

works dismantled, and rushed over on foot, with sword in hand. They were armed with rifles, and, as may be supposed, did great execution among the copper skins. The 3d and 5th regiments of the regulars were much cut up also, from the 40 pieces of artillery we had to silence, as well as the musketry from the house-tops.

Col. McClung, of Mississippi, the great duelist, got upon the breast works, waved his hat, and was in the act of giving three cheers, when a ball struck him, from the effects of which he has since died.

Samuel W. Chambers, one of the Rangers, or "the Delaware hero," as they call him, got over the breast work, obtained a foot-hold on the top of an eighteen pounder, and deliberately took aim with his "fire shooter," firing with great effect, and crushing the Mexicans, until the piece was taken by Gen. Worth and turned on the city. Chambers escaped without a wound. Captain Gillespie, of the Texian Rangers, was killed while pouring water into the tube of a cannon, with the Mexicans all around him. But it is impossible for me to mention all the numerous incidents that occurred at the present time.

#### Public Meetings.

For the Oregon Spectator.

At a meeting of the citizens of Clackamas Co., held at the City Hall in Oregon City, on the 8th of May.

On motion, Samuel Parker Esq. was called to the chair and J. S. Rinearson appointed secretary.

The object of the meeting having been fully explained it was on motion of Capt. Barlow decided that the meeting do now adjourn to meet on Saturday the 15th inst. at 4 o'clock, P. M., and that the people of the Co. be requested to come together on that day for the purpose of nominating suitable persons as candidates for the different Territorial and County offices.

On motion it was ordered that the proceedings of this meeting be handed to the Editor of the Spectator with a request that it be published.

SAMUEL PARKER, Chairman.  
J. S. RINEARSON, Sec'y.

For the Oregon Spectator.

Agreeably to previous public notice the citizens of Champoeg county held a meeting at Salem, on Saturday the 24th inst., for the purpose of nominating candidates for county officers to be elected at the ensuing general election. After the meeting being called to order, H. Shaw was appointed chairman and Jas. L. Burgess, secretary, a committee was then appointed to select suitable persons to be nominated by the meeting which resulted in the following named persons as nominees: For representatives, W. H. Reese, Anderson Cox, J. S. Smith, W. H. Willson, and N. Humphrey, for clerk, A. Hinman, for justices of the peace, Daniel Waldo, H. Shaw, and James Hall. An expression of the meeting was then obtained in favor of A. L. Lovejoy, for Governor, and on motion, it was agreed that the proceedings of the meeting be forwarded to the Editor of the Oregon Spectator, for publication, whereupon the meeting adjourned.

H. SHAW, Chairman.  
J. L. Burgess, Secretary.

For the Oregon Spectator.

Pursuant to public notice the Voters of Champoeg County met at the house of Antoine Gregoir, on Saturday the 8th inst. for the purpose of nominating candidates for Territorial and County officers, for the ensuing election.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlin, Robert Newell Esq. was called to the chair and W. H. Rees appointed secretary.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlin a committee of five were appointed to nominate and present to the house the names of five persons to represent Champoeg Co. in the next general assembly, the following persons were chosen upon said committee:—D. Shannon, A. Chamberlin, Wm. Martin, J. C. Geer, L. Osant.

The committee retired a short time and then presented the following names to the House as candidates for Representatives, which were accepted:—A. Chamberlin, R. Newell, Wm. H. Rees, A. Cox, Wm. H. Rector.

On motion of Mr. Dupie, a committee of five were chosen to nominate and report to the meeting the names of three persons as candidates for Justices of the Peace, one for

Assessor and one for County Treasurer. The following persons were chosen upon said committee: Mr. Dupie, Mr. Birnie, D. Crawford, A. A. Robinson, A. Chamberlin.

The committee reported the following named persons as candidates for Justices of the Peace, which nominations were accepted: F. X. Mathews, H. Shaw, Mr. Kees. For County Treasurer, Daniel Waldo, for Assessor John B. McLane.

