

Wool and Iron.

If there is one general article more unjustly protected in this country than any of the many receiving such unjust protection, it is iron in all its forms and divisions. Plows, hoes, harrows, rippers, mowers and other implements used in raising farmers' crops are made of this useful metal. When their crops are raised they must send them to market over the iron railroads of the country. Thus we see that it is the interest of the farming class of this land that represents almost two-thirds of the population and capital of the country to buy its iron as cheaply as possible. Yet to this class the late Congress said emphatically: "We know that you must have plows, hoes, harrows, rippers and mowers, and that you of right are entitled to buy cheapest, but this government as it is now being run has favorites and pets who, though few in number, must still be protected at your expense." And thus the tariff on iron in all its branches was maintained without reduction of any consequence, and the farmer must pay a tax on every bushel of grain and pound of produce raised by him to the iron manufacturers. There was before the last session of Congress a tariff on wool, protecting the American wool-raiser from foreign competition. This tariff was in the interest of the American farmer who raised sheep. This almost single protection in his favor was repealed by the late Congress. It thus said to the most numerous, necessary and important class of the country that it had no rights.

According to Joaquin Miller, General Joseph Lane, years ago a United States Senator from Oregon, so far from being the illiterate person his political enemies described, was one of the best read men he ever met. He taught him to read Pindar and Marcus Aurelius and a dozen other classics. General Lane knew them so well, adds Joaquin, "that if I misread a single word as we lay under the oaks—he looking up at the birds—he would correct me. He wrote in the old-fashioned, full, round style, every letter like print, not even a comma missing in letters of the greatest length. Using the simplest Saxon, he always said much in little—a duty of every writer of everything." The only specification of Lane's illiteracy was that he "spelled God with a little g."

After the Kentucky Republican convention was called to order last Wednesday a colored choir sang "Nearer, my God, to Thee." This reminds us of Rev. H. K. Hines' expression when the Republican convention of Oregon nominated him for Representative in Congress. He said it was the "voice of God" that called him to represent his party in the impending contest; but when a few months after, he was overwhelmingly defeated at the polls the "voice of God" was transformed into the "voice of the Devil." So with the Kentucky Republicans. When the returns begin to come in on the evening of the 6th day of November next they will find themselves "Nearer the Devil" and the regions inhabited by his majesty. —W. T. Journal.

The Ancient Order of United Workmen continues to grow in favor everywhere. The report of the jurisdiction of Oregon and Washington Territory since it was released from the control of the supreme lodge, two years ago, is especially flattering. During that time only 31 death assessments have been levied, and the yearly cost of carrying a beneficiary certificate entailing the legacies of a member to \$2,000 is very little more than \$20, all told. Verily, this is cheap insurance.

The Democrats of Kentucky nominated a Union soldier (Capt. Jas. R. Hendeman) for Lieutenant-Governor, on the same ticket with J. Proctor Knott, casting aside an ex-Confederate. Still, the Republican press has not the sense of justice to state the facts, but purely misrepresents them.

Eugene City is said by all travelers to be the liveliest town in the Willamette Valley outside of Portland. Property here is raising in price daily, and many permanent improvements are being made. Obvious need at present is the establishment of manufacturing.

We heartily favor a press association for the State of Oregon, and would like to have some of our journalistic brethren name a time and place for holding the same.

Real Estate.

Having lately issued a circular descriptive of Lane county of 15,000 copies, I can furnish the same free to parties wishing to send them East to friends. They furnish more information, such as the immigrant wants, than you could write in a letter of 20 pages. I am also operating with E. J. Haight & Co., of Portland, Oregon, the most active, energetic and thoroughly advertised firm on the Pacific Coast. Parties having real estate to sell will find it to their advantage to place the same in my hands, as I am constantly increasing my advertisements, and am fully determined that Lane county shall have her share of the immigration bound westward.

GEO. M. MILLER, Real Estate Broker, Office, Willamette St., Eugene City, Or.

Farmers.

We have a machine for tightening Wagon Wheel Tires without removing the tire from the wheel, or the wheel from the wagon. We can tighten four tires in thirty minutes without dirt or water, at a cost of one cent for each tire. If this matter has any interest to you, please call at my store in Eugene City, where the machine will be shown and tested.

J. M. HENDERSON, D. R. LARSEN.

NOTICE.—A third payment of 25 per cent. has been authorized by the Board of Directors of the L. C. M. A. Stockholders can get their money by calling on John McClung, Room 202, 2nd St., Eugene City, Or.

