

The Weekly Polk County Signal.

WILL HE RESIGN?—It will be remembered that, immediately upon accepting the nomination for President, Gen. McClellan resigned his position—that of Major-General in the regular army. Will Grant emulate this laudable example of unselfishness and resign also, or will he hold to what he already has until the people repudiate him in November next and then quietly continue to draw his enormous salary?

G. B. Stiles is constantly receiving additions to his stock of notions and family supplies. Adolf Wolf has a surprising large stock of goods on hand in his new store at Independence.

THE Oregonian assails the Hon. Mr. Rosenheim with the coarse epithets it can invent—says he is a man possessed of neither ability nor honesty—How would that paper like the looks of its praises bestowed on Mr. R. when that gentleman was a candidate in 1866 for the Legislature on the republican ticket?

The *Oregonian* complains that republicans got thrashed generally in Portland on the day of the municipal election, and threatens to organize a Vigilance Committee in that city.

If he can get sober enough, "Zora," late of the *Unionist*, will leave for California. These old gutters will look familiar to him.

WOULD NOT BITE.—The City Council of Salem refused to pass the railroad ordinance. The people of Salem don't hanker after stock in a China railroad Company engineered by Sam Clarke and George L. Woods. These worthies are known about Salem.

The radicals are trying to make it appear that one Sels of Grant county is elected State Senator over Mr. Dribblesby. Now the facts are, Mr. Dribblesby is a hold over Senator—having been elected two years since and denied his seat by the passage of a resolution requiring 90 days to take testimony in the case—his seat being contested—He was not a candidate in the late race.

A Black republican paper grows facetious over the woes of humanity generally, and of the people of nigger-ridden Georgia particularly. It sneeringly remarks that in all Georgia, only one gold watch appears on the internal revenue tax roll. The only wonderful thing we discover in this connection is, that after the march of Butler's brigade through that State there should be one watch left. It is a suggestive fact, that while Georgia pays the smallest gold watch revenue, Massachusetts is charged with the largest of any other State in the late Union. Butler is a resident of the latter State.

The N. Y. *Independent*, a religious paper, upbraids Mr. Everts, a republican, for defending the President in the impeachment trial, thereby, to use the words of the *Independent*, doing an act directly subversive of the interests of the republican party! O no! Christianity is not at a low ebb.

AN INVALUABLE INVENTION.—Mrs. J. Ford, of Salem, has invented, and is engaged in manufacturing a new Back and Abdominal Supporter, which, as far as the same has been introduced and tried, gives the most unqualified satisfaction. The amount of suffering from ailments peculiar to married ladies, (especially on this coast) averted and relieved by this contrivance is incalculable, and will ultimately recommend the same to the favorable consideration of all who are in any way afflicted with diseases of the womb or spine.

We learn from the daily *Record* that Mr. Wiswell won the fine trotting horse "Aleck," lately raffled for in Salem, put up at \$200.00. The first throw won the prize against the remaining 99.

The mouse, one of the unclean beasts of Leviticus (See xi 23) was sacrificed by the ancient Magi. Hiram Grant has been sacrificed by the modern "Magi," for he too, is an "unclean beast."

BY THE WAY.—This "dead" Democratic party still wiggles. Will some of the Apostolic followers of the holy David officiate at its funeral when its light shall finally "sicker out?"

The erection of synagogues has been assigned as a reason for the comparative purity of the Jewish worship after the captivity, while another cause has been discovered in the "hatred for image" acquired by the Jews in their intercourse with the Persians." So, the dedication of the efforts of the Democratic party to the restoration of the Constitution and the Union has taught the Jews, who were never entirely given over to the idol, republicanism, that their place of safety is in the Democratic fold, while their hatred for thievery, knavery and hypocrisy acquired during their brief sojourn in the camp of the radicals will serve them as a monitor in all future time by which they will be forewarned against the wiles and intrigues of any such party.

