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C. P. Allen of Pomeroy, is the first man we have ever heard of opposed to an open Columbia river. He does so in the Independent of the 2d. We extract one one paragraph of his argument. He says: "Now suppose the river is open for practical navigation and gets its share of the traffic; then we can see the williamy of the atrocious scheme. For example, we will say that the river robs the railroads of one-fourth of their freights; that it is easy to see the roads would have to add one-third to the present exorbitant rates, to realize the profits they now enjoy. Thus forever preventing the legislature from reducing rates to the level it would be possible, without an open river. If you believe in a republican form of government, if you are loyal to the true principles of democracy, let us have no side-tracking of vital issues; for we propose to reduce freights without bankrupting the roads, and without appropriating millions of dollars of the producers money to open a public highway for incorporated capital to monopolize."

The 10,000,000 silver coins which it is proposed that the government shall issue for the world's fair will have the weight and fineness of the present half-dollars, and although their face value will be \$5,000,000 the cost of them to the government will not exceed \$2,500,000. The most objectionable feature of the proposition is that it authorizes the secretary of the treasury to purchase American silver bullion in addition to the present monthly purchases to an amount sufficient to enable him to comply with the terms of the act, and the sum of \$4,000,000 is appropriated for the purpose. As the government has on hand nearly \$15,000,000 fractional silver coin, most of it, we believe, in the form of half-dollars, and as this uncurrent coin has for years been an incubus on the treasury, the purchase of silver bullion for the world's fair tokens would be sheer waste of money. If the issue of the tokens is decided upon the recoinage of uncurrent fractional silver is the best and, indeed the only rational way of obtaining the metal for the new pieces.

Postmaster General Wanamaker has issued another advertisement for bids under the act of March 3, 1891, which provides for an increased ocean mail service between the United States and foreign countries, with a view to the increase of commerce. It is known that several steamship companies which did not bid for service under the first advertisement are ready to do so under this one. Bid are asked for all of the routes for which contracts were not let under the first advertisement, including that from San Francisco to Hong Kong.

Baron Fava has returned, and all is smooth again between America and Italy, as it should be in this memorial year. In the meantime the Mafia is apparently extinct, and both countries can find matter for mutual congratulations in that. The Baron announces that he brings back no animosity against this country. His wrath and that of his countrymen has gone down in a fine Italian sunset. It is astonishing how much international harmony can be had for the small sum of \$20,000.

Carnegie having acquired more millions than he can expend has become ambitious to enter into politics for himself. That he hasn't been engaged in political work exclusively for his pocket will be news to the people.

Secretary Foster has sent the house a letter asking that \$10,000 be added to the \$50,000 heretofore appropriated for the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion act during the next fiscal year.

In sending contributions to the starving peasantry of Russia it should not be forgotten that the flood sufferers of the Mississippi valley are destitute and in need.

SOME BRAVE WOMEN.

PLUCKY FEMALES WHO COMPARE FAVORABLY WITH MEN.

Mrs. Anna Kimball's Daring Feat of Riding Before a Herd of Stamping Cattle to Save a Man's Life—Miss Millard and Her Claim That Didn't Stay "Jumped."

There was a heroine of the cattle trail whose name was at one time, back in the seventies, heard in every camp from the Cimarron to the Brazos. Anna Kimball she was named, and she was the wife of a camp manager, one of those characters who took care of the tents, the cooking and the baggage of the cowboys when a great herd was on its travels from the southern ranges to the northern feeding grounds. One day, when a herd of 6,000 cattle was camped near the Salt Fork of the Arkansas, in the Indian Territory, she was left alone in camp while the cattle were feeding near by. Suddenly, from some cause never to be explained in a case like that, the herd lifted its thousands of heads and following a few excitable leaders started on a stampede. Such a rush is death to any one in its path, and Mrs. Kimball anxiously looked over the prairie to the north, whither the herd was tending. A few hundred yards ahead of the bellowing beasts there was a white hat showing against the green of the plain. It was one of the herders who had dismounted, and his pony had deserted him. He was directly in the path of the oncoming avalanche of beef. The animals, blinded with their panic, would trample him into the earth without a pause.

