Oregon City, Oregon,

SCHUYLER COLFAX. For Presidential Electors, B. MEACHAM, of Union county. W. BOWLBY, of Washington. O. JACOBS, of Jackson.

-Work on Masonic Temple San Francisco, has been resumed, and the building will be carried on to completion.

-Fessenden opposes the Hiwaiian treaty, because it is equivalent to free trade in sugars, rice, etc., to the detriment and damage of the South.

-The Presbyterian churches at Ligonier and Middleburg, Indiana, advertise for a "live man" to come and labor among them.

-An ungallant New York paper, noticing the departure of Madame Parepa Rosa for California, adds-"The steamer took out six tons of other freight."

-A fatal distemper or dog murrain is prevailing among the cattle throughout Georgia. Numbers of fine milch cows have died of the dis-

United States.

-A private letter from a well in formed gentlemen in California, indi cates the certain success of Grant and Colfax in that State-but, give the Democrats all they claim, then they are defeated in the United States.

-Tom Maguire has got into another fuss about the Metropolitan. If he were to come to Oregon and display but a part of his theatrical enterprise he could make more money, as by living at peace with the world he would save it. We want him

-On the 20th, in the House a resolution of sympathy with the Cretans, and an expression of hope that they would secure their independence, was adopted. This good. Let Uncle Sam take no steps backward. We are in sympathy with everything which turns to the right, and let us keep straight for-

-Mayor Wallach of Washington, officially denies the story of there being two gambling houses in that city at which richly dressed ladies, connected with families whose standing is high in the community, earnestly engage in playing "faro." He says that he has made most dilligent and particular inquiry, and can find no shadow of foundation for this aspersion of the ladies of that city.

-The thief who stole some silver plate from a Mr. McKean, of Terre Haute, Ind., writes him a letter from Atlanta, Iil., which he closes as fol. to repudiate. lows: "Finally, allow me to respect fully suggest to you in future that you will content yourself with cheap spoons, and spend your surplus cash in the cause of humanity and of

-Nearly all the Democratic pa them favored Chase. Haight did not get a single vote in the convention, while Chase received one from the California delegation. These Democratic organs have a weighty Francisco has declared by a large nia preferred Chase to Haight.

-The whole tenor of the Democratic appeals to the people to support their nominees may be summed up in the expression: " Have faith in stove fell over. One of the brothers stooped to pick it up, but the heat ast what the people think of the hot Domeeratie stofe set before them

GRANT AND BUCKNER .- General Buckner is opposed to General Grant. He was a member of the Soldiers' New York Convention which declared for anybody against Grant, and he now goes for Seymour, who refused to send troops to fight the rebels ! But this is not the first time these Generals were opposed. They met once before at Fort Donelson, we believe, and Grant sent Buckner a note,

of which this is a copy : "To General S. B. Buckner, Confederate Army :

Yours of this date, proposing an armistice and appointment of commissioners to settle terms of capitulation, is just received. No other terms than an unconditional and immediate surrender can be accepted. I propose to move immediately upon your works, I am, Sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant.

U. S. GRANT, Brigadier General U. S. A., Commanding."

And Buckner surrendered. We suppose that it is natural for Bucknet to be in opposition now as then; but what of it; he will surrender again as he did before 1

" MATCH HIM."-The Sandusky Register explains the scenic demonstration made in the Chicago Convention upon the nomination of General Grant. It says that the picture which appeared on the rising of the curtain represented two pedestals, one on the right of the Capitol steps and the other on the left. On the former sat U. S. Grant, "as large as life," and on the pedestal beneath -Georgia has fallen into line. Her him was inscribed "Republican nomlegislature ratified the 14th amend. ince, 1868." The other pedestal had ment on the 22d, and it is now part no figure upon it, but was inscribed and parcel of the Constitution of the "Democratic nominee, 1868," indicating that that gentleman had, as -The Revolution states that Lisle yet, no existence. Between the two Lester was the original "Mrs. sat a female figure, representing Bloomer." Lisle now drops the America, whose right hand pointed nom de plume and proclaims herself proudly to Grant, while her left was Mrs. L. P. Higbee, and disclaims held out invitingly towards the Democratic pedestal, and her language was supposed to be " Match him !" These two words were inscribed on the canvas above America's head, and embodied an invitation extended to the Democratic party.

