Monarch of pearly powder-puff Asleep in nest so cosey, Shielded from breath of breezes rough By curtains warm and rosy : He slumber soundly in his cell, As weak as one decrepid, Though King of Coral, Lord of Bell,

And Knight of Bath that's tepid! Ah, lucky tyrant! Happy lot! Fair watchers without number, To sweetly sing beside his cot, And hush him off to slumber;

White hands in wait to smooth so neat His pillow when it's rumpled, On couch of rose-leaves fresh and sweet, Not one of which is crumpled! Will yonder dainty, dimpled hand-

Size, nothing and a quarter-E'er clasp a sabre, lead a band To glory and to slaughter? And, may I ask, will those blue eves-In baby patols "peepers"-E'er in the House of Commons rise,

And strive to eatch the speaker's? Will that fair brow c'er Hansard frown, Confused by love statistic? Or will those lips e'er stir the town, From puipit ritualistic?

Impossible, and yet, mayhap-Though strange, quite true it may be-Perhaps Nero once was fed on pap, And Benles was once a baby.

Though rosy, dimpled, plumb and round, Though fragile, soft and tender, Sometimes, alas! it may be found The thread of life is slender! A little shoe, a bitten glove-Affection never waning-

The shattered idol of our love Is all that is remaining? Then does one chance, in fancy, hear Small feet in childish patter,

Tread soft as they a grave draw near, And voices hush their chatter : 'Tis small and new they pass in fear, Beneath the gray church tower, To consecrate it by a tear And deck it with a flower.

Then take your babe, Kate, kiss him so, Fast to your besom press him ! Of mother's low what does he know? Though closely you caress him Ah! what a man will be that boy, What mind and education ! If he fulfils the hope and joy Of mother's aspiration.

FARRI ITEMS

-John Johnson writes that sheep fat more rapidly in October and No vember, if they have first rate pasture, than at any other season of the year. In fattening sheep during the winter, it is of special importance that they be in good condition before being put on their winter feed.

-To Pickle Cucumbers, make a pickle, one part vinegar, two parts . water, three parts salt, to which add four ounces of horse radish for every half barrel. Fill the cask, or whatever vessel is to hold the pickles, half full of this pickle; pick the cucumbers with the butt of the stem on, and wipe and put them into the vessel. When it is full, place a cloth over the cucumbers, and a board, nicely fitted, over the cloth; a stone should be placed on the board to paid. keep the cucumbers under the pickle. When needed for use, soak and put them in vinegar as usual.

. - As the recent animated discussions in regard to the deterioration of fruit trees have led to the pretty general conclusion that among other causes, poverty of soil is to be included, there is danger that the opposite will prevail with some cultivators. A fruit tree may be surfeited as well as starved, and no little care is necessary to guard against extremes in either direction. It generally results in excessive and unnats ural growth, which is always seenred at the expense of the quantity and quality of fruit. There is a happy medium which the prudent cultivator will adopt. Dry soil for fair quality, well worked, and moderately manured, will be found to answer best. For smaller fruits, as strawberries, raspberries, blackberries, &c., a rich soil is required.

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the result-while the starveling can never pay the expense of its rearing and feeding.

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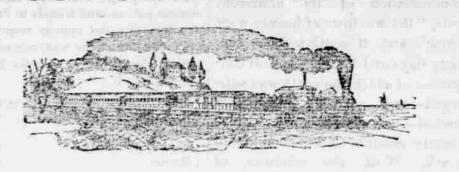


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The American Watch Company, of Watch am. Mass., respectfully submit that their Watches are chesper, more accurate, less complex, more durable, better adapted for general use, and more easily kept in order and epaired than any watches in the market. They are simpler in structure, and therefore stronger, and less likely to be injured than the majority of foreign watches, which are composed of from 125 to 500 pieces, while in an old English watch there are more than 700 parts. How they run under the hardest trial watches can have, is shown by the following lowing letter:

PENN, RAILROAD COMPANY. OFFICE OF THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT, ALTOONA, Pa., 15th Dec., 1866. Gentlemen: The watches manufacture by you have been in use on this radroad for everal years by our enginemen, to whom we furnish watches as part of our equipment. There are now some three hundred of them carried on our line, and we consider them good and reliable time keepers. Indeed, I have great satisfaction in saving your watches give us less trouble, and have worn and do wear much longer without repairs than any watches we have ever had in use on this road. As you are aware, we formerly trusted to those of English manufactore, a ncknowledged good reputation, but as a class they never kept time as correctly, no have they done as good service, as yours In these statements I am sustained by my predecessor, Mr. Lewis, whose experience

extended over a series of years, Respectfully, EDWARD H. WILLIAMS, General Superintendent.

