The Courage of Woman-O, woman! was there ever such a paradox? Gentle, yet stern and resolute as mailed and belted warrio- in king of terrors. In chambers burdened under the overwhelmning load of debt, will promote its evolution.) with siekening odors, recking with that they call upon a Republican Con | A patient having small-pox or vario loathsome corruption, amid suffer gress to incur. The claim of this wo- loid may convey the disease by coning, and delirium, and malness, and man is to be the entering wedge for tact or by the breath. The air is inscenes at which the bravest of us might thousands of similar claims. If it is feeted for many feet about him. The falter; they have cooled the burning allowed by Congress, claims will at intection is possible at any time thirst of the sick; in the last hour of once be presented for the value of slaves throughout the disease, from the first fered the southing consolation of rel'- set free in the loyal States of Kentucky, moment of the fever until the last mogion to the dying, and performes the Maryland and Delaware, by the eman-ment of the dropping off of the scales. last and offices for the dead. And for cipation proclamation, and just as much By some it is supposed to merease in no reward -- save that which is beyond founded in justice. The bouse of the degree up to the time of the crisis, then the threshold of eternity! Was there women, Murphy, was used, as an act of to diminish until the scales drop off. shricking shell and gleaming steel, was of rebels and loyalists, alike, were tak- even thought that putrifaction prothere ever courage greater? It is more en from them to prevent the rebel motes it. than heroic it is supernal! It can ranks from being filled; and government The degree of severity of small pox only spring from the strongest and pur. m . ht, with as much propriety, be called does not depend upon its intensity in The thing being made fast to a spirit compact timber on the Oregon Coast est faith-it can only be founded in on to pay for the slave of a loyal owner the source of contagion; but rather up- ed horse-having an invitation-I took (and inl and), that would be equal and the deepest and most unswerving hope as to pay for a house destroyed in a on the state or condition of the person a seat along with the conductor (by in some cases superior to the maple -it can only be born of the inspiration battle. It is scarcely supposable that receiving it. For instance, sur pose A. the way a man of experience, being wood rails of the East. that took the sting from the crown of government will do any such thing, has confluent small-pox; B. has vario- from a cold country) who was just gothorns; and the bitterness from the by. but it this test claim is allowed, it will lobd; C. a good vaccination of sveral ing to show us Webboofers how tolks coast near the shipping points, that it sop that was given to Him who taught be a precedent for all others. This is years standing; D. has a recent racci- enjoyed themselves in Canada. Off out in the proper season is very hard us charity. Scoff as we may-doubt exactly what the Democracy wish, nation which is good, and E has no dashed the fiery steed, and all went glassy and springy, axe handles from as we may we must view with admira. They tried the people on the question vaccination. Now note the result of "just splendid" until we come to a it being preferred to the imported in tion, the power and truth of a religion of repudiation. The people were hon- contagion: C. will take only a vario short curve in the road, when instead many cases. Maple also aboundsthat bestows on the weakest and gen est and replied by their vote in Novem loid, no matter whether he be exposed of staying with the "jumper," we were vine maple, carled maple &c., while tlest of humanuty; a courage so unfall her that, large as the debt was, they to A. or B. D. will endure exposure left standing something less than twen plenty of ash can be had -far better tering, a faith so splendid and so everlasting. Let predindice be silent now; then, of Democracy is: that the debt E. will have small-pox-perhaps in a shoulders under snow, and righted up be much the best for the purpose. Cut and as those gentle sisters of mercy have done to us and ours, let us so do unto them.

The Epedemic abating.

