

THE COURIER.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1867.

To Complimentary Letter.

La Fayette, Or., Aug. 30, 1867.
EDITOR COURIER:—SIR—The understanding between Mr. Upton and me was that if he sent me his paper gratis, I would read it occasionally. He sent it without expecting pay, and I read it according to agreement.

I have three objections to the Courier as heretofore conducted. In it:
1st. Politics and religion are too much mixed.
2d. Flings are made, ever and anon, at religion and its professors.
3d. Truth is economized too much.

Its entire influence is in favor of the late rebellion, its measures and its friends. Upon the whole, it is a bad paper, please send it to me no longer. I loathe it.
True, it may not be quite so nasty under your management; but as you are pledged to aid the present democratic party, a party whose principles are in a state of putrefaction, all good citizens may expect the stench to be insupportable. I say save me from the odor. Yours, &c.
JOHN SPENCER.

La Fayette, Ogn. Sept. 3d. 1867

Rev Sir:
Forgive, dear John, if we've offended; Surely a spirit pure as thine,
Can ne'er condemn a poor man, blinded:
Faith, for an offense like mine.

Where will you find beneath the skies,
A perfect man who ne'er does ill!
Adam fell from Paradise,
But we fell only on your bill.

When Adam fell his wife fell too;
One dear as life, bone of his bone;
But bless you, dear, you let us go;
And so of course, we fell alone.

When Adam fell, he broke the tie
That held mankind from evil works;
But we sustained no injury;
We get your great name off our books.

But by Doc. Wester's timely care,
The pain we felt was soon a-gone;
And now, resolved the worst to hear,
We send you this our dearest JOHN.

Yours in humility,
courier.

On the reception of the news of our glorious victory in California, the faces of our people were lit with smiles, and but for a few elongated faces, one would think every white male American citizen, in and about La Fayette was a Democrat. There were 36 rousing guns, and a squib for West Virginia. (Our devil says the squib was for the SNEAZER, May be he's right.)

We have received a copy of the "Advertiser's Hand Book", from T. C. Evans, 129 Washington St. Boston. Mr. E. is the agent of the leading publications of the United States, and offers ready facilities for advertising with any, or all.

The public roads leading from Portland, to Boone's Ferry, and Dayton and La Fayette, have been much improved on the Portland Mountain under the supervision of John Stephens, Esq. The grades are light and the improvements substantial.

CLIFF HOUSE.—Since the year 1846, Oregon City has never had an A. 1 Hotel until Col. White opened the Cliff. The Titus Adronicus and Barlow, did well, but are far surpassed by the Col.

Our whilom friend, S. J. Mc Cormick, book and news dealer Portland, favored us with a large bundle of pictorials and other valuable papers. Mrs. sends thanks for the Musical Gazette.

Dr. Goucheur, of Chehalis, is said to have performed some almost miraculous cures. We are pleased to learn that the Dr. is doing a large and successful practice.

Mr. SIMPSON our efficient postmaster accidentally omitted the names of Thomas T. Cook and Miss. Laura Cornwall, from the list of letters remaining in the post office, Sept. 1.

See card of Dr. J. R. Cardwell in another column. The Dr. is a superior artist we know from work done for us.

If you wish to buy meats, etc., of a clever gentleman go to J. Dixon's. Read his advertisement in another column.

See card of Burton & Harris in another column. Examine their stock and prices before trading elsewhere.

Our friend Wm. Baker goes East of the Cascades soon. We are sorry he is going.

W. T. Newby, Esq., of McMinnville paid our sanction a visit last Saturday.

The Democrats are organizing clubs in Portland.

The following toast was given at a printer's supper: "The Printer—dependent as a wood-sawyer, proud as Lucifer, poor as Job's turkey, and the personification of intelligence."

GOOD FOR CORVALLIS.—Hon. F. A. Chenoweth, of this city, has opened subscription books for the Oregon State Central Railroad Co., and has received numerous donations to the road, (all unsolicited), 70 town lots—many of them improved—besides subscriptions in money have been made, of which Green B. Smith donates 23 lots in the choice part of town. Mr. Chenoweth believes there will be \$30,000 donated by the citizens of Corvallis and vicinity.—Gazette

MARRIED.

At Trinity Church, Portland, at 8 o'clock in the evening of the 4th instant, by the Rev. Wm. Stey, Hon. GEORGE H. WILLIAMS and Mrs. KATE A. GEORGE.

The Herald says the ceremonies were among the most happy and pleasantly conducted, ever witnessed. We wish the Mr. and Mrs. much joy.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

NEW DRUG STORE.—Steve Skilmore has opened a new drug store in Portland, on First street, opposite J. M. Brock's. Steve is an old Oregonian a good druggist, and worthy of support. Call and see him before purchasing elsewhere.

BUCHTEL'S PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY, Portland, Oregon, is the only establishment in Oregon that is thoroughly prepared to do all the different styles of work in the art. Photographs from card to life size. The new cabinet cards, &c. Small pictures enlarged, re touched in India ink—painted in water-colors or oil by Mrs. S. J. Rumsey. Pictures that are fading can be re-produced in this way. All negatives taken in this gallery will be carefully preserved, and additional copies had.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday the 7th day of October, 1867, the Assessor of Yamhill county will attend at the Office of the Clerk of said county, at La Fayette, and with the assistance of the County Clerk, will publicly examine the Assessment Roll for 1867, and correct all errors in descriptions and valuations of lots, lands, and other property. DAVID SMITH, Assessor of Yamhill Co.