On motion of Mr. Shannon the sense of the meeting was taken with reference to a choice for Governor, which resulted as follows:—For A. L. LOVEJOY 33, for Geo. ABERNETHY 31.

On motion of Mr. Martin the proceedings of this meeting were ordered to be signed by the President and Secretary and handed to the Editor of the Spectator for publication. The meeting then adjourned sine die.

ROBERT NEWELL, Chairman.  
Wm. H. REES, Secretary.

#### PUBLIC MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Citizens of Clackamas County, on Friday evening at half past seven o'clock P. M. at the City Hotel, for the purpose of obtaining an expression of public sentiment relative to trespass on land claims.

MANY CITIZENS.

MARRIED—By the Rev. J. S. Griffin, at their father's residence, in Tualatin Plains, Mr. HENRY KNOWLAND to Mrs. SARAH KNOWLAND, both of Missouri, by the late immigration.

#### June Election—1847.

TO THE CITIZENS OF OREGON.  
At the request of numerous friends, I place myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Governor of Oregon Territory.

GEO. ABERNETHY.

May 13, 1847.

TO THE ELECTORS OF OREGON.  
In consenting to be a candidate for the office of Governor of Oregon Territory in the ensuing canvass, I place myself wholly 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.

TO THE ELECTORS OF OREGON.  
DR. PRESLEY WELCH having at the request of his friends consented to be a candidate at the ensuing election for the office of Governor will receive the support of

MANY VOTERS.

If P. G. STEWART, JOHN FLEMING, and T. M. CHAMBERS will consent to be candidates for representatives for Clackamas county, in the next Legislature, they will be supported in the ensuing canvass by a majority of

VOTERS.

May 5th, 1847.

CITIZENS OF TUALITY COUNTY.  
I beg leave to announce myself as a candidate for re-election to represent you in the next Legislature.

JOSEPH L. MEER.

DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.  
FREDUC PRIGG respectfully informs the public, that he has removed his office to Main street, the lot adjacent to A. Hood Esq., where he will keep on hand, such an assortment of the above, as the facilities of the country afford.

F. P. has also on hand, a small but choice selection of Silks, Mouseline de Laines, Summer Shawls, Scarfs, &c. Suitable for ladies attire.

Terms, cash or approved orders.  
N. B. A few English Lever Watches on the above terms.

Oregon City, May 13, 1847.

Isaac A. Flint, Compl't,  
vs.  
Sarah E. Flint, Defnd't

BILL FOR DIVORCE.

APPLICATION will be made by complainant to the Polk County Circuit Court, on the first day of the September Term thereof, to be held on the 1st Monday in September 1847, upon petition filed, for a decree to dissolve the bonds of matrimony contracted between said complainant and defendant. This is therefore to notify said defendant, her agent or attorney, that if the said petition is not answered or denied on or before the calling of the said cause at said term, the said petition will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered accordingly.

NESMITH & FORD,  
Solicitors for Complainant.

May 13, 1847.

Marvin R. Alderman, Compl't,  
vs.  
India Alderman, Defnd't

BILL FOR DIVORCE.

APPLICATION will be made by complainant to the Clackamas Circuit Court, on the first day of the October term thereof, to be held at Oregon City, on the 1st Monday in October, 1847, upon petition filed, for a decree to dissolve the bonds of matrimony contracted between said complainant and defendant. This is therefore to notify said defendant, 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.

MARVIN R. ALDERMAN.

May 13, 1847.

#### Sale of Town Lots.

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

Further particulars as to terms, &c. will be made known on the day of sale.

DANIEL MATHENY.  
April 26, 1847.

#### GARDEN SEEDS!!

A COMPLETE assortment, superior quality, at No. 2, COMMERCIAL ROW.  
KILBORN, LAWTON, & Co.  
Oregon City, April 15, 1847.

Adam Smith, Compl't,  
vs.  
Elizabeth Smith, Defnd't

BILL FOR DIVORCE.

