THE OREGON STATESMAN: FRIDAY, MAROH 18, 1887.

LOVE'S DESERTED PALACE.

Regard it well. This yet a lordly place, Palace of Love, once warmed with sacred fires, Sounding from end to end with joy of lyres, Pragrant with incense, with greatlights ablast, The fires are dead now; dead the festal rays; No more the music matrices keen dealers, No more the incense of the shrine aspires, And of Love's godhead there is now no trace

Yet if one walked at night through those dim

Might it not chance that ghostly shapes would

rise. And ghostly lights glide glimmering down the walls;

That there might be a stir, a sound of sighs, and gentie voices answering gentie calls, nd gentie voices answering gentle calls, And gentle, wandering wraiths of melodies?

-[Harper's Magazine.

THIS AND THAT.

"Oh, very beautiful are little girls, And goodly to the sight," So John G. Saxe wrote years ago, And John G. Saxe was right.

Quite beautiful are little girls,

And pleasing to the view; Their rosy cheeks and clustering curls I like to see-don't you?

Yes, very beautiful are little girls, And yet the dullest prig Will willingly agree with me.

They're prettier when they're big. -[Somerville Journal

Corporal John.

"Another man killed !" exclaimed Captain Duval. "The devil take those Mexican brigands. Why their mode of warfare is worse than anything I ever saw in Algiers!"

Captain Duval had won a medal as a gallant officer in the foreign legion, and had been transferred at his own request to Bazaine's command in Mexico. But in this new field of service he had won few laurels. Maximilian's ill-starred reign was nearing its end, and Captain Duval found himself fighting against overwhelming odds.

What galled the chivalric Frenchman more than anything else was the fact that this military education was worth little to him in this semi-barbarous land, where the people resorted to a bush-whacking warfare. On this scouting expedition into Sonora he had lost half of his men without once seeing the enemy. On the march, and around the camp-fire at night, the soldiers were picked off one by one by unseen sharpshooters, who seemed to defy discovery and pursuit. And now another man had been killed.

What was to be done?

"Send Corporal John to me," said the captain, coming to the door of his tent. In a few moments Corporal John ap-

peared. He was a stalwart young fellow. with an honest American face. His soldierly bearing was that of a veteran. Although a mere youth, he had been trained in war's roughest school. At the downfall of the confederacy he had made his way across the Rio Grande, still wearing his faded gray jacket, and had joined Maximilian's army.

Corporal John wore his French uniform gracefully, but the lingo of his comrades was too much for him, and this made him a little uneasy in the presence of his captain.

"My American friend " "you have fought bushwhackers?"

oldier, to murder an unarmed prisoner.' "You and your friends have been mur dering our men," replied the corporal. "and we must get even and set an ex-

"Benor, let me speak. Less than a month ago a band of your soldiers burned our haciends. They stabbed my father. a harmless old man, with their bayonets, until he was dead. My mother fied into the swamps, where she died of fright and exposure. Well, I tell the truth. Since then my brother and I they have been Since then my brother and I have been with the guerrillas, and we have done some good work. Do you blame me?" Corporal John thought of a similar exerience in his own case, when he was

fighting for the confederacy. "No, I don't" he blurted out; "but I don't know whether you are telling the truth or a lie. I must obey orders."

"But, senor, would you kill a woman -a girl?"

"Senorita," stammered the rough soldier, "I am sorry that you are in this trouble. You may rest assured, however, that I am not going to kill you."

"I knew it!" and the girl smiled triumphantly.

"But you ought to be sent to head-quarters."

"And would my life be safe there ?" "No, I don't believe it would," was

the corporal's thoughtful reply. "Then set me free !"

"Hey ?"

"Set me free !"

"Hang me if I don't !" said the corooral. "Why, of course I will." He cut the prisoner's bonds and gave

an inquiring look. "It is all right," responded the seno "The stream is not so deep at this rita. point. I am going to ford it, and on the other side of yonder hill my brother and his companions await me. When you return to your comrades, tell them that you did your duty. God bless you, senor, and farewell."

Befere he could speak the senorita was half-way across the river. As she disappeared in the forest on the other side she waved her hand, and the corporal heartily responded.

"I am a great fool to fight a duel,' said John Conway, as he finished his toilet and viewed his face in the glass, "but when a fellow is in Paris he must

do as the Parisians do." Conway gave an extra twist to his mustache, and continued talking to himself:

"It is strange. I fought through our war and was mixed up in the Maximilian business. I have done my share of shooting and being shot at, but I never yet stood up in cold blood to exchange shots with a man. I don't like it."

