#### NOTICE.

Agents will please take notice that it is a mall sums, and they will confer a great favor by remitting to us through money orders or egistered letters.

#### "THE AMAZONS AGAIN."

Under this head the New York Graphic thus discourses relative to the recent Convention of Woman Suffragists in that city:

The women are coming next week. And list of speakers, we miss the names of some of the old-time advocates of what may almost be name is conspicuous still. She is too coursmith, whose cows have made so much noise will doubtless demonstrate woman's superiority to man on physiological principles; and will be brought back to hard facts by Mrs. Jage and Mrs. Blake. Doubtless the occasion will be interesting; the women always are so. comen are steadily gaining ground in educations, and moral influence, the signs of their proclaimed from the village pulpit. enfranchisement as steadily diminish. The proved sufficiently successful to encourage an extension of the privilege, and there is hardly a question that the majority of our people well for the women who agitate so persistently for the ballot to consider whether there are not

franchisement in so short a space and headed masters "eat and be filled." once the seat of a very thriving trade, in such a pleasant manner as is wit- We imagine that had a good angel but its terminus bubble burst when

rights" Miss Anthony has ever been, follow in her weary footsteps. the cows of these defrauded women, as by the Conference. they were taken from the pastures of unjust demands of the tax-gatherer. True, the protest of these dumb animals It is quite refreshing to find a man it; but that is neither here nor there; and who is manly enough to state plain the laugh must be raised, else people even dumb creatures cry out.

It is gratifying to observe that after the most ingenious attempt to bring social national question of the age." Some think it is "temperance;" some think it is "temperance;" ridicule upon the women whose names bor reform;" others think it is something else are mentioned in the above extract, that but one of our Eastern exchanges believes it to candor compels the writer to admit their intellectual ability, their versatility, and their power to render the "oc- very difficult to answer: "Where can honest casion interesting."

Can it be possible, after the admission which persistent demonstrations have est toll and thoughtful endeavor have raised steadily gaining ground in education, right here in Washington Territory, "honest industry, society, administrative positions, and moral influence," that any one can expect his words to be believed moughtful endeavor" to raise them higher of woman's enfranchisement steadily diminish," Does any one for a moment believe that history will reverse the recital of all times past, and spread upon its future pages records of a people steadily advancing in social, moral, and educational power, yet compelled to continue political serfs, controlled by the rabble of a nation, held amenable to laws which, in many instances, bear with gross injustice upon their personal rights and property interests? And would it not be as well for men who arrogate to themselves superiority because of their sex, to consider the political problems of the country which affect women and men alike, from an intellectual, rather than from a physiological stand-point? And if they have an idea that it is pleasant, remunerative, or expedient to work in political bondage, let them tell us how they would preserve the present political influence, power, and status of their sex, to say nothing of improving either or all of them, if they should suddenly be deprived of the privileges of the franchise.

The sentiment that there is a position, a sphere for woman outside of matrimony, is gaining popularity and doing much to redeem and elevate marriage, since it tends to the prevention of many of those uncongenial and unjustiflable sin greater than unjustifiable marriage, such ability and dignity: and to regard upright self-dependence While on Paget Sound we met Mrs. preferable to marriage with sordid motives, would doubtless have been a benefit instead of a curse to the race. When sells her books, visits, canvasses for subscrib- that the great vessel lunges herself with man, wise and happy matrimonial Although differing widely from her in religiou relations will be the rule-not the ex- which her genius and toll have enabled her to

### A STEP IN ADVANCE.

The dispatches inform us that a resolution has been offered at the General MAY 26, 1876. Conference of the M. E. Church, now in ant missionary's labors bring us to eyes and mind on the spring-time bigoted clergy like it or not.