We have not heard of a new case of small-pox in this county since last Sat | 6); will not be aided by their clamor, disease, besides the touch and the breath but by himself alone. The result was poses It is abundant in all the streams Alex Martin was the last, and we are | aying the just debts of the nation, is glad to say it is out of all danger. There is really but one case now under unseemly, and too palpably hypocrititreatment in Jackson county, that we cal. The Republican party will adare aware -that of the youngest son minister the government for the next animalculae, why may not minute in Snow six inches deep here and twelve streams, are covered with a very of Mr. David Stearns on Wagner creek .- It is a confluent case, and recovery is almost hopeless. On Saturday night to the people, if not to the Democratic a child died on Kanaka Flat, and on party. Monday its father, George Wall, followed-thus swelling the aggregate deaths to twenty. The situation is again hopeful, and it no new cases show themselves in town, business will probably be resumed next week. We hope the people throughout the whole State will take warning by our terrible scourging and attend to vaccination without delay. Had it not been done here, there would have been scarcely enough left to bury the dead.

The Unionist observes that by 1870 there will be at least \$322 863 in the treasury on which the people will be a paying ten per cent interest; and that fact. If our brothers of the quill are without any fault of theirs.

. We differ. It is entirly their fault, and if they read the lesson aright; they will, in tuture, send decent and sensible men, and not "ruffians" (so called) to represent them in the legislature.

The Democratic papers are making a great fuse over Blat's opinion of Grant. They seem to have forgotten the Democratic opicion of Blair, pretty generally expressed after the November "ground swell."

editor of the Commercial to keep his in the wick, but in the oil, Good oil chands off the Bible. We were not aware that a Democratic editor ever ogot near enough to the sacred Book to touch it.

To the Unionist. In an explanation he gives his name as Hopkins. He denies the charge and has the benefit of the doubt until Mrs G. is heard from.

Mr. Max Muller returned from San Francisco this week. We believe be . has effected an arrangement with the creditors of Muller and Brentano.

THE ELECTION.—The town election yesterday, resulted in the choice of U. S. Havden for Recorder, and O. Jacobs for Trustee.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—The Ashland Mills are manufacturing a splendid ar icle of buckwheat flour,

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and denouncing the debt contracted in the first place: need not be troubled, however, the varioloid will. claim of Sue Murphy or any other pertew years; and as there will be but few Democrats mixed up in its administration, it will probably be satisfactory

EDITORS ON THE WING .- There a pears to be a general activity among the Willamette editors. Dow. of the Commercial has been sloshing about in various localities in the valley. Ireland of the Enterprise has been "skiving"among the towns of the upp r Willamette, One of the boys of the State Journal has been "a spreadin" himself among the belies of a neighboring town and Carter of the Gozette has been on a visit to Albany. The latter is said to have actually had some mon! ey with him-his being a tee-totaller probably accounts for this important in search of sanny skies let them step this way. If they want to see the prettiest women in Oregon-we have them; and if they only want a good time we'll "disinfect" with them and if they happen to "catch it" they will be turnished a bunk in the pest house at the public expense-so come along,

COAL On Explosions .- A paragraph has gone the rounds of the press, abjuring people to keep their lamp wicks carefully trimmed, and thus prevent The Albany Democrat requests the coal oil explosions. The fault is not will never char a wick-bad oil, only, will. It the wick chars more than an eighth of an inch in depth the oil is bad and of course dangerous. This fact is a sure and reliable test, and intead of trimming the wicks, the oil should be emptied at once, and a betterarticle substituted. It people would observe this rule, coal oil explosions would be unheard of.

> CLOTHING RECOVERED.-We men. tioned a case last week where a foolish man had pawned all his clothing for drink. On Monday, the man's wife, accompanied by Deputy Sheriff Owen, visited some Chinese camps and recovered all the property. A coat worth \$30 had been sold for \$1 50 and a drink of whiskey, It every wite was as plucky, drunken husbands would find their supply of liquor soon cut off.

Contagion From Small Pox.