10 lbs. sugar, \$1.00, 15 " rice, " 8 " coffee, " 8 cans tomatoes, " 8 " sardines, " At A. Goldsmith's.

Good for Babies.

With a baby at least nothing is so useful for quieting my own and baby's nerves as Parker's Ginger Tonic. It prevents bowel complaints, and is better than any stimulant to give strength and appetite. —A Newark Mother.

Money to loan.

On easy terms, on approved security. Instructions directed on all kinds of property, in the best of companies.

Office: In the building formerly occupied by Henry & Humphrey. CHAS. LARSEN.

Useful in the Family.

We usually leave it to doctors to recommend medicines, but Parker's Ginger Tonic has been so useful in our family in relieving sickness and suffering that we cannot say too much in its praise. —Salem Argus.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. LARSEN, Station D, New York City.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF an engine house will be received at the Engineer's office until Friday, June 22nd, 1883, at which time they will be opened. The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Engineer's office.

BUILDING COMMITTEE.

PROGRAMME



OF THE Celebration of 4TH OF JULY, AT..... COTTAGE GROVE.

.....AT..... COTTAGE GROVE.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY.

President—Hon. R. M. Vestal; Marshal—Hon. J. C. Walker; Orator—Hon. Geo. A. Duric; Reader—Chas. Stroufer.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

Procession will start in front of Cottage Grove Hall at 10 o'clock A. M. and march to the celebration ground one-half mile west of town.

- 1—On arriving at the ground, march by the Cottage Grove Brass Band. 2—Reading of the Declaration of Independence. 3—Music. 4—Oration. 5—Music by the Band. 6—Dinner and Refreshments. 7—Music by the Band. 8—Wheelbarrow race, with prize to winner. 9—Game of base ball; all clubs invited to participate.

The whole concluding with

Grand Fire-works!

In the evening, and

GRAND BALL AT NIGHT.

JOHN MASTERTON, WM. CATHART, AARON LURCH, Committee.

ALL I ASK!

Is that you do yourself justice by buying goods where you can get them the cheapest. I intend to strictly adhere to VERY LOW PRICES in everything I offer for sale, and in

DRESS & FANCY GOODS.

Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Furnishing Goods, CROCKERY, GROCERIES ETC., ETC.

There is no doubt or question but I shall sell them very much lower than the same goods have ever been offered in this market.

Please to call and price the goods and you will see that I am in earnest.

G. BETTMAN.

1776. 1883.



GRAND CELEBRATION!

—OF THE—

107th Anniversary

—OF—

American Independence

—AT—

EUGENE CITY, Wednesday, July 4th, 1883.

A Salute of 39 Guns

Will be fired at sunrise.

OFFICERS OF THE DAY.

President—Hon. John Whiteaker; Vice President—Hon. John Kelly, E. W. Whipple, Hon. E. R. Hays, F. R. Dunn, Orator—J. J. Walker, Jr.; Reader—Miss Eliza Lockwood; Chaplain—Rev. E. R. Gault; Marshal—John C. Church.

ORDER OF PROCESSION.

The procession will form in front of the Court House at 10 o'clock A. M. as follows: 1—Eugene City Brass Band; 2—Officers of the Day; 3—Eugene Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1; 4—Liberty Car; 5—Eugene Engine Co. No. 1; 6—Societies; 7—Citizens in carriages and on horseback.

ROUTE OF PROCESSION.

The procession will march to the corner of Ninth and Oak streets, thence west to Willamette street, thence North to Fifth, thence east to the grove near the Eugene City mills.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

- 1—Music by Band; 2—Prayer by Chaplain; 3—Music by Band; 4—Reading of Declaration of Independence; 5—Music by Band; 6—Oration; 7—Music by Band.

Basket Dinner at the Grove.

BABY SHOW.

A prize of \$5 will be given for the handsomest girl baby under one year of age. Committee on same, Samuel Clifford, G. P. Christophel, Thomas Swift. A prize of \$5 will be given to handsomest boy baby under one year of age. Committee, Belle Kirkland, Corie Rankin, M. Freeman.

Baby show will take place at the Court House at 2 o'clock sharp. Have babies on hand prompt and save time.

FIREMAN'S DRILL.

A competitive drill of five companies will take place on Willamette street at 4 o'clock P. M. Prize for same, \$25.

GLASS BALL SHOOTING.

Glass ball shooting near town at 7 o'clock. First prize, \$20; second, \$10; third, \$5.

Sack Race, Wheelbarrow Race, etc.

GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.

The fireworks will be a leading attraction of the day, being the finest and most expensive ever being let to the city. At Court House at 9:30 o'clock.

FIREMAN'S BALL.

