

STARTLING DISCLOSURES EX-

thought; but such farmers are not We hear from Salem that the successful, and each year are beit vestigating committee appointcoming less so. Whenever a ed by the last Legislature has farmer gets out of the ruts- 1879. tound much to coudemn me the conduct of " the Democratic always been the practice—he neadministration for the past eight years. The facts so fur developed lead to the question, not who is guilty, but whom cultural banks and papers they license. is mnocent. Our information is can get. And as thinking, men to the effect, that none are inno- ultimately must always supplant cent, and that even Senator Gro- those who do not think, the ver's conduct will be criticized, problem how farming is to be while Governor. The detaications, embezzlements and mismanagement on the part of the so many like problems have been State officials, it is predicted, by the Darwinian law-"the surwhen summed up, will show a vival of the fittest." squandering of public funds contrary to honesty and law, amounting to nearly, if not quite, the that we ought to be more decid-

large sum of \$100,000. ed, and not so independent, but We do not propose to censure Democratic or Republican. Our any one, however, until the re- friend is mistaken. By being inport of the committee is given to dependent of both parties there the public. We would rather is no one to prevent us from wait until the whole truth is pointing out an official rogue known. In the meantime, we wherever we may find him, or would suggest to the c mmittee calling him by his proper name. that steps be at once taken to And then there is no one either by the Courts. prevent the guilty from escaping to say we shall not support the the punishment due for the of- people , whenever they may make fenses committed. The purpose a move for their own protection of the committee will not have and prevent an increase of taxabeen carried out if, after the tion. We are perfectly, satisfied truth is developed, the guilty are with our course, and while we allowed to escape. cannot please our friend, and are sorry we do not think as he Cong ess is again in session, does, we find consolation in ide-

track it can accomplish a large urges us is right. amount of valuable work. should not be lead astray by the clamor of a partisan press, and so fritter away its time with dead when the territories will become issues or profitless sectional quar-States, and that then the Pacific rels. The monetary question is States, having the balance of fast settling itself and should not power, will control the political be made an excuse for creating affairs of the Union. The Bulleparty discussions. Investigation tin 1s trying to frighten us by eninto the abuses which have been deavoring to make it appear some unearthed in all parts of the Union, and not a few of them either, together with the devising of adagain, which we don't think posequate means of removing them, sible. While Hill may have been should constitute the principal if worth the price paid him, it is cernot the sole business of Congress tain that Scott ain't worth a cent for the session which has just to the man who owns him. commenced.

Gen. Butler (Brick Pomeroy Ouly a tew years ago John Bull says Spoon-thief Butler) declares sneered at any butter or cheese from this time heuceforth, he is a from Brother Jonathan's country Democrat. What has the Demoas "tough or strong," but now cratic party done to deserve this there is a steady and growing deinfliction? A better argument in mand for American cheese and tavor of Republicanism could not butter in the English and Scotch be offered. Ben would never go markets, as there is for American meats. The annual consumption think would give him a chance to of cheese in England is 300,000,steal something. It is not be-000 pounds, or ten pounds for cause Ben thinks he will have each inhabitant, while in the another chance to role the dead, is United States it is only 180,000, 000 pounds, an average of four and

It is stated upon good authoria half pounds per head. ty that the matter of transferring Ben Butler, according to news the management of the Indians papers, was once engaged to to the War Department, will be young lady of Waterville, Me. thoroughly discussed in Congress and to break off the match, which this winter. Much of the man. displeased him, but upon the notagement and responsibility now able expedient of going upon a rest already with the military, feigned spree and jammed an inand there is no reason why the offensive citizen's hat over his War Departmet should not have SCHOOL BOOKS eyes. He was arrested and fined. full control. The girl wrote a letter repudiata ing him and her father threatened It makes no difference. A

to kick him out of the Louse, and member of the United States the wiley young man chuckled at Senate is just as liable for a crime the success of his maneuver. committed as a private individual. Said Hoace Greely: There is Such Senator has a right also to nothing easier than to edit a furnish evidence of his own inblackguard paper, and nothing nocence of a crime charged. more difficult than to get up a These are days of denial. In the newspaper free from foulness and language of the "Uusurfruct." blackguardism. Fishwomen and "Gentlemen; my name is not A FULL ASSORTMENT bar-room leafers are skilled in the Grover." art of bandying epithets and bespattering each other with dirty

man can read without a blush.

ly in Maltuomah.