So many years had elapsed since Conway's military experience that the prospect of a fight no longer stirred his blood. He was not an old man, but the fiery ardor of youth was a thing of the past. After years of adventurous speculation in the mining regions of the west, fortune had favored him, and for the first time in his life he was realizing one of the

dreams of his youth, a visit to Paris. Unfortunately, he had been drawn into a political controversy in a cafe with a member of the Mexican Legation, Senor Gomez, a gentleman whose great

THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

"Ray" Writes a Few Words About Washington, and Its "Sessiety"-Personals.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 1. ED. STATESMAN :- To the philosophic individual, nothing is more amusing than the efforts of the average Washingtonian in behalf of a good time. And though their "decollity" dresses are conducive of bad morals and typhoid-pneumonia, the "sessiety" shakes hands and grins after the approved fashion. The fact that many Washington "banquets are spiced with the dust of death" does not seem to deter the people from their feasts. The festivities of one young lady, who was visiting the capital, began with Senator Logan's funeral and closed with that of Mrs. Voorhees, and yet she had a "perfectly lovely" time. Senator Dawes, who is an enthusiast on the Indian question, must have been a good deal disgusted at the fact that a delegation of Sacs, Foxes, and Choctaws visited "Grover," and others, to oppose the land-inseveralty bill. Some of the department clerks seemed a good deal astonished at the Indian costume, but I doubt if any one was half so surprised as the Indians were themselves. A "Siwash" in warpaint and feathers is a valuable partisan for the sagacious stockman.

Mr. H. H. Gilfry maintains his even and philosophic way, undisturbed by the tocsins of Senator Ingalls, or the warwhoops of Canada.

Judge Lamon, formerly well known in Salem; is a fine, dignified gentleman of unusual discrimination and rare judicial ability.

Miss Mitchell, daughter of Senator Mitchell, is one of the most popular young ladies in the "court circle." It is rather pleasing to see mossy Oregon represented by one of the ablest men in the senate, when older states send "potent, grave, and reverend seniors" who wear swallow-tail coats to breakfast, and, like Wordsworth's "little maid," have a "rustic woodland air" and frequently are wildly clad."

Senator Evarts is a thin, distinguished looking man, whose nose and chin meet, and who fully believes in the right of a congressman to practice in the supreme court. It was very droll to hear the dis-cussion between him and "the gentleman from Mississippi" upon the subject. The last named person, arrayed in snuff-colored clothes, and adorned with a shaggy head and whiskers, suggested a common "yaller pup" holding his right-

ful bone against the attacks of a delicate thoroughbred greyhound. I heard a "cuttin"" remark the other

day about a very decollete society lady. She was "receiving" and her little sixyear old cousin had called with his "ma." As they were going out, he whispered "Muzzer, cousin Mamie is bu'erful, but she's forgot the waist-part of her dress"!

I went through the treasury building the other day, and saw where old bills are returned to pulp by a cutting and grinding process. The characters of grinding process. The characters of some of the women and men come out eventually in a good deal the same con-

A POET IN OFFICE.

"How many men in jail to-day?" we thus to the sheriff said, and he turned to his book with a troubled look and a shake of his manly head. "There's thirty-five, if they're all alive, down there for various crimes, and some for murder, and some for rape, but most for begging dimes. There's Richard Ros and Johnny Doe, too numerous to name. There's Bob O'Rafferty, Tim McCafferty, besides old Jim McClane; and lots of bums from all the slums of Colton, far away, who come by stealth to this land of wealth. from the city on the bay. And every cell, the tanks as well, are crowded full of men; and when they go, we treat them so, they come right back again. And every day, do all they may, it gets no better fast; for all our work they firmly shirk, and the trouble's growing vast when our wise men meet in their pen, and give us leave to do it, we'll make them moil, we'll make them toil. or else we'll make them rue it. We'll make them rue it. We'll tie them to a ball and chain, and put them on the street, and then as sure as you're born. they'll work or get nothing to eat!"

Here the sheriff's emotion overcame him, and he subsided into a congress chair .- [San Bernardino Times.

GRIEF AND BUSINESS.

There is a story of a Chicago man who lost his brother by death and called on an undertaker. He asked the undertaker how much it would cost to keep the body on ice till after the funeral, and being told the price said :

"I suppose you will give me a discount. My brother had his feet frozen before he died. He was caught in a blizzard."