have long been allowed more of a place inspiration of the moment never lais to cuit and coffee and other good things, in its active work than is accorded to create. But 'tis useless to moralize or cuit and coffee and other good things, when we remember that women gener-splendid life he must have led, knowthey will take Wednesday and Thursday to tell why they ought to vote, and what ernel ty. them in almost any other church. We apologize. What is past is past, "what have no means at their own dispo-ing, even in his glory and splenrants menare for keeping the ballot-boxes and can remember a quarter of a century is writ is writ," and much of what has offices all to themselves. In looking over the ago, when our mother, patient, devout, not been chronicled has followed the gard them as being unfitted for the proand toiling Christian that she was, old thief Procrastination down the and you'll acknowledge yourself misconsidered "a lost cause," but Miss Anthony's | would deny herself the much-coveted | steeps of Time, to be recalled to memory privilege of attending the morning ser- nevermore. ageous and tenacious of her rights to put in a mon, that something nice might be On the steamer "North Pacific," gocooked and waiting to be devoured by ing over from Seattle to Port Townsend, at Glastonbury, Connecticut, will recite their the bevy of ministers whose arrival on we met Rev. Dr. Dillon, of the Pacific wrongs; and Sarah J. Spencer will tell what each Sabbath converted our paternal Christian Advocate, who was taking a monsters men are; and Mrs. Dr. Lozier home into a Sunday restaurant, with run over to Victoria for his health, meals from 12 till 3 o'clock. And these Conversation with him and a few other Mrs. Olympia Brown may show the incompating godly men, supposing, perhaps, that if friends concerning theology, nature, ibility of matrimony with the ministry; and this hand-maiden of the Lord wished to polities, literature, etc., etc., beguiled Mrs. Westbrook may lift the audience into a know anything, she could "ask her hus- much of the time from dawn to 9 A. M., band at home," seemed to think this which would otherwise have been left as self-denying labor on her part was as a trackless waste upon our imagination. necessary to the salvation of mankind, The morning was too raw and cold for But it is hard to lose sight of the fact that while as was an implicit belief in the brim- out-door observations, though we did stone doctrines which they so loudly once in a while brave the chilly atmos-

political responsibilities. And it would be der whether it never occurred to great coal-stove in the steamer's cabin, them that the curse, "In the sweat of shivering like an ague fit possessed us. other and more effectual ways of improving thy face shalt thou eat bread," had by Port Townsend is a quiet, romantic the status and increasing the usefulness and some strange mischance been added to and dreamy place, like Natchez on, and their own, as they lifted the steaming Natchez under the hill, being separated It is seldom indeed that attempted or viands from the glowing stove and in its interests by a precipitous bluff, assumed opposition makes so many wiped the perspiration from their fore- which it is an average day's journey to strong points in favor of woman's en- heads, and bade their soft-handed, cool- climb and descend. The place was

nessed in the above extract. Time was whispered the purport of the resolution New Tacoma rose to the surface, and -and not so long since either-when referred to above in the ear of one of now, like Steilacoom, Port Townsend is editors of otherwise respectable journals them as, weary and worn with manual decidedly quiet. Here is a Port of would descend to the lowest form of labor, she donned her spare dress and Entry, where Hon. Henry Webster and abuse and the vilest of innuendoes upon prepared to attend the evening service, our genial friend, Col. L. H. Briggs those women who dared to brave the she would have been no less amazed and his estimable lady, may be disgusting storm of vituperation and as- than delighted at the prospect-de- found at headquarters under the bill, sert their right to citizenship in a free lighted not for herself, but for the little while the residence of the former gencountry wherein they were free-born. daughters that were growing up around tleman is on the hill; and at both places "Courageous and tenacious of her her, destined, so far as she could see, to we enjoyed a feast of reason and flow of

and her ere-while bitterest opponents It would, indeed, ill become a church you want to have good cheer and see are compelled to respect her therefor, that has been blessed with the untiring happy families, go among Woman It is no wonder that men try to conceal labors of Mrs. Van Cott to ignore the Suffragists. If you want to seek a spot the shame they needs must feel at the claims which such as she have upon it from which you can get a desirable repeated outrage of taxation without for recognition of the work so valiantly view of everything in nature that is representation which has been imposed performed in the Master's vineyard, and grand, romantic, and lovely, go to the upon the venerable Smith sisters, of all friends of equal rights must rejoice residence of the Collector of Customs at Glastonbury, behind the noise made by if the resolution in question is adopted Port Townsend, and, standing upon the

was much more eloquent than are the occasionally who is disgusted with the words of those who seek to raise a laugh | current clap-trap about the extravagant to cover their confusion by referring to desires and tastes of American women, facts in their defense. The infrequency might be so shockingly indiscreet as to of such an occurrence tempts us to publisten to a "recital of wrongs" at which lish the following from the Puget Sound Express:

Opinions differ as to what is "the most seefing be "matrimony on \$1,000 a year." That is a se rious question and no mistake, but we do no think this inquiry of an Eastern contemporary competent, and even cultivated poor men ge wives that will occupy their positions and circompelled from man, that "women are them bigher?" Right here on Paget Sound. competent, and even cultivated poor montage get wives, their peers in every particular, who will do their full share of "honest toll and when he further says that "the signs Thousands of that kind have been found, and thousands more can be found if sought dillgently and in a manly way. American wome are neither the dolls nor the dummies that

# ANOTHER VICTORY.

some men think them to be,

We notice in an exchange the aunouncement that the California Medical Society on the 20th ultimo agreed by a unanimous vote to admit women to full membership. Thus, one step at a time. are the courageous and persistent women of the land advancing in the highway of justice toward the citadel of equal rights. And though the gates of the castle be triple guarded by arrogauce, ignorance, and prejudice, yet will these grim wardens in due time be forced to yield the keys to tolerance and justice, and as the massy bolts and bars, wrought in the forge of tyranny, and strengthened by the weight of ages, fly back at over hopes departed, and dream of betthe bidding of the new wardens, women will enter their rightful heritage as colaborers in the work of humanity with their brethren. The next step in advance will be the opening of the legal EQUAL RIGHTS AND MATRIMONY, ability to engage in its labors and share

Advocate, "though differing with us working humor. unions, which have been directly and tolerant in his opinions and so kindly cific," and we are bound Olympia-ward. for the garment. indirectly the result of woman's une. in the expression of them as to com- Again we meet Dr. Dillon and a number qual position. Thousands of wives have mand the respect both of his readers and of other congenial friends; again we chat passed a life-time void of happiness to ours. In proof of this, witness the and philosophize and speculate and poetthemselves or others, when, if they had following, taken from the last issue of ize and theorize, and, at a late hour, rebeen taught when young to believe no the journal over which he presides with tire to rest, assured by the steward that

Duniway, who exhibits a zeal and persever ance in the prosecution of her self-imposed mission, worthy of all emulation. She lectured woman once stands on a plane equal ers to her paper, in every place she comes to. against the piles at the dock at 3 A. M. ative to Abigail Adams, from the "Ed-

## EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

DEAR READERS OF THE NEW NORTHWEST: Once more the mutations of an itiner- to our place of destination, feasting To THE EDITOR OF THE NEW NORTHWEST: rights, whether pompous bishops and relying wholly upon a memory dimmed talkers, and greatest readers on the Paby recent illness for details which cific Coast. Don't tell us that intel-

phere while gazing for a moment at the "Six days shalt thou labor and do all Olympic range, and from that into the experiment of universal male suffrage has not thy work! could not by any possibility, green waters of the Whulge, as the even in the most creed-bound days, be good steamer lashed them into spray. made broad enough to cover the servile This, and a glance at the blue-green would reduce the number of voters rather than condition in which the "mothers in forests that everywhere abounded would give the ballot to a whole sex as yet unused to Israel" found themselves. We won- suffice us, and back we would go to the

soul which can never be forgotten. If eminence where his home is, you will see such a diversity of mountains, valgreat ocean bounding at their feet, support. as will compel you to exclaim as did

Byron when he beheld Lisbon: Oh, Christ! it is a goodly sight to see Jund 1

What fruits of fragrance blush on every What goodly prospects o'er the hills ex-

But, unlike the times and country of which Byrou sung, all this is wild and shark, would be as free as the electric air that bathes alike the brow of Mount