The war in Afghanistan will not Holiaday Presents words. It requires no brains to be lacking in picturesque features. do this; but it does require both Every approach to the Ameer's heart and brains to print a news, dominions is over a road that paper that a decent man or wo- would call out the enthusiasm of a tourist, and the employment of elephants and camels gives to It seems that January next will the invading army an Oriental be a good month for hanging. cast that has at least the charm of

Two Indians are to be banged in novelty to Europe and America. Umacilla, a white man in Marion, "Shoot him on the spot" if he one in Wasco, and two most likeis guilty of robbing the people.

THE NEXT STATE FAIR. Farmers Should Think

than any other business whatever.

It is possible for farmers to get

into the ruts, and go in the beaten

track year after year, without

To E. M. Waite, Esq., Secre-There is no business which atorg's greater scope for thought, or tary, we are indebted for the an nual report of the Oregon State which is more provocative of reflection, than farming. The care Agricultural Society. From it we ful tarmer must be daily meeing | learn the following concerning with subjects which challenge the last State Fair and the one thought and require the most pro- to be held next year :

found study. Farmers ought to Tha total receipts of the Fair be the most thoughtful people in for 1876 were \$17,111 50; expens the country. The balancing of ses, including premium, \$11,947 cause and effect in a business ceipts for 1877 were \$15,468 44; wherein a thousand causes are op- expenses \$12,875 74. The inerating demands more thought debtedness of the society in Oc and a more philosophical mind tober, 1879 will be \$21,237 50. M. Wilkins, John F. Miller

and E. M. Waite, were elected the Executive Committee. It was resolved that the Fair of 1879, begin on Wednesday of a given week, in said year, and end on Tuesday of the week following; the time to be fixed by the Executive committee in June,

ceases to do things because it has Resolved, That but three liceuses for the sale of lager beer shall be granted for the Fair of 1879, cessarily has to think. It is pretand that the booths for the sales ty safe to say that such tarmers above mentioned shall be rented will be sure to want all the agri- at suction with their leger beer

It was resolved in consideration of the condition of the finances that for the annual Fair of 1879 the season tickets for females of 15 years and over shall made successful and the farmer be \$1, and day tickets, 50 cente; more bonored, will be settled, as girls under 12 years free.

Gov. Thayer was popular with his party until he was patted on the back by Harvey Sc. tt. That moment the party suspicioned the A triend writes us to the effect Governor of wrong- -not because he had done wrong, but because Scott praised him.

Representative Galloway seems to be paving the way for somebody to go the Penttestiary. He should look out that particular people do not go further than California betore they are wanted

Senator Mitchell has introduc ed a till appropriating \$500,000 for continuing the construction of the canal around the Cascades of the Columbia river. It was referred to the committee on

It is about time for our neighand if it only gets on the right ing that which our conscience bors in the cow counties of the Wiliamette to talk of something else than Gov. Thayer's thanks-The San Erancisco Bulletin bes giving proclamation. There is lieves that the time will come no use of eternally tormenting any one on earth.

> Scott's talk of honesty in the Oregonian is a clear case of Satan assuming Christian virtues. But who believes the Devit?

Woods was called a thief. May one will think it worth while to was spoken of as a criminal. bribe the editor of the Oregonian What terms are hereafter to be

> It is about time when the proposition, "Let no guilty man escape" should be carried into

The investigating committee says, "wait until you hear some. thing drap." Let her "drap."

NEW TO-DAY.

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to any party that he did not Wm. R. Willis and Owen Willis have all persons having claims against said es-tate are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice to Wm. R. Willis, one of said executors, at his office in Roseburg, Dougles county, Oregon, Dated at Roseburg, Dougles county, Oregon, this 9th day of December, A. D. 1868. WM. R. WILLIS, OWEN L. "ILLIS.

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