OREGON CITY, OREGON, MAY 1st, 1874.

Dealers with the Dead.

THE EXTENT TO WHICH DEATH SUP-PORTS LIFE.

From the Hartford Courant. In 1870 there were in the United States 1,996 professional undertakers. of whom twenty were women. The deaths in that time were 260,973, so that to the average undertaker there fell 131 cases. Besides the undertakers, there were 2,465 coffin-makers who, of course, depend upon the undertakers for sales. These classes together make 4,361 persons who lived by the deaths of 260,763 perkeep one person alive for a year, or than that, of the best wheat field, Now, it is very hard to see how death can be more liberally utilized than it and that, too, exclusive of shroud appreciate a perfect fowling piece.—
"Warren Sentinel;" (Front Royal, Va.) makers, trimmers, milliners, dressmakers, livery men and others who their wares to the house of mourning. If the cremators should establish their method, several of these change. The undertaker would reat a convenient season, the coffin book. would be abolished and 2,365 persons at once thrown out of employment, while under the new regime people would lose the satisfaction that the present contemplation of post morten utility might afford. is only one instance of the subversion of ideas that would follow.

A correspondent of the Jackson (Miss.) News, tells how General ry. He says he got the story from Capt. Wm. Allen, a near neighbor of the General, and who messed with him during the Creek war. Durin the campaign the sol ders were moving rapidly to surprise the Indians. and were without tents. A cold march rain came on mingled with sleet, which lasted several days. Gen. Jacksen got a severe cold, but did are notable to pay the entire amount not complain, as he tried to sleep in may be accommodated, we will sell a muddy bottom among his half frozen soldiers. Captain Allen and his brother John cut down a stout hick ory tree, peeled off the bark and made a covering for the General, who was with difficulty persuaded to cand into it. The next morning a drunken citizen entered the camp, and seeing the tent kicked it over. As Jackson crawled from the ruins, the toper cried: "Hellow, Old Hickory! come out of your bark and jine

us in a drink." A GOOD MEASURE.—The bill which has passed the House, and is now before the Senate Committee on public Lands, repealing the pre-emption laws and amending the statutes relating to homestead entries, contains a section restoring to the public domain all forfeited railroad land grants. It provides that all lands known which thoroughly meets the which have been forfeited by the failure of such corporations or State try under the provisions of this Act, that is to say—to entry as homestead or in tracts of forty acres as sites for mechanical, commercial, or manufacturing purposes.

Ironnlous and relaxed, it oraces there: It the bowels are constipated, it relieves them; if the layer is lory id, it promotes activity in that organ; if the mind is gloomy, it clears away the clouds; if the appetite is four and direction slow and paintal operation, it creates a relish for paintal operation, it creates a relish for

A JUVENILE PUNSTER. - It is scarcea pun as the one alleged in the foltified to us by a Philadelphia correspondent. The author of it was a little girl. She was playing with her doll by the side of her mother, when, after some consideration, she said, "Mother, I wish my doll was realized." "Why, what do you

Missouri. When a lady rides up to a store in that place, three clerks seize the bridle, two take the horse by the tail and yank him close to the stile-block. Two more clerks the stile-block. Two more clerks the stile-block that is setting on the stile-block. Two more clerks the stile-block three stile-blocks. spread out a roll of Brussels carpet across the sidewalk, while the merchant, in white kids, white vest and o forked tail coat, escorts the lady to a luxurious divan, where she sits at ease and makes her purchases. ----

A fine distinction was that the preacher of the Richmond First for any ca Baptist Church made: "My brudders," said he, "when you were all slaves dar might ha heen sense for outtin' a slice off the marsr's bacon, or hookin' a handful o' corn meal, or or hookin' a handful o' corn meal, or robbin' the hen roost; for you all work hard den, my brudders, and you earn it, my brudders and sisters. But now you is all free men dar ain't no 'scuse whatever; you's all on yer spun is wrong in supposing the earth to be flat and stutionary, and medical science. on 'sponsibility."

NICE FRONTISPIECE, -A publisher in Yeddo, Japan, has just issued a life of Washington in forty-four volumes, printed in J panese characters, and illustrated with numerous engravings. On the frontispiece is monstache, carrying a cane in his

hand, and escorted by a terrier dog.

