world!

We copy from the Statesman the following statement, by the State Treasurer, of his receipts and disbursements from September 10, 1864, to February 28, 1866:

Received—General Fund including balance brought forward \$238,633 45  
Issue Asylum Fund..... 702 92  
Military Tax Fund..... 35,090 61  
University Fund..... 3,120 11  
Eschet Fund..... 4,914 82  
School Fund..... 13,871 72

Paid out on warrant drawn on:  
General Fund..... 21,744 91  
Incidental Fund..... 5,144 18  
Executive Fund..... 6,659 07  
Judicial Fund..... 15,972 55  
Legislative Fund, 1864..... 10,686 60  
Convicts..... 5,266 39  
Printing..... 13,104 90  
Insane and Idiotic..... 57,590 65  
Military..... 16,235 06  
Eschet (refunded)..... 2,866 87  
Penitentiary..... 17,661 59  
Penitentiary building..... 9,019 23  
Legislative, extra session, 6,999 43  
Soldiers Relief Fund..... 1,188 91  
Soldiers' Bounty Fund..... 410 25  
School Fund loaned..... 8,502 00

\$127,141 61  
Balance in Treasury..... 99,139 02

\$226,280 63

Balance of the several funds in the Treasury, this 29th day of February—

General Fund..... 869,796 62  
Military Tax Fund..... 1,920 00  
Military Tax Fund, placed to the Penitentiary Fund from and after the first day of January, 1866..... 16,938 35  
University Fund..... 3,120 11  
Eschet Fund..... 2,047 95  
School Fund..... 5,315 72

899,139 62  
Taxes due from the counties for 1865:  
Lane county..... 5,460 96  
Douglas..... 3,916 46  
Josephine county..... 2,279 00  
Baker " 1865..... 2,846 76  
Curry " "..... 814 26  
Coos " "..... 1,568 95  
Grant " "..... 6,298 43  
Jackson " "..... 19,129 16  
Josephine " "..... 2,210 65  
Union " "..... 4,791 17  
Umatilla " "..... 4,883 66

Total..... \$45,110 45

## Annual Distribution of Common School Funds

FOR MARCH 5, 1866.

TOTAL, \$2,188 09—No. OF SCHOLARS ENTITLED TO SCHOOL FUND 1157

Due each Scholar, \$1 89 and Nearly 2 Mills.

Names Districts	DER EACH. Coin.	No. of L. T.	No. of Schol.	No. of Males.	No. of Females.	Average attend.	Quarters taught	Legal voters
1 Jacksonville	\$326 97	173	82	91	33	2	265	
2 " "	102 06	54	29	25	25	2	23	
3 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4 Phenix	232 47	123	62	61	25	2	64	
5 Ashland	107 73	57	28	29	13	14	37	
6 Manzanita	154 08	82	46	36	20 1/2	3	42	
7 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9 Butte Creek	109 62	58	33	25	12	2	34	
10 " "	164 43	87	42	45	32	21 1/2	59	
11 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
13 Pleasant Grove	75 60	40	26	14	18	21	26	
14 Harmony Point	96 39	51	28	23	20	1	40	
15 Bethlehem	66 15	35	17	18	13	1	37	
16 Williamsburg	69 93	37	.....	.....	22	11	10	
17 Dardanelles	73 71	39	15	24	13	1	44	
18 Table Rock	68 04	36	23	13	12	1 1/2	26	
19 Dead	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20 Sam's Creek	96 39	51	29	22	30	1	32	
21 Missouri Plat.	124 74	66	32	34	23	1	30	
22 Wagon's Creek	117 18	62	42	20	25	2 1/2	28	
23 Grant's Pass	45 26	24	13	11	10	1	25	
24 Unintown	39 09	21	9	12	15	1	22	
25 Rock Point	115 29	61	29	35	26	3	22	
26 Evans Creek	7	33	19	14	.....	.....	.....	
27 Log Town	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
28 Total	.....	.....	1157	604	553	.....	883	

