### Prehibition.

Among the petitions to be presented for the consideration of the present legislature a memorial from the advocates of prohibition in this state will appear during the session. The matter, while in no rily a political issue, is assuming such prominence as to justify its extended notice. In Iowa, Kansas and other states it constitutes the chief topic of the hour. In our own state it is the greatest present interest to thousands.

The argument of a prohibitionist is that the sale or manufacture of spirituous liquors should be forbidden by statute, and the claim English lost sixty-four killed and is that a greater meed of prosperity would be the result. The argument of its opponent is that any such law is by its nature a sumptuary one and subversive of individual right. Both sides make a strong showing. It is a matter of undeniable fact that an overwhelming proportion of all the crime in the world is due to the consumption of liquor. This argument is the main one on the part of the advocates of prohibition. But, as it stands, the use of this argument will not produce conviction in the mind that re- Clam Chowder and Family Supper fuses to be convinced by the fact itself. To the man who sees the sad ending to bright hopes and promising careers of those around him, and stands unaffected by such example, it is futile for any one to attempt coercion of his judgment by an attempt at a majority decision that all men-including the wicked minority,-must, perforce. be good. Men love to exercise their own will, and spontaneously rebel against all effort to do their thinking for them. The great trouble in the way of the prohibitionist is that his attempt is one that has been made over and over again-and has failed. It is an attempt to legislate upon an unlegislatable subject, viz: human nature. It is outside of the domain of change by statute, and can only be reached by education. As long as men are born into the world with ordinary appetites and desires of the human race, so long will there be a desire for stimulantsand alcoholic beverages, and while all attempts at higher education and inducements to purer forms of life are to be encouraged on account of their tendency, the direct attack upon an inherent attribute of mor-

that its worth demands. It seems to us in reading the speeches of prohibitionists, and editorials in temperance papers that the advocates of that measure leave out of their arguments a form of reasoning that, divested of all superfluous verbiage would be effective in convincing many. It is this: Liberty-as we define it -is the right to do just what one pleases-provided he doesn't interfere with any one else's right to do as he pleases. Now the man, for instance, who gets drunk and makes a disturbance interferes with the rights of his neighbors who please to have peace and silence, and is punished for violation of the principles of liberty. So the man who uses liquors to excess in any case interferes with his neighbor's rights and transgresses the law of liberty, collective as well as individually; the more farreaching its consequence, the more beinous the offense. This argument followed to its legitimate conclusion would justify a demand for the prohibitory legislation in the nature of an experiment, and as an adjunct to that which we have already indicated, -education and dissemination of correct ideas respecting the temperance movement and the necessity of its success. To create the impression that it is simply the work of fanatics who want to busy themselves about what is none of

from it, does not have the effect

their business would seem to be the aim of some of the adherents of the cause. They should re-WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 1882 member "how it looks" to bystanders. Such action brings ridicule upon a cause, for zeal, when ill-advised and untempered by discretion and prudence ofttimes defeats the worthiest ob-

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Order to Show Cause Why Sale of Real Estate Should not be Made.

Fistate Should not be Made.

IN THE PROBATE COURT, COUNTY of Claistop, State of Oregon, ss.

To Thomas Morton and all others interested in the estate of Aaron Morton, decased.

G. G. Smith, administrator of the estate of Aaron Morton, decased, having filed his petition herein praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent for the purposes therein set forth; said real estate being in Columbia County, Oregon, and particularly described as follows, to-wit: The N W ½ of the N W ½ of section No. 6, T 4 N, E 1 west, and the W ½ of the N W ½ of section No. 6, T 4 N, E 2 west, containing in all 124 and 21-400 acres. It is therefore ordered by the Judge of said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased appear before the said Probate Court on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1882, at 18 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court room of said Probate Court at Astoria, Clatsop County, in said State, to show cause why an order should not be granted said administrator to sell said-real estate of said deceased, and it is further ordered that service of this citation be made by publication for four weeks in the DALLY ASTORIAN a newspaper of general circulation in said Claisop County.

C. A. McGUIRE,

Probate Judge of Claisop Co. Oregon,
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by D. H. WELCH, Deputy. dew-3t

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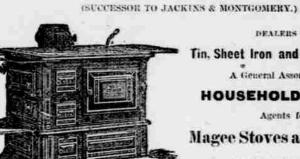
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