His Response.—One of the chubby class of four-year-old Sundayschool scholars, when talked to by his teacher about the sins and frailties of the body, was asked, "well, my son, what have you besides this sinful body?" Onick as thought the sinful body?" Quick as thought the little fellow responded: "a clean shirt and a nice new pair of breeches."

and dealth in Calarrhal eases, we unquite entitled to public confidence. The proprietor could easily obtain in Catskill many certificates of its merits.

North Adams has a tailor long known for his keen, pungent wit. Not long since a well known clergypantaloons, and asked him if they could be repaired. The knight of up in a most artistic manner, carefally examined them, and replied:

"Breakfast for forty-nine," said a waiter to a verdant clerk at a hotel not long ago. "Thunder!" said the clerk, "we can't do it." The waiter explained that forty-nine was the number of the room.

THE PARKER GUN.-We take pleas ure in calling attention of our Valley future political action, that retrench-

ers, West Meriden, Conn.
The highest testimonial received one dead body is a guarantee of six from all sections of the country, and days sustenance to one person, or the thorough test given it in the field Or, to take another view of the case, best breech-loading shot gun in the out of office, and we appeal to honest by our friend Capt. Green B. Samuels, if & ch of these bodies were allowed | world, The simplicity of construction, a full-sized grave, the whole would the ease with which it can be loaded or occupy 202 acres, and each of these load can be changed from small to acres would support about twenty- large shot-enabling the sportsman, in two persons a year, which is better an instant, to adapt his change to any sized game that may present itself-the ease with which it may be kept clean its availability to a country where nothing but muzzle-loading ammunition is under the present system. As was can be procured, all combine to recom-

New Book .- "The Gilded Age," Mark make their appearance at or send Twain's last book, is the best, on the lish their method, several of these classes would be without vocation—
save as they cried out against the The book is sold by subscription, and cannot be procured otherwise. It is a change. The undertaker would resolve himself into a monopoly, and without precedent. Mr. D. Wright is burying would be done by the gross | agent for this county for this popular

READ THIS NOTICE!

Many of our patrons are indebted to us for subscription and advertising. Some are behind for several years, and for whom we have bought white paper and worked. This we cannot afford to That in our national poetry we do always. Pay day must come, and tortion, we declare it to be the right should have to substitute the "hot, unless they come forward soon we hot urn" for the "cold, cold grave," shall be compelled to close our account such corporations.

is only one instance of the subvey, with them and give the bills to some 6. That we favor speedy return to person who will see that payment specie payments, just and equal taxa-is made. All persons in arrears for tion for support of Federal and State middle of next month what they owe, and pay one year in advance, we will sessments of redefinite violation and payers at the rate of \$250 per annum.

That the free navigation and interest the free factors of the Columbia river, the Jackson got his title of Old Hicko- After that date we shall charge St when not strictly paid in advance. We can-not afford to buy paper for those who think pay day never comes. We trust those indebted will pay without further Oregon City, March 12, 1874.

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"Horse-Men," and others who pretend to know, say that the following directions had better be observed in using Sheridan's leasing or speculating in property of Cavalry Condition Powders; Give a horse a any kind, except such only as is nectables, commutevery night for a week; the same every other night for 4 or 6 nights; functions of the Government. mean?" her mother inquired. She the same for a milen cow, and twice as replied, "Why, you see, she has much for an ox. The addition of a little struction of a good and serviceable only glass evest I want her to have

CARRIED TO PERFECTION.—The art fort, five years old, who had not done a of shopkeeping is carried to a high day's work four years. The back should degree of perfection in Charleston, they washed, then rubbed with a coarse to yet. Apply the Limment cold, and rub work for yet well with the limited cold, and rub

tenton's 76th Avenue. Pike's Poothache Drops cure in 1 minute.

MEANS WHAT HE SAYS. of Holy Writ" and as numerous as the sands on the sea snore, were produced to prove that the proprietor of Dr. sage's catarrh Runedy is in earnest and means what he says, when he offers \$500 reward for any case of Catarrh which he can not fiat and stationary, and medical science is daily proving the fact that he is no less is dail) proving the fact that he is no less mistaken and behind the times in regard to the curability of Calarra. In short, it has been positively proven that this world moves, and that medical science is progressive—the opinion of br. Homespun to the contrary not withstanding. That br. Sage's entarch Remedy will cure Catarch, thousands who have used it attest.

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A slanderous paper says: Twelve hundred bills have been introduced by the land. the present day, wearing a heavy [From the Catskill Record of Nov. 15, 1872.] in the Wisconsin Legislature this A Good Remedy.

to step-children.

