Daily Mountaineer.

SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 10, 1866.

THE Columbia is rapidly rising at this point. It has risen three feet within the past twenty-four hours.

THE O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Idaho* reached her landing at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

A PACK TRAIN of seventeen animals arrived in town yesterday to load up for the John Day mining district.

AUCTION SALE.—The attention of parties desirous of laying in a stock of Groceries or buying a handsome Cottage Residence, is directed to the advertisement of Mr. John Williams, Auctioneer, in this mooning's issue.

A GOOD crossing has been laid at the corner of Third and Union streets, but as yet that man-trap is not repaired. Will some city official attend to this, and make Union street passible without being dangerous?

THE Circuit Court at Portland has given a decision, that Beckman, who was robbed at Umatilla last fall, at the time the Orleans Hotel safe was opened, is entitled to the money deposited with Wells, Fargo & Co., at Portland, by the thieves.

THE *Oregonian* says that a party of men who left Portland about a week since for the Dalles, by the trail with animals, returned, unable to proceed farther than the Waterfalls. They report the trail impassable on account of snow and other obstacles.

A GENTLEMAN who arrived from Canyon City yesterday reports that the miners have got to work, and are doing very well. Business at Canyon City, is lively, the merchants being steadily engaged in exchanging merchandise for the *oro*. There has been no Indian depredations committed on the road since last report.

WE are requested by citizens living on Second street, between Union and the Creek, to urge that a sidewalk be laid along that street. It is not necessary for present purposes that regular sidewalks be placed the whole distance. Two pieces of plank laid down would give the families living in that quarter of the city an opportunity to come into town even in the worst of weather.

CLICKITAT VALLEY.—At a season of the year when large numbers of persons are coming from below, in search of homes, we think it well to call attention to the peculiar advantages of Clickitat. Situated within a few miles of the Dalles, of ready access at all seasons of the year, and possesses a genial climate and productive soil, there are few localities that present greater inducements to those who desire to turn their attention to agricultural pursuits. A number of claims have already been taken up, but there yet remains a large body of excellent land that is open for settlement. The produce of the Valley will at all times find a ready market at the Dalles, and when not otherwise engaged, the settler can be profitably employed in getting out wood, which can be delivered at Celilo at a trifling expense, and there command good prices. So long as valleys like this remain unsettled, there is not the shadow of an excuse for even the poorest being without a homestead.

THE NORTHERN MINES.

The California press with scarce an exception, pursues a dignified silence in reference to the mines in Eastern Oregon; or if any mention is made, it is accompanied with something about gulling honest miners. Why this attempt to ignore a fact attested by a steady stream of golden treasure that is constantly flowing into San Francisco, is a thing we fail to understand. The California papers publish column after column about Washoe, but never a word in relation to the gold fields of Oregon. This total exclusion of all that relates to the northern country, is without excuse. Any enlightened person can understand that mines discovered on the Boise just as directly tend to the advantage of California capitalists, as would a similar discovery on any stream emptying into the Sacramento. The traders of the upper country draw their supplies from San Francisco with the same regularity that the people of Washoe obtain their stocks from that great commercial mart. And we fail to see wherein it matters to the California capitalist whether he sells to Washoe or Oregon, so long as he gets his returns in due season.

To us it appears that the press of California would find it to their interest to act justly in regard to the different mining sections, giving reliable information, without regard to the effect it may have upon the tide of immigration. This, it seems to us, would not only be good policy, but would be an act of justice to the honest miner, who is on the search for a new field of operations. Let the press fairly give all the facts in relation to the different mining localities, and then the miner will be able to arrive at a correct conclusion; as it is now, he is constantly being biased by partial and one-sided reports. A course of this kind may, and has temporarily retarded our prosperity, but all the papers in California cannot long keep the great world in ignorance as to the richness of our mines, and when once the light penetrates through the darkness that now enshrouds us, the reaction will more than compensate for the present depression. It was the saying of the great Corsican conqueror in the noonday of his splendor, that France, like the sun in the heaven, required no recognition from foreign powers. So too, we may say of our Northern mines, that surrounded with a halo of golden glory, they need not the recognition of the Press of California.