American Watch Co., Waltham. We make now five different grades of

watches, named respectively as follows: Appleton, Tracey & Co., Waltham Watch Co. Waltham, Mass, P. S. Bartlett, Wm. Ellery, Waltham, Mass. Home Watch Co., All of these, with the exception of the Home Watch Company, are warranted by he American Watch Company to be of the best material, on the most approved principle, and to possess every requisite for a re-liable time-keeper. Every dealer selling these Watches is provided with the Conpany's printed card of guarantee, which should accompany each Watch sold, so that buyers may feel sure that they are purchasing the genuine article. There or numerons counterfeits and imitations of our Wathes sold throughout the country, and we would caution purchasers to be on their

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Any grades of Waltham Watches may be purchased of Watch Dealers throughout the ROBBINS & APPLETON, 182 Broadway, N. Y., General Agents, R. B. Gray & Co., 616 Merchant st., San Francisco, Agent for the Pacific Coast.

Notice of Final Settlement IN COUNTY COURT OF CLACKAMAS County, State of Oregon. In the matter of the estate of E. A. Barnes, deceased; Nov. term, 1867. On this day come E. B. Kelly, Administrator of said estate, by his attorneys, and filed his final account in said Court, praying a settlement of the same. It is therefore ordered that the 18t Monday of January, 1868, be set apart for the hearing of said application, at which time all persons interested are notified to appear at the Court

House in said county and show cause if any they have why said accounts should no by Nov: 18th, 1867.

W. T. MATLOCK, County dedge. NOTICE. THE Co-PARTNERSHIP HERETONOR known as the firm of Miller & Pease, . the lumbering business at Oregon City, is by mutual consent. Those having claim ainst said firm will present them to Sam' Milier for payment, and those

SAMUEL MILLER, GEO. A. PEASE. The business will be carried on in the fature by Samuel Smith, who will formed a kinds of lumber, both rough and dressed, and all kinds of fruit boxes on short notice and at reasonable prices.

SAMUEL SMITH.

Co-Partnership Notice. OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT have taken into my business Thos-Leavy, his interest to date from the 24th of October, 1567. The business will bereafter be carried on under the name of Mann & J. C. MANN. All persons knowing themselves indebted

o the undersigned previous to October 24th 857, are requested to call upon P. T. Bar-

clay, and pay the same, saving further rosts. Oregon City, Nov. 30th, 1867. N THE U. S. DISTRICT LAND OFFICE nt Oregon City, Oregon, John Welsh ra John Claveland and John Kerr. Notice to said John Claveland and John Kerr: John Weish claiming the right of pre-empties to lot 1 of sec. 4, T. 1 S. R. 1 W., and let : of sec. 65 T. 1, N. R. 1 W., and having offered proof to show that each of you have forfeited your right to said land by abandoning the same ; you are therefore hereby ustified that you or citizer of you will be allowed thirty days from service hereof in which to appear

and establish your right to said land, and if you fail to appear, said proof of abardon-ment will be taken as true, against you. OWEN WADE, Register.

HENRY WARREN, Receiver.

Notice to Creditors. ESTATE OF ROBERT LAVERY, DEundersigned, administrator of the above named estate, to all persons having clams against the estate of said deceased, to pre sent them with the proper vouchers within six mouths from the date of this notice, to the undersigned at the office of S. Huelat, in Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon. November 25d, A. D. 1867. ARTHUR WARNER, Administrator. Notice to Creditors,

ESTATE OF H. V. LAMBERT, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of said H. V. Lambert, deceased, to all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to present them with the prope vouchers within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned at his residence in Oregon City, Clackamas county, November 11th, 1807. FORBES BARCLAY. Administrator. Final Settlement. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT

Elizabeth Summers, Administratrix of the estate of Michael Summers, dec d, has filed her final accounts in said estate. It is therefore ordered that Monday, January sill, 1868, be set for hearing objections to said accounts and the final settlement of the same. By order of the court, 5:4t J. M. BACON, November 14, 1857. Administrator's Notice. LL persons having claims against the

A estate of John Killin, deceased, are rerested to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at his office it Oregon City, Chekamas county, State of Oregon, within six months from this date.
BENTON KILLIN. Administrator of the estate of John Killin, Oregon City, November 16th, 1817. 5:14 deceased.

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