ORIGINAL DEFECTIVE

The Enterprise.

OREGON CITY, THURSDAY, NOV. 7, 1878.

Reform.

The poor, tempest-tossed, and storm-beaten Democrat is truly an object of sympathy now, and we can scarcely find room to gloat over the misfortunes of the venerable craft which swung loose from the Tilden anchorage of reform, finds itself stranded on his cryptogram. The enigmatical language contained in his secret cipher was unearthed by the persistent, long-continued and indefatigable research of some idol-breaker, who had not one particle of veneration for the old Nestor of reform. Tilden protests his innocence of any connivance at the rascality his secret cipher betrays, and unless he lies, as he probably does, the only charitable excuse for him that we can discover, is that he told the thieving crew which surrounded him, "Here is my secret cipher, here is my office, No. 15 Gramercy Park, Here is my barrel full of best United States documents; do with them as you will; and I fully endorse the above." This language sounds familiar, but now we recollect, it is part of the words of the late Col., ex-Senator, but now Judge J. K. Kelly, who used a similar expression with reference to the use of eight thousand best United States documents (Tilden's documents, be it understood) for the purchase of a Republican elector in Oregon; and if we have got part of the language of Judge Kelly blended with part of the reform talk of Tilden, there is reason for it, to be sure; but looking at this precious pair of reform twins, who is there that can help saying, "'Tis true, 'tis pity, and pity 'tis 'tis true."

The question as to the advisability of Bible reading in the public schools was sprung in the Baptist convention lately in session here, and Hon. F. O. McCown distinguished himself in an able contention against the prevailing Christian theory of its necessity and importance. We are glad to see one of the sect take the tolerant ground that others have rights and feelings that ought in charity to be respected. It is a narrow, contracted sectarian and zealot bias that moves any man to impertinently obtrude what he considers a feast of good things before the palled tastes of dissenters; and more especially is this so in America, where the different characteristics of our nationality naturally bring together, but of course cannot blend the most heterogenous admixture of races with every possible variety of religious belief, and the whole mass leavened with an important element as to numbers who have no religion at all. Now it is conspicuous and elevated humanitarianism to lock beyond the rancor of conflicting religious beliefs and spread the mantle of charity over all, to relegate the militant and proselyting creeds to a common level, leaving each to work out its destiny untrammelled by such advantages as Bible reading in the schools would give the Christian over the Jew, the Catholic, the Mohamedan, or the Liberal. It is the highest exemplification of the best and worthiest maxim found within the lids of the Good Book—"Do unto others as ye would have others do unto you;" and we feel assured Mr. McCown was moved by this highest and most considerate of reasons for the position taken.

In converse of this view, who but instinctively knows that the zealot who insists on its school reading is blinded by the fierce dogmatic and intractable instinct which overrides the equal rights of others, and bends the sway of tolerance into the coils of the inquisition. Such an adherent, it seems to us, belongs to the medieval ages, when the sword was the sworn consort of the creeds, and the rack and thumb-screw the chief promotors of the true faith. Whoever that can say, "A free field and a fair contest" for the conquest of human beliefs rises high above the skulker who would entrench himself where plastic minds are easily moulded to the touch of the master hand, and thus win the victory of first choice, and stands forth in contrast as a MAN ranged alongside of a cringing coward.

Some cobwebbed bookworm in the Department of Agriculture writes to David Newsom that he understands there is a tradition among the Indians here of a plant known to them, from which sugar was made long time ago, and old Uncle Davy is ramping around among the rancheros trying to find it. We think the whole tradition grew out of the fact that from remote ages the noble red man has been calling for "sugar in his'n," when planted in the way where whisky abounded, and Uncle David will get done up in spirits if he pursues his investigation too far. Beyond the abstruse question of how to pickle crickets for after use, or to exterminate lice, so that while they replenished the commissary department as little pain or mutilation as possible was inflicted, the ponderous and dextrous mind of the noble red man never dwelt on the trivial matter of unnecessary condiments to sweeten his haphazard hash.

The election returns from Washington Territory are very meagre, and it is impossible to predict the result at present writing. So far as heard from, Brents, Republican nominee for Delegate, has the best of the contest.

The Greenback vote last Tuesday did not amount to much.

We Are Wiser Now Than Then.

Oregon City, that once was the stronghold of temperance and all the concomitant virtues that range around it like cherubims around a saint; a city where a red nose was looked upon in scorn and derision unless its wearer took refuge in the excuse of a boil, has fallen from its high estate and can no longer be classed in the world's lexicons as a Saint's Rest. Be ours the lot to muse over its fallen greatness as Marius mourned over the ruins of Rome, and as Macauley's New Zealander is yet to plaint over the broken arches of London's bridge in the days of its downfall and decay.