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. n32 1m

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

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. Doherty, Private Medical and Surgical Institute, San Francisco, Sacramento street, below Montgomery, opposite Pacific Steamship Co's Office. Private entrance, Leidesdorff street.

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.

DR. J. R. CARDWELL, Dentist.

DENTAL ROOMS, No. 89 First Street, Portland, Oregon. n33 1y

CLAIMS, OF ALL KINDS, ON THE Government collected. Pensions increased, by recent act. (Governed by wound or disability) to \$15, \$20 and \$25 per month. In case of death of soldier, paid to widow, children, and if the latter dead, then to dependent relatives and accruing pensions to executors or administrators. Persons now receiving low pensions, and those who have not applied, can receive this increase by applying to the undersigned.

Bounty obtained when discharge is lost, back pay, lost horse claims, prize money; collected. Land warrants obtained, teamsters and others in Mexican War, entitled. Scrip of war of 1855 and 1856, collected, whether suspended or otherwise; officers pay for servants and three months pay proper obtained. Patents procured, and all other claims collected by C. M. CARTER, U. S. Claim Agent, Portland, Oregon. n33 1y

Thomas Boyce, Advertising, Collecting and Purchasing AGENCY, San Francisco, California. 28 tf

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

Summons.

Melissa Barrows, Pff. vs. Willard M. Barrows, Def. In the Circuit Court, State of Oregon, and for Yamhill County.

TO WILLARD M. BARROWS, Defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of Plaintiff, now on file in the Clerk's Office, in and for Yamhill County, Oregon, on or before the second Monday in November, 1867; and that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint within said time, that Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded, for a decree of judgment dissolving the marriage contract now existing between Plaintiff and Defendant, and cost and disbursements.

By order of Hon. R. P. BOISS, Judge. E. C. BRADSHAW, Atty for Pff. n33 6-w

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Yamhill. Martha Boyce, Pff. vs. Hiram W. Boyce, Def. Sued in Equity for Divorce.

TO HIRAM W. BOYCE, Defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action, within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served in this county, or if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of such service upon you, on or before the first day of the next term of said Court ensuing after six weeks publication of this summons, by order of said Court. And you are notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein demanded, to wit: for a decree dissolving the marriage contract now existing between Plaintiff and Defendant, for the custody of the minor children in said complaint named and for such other relief as in good conscience may seem just and equitable to said Court, and for costs and disbursements of suit.

By order of Hon. R. P. BOISS, Judge. G. H. STEWARD, Pff. Atty. n33 6-w

Administrator's Notice.

STATE OF OREGON. In the County of Tillamook. ss. Court of said Co. In the matter of the Estate of Chas. West, Deceased:

NOTICE is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of Charles West, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator, at his residence, in Tillamook county, Oregon, at Bayley's Store, on Tillamook Bay, this 5th day of September, A. D. 1867. B. A. BAYLEY, Adm'r of the Estate of Chas. West, dec'd. Published by order of Hon. JOHN THIER, County Judge of said county. n33 4w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Circuit Court, of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, and to me directed by the Clerk of said Court and in favor of Groves & Allen, under and against Levi F. Allen, for the sum of \$2,194.48 and costs, and there being no personal property, I have this 6th day of September, A. D., 1867, levied upon the following real estate, to wit: All the right, title and interest of Levi F. Allen, in and to the Donation Land claim of Sol. Allen and Nancy Allen, his wife, as set off to them by the proper authorities in the Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, and being T. S. R. 4, W. 2 in Yamhill County, Oregon, containing 620 acres, more or less, and will expose the same for sale at public vendue, for cash in hand, at the Court House door, in La Fayette, Yamhill County, Oregon, on the 24th day of October, 1867, between the hours of 9 o'clock, A. M., and 4 o'clock, P. M., of said day, to satisfy said execution and cost and accruing costs.

L. L. WHITCOMB, Sheriff. Lafayette, Sept. 6, 1867. n33 4-w

POOR MAN'S MARKET!

I WILL keep on hand for sale, for CASH, everything in the Market line that the demand and my means will justify; and will be pleased to accommodate all. Patronize a poor man who is trying to make a living and you will get your money's worth. La Fayette, Ore on. J. DIXON. n33 3w

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, is also 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 4f

We have lately purchased an extensive addition to our stock of Job Type and other Material, which enables us to execute every variety of Job Printing. n32 1m

PORTLAND ADVERTISEMENTS.

Auction and Commission.

A. B. RICHARDSON, AUCTIONEER, Corner of Front and Oak Streets. PORTLAND, OGN.

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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.

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The Renowned Chinese PHYSICIAN! ASTOUNDING 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.

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Heart Disease, Chronic Coughs, Consumption, Asthma and kindred malades, banish before his touch. Hundreds of testimonials have been tendered and might be produced of the efficiency of the Doctor's treatment of all diseases common to this coast and climate. His office is on Washington street between Second and Third streets, Portland, where he can be consulted at all hours when not professionally absent. v2 n23 6m

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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The wear and tear of clothing in washing by this machine is less than by any other process known. It has been extensively used in Portland and receives the universal commendation of all who have used it.

NICHOLS & BIDWELL, Manufacturers, Main Street, n21 1f

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