## AMENDMENTS TO SCHOOL LAW BY LAST LEGISLATURE.

Page 8th, under the head of "SCHOOL DISTRICTS."  
To Section 1st add—"Provided, That at least ten days' notice shall be given for all meetings in pursuance of this act."  
Page 20th, Sec. 8th, Article 2d—"To issue warrants to the Clerks, authorizing them to collect in the name of the District, and in the same manner as the State and county taxes are collected, all taxes assessed to the inhabitants thereof, and upon the taxable property of all non-residents."  
Page 10th, Sec. 11—"District meetings, legally called, shall have power to levy a tax upon all the real and personal property in their district, and make any necessary appropriations for the support and benefit of schools; also adjourn from time to time, and to supply all vacancies in their District offices, Provided, That a majority of the legal voters so decide.

There are two errors (by the Printer) in the pamphlet issue of the School Law: 1st, on page 4th, section 5th, article 4th, in the words, "Over the age of four, and under fifty years"—it should be twenty years. We received a huge report on this basis, but in time to write and have it corrected.  
2d, Page 13th, section 4th—"Sixty-five days, or twelve school weeks shall constitute a quarter of a school year." It was passed by the Legislature (as the printed copy shows) "sixty-five days, or thirteen school weeks," etc.  
This error has caused much unpleasant feeling between patrons and teachers; the former demanding 13 weeks; the latter insisting on 12 school weeks or sixty days for a quarter, and in many cases positively refusing to teach 13 school weeks, 12 school weeks being the general custom.

Respectfully submitted,  
M. A. WILLIAMS, Sup't Com. Schools.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

### [SPECIAL TO THE SENTINEL.]

Notes to the 21th of March.

Chicago, 23d.

Pike's Opera House was destroyed by fire last night; also the office of the Daily Enquirer. Loss—\$200,000.

The Ohio Senate passed the Eight hour Bill, with trifling amendments, and if they are agreed to by the House, the bill becomes a law. It makes eight hours a legal day's work.

The Rhode Island Union Convention, which nominated General Burnside for Governor, put forward no platform and the Democrats have decided not to nominate a ticket because of a split in the Union ranks. The other wing will probably nominate the present Governor (Smith) for reelection.

The friends of Colorado do not despair of obtaining the admission of that Territory into the Union by this Congress. An effort will be made to renew the direct attempt, and if that fails an attempt will be made to admit Colorado and Nebraska by one act.

The Post Master General has ordered an extension of the route from San Antonio, Texas, to Fort Clarke, through El Paso, making a distance of 1,100 miles—the service to be once a week each way.

WASHINGTON, 23d.

The President transmitted to the House to day, over one thousand pages of manuscript correspondence on the resources and condition of Mexico. It dates back from this month two or three years. Most of it has been published. The friends of the Mexican Republic are circulating a printed statement showing that French intervention has created a debt amounting to \$2,965,000 dollars, which Maximilian seeks to impose upon the country.

CHICAGO, 23d.

The following vote in the Senate, in striking out the exclusive privilege in the charter of the Cuban Telegraph Co., is referred to as indicating the position of the Senators on the general telegraph monopoly. Ayer, Messrs. Anthony, Brown, Buckalew, Fessenden, Foster, Gilmore, Henderson, Howe, Norton, Sherman, Sprague, Trumbull, Van Winkle—13; Messrs. Chandler, Conner, Cragie, Crewell, Doollittle, Guthrie, Harris, Kirkwood, Morgan, Hendricks, Ramsey, Stewart, Sumner, Wade, Willey, Wilson—17. Countess subsequently asked to change his vote.

The Secretary of War informs Congress that on January 8th there were 152,611 men in the service, namely—regulars, 26,387; white volunteers, 57,593; colored,

## The Doctor and the Bear.

Among the mixed inhabitants of the little mining town of Eureka, California, there was none who held a higher position, in his own estimation, than the subject of this little sketch, Doctor B.