Once smiling Good Templars made winsome the uncanny hours of night, and the festive regalia exalted ordinary clay in as many hues as nature bestows in painting the lily and refining the rose. The heart that swelled beneath the horse-collar device that bound them in "purity, friendship and love," rose in vindictive emotion as the fiery woes of King Alcohol were expatiated upon, and the regalia had to be loosened to give them room to breathe. So, too, Sons and Daughters of Temperance met together in weekly conclave to plot against the evil machinations of Red Eye, and draw brands from the burning out of the fiery furnace of the dram-shop. How well do we remember how The Hermit of Oregon City had the coat of somebody's stomach who had in an evil day become a "Frightful Example" stretched upon rollers, and cured to do extreme credit to some excellent tannery. How the hermit was able to get patches of that stomach in different stages of alcoholic decomposition always non-plussed us. The "Frightful Example" was certainly an accommodating and good-natured wretch, and to him are we indebted for the coat of many colors, which, barring Joseph's was the first known to history. Under such guidance, the mild and benignant influence of the Sons and Daughters of Temperance, and the rather scary and forcible persuasive of the hermit, we were a reluctant community to drink—at any rate, unless very slyly; but in an evil hour an insidious and malevolent enemy of our preconceived notions burst upon the scene, and like the "*veni vidi vici*" of the Roman conqueror, he came, saw and conquered. He has taught us that whisky, instead of being a deadly poison, is bread, meat and substance for six weeks' continued debauch; that the coat, jacket and under-clothes of the human stomach is as impervious to the action of rot-eye as a cast-iron dog is indifferent to cold weather; that, instead of refraining to look upon the wine when it is red, that it is better than soldiers' rations to sustain the human system for an indefinite, protracted period. Is it then to be wondered at that faith in abstinence became badly "shook up?" For this reason, and only, is it that we have relapsed into a quiescent state, in which invitations to drink are encouragingly winked at and promptly accepted; that the Good Templars' hall no longer echoes to the cheery refrain of the devotees of cold water, but that now and then its empty, silent and deserted corridors re-echo to the noise of drunken bacchanals from the haunt beneath. Long since has the pertinent question of "Who do the things belong to" in that communal lodge been decided under the auctioneer's hammer, and a drowse as drear as the baptismal of death hath set its seal on the champions of the "sparkling and bright." Let not any moralist in our midst or elsewhere abjurgate the failing zeal of the formerly faithful. We have been knocked out of time by a standing or staggering example of a man continuously and for six weeks drunk, and after a week of relapse into sobriety to go six weeks drunk again. He is fat and healthy, and bids fair to outlive many who lost ground while striving to live a temperate life in the days when "The Hermit of Oregon City, pooling all his issues pulled that tanned stomach on us, and bluffed us out of a good hand of aces; but we are now even with him again, and wiser than we were before.

Editors and Their Privileges.

The Courts are beginning to take notice of the relations of an editor toward persons with whom he is brought into confidential relations. A Rochester newspaper man, who was called upon to testify as to the manner in which he obtained certain information published in his paper bearing on a case at issue in Court, declined to answer; alleging that a disclosure by him of the name of his informant would seriously injure him in his business as the publisher of a newspaper, and that as the information had been imparted to him under pledge of secrecy as to the informant, he was as privileged as a lawyer who had received disclosures from his client. The Court took his view of the case.

St. Patrick and Col. Kelly tried to buy an Oregon elector, and telegraphed to Tilden's office that eight thousand dollars were needed to consummate the purchase. It is said that all men have their price, but with a knowledge of the reform candidate's barrel of money, the miserable cuss who could only affix eight thousand dollars as the price of an eternal infamy more conspicuous than Arnold's or Judas Iscariot's, has a soul so small that in comparison he would sell his wife's honor for a peck of peanuts; and the public are getting anxious to know which one it was. Will Judge Kelly fully endorse this and explain?

The Egotist.

