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AMERICAN SHIPPING.

There is one question of vital importance to be met by the American people and by congress, and that is, Shall we abdicate as a commercial nation and allow the European nations to obtain the commerce which naturally belongs to us?

England and France are outstripping us in obtaining South American trade. Why? Simply because they encourage the building and running of steamships to these our neighbors. All these countries would naturally trade with us. But we can not compete in the carrying trade with nations whose governments pay liberal subsidies to steamship lines when we pay nothing or next to nothing.

The present annual subsidies paid by Great Britain to her six steamship lines to the West Indies, Central and South America, amount to \$567,250.

The French government pays a bounty of 30 cents per ton per mile for every mile of steam navigation by vessels built in its ship yards and sailing under its flag, and this bounty is increased fifteen per cent. when the designs of the vessels are submitted to and approved by the navy department. Besides this general bounty the French government pays to the steamship line to China, Japan and India \$1,714,604; \$728,000 annually to the South American lines, \$790,000 annually to the Mexican and West India line, \$930,000 annually to the Mediterranean lines, and \$500,000 annually to the New York line.

What has the United States done for the American lines running to Central and South America? It has paid for carrying the United States mails to all these countries in nine years the total sum of \$146,098.11, being a yearly average of \$16,233.19, for fostering her trade with her great sister continent. What the result is can be seen by the following tables, which show the exports from our country, Great Britain, and France, to these countries for twenty years, from 1862 to 1882:

UNITED STATES.	
To Central American States.....	\$ 16,141,375
Argentine Republic.....	40,621,672
Brazil.....	128,190,807
Chile.....	36,191,586
Peru.....	31,278,595
United States of Colombia.....	90,240,045
Uruguay.....	21,697,101
Venezuela.....	35,594,170

Total.....\$400,955,360
Yearly average.....20,477,680

GREAT BRITAIN.	
Central American States.....	\$ 46,039,530
Argentine Republic.....	254,301,762
Brazil.....	620,002,874
Chile.....	213,159,874
Peru.....	149,264,991
United States of Colombia.....	185,763,279
Uruguay.....	115,519,290
Venezuela.....	44,983,038

Total.....\$1,638,034,047
Yearly average.....82,901,724

FRANCE.	
Central American States.....	\$ 10,536,253
Argentine Republic.....	313,184,980
Brazil.....	353,552,839
Chile.....	135,123,958
Peru.....	114,314,980
United States of Colombia.....	86,739,681
Uruguay.....	118,670,688
Venezuela.....	29,150,106

Total.....\$1,161,273,485
Yearly average.....58,063,674

Is it or is it not worth our while to try and get our share of this valuable and rapidly increasing commerce? These South and Central American republics contain an area more than twice that of the United States and a population of over 45,000,000. They produce raw materials in great quantities which we need. We produce and manufacture all kinds of fabrics, utensils and machinery which they are yet compelled to buy. They are our neighbors, and in natural sympathy with us with similarity of institutions. Our exchanges with them ought to exceed those of all other nations combined. A wise and liberal policy would, in a few years, give us the larger part of this immense trade. Not only this, but a liberal policy in fostering our shipping interests in all other directions would ere long place us where we were before

the late war—in the second place as ship-builders, rapidly becoming the first.

We have an immense stretch of sea coast full of good harbors, with every material and facility for successful ship building. It is simply disgraceful that we occupy the position we do among the great maritime powers of the earth. We ought to have and can have, within a quarter of a century, the first maritime place in the world.

In anticipation of the exposition of the "Three Americas," to be held in 1892, Charles Henkle, an architect of Washington, has prepared plans for a tower 1,500 feet high, or 500 feet higher than the celebrated Eiffel tower in Paris. The dome on the cupola at the lowest part will be 260 feet high and 280 feet in diameter. Around the foot of the tower iron buildings are to be erected for exhibition and other purposes. Such a tower cannot be much else than a toy or a plaything, although it may be some satisfaction to own the highest tower in the world, notwithstanding the fact that it can never be a thing of utility.

It is learned, through a private letter to a friend in Corvallis, that B. F. Bonham, the United States consul-general to Calcutta, has sent his resignation to President Harrison, the same to take effect as soon as his successor is appointed. Judge John Kelsay, of this city, has been recommended to this place by the Oregon delegation. Mr. Bonham's former home was in Salem, and very likely he will return there as soon as he is relieved of his duties as consul-general.

How much money do you think John Bull has invested in American railway stocks and bonds and various individual enterprises? As nearly as can be reckoned, the sum runs up between two and three thousand million dollars.

Wouldn't it be a good plan to use some of Brown-Squard's "elixir of life" right here in Corvallis? On Monday last some fellow asked "when are they going to bury Corvallis?"

A NICE RECEPTION.—Last evening at the residence of Mr. D. P. Mason, the Misses Mason tendered Miss Maud Hoffman, Corvallis' popular young elocutionist, who is visiting in this city, a tea party, which the Democrat is informed was a very nice and enjoyable affair, entirely beyond the comprehension of the sterner sex, excluded on all such occasions. A recitation, artistically rendered, by Miss Hoffman, a song by Miss Hitchens, of Corvallis, and an elegant repast, were features of the evening's festivities. Those present were: Misses Flora and Vesta Mason, Maud Hoffman, Carl Hitchens, Lee Prather, Grace Piper, Laura Vance, Addie and Genevieve George, Maud and Minnie VanHorn, Hettie Miller and Miss Hollenbeck.—Albany Democrat, 14th.