Only a moment remained for action. The woman was the only one near the front of the herd. Leaping upon a pony she lashed it forward, passing one rank after another, until she was ahead of the herd, when she dashed directly in their way. Should her horse stumble she, too, would be lost. But the horse did not stumble and Mrs. Kimball came nearer and nearer the man now racing at his best pace toward her. At last, when the thundering host was not more than three rods behind, she leaped from the saddle and lifting with her suddenly strengthened arm the herder by the waist, she threw him across the neck of her pony and went racing on until they were without the range of the cattle.

It was a deed which few men could have accomplished, and the handsome watch presented her by the men at the end of the drive proved that, hardened as they were, they recognized a brave act.

A PRAIRIE HEROINE. Among the heroines of the prairie there must not be omitted some of the women who have taken up claims and defended their rights against all comers. Several instances of this kind of bravery have gained state wide notoriety, and justly so. They endured hardships and took chances which entitled them not alone to 160 acres of land, but to the best wishes of the whole state in which their lot was cast.

A Miss Millard took up a claim near the Kansas and Nebraska line, far out on the plain. She had been a school teacher in Illinois and became weary of the drudgery of her position. She selected a handsome quarter section and proceeded to make a homestead entry and to reside on it the required six months. She had been on the claim but a few weeks when one day she noticed two rough looking men near the little cabin in which she lived. She watched them until they had withdrawn to some distance, and saw them point to the quarter section eagerly, as if discussing its possibilities. The next day she was compelled to ride to the county postoffice, five miles away, and she took care to take her shotgun with her. On her return she found that her claim had been "jumped"—that is, the men had taken possession of her cabin and proposed to treat her as an intruder. As she came near they motioned her to keep away, but she did not heed them, and suddenly bringing her gun to her shoulder she discharged a load of shot into the side of the cabin.

The men were probably unarmed, for they did not stop to dispute possession at that time, and vacating the house ran out to the prairie. The girl took the horse, pleased with her easy victory, but she reckoned without her host, for a few moments later she saw smoke curling up from the grass a few rods away. They had begun to light the prairie fire and would burn her out.

FIGHTING TWO MEN. Determined to have a taste of revenge first, the girl drew from his hiding place a loaded rifle, which she also kept by her, and sent a ball so close to the deprecators that one of them had an arm shattered. Then she took a wet bedquilt, and running out to meet the fire, pounded it along a strip as wide as the cabin. There was a high wind, and the flames swept by on either side, uniting again at a little distance, leaving a V shaped piece of sod, at the base of which stood the cabin. The men had all they could do to care of the wounded arm, and when the smoke cleared away the plucky little ex-school teacher saw them still out on the prairie.

Now that the danger to herself was over, pity came to the surface and she went out and helped to bind up the stranger's arm, sending him off with her own pony to the doctor's. Somewhat to her surprise, as she afterward confessed, the pony was returned to her in safety and she was never again troubled with claim jumpers. She owns now her claim and considerable stock.

Her deed was not an exceptional one for a settler. Many a man and woman had to fight for the land they now possess; but it was remarkable in that the girl tempered her revenge with mercy, and showed herself more than the equal of two men.—Kansas Cor. St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The wild boy of Hanover, found in the last century, ran on all fours, ate nothing but roots and nuts and was without speech.

Rheumatism Cured in Three Days.

Miss Grace Littlejohn is a little girl, aged eleven years, residing in Baltimore, Ohio. Read what she says: "I was troubled with rheumatism for two years, but could get nothing to do me any good. I was so helpless that I had to be carried like a babe when I was advised to get a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I got it from our druggists, Mr. J. A. Kumber, and in three days I was up and walking around. I have not felt any return of it since and my limbs are limber as they ever were." 50 cent bottles for sale by Blakeley & Houghton, druggists. d&w

Dissolution Notice. The partnership heretofore existing between E. B. McFarland, S. French, G. V. Bolton and Wilbur Bolton, under the name and style of W. Bolton & Co., Antelope, Oregon, was dissolved on the 21st day of March, 1892.