Of all the abominations in the land, the egotist ought to go first, as his pretensions are the most boreful, and his persistency the most pertinacious. How the great I swells into collossal proportions as he descants on his lofty accomplishments, and the common herd of ordinary minds blend in an indistinguishable mass beneath his empyrean height. We have him in our midst as well as all other communities have him, and are bored. He swells to insufferable proportions as he descants on furnishing grease for the world's axles, and keeps the machinery of trade moving by his ponderous combinations of possibilities. How unpleasant it is for him, if in company, by loud talk and swagger, he is unable to catch the ear of the gaping crowd, and shrivel them into the focus they occupy in his enthroned I-amship. There is but one refuge for a wretch who will not at once surrender to genius so overpowering. He is the mark of scorn and contumely for the egotist, and is at once cast into the outer darkness of his ineffable contempt. The justice of the peace who, after marrying the couple, said, "And now what God Almighty has joined let no man put asunder," was nowhere to the average bore who thinks the east tips up when he goes to the west, and that through him ordinary events have extraordinary guidance. If such could be taught (but that is an impossible task,) that if death should be such a disrespecter of persons as to summon him, the world would little miss, nor long remember his transcendant exaltation, very much would be gained towards his final redemption from the fatal disease that makes him a nuisance and a bore; but the infinite mercy of the all-wise has never yet so condescended, and it is quite likely that the egotist departs with this dying injunction to the imaginary host of attending seraphims that surround him, "Tell Gabriel to announce my coming."

Physicians give the mental disease we have noted, the name of strabismus, or disease of the "I." There is an editor in Portland who has it badly, but one in Salem is so much worse diseased that unless he is soon purgated, the coroner will set in autopsy over a case of swell-head that will go beyond the experience of all the clinics.

The motive that actuates a man to say "I am unquestionably the best writer and editor in the State" is a case of diabolical strabismus which must excite the commiseration of the sympathetic the world over; and if the prayers of the faithful could do aught to benefit a mind diseased, we ask that a day of intercession be set apart for his relief, to the end that the fool-killer need have no cause to visit the editorial fraternity in this State, and thus bring reproach on the profession where lesser examples in the community at large will do just as well to keep the masses of men in mediocre bounds, and free from the fatal blight of egotism.

We inadvertantly copied an item from the *Inland Empire* last week reflecting on the character of the contract Messrs. Ball & Platt have at the Cascades Locks and insinuating that they have engaged to do it too cheaply. The editor of the *Inland Empire* is presumed to know as much about what he is writing on such a subject as a hog knows of "grace and election," and the whole matter is as the subject is looked upon through O. S. N. Co. spectacles, who have chosen the "merry trooper" of the *I. E.* to do their talking for them. When it is known that Messers. Ball & Platt were only about $13,000 below in their bid, the proposal of such safe contractors as Hon. D. P. Thompson and J. B. Montgomery, there need not be much concern as to which side the bread of Messrs. Ball & Platt is buttered. Those who "eat, drink and be merry," are prone to put off the reading of the handwriting on the wall, which reveals their final overthrow.

In an article on the "drifts of immigration," the San Francisco *Bulletin* says, that nearly every day large companies of immigrants are landed by the overland trains at that city; and it says that the "drift of the present immigration is strongly towards Oregon. Oregon is a moist country, and the crops rarely or never fail. Land is reasonably cheap, and titles are generally good. The purchaser at second hand usually gets a warranty deed, a form rarely used in California, even where titles are well settled. The purchaser who has always been accustomed to have his title warranted, cannot quite understand why the warranty is withheld in California, and he naturally looks upon a title with some suspicion from which the warranty is withheld."

State News.

Diphtheria rages in Yamhill county in its most fatal form.

Jacob Klech committed suicide at Salem on Oct. 31st. Causeunrequited love.

The first blast was fired at the Cascades yesterday by the canal contractors, Messrs Ball and Black.

Fred Bunn, of Carlton, fell from the loft of his barn last week breaking his collar bone and three ribs.

W. S. Byers, of the Pendleton flouring mill, was caught in the burrs of the mill last week and had his hand and wrist crushed. His arm had to be amputated just above the elbow.

W. R. Wilson, an Astoria boy, with some genius, has invented a plan to utilize the tides for hoisting watter a distance of 1,000 feet. A power can be gained by submerging a wheel in either moving or stagnant water.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Eastern.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—A Tribune's Washington special thinks it is likely the Senate Committee will undertake the investigation of the cipher dispatches, and it is conceded by the friends of Senator Gordon that he must rise to a personal explanation promptly on the assembling of the Senate, and ask to have his connection with the counting of the electoral vote in South Carolina investigated. The late publications in the Tribune pointing him out as the person in Columbia to whom Smith Weed was telegraphing in regard to the arrival of Pelton at Baltimore with $80,000 for the purchase of the returning board, will place him in such a position that it cannot fail to draw a speedy request from him for inquiry at the hands of the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Justice Field, of the supreme court, has returned from California and will [illegible] this place tomorrow, when for the first time this term there will be a full bench.

