

# THE COURIER.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1867.

## RAILROADS.

Our old friend Gen. James Tilton, formerly Surveyor-General of Washington Territory, and two years since the Democratic candidate for Delegate to Congress from that Territory is now engaged examining the passes in the Cascade Mountains preliminary to the construction of a Northern Pacific Railroad.

The General is a man of scientific attainments and is assisted by a competent corps of engineers, among whom are our friends Jared Hurd and Wm. H. Carlton. From the correspondence we have been permitted to see there is reasonable ground to believe that ere long the iron horse will rush across the continent to our North and South, and situated as we are with Europe on one side, Asia upon the other, the commerce of the world will flow through, and be carried in commercial wedlock in the United States. Why should not we move in the immediate construction of one through the valley?

We shall discuss the question of its proper location at an early day.

READ the notice of the dissolution of the copartnership heretofore existing between our fellow townsmen, Eckles & Burbank. The business will be continued by Mr. Burbank at the old stand.

If any of you want a Sewing Machine now is your chance to get one cheap. See advertisement of Empire Sewing Machine Co. in another column.

The difference between our Democratic journals is summed up by a friend as follows: One—"Mr. Murphy, come out of that!" Other—"come out of that Murphy!"

Having been in Portland and but just returned we are compelled to omit several matters we had intended to notice. Our friend Dr. Goucher and others will bear with us.

Mr. Randall returned to this county yesterday bringing his little daughter. We have not learned whether he intends making his home with us.

If J. T. Hembree did not kill any elk in his recent hunt, he did keep his store in Lafayette open, where persons desiring to make good bargains could be accommodated.

John Carey, Esq., of this county, has been appointed Notary Public.

The Willamette and Yamhill Rivers are very low.

## News Items.

The Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, South, convened at Dallas, Aug. 28.

A Chapter of Royal Arch Masons has been organized in Idaho City, I. T.

Taz P. T. Company are making improvements in their basin at Oregon City.

OREGON CITY has purchased the building known as the Oregon City Seminary for \$2,000.

A RUMOR is in circulation that two cases of cholera have made their appearance at Salem, but we doubt its correctness.

SENATOR CORBETT has sold his stage stock and coaches and mail contract to J. C. Carr, who will have the contract after the first of October.

The Lewiston Journal and Vancouver Register favor the annexation of north western Idaho to Washington Territory.

Alaska constitutes a military District and forms a part of the Department of California.

Wm. Mason of Monmouth, Polk co., was drowned at Independence on the 21st Aug.

Astoria is rapidly improving.

W. J. Hill and H. W. Millard have purchased the Owyhee Avalanche. Give us your Hank.

The Supreme Court of the State met yesterday at Salem, with a fair docket.

We have seen the first number of the Capital City Chronicle. It is a large sized sheet, neat in appearance and well written.

Col. A. P. Dennison, of Portland, has been called to the assistance of the well-known traveler and lecturer, J. Ross Browne, in the collection of mining statistics.

LIST OF LETTERS remaining in the Post Office, at Lafayette, Sept. 1st, 1867.

Adams, John M., Berbank, Mrs. Minerva, Mr. L. Boyce, Harrison Duggs, J. J. Dodson, Mrs. Susan Hall, Miss Olive Harris, Mr. E. L. Hays, Jasper E. Hawn, James P. Melton, David McCall, Miss Alice Parsons, G. L. Rowland, Nathan Toole.

R. L. SIMPSON, P. M.

Butler's Report as Commissioner for the exchange of prisoners is published. It says, that:

In August, 1864, the rebels offered to renew on the basis of an exchange of man for man, when Grant telegraphed: "although hard on our men, Southern prisoners ought not to be exchanged. It is demanded by humanity for those left in our ranks. Every man released becomes an active soldier against the United States. If we commence exchange, all the prisoners taken will have to fight till the South is exterminated. To release the rebel prisoners at this particular time would insure Sherman's defeat and compromise our safety here."

President Johnson has invited Stanton in a very polite yet positive manner to resign and leave the cabinet. Stanton, like the dirty dog that he is, declines, whereupon the President ignores his official character altogether and directs that no business in connection with the War Department be transacted with him; thus virtually, and practically removing him.