Application will be made by complainant to the Yamhill Circuit Court, on the first day of the September term thereof, to be held at the Falls of Yamhill river, on the 3d Monday in September, 1847, upon petition filed, for a decree to dissolve the bonds of matrimony contracted between said complainant and defendant. This is therefore to notify said defendant, 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 said defendant is further notified, that the cause alleged in said petition, is willful desertion of the complainant for one year.

BURNETT & LOVEJOY,  
Sol'rs for Complainant.

April 15, 1847.

#### 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 this School, together with Plain and Ornamental Needle Work, Drawing, and Painting in Mezzotint and in Water Colors.

Strict attention will be given, not only to the intellectual 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.

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

#### REFERENCES.

His Excellency, Geo. Abernethy,  
Hon. A. A. Skinner, Oregon City.  
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, Mouseline de Laine, Cashmeres, Cashmere de Ecosse, Balzarines, Muslins, Lawns, brown and bleached Cottons, Cambrics, Tartan and net wool Shawls, Canton Flannel, 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.

#### Groceries.

Melasses, Sugar, Coffee, Nutmegs, ground Pepper and Ginger, whale and sperm Oil, Salt, &c. &c.

#### Crockery Ware.

Dishes, Plates, Cups and Saucers, China Tea Sets, Bowls, Mugs, Pitchers, plain and cut glass Tumblers, Castors, Salts, &c.

#### Furniture.

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

#### HARDWARE.

Planes, Rules, hand and back Saws, Sad Irons, Chisels, Gouges, Trace Chains, Bolts, Nails, Spiked 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 Shaves, Steelyards, Shovels and Tonges, Wood Serows, Braces and Bits, Iron Spoons, Powder Flasks, Shot Belts, Shears, Hand Belts, &c.

#### Tin Ware.

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

#### Boots and Shoes.

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

#### Sundries.

Men's and boy's Beaver Hats, Cloaks, Cooking Stoves and funnel, Soaps, Window Glass, Dutch Ovens, &c.

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

#### Notice.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between PHILIP FOSTER and WILLIAM C. DEMENT, being dissolved, all persons having partnership accounts to settle, will please call on Foster and Dement, as neither of us is individually authorized to settle the partnership accounts in favor of or against the firm.

WILLIAM C. DEMENT.

April 24, 1847.

PETER H. BURNETT. A. L. LOVEJOY

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

Will practice in civil cases in the several Circuit Courts in Oregon Territory, and in the Supreme Court at Oregon City.  
Jan. 1st, 1847.

FRANK WARD. WILLIAM M. SMITH.

Ward & Smith,  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
SAN FRANCISCO,  
CALIFORNIA.

J. B. McClurg & Co.  
SHIP CHANDLERS,  
GENERAL AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

JAMES B. McCLURG,  
ALEXANDER G. ABELL,  
HENRY CHEVER,  
Nov. 12, 1846.

Disolution.  
THE 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.

#### Notice.

I HEREBY 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.

I HEREBY forbid all persons from trespassing in any manner whatever, upon any part or parcel of my LAND CLAIM made in 1842, and surveyed by Jesse Applegate, Esq., on the 16th December 18th, 1843 in the Recorder's Office in Oregon City. All persons are also cautioned against purchasing any portion of the above claim except from the subscriber.  
JOHN McLOUGHLIN.  
Oregon City, April 15, 1847.

#### Notice.

I 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 person claiming under him, as he has no lawful title to any portion of said premises.

A. J. VICKERS.

April 21st, 1847.

#### Notice.

THE undersigned has this day formed a co-partnership 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.

#### New Arrangement.

THE undersigned will furnish the best accommodation 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.  
S. W. MOSS.  
Willamette Falls, Nov. 26, 1846.

#### Prints, Prints.

AT No. 2, Commercial Row, a large assortment 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 ASTORIA MILLS, so called, to Henry H. Hunt.  
A. E. WILSON.  
Portland, March 31st, 1847.

#### The Oregon Spectator.

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