WILL REMOVE TO TILLAMOOK.—We learn that Addison See Gibbs, of Sinch and Mushpaddle notoriety, proposes to move to the Republic of Tillamook. Why shouldn't he? He owes his present official status to manipulations in that classic region. In the convention that nominated him he only got one majority and that one was cast by a proxy delegate from Tillamook and the member wielding that proxy was Addison C. Gibbs. Then in the election that followed he only got one majority and that one majority was made to depend upon the vote or rather the count of Tillamook. In justice to the land of clams, Gibbs ought to settle in Tillamook.

The radical Jacobins disregard all law. Alabama will be admitted! notwithstanding the fact that the reconstruction act—a law of their recent making—has not been complied with. This law requires that a majority of all the votes registered must be cast in favor of any constitution down South for its adoption, and that not one of these states shall be admitted until her constitution has been ratified. The Alabama constitution lacked 12 thousand of a majority.

The conquest of the ten tribes of Shalmaneser was for them the last scene in the drama of abominations which had been enacted uninterceptedly for 250 years; so the conquest of the spoliators and usurpers of Oregon, who had held high carnival for seven years in the first act of the drama looking to the regeneration and purification of the Temples of Justice in this State.

It is said that the "lamp of David," [of old] which had long shed but a struggling ray, flickered for a while and then went out in the darkness of Babalonian captivity. What shall be said of the "lamp" of the modern David? It probably "went out" because of the "darkness" [of the skins] of his admirers and masters.

UNFORTUNATE AFFAIR.—The *Sentinel* says Capt. I. D. Applegate writes from "Brown's" on Klamath that Capt. Sprague disappeared in a fit of insanity on the night of the 10th inst. He left the following note stuck on a tree: "Have my family moved to Jacksonville; I am suffering insanity; can stand it no longer; don't hunt for me; I will never return."
Yours, SPRAGUE."

DWELLING BURNED.—The *Sentinel* of the 13th says the house of Robert Kincaid, a few miles below Winchester ferry was burned a few days ago; everything lost. The community are extending a helping hand to Mr. K., and are freely contributing to the relief of himself, and now almost destitute family.

BUCHANAN'S funeral was the most imposing ceremony ever witnessed in Lancaster county. A number of delegations from distant cities were present. About three thousand persons walked in the procession. Business was universally suspended.

BUCHANAN'S estate is estimated at \$300,000. It is understood he left a legacy for the poor of Lancaster.

A TINKER'S DAM.—Tinkers used to tramp about England mending pots and kettles. They masticated and moistened a piece of bread, and used it as a dam around the hole to be repaired to prevent the solder from running off. After being thus employed what value remained in the "dam"? Can anything be more worthless? Hence the proverb.

The *Record* boasts that the proprietor had new potatoes on the 16th inst. as large as hen's eggs, from his own planting. "The early bird," you know.

DAVE Logan says that he has carried the "damned nigger" as long as he wants to—that he carried him through the late canvass and is getting tired of him.

A BRUTAL ASSAULT.—Not long since, a young man named Frank Shepherd, assaulted a lad, 15 years old, son of Perry Watson of Independence, with a club in a most cruel manner—breaking his arm and otherwise hurting him more or less severely. We are informed that the assault was most unprovoked.

Logan, since the election, sent word to his friends in Yamhill that he had done the best he could, but it was out of the question for him to carry the nigger through.

Ex-Sheriff Sutzell it is said, "went through" on the late election—even to betting a hundred dollars of money belonging to the Republican club in Portland.

HURRAH! Portland has elected Ham. Boyd Mayor by 164 majority. The world is Democratic.

Twelve hundred and Seventy seven votes were cast in this county at the late election.

FOUND.—Mr. C. J. Williams, after hearing from his pups, went for them into Yamhill county and brought them home. One Jo. Wright took them from Dallas, and, on reaching home, distributed them out among his neighbors who had sheep to herd.

FROM BRAZIL.—A young and lovely daughter of a Brazilian nobleman in Rio de Janeiro, acknowledging receipt of a case of MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER, says: "This perfume is not new to me. I have long used it at the toilet and in the bath, and have always found it not only the most agreeable, but also the most lasting and refreshing of Floral Waters."