A *Times'* Washington special says: Speaker Randall places the Democratic majority in the next house at 35.

The Methodists will send for foreign missionary purposes the following sums, Denmark, $8,000; Norway, $11,000; Northen India, $60,000; Southern India $1,000; Bulgaria, $5,000; Italy, $22,000; Mexico, $22,000.

Postmaster Key says he thinks the strictest Chinese immigration will be stopped.

MOBILE, Nov. 2.—Quarantine restrictions are removed against every place.

MOBEILE, Nov. 1.—A killing frost last night. The board of health has made no report for 24 hours. Quarantine restrictions will be removed tomorrow or next day.

Democrats in Washington say that Tilden is dead and that they are glad of it. But after lifes fitful fever he dosen't sleep well. The old sinner has bad dreams.

WILMINGTON, Dela.. Nov. 5.—Complete returns in this city give Waddell, Democrat, for Congress, 1,001; Russell, Greenback, 1,924. There is a falling off of about 25 per cent. in the Democratic vote and 20 per cent in the Republican vote. On the basis of this reduced vote throughout the districts Waddell's majority will be about 500.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 5.—Returns from 110 towns and precincts in Illinois gives the following totals for state treasurer: Smith, Rep,, 15,986; Cronkerite, Dem., 8,329; Bates, Greenbacker, 3,459. The congressional vote continues in about the same proportion.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—1. A. M.—Returns from the congressional districts of the state although incomplete, seem to show that the Republicans have gained two represenatives, namely, Davis in the 2d district, and Thomas in the 18th.

One hundred and eighty towns in the state give Smith 23,958, Cronkerite 12,338, Bates 5,637. No indications yet as to the legislature, except that it will be very close, with probabilities of a Republican gain and a Republican senator to succeed Gov. Oglesby.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 5.—The Republican committee claim that the Republicans have carried every congressional district and that they will have a good majority in both branches of the legislature.

NASHVILLE, Tenn. Nov. 5.—The election here is unusually quite and excite but little apparent interests. Indications are that the vote will be the lightest held in the state for years.

CHATTANOOGA, Nov. 5.—Returns indicate the election of Pettibone (Rep,) in the 1st and Dibroll (Dem,) in the 3d districts. Tennessee is very close. In the 2d district Honk (Rep,) is ahead.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 5.—The *Journal* has returns from the entire state, except Black Island. In the first district, Nelson W. Aldrich, Rep., has 5,910; Davis Dem., 1324; Sayles, Greenback, 606; scattering, 104. In the 2d district, Latimer W. Ballon, Rep., has 5,569; Camaby. Dem. 4,535; Smith, Greenback, 311; scattering, none.

HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 6.—2 A. M.—Returns from 148 towns gave Andrews 45,355; Hubbard, 43,191; Atwater, 7,996; Balwind, 1,055. The Republicans elect Hawley, Waite and Mills to congress, and will have the legislature by 35 majority. As there is no election by the people the Republican ticket will be elected by the legislature.

ST. ALBANS, Vt., Nov. 6,—1 A. M.—Special congressional election in the 3d district, ordered by the governor, there being no election in September, took place to-day. Returns from 48 towns give Bradley Barlow, bolting Republiand Greenback, 7,141; W. W. Grout, regular Republican, 3,161; G. L. Waterman 806. Barlows majority, 3,174; plurality over Grout, 3,980; gain over Gront since September, 1,338. Twenty-eight towns are still to hear from, but Barlow's victory is assured.

BOSTON, Mass. Nov. 5.—At 9 P. M., Talbot's election by 19,000 plurality is conceeded by Butler's friends; all Republican represenatives to congress from the eleven districts, with the exception of the 4th, where Brimmer is defeated by Morse. Democrats (?) are undoubtedly elected as far as present returns indicate. A vote of 223 towns give Talbot a majority over Butler of 19,481.

Foreign

CALCUTTA, Nov. 4.—Information has been received from Simla to the effect that the Ameer in his recent reply said that he had been anxious for British friendships, but the British policy changed with each new viceroy. The Ameer declared he is open to make a new treaty; that he is not bound by any Russian allaince and did not invite the Russian embassy to Cabul.

Butler has been defeated for the Governorship of Massachusetts by a handsome majority.

The Corvallis *Gazette* of the 1st inst. publishes the following under bombastic head-lines: "At a meeting of the board of directors, of the Willamette valley and Coast railroad, held on Wednesday evening, Oct. 30th, their agent, T. Egerton Hogg, was ordered to procure the necessary iron and rolling stock for the first ten miles of the road, and also to contract for the ties to be delivered along the line of the road, All of which will be done immediately.