The doctor was a tall, pompous specimen of the genus "blower," of Falstaffian proportions, and hailing from Pike county, Missouri. To use his own choice language, he was "not much at doctoring, but was some punkins on grizzly bars." He might not understand the use of the scalpel, but was an expert at mixing a colic, or playing poker. He was also a famous hunter, and many and bloody were the encounters he had passed through with the bears and other monarchs of the Sierras. Nothing delighted him so much as to gather a crowd of miners around him when he would expatiate at great length upon his exploits as a hunter, compared with which Grizzly Adams, Nimrod, or D. Livingstone were but tyros in experience.

On the breaking out of the late rebellion, the doctor immediately took sides with the rebels, and hesitated not to express his opinion at all times and places.

The miners bore with him awhile, until forbearance had ceased to be a virtue, and then decided to punish him in a manner he would not soon forget at the first opportunity.

The occasion was soon presented, for one cloudy afternoon, soon after, the doctor shouldered his rifle, remarking, as he did so, that he was "going in search of a grizzly." He had scarcely passed out of sight before a party proceeded to a neighboring butcher shop, and borrowing an old ox hide, of huge dimensions, commenced the manufacture of a mammoth grizzly bear.

Placing it over the backs of two of the most mischievous of the party, who stooped for that purpose and sewing and stuffing with hay the open spaces, they soon had the satisfaction of beholding a most ferocious looking "bar," as the result of their labors. It was truly a life-like deception, the two men making the motive power complete.

Just at sunset "yo grizzly" was driven about half a mile from town, and stationed in a deep ravine, by a clump of bushes near the trail by which the doctor would return. Then hiding themselves near by, the boys waited with breathless interest for the result. They had not long to wait, for their victim soon made his appearance, hurrying along with lengthened strides, and casting furtive glances to the right and left. As he arrived opposite the clump of bushes, the "bear" gave a horrible growl, and then, with an angry "whoof," plunged into the trail, directly in front of the affrighted doctor. For an instant he stood transfixed with horror, every hair bristling with fear, and then, dropping his rifle, he turned and fled as though pursued by all the fiends of Tartarus, yelling, as he went—  
"God of my fathers, protect me!"

Seeing a live oak near at hand, he made for it, and giving one frightened leap, landed safe among its branches, and a moment later brain was at its foot, snarling and growling in the most approved manner.

The doctor was safe, but what a situation! Night was fast settling around in silence and gloom, while a black cloud hurrying up from the south east, gave warning of an approaching storm. Evidently something must be done immediately, or a night's lodging in the tree would be inevitable.

The "bear" sat contentedly at the foot of the tree, occasionally giving a fearful growl, and trying his teeth upon the bark, to keep his victim in a comfortable state of trepidation. A few moments later a hoarse peal of thunder boomed over the mountains, followed by a fierce glare of lurid light, while wind and rain swept through those old forest trees as though each were striving for the mastery.

It soon died away, however, when the besieged doctor gave vent to a mournful, long-drawn "hullo," that fairly convulsed his concealed listeners with laughter. No reply. Again and again that despairing cry rang through the forest, answered only by the bloodthirsty growl of brain. At last, hoarse by his exertions, the doctor was inexpressibly relieved by hearing a faint "hullo" in return. Nearer and nearer it came, and finally he could distinguish the form of his neighbors, as the moon had just risen above the eastern summit. His courage returned at once, and he shouted—

Hurry up, and kill this "bar," for I've had an awful fight with four of 'em and they've chewed me all up."

"Halloo, doctor," said the foremost, "is that you?"

"Yes, what's left of me. Hurry up; I'm most gin out; back all scratched and chewed up."

"Now, look here, doctor," said the spokesman of the party, "you are known to be one of the worst secessionists in these parts, and unless you'll promise to reform, vote the Union ticket at the next election,

and support the Constitution, we'll leave you to roost in that tree to-night."

"I'll see you hanged first, and then I won't yelled the enraged doctor.