The jury before which Surratt was tried failed to agree upon a verdict and so were discharged Aug. 10.

Judge Fisher before whom Surratt was tried, did all he could in the way of a "charge," to procure his conviction.

NATURAL Leaf, Young America, and Solace Tobacco at R. L. Simpson's Family Store.

## ATTENTION DEMOCRATS!

There will be a Mass Meeting of the Democracy of Polk County, at Dallas, on Sept. 14, 1867. The Democracy of adjoining counties are invited to attend. Ben. Hayden and other Democrats will address the people.

H. N. V. HOLMES,

Chairman Polk County Democratic Central Committee.

If you wish the very best CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS, you must call on BRADLEY & RULOFSON, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

This is truly the "age of progress," and the American people are, beyond doubt, far ahead of all others. This is clearly demonstrated by the Sewing Machine—which is, strictly speaking, an American invention.

In this branch of manufacture, the EMPIRE SEWING MACHINE CO., office 616 Broadway, New York City, stands pre-eminent. Their "Improved Manufacturing Machine" has no rival. It is built on sound mechanical principles; is simple in construction—easily understood, and not liable to get out of order.

Its sewing qualities, particularly on cloth and leather, cannot be equalled; and as such we recommend it to our friends and the public generally.

E. S. M. Co.

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## WHEAT! WHEAT!!

I will receive Wheat at Current Rates for all notes or accounts due me. Please call at the Post Office with it and save cost, as I must have WHEAT or MONEY immediately.

R. L. SIMPSON.

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## MARE LOST.

A SORREL-ROAN MARE in good order, about 9 or 10 years old; fifteen hands high, white face, white legs, (up to the knees, all four); had when left three shoes on and leather head-stall; said mare left on the 23d day of August. The undersigned will liberally reward any person who will return or give any information of her whereabouts. Address

HUMPHREY MORPHEW,

Mcddy Post Office, Yamhill co. 323w.

## Dissolution Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the style of ECKLES & BURBANK, is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. A. R. BURBANK having purchased the interest of C. ECKLES, as alone authorized to collect the debts due and will pay all liabilities of the late firm.

The business will be continued by A. R. BURBANK.

C. ECKLES.

A. R. BURBANK.

Lafayette, Aug. 26, 1867. n32 1f

ALL PERSONS indebted to the late firm of ECKLES & BURBANK are requested to come forward and settle their accounts and notes without delay.

Wheat will be received for dues at the market price.

Also CASH or GOODS paid for WHEAT.

A. R. BURBANK.

Lafayette, Aug. 30, 1867. n32 1f

ADISON C. GIBBS. CHAS. W. PARRISH.

GIBBS & PARRISH,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS

AT LAW,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

OFFICE on Alder Street, in Carter's new brick block. 32-1y

## EUGENE SEMPLE,

ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR.

Portland, Oregon.

OFFICE on Front Street, on stairs, adjoining Knapp & Buttrill. n32 1y

## FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In co. court Yamhill co. Og'n.

Now on this 6th day of Aug. 1867, comes Geo. S. Knight, Administrator of the estate of Samuel H. Knight deceased, and files his account for the final settlement of said estate.

It is ordered that said account be heard and settlement of said estate be made in this Court, on Tuesday, the 3d. day of September next, and four weeks notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by publication in the Lafayette COURIER.

J. W. COWLS,

Co. Judge

G. H. STEWARD, atty. for Admr. [29 413

## Administrator's Notice.

Estate of John Kelsay, deceased.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Executor of the last Will and testament of John Kelsay, deceased, by the Hon. County Court of Yamhill county, Oregon.

All persons having claims against said estate, are required to present them, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned, at his residence, near McMinnville, in said county.