Goddess of Liberty. "Ah, me! what hand can pencil guide or

To follow half on which the eye dilates, Through views more dazzling unto mortal

Than those whereof such things the bard

Who, to the awe-struck world unlocked Elysium's gates ""

As we wonder and gaze, our imagination all dazed by the "mixed and mighty scene," we look in vain for toppling convents, carved crosses, rude shrines, and other evidences of Oriental superstition of which Byron sang so feelingly, and we gather the inspiration of the rare, electric air, and indite an apostrophe to mental freedom which respect for the illustrieus poet above quoted, (to say nothing of our own modesty), prevents us from transcribing here, and thereby risking the danger of making ourself ridiculous by con-

Port Townsend-on-the-hill contains a fine array of dwellings with well-kept yards and flourishing fruit trees. The same town under-the-hill is occupied by stores, saloons, hotels, and so forth, where the men engaged in trade, sigh ter times. This was the first place yet encountered where we falled to get large audiences; yet, it seemed to be nobody's fault, and we charge the whole to inertia on general principles. The citiprofession to those women of California zens subscribed liberally to the Journal who have the desire, opportunity, and of Peace, and our four days' sojourn among them was an interval of long-to-Its emoluments. Let the good work go be-remembered hospitality and pleasure. The hotel, kept by Mr. Clapp, is a quiet, orderly place, where good food to quality. Can get very nice and war-Dr. Dillon, of the Pacific Christian and reasonable charges kept one in ranted for \$35.

widely in his religious views," as he But we must not longer tarry at Port the steamer will tarry on the morrow A. J. at the Olympia dock to "wait for the turn of the tide," and we can indulge a coveted morning uap. Sleep so soundly without disturbing us; and at 0 we iter's Easy Chair" in Harper's Magaventure forth, to meet a messenger from zine for March, was published in the

Mrs. Sylvester, who takes charge of our WOMEN IN BENEFICIAL ORGANIlimited supply of baggage, and we walk

The question has been asked whether Conference of the M. E. Church, now in section as the desired whether the attempt to build up the Order of a wife and mother—Mrs. Henry Clay. women be declared eligible to the office that the brilliant glow of the morning sunwomen be declared eligible to the office the britiant glow of the morning sun-of leader, steward, exhorter, and local shine and pause from the contemplation thrift, and prosperity that abound on risdiction promises to be successful. See her at home faithfully attending her Agents will please take notice that it is a of leader, steward, exhorter, and local street and pause from the contemplation great tax upon us to pay express charges upon preacher. Whatever disposition that of the scenes of gladness around us, all bonorable body may make of the reso- hallowed as they are by the merry hum astir and expecting us, and soon the met with the success we have desired. Ashland, raising her children, and makhonorable body may make of the reso-lution at this time, it is evident to all of laughter and conversation that wells greetings are over and we all sit down nor the encouragement we had a right ing butter for the Lexington market that sooner or later the power of women up from the happy hearts of our loved to a capital breakfast, prepared by the to expect, we are not disappointed, nor whilst her noble husband made laws for will be felt in the church to an extent and cherished ones, we resume our jotthat will compel a recognition of their tings of yet unchronicled journeyings, bouse-keepers, deepest thinkers, finest order here. For, since ours is the first the beautiful women who througed the In justice to the Methodist Church, should have been penned while yet however, it should be said that women fresh, and full of the vigor which the duties of home. If you think so, visit that the public should regard the exper- sary to be done, for he was a politician however, it should be said that women less, and that women less, and that the vigor which the have long been allowed more of a place inspiration of the moment never fails to Mrs. Sylvester and partake of her bisiment as a doubtful one? Especially —one of nature's noblemen! What a hear her unfold Bible mysteries while sal, we cannot wonder that people redor, that back there in his "Kenvisions of a beneficial organization.

The lectures were given on Thursday and Saturday evenings at Olympia Hall, the audiences being large, and the leading people, as ever, genial, ap- support; but under the present state of "drudgery life." It was sufficient for preciative, and fully imbued with the things, few women are acknowledged to her to learn that her husband was a began to recognize some things, but spirit of freedom.

