

Religious Notice.

Christian Church.

Corner of High and Center Streets.

Salem.

PASTOR.

Elder L. L. Rowland.

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP.—Preaching, 10 A. M.; Sunday School, 2 P. M.; Preaching or Lecturing, 7 P. M.

WEEK-DAY WORSHIP.—Prayer-meeting, Tuesday, 7 P. M.; Social Meeting, Thursday, 7 P. M.; Sunday School Teachers' Meeting, Friday, 7 P. M.

ALL persons are cordially invited to attend.

Visiting members are requested to make themselves known.

THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH AT MONMOUTH meets every first day of the week, in the College Chapel.

Elders: JOHN STEWART, As W. LUCAS, T. F. SPENCE. Deacons: J. A. SUMNER, H. LINDSAY.

Sunday School every Sunday, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Worship and breaking the fast at 11 A. M.; Preaching on the 1st and 3d Sundays of each month, at 11 A. M., and at 7 P. M. Also Saturday evenings preceding the 1st and 3d, at 7 P. M.

Hon. W. L. Adams is engaged in writing a history of Oregon.

Two families of Gipsies are camped near Roseburg, telling fortunes, etc.

A brewery and cooper shop were lately burned down in Roseburg; Loss \$3,000.

A Miss Bowen, at Portland, is reported to have the small-pox in its worst form.

We hear nothing more of small-pox at Salem; and therefore suppose it has entirely disappeared there.

The Portland *Herald* chronicles the arrival of a large number of German immigrants direct from the East.

The Roseburg *Ensign* says the Stage Company talk of putting on six horse teams to accommodate the overland travel.

S. L. Simpson, Esq., has sold his interest in the Corvallis *Gazette* to C. H. James, by whom the paper will hereafter be conducted.

The *Oregonian* describes the raid of a wild steer which broke loose from a slaughter pen and had to be hunted down with revolvers by men on horseback in the streets of Portland.

REMOVED.—J. C. Bell, of Dallas, is removing his fine stock of dry goods, groceries, etc., from Dallas to Independence. He purchased the corner property of Vanduyen & Sonnenville, which he will occupy.

FROM INDEPENDENCE TO MONMOUTH. A. D. & A. P. Butler have removed their drug store from Independence to Monmouth. They are in Waterhouse's block, two doors north of the Postoffice. They keep on hand a good assortment of everything in their line. The affable and courteous A. P. Butler, Jr., member of the firm, will be found in place, and ready to serve customers in the most approved manner.

ON THE RIVER.—Of late, the boating on the Willamette has been lively. In addition to the regular trips of the Reliance and Fanny Patton, which boats run only to Corvallis, the Active and Albany have been plying on the upper river, and they have brought a large quantity of grain down to the Salem mills. The warehouse at Oregon City is crowded with freight, and the greatest trouble at present seems to be to find vessels to carry it away, there being comparatively no tonnage in the river below.—*Statesman*, 24th.

THE ANATHIMA MARANATHA.—This scurrilous profanation of religion and foul blotch upon literature is disgracing the pages of almost every newspaper in the land.

In its language it is blasphemy, in its spirit it is devilish, in thought it is indecent, in expression vulgar.

If it were uttered or published by a private individual it would be scouted as unfit for "ears polite," and its author would be branded a vulgarian. No newspaper hoping to maintain its standing in decent society would dare to let it appear on its pages. Yet because the "poor old man whose trembling limbs are about to carry him away, dethroned and degraded, notwithstanding his 'infallibility,'" from the city of Rome, puts it forth as "the everlasting curse of the Catholic Church," editors seem to think that this most wicked, vulgar and contemptible document can pass for decent literature.

That it should find a place in secular papers as an item of political news would be barely tolerable, but that it should be given a conspicuous place in religious journals is deplorable and in exceedingly bad taste.

The reports from Rome afford a curious example of the capacity of the human mind to see things as it wants to see them.

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE.

were seen in Paris last night, near the Pantheon.

Yesterday, the 19th, a sortie of force was made under the guns of Fort Valerian. The cannonade was fearful on both sides, and the Germans loss heavy. A *World's* cable from London, the 20th, says that Gladstone resigns his seat from Greenwich, and Grosvenor retires from Westminster. Childers is paralyzed in the lower half of the body. The Ministry is going to pieces.

LONDON, January 21.—The St. Quentin railway station was stormed by the Prussians, and the town afterward occupied. Some 2,000 were wounded and many captured, with six guns.

The Prussians occupy the approaches to Longwy; The French shells destroyed a farm house, and burnt forty Prussians. It is said the fire of the garrison silenced the battery.

Nothing new from Paris. Damages by the bombardment are few killed.

Droves of oxen, intended for Paris, passed through Reims, ready for the advance of Chamy, who was receiving reinforcements.

The bombardment of Longwy is vigorously continued, and the town is on fire.

SAN DOMINION January 10.—The news of the visit of the United States Commissioners is received with great favor, and by some with enthusiasm. Affairs are at a standstill awaiting further action by the American Congress. Agents of German, English and American capitalists are traveling through the island making investigation in order to begin enterprises when the annexation is consummated.

Cambodia continues to issue proclamations and commit depredations, but don't care to meet Baez' troops.

CAMBODIA CORRESPONDENCE.

GILROY, Cal., Jan. 11th, 1871.—ED. MESSENGER: Through the kindness of Bro. W. T. Haley, I have been permitted to read your valuable paper from the beginning; and I must say I am well pleased with its spirit, and also its bold advocacy of the religion of the New Testament. The church in that State has long felt the need of such a paper, and I trust that now the brethren there will give it a liberal support.

