hereby instructed to maintain such corres. commenced, furnish to the Court and the pondence with the committee of other coun- opposing counsel each, an abstract of the ties, as best calculated to bring the produ- case, and a brief of the points and authoricers of all classes into one united whole, up. ties relied upon, written in a legible hand; on intelligent principles of co-operation, for and the opposing counsel shall furnish like standing hand in hand with the producers of briefs of the points and authorities relied upother counties, for exchanging products as on in the negative. dictated by mutual necessities, rather than suffering the way between us to be longer hedged up by speculators who would enslave the whole.

Resolved, That Messrs. David Lenox and David Hill be added to our present acting committee, and that they be instructed to BARLOW, all of the above mentioned place. secure a market for our next crop on advantageous principles.

Resolved, That from the time of our next adjournment, we continue to meet monthly, on the third Saturday of every month, at 11 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of discussion and action on all sucjects connected with our prosperity and general welfare.

Resolved, That the secretary transcribe the proceedings of this meeting and offer the same for publication in the Oregon Spectator.

The committee respectfully invite attention to the leading principles of this article, as so much of correspondence addressed to committees, and every individual even of the other counties, who feels the importance of permanently opening a business channel to be owned and controlled by that part of the laboring classes who claim the right to possess the profits of their industry. In behalf of the committee,

J. S. GRIFFIN, Secretary.

For the Oregon Spectator.

Mr. Epiror-The humble attempt of 'Observer' to furnish information on a subject of great public interest, has been assailed in a late number of the Spectator, by a writer under the signature M., with a degree of asperity of which it is impossible to conceive the object or design. 'Observ. er's statements being founded on plain business results, are so simple in themselves, that any person of common sense may understand their import, and any person so disposed may easily test their correctness; the prices of wheat and the rates of transport being well known to the farming and mer-cantile community of this country. A plain statement is however, a matter that 'M.' will not believe; its very simplicity is perplexing, and the strongest assurance of truth only serves the more readily to overcome his wavering faith; for, he was taught in youth that all men are deceivers, and the experience of his riper years has, alas! confirmed the force of that precocious lesson of wis-

No man, Mr. Editor, can produce a stronger claim to sympathy, than the victim of suspicion. The suspicious temper finds aliscent in 'triffes light as air;' and is the source of endless vexation to the unhappy being on whom nature or education has bestowed that unenviable possession. He who has never found truth in man, must have been unfortunate indeed in his experience, and in his association with his fellow beings.

For my own part, Mr. Editor, I love to look at the bright side of human nature, to survey that true nobility of soul, which, reposing in the calm of conscious integrity, sees its own image reflected in the minds of other men, and judging of their actions by its own upright motives, can venture to believe that virtue has not altogether fled the carth.

It is with much reluctance, Mr. Editor, that I now occupy your time with idle controversies; it appears however, but an act of justice to renew the assurance, that the information in my former communication is authentic, as may be proved on the clearest evidence, from the documents I examined. When 'M.' has read and understands what I then wrote on the subject, he will find that he has been fighting with shadows of his own raising, and not with the statements of 'Observer,' a fact which must plead my excuse for not troubling you with further remarks.
OBSERVER.

In Vacation-April 26th, 1847. The Members of the Bar in Oregon Territory are informed, that on the first day of the next term of the Supreme Court of said

That in all cases where oral arguments are heard in this court, the counsel holding the

Resolved, That our committee be and are affirmative, shall, before the arguments are

J. QUINN THORNTON, Judge of the Supreme Court of Oregon Territory.

MARRIED—Is Oregon City, on Sunday, the 18th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Johnson, Mr. ABSA-LOM F. HEDGES to Miss ELIZABETH JANE

Also-At her father's residence, on Thursday, the 22d of April, by the Rev. Mr. Snelling, Missi PRISCILLA A. ROGERS to N. K. SITTON.

all of Yambill county.

