

POLK COUNTY TIMES.

COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

DALLAS, SATURDAY, JAN. 8.

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THE SHIBBOLETH.

The Shibboleth has been spoken. The first bold words necessary to be uttered on the floors of Congress have already reverberated in the Hall of the House of Representatives.

It is indeed true that Brooks, the representative of the Tammany, bondholding Democrats, protested against the outspoken Buckeye representative.

HUMILIATING CONFESSION.—A few weeks ago we propounded to the Salem Press two questions, which it dare not honestly answer, and which extorted from it the humiliating confession that "the Press does not deem itself the only infallible guide—more honest, patriotic and (more?) wiser than the assembled wisdom of the nation combined."

shall henceforth intervene. And we now frankly tell these bondholders that unless they themselves shall, before that time, evince a disposition to have their claims settled upon a more just and honest basis, the people will deem them thieves, and treat them as such by repudiating their claims entirely.

A pebble loosened on an Alpine cliff has often caused the march of the terrible avalanche. This one vote of the brave Buckeye on the floor of Congress is but the first token of a political avalanche which will eventually bury the abolition war debt so far beneath the white ballots of freemen that no one but an antiquarian will care to search for those handsome pictures printed so plentifully during the last ten years at the City of Washington.

CORRESPONDENCE.

From Washington Territory,

OLYMPIA, DEC. 25, 1869.

EDITOR TIMES: This finds me wishing you all a happy Christmas and many of them. Everything is lovely on "the finest body of water, etc." The people are still jubilating over the almost demise of (by the time you receive this) the once '69. Christmas festivities—gay dinners, dances, steamboat rides, go-and-see-your-cousins, etc., are the programme of our happy denizens.

Our modern puritans had a grand demonstration on the 22d. Quite extensive preparations were made for the accommodation of 500, at least; but their anticipations were somewhat blasted.

I forgot to mention in my last that our virtuous friend "Antonius" abjured our realm on the 1st of this month, for the land of ducks, red apples, frog ponds and, he says, gay girls of Dallas.

The weather has been exceedingly cold for the few days past, and our juveniles have been having gay times on the ice. A slight snow fell on the 22d but soon vanished under the liquidating influence of a Web-foot mist.

Olympia is gradually growing; houses are being built and have been building all fall and winter; but I fear this city's progress is too fast for the surrounding country, and before many summers will be like Goldsmith's "Deserted Village."

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WEST SIDE RAILROAD.—The following, from the Statesman, contrasts favorably with the selfish spirit hitherto manifested by the East-Willamette papers:

We learn that efforts are being made to secure Congressional aid for the railroad on the west side of this valley; that petitions are being circulated and signed universally there, for an additional subsidy to help the construction of the road so much needed through those counties.

To CORRESPONDENTS.—We have received several political (by courtesy) communications of late, intended for publication, which we respectfully decline, the wording being so jumbled and their purport so vague that we can with difficulty decipher, much less make sense of them, even if we had the time and inclination to worry over them—

THE Mobile Weekly Register, the oldest Democratic paper in the South, is said to have reached a larger circulation than was ever attained by any journal south of Mason and Dixon's line.

ABSOLUTE and unconditional free trade, a specie currency, a strict construction of constitutional powers, local self-government, which is but another name for liberty, opposition to all centralizing tendencies and to all efforts to confer political power upon a servile and pagan population, a just regard for the welfare and interest of the industrial classes, and a pure administration of public affairs—these principles and this policy will alone deserve and command permanent success.

SOME fool has started the following sentence: "The President is going to expose Congressional extravagance." Or rather some careless rascal has copied it from an old paper published during President Johnson's administration.

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We are in receipt of a pamphlet containing a list of the premiums awarded at the last State Fair at Salem, together with the addresses and proceedings of the Board of Managers and Society. It has a fine typographical appearance and reflects credit on its printer, Mr. A. L. Stinson, of Salem.

—A little boy disputing with his sister recently, exclaimed: "It's true, for he says so; and if he says so, it is so, if it ain't so."

MARRIED.

In Portland, Dec. 29th, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Wm. Roberts, Mr. W. S. James (late of Dallas) and Miss Mary E. Bird.

The compliments of the happy couple were received and duly honored. May their lives flow on with gentle motion until they reach that calm sea and purer sky where all is peace.

At the residence of David Ireland, of Polk county, Oregon, January 2, 1870, by Ira F. M. Butler, J. P., John H. Staats and Miss Julia M. Ireland, all of Polk county.

Ireland, Ireland, "gem of the sea," From British rule forever free. Let Johnny Staats, with joyful bliss, Salute his bride with sweetest kiss; May all their years of wedded life Prove happy years to John and wife.

Statesman and Herald please copy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW YEAR, 1870.

PAY UP! PAY UP!

AS THE NEW YEAR HAS NOW SET IN, we must close our books of the past year and begin anew. Those knowing themselves indebted to us will please come forward and settle without delay, as we must have money to do business.

W. C. BROWN & CO. Dallas, Ogn., Jan. 8, 1870.

WHAT U O!

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE undersigned will please call and settle immediately, and thereby save cost to themselves and expense to me.

B. F. BOND, M. D., Dallas, Ogn., Jan. 8th, 1870.

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Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Polk county, Oregon, Administrator of the estate of Obed B. Cope, deceased.

NOTICE.

