

burg of the 10 of March, states that great agitation prevailed in that capital, and that a pistol had been fired at the emperor, the ball from which passed through his hat.

On the 18th of March, the inhabitants of Cracovv proclaimed a Republic. 15,000 insurgents were under arms. On the previous day the Governor was compelled by the people to release 400 political prisoners, implicated in the recent insurrection.

The people attempted a revolution in Madrid on the 26th of March, but were put down by the troops of the Queen after considerable bloodshed.

Madame de Lamartine and Madame Rolin, are both Irish ladies. These ladies are both engaged in patronizing balls and concerts for the benefit of those who have suffered by the revolution.

The aborigines of Yucatan, the Indians' as they are called, are in full tide of successful revolt against the whites. Neither sex nor age is respected. The whites have applied to the Spanish government in Cuba for protection. Gen. O'Donnell, the Governor of Cuba, had despatched a Spanish vessel of war, offering all necessary assistance with the exception of men, besides vessels for the transport of the aid required. The government of Yucatan, having accepted this offer, has made a requisition for six pieces of mountain artillery, 2000 muskets, 200 quintals of gunpowder, 4000 sabres, and 200,000 dollars.

CHEAP POSTAGE.—A Cheap Postage Association has been formed in Boston, of which Edward Brooks, Esq. is President. The object of the Association "is to effect a postal reform by which pre-paid letters under half an ounce, shall be carried by the mail for two cents, and newspapers for one cent, to all distances in the United States; with higher rates for letters not pre-paid, and other corresponding reforms in the postage system." A Board of directors have been appointed to collect and diffuse information; to employ agents when expedient; to publish documents and circulate petitions; carry on the necessary correspondence, and do all that is to effect the object.

The Boston Journal, speaking of this movement, remarks:

When the people of this country can circulate through the United States Post Office one half the number of letters that go through Queen Victoria's Post Office, our revenue, at two cents, will be considered more than it is now at five and ten cents! Queen Victoria makes money out of her Post Office, although but two cents are charged on letters for all distances, including their delivery. Even at this price she pays all her expenses including pensions, etc., and has enough over to pay the expenses of our Post Office Department, with some three hundred thousand dollars still left. Ireland in 1845, circulated more letters through her Post Office than the whole United States; and Scotland, with one third the population of Ireland, circulated still more letters than Ireland. In short, Scotland with a population about the same as the State of New York in 1845, circulated through her Post Office about three millions more letters than the whole United States.

In view of such facts, can any one doubt the feasibility of the plan of a two cent postage! If so his estimate of American character for the development of business and social qualities, as compared with the English, Scotch and Irish, is almost anything but flattering.

MARRIED—On the 16th inst., by Elder Glen O. Burnett, Mr. WILLIAM MYERS to Miss REBECCA JANE CROWLY, daughter of Mrs. Felkerson of Polk county.

On the 24th, by the same, Mr. WILLIAM C. SPENCER to Miss JULIET SCOTT, daughter of Capt. Felix Scott of Yamhill county.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO;

ABOUT the 7th of October, the A 1 coppered and copper fastened Sch'r STARLING, Capt. Mendzey. For passage only apply on board, at Portland, or to A. PRIEST, Oregon City. Sept. 30, '48. (21)

JOHN G. CAMPBELL, Esq., of Oregon City, is appointed my attorney to transact all business wherein I am concerned in Oregon Territory. Sept. 16 '48 W. G. T'VAULT.

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THE services of an individual versed in ship-building, to superintend the construction of a schooner of from 80 to 100 tons, at the mouth of the Columbia river, during the coming winter, for an association of individuals at Clatsop Plains, and, who will become a partner in said association. Please address THOMAS OWENS, at Clatsop. 25 31 i

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NEW GOODS at KILBORN, LAWTON and Co.'s Just received per Henry the following goods:
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All of which will be sold low for cash or produce. Oregon City, Sept. 1, '48. 22s.

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