

Alaska Didn't Suit Dawne.

J. E. Dawne, recently appointed judge of Alaska Territory, has concluded that the fogs and chilling air of that country are not congenial to his life, liberty, and pursuits of happiness.

If the movement against the Chinese is to be characterized by a class the same as those in San Francisco, the leading process is worse than the disease.

SENATOR EDMUNDS has introduced a bill into the present congress to provide for the establishment of a postal telegraph.

The President has quartered Government troops in Salt Lake for the protection of the Federal officials and citizens.

The facility with which germs of contagious fevers are conveyed and distributed by water has been made the subject of a scientific article in the New York Times.

In twenty-two epidemics of typhoid fever it was shown that the poison had soaked into the wells from cesspools or vaults, and was conveyed in milk which had been fraudulently diluted.

1886. JAN. 1, 1886.

NEW YEAR'S BALL!

Wright Bro's, Hall, Union, Friday, Jan. 1st '86.

Music by the Union String Band. \$2.50 Tickets Includ- ing Supper, \$2.50

Sheriff's Sale. Whereas, by virtue of an execution duly issued out of the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Union, on the 17th day of December, 1885, upon a judgment and decree of foreclosure therein entered on the 7th day of November, 1885, in favor of W. A. Story, 1901, and against F. A. Foster and Alice E. Foster, Defendants, for the sum of \$871.00 and the sum of \$81.25 costs and disbursements, I will, on the 20th day of January, 1886, at the court house door in Union, in said county, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, sell at public auction, all the right, title and interest which the said Defendants or either of them had on the 6th day of November, 1885, or have since acquired in or to the following described real estate, to wit: An undivided one-half interest in and to the SW 1/4 of Sec. 24 and the SW 1/4 of Sec. 11, all in Township 3 South of Range 28, E.W.M., situated in Union county, Oregon, together with all the appurtenances thereto belonging, or in anywise appertaining.

Notice of Application to purchase Timber Land. U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON, Dec. 18, 1885.

Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory,"

Dissolution Notice. Notice is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore existing between C. E. Rolins & Co., in the butcher business, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

To The Farmers. We are now prepared to buy wheat again, and exchange flour for wheat, 23 lbs. to a bushel.

Local Market. WHEAT—Valley, \$1.25 @ 1.32; Walls, 1.15.

WHEAT—Per bushel 80c. OATS—Per bushel 60c. BARLEY—Per hundred... 70c. MILL FEED—Per ton \$8.00.

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We lead, but never follow, and defy competition in all our departments. NEW IMPORTATIONS. En route from Eastern and Western manufactures. We buy for Cash, and will sell the Choicest GOODS CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPETS.

Christmas Goods Union Bazaar Cheaper than ever. DOLLS, TOYS, BOOKS. FANCY GOODS, ALBUMS. SCRAP BOOKS, PICTURE BOOKS, SCRAP PICTURES. Xmas Cards, SILVERWARE, GLASSWARE, CHILDREN'S CHINA SETS, OIL PAINTINGS, NOTIONS, TINWARE, ETC.

UNION AHEAD! No more Sending off for Goods.

To The Public: I have just returned from San Francisco with one of the largest and best selected stocks of General Merchandise ever brought to Union county, and we now offer goods at a great reduction on former prices.

CALICOES, Gingham, Poplins, Cashmeres, Buntings. WHITE GOODS, etc., in same proportion. OVERALLS, CLOTHING.

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BELL TELEPHONE. Is now open for public service, arrangements having been made to deliver to and receive from the Western Union Telegraph Company, messages over their line.

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Cheap Cash Store. WILLIS SKIFF, PROPRIETOR. At the old Braibard Stand, Union, Oregon.

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THE OREGON SCOUT READING ROOM! Adjoining Jones Bro's Store. DROP IN AND BE SOCIABLE.

Land Notice. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 30, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Dec. 24th, 1885, viz: WILLIAM SMITH.

Land Notice. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 30, 1885. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at La Grande, Or., on Jan. 15, 1886, viz: Archibald B. Conley.

Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land. U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON, Dec. 10, 1885. Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory,"

Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land. U. S. LAND OFFICE, LA GRANDE, OREGON, Nov. 14, 1885. Notice is hereby given that, in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory,"

Sheriff's Sale. Whereas, by virtue of an execution duly issued out of the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Union, on the 9th day of December, 1885, upon a judgment therein entered on the 10th day of October, 1885, in favor of Charles Kohn and Nathaly Kohn, partners doing business under the firm name of Chas. Kohn & Co.,

Sheriff's Sale. Whereas, by virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued out of the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for Union county, on the 18th day of November, 1885, upon a decree and judgment therein rendered on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1885, in favor of Leander Ferguson, Plaintiff, and against Thomas F. Rich, Sarah M. Rich and J. R. Dawson, Defts., for the sum of \$871.75, and interest thereon since Nov. 7th, 1885, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, together with costs and disbursements of the suit, I will, by virtue of said decree and order of sale, on the 28th day of December, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house door in Union, in said county, sell at public auction, all the right, title and interest which the said Defendants or either of them have in or to the following described premises, to wit: N 1/2 of NE 1-4 and N 1/2 of SW 1-4 of Sec. Twelve (12) Township three South of Range Forty-five (45) East W. M., together with all appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Notice of Meeting of Stockholders. The regular Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Union, Oregon, will be held at the banking house of said bank, on Tuesday, Jan. 12th, 1886, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which meeting a Board of Directors will be elected and such other business transacted as may come before said meeting.

Notice to Trespassers. Notice is hereby given, that I forbid any person or persons, hunting, fishing, shooting, trapping, or otherwise trespassing on the property belonging to Mrs. S. A. M. French, at Cove, Union county, Oregon, known as the Cove ranch.

DRESS MAKING. Mrs. Ad. Edgar, A Street, opposite Wright's Hall, Union, Oregon. Is prepared to do plain sewing, and DRESS MAKING in the best style. A share of the public patronage respectfully solicited.