A grand fireman's ball will be given at Lane's Hall in the evening under the auspices of both fire companies.

Reduced Railroad Fare.

Tickets can be procured to Eugene and return from Roseburg and Albany and intermediate points at 40 per cent. of regular rates. Tickets good for July 2d, 3d, and 5th.

J. M. ABBAMS, H. C. HUMPHREY, R. M. DAY, J. M. HENDERICKS, J. B. CAMPBELL, Committee.

LIVE AND LET LIVE!

COME ONE! COME ALL! And See for Yourself.

I do not propose to run opposition but I propose to show the people of Eugene and surrounding, where they can save from 20 to 30 cents on the dollar in buying their

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS.

I propose to warrant and guarantee every pair that comes from us.

Furthermore, we shall have a line of

GENTS FURNISHING GOOD,

Consisting of Gents, Boys and Youth's Undershirts and Drawers; White and Colored Shirts and Woolen and Cotton Overshirts in Enormous Varieties.

—ALSO—

Ties, Scarfs, Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Sleeve Buttons, Collar Buttons, Studs, and Everything kept in a First-class Store.

We propose to sell at San Francisco prices; our motto being QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS.

Workingman's Boot and Shoe Store and Gents Furnishing Goods.

Our Furnishing Goods will arrive June 1, 1883.

The I. X. L Store,

TAKES THE LEAD.

NEW GOODS. NEW GOODS

Just received direct from the East. The largest assortment ever brought to Eugene:

—Goods Marked down to Genuine New York Prices.—

Dress Goods in the latest Shades. Imported French Cashmeres, \$3 1/2 cts per yd. American Cashmeres, 15 and 25 cts per yd. Every line in Dress Goods at N. Y. figures. 12 yds white Dress Goods for \$1.

A very nice black Dollman trimmed. Frenchie, Silk or Satin, at New York prices. Coverts from 50 cts up. Lace and Embroidery at Eastern price. Come and examine our new Hook, Glass, 15 yards of Crash, good quality, for \$1.

Our Boots and Shoes are Complete.

We only carry Buckingham and Hecht's make, and every pair is warranted by them to be first class goods. We keep Carpets, Matting, Table Oil Cloths, Wall Paper in the latest Patterns, Bird Cages at all prices; Trunks and Valises, Picture Frames and Looking Glasses; and a big stock of

MENS' AND BOYS HATS.

Sugar, Coffee, Rice, Sage and all Staple Groceries are sold at Portland Wholesale Prices. All goods at genuine New York figures—Come and convince yourself.

I X L STORE! EUGENE CITY.

CASH OR CREDIT!

Goods sold as low as any House in Oregon, for

Cash or Credit.

Highest Price paid for all kinds of Country Produce. Call and see.

S. H. Friendly.

Farms for Sale.

320 ACRES ONE AND A HALF miles west of Eugene, 200 acres in grain, all under fence; modern house and barn. With crop, \$30 per acre; without crop, \$20 per acre.

200 acres seven miles southwest of Eugene, all under fence; good house and barn; one hundred acres in grain; plenty of good water. Price, \$15 per acre.

200 acres 14 miles west of Creswell, all under fence; house, barn and orchard; one hundred acres in cultivation. Price, \$12.50 per acre.

In Eugene, nice residence, 4 lots, house and barn, plenty of fruit trees of the best varieties. Price, \$1,500.

W. W. CLEAVER, Real Estate Agent.

Warner's Sale Kidney and Liver Cure.

Furniture and Undertaking! Wholesale and Retail Dealers and Manufacturers of all Kinds of FURNITURE AND GENERAL UNDERTAKING CHERRY & DAY'S, Eugene.



ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

This powder is of purest quality, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kind, and can not be sold in competition with the substitute of low cost cheap weight, alum or phosphate powder. Sold only in cans. Royal Baking Powder Co., 106 Wall St., N. Y.

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped.

Neglect frequently results in a dangerous Lung Disease or Consumption. SHOW US WINSLOW'S SOOTHING STRIP. THESE are certain to give relief in Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Catarrh, Consumption and Throat Diseases. For 20 years the Strips have been recommended by physicians, and always give perfect satisfaction. They are not new or untried but having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well merited rank among the few simple remedies of the age. Unlike speak-ers and singers use them to clear and strengthen the voice. Sold at 25 cents a box everywhere.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of WINSLOW'S SOOTHING STRIP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will relieve the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The Best Salve in the world for Bruises, Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 25 cts per box. For sale by Wm. A. DeWitt, Druggist, Eugene City, Medford, Junction City.