Dr. Walter J. Adams was recently admitted to the insane asylum from Benton county. He holds a diploma as graduate of the Royal College of Surgeons. London, a diploma from the medieal college of New South Wales and a State certificate as a competent teacher from the Superintendent of Public Instruction. Strong drink was the cause.

The New Judiciary Law.

SALEM, Nov. 4, 1878.

ED. ENTERPRISE:—A Southern Oregon paper commenting on the new judiciary law, indulges in some strictures upon newspaper correspondents, why such a bill was never mentioned nor noticed by them. A newspaper correspondent, then, is an entity in our system of political economy. It is most true that this judiciary law was nurtured and cradled in secret, and that it was not five days (including Sunday) from the time it saw the light of day till it was in the Governor's hands for approval. But the Southern Oregon interrogator should bear in mind that newspaper correspondents, above all other classes of men, require the public moral support of the people. The press of the country has been true to itself, as the reforms in the past few years in both National and State affairs most abundantly show. But has the public done its duty? What says the public of this? James K. Kelly was a party in the attempt to steal an electoral vote from the people of Oregon, and what punishment has he received for it?—been elevated to the exalted position in this State. If men in high places are to be rewarded for their infamy, does it not look as if the time for newspaper correspondents to exercise their polity had about passed by?

OREGON.

It is stated on authority of a telegram from Washington that the Potter committee will enter into an exhaustive investigation of everything concerning cipher dispatches, and will subpœna Marble, Pelton, Coyle, Woolley, Smith Weed and all persons who can throw any light upon the subject.

The official returns from Iowa are as follows: Hull, (Rep,) 134,503; Farnsworth, (Dem. and Fiat Fool) 125,114. Hull's majority, 9,389.

A little daugter of Mr. J. M. Jones, who lives near The Dalles, was choked to death a few days ago by the lodgment of a piece of apple core in her windpipe.

BORN.

CASTO—At New Era, Nov. 2, 1878,, to the wife of Dr. J. Casto, a daughter.

MARRIED.

O'BRIEN—STEELE—In Olympia, on Wednesday, Oct. 23d, by Rev. A. M. Abel, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. Rosell G. O'Brien and Miss Fann, O. Steele, only daughter of Dr. A. H. Steele, all of Olympia.

Market Report.

Portland Market.

Legal tenders 99¼ buying, 99¾ selling.
Flour—Extra, $5 00; superfine $4 15.
Wheat—$1 50 ₮ cental.
Oats—40c. bushel, sacked.
Barley—$1 20 ₮ cental.
Bacon—Sides 11c.; hams, 12@18; shoulders, 7@8c.
Lard—In kegs, 11c.; in 10lb tins, 11¾c.
Butter—Fresh roll, 25@30c.
Potatoes—new, 55@60c ₮ bshl.
Fruits—Dried apples in sacks, 4c.; kegs, 4; plums, pitless, 11@12c.; peaches, 14c.; prunes, 17.
Eggs—30c.
Chickens—Fullgrown, $3 00@$4 00 ₮ dozen.
Hides—Dry, 12c; salted, 5c; culls, ½ off.
Tallow—6c ₮ lb.
Wool—18@21c.
Feed—Bran, $14@$22 15 ₮ ton; shorts, $[illegible] oil cake, $40 00.
Hay—Baled, $8 ₮ ton; loose, $9.
Onions—1¼@1½ ₮ lb.
Mutton Sheep—$1 75@$2.

Oregon City Market.

Wheat—85c ₮ bushel.
Oats—42c ₮ bushel with sacks.
Barley—Choice brewing, 75c ₮ bushel; feed, 75c.
Potatoes—60@55c ₮ bshl.
Onions—1¼ @c ₮ lb.
Flour—$4 50@$5 00 ₮ bbl.
Dried Fruits—Apples, 4c ₮ lb; plums, 11@12c.
Apples—25@37½ ₮ bshl. loose.
Butter—25@30c ₮ lb.
Chickens—$2 50@$3 25 ₮ dozen.
Eggs—30c ₮ dozen.
Bacon—Sides, 10@12½c ₮ lb; hams, 12@14.
Lard—14c ₮ lb.
Hay—$12 @$14 ₮ ton;
Wool—16@18c ₮ lb.
Hides—Green, 5c; dry, 13½c ₮ lb offered for culled.
Mill feed—Bran, $15 ₮ ton; shorts, $20@$22 ₮ ton; middlings $27 50 @ $32 50 ₮ ton.
Fresh meats—Beef, dressed, 3½@4c ₮ lb; veal, 2c; dressed hogs, 6c; mutton sheep, $1,50@ $175.

