

The Weekly Polk County Signal.

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On the Rampage and not Out of the Woods.

On Friday night last a little coterie of republicans held a wake in honor of the great victory (?) they had just achieved by carrying (?) the State of Oregon for Grant and Poltax. Bro. Rook made a speech and advocated the hanging of Jeff. Davis—became very blood-thirsty—was afar off from danger—got exceedingly brave. Jeff. would hate this if he were to hear of it. Especially would he feel bad after he knew that Bro. Rook was after him. The meeting, or the wake, voted three groans for the SIGNAL. We will make the rascals groan worse than that yet. We never sleep on the track of petty malefactors, and that's what's the matter.

SHOCKINGLY BURNT—Tuesday last, Mrs. Hubbard, wife of Geo. W. Hubbard residing in Bridgeport Precinct, this County, was shockingly and perhaps fatally burnt by her clothes taking fire in the following manner: Mrs. Hubbard happening to pass between her infant's cradle and the fire, had occasion to stoop toward the cradle for the purpose of adjusting something therein which was out of place. While in this posture the back part of her dress caught fire. There was to person present in the house save her aged mother-in-law who attempted to extinguish the fire but failing, Mrs. H. ran out in the direction of the creek and was met by her husband who succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but not until after the unfortunate woman was so badly burned as to render it extremely doubtful whether recovery is possible. The back part of her legs from the ankle upward, and to the small of her back are horribly burnt. Her hands are badly burnt and the right literally charred. She is in a measure unconscious, as we are informed by Dr. Jessup, who was called, on Wednesday morning, to the relief of the suffering victim of a sad—a fearful—misfortune.

WILLAMETTE IRON WORKS.—This establishment is still turning out work of the first quality in all the branches of machinery, boiler building, etc., etc., and fills orders promptly and guarantees satisfaction. A visit to this extensive works will well repay the time required. It is situated on North Front st., Portland.

Polk county has a larger Democratic majority to-day than it had last June. The republicans imported more than twice the number of their meager majority while Democrats can be counted by dozens who were either absent from the county, or being present did not vote.

THE RESULT IN THE STATE.—The Democrats very narrowly escaped a Waterloo defeat in this State on last Tuesday. The republicans made large gains in all of the valley counties. The State has gone for Seymour it is very certain but by a very small majority. We were saved by the counties East of the Mountains.

Col. W. W. Chapman has written a letter to Secretary May, calling that officer's attention to the fact that the Constitution of the State prohibits him from issuing warrants for money in the absence of any appropriation. Mr. Chapman refers the Secretary to Section and clause of the Constitution bearing upon the subject.

Messrs. Gill & Yeaton, State street, Salem, continue to keep one of the completest book and stationery stores in Oregon. A look through their house will convince any person that these gentlemen understand their business, and understanding are determined to prosecute it with a view to supplying their customers with school books, blank books, standard and miscellaneous books, paper, inks, pens, etc., etc., of the best quality, and in small or large quantities, at the very lowest rates consistent with the "live and let live" principle.

Circuit Court, Nov. Term, 1868.

STATE CASES.

State of Oregon vs. Jonathan Way Indictment whiskey selling vs. James Forbes. vs. Mrs. Rhody Howe. Indictment bigamy. vs. J. C. Hamlin. vs. Henry Butler. vs. Barney Buffom. vs. A. Wolf. Indictment assault. vs. Perry Watson. Indictment assault and battery. vs. Charles Sutton. Indictment burglary.

CIVIL DOCKET.

John Cooper vs. W. J. Matney. Confirmation land sale. E. W. Carlisle vs. A. H. Whitley. Debt. N. Scott vs. D. Rhorer. Land Title. Wm. Cecil vs. Whitley. Debt. Joshua Brown vs. W. R. Prater. Foreclosure of Mortgage. G. E. Getchell vs. G. B. Ashby. Debt. vs. N. Walling. Debt. James A. Dempsey vs. Jos. Liggett. A. H. Whitley vs. A. J. Wise. Debt. Anson Kimsey vs. John F. Kimsey. Correcting Deed. W. C. Brown vs. Wm. Clingam. Debt. D. R. Lewis vs. J. L. Williams. Dam. age. H. Failing vs. Linville. Debt. A. H. Whitley vs. Carlisle. S. Tillotson vs. Robt. Ford. Admr. Knifong vs. Sites. Land Title. George E. Getchell vs. Wm. M. Corbett. Debt. Wm. Grant vs. T. J. Dow. Review. N. L. Butler vs. Wm. Jones. Debt. John Chinaman vs. John Waymire. Debt.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF POLK COUNTY.

Table with 2 columns: Vote type and Count. Whole vote cast - 1128, Democratic vote - 558, Republican - 570, Republican Majority - 12, Whole vote in June last - 1277, Smith - 659, Logan - 618, Democratic Majority - 41, Falling off of the whole vote of the county since the June elections - 149, Republican falling off - 48, Democratic falling off - 101, Apparent Republican gain - 65.