There are counterfeiters, and buyers should always ask for, and be sure they get the Florida Water prepared by Lanman & Kemp, New York. 564. HOSSETTER, SMITH & DEAN. San Francisco.

FOR THIRTY YEARS the dark-eyed and lovely daughters of Spanish America have used MURRAY & LANMAN'S FLORIDA WATER as their only cosmetic and toilet perfume. It is the most fragrant, as well as the most lasting of all Floral Waters, and possesses refreshing and invigorating properties not contained in any other preparation of the kind. As there are counterfeiters, always ask for the Florida Water prepared by the proprietors, Lanman & Kemp, New York. 565. HOSSETTER, SMITH & DEAN. San Francisco.

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Badger & Lindenberger,
Nos. 411, 413 and 415 Battery Street, cor. Merchant, SAN FRANCISCO.

IMPORTERS and WHOLESALE Dealers.

FRESH GOODS BY EVERY VESSEL
We invite COUNTRY DEALERS to examine our Large and Attractive Stock which comprises every article in the

CLOTHING and FURNISHING
line, together with a Large Assortment of CASSIMERE and WOOL HATS;—also—Blankets, Casimeres and

STAPLE DRY GOODS.
Prices at this time are lower than they have been for many years, and we can offer to

COUNTRY TRADERS
goods that they can sell to their Customers at a very low figure and still make an unusual large profit.

Agents for Oregon Casimeres and Blankets, of which we keep a large stock.
Large Stock and low prices, and articles Guaranteed.

Agents for Piano Manufacturers.
Agents for Oakland Cotton Mills.
BADGER & LINDENBERGER
Wholesale Clothing and Hat Warehouse
Nos. 411, 413 and 415, Battery street, San Francisco, Feb. 17, 1868. ly

BLACK-HAWK LIVERY STABLE,
Corner Commercial and State Streets, Salem, Oregon.

S. DURBIN & CO.,
At their Old Stand, with a New Fire-Proof Brick Just Completed.

We would respectfully inform our old friends and customers that we are at our old place of business, with a New Fire-Proof Brick Stable, conveniently arranged; each stall is ventilated by a flue in the wall. Strict attention and the best of forage given to all stock left in our care. no 10 if

THE FIRST TRAIN HAS ARRIVED,

and so has

M. MEYER!

WITH ONE OF THE LARGEST and best selected stocks of

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS,

FANCY GOODS.

GENTS' & BOYS' CUSTOM MADE CLOTHING.

LATEST STYLES OF HATS AND CAPS, Trunks,

Carpets, Groceries, Crockery &c.

That has ever been brought to SALEM, which he is offering CHEAPER than any other house in the City.

ALL kinds of PRODUCE taken in Exchange.

WANTED: 500,000 POUNDS OF WOOL FOR which I will pay the

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE IN CASH.

M. MEYER,
3d door from the corner of Griswold's Block Salem Oregon. 9ly

HAINES HEADER.
The Greatest of Harvesters.
at DODD'S, Salem.

DRUG STORE.
Main Street Dallas, Oregon.

Having purchased the

OLD STAND.

Formerly belonging to W. S. Robb, and wishing TO LIVE AND LET LIVE. I will sell at low rates for CASH, everything in my line such as: DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, and all kinds of PURE LIQUORS put up expressly for MEDICINAL USE.

ALL KINDS OF PERFUMERY.

Also Soda, Cream Tartar, Saleratus, Sago, Bird Seed, Paints, Oils, Varnishes,

Brushes, and Domestic Dyes.

WASHING POWDERS, And every thing else that is kept in a FIRST CLASS DRUG STORE.

B. F. NICHOLS Druggist.

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!!

THE ELLENDALE MILL CO. will pay 18 cents per pound, for WOOL in good condition delivered at their WOOL HOUSE.

Custom Carding

Will be done at the reduced price of EIGHT cents per pound, when grease or oil is furnished. If we furnish lard, TEN cents. If lard oil, TWELVE and a half cents.