YOUTHFUL DEPRAVITY.—Sunday last two young "bloodes" from Corvallis became boisterous under the influence of some "tanglofoot," and were arrested and placed under \$10 bonds for their appearance on Monday morning. One of them forfeited his bail, while the other, a mere boy, gave a pistol as security for his fine of eight dollars. The pistol belonged to a gentleman in Corvallis, who came down after it this week.—Independence West Side, Aug. 9.

LETTER LIST.—Letters remaining in the Corvallis post office as advertised, August 16th, 1889: A. P. Allen, T. W. Axtell, Ed. Culp, H. E. Johnston, Morgan & Neal, Harry Pool, Mrs. Dr. J. H. Rankin, Mrs. J. R. Rankin, J. K. Sears, J. Greek Springer, Mr. Wiktorhals, F. A. Helm, P. M.

A list of canned goods carried by E. E. Paddock, "The People's Grocer," who makes it a point to secure anything new in this line that may present itself in the market: Chipped beef, corned beef, clams, deviled chicken, deviled ham, two kinds, deviled lobster, deviled tongue, deviled turkey, lunch ham, lunch tongue, lobsters, oysters, pig feet, roast chicken, salmon, Shrimp, plum pudding, condensed milk. Besides a full and complete stock of all kinds of canned fruits and vegetables. Campers and picnic parties will do well to bear this fact in mind. tf.

Mr. Mac Porter and wife, old residents of Benton county, received a telegram on Wednesday morning informing them that their son, who resides in eastern Oregon, was quite ill with typhoid fever. They took the train for that country immediately. Mr. Porter resides south of here.

The hose boys ordered their new hose cart yesterday afternoon, and intend to get in and practice well and maybe they can win that \$1,000 prize at Tacoma next month.

Wheat is being hauled into Corvallis just now at a lively rate, there being five warehouses to store in. The price is 62 cents.

Up to the hour of going to press no news has been received concerning any other city being devoured by a conflagration.

J. R. Haddock left on Wednesday for Roseburg where he will reside in the future.

The Polk County Observer has enlarged to a 7-column size.

CAUSE OF THE GROWL.



"What are you growling at, sir?"
"At the amount you are eating, sir! Have you no regard for the feelings of a dyspeptic, sir?"
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John Arrall of 628 Golden Gate avenue writes: "You may also use my name as an additional authority that 'The California Remedy,' Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, will cure dyspepsia and liver and kidney complaint. It has done it for me."
James Wells, Oakdale, Cal., writes: "I suffered acutely from dyspepsia for years, a sorely taking a meal without the distressing pains of indigestion. I took Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla with the happiest results. It relieved me of it entirely."

FOR SALE.—100 head of horses and mules for sale cheap. Enquire of W. H. Hartless. tf.

David S. Terry was killed at Lathrop, Cal., on Wednesday morning, by a deputy U. S. marshal who was acting as a body guard for U. S. Justice Fields. They were in a hotel dining room and Terry made an assault on Fields when the deputy shot him dead. Terry was the husband of Sarah Althea Hill Sharon, and was the slayer of Broderick on the 13th day of September, 1859, in a duel. The general verdict is that the marshal did a good job.

Sunday school and service will be resumed next Sabbath at the Presbyterian church. Dr. Thompson will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Service of song at 7:30 p. m. A cordial welcome to all.

F. M. Johnson is at the ocean side having gone there on 1st Friday to be with his family. He soon tired on the putting-up-fruit business.

Preaching on Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., in the Evangelical church. All are invited. J. M. Dick, pastor.

This office extends thanks to Cameron Bros. for a watermelon donated to it on Tuesday by them.

Cal. Hutton has disposed of his blacksmith shop to parties who have already taken charge of the business.

Service at the Oak Ridge Presbyterian church next Sabbath at 2:30.

A. Hodges returned from a few days' rustication at the bay on Wednesday.

ALTAR.

ANDERSON-OLSON.—Miss Matilda M. Anderson and Mr. Ole Olson were united in marriage at the Occidental hotel, this city, Thursday, August 15th, 1889, Judge Holgate officiating.

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WELLS.—On August 9, 1889, at Philomath, M.-s. C. B. Wells, of pneumonia, aged 42 years.

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Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned, that I, Barbara Hanson, have been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of R. M. Hanson, deceased, by the county court of Benton county, Oregon, and all persons having claims against his estate are hereby notified to present the same to me, properly verified, at my residence near Oak Ridge church, in Benton county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

BARBARA HANSON,
Dated July 15th, 1889. Executrix.

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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

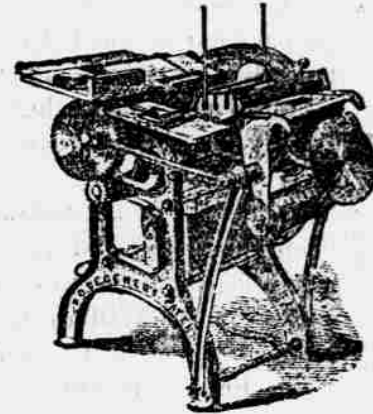
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between F. M. Johnson and C. E. Nicholson was on the first day of July, 1889, dissolved by mutual consent. All demands against the said firm are requested to be presented to F. M. Johnson, at his office in Corvallis, for settlement.

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