

FACTS AND FANCIES.

A new instrument, colossal horn, called the Aerophone, has been invented, which is played by steam instead of human breath.

The pompous epitaph of a close-fisted citizen closed with the following passage of Scripture: "He that giveth to the poor, lendeth to the Lord."

The talent of turning into ridicule, and exposing to laughter those one converses with, is the gratification of little minds and ungenerous tempers.

HAVANA accounts notice the arrival there of the ex-Emperor of Hayti, Soulouque, his Prime Minister, Solomon, and twenty-four others of his family and suite, on their way to St. Thomas, having been expelled from Jamaica by the British Government.

Le Genie Industriel says that two horse-shoers of Paris, M. Lefevre and M. Guerin, have invented a horse-shoe to be attached temporarily by any traveler whose horse should cast a shoe on the road at a distance from any blacksmith shop.

The amount of conscience money received by the Secretary of the Treasury for the year ending July 1 1865, was \$20 876. The amount was paid in sums varying from fifty cents to five hundred dollars.

It has been asserted that the color of the emerald is due to the presence of an animal or vegetable substance, and may be destroyed by heat. Recent experiments, however, have shown that this is not the case; an emerald kept at the temperature of melted copper, for an hour, became colorless, but its color was not affected.

The usher of the Troy Opera House, a few evenings ago, perceived in a front seat a person wearing a round-crowned felt hat. The attentive usher hurried down the aisle and touched the spectator on the shoulder, with a "you must take off your hat, Sir."

DENTAL NOTICE.—Being about to make a professional tour to the towns and settlements up the Columbia, I respectfully call the attention of those of my patrons who are in need of Dental Operations of any character, to the fact, so that they may have an opportunity to avail themselves of my services before my departure.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, By the Night, Week or Month, NEXT DOOR TO JACKSON ENGINE HOUSE.

Dissolution Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the co-partnership heretofore existing between H. J. WALDRON & JAMES G. WALKER, under the name of H. J. Waldron & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

NEW GOODS! HAVING JUST ARRIVED FROM THE SAN FRANCISCO MARKET, we would invite the attention of our friends and the community at large, to our well-selected stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots & Shoes, &c., &c., &c.

SELLING OFF AT COST! M. Wunsch & Co., WILL CLOSE OUT THEIR STOCK OF MERCHANDISE, at their place of business, at the Dalles, in order to go to the Mines. Their stock embraces— Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Hats AND GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

FURNITURE! FURNITURE DIERLAM & WENTZ, GLOM HOTEL BUILDING, Dalles City, have on hand a variety Household Furniture, embracing Tables, Chairs, Bureaus, Beds and Bedsteads, Bedding, Carpets, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at low rates.

W.M. BROWN WARNER, M. D. OFFICE—74 SECOND STREET, between Washington and Court.

MANTUA MAKER. MRS. MATTIE HOLBROOK would respectfully inform the Ladies of the Dalles and vicinity, that she has opened a shop in connection with Miss O'Rourke, where she is prepared to do all kinds of work with neatness and dispatch.

Furs! Furs! THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH FOR Beaver, Otter Mink and Coon Skins.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS! TOYS! FOR TOYS AND FANCY GOODS For the Holidays, we recommend all dealers in that line to the BASKET AND TOY EMPORIUM of THUMAUER & ZUIN.

A SERIES OF Literary and Scientific Lectures WHICH has been in contemplation for some time, is now offered to the people of the Dalles: The first Lecture of the Series will be given THIS EVENING,

Tickets for the Course: ONE DOLLAR. Single Admission, Fifty cents. This lecture will be delivered by JUDGE W. L. HILL, in the Methodist Church—lecture will commence at 7 o'clock. Subject: GENIUS OF THE WESTERN REPUBLIC.

Sheriff's Sale of Real Property. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION issued by the Clerk of the County Court, in and for Grant County, State of Oregon, and to me directed, in favor of E. C. Hardy, plaintiff, and against John S. Miller, F. R. Ashton, L. E. Ward, J. R. Shakerly, and A. C. Hall, defendants, for the sum of Three Hundred and Forty-seven and 64/100 (\$347 64/100) dollars, principal, in Gold Coin, and Seventy-six and 86/100 (\$76 86/100) dollars, cost and disbursements, with interest, accruing costs and costs of execution, I have levied upon and will sell at public auction before the Court House door, in Canyon City, ON SATURDAY, the 24th day of MARCH, 1866, between the hours of 12 and 2 o'clock, P. M., to the highest bidder for cash in hand, gold coin, all of the interest of the defendants in and to the following described property, to wit:

Summons. J. F. Griffin plaintiff, vs. Isaac Jennings, defendant.—Action to recover money, in County Court of the State of Oregon, for Union County. TWO ISAAC JENNINGS, Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer Plaintiff's complaint now on file in the Clerk's office in said Court, after service hereof upon you by publication for six weeks in the WEEKLY MOUNTAINEER, as by order of said Court, or judgment for want thereof will be taken against you and unless you so appear and answer said complaint, the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$300, together with the costs and disbursements of this action. By order of J. P. Argersinger, County Judge of Union County. M. BAKER, Atty for plaintiff. U. S. Rev. Stamp 50 cents. Jan 5-6w

DALLES CITY DRUG STORE. P. CRAIG, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN DRUGS, MEDICINES, Perfumery, Fancy Soaps, PATENT MEDICINES, &c.

