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What Cyrus W. Fie'd Says About His Purchase and Inscription-

New York Sun, April 20th. the inscription which he proposed to place on the stone to mark the spot where Major Andre was hanged had been correctly published. "Certainly," he said, "the inscription is ready, and here it is;" and Mr. Field showed the following:

the following: Here died, Oct. 2, 1769. Major JOHN ANDRE of the British army, who, entering the American lines on a secret mission to Benefict Armold. For the surrender of West Point, was taken prisoner, tried and condemned as a spy His death. though according to the stern code of war, mored even his ensures to pits, and both armins mourned the fate of one as young and so brave. In 1821 his remains were removed to Westminster Abber. A hundred years after his execution a citizen of the stats against which he fought placed this stome above the spot where he lay, mot to perpetuate the r cost of strife. but in taken of those better sentiments which has since united two nations, one in race, in language, in re-ignue; with the earnest hope that this friendly union with the states, then of Westminster. Un the back. Finit lacrymer error a strife, more tails tangent own expense! patient. Arthur reasond stance, term of wraininker Un the back. Finit lacrymmerers a ctin enten merialia tangant On the left side. The say of the neutral ground, who died as he had leved. devoted to the service of his country. — Fenimore Cooper, On the right side He was more unfortunate than criminal; An accomplished man and a gallant officer. — George Wassington. He died universally esteemed and universally re-gretted. — Alexander Hamilton. A. J. MEGLER. Astoria, Oregon. "Now let me recall to you the way it all came about,"Mr. Field continued: horel north of San Francisco, "When Dean Stanley was stopping at TURPIN HOUSE, my house we took a ride with a view to find the spot where Major Andre was executed. It took us about three MAIN STREET, hours to find the place. At last we came across a man 91 years old, who ASTORIA, OREGON. dia. said he knew the place, because he remembered when the remains were Board and lodging per week ... Board per day. Single Meal. taken up and removed to Westminster Abbey. He said also that his mother The table will be supplied at all times with saw the execution. Both the Dean the best the market affords. Abbey. He said also that his mother and myself were certain that we had WALLA WALLA found the spot, and we botk agreed that the location of such an interesting RESTAURANT, historical event ought not to be left to oblivion. So I said I would buy the land if he would write the inscription. Now, there is his inscription, and if any one chooses to quarrel with him about it I have no objection. There



Daily Oregonian, May 3d. THE ASTORIAN SAYS HOR. Dean Blanchard of Columbia county is about to commence suit against Cyrus W, Field smiled good natured the Oregonian for libel. We conly last evening when asked whether fess judgment right now. Our offense was in saying that the eleemosynary organ's "plates" of the Great Republic looked like Blanchard's river logger, the Jane West. We hereby admit that the comparison was a slander on the Jane West, and make the best reparation by apology we can. Now for the real fun of the whole business, which is that the paper which presented the vile cuts prints the ASTORIAN'S paragraph, and is too stupid to see that the joke is at its



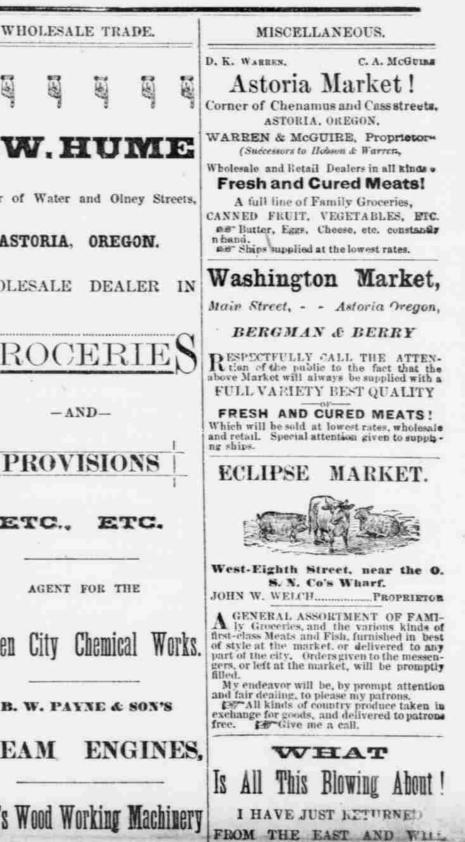
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