The undertaker gave the bereaved mourner 25 per cent. off on the account of

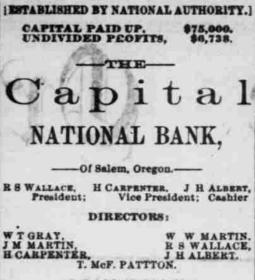
500 REWARD.

For a better or more pleasant remedy for the whooping Cough, and Bronchial troubles than Green's Lung Restorer, Santa Abble, the Able-tine and Mountain Balm Cough Cure. Every bottle warranted by all druggists.

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MARCH 24, AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M. Six months notes with approved security, to draw 10 per cent. interest. Five per cent. dis-

ount for cash. Constable of Hillhurst A. R. No. 2441, calved May 5, 1882. Sired by Northesk A., E. R. 1578, A. R. 2275; dam Cowslip of Glamis, E.R. 2313, A.

R. 2444. Aberdeen-Angus bull Pride of Oaklawn, A. R. 4606 calved March 4, 1885. Sired by Consta-ble (as above); dam Rose Bloom of Easttown, A. R. 2240

Three three quarter blood Aberden yearling Three three quarter blood Aberden yearling bulls. Five one-half blood oull calves from 9 to 12 months old. Two full blood Shropshire ram lambs, first premiums at state fair in 1886. Two full blood Shropshire ewes, one and two years old, both first premiums at state fair in 1886. One Shropshire ewe, six years old, im-ported from Scotland. One full-blood Jersey bull calf, one year old, sire King of Orange, 8912, dam Rockare 1780 A. J. C. C. All of this stock will be sold without reserve. Address R. W. CAREY, Wm. SYPHERT.

Wm. SYPHERT, Auctioneer. Macleay, Or. 8-4-31 Bargains John G. Wright,

and

SHERIFF'S SALE.

SHERIFF'S SALE. NOTICE 18 HEREBY GIVEN THAT EY VIR-N tue of an execution, decree and order of sale duly issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court, of the State of Gregon, for March 1887, wherein W. C. Hubbard, executor of the estate of Chas. Hubbard deceased, plaintiff recovered and Ellen Hubbard defendants, said judgment being for the sum of \$5,122.61, and interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 21st day of February, 1887, together with his costs and disbursements taxed at \$50.-75, and all accruing costs and expenses herein, I will sell at public suction on Saturday, the 9th day of April, 1887

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at the court house door in Salem, Marion Coun-ty, Oregon, at 11 o'clock a. m. of said day, to the highest bidder, for each in hand, on the day of sale, all the right, title and interest which the sale, all the right, tilie and interest which the said above named defendants, or either of them, had on or after the 21st day of November, 1879, the 20th day of December, 1880, and the 25th day of January, 1881 (the respective dates of the three mortgages mentioned in said exe-cution) in and to the following described prem-ises to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of donation land claim No. 1,076, township four ord donation lang claim No. 1,076, township four ises to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of donation land claim No. 1,076, township four and five, ar one west of the Willamette merid-ian: thence north along the line of said claim 24.30 chains, thence east 63.15 chains to a point on the east boundary line of said claim. 26.30 chains south of the northeast corner of said claim, thence south 26.30 chains to the south-east corner of said claim, thence west along the south boundary line of said claim 63 chains to the place of beginning, less 30 acress of the above described tract heretofore soid and con-veyed to Hezekiah C. Dayton, off of the north side of the above described tract, the same be-ing the donation land claim of Ewing Purvine. Also part of the donation land claim No. 1,172-No.54, township four, sr 1 west and claim No. 39, township five, sr one west of the Williamette meridian bounded and described as follows, to wit. Beginning at the southeast corner of said claim No. 39, town hip five (5) south range west, north 60 degrees, 50 minutes east 21 chains along the east line of said claim so, thence west 38,60 chains to the west line of said donation claim, thence south 21.00 chains more or less to the west corner of claim No. 39, thence south 21.00 chains more or less to the west corner of claim No. 39, thence south 58,60 chains to the west line of said donation claim, thence south 21.00 chains more or less to the west corner of claim No. 39, thence south 58,60 chains to the west line of said claim S0, 40 containing S0 acres the west corner of claim No. 39, thence east to the place of beginning and containing 50 acress more or less. Also the following described tract of land to wit: Beginnging at a stake 20 chains south of the southeast corner of the above described John Conley and wife's dona-tion land claim, thence north 0 degrees 50 min-utes east 37.38 chains, thence north 573 degrees and the chains thence north 56 minutes west the west corner of claim No. 39, thence east to utes east 37.38 chains, thence norm 6.54 deaters east 14.64 chains, thence south 50 minutes, west 37 chains and 38 links, thence south 5054 de-grees, west 14.64 chains to the place of begin-ting containing 51% acres more or less. Also grees, west 14.64 chains to the place of begin-ning containing 54½ acres more or less. Also the following described tract of land to wit: Beginning at the northeast corner of the dona-tion land claim of John Purvine No. 60, town-ship five (5), south range one west, thence south 80 rods, thence west 40 rods, thence south 80 rods, thence east 40 rods to the place of begin-ning containing 20 acres more or less. Also be-ginning at a state located in the success ginning at a stake located in the southeast corner of the donation land claim of Fielding Jones and wife, notification No. 1,077, thence n about 42 rods to the center of the county road, thence southwesterly along said road, in the center thereof, about 49 rods to the south line of said Fielding Jones land claim, thence east along said south line of said land claim to the place of beginning, all in Marian county. Ore-