I am glad that the cause there is making such progress, and I trust that the truth will prevail over all opposition. I am glad, in particular, for the church at Salem, in that it enjoys the labors of Bro. L. L. Rowland. I was the first pastor of that church, and there I passed some of the happiest hours of my life. Never shall I forget those days, and the holy brethren who gave me their encouragement and assisted me with their means. With such men as Gov. George L. Woods, brethren Stanton, Downer Kelly, and others I could mention a church will certainly prosper.

GO ON, MY BROTHER, IN THE GOOD WORK YOU HAVE SO nobly begun, and may the blessing of God attend you.

Your brother in Christ,

R. P. BURNETT.

TREASURY SUITS.—The mandamus asked for in the case of E. M. Waite vs. State Treasurer has been granted, and Mr. Waite has drawn his money for the amount at issue. This has induced holders of warrants to the amount of \$50,000, that are questioned and discounted by the now-sitting Commission, to also commence suit, and one of the most obnoxious class has been chosen as the basis of legal proceedings. The questions to be decided are, if a second auditing, without fraud proven, is legal; and the eligibility of the present Commission will also be a question, for they were members of the Legislature which created the office they fill, while the Constitution decidedly prohibits any member filling an office created by the Legislature that he served in.—*Statesman*.

Another dispatch of the Emperor, dated Versailles 20th, says: Fieldhorses will be pursued to-day. The sortie from Valerien yesterday was made in great force. The troops are still outside of Paris, and a fresh attack is certain to-day. (Signed) WILLIAM.

Berlin demands the report that Count Berastoff has been instructed to withdraw from the Conference if the French question is introduced. It is reported from the Belgian frontier that Longwy is in flames, but a heavy fog prevents verification of the report.

Large numbers of refugees have arrived on the British island of Jersey from the neighboring French coast, in consequence of rumors that the Grand Duke, Mecklenburg, was advancing on Brest.

Bismarck, in a letter of the 17th, replying to the American and other foreign ministers in Paris, denies the reasonableness of their demand that their compatriots might be allowed to quit the city as neutrals. He says they had abundant notice before the siege and that the only outlet now is capitulation.

Facilities for the intercourse of men with their respective Governments continue, though they are inconvenient.

Firing on buildings containing women, children and invalids is unquestionable, but avoidable.

The North German *Gazette* states that, according to the treaty of 1772 between Prussia and the United States, Prussia, man-of-war cannot capture American vessels carrying until the end of the war, or may take possession of contraband portion of the cargo, at the same time giving bond for future payment of the same. It is probable instructions will be given all commanders of vessels in the German Navy to wet in accordance with this treaty.

VERSAILLES, January 20.—Large fires

MARRIED.

MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. H. KÜHN & CO.

DEALERS IN
HARDWARE.

Albany

Iron and Steel.

Farmer's and Mechanic's Tools.

Husks, Spikes, Bent Rims, Shafts, Poles, Bolts, &c.

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single sack.

Wheat Best white, \$1 per bushel.

Oats 40 to 50c.

Eggs, 37 1/2 per doz.

Butter 25 to 40c.

Portland Market.

PORTLAND, JAN. 26, 1870.

Flour—\$5 50 per bbl; \$1 52 1/2 per

single sack.

Wheat Best white, \$1 per bushel.

Oats 40 to 50c.

Eggs, 37 1/2 per doz.

Butter 25 to 40c.

DALLAS ADVERTISEMENTS.

PIONEER

TIN AND STOVE STORE.

Frog: 5 set, one Deer south of Post Office,

Dallas Oregon.

TEMP UNDERRUNDED BEG LEAVE TO IN-

FORM THE CITIZENS OF DALLAS AND VICINITY THAT

THEY HAVE REPLENISHED THEIR STOCK IN WAR

AND HAVE NOW ON MARKET LARGE AMOUNT OF

COOKING, BOX AND PARTOR STOVES

TINWARE AND COPPER BRASS

AND IRON WIRE

ETC., ETC.

Having procured the services of a first-class

workman, we are now constantly manufacturing

all kinds of furniture for stoves and for

farmers use. Such as

Coffee and Tea Pots,

Tea Kettles,

Milk Pans and Dippers,

Barrel and Butter Cans,

Great Variety of Gem Pans

Pressed Patties for Tarts,

Cooking Spoons,

Egg Beaters,

Porcelain Stee Pots, for Fruits,

Bronzing Fixtures of Impraved Pat'n,

Rolling Pins,

etc., etc., etc.

and in fact, all articles of hardware usually

found in Stores and Tinware Stores, all of which

we offer for sale at prices that will justify pur-

chasers to patronize us rather than Salem or

Portland Shops.

Special attention will be given to

JOB WORK

CRAWFORD & NEWMAN,

Dallas, Oct. 13th, 1870.

Having brought into Polk county, including Fall

and Winter Goods, of the latest styles, which we

are determined to sell as cheap or cheaper than

those of less inducement. We have a fine as-

sortment of

LADIES' TRIMMED HATS

To which we invite the attention of the Ladies.

Also our full stock of DRESS GOODS,

consisting of

Silks, Satins,

Irish and

French Poplins.

French Merinos, All-wool Emperors, Half and

All-wool Delaines, and especially to our

complete assortment of Brass but-

tions, Fringes, Gimp and Vel-

vets of all colors, also our

Gingham, Lawns,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

We would respectfully call the attention of

Gents and Heads of Families to our fine assort-

ment of

CLOTHING AND HARDWARE.

GROCERIES AND CROCKERY.

Call and see us. You will always find us

happy to see you, happier when we show you

our goods, and happiest when we sell to you.

Dallas, Polk county.

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ALSO

CHANDLER'S Patent Window Curtain and

blind.

Monmouth, Nov. 24th, 1870.

ALSO