The generosity and magnanimity of The following on the contagion of our Democratic friends is becoming small pox, is deduced from the obserimmense. A short time since, they vation of one of our physicians, and were loudly demanding repudiation, may be regarded as authoritative. In

putting down the rebellion, as a stupen- Persons who have been exposed to exaggerated, and not a few no doubt dous fraud. The scene changes-a small-pox, cannot convey the disease untrue; and still the latest reliable acthe hour of peril-timid, yet brav claim has been presented in Congress by their persons or clothing, except by counts (SENTINEL, 16th Jan.) are terest in the face of danger. During our by a women named Murphy, who avers actual contact. The exact length of rible enough and well calculated to epidemic, when strong men shrank in that she was a loyal woman, and that time that clothing will hold the infec- cast a gloom over the whole country. dismay; when the dearest ties of kin- her house was destroyed by the shot tion is not well ascertained. If they The Indians on the Reservation are dred were severed by the fear of con- and shell of the enemy, while being are well aired it soon vanishes, but very much alarmed, and for one time tagion, the delicate and gentle mem- used as a fortification by the Federal when packed away in a close room, there is no trouble in keeping them at bers of the Catholic Sisterhood brave- troops, and the Democratic press of the trunk or closet, it has been known to home. ely stepped forward to assuage the whole country including that of Oregon be nursed for months. From the perhorrors of the pestilence. For weeks are crying, "pay it pay it?" Why this son it may be removed by one good here this winter, was on Jan. 16th the they have not ceased their ministra- sudden change in Democratic policy ? bath-but clothes cannot be safely dis- thermometer standing at five below 21tions. Day after day, against the warn- Why this extraordinary generosity? intected in one day, except by exposings of physicians, regardless of their The solution is plain. It is either be ure to a strong gas of chlorine, (this lasted a few days, it is now quite pleasown health-like pallid watchers in the cause they expect to derive great beni- gas may be procured by exposing a vestibule of Death-these self sacrific- fit from the truits of their magnanimity vessel containing salt and oil of vitri- evening-the ice is breaking up on the ing women have wrestled with the or expect to bury the Republican party of in a close room-a gentle heat will

visible clouds of them be collected in to fourteen at Ft. Klamath. the air, and waited by the breeze to distant parts, just as cholera has been known to do-overleaping long spaces that are never touched, and alighting intection. True-that would be one kind of contagion as d would well explain some isolated cases which it is claimed "were never exposed." . One thing is certain about epidemies-that is that cases of the same degree are more malignant than in sporadic cases. In epidemics, confluent small-pox is almost certainly tatal-while among sporadies, some confluent cases recov-

Pilot Rock furnishes the following: Under date of February 2d, a correspondent at Klamath Agency writes: "All well here and getting along finely. Last evening it rained a shower and blew from the sorth; and the snow is almost gone-is off the road between here and Kowasto (old agency). Every precantion will be observed in regard to small-pox. No Indians are permitted to visit the Fort or Agency. Capt. McGregor will render all aid necessary to enforce stringent regulations."

Oregon City Dick (Indian) who was confined last fall, on suspicion of being a renegade criminal from Willamette, was released from the guard house, at Ft. Klamath on Jan. 24th, no charges having been tound against him suffi cient to warrant his longer incarceration John Gotbred returning from Lost River on the 2d inst., says the horses

and cattle are looking fine. Six gentlemen, among whom country, and rather an unpropitious time to choose locations.

Ashland, February 9th 1869.

Mr. Muller, who has just returned from San Francisco, says it is difficult to hear of a single case of small-pox, but from that stand point it is nearly awful in Jacksonvillee and other remote places(?).

From Our Klamath Correspondent.

KLAMATH OGN., FEB. 1st, 1869. Many and various are the reports that are continually reaching us, in reregard to the spread of the small-pox in Jacksonville and Yreka, many are

The coldest weather experienced out ro at Fort Klam ith, cold weather only ant weather, rained a very little last Lake, and skating is played out for species of timber to be found on the the present at least.