ONE pound of good clean lard for every EIGHT pounds of WOOL or ONE pound of lard oil for every TEN pounds.

To insure good ROLLS the WOOL must be washed and cleaned.
All kinds of MERCHANDIZE kept constantly on hand at the

Company's Store,
IN ELLENDALE, which will be sold at the cheapest rates for CASH, WOOL and PRODUCE.

CHAS. E. MOOR,
Agt. E. M. Co.

DRS. McCauley & ALEXANDER, DENTISTS.

OFFICE on State street, over Gills' Book Store, Salem, Oregon.
All operations performed by us are warranted to give satisfaction.

One of the firm may be found in our office from 8 o'clock A. M., until 4 P. M., of each day.
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INDPENDENCE OREGON.
WILL take Contracts for Building Houses of every description and kind, in town and country. Satisfaction guaranteed. 5lf

Feb. 24, 1868. n27-6 m
CAPITAL HOTEL
Corner of State and Liberty Sts., SALEM OREGON.

HOMER SMITH
HAVING LEASED THIS LARGE, Com. modious and Elegant Hotel, is prepared to accommodate both permanent and transient boarders, in the BEST STYLE, with or without Lodging. My old friends and guests, and the traveling and resident public are cordially invited to extend to me a fair share of patronage. I assure them that no pains will be spared to accommodate them to the BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS. 4lf

BLACKSMITHING.
NEW SHOP.
Opposite Salem, on the Spring Valley road, of a mile from the Ferry, the undersigned have opened a

Blacksmith and Wagon Shop
Where all kinds of work in their line will be executed promptly and with dispatch.
REPAIRING done to order. 3lf
MANN & PIERCE.

W. H. TEAL.

Wagon and Carriage Maker, Dallas, Polk County, Oregon.

Has on hand Thump Skins, IRON AXLE EXPRESS WAGONS and BUGGIES, which he offers for sale cheap for cash. He has also the largest and the best assortment of WAGON TIMBER in the county, and he is prepared to do all kinds of work in his line on the shortest notice. Call and see. April, 1868.

J. L. COLLINS,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,
DALLAS, OREGON.

SPECIAL attention given to Collections, and to matters connected with real Estate.

FRENCH STALLION.
The subscriber will keep the Fine French Stallion COEUR de LION at Dixie, where he may be found every day during the present season.

COEUR de LION
Is a Beautiful Dapple Bay, 6 years old, about 16 hands high and is very powerfully built. Was sired by old COEUR de LION a celebrated stallion imported from Europe. Dam, Whip and Buzzard.

DAVID GOFF,
Dixie, May 11th, 1868

BUCKEYE REAPER,
The World's Challenger
at DODD'S Salem.

SWEEPSTAKES THRESHER.
Never Clogs and Far the Best.
at DODD'S, Salem.

JOHN W. GILBERT,
MANUFACTURER and DEALER IN

Boots and Shoes,
Union Block, Commercial Street,
Salem, Oregon.

THE MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT having been placed in charge of a FIRST CLASS FOREMAN, assisted by the best of workmen, he is prepared to get up a boot SUPERIOR to any other shop in the state.

A complete assortment of FRENCH and AMERICAN Leather, and Shoe Findings on hand, which will be furnished to Shoemakers at reasonable rates. When you visit Salem, give him a call— 113m

Summons.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Polk, ss.
ISAAC FOISTER, Plff. vs. E. W. BOSWORTH, Def.

E. W. BOSWORTH, said Def.: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear in the said Court, and answer the complaint of said Plff. filed therein against you, within ten days from the service of this writ upon you, if served in said County; and if served in any other County of said State, then you shall appear within twenty days from service hereof, and answer said complaint. And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear as above directed, Judgment will be taken against you for want thereof, for the sum of \$60 86 with interest from January 25th 1864, at 12 per cent per annum. Publication of Summons being ordered by the Judge of said Court for six weeks from this date.— You will if served by publication only, be required to appear by the first day of the next term of said Court following the expiration of the said six weeks notice by publication.

