



A WORD TO MEN MEN.

"Eternal vigilance" being "the price of liberty," it becomes the duty of every liber...

ANOTHER GREAT FIND.—We last week paid a visit to a new coal vein about ten miles...

FOX TALK.—The U. S. steamer Shawmut, Capt. Scammon, left Victoria last week...

COUNTY CONVENTION.—The King County County Convention, consisting of a full delegation...

It is reported that our City Marshal is putting in...

CHAPTER I.

F. P. Donkey the "Cowhide Member."—He journeyed across the Pliatus.—His escape from death by starvation...

Now it came to pass that during the second year of the reign of Abraham the chief ruler of the nation...

And whilst journeying on the great deserts and plains, Donkey, on account of his much pomposity...

Then she said unto him, do all that is in thine heart, for thou art my lord.

And the good people of the train became grieved to see the woman laboring in this manner...

And it came to pass that Donkey's provisions were of short duration, and starvation and death appeared unto him...

Now after this the people were wroth, and gathered themselves together, and said one to another...

And Donkey was made to fear the people, and he cried with a loud voice, saying, "Lord, what manner of people are these?"

But the people seeing that Donkey had repented said unto him, "Fear not for thou shalt not be hurt."

And it came to pass that in the eighth month of the second year of the reign of Abraham...

Then said they one to another what shall we do that we may "make bread by the sweat of our brow?"

Now after this the people were greatly displeased with Donkey and were not forth coming.

When Donkey saw that the people were wroth and said many things about him...

And Donkey sold his tinker's tools for a few old "second hand books of justice," and commenced the laborious task of trying to be one of the wise men of the kingdom.

Now about this time arose one Ge-co-le, an ambitious fellow, a servant of the king of Dixie...

And Ge-co-le said unto Donkey, behold we two are servants of the same master, even Davy who dwelleth in Dixie...

And inasmuch as Donkey had learned to despise his tinker's tools...

So Donkey journeyed westward beyond the mountains, and he came to the sea beyond which is the place of fish and clams...

Abraham who dwelleth in the city of our fathers, and whom the people have made ruler over the nation...

Behold! he wasteth our substance in war, and maketh our principles to stink before all nations...

and the land of the chivalry to desolation. He seeketh to make us the servants of slaves...

And it shall come to pass that our daughters shall be given in marriage to the bucks of Africa...

Now therefore, I beseech you, turn away from the doctrines of Abraham and his disciples...

Take heed also that ye do not support the war which Abraham waged against our brethren...

And when Father Abraham shall call ye to fight against our master who dwelleth in Dixie...

But if ye be not called to fight in the armies of Abraham then skeddadle not, but stay in his realm...

Now it came to pass when Donkey had finished speaking, that many of the democracy were wroth...

So the people sent him away, saying: get thee gone, for verily a politician was Donkey, when thou didn't turn politician.

Now the rest of the acts which Donkey did, are they not written in the book of the Chronicles of Copperopolis?

Tax Board of Trustees of King County has issued notices that "sealed proposals" will be received for the immediate erection of a county jail...

We shall hereafter publish a regular shipping list of all vessels arriving at or leaving this port...

TELEGRAPHIC.—The British Columbian says, Mr. Haines, local superintendent of the California State Telegraph Co., arrived from San Francisco in a canoe yesterday...

It is reported, says the Victoria Colonist, that Jimmy Jones visited Victoria by the Anderson last week...

DIRECT STEAM.—The Victoria Chronicle says it is rumored that a popular member of the British Columbian Legislative Council started on the last steamer for San Francisco...

TIN ORE.—Some specimens of rock found in this neighborhood and recently sent to San Francisco for assay...

THE steamer Jenny Jones, ubiquitous Jimmy, commander, again made her appearance in this port on Friday last.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.—By reference to our advertising columns it will be seen that Messrs. Brown, Gordon and Maddocks are still "mine brats" of this new and popular hotel...

St. PATRICK'S DAY passed off in this place in a very quiet manner. A ball was given in the evening which was generally attended.

