

**REMAINS OF ELEPHANTS AND MASTODONS FOUND IN ALASKA.**—A few days since we published a letter from Mr. Doll, who is pursuing scientific researches in Alaska, in which he stated that fossil remains of the elephant and musk ox were frequent in a region extending 1,300 miles from the coast, along the river Youkon to Fort Youkon, in the interior. We now learn from a morning contemporary that remains of the mastodon have also been found in Alaska, and that a portion of a well preserved tusk belonging to that extinct monster has been brought to this city by the officers of the Western Union Telegraph Expedition, while another specimen has been sent to the Smithsonian Institute at Washington. Fossil ivory is found in several portions of the Arctic regions in quantities sufficient to make it of commercial importance, and may yet be discovered in such quantities in Alaska. Entire remains of the elephant and mastodon have also been found well preserved in ice. European accounts describe a complete carcass, with the flesh and hair in a good state of preservation, of an elephant which was found melting out of the ice in the North Sea some years ago, having come down from early geologic ages. The mastodon tusk mentioned by the *Alta* was found near Behring's Straits; it was about 12 feet in length and 17 inches in circumference, and some portion of the ivory is well enough preserved to be useful. Col. Bulkley says the bones and portions of the hair and skin of an entire animal of this species were found a few years since, imbedded in the ice, near East Cape, on the Siberian side of Behring Straits, and are now deposited in the royal Museum at St. Petersburg. —*San Fran. Bul.*

Cincinnati has the credit of originating and perfecting "the system which packs fifteen bushels of corn into a pig, and packs that pig into a barrel, and sends him over the ocean to feed mankind."

A merchant of Bloomington, Illinois, has hit upon a kindly method of advertising his wares. He gave ten dozen caps away on Christmas to the poor of the town.

**TAR! TAR!**  
CONSTANTLY ON HAND, and for Sale in quantities to suit Purchasers, Wholesale or Retail, by the undersigned, at his place at Gunnison, Sanpete County. Send on your orders. d42-w7-1f

## A CARD.

To the Inhabitants and purchasing Community of this Territory:—

Owing to the great decline in the prices of goods in the Eastern Markets (being determined to keep IN RATIO with them,) I have made a further reduction in the prices of goods, which upon examination will speak for themselves. I have also on hand a great many articles that have laid over for one and two years—which I will sell, REGARDLESS OF COST, even lower than the present rates in the Eastern Markets will permit of; viz: Table and Pocket Cutlery, Spades, Shovels, Scythes and Snaths, Bake Skillets, Locks and Latches, Tea and Table Spoons, Carriage Bolts, Cast, Blister and Plough Steel, Soap, Lye, Tobacco, and an immense variety of other goods, which are necessities for every day use. Farmers and Country Merchants would do well to call and examine the stock and prices, and as Greenbacks are scarce in the country, I will take for pay, Cattle, Wheat, Flour, Barley, Oats, Pork, &c., for which I will give a price that will guarantee satisfaction.

## EAGLE EMPORIUM

WM. JENNINGS, PROPRIETOR.

## WOODMANSEE & BRO.

HAVING added to their Extensive Stock of MERCHANDISE by the arrival of their Train of

## GROCERIES AND STAPLES.

Offer the same as heretofore, for

## CASH, CATTLE

Grain and Flour.

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Warren Hussey, Frank Palmer, Chas. L. Dahler  
Salt Lake City, Denver, Virginia City,  
**HUSSEY, DAHLER & Co.,**  
BANKERS and DEALERS IN GOLD DUST  
COIN, AND EXCHANGE, Salt Lake City, U. T.  
and Virginia City and Helena, Montana.  
Warren Hussey & Co., Bankers, Denver and  
Central City, Colorado.  
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JEWELRY, FANCY GOODS, LADIES' DRESS  
TRIMMINGS, DRESS BUTTONS, LADIES'  
FANCY NECK-TIES, and a Host of  
FANCY NOTIONS suitable for  
Presents for the Holidays.

FOR SALE CHEAP at

JAMES BEESTON'S,

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## For Sale.

BY

## ELDRIDGE & CLAWSON

AT

## EXTREMELY LOW PRICES!

20,000 Pounds NAILS,

20,000 Pounds SUGAR,

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Besides a COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of

## General Merchandise!

CALL AND SEE US!

WE WANT TO SELL,

And will make it ADVANTAGEOUS to

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## Bassett & Roberts

CALL attention to their Complete Stock of

## NEW GOODS!

Which they offer for Sale for,

CASH or GRAIN,

As Cheap as they can afford.

A FEW OF

SINGER'S FAMILY

## Sewing Machines!

Yet on hand for COST and Freight.

Our Goods are all of GOOD

VALUE.

BASSETT & ROBERTS.

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## United States Mails.

UTAH

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,

Washington, Nov. 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS for conveying the mails of the United States from July 1, 1888 to June 30, 1890, on the following routes in the Territory of Utah, will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 3 p.m. of March 31, 1888, to be decided by April 15, following:  
16633 From Huntsville to Bennington, (no office,) 120 miles and back, once a week.  
Leave Huntsville Monday at 6 a.m.;  
Arrive at Bennington Wednesday by 6 p.m.  
Leave Bennington Thursday at 6 a.m.;  
Arrive at Huntsville Saturday by 6 p.m.  
16634 From Beaver, by Greenville, Minerville, and Panaca, to Hiko, (Nevada,) 195 miles and back, once a week.  
Leave Beaver Tuesday at 8 a.m.;  
Arrive at Hiko Friday by 8 p.m.;  
Leave Hiko Monday at 8 a.m.;  
Arrive at Beaver Thursday by 8 p.m.  
Proposals for twice and also for three-times-a-week service invited.

### NOTES.

Proposals must be to carry the mail with "celerity, certainty, and security," using the terms of the law, and they must be guaranteed by two responsible persons, certified to as such by a postmaster or judge of the court of record. Bids should be addressed to the "Second Assistant Postmaster General," subscribed "Proposals, Territory of Utah," and sent by mail. For forms of proposals, &c., and other information, see advertisement of this date, in pamphlet form, at the principal post office.

ALEX. W. RANDALL,

Postmaster General.

## DESERT UNIVERSITY, Mercantile Department.

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IS NOW INSTITUTED, AND STUDENTS CAN BE RECEIVED FOR THE STUDY OF A THOROUGH

## COMMERCIAL BUSINESS COURSE,

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BOOK-KEEPING,  
PENMANSHIP,  
COMMERCIAL AND  
GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE  
COMMERCIAL CALCULATION,  
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When you go to Market for NICE and TENDER MEATS, Look Out For No. 11, as I have removed from Stall No. 3 to STALL No. 11.

J. H. PICKNELL.

## THE REVERE HOUSE,

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Great Western Soap Factory,

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GREATLY REDUCED RATES.

GREASE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION BOUGHT.

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DELICIOUSLY.

Also a Full Assortment of

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PRESENT RATES!

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