

LAFAYETTE COURIER.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1873.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

All subscribers to the COURIER will pay arrears to September 4th...

J. H. UPTON.

THE STOKES CASE.

The Stokes murder case again is the subject of telegraphic news, and all New York is agog with the theme...

GERMAN EMIGRATION.

The German Government seems to be growing somewhat tired of the constant stream of emigration from its shores...

The result of the Ohio election was such as to lend fresh encouragement to the hosts of good and true men throughout the United States...

The Bulletin and Oregonian occupy their time since the election in criminations and recriminations because of the middle they have, by their joint efforts, got the Republican party into.

Hon. Geo. R. Helm gave us a call during his stay in our place in attendance at Court, Old Linn, Mr. Helm's home, gave General Nesmith 499 majority.

Hon. A. G. Thurman will be re-elected U. S. Senator from Ohio.

Notes and News.

The most interesting question proposed now, is "How long will our financial difficulties continue?"

Young Matheny was sentenced to be hanged, the execution will take place to-day unless Executive clemency be extended to him.

The Bulletin and Oregonian continue their war of words. It may be interesting to them?

A new paper, to be called the Pacific Odd Fellow, is to be started in San Francisco about January 1st.

Mrs. Duniway has gone to Olympia to assist in getting a Suffrage bill passed through the Assembly.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has surrendered its charter to the Governor General, which has been accepted by him.

The Carlists have resolved to give no quarters to the Republicans.

According to the estimate of the Pension Commissioners, the appropriations for pensions will be about \$100,000 less for the next fiscal year.

We wish it understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions our correspondents may maintain. But while we are glad to hear what they have to say, we wish them to say it with courtesy and prudence.

STATE ELECTION RETURNS.

The following counties have sent in their election returns:

Table with 3 columns: County, Nesmith, Smith. Rows include Benton, Clackamas, Columbia, Jackson, Lane, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Umatilla, Wasco, Washington, Yamhill, Total.

THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

A dispatch from Washington of recent date says: The Washington Sentinel, in its issue of the 17th says that there is no longer any doubt that Jay Cooke & Co. look to the next Congress for relief.

The Lafayette COURIER comes to hand under the proprietorship of Messrs. Dorris & Hembree. The paper is much improved.

CHANGED HANDS.—J. H. Upton has sold his paper, the Lafayette COURIER, to J. J. Hembree and G. P. Dorris.

We wish the retiring publisher success in his new role, and bespeak for the new ones the hearty support of the Democrats of Yamhill county. The COURIER is the only paper "printed" in that county and should be taken by all who desire to patronize home industry.

The Lafayette COURIER changed hands last week. It appears to us that the paper has improved in appearance and contents. It is now run by Messrs. Dorris & Hembree.—Oregonian.

Near Beaufort, N. C., a colored boy went out to hoe corn. He failed to appear at the usual time, and when hunted for was found dead, with a rattlesnake coiled round him, and still biting the body.

Max Adeler says man is the only animal that blows his nose. Some one suggests that the reason is, because man is the only animal that knows how to blow. What about the whale? we ask.

OREGON.

The College Base Ball Club, of Salem, have decided not to play any more match games this year. This effectually closes out the prospects of another game between the champions of the North Pacific.

The new bridge now being constructed across the Calapooca creek at New Oakland, is nearly completed.

Mr. R. Gibbons has been appointed County Clerk of Wasco to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. A. Holland.

The Sunday School of the M. E. Church South, at Corvallis, is rapidly filling up.

Robert Mays is Master and E. L. Perham is Secretary of the new Grange that was lately organized at the Dalles.

R. C. Kinney & Co., of the Salem mills, are now doing an immense business, grinding 45 tons of flour a day, and receiving daily thousands of bushels of wheat.

The number of votes cast in Wasco county at the last election was 493. Mr. Nesmith received 293 while Mr. Smith received 140. Nesmith's majority 153.

Dr. E. J. Dawne of Salem has just received a letter stating that a party of emigrants, consisting of eleven families, has started from near Memphis, in Tennessee, for Oregon. Dr. Dawne is corresponding continually with parties in the States upon Oregon, its resources and progress, and has induced a large number of families to come to the State.

On the 26th inst. Van Emerson and Shirtz got into a quarrel over a shooting match, which resulted in the death of both parties. Van Emerson stabbed Shirtz in the breast, killing him instantly, whereat one of Shirtz's brothers struck Van Emerson on the neck, breaking the same and causing instant death. The Sheriff is in pursuit of the murderer.

Corvallis is to have a distillery. The new Custom House at Portland is to have a slate roof.

Dr. Dawne informs the Statesman of the flourishing condition of the Agricultural College at Corvallis. There are between 275 and 300 students there at the present time. The prospects of the College were never better.

Immigration to the Goose Lake country has not been near so large as had been anticipated, the war having deterred many from going there who had written to their friends last fall that they intended to come this season. There is nothing now in that whole region to cause alarm.