Dated at Salem, this 7th day of March, 1887. JOHN W. MINTO, Sheriff, Marion County, Oregon.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIR N tue of an execution, decree and order of sale duly issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court sale duly issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County and to me directed on the 9th day of March, 1887, wherein A. T. Gilbert and F. N. Gilbert, co-part-ners doing business under the firm name of Gilbert Bros., plaintiffs, recovered a judgment and decree against Adam A. Bashor and Cath-erine Bashor, his wife, Chatham Baltimore and Sarah E. Baltimore, his wife, H. Carpenter, E. S. Brown, Mary A. Ramp, John W. Gilbert and Capital Lumbering Co., defendants, said judg-ment being for the sum of \$710.00 in U. S. gold coin and interest thereon at the rate of ten per coin and interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent, per annum from the 28th day of February. 1887, together with all costs and accruing cost and expenses herein, I will sell at public auc

Saturday, the 9th day of April, 1887, at the court house door in Salem, Marion coun the highest bidder, for cash in hand on the day

of sale, all the right title and interest which the said above named defendants, or either of them, had on or after the 16th day of May, 1879.

22 100 chains to the north boundary line of said claim, thence cast along said north boundary nineteen (19) and 42100 chains to the place of

beginning, containing eighty (90) acres of land, more or less, the same being a part of said do nation land claim and situate in Marion county,

JNO. W. MINTO, Sheriff Marion County, Oregon.

Oregon. Dated at Salem this 9th day of March, 1887.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PUR-

accordance with the directions of the last will and testament of said deceased, I. the under-signed executor of the said last will and testa-ment, will at 10 o'clock a m on the sth day of April, 1887, on the premises hereinafter de-scribed, seil to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described premises belonging to said

following described premises belonging to said estate, towit: Bonnded by beginning at a point S. 64 deg. 30 min. east 20.32 chains from the most westerly S. W. corner of the donation land claim of John Baker and wife, claim No. 42, in sections 23 and 24 in township 7.8 of range 3 west Marion County Oregon and Landmins

west, Marion county, Oregon, said beginning point being the southeast corner of the tract of land owned by Adelaine Cox, July 22, 1882, and

ronning thence south 64 deg. 31 min. [east] 11.17 chains, thence north 7 deg. 45 min. east 11.97 chains to a county road, thence north 8 deg. 15

chains to a county road, thence north s deg. Is min. west along said road to a point bearing north 19 deg. 30 min. E. from the place of be-ginning, thence 19 deg. 30 min. west about 7.72 chains to the place of beginning, containing ten acres, more or lers. This sale to [be] made on the said premises, about one mile northeast of the city of Salem, at the late residence of said decreased.