There may be a third source of this the indomitable Tucker tried it again; ing furniture, and for ornamental pur posed, the seeds of this disease consist riding here-Capt, McGregor has or and frequently squaring thirty inches of vegetable sporules, or microscopic dered one, and hig sport is anticipated. Most excellent bottoms, on both doubly valuable, buying the

TAI NOX.

The following is from the Marysville Appeal. Wonder who the applicant the best had, to can be? It he will show himself we will give him a notice in our peculiar

One of our merchants received the tollowing letter, which bears date Jacksonnille (Oregon), January 18th : "Dear Sir : I write you to ascertain if one could get constant employment at teaming from Marysville to other points with a two or four horse team. 2d. Could one make any thing by being economical with such teams ? 3d. Are there any demand for school teachers in your county (that is out of your line of bussuness however), providing one could come with a good recommendation, Running a team and teaching is the avocation in which I wish to engage, providing one could accumulate theseby. I have a wife and child; am 23 years old, and can have a recommend tion from the best men of Jacksonville, it desired. It, however, you know o any other employment in which I could engage with such a recommendation, such as elerking, keeping books, sellin goods on commisson, etc., by which means I might procure or accomilate thereby, you confer a great favor by intorming me. Perhaps I am asking a railroad with w your country, hence am somewhat at a loss." We wontered recommend the writer come as a teacher—his writer grammar wont do; but we have no doubt teaming would "accumulate." Oragoy SENTINE

New DISINFECTANT .- Our friend Shephard of Ashland, is informed by two medical triends in Yreka, De's. Lamb & Skinner, of a new and powerful disi fectant. It is a mixture of gum assafæti ta and essence of mophi-Messrs. Johnston, Miller (Uncle Ike), men have tried it—one of them went duated at the Uncle Ike). Farlow and Holton, left here about the 4th in for Goode Lake and adjacent regions. It is certainly rath rearly to have a pleasure trip through that high stand must make small-pox cave h.

AN APPLICTED FAMILY. - In the Castro family at Hawkinsville, new Yreka there have been six deaths from small will get to return pox within two weeks. Ose more is likely to die and two will prophbly recover. There have been no cases for personal prot outside of that family. So Mr. Thomp dence of the best son, the telegraph agent at Yeke 10-

Wooden Rail Roads.

It seems that the people of Washoe The members of the Jackson intend building a railroad from Reno meeting to-day at the office of to Virginia City, using therefor wood. the purpose of salopting some approen rails, and that with a maximum deceard, late a member of the Day, grade of 132 feet. "The rails will be time of his death, District Attorn y for the in Oregon spruce—the cars will be Judicial District. Hon. P. P. Prin was the of Oregon spruce—the cars will be drawn over the road by horses or by Secretary. James D. Fay stated the objection. wheels covered with thick india rubher tires." About a year ago the Sei- prepare resolutions, and present them in open entific American had an article on the court in the afternoon The charman a subject of Wooden railroads, stating ed as said committee O. Jacobs, J. D. Fay, that maple had been used and found that maple had been used and found Upon the coming it of the court in the afterto last several years. In this case I noon, Mr. Jacobs presented the following Recothink the maple rail was laid upon a lattons on tehalt of the committee, and moved sub-rail to give more solidity between their adoption, accompanying the motion and ties much the same as a flat bar of a short address to the Court and Har, upon the iron formerly used,

The Virginia City people will find that sprace is not "the most compact atsorney of Oregon. he present at least.