Also—On Wednesday, the 21st of April, at the residence of Almarine Hills, by the Rev. Mr. Sneiling. Mr. JOSEPH B. ROGERS, of Yambill county, to LETITIA FLETT, of Tualitin county.

May the happy couple live a long and happy lifemay peace, prosperity and happiness surround them during their journey through life.

To the Electors of Oregon.

IN consenting to be a candidate for the office of Governor of Oregon Territory in the ensuing canvam, I place sayself whelly in the hands of my friends, satisfied that they will do me justice. With the utmost confidence I leave the issue to my fellow citizens. A. L LOVEJOY.

April 29th, 1847.

Dissolution.

FITHE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name and style of POMEROY & HEDGES, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. And all those indebted to said company, are hereby notified to make immediate payment to Walter Pomeroy, who is hereby authorized to receive all dues in favor of the same and those having demands against said firm, will present them to said Pomeroy for payment, who has undertaken to pay all the debts of the said company.

WALTER POMEROY.

A. F. HEDGES.

Oregon City, April 27th, 1847.

Prints, Prints.

T No. 2, Commercial Row, a large assortment A of Prints, some very rich. Also, Drawing Paper and Pencils, Paints, &c. &c.

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER has this day disposed of his interest in the Astonia Mills, so called, to Henry H. Hunt. A. E. WILSON.

Portland, March 31st, 1847

Motice.

HEREBY forbid all persons from trespossing in any manner whatever, upon any part or parcel of my Land Claim made in 1842, and surveyed by Jesse Applegate, Esq., as per file December 16th. 1843 in the Recorder's Office in Oregon City. All persons are also cautioned against purchasing any por-tion of the above claim except from the subscriber. JOHN McLOUGHLIN.

Oregon City, April 15, 1847.

Notice.

HEREBY caution all persons (particularly John McLoughlin,) against trespassing in any manner whatever upon my Land Claim bordering on the Willamette river and lying adjacent to the Town of Oregon City, which was recorded by me on the 16th day of October, 1846, and upon which I now reside. And I also caution all persons against purchasing any part or parcel of the same from said John McLoughlin or any parcen classing any part of the same from said John McLoughlin or any parcen classing any part of the same from said John McLoughlin or any parcent classics. McLoughlin or any person claiming under him, as he has no lawful title to any portion of said premi-

A. J. VICKERS. April 21st, 1847.

Notice.

caution all persons (particularly Gen. Alanson Husted) against trespassing in any manner whatever upon my Land Claim, situated on the bank of the Clackamas river, opposite to the Indian village, and which was recorded by me on the 18th day of January, 1847-on which I am now residing. And I also caution all persons from purchasing any part or parcel of the same from said Husted, as he has no lawful title to any of said premises.

ELIJAH BUNTON.

April 27th, 1847.

Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing be-L. tween PHILIP FOSTER and WILLIAM C. DEMENT, being dissolved, all persons having partnership accounts to settle, will please call on Fos-ter and Dement, as neither of us is individually au-thorized to settle the partnership accounts in favor of or against the firm. WILLIAM C. DEMENT.

April 24, 1847.

Notice.

THE Subscriber would hereby caution all persons against receiving a Note of hand drawn by him, in favor of N. N. Osborn, bearing date somewhere Territory, the following order will be made imperative:

About a year ago, to the amount of 72 dollars, inasmuch as he has paid about 65 dollars on said note, and stoves an overs, &c. the same according to agreement.

RICHARD WHITE. April 26, 1847. 1t7pd Notice.

HEREBY make over all my right and title to HEREBY make over an my right and the indemnification, to any person that will cause the individual to be discovered and convicted, that killed my sorrel horse by shooting him running at P. Thompson's, Chehalem valley.

J. G. CAMPBELL. Oregon City, April 29, 1847.

Sale of Town Lots.

A PUBLIC SALE of Lots in the Town of Atchison in Yambill county, on the west bank of the Williamette river, at Matheny's Ferry, will take place on the 15th day of May next, on the premises. PUBLIC SALE of Lots in the Town of Wheat will be taken in payment.