JACOB OGLE, Grubbs, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the matter of the estate of G. W. Peck, de-

A the matter of the estate of G. W. Peck, de-ceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE has fied his final account in said cstate, and that saturday, the sth day of April, 1887, at 10 o clock a. m. has been set by the Judge of the County Court is hear any objections that may be made to said account. The hearing will be had in the room of the County Court in the court house in Salem, Oregon. Salem, Or., March 7, 1887. J. C. JOSEPH

Administrator of the estate of G. W. Peck, de-ceased. 3-11-5w

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL WHOM

A it may concern that the undersigned exe-cutors of the estate of Alfred Hovenden, de-ceased, have filed their final account in the county court of Marion county in the state of Oregon, and that Saturday, the 5th day of March, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day has been fixed by the court as the time for bearing the same and objections thereo, of the courties

same and objections thereto, at the county court room, in the court house in saien, in said county of Marion, and that the same will be passed upon by said court at said time and

GEO. B. HOVENDEN, GEO. B. HOVENDEN, SARAH A. HOVENDEN, Co-executor- of the estate and last will and tes-tament of Alfred Hovenden, deceased. Thimon Ford and W. M. Kaiser, Attorneys for

FOR SALE.-THE WELL KNOWN CHAM-

P poeg grist mill, with five acres of land to-gether with all necessary buildings, dwelling house, etc., is for sale; price \$4,500. For further information inquire at the premises. 12-31 im

place. Dated this February 2nd 1887.

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VOLICE TO APPLICANTS FOR TEACHERS'

A certificates. Notice is hereby given that private examinations for applicants for certifi-

cates to teach in the public schools of this coun-ty will be held only on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays of each week during March and April. Those intending to apply for certifi-cates will please govern themselves according-ly. GEO. A. PEEBLES, 8-4-w21 County Superintendent of Schools,

NOTICE.-ALL OUSTANDING NOTES, BILLS

the feet .--- [Milwaukee Sun.

Fine

"Yes, captain."

"And sharpshooters ?"

- "Yes, captain."
- "And brigands ?"
- "Yes, Captain."

"And all sorts of devils, I doubt not.

Well, then, Corporal John, what did you do with them when you caught them?" "Click !"

This significant sound, made by a peculiar workidg of the corporal's mouth, arrested the Frenchman's attention.

"Good !" he ejaculated. "You shoot them on the spot?"

"We led them out in the bushes, said the corporal, "and lost them. And they were never found again. Click !"

Very well," said Duval, with a satisfied look. "On the principle of setting a thief to catch a thief, I propose to turn these assassins over to you. On the march to-morrow take a few picked men and watch every suspicious place. If you find any human being in ambush with arms in his hands, shoot him. If the case calls for investigation, it will be looked into later. Our first duty is selfpreservation."

"It shall be done," replied Corporal John, as he retired.

It was nearly sundown the next day when Corporal John and two of his men plunged into a dense and tangled thicket. a little off their line of march. The corporal was sure he had seen something run to cover and he found he was not mistaken.

But this prisoner, with his arm around the neck of his little mustang, was no ordinary bushwhacker. When the two soldiers seized him, Corporal John saw before him a boy of about 18, a handsome, spirited-looking youngster, in citizen's dress and armed with a light rifle. Trembling and flushing by turns, the prisoner flashed his black eyes defiantly, and cried out :

"Unhand me, senors! I will not submit to this outrage."

He spoke in Spanish, and the corporal understood the language much better than he did French.

"Who are you, and what are you do-ing here?" he asked sternly.

The little Mexican drew himself up haughtily.

"It is no crime to hunt," he replied. "I am not a soldier. See, I wear no uni-form. Why am I treated in this way? Restore my rifle and my mustang and let me proceed on my way."

It was a wonderfully sweet voice and it had an imperious ring in it. Corporal John wavered a moment, but one of the men spoke up: "A cursed brigand and caught with

arms in his hands in ambush. Remember the captain's orders."

"I will take him down to the river and finish him myself," said the corporal, grimly. "I can't take two from the road at present. Keep your eyes open."

There was a protest from the others, but the corporal silenced them. "I won't have any useless noise,'

ained. "I'll take bim to the river, cut his throat and throw him in. That will be the safest plan." Tying the hands of the prisoners he

led him through the thick undergrowth down to the muddy stream a hundred yards from the road. Senor.'

Corporal John looked down relentlessly into the youthful face. "Well," he answered gruffly

"Senor, this is a brave deed for

wealth and beautiful wife were at that dition.

time the talk of Paris. In the heat of the discussion Conway had given mortal offense to the Mexican. The result was a challenge, and the American had accepted, selecting pistols and fixing the hour for 5 o'clock that afternoon, the place chosen being a suburban forest, notorious for its affairs of honor.