NEW TO-DAY.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Levena Sawtell has been appointed by the County Court of Clackamas county, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of John Sawtell, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them in proper form within six months from this date, to the undersigned, at E. L. Eastham's office in Oregon City, in said county. LEVENA SAWTELL,
Administratrix of said Estate.
E. L. EASTHAM,
Atty. for Estate.
Oregon City, November 7th, 1878-4w.

HOWE & CO.,

BOOK BINDERS AND BLANK BOOK Manufacturers. Blank Books with printed headings ruled to any desired pattern, and bound 25 per cent. less than any other Binding in the State. Magazines, Music, and Old Books rebound on short notice. Corner Washington and Front streets, Portland.
J. M. BACON Agent Oregon City.
nov. 1, 1878-6m.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE HOMESTEAD OF WM. MCCOWN, 5 miles from Hubbard, containing 480 acres—50 to 60 in cultivation; houses, barns, and orchard, and everything necessary to make agood home, for sale at $3,000; one-half down. Apply to JOHNSON & MCCOWN,
Oregon City, Nov. 7, 1878.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO THOSE INdebted to me to call and settle by the end of this month. I. SELLING.
Oregon City, Nov. 7, 1878-1w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MY wife, Laura Jackson, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after this date.
J. W. JACKSON.
Oregon City, Oct. 31, 1878-4w.

Notice.

BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE Office of Thomas Charman, Oregon City, for furnishing Logs in the Boom at Canemah for the Saw-mill at the Basin. Bids for one year; commencing January 1st, 1879, and ending January 1st, 1880; also Bids for hauling for said Saw-mill for one year to any part of the City or Canemah.
Bids must be closed before the 20th of November. FRED R. CHARMAN.
Oregon City, Oct. 24, 1878-4d.

Name Changed.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF CLACKAMAS; *In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Baddeley for Change of Name.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, after due hearing, said petition is granted, and the name of petitioner is changed to that, and will hereafter be JOSEPH RAY.
By order of J. K. WAIT, County Judge.
Attest: W. H. H. FOUTS,
County Clerk.
Oregon City, Ogn., Oct. 24, 1878-4w.

ESTABLISHED IN 1860.

B. A. HUGHES

WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE inhabitants of Oregon City and vicinity that he is still on hand, and doing business at the old stand on Main street, three doors north of Third street, where you will find a large stock of well-selected general merchandise, which I will sell as cheap for the cash as you can buy in Portland. My stock consists in part as follows:

Dry Goods and Fancy Goods,
CLOTHING,
HATS AND CAPS,
HOSIERY,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Perfumery, Jewelry of various qualities, Clocks by the Best Makers, Glass Ware, Caina Ware, Yankee Notions, Pocket Cutlery, Table Cutlery, Plated Ware, and Crockery; also,

Hardware, Farming Utensils,
Rope, Grain Sacks, and
Groceries of all Kinds.

I KEEP THE BEST TEA AND COFFEE IN the market; BOSTON DRIP SYRUP on draught.

NINETEEN YEARS' EXPERIENCE

In Oregon City enables me to know the requirements of the trade. Come and examine my goods, and you will see for yourselves that the old firm of

B. A. HUGHES

Cannot be beaten in quality or price. Small profits and quick returns is the life of business, and I am determined to sell cheap, and not allow myself to be undersold by any house in Oregon City or Portland. I would here thank my friends for their patronage in the past, and would assure them that my new arrangements of selling *exclusively for cash* will enable me to give them better bargains than ever. B. A. HUGHES,
Main Street, Oregon City.
Oct 24, 1878-tf.

COUNTY TREASURERS' NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there are now funds in my hands applicable to the payment of County Orders endorsed on or before January 31st, 1878. Interest thereon will not be allowed after this date. F. S. DEMENT,
Treasurer of Clackamas County.
Oregon City, Ogn., Oct 24, 1878-tf.

OREGON CITY MILLS.

KEEP ON HAND FOR SALE,

FLOUR, BRAN, SHORTS, MIDDLINGS,

CHOP FEED, OATS, CHICKEN FEED, ETC.