> REORGANIZATION .- The Republi can County Committee of San Francisco met on the 6th and adopted the

> WHEREAS, The time has arrived for a thorough and complete organization of the Union Republican party in the city and county of San Frans cisco, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Union Repub lican County Committee, having in view the importance and great trust involved in the approaching campaign, do recommend to Union residents of each ward or precinct, the formation of "Grant Clubs" forthwith. Resolved, That for the sake of

uniformity of action, we do recommend and urge those wards or precincts at present but partially organized, to resolve themselves into " Grant Clubs.' Resolved, That in the by-laws

adopted by these Grant Clubs there should be a clause whereby each member joining pledges himself to support the nominees of the late Chicago Convention and the Union Republican ticket."

-Are the Democrats who are howling so hoarsely against the "bloated bond-holders" aware that over one billion of dollars worth are owned by the industrial classes? Yet such is the fact. Nearly onehalf of the national debt being owned by those who earn their dollars by the sweat of their brow. And this debt Democrats threatened have

-The Democrats pronounced Mc. Ciellan the greatest General of the Union armies, and Lee the greatest military chieftain of the world. Lee defeated McClellan; Grant drove Lee with pride, but it will be an enduring from every intrenchment, and whipped him on every field, at last forcpers in California had at their heads ing him to surrender. Will some Haight for President, and not one of Democrat please inform us by what course of reasoning they now arrive rant too be trust with the Frankat the conclusion that Grant is no shis."

influence with their party. Even majority to so amend its Constitu-Bigler, who was the first to hoist tion as to admit to membership per-Haight's name, threw him off and did sons who were residents of California not once mention his name at New on or before September 9, 1850, and York! The fact proves that Califor- all their male decendants! This will greatly enlarge the Society, and will sociation has a similar proposition not be denied the ballot."

us." And this may be illustrated sent to Congress by General Grant, by a little story: A negro Divine on the subject of the disfranchised once, in very cold weather, was ex. whites in the South, show that not horting quite a crowd of the auxious over ten per cent. of the entire adult in a meeting house, in the centre of population are prohibited from votwhich was a red-hot stove. He got ing. The talk about the disfranchised the faichful excited, and in their Southern whites is all bosh. They shouts and shaking of the floor, the have more privileges than they de-

-We give this week the law of drove him off. The preacher said: Congress, making appropriations for " Pick it up, brudder, it won't burn the expenses of the impeachment triyou; de Lord wou't let it burn you, al of Andrew Johnson. The total Hab faif in de Lord." The confiding foots up to \$82,000. Where is that brother stooped, caught hold of it, Democrat who swore that he knew let go, leaped in the air, and exclaim. this expense reached the enormous ed: "De bell be won't." And that is sum of ten hundred thousand dollars.

-" Whistling taught in six easy Impra " is advertised in Connections. OREGON.

-The machinery for the Dalles Woollen mills arrived on Monday ex bark Almatia. -W. K. Leveridge is President.

and H. Bloomfield Secretary, of the Oregon Iron Works at Portland. -Mr. Walker is preparing to rebuild his sash, blind, and door factory

-Mr. James Lenaghan has repened the California House, at Port

in Portland.