Aug. 1. 1867. A. J. NELSON,

28 Aug 6 4w Executor of said Estate.

**MEDICAL.**—Read advertisement of Dr. Doherty, San Francisco, on 4th page. Dr. Doherty ranks as one of our most distinguished physicians, and also one of the most successful, which is now the criterion by which the medical practitioner is judged. His address is Dr. D. herty, Private Medical and Surgical Institute, San Francisco, Sacramento street, below Montgomery opposite Pacific Steamship Co's Office. Private entrance, Leidesdorff street. y

## DR. HUFELAND'S

CELEBRATED

SWISS STOMACH BITTERS!!

The best Purifier of the Blood! A Pleasant Tonic! A very Agreeable Drink! Unsurpassed for acting surely but gently on the secretions of the kidneys, bowels, stomach and liver!

For sale at all wholesale and retail liquor, drug and grocery stores.

NOBODY SHOULD BE WITHOUT IT!

J. G. Busch, Proprietor.

TAYLOR & BENDEL, Sole Ag'ts.

n21 1y 413 Clay St., San Francisco.

**The Best Remedy For**

PURIFYING the Blood, Strengthening the Nerves, Restoring the lost Appetite, is

FRESE'S HAMBURG TEA.

It is the best preservative against almost any sickness, if used timely. Composed of herbs only, it can be given, safely to infants. Full directions in English, French Spanish and German, with every package. TRY IT!

For sale at all the wholesale and retail drug stores and groceries.

EMIL FRESE, Wholesale Druggist, Sole Agent, 410 Clay street.

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## J. M. Keeler,

Oregon Commission Agency, 95 Liberty St.,

NEW YORK.

For buying and shipping direct, by the Isthmus or Cape Horn, all classes and varieties of merchandise, including Musical Instruments, Carriages, Farm Implements and Machinery. Faithful attention will be given to securing and disposition of Patents.

All orders and business will receive prompt attention. Goods shipped in best style at the lowest rates, and insured to order.

References in Oregon—McCracken, Merrill & Co., Portland; I. R. Moore, Salem; Thos. Monteith, Albany.

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## NEW GOODS!

NEW GOODS:

Belcher & Bird,

Lafayette.

Have on hand, and

are constantly in receipt of, Dry

Goods,

Clothing,

Shoes,

Fancy Goods,

Notions!

Groceries,

Hardware,

Queensware,

Cutlery.

Prices according to

the Times.

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## PORTLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

Highest Price Paid For

Produce:

STILL AT THE OLD

Stand!

Large Additions to Our Stock of

GOODS!

GALLAND, GOODMAN & CO

No. 129 Front Street,

Opposite What Cheer House, Portland, Oregon.

HAVE just received, and are constantly receiving the largest and best selected stock of GENERAL MERCHANDISE ever brought to this market, consisting of

DRY GOODS,

CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HATS AND CAPS,

YANKEE NOTIONS AND CROCKERY.

Also a large stock of

Groceries,

And many other articles too numerous to mention. Being favored by having a resident partner in San Francisco, and buying only for Cash, we are enabled to sell goods as

CHEAP AS ANY HOUSE IN TOWN.

Therefore we would respectfully invite the public to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

The Highest Cash Price paid for all kinds of Produce.

Wanted—100,000 Pounds of

Wool.

Our Motto—"QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS," and no humbug.

Remember the place, opposite the What Cheer House.

We guarantee entire satisfaction, or no sale. Try us and convince yourselves.

GALLAND, GOODMAN & CO,

n2 n24 129 Front street, Portland.

SASH AND DOOR

FACTORY,

Carson & Porter,

Front-St., near the Old Bridge, Portland.

MANUFACTURERS of Doors, Sash, Blinds, Window Shutters, Window and Door Frames, and Mouldings of every size, quality and pattern.

Window Corncices.

Mantles and Frontices

made to order on short notice.

Orders from a distance for any article in our line promptly filled and securely packed for transportation.

Sashes of all sizes glazed and primed constantly on hand.

n2 n23 1y CARSON & PORTER.

CONFECTIONERY

AND FAMILY GROCERY.

R. I. SIMPSON keeps a first class Family Grocery in Lafayette, where can be at all times found all the staple articles in the Family supply line, besides

Miscellaneous Assortment of

USEFUL AND LUXURIOUS ARTICLES.