"Very well. Boys, come on!" and turning, they left the spot, followed by a fearful growl from the "bar," who commenced slowly to climb the tree. This was decisive.

"Stop! Stop! Come back, boys, and I'll promise!" he fairly groaned after them.

In a moment they returned, and poured in a volley from their revolvers that stretched his bearship upon the ground. Cautiously the doctor descended, exclaiming—

"Ain't he a monster! Tell you what, we had an awful fight—rolled and scratched up more'n an acre of bushes. But, let's take his hide, to remember him by."

One of the party now advanced, and, with a few vigorous strikes of his bowie, completely disembowelled the defunct grizzly, when out sprang the motive power, the "inner man," in the shape of two well-known acquaintances.

Such another shout as then went up, was never heard before among those mountains. The doctor looked astounded, then confounded; but soon rallying, he whined—

"For the love of Heaven, boys, don't tell of this, and I'll keep my promise, as I'm a sinner!"

He has done so most religiously.

## The Whole Art of Kissing.

People will kiss, yet not one in a hundred knows how to exact bliss from lovely lips, no more than they know how to make diamonds from charcoal. And yet it is easy, at least for us! This little item is not alone for young beginners, but for the many who go at it like hunting coons or shelling corn. First know whom you are to kiss. Don't make a mistake, although a mistake may be good. Don't jump up like a trout for a fly, and smack a woman on the neck, on the ear, on the corner of the forehead, on the end of her nose, or flap over on her waterfall or bonnet ribbon, in haste to get through.

The gentleman should be a little the tallest. He should have a clean face, a kind eye, a month fall of expression instead of tobacco. Don't kiss everybody, including nasty little dogs, male or female. Don't sit down to it, stand up. Need not be anxious to get in a crowd. Two persons are plenty to corner and catch a kiss. More persons spoil the sport. Stand firm. It won't hurt any after you are used to it. Take the left hand of the lady in your right hand. Let your hat go to any place out of the way! Throw the left hand gently over the shoulder of the lady, and let the hand fall down upon the right side towards the belt. Don't be in a hurry. Draw her gently, lovingly to your heart. Her head will fall lightly upon your shoulder, and a handsome shoulder strap it makes! Don't be in a hurry; send a little life down your left arm and let it know its business. Her left hand is in your right. Let there be expression to that—not like the grip of a vice, but a gentle clasp, full of electricity, thought and respect. Don't be in a hurry; her head lies carelessly on your shoulder! You are nearly heart to heart! Look down into her half closed eyes! Gently, yet manfully press her to your bosom. Stand firm! Providence will give you strength for the ordeal. Be brave but don't be in a hurry. Her lips almost open! Lean lightly forward with your head, not the body. Take good aim; the lips meet; the eyes close; the heart opens; the soul rides the storm, troubles and sorrows of life (don't be in a hurry); heaven opens before you; the world shoots from under your feet as a meteor flashes across the evening sky, (don't be afraid); the nerves dance before the just created altar of love as zephyrs dance with the dew trimmed flowers; the heart forgets its bitterness, and the art of kissing is learned! No noise, no fuss, no fluttering and squirming like hook-impaired worm. Kissing don't hurt; it does not require a brass band to make it legal. Don't job down on a beautiful mouth as if sparring for frogs! Don't grab and yank the lady as if she was a struggling colt! Don't muss her hair, scratch down her collar, bite her cheek, squelch her rich ribbons and leave her mused, rumped and humiliated! Don't favor your kisses with onions, gin cock tails, lager beer, brandy, etc., for a maddening kiss is worse than the itch to a delicate, loving, sensible woman.

There now is our receipt, free gratis, for nothing. Try it.

A country paper says that during a trial in court, a young lad who was called as a witness, was asked if he knew the obligation of an oath, and where he would go if he told a lie. He said he supposed he should go where all lawyers went.

The earth is a tender and kind mother to the husbandman; and yet at one season he always harrows her bosom, and at another plucks her ears.

Quartz gold has been found in several of the Pennsylvania oil wells.