

CONTENTMENT.

There was a man in Tyre, a merchant, the favorite child of fortune,
 An opulent man with many ships, to trade in many climes;
 And he rose up early to his merchandise, after feverish dreaming,
 And lay down late to his hot unrest, overwhelmed with calculated cares.
 So, day by day, and month by month, and year by year, he gained—
 And grew gay, and waxed great; for money brought him all things—
 All things!—verily not all; the kernel in the nut is lacking,—
 His mind was a stranger to content, and as for peace, he knew her not:
 Luxuries palled upon his palate, and his eyes were satiate with purple;
 He could coin much gold, but buy no happiness with it.
 And on a day, a day of dread, in the heat of inordinate ambition,
 When he threw with a gambler's hand, to lose or to double his possessions,
 The chance hit him,—he had speculated ill,—and men began to whisper:
 Those he trusted, failed—and their usuries had bribed him deeply.
 One ship foundered out at sea,—and another met the pirate,—
 And so, with broken fortunes, men discreetly shunned him.
 He was a stricken stag, and went to hide away in solitude,
 And there, in humility, he thought,—he resolved, and promptly acted:
 From the wreck of all his splendors, from the dregs of the goblet of affluence,
 He saved, with management, a morsel and a drop, for his daily cup and platter:
 And lo, that little was enough, and in enough was competence.
 His cares were gone,—he slept by night, and lived at peace by day:
 Cured of his guilty selfishness,—money's love, envy, competition,—
 He lived to be thankful in a cottage that he had lost a palace:
 For he found in his abasement, what he had vainly sought in high estate,
 Both mind and body well at ease, though robed in the russet of the lowly. (Tupper.)

P. G. STEWART,
 CLOCK AND WATCH MAKER.

ALL orders executed with neatness and despatch—on reasonable terms. Oregon City.

T. VAULT and THURSTON,
 ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
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Will practice in the Supreme and Circuit Courts of Oregon Territory. Office in Oregon City. 1s.

KILBORN, LAVVTON, and CO.,
 GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
 And Dealers in Oregon Produce.

A GENERAL assortment of merchandize constantly on hand.

NOYES SMITH has retired, as a partner, from the concern, and the business will be continued as heretofore.

NEW STORE.

FOR sale at the New Store on Main St., the cargo of Brig Eveline—consisting of a large and extensive assortment of
 Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Groceries,
 Agricultural Implements, Boots and Shoes,
 Stoves, Fire-arms, Paints, Iron, and
 Ready-made clothing.
 The above articles are of superior quality, and will be sold low by
H. CLARK.
 Oregon City, April 19, '48. 3ts.

NEW GOODS.

JUST received per Bark Janet, and for sale at reduced prices, at the Store of **F. W. PETTYGROVE and Co.,** at Portland and Oregon City:
 2 thousand gall's molasses 32 kegs vvhite, green and
 15 hundred barrels salt black lead
 Sixty do syrup 12 bags shot
 100 lbs. black pepper 16 boxes vwindovv glass
 5 thous. lbs. manilla coffee 114 doz. flint tumblers
 1 thous. " arrowroot 45 " plates
 5 hundred " salaratus 15 " striped shirts
 1 thous. " tobacco 40 " regatta "
 1 thous. " rice 2 thous. assorted needles
 Forty boxes tea 6 cases flannel
 Twenty " soap 300 pieces assorted prints
 2 thous. bags br'n sugar 5 bales brown drills
 Sixty gall'ns linseed oil 6 " blue cotton
 1 hundred kegs cut nails 3 " shirtings
 20 doz. pocket knives 2 " duck
 50 setts knives and forks 6 " canvass
 20 pairs carving ditto 36 dozen crimson pongee
 19 doz. butcher knives bandkerchiefs
 6 " chopping axes 200 lbs. sewing tvvine
 10 boxes pipes (clay) 316 " linen thread
 6 doz. prs. scissors 225 " cotton "
 46 " lamps 25 doz. manilla bats.
 6 coils manilla rope etc. etc. etc.
 20 gross matches
 April 14, '48. 2ts.

NEW GOODS.

JUST arrived per Sch'r Mary, and for sale at **Couch and Crosby's,** Oregon City and Portland, viz:
 Silk and Madrass hdkfs. Butts and screwvs, vvhicking.
 Calico, cbintz. Matches, pipes.
 Mer. blue prints. Palm-leaf bats, summer clo-
 Linens, shirting stripes. thing, lamps, blacking.
 Tickings, bro. cottons. Fancy soaps.
 Red and orange do. Blank books, paper, ink.
 Bro. vvhite and blue drills. Mustard, cassia, alspice.
 Gent's and ladies' hose. Cloves, nutmegs.
 Bl'k silk neck kerchiefs. Molasses, syrup, tea.
 Demins, cotton flanel. Coffee, sugar, salt.
 Shirts, gloves, suspenders. Vinegar, oils, turpentine.
 Buttons, thread, tape. Lead, pitch, nails.
 Pencils, scissors, pins. Crockery and tin ware.
 Lace, combs, sealing-vvax, Glass and glass vware.
 Locks, files, buckles.
 For sale for cash or produce.
 April 14, '48. 2ts.

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 THE LARGEST AND MOST COMMODIOUS PUBLIC HOUSE IN OREGON,

IS still kept by the undersigned, where the public are entertained free of charge, as the proprietor always takes pay in hand. **THANKY** for past favors—suit yourself as to the future—but if you choose to call you may rest assured I vwill do all I can to render your stay agreeable. **MOSS.**

N. B. I vwill rent the above described property for three years if I can find a suitable tenant. **MOSS.**
 Oregon City, April 7. 1y1