Fancy Soaps, Soaps of all kinds, Candies and Licorice, pipes, pens and Inks, powder, Caps, Shot and Bar Lead, Letter paper, fancy and plain, Envelopes, plain and fancy, Oysters and Sardines, Canned Fruits of all kinds,

Hostetter, Hoolland and Drake Bitters.

SCHOOL BOOKS!

TOBACCO, SMOKING AND CHEWING OF

The Best Quality.

CEGARs, etc., etc.

Patent Medicines.

A general variety of the leading proprietary remedies constantly on hand.

Spices,

Cooking Extracts,

Perfumery,

Concentrated Lye,

and Axle Grease.

Also an assortment of ROCKET CUTLERY, RAZORS and SEALPS, besides a general

Assortment of Tinware,

and many useful and ornamental articles too numerous to mention. Give me a call and make a purchase.

R. I. SIMPSON.

Lafayette, July 31, 1866-1y.

COUNTY CHARGE.

Notice is hereby given that at one o'clock P. M. on Tuesday the 3d. day of September 1867, the keeping, finding and medical attendance of Joseph Snyers (a county charge) will be let at the Court house, in Lafayette, to the lowest responsible bidder, subject to the approval of the county Court.

By order of said Court, this 6th day of Aug. 1867.

S. C. ADAMS,

29 3w Clerk.

EMPIRE SEWING MACHINE CO.

616 Broadway, New York.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN SEWING

MACHINES. Empire Shuttle, Crank Motion Sewing Machine. It is thus rendered noiseless in action. Its motion being all positive, it is not liable to get out of order. It is the best Family Machine! Notice is called to our new and improved Manufacturing Machine, for Tailors and Boot and Shoe Fitters. Agents wanted, to whom a liberal discount will be given. No consignments made.

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW AND SPLENDID SAW

MILL.

Moor & Simpson

Would avail themselves of this method of saying to BUILDERS and others that they are prepared at all times to Furnish

Sills

Joists,

Sleepers,

Flooring

And in fact everything in the shape of

LUMBER.

Of a Quality not surpassed in Oregon, if indeed on the Pacific Coast!

Our Mill is situated on Panther Creek, 10 miles west of LAFAYETTE, and is surrounded by a dense Forest of large clear and Tender Yellow Firs; also Cedar and much other Valuable Timber abound in the immediate vicinity of our Mill.

We furnish

FIR LUMBER

which is said by Mechanics to be superior for Inside Finishing purposes to Pine or Cedar.

We solicit a trial, and guarantee satisfaction.

O. Moor.

F. M. Simpson.

Lafayette, Nov. 26, 1866.

NEW ARRANGEMENTS!

AT

HARNESS and SADDLERY

ESTABLISHMENT

OF

S. C. STILES

AT

DAYTON,

OREGON.

The undersigned, thankful for the liberal patronage extended to him in the past would say to his old customers and others, that he is now better prepared than ever, to supply all demands for

SADDLES & HARNESS

Of all kinds and descriptions, and lower than the same class and Quality of articles can be purchased elsewhere the

VALLEY.

Repairing, Mending and Fixing done on short Notice.

The highest Market price paid for Hides and Produce.

By promptitude in business I hope to be able to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so generously extended to me.

Customers from the opposite side of the river, who purchase the amount of five dollars, will be entitled to ferrage at my expense.

S. C. STILES.

Dayton, December 1, 1866.

Doctor Jim!

The Renowned Chinese

PHYSICIAN!

A STUNNING CURES effected in the shortest space of time on record.—Chronic diseases in all their stages permanently cured without the use of mineral preparations.

Having devoted years to the successful treatment of all manner of disease to which human flesh is heir, he can proudly point to his hundreds of patients on the Pacific Coast who have been restored by him from conditions of appalling misery, to permanent health.

The blind have been restored to sight.—Of his skill in the treatment of Chronic sore eyes, and apparently permanent blindness, Dr. Jim refers with pride to patients who may be found and consulted in the city of Portland and vicinity.

Heart Disease,

Chronic Coughs,

Consumption.

and kindred maladies, banish before his touch.