D. R. JESSUP HAVING DETERMINED to remove from Dallas, he would inform his friends that he will hereafter be found in Salem. He has placed his books and accounts in the hands of Jas. McCain, Attorney at Law, Dallas, Oregon, for collection.

S. R. JESSUP, M. D.

RAGS WANTED.

THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID for all sorts of Cotton and Linen Rags, Old Rags, Bunnies, etc., by G. B. STILES, Main st., Dallas.

Dissolution Notice.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between L. Vineyard and J. H. Turner, in the law firm of Vineyard & Turner, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. H. TURNER. Dallas, Dec. 9, 1869.

PASTURAGE.

GOOD PASTURAGE WILL BE FURNISHED to any persons who may desire to winter stock. Apply to the undersigned at the Scoville Farm, three miles north of Dallas.

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Which they will sell as cheap as anybody, for Cash or Any Kind of Produce, good or bad.

GIVE US A CALL.

MITCHEL & ROSENDORFF. Independence, Oct. 1, 1869. 23

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They are also prepared to fill all special orders for work in their line promptly, cheaply and accurately.

Give us a trial, and you will be satisfied. 2 RIGGS & CAMPBELL.

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WINE, LIQUORS, PORTER, ALE Bitters, Cigars, Candies, Oysters, and Sardines will be served to gentlemen on the outside of the counter, by a gentleman who has an eye to "bit" on the inside.

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Notice of Final Settlement.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF POLK County, State of Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Aaron Chamberlain, deceased, Catharine Chamberlain, administratrix of said estate, having filed her final account in said Court praying a final settlement of the same, and that she be discharged from further liability as such administratrix. Therefore, notice is hereby given to all persons interested in said estate, that the said application will be heard and determined at the Court House in Dallas, on Monday, the third day of January, A. D. 1870.

J. L. COLLINS, Co. Judge. Dallas, Dec. 11th, 1869. 33

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Bennett Orosley, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment immediately; and those having claims against the estate will present them to me with the proper vouchers, at my residence, in Polk county, for adjustment, within six months from the date hereof.

WM. BURDEN, Adm'r. Dec. 11th, 1869. 33

Administrator's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN duly appointed Administrator of the estate of J. M. Rose, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment immediately; and those having claims against the estate will present them to me with the proper vouchers, at my residence, in Polk county, for adjustment, within six months from the date hereof.

WM. CHURCHILL, Adm'r. Dec. 11th, 1869-33

Notice to Creditors.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN duly appointed Administrator of the estate of David Burden, late of Polk county, Oregon, deceased, therefore all persons indebted to said estate are required to make immediate payment to me; and all persons having claims against the same are required to present them to me, at my residence in said county, within six months from the date hereof.

WM. BURDEN, Adm'r. Grande Ronde, Polk Co., Nov. 29, A.D. 1869.

Dissolution Notice.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between W. S. James and T. F. Hoyer, in the Dallas Hotel, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. S. James drawing out of the firm. T. F. Hoyer continues in the business and assumes the payment of partnership indebtedness, and will receive payment of all accounts due said firm.

W. S. JAMES. Dallas, Dec. 10, 1869. 33

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF POLK County, State of Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Joseph J. Armstrong, deceased, to Altha A. Campbell, James Armstrong, Emily Wolf, heirs, and James L. Thompson, Guardian ad litem of Lafayette Armstrong, Amelia Ann Armstrong and Charles W. Armstrong, minor heirs of said deceased.—In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear in said Court on Tuesday, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1870, and show cause, if any you have, why the application of J. G. Campbell, administrator of the estate of said deceased, to sell the southwest 1/4 of southeast 1/4 of section two; the southeast 1/4 of southeast 1/4 of section three; the northeast 1/4 of northeast 1/4 of section ten; and the northwest 1/4 of northwest 1/4 of section eleven, in township 6 south, range 4 west, Polk county, Oregon, should not be granted. And you are hereby further notified that if you fail to appear and make your objections, for want thereof, said application will be granted.

By order of said Court, made Dec. 6, 1869. Witness my hand and seal of said Court. J. L. THOMPSON, Clerk. Sullivan & Whitson, Admrs Attys. 33

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION TO ME directed, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Polk, in a judgment rendered thereon on the 8th day of December, A. D. 1869, in favor of Allen & Lewis and against the property, personal and real, of W. M. Hart, for the sum of twenty-one hundred and seventy and 75/100th dollars, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the above named defendant in and to the following described premises and parcels of land, to wit: Blocks Nos. six and seven and lots nos. four and five in block sixteen, in the town of Independence, Polk county, Oregon; also, the following described premises situated in the County of Polk and State of Oregon, in township 8 south, range 4 west, Willamette meridian, in section 21, commencing at the southwest corner of claim no. 85, modification no. 1829; thence north a chain; thence east 11.95 chains to the bank of the Willamette river; thence south 78 degrees, west 5 chains; thence west 19.84 chains to the place of beginning; containing six acres, more or less. Also, all of that part of the east half of the land claim of C. P. Cook, and bounded as follows: on the west by the division line between C. P. Cook and wife; on the north by the land claim of Thomas Burbank; southerly by the Willamette river; lastly, by the so-called Big Slough; being the land sold under execution by J. B. Holman, Sheriff, in the case of Hase & Strober vs. C. P. Cook.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, January 29th, 1870, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m., at the Court House in Dallas, Polk county, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the above described premises, to satisfy the said judgment and costs and accruing costs.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. of said day. J. W. SMITH, Sheriff of Polk county, Ogn. 33

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