Latest News.

Dates to March 12th.

New York, March 11.—The Herald's New York (N. C.) correspondent writing under date of 4th inst., says: Seven Union prisoners reached here yesterday...

The seven who came in, report that they were first taken to Wilmington, and being removed thence to Salisbury...

The rebels are conscripting all the boys they can find. The negroes are coming into our lines by droves...

The same correspondent, writing on the 6th March, says: A citizen arrived here to-day direct from Goldsboro, N. C., having come through all the way by the main road...

The people of the interior are almost unanimously of the opinion that the Confederacy has gone up.

New York, March 10.—The Herald's correspondent, writing from Winchester, says: Gen. Early desponds of making a successful defense against Sheridan...

The capture of Gen. Early's remnant of his once splendid army, frees the valley from any regular force.

The Times' Washington dispatch says: The Government may soon expect to hear from Sherman via Wilmington. The last we heard from Charleston, he was floundering in the swamps near Yadin river North Carolina...

The Herald's special dispatch says: It is expected by the Secretary of the Treasury, that from the proceeds of the large amount of Southern property captured...

New York, March 11.—The Washington Republic of yesterday contains the following: Gen. Thomas telegraphs to the Government that the rebel Generals S. D. Lee and Cheatham had been sent from Alabama against Sherman...

QUEBEC, March 11.—The parliament this afternoon adopted the confederation scheme by 91 ayes to 83 noes.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 12.—Legal Tenders 52 1/2 and 53.

Our thanks are due to Capt. Finch of the Eliza Anderson, for late files of Victoria papers.

DIED.—On March 12th, 1865, of long fever, B. F. son of E. H. and Mary A. Chase, aged 5 years, 4 months and 19 days.

OCCIDENTAL HOTEL, Seattle, King Co., Wash. Ter.

M. R. MADDOCKS, JOHN S. GORDON, PROPRIETORS.

THIS NEW AND COMMODIOUS HOTEL is now open for the accommodation of the public.

THE CULINARY DEPARTMENT is under the management of an experienced cook...

With Marble Bed and Combination Cushions, is connected with the above establishment for the accommodation of its customers...

CAUTION MY WIFE, ANN MARIA CAMPBELL having left my bed and board, I hereby caution all parties from trusting her on my account.

INCOME AND ANNUAL TAX.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON and after the 1st day of April, 1865, I will proceed to make the annual assessment of income for the year ending Dec. 31, 1864...

§ 117. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED. That there shall be levied, collected, and paid annually upon the annual gains, or income of every person residing in the United States...

The following instructions of a circular relative to the annual list is inserted, for the information of all persons concerned...

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF INT. REV. WASHINGTON, February 22d, 1864. In order to ensure an early completion of the annual list for 1864, Assessors will instruct their Assistants at once to begin the collection of returns in their respective divisions...

Blank forms for the return of income, with explanatory notes, which will aid parties in making up their returns, will be delivered free of cost to all parties liable...

March 17th, 1865. U. S. Assessor, W. T. [Signature]

Election Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that an election will be held at the Council Room of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Seattle...

FIRST MONDAY OF APRIL, 1865. For the election of Five Trustees and one Marshal.

Judges: Frank Mathias, A. Hubert, and M. B. Maddock. By order of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Seattle.

GOOD NEWS!

NORTH PACIFIC BREWERY

JUST ESTABLISHED IN SEATTLE. This magnificent Brewery having been completed is now manufacturing...

PORTER, ALE AND LAGER BEER.

Which will be sold at the lowest cash prices. Legal tenders taken at market value.

Give us a Call—try for yourselves! BUTTERFIELD & CO. Seattle, Feb. 1st 1865.

NOTICE!

I AM ABOUT TO RETURN TO THE ATLANTIC STATES for a short time, and have appointed H. A. ATKINS my Attorney during my absence...

SHIELDS! SHIELDS!! D. W. MOXLIE has on hand and for sale a large assortment of Grass and Vegetable Seed...



