

RENEW FIGHT FOR SUFFRAGE

"No Taxation Without Representation" Slogan for the Campaign

To the Editor: I have attempted many times to write and thank you for giving space to my letter and especially for your editorial comment.

The great majority of women want a real local option constitutional amendment that will say what it means and mean what it says.

I do wonder how many men whose means of livelihood are imperiled or destroyed by the present misleading law can now see that if they had been just to women when we asked for the ballot in 1900, they would have quietly avoided the troubles that at present beset them.

I herewith enclose you a circular containing my address on this question before the Idaho constitutional convention in 1889, to which I wish to call your personal attention; also the speech on ballots and bullets given at a convention in Washington, D. C., in the February of the same year.

We have again prepared to resubmit our suffrage amendment, as a tax-paying issue, this time. We have received since July 10, 4750 certified signatures or nearly half the number required by law.

I enclose a petition blank for your inspection. Could you recommend some man or woman outside of probi or W. C. T. U. circles who would circulate petitions for us in the interest of good government, fair dealing and common sense?

All depends upon whether or not we are treated with courtesy and fair dealing by the press as to what we shall do in the future. I have been so cruelly persecuted in the past for standing by principle and opposing fanaticism that I naturally want to spare my coworkers from an embroglio of like character, lest we frighten them into amnush again.

ABIGAIL SCOTT DUNIWAY, President Oregon Equal Suffrage Association.

(Volunteers to circulate petitions referred to will please send names to Mrs. Duniway at Portland or to Tribune.)

The Yankee Peddler.

(Original.)

It was at a period soon after the close of the Revolutionary war that Aaron Whitney, a Yankee peddler, passed through the Mohawk valley on his way to Albany.

So they took Aaron before the Justice. He was sitting under an apple tree near his house, with a glass of schnapps beside him and a long clay pipe in his mouth.

"What you travel Sunday for?" asked Van der Donk, taking his pipe out of his mouth and looking sternly at the peddler.

"I'm goin' to Albany and from there down east. I have sold my wares and want to get home."

"H'm," said the Dutchman, "you stay here till tomorrow. I don't want you to bring the wrath of the Lord down on us."

The peddler threw off his pack, making a virtue of necessity. At least that was the appearance of it. Really he was quite willing to remain over while that he might look upon the fair face of the justice's daughter Katrina, who had looked upon him out of her blue eyes.

And she did. She had been long desirous of pouring out her dissatisfaction at the life she led to some person in whom she had confidence, and she felt sure that she could confide in the Yankee.

Now, the justice, thinking the peddler in a hurry to go on, when the shades of night came down intimated that for a consideration he would pass him.

The next morning when he woke up and called Katrina, as usual, there was no response. The old man roused his neighbors, who hunted high and low for the damsel, but she was not to be found.

Two days passed, and Katrina did not reappear. Then one morning there came a letter to old Van der Donk. Since he was not used to receiving letters he felt sure it contained information of his lost daughter.

"Yah," he said reflectively; "it's a Yankee pass!"

Low Necked Dresses. In the early days of Pennsylvania there was a law, as we learn from documents in the state department, which stated as follows: "That if any white female of ten years or upward should appear in any public street, lane, highway, church, courthouse, tavern, ball, theater or any other place of public resort with naked shoulders..."

Some Doubts. New Curate—How's your wife, Jabez? Jabez—Er, her's very doubtful, measter. Er doubts as 'er won't get better, and O' doubts as 'er will—Punch.

MEDFORD TO SEE CARNIVAL

The American Amusement Company Is to Be Here Three Days Next Week

Ben Ferguson, representing the American Amusement company, has made arrangements for his company to show in Medford Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, August 3, 4 and 5.

The Crazy House or Fun Factory is where you enjoy a good, hearty laugh and imagine you are going through space and looping the loop.

A Wash Twice a Year. A charming Hungarian countess once said to me, "What is so nice about the men from England is that they look so clean, as if they had just come from a swim."

The usual advice given to the washer is, "Don't worry." This advice is foolish because impractical. No one can stop thinking one type of thought except by substituting for it another thought.

Jefferson Davis' Ambition. Jefferson Davis was a man of most sincere conviction and courageous action, and when the Southern Confederacy was about to be organized his single ambition was to be the command of the Confederate army.

A Yoga Story. For fourteen years Baba Luchman Dass received from the priests of the Black Caves of central India the necessary education in order to become a yoga, as a yoga must be capable of taking the forty-eight postures of the Hinduo Moos.

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An Unexpected Burns Lecture. John Augustus O'Shea used to be in considerable request as a lecturer on his military experiences. Once, at Dumfries, he came upon the platform wearing in his buttonhole a daisy, which he quietly removed and held up. "Ladies and gentlemen," he began, "I hold in my hand a 'wee modest dower' I plucked this evening from the grave of Robert Burns."

Lord Penzance's Acquaintance. When the late Lord Penzance was plain Mr. Wilde, he once took an early morning stroll round Covent Garden market. There he entered into conversation with an old man of genial aspect who had just made a purchase of a geranium.

A Boost and A Boom. We take pleasure in calling to your notice the following words of praise from one who has lately visited Colestin: "Mr. H. B. Cole—Dear Sir: To quote a much used phrase, I am pleasantly surprised. I have been drinking your Natural Mineral Water for a long time because I found it was the very best on the market, but I had no idea that you used the extreme sanitary measures that you do to insure a perfectly pure and clean drink."

WELL! Here We Are In HOT OLD JULY AND YOU HAVEN'T GOT THAT FAN. Call up Phone No. 855 and have one delivered for you 5 days' free trial.

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We have CEMENT CRATER LAKE LUMBER CO. and will sell you a sack, a barrel or a carload. We handle several grades and will give you the tests of all. Cement sidewalks are going in all over town and what looks so cheap or thrifless as an old loose board sidewalk in front of your property? Consult a cement contractor and you'll find his price right.

Just Received- A Carload of Extra Heavy Green Lath HEADQUARTERS FOR SASH AND DOORS ANYTHING MADE FROM TREES Quotations promptly and cheerfully furnished Woods Lumber Co. KILNS AND MILLS AT GLENDALE OREGON YARD AND OFFICE AT MEDFORD, OREGON.

Medford Time Table SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY Northbound No. 10 Oregon Express 5:24 p. m. No. 14 Portland Express 9:40 a. m. Southbound No. 15 California Express 10:35 a. m. No. 13 San Francisco Exp. 3:20 p. m. No. 225 From Grants Pass 9:15 p. m. No. 225 For Ashland 10:15 p. m. PACIFIC & EASTERN RAILWAY No. 1 Leaves Medford 8:10 a. m. No. 3 Leaves Medford 2:50 p. m. No. 2 Arrives Medford 10:25 a. m. No. 4 Arrives Medford 5:08 p. m. ROGUE RIVER VALLEY RAILWAY No. 2 Leaves Medford 10:45 a. m. No. 4 Leaves Medford 6:35 p. m. Motor Leaves Medford 2:00 p. m. Motor Leaves Medford 9:00 p. m. No. 1 Leaves Jacksonville 9:00 a. m. No. 3 Leaves Jacksonville 3:30 p. m. Motor Leaves Jacksonville 1:30 p. m. Motor Leaves Jacksonville 7:30 p. m. MAIL CLOSURE Eagle Point 7:20 2:00 Northbound 9:10 4:54 Southbound 10:05 2:50 Jacksonville 10:20 5:20

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Medism is a smooth tongue without a sting behind.—Irish Proverb.