One hundred and one Democrats failed, in Polk county, to record their votes against tyranny and misrule! What a spectacle of almost criminal indifference is here presented!

Democratic County Treasurers throughout the State—and the great majority of them are Democratic—will see to it that no monies are paid into the State treasury from their respective counties until the proper appropriation law be passed—let that be early or late. There are men about Salem who anticipate a rich feast in the way of shaving State warrants with State funds during the current year and the one succeeding. It is thought to be in view of this feast that the Gov. will refuse and neglect to order elections in the delinquent counties preparatory to convening the Legislature in extra session. Let the nice laid scheme fall still born.

DALLAS LYCEUM.—The Lyceum did not hold its regular meeting on Friday night last, as all the officers except the Secretary were off addressing the Republican Jollification at the Court House. But there is to be a meeting of this association, at seven o'clock on Friday next, in the seminary, as usual—so be in attendance on that occasion.

We are told that Bro. Rook seconded the motion in the loil love feast of the other evening for three groans for the POLK COUNTY SIGNAL. All right, Bro. We appreciate the compliment and shall allow no opportunity to pass unimproved to remember you in the way of reciprocation in the future.

Messrs. Geo. A. Edes & Co., wholesale and retail druggists, Salem, not only keep their business up to the original standard of excellence, but, being determined to keep pace with the growing demand for goods in their line, are adding new invoices to their already large stock, constantly.

Boys' boots at Crider's. Also a complete assortment of gents' fine and medium boots—custom made and of eastern manufacture.

We are told that business is lively at Independence. This point enjoys an advantage over any other point in Polk county by reason of its superior shipping facilities.

A lot of the latest improved stubble plows at Brown's.

The republicans made a terrific effort to carry this county, as still as they kept it. Their programme was to foist itinerant voters into the county and it behooved them to lie low during the canvass.

Dr. Jackson of Salt Creek gave us a call the other day. The doctor is a live man and understands the ways of the world to repletion.

CLOSE.—In Dallas on Tuesday last one hundred votes were cast for Grant and ninety-eight for Seymour.

The Hon. County Court, Judge Whitson presiding, was in session during a portion of last week. Considerable business, mainly relating to roads, was transacted. We intend in the future to publish full proceedings of this court each month.

Grain, feed and flour bought and sold in large and small quantities by John Hughes, on Commercial street, under the Legislative Hall, Salem.

The republicans cannot dodge the responsibility of the disgraceful finale in the Lower House.

Robinson's Magic Washing Powders still to be had at G. B. Stiles' family grocery store in Dallas.

All of standard patent medicines to be had at B. F. Nichols' drug store in Dallas.

See medical card of Dr. Jessup—The doctor is a graduate of the regular school of medicine, and judging from his immense practice, must be extraordinarily successful.

BOILS, PISTULES, BLOTCHES AND HUMOR are all evidences of bad blood, and matter what medicines are taken, if they do not purify the blood they cannot cure the disease. Bristol's Sarsaparilla is the safest, the strongest, and the best of all blood purifiers. It has been tried for 35 years and always successfully. A few doses of Bristol's Sugar-coated Pills taken at same time, will greatly hasten a cure.

SCROFULOUS SORES HEALED.—Mr. R. S. Johnstone of Myrtleville, Cal., says: Ever since my childhood I have been a great sufferer from running Scrofulous sores. In the spring of 1863 I used 23 bottles of Bristol's Sarsaparilla, with occasional doses of Bristol's Pills, and have not had a single sore for over two years, and feel stronger and in better health than I ever was before.

The New York Tribune says the reason why PLANTATION BITTERS are so generally used is owing to the fact that they are always made up to the original standard, and of pure material, let the price be what it will. The Tribune just hits the nail on the head, for PLANTATION BITTERS are not only made of pure material, but the people are told what they are made of, as the receipt is wrapped around each bottle. Don't go home without a bottle.

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COX & EARHART,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers. 207 Moore's Brick Block, Commercial street Salem.

DRIED FRUIT (Foreign and Domestic).

Apples, per lb 8@10c; Peaches, per lb 18@20c; Plums, with pits, 12c; Plums, pitless, 18@20c; Prunes, 1rench, 30@40c; Raisins, 37c; Zante Currants, 25c; On do 20c.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

COFFEE.—Ground, per lb 37@50c; Green, C. K., 25c; Rio and Kona, 25c; Manila, 20c; Java, Old Govt. 30c.

SYRUPS.—Heavy Golden, per gallon, \$1 10 @ \$1 25; White, Refined, \$2 00.

SALT.—Carmen Island, per 100 lbs \$2 00; Liverpool, fine blown, per 100 lbs \$4 00; Dairy, common, \$2 25.

PAINTS AND OILS. LEAD.—Atlantic, per lb 17c; Varnish, (oak) \$8 50; Copal, \$1 50.

Butters are paying in cash for Wheat 70c, per bushel, in quantity; Oats, do 35 to 37c; do; Hams, do 11c, in quantity; Sides, do 15 to 16c, do; Shoulders, do 5 to 7c, do.