Forther particulars as known on the day of sale.

DANIEL MATHENY.

217pd Further particulars as to terms, &c. will be made

GARDEN SEEDS!!

COUPLETE assortment, superior quality, A at No. 2, Complete Ixt. Row. KILBORN, LAWTON, & Co. Oregon City, April 15, 1-47.

Adam Snoth, Compet.

rs.
Elexabeth Smith, Defint.

A pplication will be made by complament to the Yambil Circuit Court, on the first day of the September term thereof, to be held at the Falls of Yambill river, on the 3d Monday in September, 1547, upon petition filed, for a decree to desoive the bonds of matrimony contracted between said complainant and defendant. This is therefore to notify said defendan , her agent or attorney, that if the said petition is not answered or denied, on or before the calling of said cause at said term, the said petition will be taken as confessed, and a decree rendered accordingly. And the mid defendant is further notified, that the cause alleged in said petition, is willful desertion of the complamant for one year.
BURNETT & LOVEJOY,

Sol'rs for Complainant.

April 15, 1-47.

Female School.

The Second Session of Mrs. N. M. Thornton's School, in this city, will commence on Monday the 19th instant, and will continue eleven weeks. All the branches usually comprised in a thorough English education, are taught in the Santan of the this School, together with Plain and Ornamental Needle Work, Drawing, and Painting in Mezzotinto and in Water Colors.

Strict attention will be given, not only to the intel-lectual improvement of the pupils, but also to their morals and manners. It is Mrs. Thornton's design to make this a permanent School; and her past success and long experience as a teacher, enable her to hope

that she will give general satisfaction.

Papils will be charged from the time of their entering the School, untill the close of the Session. For further particulars, inquire of Mrs. Thornton.

REPERENCES.

His Excellency, Geo. Abernethy, Oregon City. Hon. A. A. Skinter, Rev. Geo. Gary, Dr. Marcus Whitman, Wallawalla. Oregon City, April 13th, 1847.

NOTICE.

THE SUBSCRIBERS offer for sale on reasonable terms, at their STORE in Oregon City, the following articles, viz:

DRY GOODS.

Silks, Monselaine de Laine, Cashmeres, Cashmere de Ecosse, Balzarines, Muslins, Lawns, brown and bleached Cottons, Cambrics, Tartan and net wool Shawls, Canton Flaunel, ladies and misses cotton Hose. white and colored, cotton and silk Handkerchiefs. Mohair Mitts, cotton and lace Caps, lace Edging and Insertion, Cassimeres, Doe Skin Gambroons, &c.

and Ginger, whale and sperm Oil, Salt, &c. &c.

Crockery Ware.

Dishes, Plates, Cups and Saucers, China Tea Setts, Bowls, Mugs, Pitchers, plant and cut glass Tumblers, Casters, Salts, ac.

Furniture.

Bureaus, Bedsteads, Chairs, Writing Desks, ladies' Work-boxes, Looking Glasses, Ac.

HARDWARE.

Planes, Rules, hand and back Saws, Sad Irons, Chisels, Gonges, Trace Chains, Bolts, Nails, Spikes, carpenter's Compasses, Razors, Hand Vices, Files, Pocket and Pen Knives, Table Knives and Forks, Scissors, Padlocks, chest and door Locks, Gimlets, assorted Brads, Brass Nails, Percussion Caps, Sauce Pans, Bellows, measuring Tapes, Axes, Hatchets, Spoke Shayes, Steelyards, Shovels and Tongs, Wood screws, Braces and Bitts, Iron Spoons, Powder Flasks, Shot Belts, Shears, Hand Belis, &c.

Tin Ware.

Six and four quart Coffee Pots, four quart Pails, Strainers, Cups, Graters, Scoops, Cullenders, Wash payment to Basins, Skimmers, Milk Pans, Dippers, Tunnels, Candle Moulds, Tea Caddies, Nurse Lamps, Britannia

Boots and Shoes.