THE FREEDMAN'S BUREAU BILL.—We give in another place what purports to be a synopsis of the bill recently vetoed by the President. The bill had been amended in the Senate and sent back to the House, but what the nature of the amendments were we do not know. The leading objections to the bill is that it establishes military tribunals for the trial of causes in which freedmen are a party, and places them above and entirely independent of, the civil courts. Such tribunals have heretofore been unknown in our Government, and can only be justified on the ground of imperious necessity. The reports of parties who have visited the lately rebellious States, with a view of ascertaining their condition, differ so materially that it is not surprising there should be differences of opinion in the communi[illegible]

PRECINCT MEETINGS.—The Union voters of the Dalles will recollect that to day at 1 o'clock, P. M., is the time fixed for the holding of precinct meetings, to elect delegates to attend the County Convention on the 17th inst. We trust that all those who feel interested in having good men placed in nomination for the various offices in the county will be promply in attendance. The meeting in East Dalles will be held at the School House, corner of Fourth and Washington streets, and in West Dalles, at the Court House.

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AUCTION SALE
OF
GROCERIES.
I will sell on
THIS DAY,
AT MY AUCTION SALE ROOM, No. 100 MAIN STREET, an assortment of
Groceries.
(SEE ADVERTISEMENT ON SATURDAY MORNING)
At 11 O'Clock, on the same Day,
I will sell to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION the Handsome
Cottage Residence,
Formerly owned by Basey Biven, Esq, situate on the corner of Union and Fourth Streets. TERMS LIBERAL
JOHN WILLIAMS, Auct.

HANDSOME COTTAGE RESIDENCE
FOR SALE AT
Public Auction.
I will sell at
PUBLIC AUCTION
ON
Saturday, March 10th, at 11 a. m.,
THE HANDSOME COTTAGE RESIDENCE formerly occupied and owned by Basey Biven, Esq. Said property is situated on the corner of Fourth and Union Streets, and is one of the most desirable locations in the city. Size of lot, 50x100. The dwelling contains FIVE ROOMS. A FINE WELL OF WATER ON THE PREMISES and a SUBSTANTIAL FENCE surrounding the lot.
The terms will be made known on day of Sale, or on application to the undersigned.
☞The Sale will be absolute and without reserve.
JOHN WILLIAMS, Auctioneer,
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PUBLIC AUCTION
OR PRIVATE SALE,
Real Estate,
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Groceries,
Horses,
Mules,
Furniture,
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REGULAR SALE DAYS,
Tuesdays and Saturdays.
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Out door and Special Sales attended to in any part of the city.
Tariff of Charges Until Further Notice:
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For Selling Houses and Real Estate..... 3 "
" Horses, Mules, Work Cattle, each $2
NO CHARGE FOR STORAGE.
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Main Street, Dalles,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
CIGARS, TOBACCO, SNUFF,
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ALWAYS IN STORE THE BEST BRANDS OF
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PERFUMERY, of every description,
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TOYS, DOLLS, etc.
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MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
FANCY GOODS, &c.
Also Powder, Shot, Lead, Powder Flasks, Baskets, and many other articles too numerous to mention.
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BRAN,
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25 Front Street, Portland,
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J. W. GURLEY, DENTIST,
Main St., Dalles, Oregon.

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM the citizens of this place and vicinity, that having returned from a professional tour through the mines, he has again resumed the practice of DENTISTRY, in the room formerly occupied by him, in the building occupied by Wood & Butler, Photograph Artists, and adjoining Waldron Bros.' Drug Store. He takes this method of extending thanks, for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to him, and solicits a continuance of the same.
LIST OF PRICES.
Entire Denture on Gold Base.....$180 to $225
" Upper Denture, Gold Base..... 90 " 125
" Denture, Vulcanite Base..... 70 " 125
" Upper Denture, Vulcanite Base..... 35 " 65
Gold Fillings inserted from one dollar upward.
Childrens' Teeth extracted free of charge. se13-tf

NEW SALOON.
NEW STONE STORE, WASHINGTON STREET.
THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully announce that he will open a first class Saloon in French & Gilman's New Stone Building, THIS EVENING, and is prepared to serve customers with the best of
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ALSO, A
FREE LUNCH
Every day and Evening.
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COAL OIL! COAL OIL!
WALDRON BROS. have just received a large invoice of COAL OIL, which they offer at greatly reduced rates. jul7tf f7tf