Parties purchasing feed must furnish sacks.
Market price paid at all times for wheat.
E. H. C. TAYLOR,
Agent at Portland.
JAS. D. MILLER.
Oregon City, Oct. 17, 1878-tf.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned administrator of the estate of Marcus W. Spaulding, deceased, in pursuance of an order made by the County Court of Multnomah county, State of Oregon, on the 9th day of October, 1878, will, on the 23d day of November, 1878, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, and at the front door of the Court House of Clackamas county, in Oregon City, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash (gold coin), the following described real estate, to-wit: The undivided one-half int rest in the east half of Lot No. three (3), in Block No. two (2), in the town of Oswego, Clackamas county, Oregon, according to the [illegible] thereof. W. W. SPAULDING,
Administrator.
[illegible], 1878-5w.

DR. P[illegible] M. D.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
[illegible]EGON,
Oc[illegible] NOVER, N. H.)

[illegible]ATION CLAIMANTS.

[illegible]FICE, OREGON CITY,
October 9, 1878.
[illegible]CE WITH INSTUCIONS
[illegible] the Hon. Commissioner of
[illegible]d Office, dated August 20, 1878,
[illegible]aining lands in the Land Dis-
[illegible]e provisions of the Act of Con-
[illegible]ed September 27th, 1850, common-
[illegible]s the Oregon Donation Act, and
[illegible]dment thereto, whose claims were
[illegible] in advance of the public surveys of the
[illegible] States and have not been definitely
[illegible]ed in connection with such surveys, are
[illegible]eby notified to come forward within *thirty days* from the date hereof and furnish such a description of the particular tracts claimed by them as will enable their definite location on the plats of this office.

The attention of claimants is particularly directed to the fact that in default of such notice their claims are liable to forfeiture under the provisions of the 3rd section of the Amendatory Donation Act of 1854, which provides that "all persons claiming donations under this Act or the Acts of which it is amendatory, shall * * * give notice to the Surveyor General or other duly authorized officers of the particular lands claimed as such donations within thirty days after having requested to do so by such officer; and failing such notice in either case, the claimant or claimants shall forfeit all right and claim thereto."

Donation claimants and those holding under them will best subserve their own interests by giving prompt attention to this notice, thereby avoiding the possibility of having their claims declared forfeited under the provisions of the Act above quoted.

Claimants who have not made their final proof and obtained patent certificates for their claims are requested to furnish such proof and take the necessary steps to obtain their certificates without further delay.

L. T. BARIN, Register.
oct10-4w. T. R. HARRISON, Receiver.

Wife Astray.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT my wife Sarah Ann having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after this date.
JOHN FORSYTH.
Oregon City, Ogn., Oct. 31, 1878-4w.

WANTED,

1000 HOGS, FOR WHICH WE WILL pay the highest market price, cash down. Farmers would do well to consult us before selling elsewhere.
ALBRIGHT & LOGUS.
Oregon City, Oct. 24, 1878-tf.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas, to me, as Sheriff of said county, directed pursuant to a decree of said Court, entered September 28th, 1878, in a suit, wherein J. N. Stewart was plaintiff, and R. E. Stewart and Martha Stewart were defendants, commanding me to make sale of the real property hereinafter described, I have levied upon, and will, on

Saturday, November 16th, 1878,

At the hour of 1 o'clock, P. M., at the Court House door of said county, in Oregon City, proceed to sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for gold coin in hand, to satisfy said execution, the following-described real estate, situate in the County of Clackamas and State of Oregon, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwest corner of section No. 32, in township No. 4 south of range one east of the Willamette meridian; running thence east 163 rods; thence north 237 rods; thence west 10 rods; thence south 137 rods; thence west 150 rods; thence south 100 rods to the place of beginning; also beginning at the said southwest corner of section No. 32, first above named; running thence east 50 rods; thence south 32 rods; thence west 50 rods; thence north 32 rods to the place of beginning; being 10 acres in section No. 5, of township No. 5 south of range 1 east of said meridian; containing in all the premises above described, 1159 acres, more or less.

JOHN G. PILSBURY,
Sheriff of Clackamas County.
Oregon City, Oct. 17th, 1878-4w.

FALL OPENI[illegible]

AT

J. F. D. WRINKLE & CO.'S.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE and complete Stock of Goods suitable to this season of the ocay. Our stock consists of

Black Silks,
Black Cashmeres,
Colored Cashmeres,
IN NEW SHADES, SILKS TO MATCH.
Black and Colored
Basket Cloths,
Mohairs and
Camel's Hair Goods.

A fine line of New Style Dress Goods at 25 cents per yard.
A full line of Ladies' Cotton and Wool Hosiery.
Corsets, Kid Gloves, Fringes, Embroideries, Laces, Ruching, Ribbons, etc.
A large Stock of Felt Skirts from 75 cents upwards.