While the American was wondering whether he had sufficient appetite for breakfast, there was a tap at his door. Opening it he saw to his surprise Senor Gomez, who advanced into the room with a grave countenance, in which vari ous emotions were struggling for expression

John Conway involuntarily fell back in amazement at beholding this unexpected visitor.

"Senor Conway," said Gomeze, "this visit under the circumstances is unheard of. It is irregular, but you Americans are always prepared for the unexpected. I am here, Senor, to apologize for my conduct, and to withdraw my challenge. I deeply regret my offensive language and hasten to retract it. It is my purpose to inform the gentlemen, who know something of the affair between us, that we have no quarrel, and that I regard you as one of the bravest and noblest of men."

Conway looked into the Mexican's eyes and saw sincerity there.

"Senor Gomez," he said, "I am at a loss to understand all this."

"Listen!" exclaimed the other impatiently. "Last night at the opera my wife saw a face that recalled the greatest peril of her life. She studied it through her glass and became convinced that she was right. When she met me at our hotel, after my return from the cafe where we had our unfortunate difference, she told me all and begged me to search out her preservor. So, corporal John, I thank you in the name of my wife."

Then seeing that the American was more mystified than ever, Gomez continued :

"Have you forgotten your capture of a young Mexican in Sonora when you were with Bazaine? Instead of obeying orders and executing the prisoner, her sex and her wrongs excited your sympathy and you released her." "It all comes back to me," said Con-

way, excitedly. "Yes, it is impossible for me to forget it. And the senorita made good her escape and is now your wife? You are to be congratulated, Senor, upon securing such a heroine."

The two were now unconsciously clasping hands.

"You see that we cannot fight,' laughed Gomez, with a tear in his eye. "Ridiculous," said Conway.

"Very well," remarked the other. "I take it for granted I may tell the senora' that you will spend the evening with us. You cannot refuse."

Corporal John did not refuse, but when the brilliant Mexican beauty overwhelmed him that evening with her thanks he grew very thoughtful. When his visit was over and he was on his way homeward the American several times broke out with

"Confound it all, when she was my prisoner why the devil didn't I keep her?"

And yet Corporal John was not altogether unhappy - Atlanta, Ga., Constitution.

If you want a square meal, or good confec-tionery, go to Charles Hellenbrand's restaur-ant, corner Commercial and Court streets. If

A very clever take-off on Washington 'sessiety" is the experience of "Jedge Waxem, the member from Wayback."

People don't go to the opera here to hear the music but to wear low-necked dresses. One youth during the overture of the "Flying Dutchman" counted 471 freckles on a pair of shoulders in front of him. It is a great thing to live in a place where the women are so "decol-

Still Boston has its advantages. lity." RAY. THE BIG GOLD NUGGETS.

Louis Blanding says the generally accepted statement that the largest nugget

ever found in California was worth a little more than \$21,000 is an erroneous one. He says that J. J. Finney, "Old Virginia," found a piece of gold about six miles from Downieville, Sierra county, on Aug. 21, 1886, that weighed 5,000 ounces. The gold of that vicinity was worth \$18 per ounce, which would make the value of the nugget \$90,000. This would make the Finney nugget the largest piece of pure gold ever discovered, so far as accounts go. Heretofore the Australian nugget, found in the Ballarat gold fields, has been considered the largest. It was valued at \$60,000. Finney, or, "Old Virginia," as he was familiarly called in those days, afterwards went to Washoe when the great silver discoveries were made there and from him the town of Virginia City took its name. The man who discovered the largest nugget in the California' mines and gave his name to the richest mining camp in the world died in extreme poverty .- [Grass Valley (Cal.) Union.

PAYING OFF A BILL.

A woman who was owing her grocer \$16 was at the Third street depot yester-

day to take a train out of town. He heard that she was going away and made all haste down there to try and collect the bill. He found her calmly waiting on a seat and approached her in a quiet manner.

"I shan't pay!" she boldly replied. But madam, you had the goods."

"That doesn't make any difference." "I don't like to proceed to extreme measures, madam."

"Now, look here!" she said, as she wheeled around at him, "if you d 'n't get up and skip I'll call out that you are my divorced husband and trying to rob me of part of my money! There are 200 people in this room and a policeman at the door, and there is a reporter talking to the ticket agent. Just imagine the sensation !"

"I can, madam."

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"And you want those sixteen dollars?" "On, no, madam. I'll be only too happy to make you a present of the bill. Wish you a happy journey, and if you should return to Detroit please favor me with your patronage. Good-day, mad-am "-(Detroit Free Proc. am."- Detroit Free Press.