Democratic Platform.

The following platform of principles was adopted by man called at his shop with a pair of Convention at Albany last Wednesday 1. We declare our unfaltering deve tion to the Constitution of the United States and to the Union of the Statethe shears unrolled them, held them thereby established, and we affirm that in a most artistic manner, care the people of the several States have the sole and exclusive right of govern ing themselves as free, sovereign and "Yes, yes; the knees are the best part of them." The reverend gentleman saw the joke, smiled blandly, and gracefully bowed himself out. we deny the right of the Federal Government through the treaty power, to permanently domicile Mongolians with

in any State without the consent of the

Legislature thereof.

We affirm that the greatest danger with which we are now threatened, is the corruption and extravagance which exists in high official places, and we do declare as the cardinal principle of our sons. Doctors and dressmakers aside therefore, under our present double-burreled breech loading shot ment, economy and reform are imperitively demanded in all the governments of the people Enderd methods, about sixty deaths avail to guns manufactured by Parker Broth- ments of the people, Federal as well as proclaim ourselves the uncompromising fees of the salary-grab law ring politicians and land monopolists, whoever they may be and wherever they men everywhere, without regard to past party affiliations, to join us in branding as they deserve these corrupt leeches on the body politic and assist us to purge official stations of their unwholesome and baneful presence 3. The present Federal Administration, by its utter inability to comprehend the dignity or responsibilities of the duties with which it is charged, by its devotion to personal and partisan interests, by its weak and inconsistent management of the National finances. its unwarrantable interference with e local self-government of the people -by its support of the corrupt governments which it has imposed by its power upon several States of the Union, by whole, of all this humorist's efforts at its complicity with corrupt practices book-making. Te satire, throughout, is and seandals in various quarters, and very good. The hits at the follies of by its appointment of notoriously incompetent men to high official posi- Remittent Fever.. tion, has justly brought upon itself the condemnation of the American people. That the persistent interference by Federal officials in local elections,

> our severest condemnation. That corporations are the creations of law, their franchise and privileges are granted to subserve the public interests, and when these are used, not to | Dropsy... subserve the object of their creation, but for purposes of oppression and ex

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posed to all discrimination in the as-

construction of the Portland, Dalles & Salt Lake Railroad, are improvements demanded by the commercial interests of this State, and that the Federal Government ought by all proper means to assist these measures; that we are in favor of the bill now before Congress, generally knows as the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Rail road bill, and we also favor the early completion of the Oregon and California Railroad to the southern boundary of the State.

That we disapprove all measures in the interests of capitalists and mo The flashes of excitement produced by nopolies against labor, believing that he stimulants in ordinary use, are follow- distinctions, if distinctions be made, d by a reaction that is always more or should be in favor of the laboring mans habitually prescribe the liquors of | vancement of the people; that we are ommerce for patients suffering from Opposed to a monopoly in the publicaspecial privileges in relation thereto

tebility, hypochonuria, or mental toriddle amended either by making such offi-y that does not arise from organic causes | cos salaried or by reducing the form ces salaried, or by reducing the fees make the compensation received by nothing more for the services required of them. That the Constitution be so amended that all printing for the State after the expiration of the term of the Printer in office, when such amendment is passed, shall be provided for by letting the same to the lowest responsible bidder. That we are in favor of the repeal of the Litigant Act. 11. That the only legitimate object of government is the protection of its citizens in their lives, liberty and property, and the pursuit of happiness that to accomplish this end direct means only should be resorted to; that the good resulting from a departure from this rule is temporary, the evil lasting. We are, therefore, opposed to the State engaging in the purchase, essary for conducting the ordinary

We have heard recently of several severe the Columbia river, from the mouth of Sandy river to the Dalles. That the compensation of all oficers should be only such as will be a ust remuneration for their services. 14. That we are in favor of Congresional aid for the construction of the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad, and for continuing the Oregon Central Railroad from St. Joseph to

Junction City. The pupils of a girl's school in Portland, out for their daily promenade, were recently mistaken for an approaching band of temperance re- Having a large and constantly increasing Through "confirmations strong as proofs formers, and their appearance was

abolitionist caught in Mississippi.

A Floridian heard the other day for the first time the story of David and Goliah, and he became so enthusiastic that he swung his hat and cried out, "Bully for the fellow with the

WESTERN VIRGINIA LAW.—The legislature of Western Virginia is said to have passed a law at its last session "to prevent the owners of hogs from running at large.'

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