-Messrs. M'Craken, Merrill & Co., will dispatch the bark Whistler for Sydney, Australia, from Port-

-We regret to learn that the new flouring mill of Messrs Beach George, at Buena Vista, was de stroyed by fire on Sunday last-loss \$15,000 and no insurance. -- Mr. Eugene Semple, a former

member of the Portland Bar, has ta

ken charge of the local and news department of the Oregon Herald, Mr. Semple is fully qualified to fill that - Rev. G. II. Atkinson took his departure on the steamer of Wednes

day for the Atlantic States. We trust that the trip may prove a benefit to his worked and worn dowh -Dr. Benson, late Editor of the P. C. Advocate, will reside at Santa

Clara, California. His family left by

the steamer of Wednesday, but the

Dr. will remain in Oregon until Au--The new Custom house about to be erected at Astoria, will be 48x84 feet, and three stories in height, in cluding the basement. The foundation will be built of stone, while the main walls will be built of brick faced with stone. The building is intended to occupy the centre of a

amount of lumber." Where do they which it is inferred that St. Croix is intend to pile this large amount of the spex of an immense submarine lumber, which we are told is "too mountain. Laying a submarine caextraordinary and improbable to ad- ble in that vicinity will be a difficult mit of belief."

-The officers of Union Lodge No. 43. A. F. and A. M., were publicly installed at McMinnville on the 16th R. W. Deputy Grand Master W. D. Hare, of Hillsboro, conducted the ceremonies, and his addresses are said to have been excellent,

-The Unionist gives a description the new banking house, to be constructed at Salem, A. D. 1868, for Messrs Ladd & Bush. We quote as follows: "The building is 243 feet front on Commercial street, by 75 feet depth on State street. The principal entrance is to be on the corner. diagonally, fronting toward Moore's block. The front will be of iron, made by the Willamette Iron works, of Portland, from plans prepared by Mr. Hallock. This is an error, the plans were drawn by Mr. John Nestor, the architect for the new Portland Bank-ED. ENTERPRISE. | The front room which will contain the counter and public business departments, is 30 by 24% feet. The next room towards the rear is to be a private desk and consultation room, i. e., gestions for farmers were from the pen of 4 vols. the place where you must go if your | Solon Robinson. He lives a little way business is confidential, or your credit doubtful. This is 18 by 244 feet. Next comes the shop in the rear, 27 243. which will probably be rented for a milliner's establishment, and we He is one of our best informed American have no doubt will be largely patronized. The building will, without doubt, be the finest one ever erected in our town, and will be not only an ber of them into his new books that we ornament, to which we may point ever saw in books of the same size. He evidence of substantial prosperity.

-The Detroit Post received a communication reading thus: "The nigger arnt fitt to vote. He is to ig

-The Pioneer Association of San that New York City was never moving ferward in growth under so great a confidence of the builders and buy.

admit the negro to this struggle for a copy, as it is a complete encyclopedia \$2.50 per vol., or in half calf, \$4.00 per vol. any purpose, he has a right to stay in for all, and when the fight is over perpetuate it. The Sacramento As- the hand that drops the musket can-

-The Chickerings are soon to formed by Mr. A. R. Manley, formerly of -The facts and figures recently erect a music hall, near Union square, New York, which will surpass the famous Boston edifice, and give New York, what she has not, a really good hall for the concert and opera.

> -It is said to be a fact that the Postmaster General has received letters asking why Petroleum V. Nasby is allowed to remain in his Depart- The prospect for an average of last year's ment while attempting to bring prices is good. odium on the Administration.

-The word gas originated as follows: About 200 years ago a German chemist, observed in some med. icinal springs in Germany, a peculiar eriform substance-carbonic acid gas oats, recollect that clean oats are worth -which from its peculiar etherial \$2.30. Does it pay to put up grain shabqualities he termed ghiest (ghost), from whence we obtain our present English word con

RAILROAD ITEMS.

-The West side Company are ad vertising " a great variety of lands for sale, along the line of their survey, in Multhnomab, Washington. and Yambill Counties.

-The Oakland News propose grand celebration at that place on Fourth of July 1869 in honor, not tion of the Pacific Railroad! The idea of such celebration is worthy of consideration; whether the place be Oakland or not.

-The San Francisco and Oakland press are discussing the probable location of the terminus of the Western Pacific Railroad. Each talks as if confident of the spot-the Oaklanders being satisfied that it will remain with them, and the San Franciscans have no doubt that it will go to their city. But now a bill has passed the Senate granting to that road the use of Goat Island as a terminus, and i it become a law neither of the cit es may secure the prize for which they have been so earnestly contending.