Pacific Coast," as they seem to set member of the Bar, and issued Attenty

For the last two weeks everybody forth. It might answer for a "sub-rail" he Count has railed a victim to the term. and their friends have been turning whereon more "compact timber," as a their energies towards sliding. The rail could be laid. But even then it is mania for sleds have broken out among not considered as good as yellow fie," the Indians, and it is an everyday oc- being much more liable to decay. The guard in of its interest, the curence to see some white-eved spotted limbs of sprace are certainly durable, cayuse running and bucking with the compact and tough, if they are meant; skeleton of a sled hanging to him by but they are scarcely fitted for rails. rawhide string. The boys have con- Spruce poles are tough so far as bendstructed what they called a "jumper," jug may go for flag poles &c ; but and from personal experience I am of wood, to be tough and compact in the ever heroism more sublime? Amid war, to stop rebel bullets. The slaves Death does not arrest contagion. It is the opinion that the thing was well sense meant for a rail on a railroad, named. The trial trip was accomplishe must not be liable to broom, as both ed after the following style, and was sornee and fir will do, and probably what I call sleighing under difficulties; ash But there are pleuty of kinds of

w uld pay it honestly. The only hope to either patient with impunity, while ty feet to one side, our hears and than spruce. Myrtle, however, would will become so stupendous that repadi- malignant form, even though he be ex- just in time to see our horse and shed at the proper time, it has almost the ation must ensue, and the shame and posed only to B. There is only this disappear over a low ridge. The horse consistency of cox would, need by enfinancial ruin of the country be laid to difference, viz: that the confluent will was caught three miles from where we gravers, and nails cannot easily be drivthe Republican party. Democrats spread the infection farther than the stopped, and strange to say "jumper" on into it when properly seasoned was sound in all its parts. Next day Californians call it "laurel," in vencerurday. The youngest child of Mr. for while their bitter hostility against or exhalations from the body, and that a general bust up of sled, and the print of the Coast of Oregon, in Rogne Rivis epidemic influence. This is much of a man, full length in the snow isplainly or and Coquitie, attaining a beighth of so tresh, their sudden generosity is very disputed, but why not? If, as is sup-visible at this writing-so ends jumper thirty and forty feet to the first limbs, growth of myrtle, and are the

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ber for many purposes,

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Wooden railre

Oregon, hower plenty of timber, have thought of it. But why she awake to the imp transit roads as s compass?

not cost scarcely tess than in Was coming when su must force thems day talk of comm that nearly every railroad at his ou to a mud road. ber is bandy, and than an ordinary

Southern Dregon published at Jack Me came overh cioys all along the successful settleme Te is here on a to Virginia and she now has the

B. F. Dowell,

The citizens of

the meeting, and on motion of Mr. Jac

loss of this veteran and useful Bemint. Fay followed, referring briefly to the eventful the and public services of the deceased sic

Whereas, since the last session of this Ho Contagion now prevailing in this count

Lendred. That in the death of Col. T'Vanh tim- Bar loses its oldest and me of its a termed members, this community a faithf sent citrzen, and the law a veteran

Action 2. That we deeply sympathize with the fundy and relations of the decreed over their great loss; and as a token of respect for out departed friend, the mombers of f

hearing for thirty days.

Leading, 3d, That the minutes of these proe using, and a copy of these Resolutions b
pro ad upon the Record of this Court, and the e py of the same be transmitted by the Se ry to the family of the deceased.
JACOBS, JAMES D FAY, O. JACOBS. E.B.WAT-IN,

P. P. PRIM, Chair C. W. KAHLER, Sec'y.

DIED.

W. L.L. - On the 8th inst., Mr. George Wall

TEARNS-On Wagner creek, yesterday even ng leb. 12th, George Steams, sterm, aged about 13 years.

To Thomas McLain, a Donation Claimant.

You are bereby notined that James W. Simpon and William Bytes have this dis field the oth their affidavit alleging that you are abandoned your Donation chom on S. E. John W. J. and N. E. John S. W. J. of section 20 and S. W. J. of N. W. J. and N. W. J. of S. E. J. of section 20. in Town 36 South of Range East; and that you never at any time after these your published by N. 396 on said tracts. ng your notification No. 396 on said treet uplied with the requirements of the Donato damienment, at this office; and that un o appear and offer some evidence in Land Office, Roseburg Orsgon, Jan. 3th, 169.
July KELLY, Register.

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