Mrs. A. H. H. Stuart, who, as Chairman of the Board of Immi- Encampments of our Order are required tion was over, and he, sick and dying, thought of before I left here, and that is, gration, has her hands and brain by constitutional law to provide sick went back to Ashland-to that "domes- it seems so small. The people have well occupied by work that well sub- benefits alike to all their members, and tic drudge," as you may call her, but to small farms, which produce good crops serves Territorial interests, drove us since the Order is steadily growing and whom I would give the holy name of of corn, which, together with pork, over the suburbs of the town and gave crystallizing under this regime, we feel wife. Then she ministered to his seems to be the staple product, so far us many a sparkling thought, as, in justified in saying that the practicabil- wants, and comforted him. He had no her quaint, terse way she chatted of the measure has been demonthings past, present, and prospective strated, public opinion to the contrary as you might say, a degenerate race of the strated prospect that somerelative to public and private interests. notwithstanding.

Went in the afternoon to "Swantown," Mrs. Dobbins, where, as we were for lady members both in fees and dues. vantages of an early education, who of our journey, and that was a terrific tion. Our genial friends spared no on equal terms. We wish to perform (as she should), all the pleasures and rest sufficiently restored us to enable us ments. We know that one dollar rep- subdued, bowed down with dissipation, to make a few calls on Wednesday, and resents as much of our time and labor and humbled in spirit, found her still some time, but we finally moved on to a visit on Thursday at Marshal Moss- as four times that amount does of theirs, ready to receive him. man's, where we found good Mrs. M. up but we also know that one dollar of our Examples such as these might be multo her eyes in work of every imaginable money will go no farther in sustaining tiplied, but it is useless. They all go to description-a help-meet in fact and the enterprises of the Order than that show that women should be content deed to a worthy husband who fully amount of theirs, and hence submit to with what they have, and not strive for appreciates her. This woman does the this hardship until the "good time things never intended for them. Now, housework, including washing and coming comes," when we shall be re- I do not put my opposition to the right embroidery, braiding, etc., for cus- viduals; when our right to invest our telligence. That is silly twaddle, and ing cards, which she sells at very low against the danger of want shall be uni- knows that women, as a class, are just prices, stamped to order in any kind of versally acknowledged and respected. as intelligent as men when they have type, upon tinted, plain, marbled, And does not an Order founded on the the same opportunities. A school go on to Ohio in a few days, from white, enameled, sensitive, or rep cards. eternal principles of right, and taking teacher will tell you that the girls in Yet, with all her capability, the mas- this advanced position before the world, his school are just as susceptible of culine ignoramus who grades her door- merit the support of all those who are receiving instructions in the solid couldn't be made to pay poll-tax or read the shoulders of the women of our land? say that a woman should not vote, bethe Constitution, is her political sover- Our husbands and brothers are appro- cause, if she did, she would have to eigh, while she is denied a voice in a priating means to insure themselves in work the roads, act as juryman, and their rightful possessors to satisfy the "NEITHER DOLLS NOR DUMMIES." leys, forests, rocks, and plains, with the government which she is taxed to organizations where we are not admit-

> getting along famously, as every good like provision for ourselves? I would things, and yet, we never urge that as suffragist ought. He has bought a not urge my sisters to join us in our an objection to their voting, so that is steam power-press, with engine and great mission and work, were I not fully no argument; but I place my objection fixtures complete, and, in connection satisfied that all the pure and good upon the broad, and only grounds suswith Brother Bagley, of the Courier, is would be more than pleased with its ceptible of argument-SHE IS A WOMAN! printing the Olympian, a sparkling teachings and work, and ultimately That's enough, is it not? because the Brother Cook is also busy with the us. Echo, which he says is progressing I do not wish to convey the impres-voting could have any such effect, but

Owing to severe illness, we were nita," bound for Portland and home.

May 23, 1876.