-Commissioner Frank Denver has returned from an official trip toward the new town of Wadsworth. He found the cars running to within three miles of Wadsworth, and did not prosecute his journey through to the town. He says the Central people have 9,000 men at work, and intend to lay 20 miles of track weekly from the Big Bend eastward. Wadsworth is something less than 500 miles from Salt Lake, and at this rate-or say 70 miles monthly-the Central will make it a warm summer for the Union Company, which, we believe, is about the same distance off from Salt Luke, and with a rougher country to work in-mountain ranges to contend

-Deep sea soundings off the Is land of St. Croix, West Indies, reveal -According to the Bulletin Estes the fact that bottom is found at a capable of turning out an incredible mile and a half from the shore, from

> -From all parts of the West come the most cheering reports of the grain prospects for 1868." Stimulated by the high prices of wheat, farmers ground-probably one-third-more than last year. Hence we may conclude from all the indications thus far developed that the wheat harvest than in any year since 1860, should the present favorable auspices continue to the clase of the season.

-The Ponola, Mississippi Star, says that cotton and corn are both | trymen. doing well, and a full yield may be relied on. Wheat has all been harvested, and the yield turns out a full average crop. More sweet and Irish potatoes have been planted than ever before, and there will be large shipments of these articles this fall.

FACTS FOR FARMERS .- What farmer has not heard of Solon Robinson? For many years the readers of the weekly Tribune | cellany ; Spanish Papers ; Goldsmith ; have found excellent suggestions about Miscellanies; Alhambra; Washington, 5 farming in that paper. These good sug- vols; Columbus, 3 vols; Life and Letters, out from the city of New York, on a large farm. He is a practical farmer. He knows what he talks about. He can show you a good farm, good stock, good tools, and everything snug about his premises. farmers. Solon Robinson has written a book. He calls it "Facts for Farmers." in two volumes. He has crowded the most valuable facts and the greatest numtells his facts and then illustrates them by nice pictures. It is a real treat for people who are not farmers, to look over it. How much a farmer must enjoy it as he reads its clear type on clean white paper, with beautiful illustrations. It is a credit to any man to own such a book. It is the result of a life of 60 years given to farming. We are indebted to that enterprising -All writers and visitors agree book establishment, H. H. Bancroft & Co. San Francisco, for a copy of these works. They are the agents for the Pacific coast. we presume, and would no doubt like to have some active man take it, and pass through the country with it, calling upon -General Sherman said: "If you the farmers, who could not neglect to buy of that business, and no intelligent man would fail to see the need of such a book

Address Bancroft & Co. -The harvest of California is at least four weeks later than usual, we are inthis city, now resident of San Jose. The crop, however, will be immense, although slightly injured in some localities by wet weather and rust. The lowest estimates place the crop at 25 to 30 per cent. above that of last year. In Oregon some grain and much grass has already been cut. Clover turned out light, but the timothy is superb. Wheat has not been injured in any case that we are able to hear of

-Farmers should remember that the clean article always brings the best price. There is generally from three to five cents difference in the price of grain per bushel When you see an item in the quotations such, tor instance, as \$2.20 to \$2.30 for bily for market? Mr. Chatfield, of the Oregon Seed Store, Portland, is prepared to buy flax seed and pay the bighest cash

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WHEREAS, it bath pleased our wise Heavenly Father to remove from our circle our well beloved sister. Ardula J Resolved. That while we bow in submis

sion to the will of "Him who doeth all things well," yet do our hearts mourn for one who was endeared to us by all the ties of affection and love. In her death, we deplore the loss which

our society sustains, of one who was ever happy to labor with us in the temperance We do heartily sympathize with the bereaved parents, and all who are stricken DAYTON, LAFAYETTE, McMINVILLE in heart, mourning the separation from

their daughter, sister and friend. It is directed that the charter of our Lodge, with the regalia, shall be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days. And a copy of these resolutions, with an ssurance of our fellowship in their sorrow, shall be given to the parents of our departed sister, and also placed on file in the records of this Lodge.

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