Work on the State Capitol has ceased for this season.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

NEW YORK, Oct. 29.—District Attorney Phillips this morning concluded his address in the Stokes case. Counsel Tremaine, for prisoner, then summed up on some of the points to the Judge for consideration. The jury and Court then took a recess. After reassembling Judge Davis began his charge to the jury.

Col. Tom Scott has just returned from Europe. He states that while the disturbed monetary condition here defeated his efforts to negotiate the sale of the Texas and Pacific Railroad bonds, he obtained such financial aid as will enable his company to continue to work on the road and to build it within the requirements of Congress and the State of Texas. He thinks that well-secured railroad bonds will be ready saleable in Europe in a few months.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—The Treasury Department has received a dispatch from special agent Cattel at London, announcing that the German Government had subscribed \$3,000,000 to the purchase of the new five per cent. bonds. This makes \$10,000,000 which has been subscribed from that source alone, and is one-third of the total subscription.

St. Louis, Oct. 29.—A Republican special from Dennison, Texas, says Lieut. Quimble, from Fort Richardson, has arrived there. He reports the Indians in that region as very hostile. Several murders have been committed by them. During the past week stock had been driven off near Wichita and butchered. The settlers fled to a rancho in that vicinity, where they are besieged by a large band of Indians. Two companies of Soldiers left Fort Richardson on Monday in pursuit of the savages. There is general alarm among the frontier settlers. The Indians are supposed to be Comanches.

Yellow fever is abating in the South owing to cold weather commencing.

FORDING A RIVER.—Where the road between Merced and Snelling crosses the Merced River (California), that stream is about 200 yards in width, and even at this season of the year, when the water is quite low, it looks like a dangerous and deep stream to cross. Recently, a patent medicine agent, traveling on horse-back through that section, came to the river and hesitated about attempting to ford it, as he saw the wide expanse of rushing water. There is no bridge anywhere along there, so after some indecision he concluded to swim his horse across. Spying a boy fishing in a small boat tied to the bank, he said: "Hello, bub?" "Hello, yourself."

"Can I get you to take my clothes across the river in your boat?" "I reckon you kin, if you've got any soap."

"All right; I'll give you a quarter to take my clothes and this carpet-bag to the opposite shore." To this the boy nodded assent, the stranger disrobed, turned over the carpet-sack and habiliments to the juvenile, who paddled out into the stream, and he mounted his horse, prepared to swim the river and enjoy the luxury of a bath. With a splash at every moment, the horse stepped into the stream and walked across—the water was nowhere more than eighteen inches deep. To say that that medicine man, perched on the back of his horse, was a man of iniquity for the space of half an hour, would hardly do justice to the occasion. There were enough "oaths" along the Merced that afternoon to supply a hundred mining camps.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DRUGS, DR. LITTLEFIELD, ST. JOSEPH, OREGON. DEALER IN DRUGS, MUSIC, & C.

Which I offer for sale cheap for cash. I now have on hand Musical Instruments such as

ORGANS, VIOLINS, FLUTES, ACCORDEONS, FIFES.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS! GATES & OLDS' ST. JOSEPH, OREGON.

WE ARE CONSTANTLY RECEIVING New Goods direct from Portland. Give us a call.

GEM SALOON LAFAYETTE, OREGON. Isaac Sampson, Proprietor.

DEALER IN FINE WINES AND LIQ. Whisky, Brandy, Ale, Porter, Beer and Soda. Also, Segars, Tobacco, Candy, Nuts, etc. Give me a call. no35/1f

LIVERY & FEED STABLE, Corner Jefferson and Third Sts., LAFAYETTE, OGN.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES pleasure in announcing to the travelling public that in connection with his Feed and Livery business he is running a DAILY EXPRESS to and from St. Joseph. Leaves Lafayette at 10:15, making connection with the cars, and returning at 12:35 p. m. no35/1f HULL JOHNSON, Prop.

ST. JOSEPH BUSINESS DIRECTORY. KELTY & SIMPSON, cor. 4th and Elm; dealers in groceries, glassware, Queens ware and patent medicines.

BALLIARD SALOON, Powers & Stewart, proprietors. Best wines, liquors, &c.

HOTEL, J. H. Olds, proprietor; cor. of 4th and Depot streets. New house and good accommodations.

DALLAS-SALEM STAGE LINE! DAILY TRIPS. LEAVES AT 7 IN THE MORNING Arriving at Salem at 10 Returning leaves Salem at One o'clock Arriving at Dallas at 4. JESSE D. LEWIS, Prop.

MISCELLANEOUS.

GROCERIES, DRUGS, KELTY & SIMPSON. DRUGGISTS, AND DEALERS IN GROCERIES, CANNED FRUITS, Oysters, Pickles, Crackers, Nuts of all kinds, Tobacco, Sardines.

Fine Wines and Liquors for Medicinal uses.