# YAMHILL COUNTY W. S. A.

A. J. D.

spirit of the occasion, and worked to bless the millions yet unborn ! make the meeting a success." Whatever suffragists are doing in other localities, those of Yambill are not asleep. We hope the "sovereigns" of that county will see to it that this portion of fully misrepresented in the Legislature as they were at the last session.

# PURCHASING DEPARTMENT.

Mrs. S. C. G.: Sent hat 22d. Mrs. G. A. H.: Sent bonnet 23d. Mrs. M. M. A.: Sent bracelets 23d.

Hattie: The polonaise is again in Mrs. N. M.: The plated ware you mention will cost from \$33 to \$40, owing

Miss C. A.: Can send you a pattern

# F. M. B., Salem: Note received, and order attended to.

Mrs. M. F. C., Lafayette: Please let we hope for good results.

Mrs. J. A. J., Salem: The article relachieve. Let the lords of creation take a lesson. the hospitable home of our good friend, NEW NORTHWEST of April 7th.

for obvious reasons, require, as a pre- garments for his negroes and rearing requisite to membership, that the candi- his children, not even manifesting any reached here on the 4th of May, after a date should have some visible means of objection to what you might term her pleasant trip by sea and rail. be thus fortunately situated.

with a lecture appointment out for the campments, in consideration of the The rest were lunatics and gamblers. evening which we were unable to fill. shameful inequality in men's and wom- The old statesman was filled with sor- come so frequent it is too common a en's wages, have in the kindness of row, disappointment, and grief, but that subject to write about, much less read. to the pleasant abode of good Mr. and their hearts discrimated in favor of their noble wife, who had never had the ad- I will mention, however, one incident several days an invalid, we were com- These Companions were doubtless actu- was never in society, who never as- thunder storm that took place on the pelled to lie by, that time might have ated by the kindest motives, yet I think pired higher than a helpmeet, who had night of April 29th, as we were going chance to repair the damages which it a mistaken policy. We, of couse, de- not been blessed with the companion- up Weber Cañon. The deafening peals constant mental and physical effort had sire equal privileges and equal benefits ship of her lord during their married of thunder and blinding flashes of lightwrought in an overburdened constitu- with our brothers, but wish them only life, who allowed him to enjoy alone, ning were enough to scare a Webfoot of pains to make our visit profitable and our parts fully, and each count as much pomp, gayety, and fashion of society, pleasant. Good nursing and plenty of as a brother in sustaining our Encamp- when he came back to her broken and ing like this deluge. A land slide ocironing, for a family of nine, teaches leased from the odious coverture and al- of woman to have an equal chance wax and feather-work, does stamping, lowed to stand before the world as indi- with man on the ground of want of intomers, and makes a speciality of visit- money in a way to insure ourselves can only catch fools; for every one

ted, for which I do not blame them; but that there are thousands of men in our Brother Murphy, of the Standard, is have not we an equal right to make

finely. The Transcript also flourishes siou that it is any part of the direct it is, as I said before, because she is a new; and, but for the greed of the land here, making three weekly and two work of the Order to promote the politdaily papers in a town scarcely large ical enfranchisement of women, for it is this reason is supported by the Bible, enough-judged by ordinary standards in no sense a political organization; but by St. Paul, by all the patriarchs of Baker and the base of Olympus in a -to support one weekly. But the I do assert that our laws and usages old, by the common law, and by every Olympians are great readers, and they fully recognize the principle that the man who has been educated up to the fully understand the power of printers' one sex is entitled to precisely the same standard of feeling his superiority berights as the other.

When we consider the full scope and and short of it. wholly unable to canvass for subscrib- character of the Order in question, we ers, and were glad indeed when we could not expect nor desire for it a rapid were so far recovered as to be able to growth; but we do expect—and have anything about his business? What take stage for Tenino, and there take seen it demonstrated—that it will take right has she to know anything of his Morristown, N. J., on the 21st. The train for Kalama, at which place we a firm and permanent hold upon the afwent aboard the elegant steamer "Bo- fections of those who desire the welfare subordinate condition that she will not birds on the wing. Plate glass was shatof their race, and we believe that the day is not far distant when its boundaries will encircle the civilized world.