S. LEMON, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGIST, Washington Street, between Main and Second Streets DALLES, OREGON. S. LEMON is able to supply parties in want of Drugs, Patent Medicines, Chemicals, Acids, Perfumery, and every other article enumerated with the WHOLESALE DRUG BUSINESS, At the lowest market rates.

PORTLAND FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP, FIRST STREET, between Yamhill and Morrison. Steam Engines of from 4 to 40 horse-power, either Portable or Stationary. Also, CIRCULAR SAW MILLS COMPLETE, constantly on hand. Also, Hay Presses of all sizes; Planing Machines, (Woodworth's pattern.) Wrought and Cast Iron work for Vertical Saws and Grist mills; Brass and Iron Castings and WROUGHT IRON WORK of every description. I am also prepared to furnish Quartz Mills complete, of the Latest & most Improved Patterns.

SELLING OFF AT COST! My entire stock of STOVES AND TINWARE, ALSO, TINMAN'S TOOLS. THE WHOLE embracing a fine stock, every article of which will be sold at COST, as I desire to close out business. Also, one GRAND PIANO, in good order. Also, for sale, the HOUSE AND LOT, on Second St. east, next to the corner of Washington. The house is two stories, with a basement, and is well adapted to the hotel business. Also a lot of BEDDING, comprising about twenty-five Beds. The whole will be closed out cheap. For further particulars apply on the premises. ALBERT BETTINGEN.

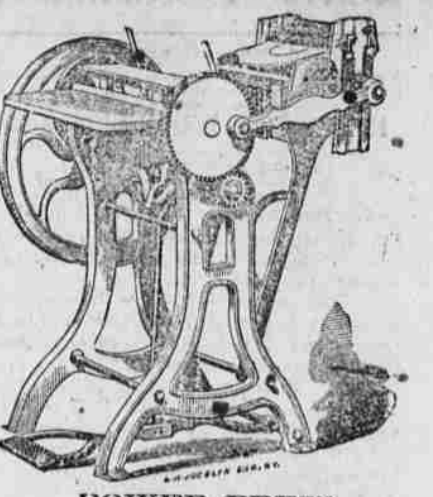
Washington Wagon Road. THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INFORM THE TRAVELING PUBLIC that the Washington Wagon Road from Portland and Vancouver to the Upper Cascades is well being kept in good traveling order for wagons and stock. E. C. HARDY, Sole Proprietor.

NOTICE. I HEREBY WARN ALL PERSONS from contracting or buying anything whatever from F. M. KUNTZ, whereby I will have been thought by the public responsible, as I am not, nor will I hold myself responsible for any of said F. M. Kuntz's acts. W. F. MOFFAT. Sasnaville, Grant Co., Nov. 23, 1865.

MRS. L. WHITE'S NEW PHOTOGRAPH ROOMS, Washington Street. HAVING NEWLY FITTED UP THE GALLERY over Degnar's Store, would respectfully announce to all those wishing Photographs, Cards de Visite, &c., that they will do well to give her a call. Particular attention paid to taking Ladies and Children's Pictures.

LINCOLN HOUSE, Corner Washington and Front Streets, PORTLAND, OREGON. FIRST-CLASS HOTEL. LARGEST IN THE STATE. Charges Reasonable. AN OMNIBUS will attend all the Boats and convey Passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge, or to any other House in the City for 50 cents. S. COFFIN, Proprietor. P. S.—HOT and COLD BATHS in the House. All the Steamers for Oregon City, Vancouver, Monticello and Astoria land at the Lincoln House Wharf.

M. BROWN & BRO., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS! GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c. Mr. M. BROWN, being a resident of San Francisco, we are enabled to offer great inducements to purchasers. We respectfully invite the public to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Stone Store, north side Main street, Dalles. DR. A. H. STEELE, ACTING ASSISTANT SURGEON, U. S. A. WALDRON BROS. DRUG STORE



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JACKSON SALOON! CORNER COURT AND SECOND STREETS, DALLES, OREGON. THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVING REMOVED FROM THE "BELLA UNION" CELLAR, INTO Gates' New Building, Beg to inform the public that they are prepared to serve their customers with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars, THE MARKET AFFORDS. ALSO, A Free Lunch! Every day and evening. EMIL SCHUTZ, Proprietor.

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NEW HEARSE! THE UNDERSIGNED BEGS TO INFORM THE CITIZENS of the Dalles and vicinity that he has received a NEW HEARSE, and will Attend Funerals on short notice. This is the first, and at present, only Hearse in the city. I. M. EVANS, Dalles, May 19, 1865. DR. B. W. MITCHELL, Office—WALDRON'S BUILDING. Residence—Corner of Third and Washington Streets