GOOD LUMBER, Cheap Lumber.

AT STANDLEY'S MILL ON NORTH YAMHILL, Is constantly kept a complete assortment of Building and other Lumber, Flooring, Ceiling, Weather boarding, Joists, Rafters, Sills, Etc., Etc., for sale Cheap as the Cheapest.

LUMBER DRESSED AND GROOVED. Also a general assortment of excellent Finishing Lumber. Bills solicited and promptly filled. no18 THOMAS STANDLEY

Sheriff's Sale. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of an execution issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Yamhill and to me directed by the Clerk of said Court in favor of James T. Hembree, Plaintiff, and against Thomas Henry, Defendant, for the sum of thirteen hundred and fifty-two (\$1,352) dollars U. S. coin, with interest thereon at the rate of one percent per month from the 18th day of December 1872 and the further sum of thirty-four and twenty one hundredths dollars costs.

I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the said defendant in and to the following described real property, to-wit: Block No. 18, eighteen in the town of Lafayette, Yamhill county, Oregon. And on Monday the 1st day of December 1873 at one o'clock P. M. of said day I will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for U. S. coin in front of the Court House door in Lafayette, Yamhill county Oregon, all the right, title and interest of the above named Defendant in and to the above described real estate together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances therunto belonging even any way appertaining to satisfy said execution and accruing costs. R. F. BIRD, Sheriff of Yamhill county, Oregon. Lafayette Oct. 31st, 1873.

Administrator's Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Lewis Forrest, deceased, by the County Court of Yamhill county, Oregon. And all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them to me, with the proper vouchers at my residence, five miles south east of Dayton in said county and State within six months from the date of this notice. J. W. LAMBERT, Administrator. Dated: October 21st, 1873. no-35/4

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WOOL CARDING. THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS pleasure in informing the public that he has set up his CARDING MACHINE IN MOHNVILLE, and is now ready to do all kinds of work in his line of business. Give me a call and I promise you satisfaction. HENRY REASONER. 23m2

JUST LOOK HERE! Cheaper Than Ever. 4 for \$1. Photographic. F. W. SAWYER DESIRES TO INFORM the people of Lafayette and vicinity that he has located at McMinnville, with new instruments, and is prepared to take the finest picture in all kinds of weather. Particular attention paid to TAKING CHILDREN'S PICTURES. N. B.—Children should be brought between the hours of 10 and 3. E. W. SAWYER.

NEW GOODS, LOW PRICES.

HARKER & CO. are now prepared to offer to the Farmers and Cash-croppers of Oregon, the largest and best selected stock of General Merchandise ever offered in Yamhill county, consisting of

STAPLE and FANCY GOODS.

GROCERIES, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, GLASSWARE AND QUODENS WARE, HARDWARE AND CUTLERY, DRUGS, MEDICINES, T. N. WARE ETC.

All of which have been selected from the Importers and Dealers of San Francisco, and will be offered low for cash or country produce.

The Dayton Flouring Mills

Are now running, and are prepared to buy Wheat or to exchange for Wheat, to grind for toll, or to chop for toll, or to grind high or to grind low or not to grind at all, or any way to please the farmers, so that they will not go away scolding.

The Dayton Granary

Is now open for storage, free of charge to all those that will give us the preference of purchasing their Wheat for sale, at the highest market price, any time when they may see proper to sell. So some on, gentlemen, we have a free bridge and no ferrage, and will accommodate you any way to suit the times. HARKER & CO. Dayton, October 2, 1873.

REAL ESTATE

Sold on Credit Or Exchanged for other Property.

MONEY LOANED. NOTES, ACCOUNTS, And Demands on the U. S. Collected.

C. M. CARTER Will sell his own

CITY LOTS and BLOCKS AND

OUT SIDE LANDS, On a long time, or will exchange for other property. He owns Real estate in all parts of the City, and can sell cheaper than any one else.

MONEY LOANED For any person on approved Real estate in this City. Interest collected quarterly and remitted to lender. Loans can be made to rebuild brick houses in the burnt district, secured by the same property. Notes, Vouchers, Accounts and Claims on the U. S. collected. Address, C. M. CARTER, Carter's Block, Portland, Oregon.

NEW GOODS! At the Old Brick Corner.

FERGUSON & BIRD HAVE JUST RECEIVED AND ARE constantly receiving

New Goods, Consisting of General Merchandise,

CLOTHING, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, HARDWARE,

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LADIES' DRESS GOODS

Of latest Styles and in fine variety. Give this House a Call. 23m2

PORTLAND HACK LINE!

J. H. OLDS - PROPRIETOR.

ON AND AFTER MAY 16, THERE will be a regular stage running between Lafayette and Portland, making weekly trips, leaving Lafayette every Friday morning at 8 o'clock, returning Saturday. FARE, EACH WAY, \$1 50.

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Will be placed upon this line in a short time. EXPRESS and other business attended to promptly. 23m2