

CLEVELAND AS A TUTOR.

Memorials of him as an Instructor of the Blind.

Mr. James Dillon, quaint in character, clerical in appearance and very reminiscent, told me an interesting story regarding the President Cleveland yesterday. "In '56," said he, "I kept a sort of a country store, selling everything, on Ninth avenue between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets. Mr. Cleveland was then a tutor in the blind asylum on Thirty-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. He was in the habit (out of pure kindness of heart, I then thought and now think) of bringing his pupils to my place, leading them there, I should say. Crocker Stanley and Soper seem to be his favorites. When he was elected President, I stopped Mahoney, a blind man, who was and may be yet the organist of the asylum, as well as of some well church, and told him of the fact, telling him, of course, my name. 'Well, well,' said the afflicted man, 'Steve Cleveland is President, is he? Well, all the boys at the asylum know him will be glad to be that for there never was a more successful man there.'—New York Star.

Wedding Rings.

The latest thing in wedding rings comes from England, and is a narrow but thick circle of 12-carat fine gold. This has come in fashion in America in the course of the last year, replacing the old style ring, which is both heavy and wide, being sometimes half an inch broad. These have been in use as far back as I can remember. The Germans always buy two plain gold rings, the lady giving one to her betrothed and he one to her. The "railroad" ring is sometimes called for, and often made to order. It is made of two circles fitting into each other and coming apart something like a puzzle, and is a revival of a very old style. The ordinary wedding ring costs from \$7.50 to \$15, although the English ring is somewhat more expensive. In engagement rings individual taste is the only law, but set stones are great favorites. A novelty is a ring of three circles, almost as narrow as wire, each set with a band of different stones, such as pearls, turquoise and couch shells.

The Handsomest Lady.

In Linn county, after making a careful inspection of Matthew's & Washburn's stock of stoves and ranges and very closely examining these stoves, they have listed a large number of fine stoves, suitable for great, fruit or stock.

Golden Rule Bazaar.

Julius Bradwood has decided to add to his mammoth stock of crockery and fancy goods a complete line of groceries. He has on route a large invoice of sugar, and will keep a complete assortment of choice groceries, and the best of coffee and tea to be had in the market for the benefit of his customers. He will also enlarge his hardware department. He informs us that he buys all his goods for net cash, which will enable him to sell goods as low as any house in Oregon, and there is no need of people going abroad when they can do as well at home, or even better.

The Homeliest Man.

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LOOK OUT

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First Sale at 10 O'Clock A. M. Second Sale at 2 O'Clock P. M. Plats and Map showing Exact Location of Addition can be seen at the office of Burkhardt & Malin at any time. Call and see for yourself.

READ THIS: To Whom it May Concern: This is to certify that I made the survey of Powers' Addition, placing the block and street stakes, and that the streets, blocks and lots are as represented on plat. Further, that the tract contains 47.27-100 acres of level meadow lands, having no hills or excursions on it. Respectfully, H. BELL, Civil Engineer, Astoria, Oregon.

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