COX & EARHART.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Dealers in

Seeds, Fruit Trees, Ornamental and Pot Plants, SHRUBS &c., &c., MOORE'S BLOCK, (Middle Building), SALEM, OREGON.

All articles sold by us warranted genuine. Cash paid for Grass Seeds—if of good quality. A lot of Choice Plants in Pots, just received. Catalogues furnished on application.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!! I have just received and now opened a new and fresh stock of Spring and Summer GOODS all Grades, Kinds, Styles, and Varieties.

Well adapted to this trade both as to price and quality. To those desiring to purchase a Spring supply, I will invite your attention, as I am determined to adapt the prices to suit the present HARD TIMES, and I ask you before purchasing to call at the

OLD BRICK CORNER. And examine for yourselves. PRINTS at 12c per yard.

Good quality four-fourths BROWN CABOTT SHEETING 16 cents. COFFEE by the sack 23 cents per pound, retail 25 cents, and all other things in proportion. Come and examine and be satisfied.

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THE BEST AND MOST COMMODIOUS hotel in the State, where every want is anticipated and cheerfully supplied.

Warm & cold Baths attached to the House. This Hotel is located near the Steamship Landing. The Hotel Coach will be in attendance at all the Landings to convey Passengers and Baggage to and from the House FREE OF CHARGE. DORCY & HOLMES, Proprietors.

STAR OF THE UNION CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS. These delicious stomach Bitters are entirely vegetable, and free from alcohol and every hurtful ingredient.

DR. HUFFLAND'S CELEBRATED SWISS STOMACH BITTERS. The best Purifier of the Blood, A Pleasant Tonic! A very agreeable Drink! Unsurpassed for acting surely but gently on the secretions of the kidneys, bowels, stomach and liver!

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SUMMONS. In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Polk, ss. J. S. LEWIS, Plf., vs. E. F. LANGE, Deft.

To E. F. Lange, said Deft.: In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby summoned to appear in said Court and answer the complaint filed against you by said Plf. in this cause, by the first day of next term commencing more than six weeks after the date of the first publication hereof. And if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, Plf. will take judgment against you for the sum of \$500 00 his damages, with his costs and disbursements of this action.

J. L. COLLINS, Plf's Atty.

WHEAT STORAGE.

THOSE HAVING Wheat

Or other goods to store, will do well to consider the advantages

MITCHEL & ROSENDORF offer. Their Warehouse being on high ground and occupying an isolated position, is comparatively secure against the ravages of both FIRE and WATER;

No Consignee assures against these elements. Before Storing your Crop, consider these advantages and Store with MITCHEL & ROSENDORF.

The Highest price in cash paid for Oats

AND STORE. A S. CRIDER, THANKFUL FOR THE liberal patronage which has been hitherto extended to him in Dallas, would embrace this medium to say to all that he is prepared with increased facilities to serve

CUSTOMERS far more acceptably than heretofore. Boots and Shoes manufactured and warranted. An assortment constantly on hand. Repairing neatly done.

A continuation of patronage solicited. A. S. CRIDER. Dallas, July 20, 1868.

LIVERY STABLE. HAVING PURCHASED THE OLD BENNETT & WHITE STABLE. In company with L. GODDARD, I shall be pleased to see any all of my friends and acquaintances upon their arrival in Portland with teams, and those who have good horses to sell will find me on hand ready to buy at all times.

Patrons of this stable will find it in good shape, while charges will be as moderate as at any other stable in the city. J. R. LAKE. Portland, June 23, 1868.

MERCHANDISE. I. VANDUYN. JOHN SOMMERVILLE. Vanduyt & Sommerville, INDEPENDENCE, Oregon.

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 75 cents per ton.

VANDUYN & SOMMERVILLE. 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.

Sheriff's Sale. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Polk county, Oregon, on the 7th day of Sept., 1868, in favor of J. D. Smith, Guardian of minor heirs of S. J. Gardner, deceased, and against David Rober, for the sum of \$133, judgment, and \$14 70 costs, and directed to the Sheriff of Polk county, I have levied upon and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for coin in hand, at the Court House, in Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, on the 16th day of November, A. D. 1868, between the hours of 1 and 3 P. M. of Saturday, the following real property to-wit: Lots No. 2 and 3, in Block 7, in the town of Monmouth, Polk county, Oregon.

Sold to satisfy said execution this 15th day of Oct. A. D. 1868. J. W. SMITH, Sheriff. By Wm. M. FRAKER, Deputy.

FARM FOR SALE. GEO. H. ELLERS offers his Farm, situated 3 miles west of Kola, and one mile north of the Rickral, and containing 190 Acres, all under fence, for Sale at a Bargain.

Furniture.

E. MERWIN, Independence.

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 BUREAUS,

Center, Dining, Breakfast and Work TABLES, Grecian, Parlor, and Washington Woodseat CHAIRS,

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 saleroom and the Postoffice to New Independence. Thenceforward I shall occupy the building adjoining Vanduyt and Sommerville'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 PLOWS.

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. 3tf

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