Then, brothers and sisters, take courage! You who have stood up so faith-Concerning the recent session of this fully for the Order amid the thousand are engaged in by women for homes, organization at McMinuville, Mrs. Ann obstacles we have had to encounter, de-M. Mastin, Corresponding Secretary, serve a nobler name than the victor in writes: "Our meeting at McMinnville a hundred battles, for the organization was a decided success. It was as inter- you have so persistently labored to plant lead to. They will be independent and esting a meeting as I ever attended. and sustain, will, we trust, live and pros-Every one seemed to enter into the per after your work is finished—live to before entering into a marriage, unless

Portland, May 22, 1876.

# LIBERAL CONVENTION.

The Liberals and Free Thinkers of the citizens thereof will not be so shame- Oregon and Washington Territory are requested to meet in Convention at Portland, Oregon, July 5, 1876, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the rooms of the Liberal Association, for the purpose of perfecting a general organization of the this matter. Look at the trouble and urge action on the Chinese question by Liberals and Free Thinkers throughout expense it is now to get rid of a woman the country, and for such other business you don't want. Look at the hundreds fore the House committee on foreign afas may properly come before such Con- and thousands of dollars that are squanvention. It is hoped every community will strive to be represented.

By order of the Liberal Association of Portland, Oregon. J. B. GARRISON. H. B. NICHOLAS, President.

Secretary.

The editor of the Eastern Oregon for the full suit for \$1. Patterns of all Tribune recites, in pathetic terms, the her off when she got old and did not has an undoubted right to do, is yet so Townsend, for here comes the "North Pa-kinds range from 30 to 50 and 75 cents impositions practiced upon a "copper-suit him? He was the man—the head in the Treasury Department, investigations and as hindle received upon a "copper-suit him?" He was the man—the head in the Treasury Department, investigations practiced upon a "copper-suit him?" He was the man—the head in the Treasury Department, investigations practiced upon a "copper-suit him." colored sister" by her lazy lord, and af- of the family. All the property be- ing the bureau of captured and abanter suggesting blood-curdling punish- longed to him, and she had no right to doned property, is of the opinion that ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS, ments, calls upon us to come up to her kick up such a rumpus because he Bristow's course has been entirely cordefense. Inasmuch as this particular wanted to enjoy the rest of his life, rect, but in the administration of his field of literature seems especially Now, you see if your doctrine was predecessors, Richardson and Boutwell adapted to Brother Abbott's brilliant carried out, that woman would have and McCulloch-especially the latterrhetorical powers, we decline to inter- had an equal chance and interest with the committee finds an inexhaustible us know if the package sent per steamer fere, though we don't doubt that the him-been a copartner! and see what fund of evidence of the most startling "Beaver" was received by you. If so, aborigine could appreciate and understand logic quite as well as some editors perhaps good enough in her day. She plained deficit of over \$6,000,000. Sixtywe wot of.

imously expelled.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS---NO. 3.

BY BILLY BUSTER.

One more example of my idea of secret Order that has ever attempted to Presidential parlors. How generous he confer its benefits equally upon its ever was to the poor! How profuse in heart was toiling, economizing, wear-Orders composed exclusively of men, ing Kentucky jean, cutting and making looked around me on our arrival at what Yet I am proud to say that all the appeared when his gay dream of ambi-On Sunday we awoke seriously ill, In this jurisdiction, some of the En- at Buena Vista-giving any promise.

> modesty, or corrupt her. I don't think woman, and for no other reason; and cause he is a man. That is the long

"hen-pecked" if he lets his wife know Cameron as Secretary of War. that is that it is estimated that nine- were found. tenths of the marriages, fashionable or otherwise, that are now entered into. port. Now, just give them an equal show with men, and see what It will prompted by love. They would no longer marry for convenience. See what that would lead to. Why, many men would not be able to get wives to do their cooking, scrub their houses, and wash and iron their linen. That would be terrible, and would overthrow our present system entirely.