E. B. MCFARLAND, S. FRENCH, G. V. BOLTON, WILBUR BOLTON.

Dissolution Notice. The partnership heretofore existing between E. B. McFarland, S. French and C. J. Vanduy, under the name and style of VanDuy & Co., Tygh Valley, Oregon, was dissolved on the 1st day of May, 1892, by limitation and mutual consent.

E. B. MCFARLAND, S. FRENCH, C. J. VANDUY.

Dissolution Notice. The partnership heretofore existing between E. B. McFarland, S. French and E. C. Pease, under the name and style of McFarland & French, was on the 11th day of April, 1892, dissolved by limitation and mutual consent.

E. B. MCFARLAND, S. FRENCH, E. C. PEASE.

NOTICE. Parties holding claims against W. S. Cram are notified to present them to him at once, at the Columbia Candy Factory, and all those indebted are requested to settle at the same place, as I have sold out my business and want to close up my accounts. Respectfully, W. S. CRAM. 4-6dw4w

NEW TO-DAY.

TO THE PUBLIC.—It having come to our knowledge that a party in The Dalles in selling lime has made the assertion that he charges more for other brands than the "Oregon" because they are better, thereby implying that the "Oregon" is an inferior article, we desire to state that the "Oregon" is the strongest lime on the market; that it will work more plastic and leave the work when set stronger and firmer than any other lime at present manufactured in either Oregon or Washington. Wm. Butler & Co., Agents at The Dalles for the "Oregon" lime, are instructed to furnish, free of charge, any and all Oregon lime, which does not fully come up to the stipulations above set forth. The object of this notice is solely to defend our goods against the false imputations and statements of any person whatsoever. The Or. Marble and Lime Company, by T. F. OSBORN, General Agt. 5-24dw1m

FOR SALE. Or trade, cheap, band of range horses, consisting of yearlings, two-year olds and mares. For information apply to C. F. STEPHENS, 5-3dlm 134 Second St. THE DALLES, OR.

WANTED. One or more Bluff, in exchange for Work Horses, or Brood mares. Apply to HUGH GOURLAY, Chronicle office, The Dalles. 5-24f

FOR SALE. One of the finest stock farms in Crook county; 1100 acres deeded land; abundance of water; good grass range capable of handling 10,000 sheep; 300 acres under irrigation. Two good dwellings and out buildings. Price, \$8,000; half in stock, horses, cattle or sheep. For further particulars apply to HUGH GOURLAY, Chronicle office, The Dalles. 6-24f

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J. FOLCO, DEALER IN FRUITS, NUTS, CANDLES, TOBACCO, AND FINE CIGARS. The water used in my Soda Fountain is filtered, and is guaranteed germ proof.

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Having over 1000 tons of ice on hand, we are now prepared to receive orders wholesale or retail, to be delivered through the summer. Parties contracting with us will be carried through the entire season WITHOUT ADVANCE IN PRICE, and may depend that we have nothing but PURE, HEALTHFUL ICE Cut from mountain water; no slough or slush ponds. Leave orders at the Columbia Candy Factory, 104 Second street, or Ice Wagon. W. S. CRAM, Manager.

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Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Etc. All kinds of repairing a specialty, and all work guaranteed and promptly attended to. Call and see his stock of clocks before you leave an order elsewhere.

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NOTICE. All Dalles City warrants registered prior to September 1, 1890, will be paid if presented at my office. Interest ceases from and after this date. Dated February 8th, 1892. O. KINERLY, Treas. Dalles City.

Ewes and Lambs for Sale. I have 1,400 ewes and lambs for sale cheap. Call upon or address B. S. Kelsey, Kent, Sherman county, Oregon. 4-23-1md&w

The Latch String is Always Out! Spring and Summer, SEASON 1892. "But words are things, and a small drop of ink, falling like dew, upon a thought, produces that which makes thousands, perhaps millions, think." WE TRUST TO INTEREST AND DO YOU GOOD.

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