Ladies peg and sewed Boc's, Kid run rounds, children's peg Boots, boys' k Brogan's, men's thick Boots, men's kip Boots, &c.

Sundries.

Men's and boy's Beaver Hats, Clocks, Cooking Stoves and funnel, Soaps, Window Glass, Dutch

Atso-20 Tons of Coral at Portland KILBORN, LAWTON, & Co. Oregon City, March 27, 1847

PETER H. BURNETT.

FRANK WARD.

A. L. LOVEJOY.

BURNETT & LOVEJOY, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, And Solicitors in Chancery.

WILL practice in civil cases in the several Cocuit Course in Oregon Territory, and in the Supreme Court at Oregon City.

Jan. 1st, 1-47. WILLIAM M. SMITH

Ward & Smith, COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

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GENERAL AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS

JAMES B. McCLURG.
ALEXANDER G. ABELL. (Mosciule, Oane, BENRY CHEVER. (Synon), I Islands. HENRY CHEVER, Nov. 12, 1-46.

Tavern and Tannery.

NOTICE is hereby given to the citizens of Oregon, that the undersigned is now occupying the stand formerly kept by Mulky, on the many and hopes to give general same west side of the river, and hopes to give general satisfaction to all who may call on him. Terms—Ready pay, 25 cents per meal. Price for horse over night, 75 cents. All kinds of produce will be received for

Also, Hides which he will receive and tan on shares. Places of deposit—Joseph McLoughlin, near the mouth of Yambul river, and at the Tannery. also, at my Tavern stand.

C. D. SMITH.

Lann City, April 30, 1-16,-71f.

Wagon and Cart Tire.

BAR IRON, suitable for Wagon and Cart Tire, assurted sizes, for sale at the Brock Store, Ore-Oct. 15, 1546.

W AGON AND CART BOXES, for sale at the Brick Store, Oregon City. Oct. 15, 1846.

Farm For Sale.

FINE SUBSCRIBER offers for sale has valuable. Country seat, about seven miles above Oregon City, near the Willamette, in Baker's prairie. There are over three hundred acres of praine, and one hundred ready for cultivation, surrounded with good fence. Upon the Farm is a good log house, 20 by 30 feet, well of good water, being well calculated by native for raising cattle or sheep.

LOTS.

FIVE TOWN LOTS in Oregon City, with buildings on them that pay a rent of \$20 per month. Also, his interest in the undisposed T vn Lots in

Clackamas City,

Any persons wishing to purchase property of this kind, may do well to call on the Subscriber on Water Street. If any person wishes to pay specie, I will make a discount of fifty per cent. A. HUSTED.

Oregon City, Jan. 7, 1847;

Notice. THE undersigned have this day formed a co-part-nership for the transaction of General Commission Business at Oregon City and Portland, under the

name; and style of F. W. Pettygrove & Co. F. W. PETTYGROVE, A. E. WILSON. DAVID McLOUGHLIN

Oregon City, Nov. 10th, 1846. Caution.

Groceries.

Groceries.

Welasses, Sugar, Coffee, Naturegs, ground Pepper he will hereafter pay no debts of her contracting. M. R. ALDERMAN.

Portland, March 18, 1-47.

New Arrangement.

THE undersigned will furnish the best accommo-dation in his power, to both Man and Horse, and will charge nothing at all, as he will expect ready pay in all cases. Horses Bought and Sold as usual. N. B. §200 of Oregon Scrip wanted in exchange for Horses, or payment of outstanding accounts.

Administrator's Notice.

Willamette Falls, Nov. 26, 1846.

OTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Zachariah Hawkins, late of the United States, deceased, emigrating to the Territory of Orestates, deceased, emigrating to gon, and has taken upon himself that trust by gwing bonds as the law directs, and all persons having demands upon the estate of the said Zachariah Hawkins, are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to the said estate, are called upon to make THOMAS M. READ, Administrator.

Oregon Territory, Polk county, Jan. 6th, 1847

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