Tis SOZODONT the whole world tries, Tis SOZODONT which purifies The breath and mouth, and dirt defies. Tis SOZODONT for which we cry, Sweet SOZODONT for which we sigh,

Tis only SOZOPONT we buy.

LIVER PILLS.

Use Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills for sal-low complexion, pimples on the face and bil-iousness. Never sickens or gripes. Only one if for a dose. Samples free at Geo. E. Good's.

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what they will cast a lot in this tract, and then loan him the money to build with, at 8 per cents

\$800 FOUR FINE BUILDING LOTS NEAR the East Salem school house. Will be sold in a body for \$800. A bargain. Worth \$1,000.

SPECIAL BARGAINS.

BARGAIN NO. 1:-THE W. J. CROMWELL property in Turner. It consists of two blocks of land, well fenced, with fruit trees, a fraction of another block, with a good barn, and a half block facing on the main street. On the MortgageLoan & Trust Co half block stands a store building and two houses. The store building alone cost \$3900 cash. Up stairs in the building is the Masonic lodge room. The building is commodious and

lodge room. The buildings and all, will be well fitted up. This property, lots, buildings and all, will be sold for \$3000 and easy terms given. A fine op-portunity for some enterprising man to open a business in a growing town. Worth \$5000 of Loan money on improved farms and other first class real estate, and personal property. anybody's mo

No. 2:-THE 49; ACRE TRACT ON THE south side of Asylum Avenue, belonging to the Henschel estate; \$1100. A beautiful piece of land and worth twice its price.

CONFIDENTIAL TALK.

Office over First National Bank, Salem, Or. T. McF. Patron, WM. N. LADUE, D. W. SHANKS, President, Vice President, Secretary. We have many good bargains that, for various reasons, are 'not advertised. If you want to

-KLASS'buy any kind of real estate, it will pay you to The Oregon Peach Bitters. examine our list before purchasing.

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\$1800 GOOD HOUSE AND LOT ON COT-

COMFORTABLE HOUSE AND NICE LOT IN South Salem; price \$500.

the side and back, and general debility. I took several doses of Klass' Oregon Peach Bitters in order to stimulate the liver and quicken my \$2000 GOOD HOUSE AND LOT NEAR the Academy of the Sacred Heart. FINE HOUSE AND CORNER LOT NEAR the

appetite, and was promptly relieved. Now I can earnestly recommend the oregon Peach Bitters to the public, and especially to all drug-gists to keep a full supply for those in need. State House; easy terms; barn on lot, price \$1,600. 3-11-2t

FARMS FOR SALE.

\$6000 A FINE FARM OF 520 ACRES IN Douglas county, 7 miles from the railread, together with all the stock, farm implements, everything. A fine barrain tor a good home. Immediate possession. clear title; TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UN A dersigned has been appointed by the Hon. T. C. Shaw, judge of the county court of Marion county, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of J. R. Sconce, late of Marion county, Oregon, de-ceased. All persons having claims against the said estate will present them with the proper-venchers within six months from this date to me for allowshee, at my residence in Wood-burn, Marion county, Oregon. Said estate is supposed to be solvent. growing crops.

FARM OF 160 ACRES ON THE MOLALLA 12 miles from Oregon City, with improve-ments; \$1600, half down, balance on time. Land selling for \$30 an acre all around it.

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provements cost more than this

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N and accounts of the estate of F. E. Parmen-ter deceased, have been placed in my hands for collection. All persons knowing themselves to be in anywise indebted to the above named es-ate will please call at the sheriff's office and ettle. 11 28-dw. E. M. CROISAN. Those who mean business will be conveyed to and shown any property we have for sale without expense to them. 'No trouble to show

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Room 2 up stairs, over STATESMAN office, 256 Commercial street, Salem, Oregon.



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(the date of said mortgage) in and to the west half of the following described premises, towit: Beginning at a point in the north line of the For western Oregon and western Washington donation land claim of William B. Stephens and wife, notification No. 236, in T. 6 and 7 S., R. 2, west of the Williamette meridian, and mineteen (19) and 42-100 chains west from the N. E. corner of said donation land claim, and running thence south forty one (41) and 22-100 chains, to the south boundary line of said claim, thence west along said south line nineteen (19) and 42-100 chains, thence north forty-one (41) and 22-100 chains to the north hundary line of said

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