By order of W. C. Whitson, Judge.
J. A. APPLIGATE,
Atty. for Plff.
136w

June 15, 1868.

WHERE ARE YOU GOING AND Why do you Drive in such Haste?

"TO THE STORE OF ADOLF WOLF, NEW INDEPENDENCE."

What about Mr. Wolf? Why he is Selling

Dirt Cheap,

Dry Goods, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware and

NOTIONS! and I am going to Buy while GREAT BARGAINS are to be had.

And does he take Farm Produce? Yes; and what is better, he pays the Highest Market price for it. 3lf

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of an execution duly issued out of the County Court of Polk county and State of Oregon, and to me directed wherein John R. Cooper, Plff., recovered judgment against W. J. Matney, Deft., for the sum of \$73 75—10 dollars—said judgment having been transferred from said Cooper, to D. M. Boon, and from said Boon to David Stump, May 7, 1868,—I have levied upon the following real property to satisfy the above named judgment and interest, costs and accruing costs, to wit: The estate in fee simple of said Matney, of, in and to 170 acres of the west half and life estate of said Matney in the east half of the Donation Land Claim of W. J. Matney and wife, Not. No. 2268, and claim No. 61, in T. S. S. R. 5 W. of the Willamette Meridian, containing 640 acres, more or less; situated in Polk county, Oregon. I will expose the above described real property at the Court House door in Dallas, for cash in hand, to the highest bidder, on

Monday the 6th day of July, 1868, between the hours of 9 A. M and 4 P. M. of said day.

JOS. LIGGETT,
124w Sheriff Polk county, Oregon.

Polk County Farmers,

TAKE NOTICE!
THE Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Dress Goods, &c., &c.,

That has ever come to POLK COUNTY, was lately received at

MITCHEL & ROSENDORF'S
Store at Independence, which they offer to Sell at a living price.

Having purchased our Stock in San Francisco, we can easily compete with those buying their Goods in Portland.

Please give us a call, and you will be Convinced that we have
The Largest, Best and CHEAPEST

Stock of Goods this side of Portland. All Country Produce taken at its Highest Market Value. MITCHEL & ROSENDORF, Independence, March 22, 1868. 3lf

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I. VANDUYN. JOHN SOMMERSVILLE.
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Dealers in GENERAL MERCHANDISE.
A full Stock of Goods constantly on hand to suit the varied wants of the People.

The Highest Market price paid for

COUNTRY PRODUCE.
We also have in connection with the Store a large

WAREHOUSE,
with track extending to the River, and are prepared to receive and Forward Freight for 15 cents per ton.

3lf VANDUYN & SOMMERSVILLE.

Furniture.
E. MERWIN, Independence, Oregon.

MANUFACTURER and Dealer in all kinds of Household and Kitchen

FURNITURE,
Has on hand a large and well selected Stock, consisting in part of Mahogany and Black Walnut Dressing BUREAUX,

Center, Dining, Breakfast and Work TABLES,
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BEDSTEADS, SAFES, STANDS and LOUNGES.
A fine Assortment of

Pictures and Gilt Frames.
In fact I keep everything useful and ornamental in the line.

About the 10th of May I shall remove my Salesroom and the Postoffice to South Independence. Thereforeforward I shall occupy the building adjoining Vanduyt and Sommersville's Store. E. MERWIN, Independence, March 24, 1868. 3-3m

NEW GANG PLOW.
A Polk County Invention.

J. M. MASON is manufacturing at INDEPENDENCE, Polk County, Oregon, a GANG PLOW which is essentially superior to anything which has yet been offered the Oregon Farming Public in the line of Labor Saving

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To appreciate the advantages this Plow offers, it is only necessary for the Farmer to give it a trial. Simply constructed, and put up with a view special

ly to durability, this deservedly Popular Gang Plow must continue to give unqualified satisfaction wherever or by whomsoever tried. 3lf

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DIXIE, OREGON.
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All work of my own manufacture warranted. HOSSETTER, 103m