A Full Stock of DOMESTIC GOODS.

We have very heavy Canton Flannel at 18c per yard.
A heavy Shaker Flannel at..... 20c
A heavy Wool Flannel at..... 25c
10x4 Bleached Sheeting at..... 25c
5,000 yds slightly damaged Sprague Prints 5c per yard.
A Full Stock of Blankets, Bedspreads and Comforters.

We have several Special Lines of Goods, which we are offering Great Bargains, on which we will make special mention later.
All we ask is an inspection of our Stock, as we know we are offering better inducements than are offered elsewhere.
Orders from the country solicited, and promptly filled.
Samples sent on application.

J. F. D. WRINKLE & CO.,
221 First St., cor. Salmon, Portland.

1865.—FALL STOCK—1878.

HAVING RETURNED LATELY FROM San Francisco, with the best selected

Stock of Goods,

I would call attention to the

LATEST STYLES AND PATTERNS,

Which I will sell, for Cash at

PORTLAND PRICES.

The same have been bought at Bankrupt Sales, so I can give Inducements,

I INVITE THE PUBLIC TO EXAMINE before purchasing elsewhere.
The following can be had and I

DEFY COMPETITION:

Dry Goods, Clothing,
Winter Wear,
Boots and Shoes
Hats and Caps,
Groceries, Crockery,
Hardware, Glassware,
Cutlery and Plated Ware,
Paints, Oils,
Windows, Doors,
and Blinds.

All kinds of produce bought and sold

I. SELLING.
Oregon City, Sept. 19, 1878-tf.

CLIFF HOUSE.

OREGON CITY, OREGON.

T. W. RHODES,
Proprietor.

Transient Board, $1 to $2 per Day.
Single Meals..... 50 cents.
Board per Week..... $5 00
Board and Lodging, per week..... $6 00

The Table will be supplied with the best the market affords.
Ball Suppers furnished on short notice, and at reasonable terms.
Nov. 19, 1875-tf

F. M. HANSON

HAS OPENED THE

BARLOW HOUSE.

I HAVE GIVEN THIS POPULAR HOUSE a thorough renovation from cellar to garret, and propose to make it a house second to none in Oregon, this side of Portland. Everything will be done to advance the comfort of the guests. The House is large and commodious.

Board and Lodging per week..... $5 00
Board per week..... 4 00
Meals and Beds, each..... 25

Free Coach to and from the Hotel.
Oregon City, Aug. 30, 1878-tf.

BARNUM SALOON,

F. W. STEWART, Proprietor.

THIS WELL KNOWN AND POPULAR resort has been opened again by the undersigned, who will keep a well assorted stock of

WINES, LIQUORS, BEER AND CIGARS.

Free lunch daily from 9 o'clock p. m.

BILLIARDS.

Lovers of this scientific game will find two fine tables at their service.
Old as well as new patrons are invited to "call and smile." F. W. STEWART.
Oregon City, October 3, 1878.

HERMAN KATLER,

73 First Street,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

BILLIARDS AND SAMPLE ROOMS.

CAMBRINUS BEER.

THIS CELEBRATED BEVERAGE FROM L. Feurer's Brewery, at Portland, is constantly kept on draught at

JACK TRENBATH'S SALOON.

It is the best beer in the city, and we invite the public to call and give it trial.
Oregon City, March 1, 1878-tf.

CHRIS. ZAUNER,

DEPOT SALOON,

Opposite the Railroad Depot,

KEEPS THE BEST BEER AND CIGARS in the City. Give him a call. jy5-tf.

LAND FOR SALE,

I HAVE 205 ACRES OF NO. 1 LAND, which I will sell at a bargain; situated 9 miles from Portland, and 1½ miles from Clackamas Station. For further information inquire of Bert Phillips at the Postoffice in Oregon City, or at Clackamas Station to—
Oct. 3,78-tf. W. PHILLIPS.

Notice of Administrator's Sale.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF A. J. ARRINGTON,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, BY virtue of an order of the County Court, of the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, made and entered on record on the 28th day of October, 1878, I will offer for sale at public auction at the Court House door in Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, on Saturday, the 30th day of November, 1878, the hour of 1 o'clock, of said day, the following described real estate, situate in said county, described as follows, to-wit: The north half of the north half of the northwest quarter of section 22, township 5 south, range 1 east of the Willamette Meridian; containing 40 acres. Terms cash. J. M. BACON.
Administrator of said Estate.
Oregon City, Oct. 31, 1878-4w.