Now, in conclusion, allow me to say that we have already gone too far with ugly, or he has struck a lead and be-Mrs. Victor in her essay published by rivals number not less than 2,000 per you a few weeks ago. Why should not month, and that the State is, in fact, her husband have had the right to turn rapidly becoming China's Botany Bay. days in luxury, and be reputed to have plain what he did with the money.

a beautiful young wife, with an occasional newspaper notice like "Mr. -with his beautiful and accomplished lady, arrived this morning, and stops at the Palace Hotel." Now, would not that be gratifying, and look well in print? And why should an old woman play smash with all his fine hopes? Stop, I beseech you, and don't advocate your pernicious doctrine any more: "for it can't be did." We propose to hold on to our rights as we have them now, and not advance a single step in your proposition of "emaucipation of women."

Portland, May 19, 1876.

#### LETTER FROM IOWA.

Persons who, after the lapse of a quarwas once my home, in Iowa, We

After looking around me a while, I great man. How noble that woman there is still a strange peculiarity about

beings, only one-young Harry, killed been written with a prospect that somebody would be interested in reading it, but since travel back and forth has be-27 years standing out of his wits. Then the rain-it rains in Oregon, but nothcurred, which delayed our train for Laramie Station, a place of about 2,500 inhabitants. It was a melancholy time for some of them, as they had just buried eight of their citizens, who had been killed by the Indians.

For the encouragement of the farmers in Oregon I will say that that is not the only country visited by late rains and upseasonable frosts, for here it is still raining, and yesterday it snowed. There is as yet no corn planted nor gardens made, and but little plowing done. The roads are almost impassable. We will whence I will probably write you again.

Given, Iowa, May 5, 1876.

### RECENT EVENTS.

G. W. B.

A fire at Green River, Wyoming, on the 20th, destroyed about \$7,000 worth of property.

Daniel Drew is in a critical state of health, with small prospects of im-

Snow fell in Powder River Valley on Monday and Tuesday of last week to

the depth of seven inches. Ben Holladay's property at his West Chester county (N. Y.) farm was sold at daily, well filled with choice readables. reap great benefit from the alliance with act of voting would deprive her of her sheriff's sale on the 19th, to satisfy judg-

> Charles Francis Adams has been selected by the Centennial Committee of New York City for orator on the Fourth of July, 1876.

> From 25,000 to 35,000 persons were within the Centennial Grounds on last Monday. The paying visitors on Saturday numbered 18,182.

The Senate on the 22d confirmed the nomination of Pierrepont as Minister to Don't you know that a man is called England, Taft as Attorney-General, and

A hail-storm of great fury passed over affairs? She must be kept in such a hall-stones killed chickens and many even inquire. There is another thing tered as easily as common glass. Some which I think to be of some force, and hail-stones 67 inches in circumference

> The funerals of the murdered consuls \* took place at Salonica on the 19th with great ceremony, and in a manner satisfactory to every one. Perfect order was preserved. A Paris dispatch says it is expected that the widows of the consuls will each receive two hundred thousand dollars indemnity.

Mitchell has submitted a resolution instructing the committee on commerce to inquire into the extent and condition of the salmon fisheries on the Columbia River in Oregon and Washington Territory and report a bill for the regulation of such fisheries and protection of artificial hatching in said river; adopted.

Frank M. Pixley, one of the delegation appointed by San Francisco to the Federal Government, appeared bedered in courts by men who are trying man Piper, and presented an argument to get rid of women that they no longer on the subject. Among other things, like. Perhaps she has grown old and he stated that there were 60,000 Chinese in California, of the lowest class of Coocome rich, like the example given by lies, Mongolian criminals; that the ar-

The sub-committee on expenditures served his purpose when he needed a seven thousand dollars are charged helpmeet, but when he became rich he against S. H. Kaufraun, who was at At the meeting of Plymouth Church could live without a helpmeet, and no that time clerk in charge of attorney's on the 18th, Henry C. Bowen was unan- doubt desired to spend the rest of his account, and will be called upon to ex-