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FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1888.

MRS. MERIWETHER'S ADDRESS.

The New York Star awards praise to Mrs. Mary Meriwether, "the courageous and distinguished woman, who had the pluck to appear before the national convention in St. Louis and demand a hearing for her sex." It was a tremendous thing for a woman to do. Mrs. Meriwether's pluck stands out more boldly because her companion, Mrs. Minor, had not sufficient courage to mount the platform and face the multitude. She gained the ear of the convention by a petition read to that body from the woman's convention, recently held in Washington, stating that two of its members had been appointed to make a short talk, (not to exceed ten minutes,) to the assembled democracy on behalf of the women of America. Permission being granted, Mrs. Meriwether appeared and made her plea. "Time and again," said she, "have the women of this country appeared before your legislative bodies and your great political conventions, asking that the practice of this government be made to conform with its principles. The basic principles, the very foundation stones on which this government rests, are equal rights."

She asked how equal rights could prevail when one-half the people of this republic live in precisely the same political bondage their grandmothers lived in under the monarchs of England, before the colonies rebelled and seceded from the British empire. If the conditions then existing were slavery for the men, they are, by the same token, slavery for the women now. As deputy for the Missouri Woman Suffrage society, she asked recognition of the great principles before invoked, and the pledge of the democratic party to procure such an amendment to the constitution as will give to women equal civil and political rights with men. She cited the glory that attached to the republican party for giving freedom to 4,000,000 negro slaves; but "how much more glorious a crown will that party win," she asked with glowing rhetoric, "that shall achieve the freedom of the educated Christian women of this country?"

Then, with caustic logic, the lady asked, in the event this petition should be rejected, that a platform of principles be adopted conformable with their social and political practices. As a preamble she suggested a declaration be made that all history proves that education unfits a human being for a subject condition; that for the last half century the mistake has been made of opening the schools and colleges of the land to female scholars thus expanding their thoughts and increasing their dissatisfaction. She asked the adoption of a resolution.

That we, the democratic men of America, in convention assembled, advise and urge the legislature of every state to enact such laws as will forever put a stop to the education in this land * * of the female children, and we advise and urge that it be made a penal offense punishable with fine and imprisonment, to teach any girl her letters, and that any woman convicted of reading a newspaper or book, or of entering lecture halls, be severely punished by law.

This political badinage was not suited to tastes of Mrs. Meriwether's stolid hearers, and it is painful to report that considerable disorder prevailed, which was reproved by the chair as gross discourtesy. The appeal was lost, however, as the platform shortly afterwards adopted by the convention made no reference to woman suffrage. The ladies will have to try again.

The prisoners who escaped from the Jacksonville jail last week and were recaptured, have "fell out" of that building again.

Belle Parker, an Astoria courtesan, while drunk, tried to suicide by stabbing herself.

BOTH SIDES OF THE ACCOUNT.

Robinson Crusoe when he wearied of his long seclusion on that island, would seek to brace up his spirits by keeping a debtor and creditor account of his relations with the outside world. In the debtor account he entered such items as boss of the whole estate, none to quarrel with, plenty of stores laid away, no saloons to tempt his virtue, time and opportunity for reflection, and numerous other advantages.

So the citizen of Oregon when he contrasts his fate with that of others in the more eastern states, can set down such entries as these: Invigorating sea breezes, cool summers, mild winters, unfailing crops, the world our market by railroads, by inland rivers, by ocean steamers, by sailing vessels from every shore, the finest scenery on the continent, the purest water, good schools, good churches, moral communities, a broad-minded, hospitable people, peace on our streets and in our homes, plenty of room and a welcome for all.

Our shipwrecked mariner would sometimes feel a little moody and life would assume a sterner hue. Then he would have recourse to the credit account, and give himself creditor for these experiences: Cast away and in solitary banishment, no mail service, and no daily newspaper, no pretty girls to spark and no Chinamen to clean out my cabin, clothes heavy and unfashionable and no new stocks coming in, growing old and rheumatic, and if I should die—then what?

The negative side of existence will present itself to the Oregonian's mind once in awhile, and let us see what sort of an account it makes up: No cyclones, no grasshoppers, no blizzards, no drouths, no floods, no lightning, no chinch bugs, no failures of grainfield or orchard, no sunstrokes, no mad dogs, no epidemics, no defaulting bank checks.

Tried by both rules this country stands the test, and the only influence we can draw is, it's a good place to stay in.

A Valuable object lesson.

The unexpected dry season which has a grievous shortening of crops in the San Joaquin Valley has a compensating feature. It will give an impulse to the irrigation movement that will be of lasting benefet. In traveling through the valley one cannot fail to be forcibly struck by the contrast between the irrigated districts and the general appearance of the country. Where irrigation has been practiced the land is a wealth of bounteous and refreshing verdure. The orchards, vineyards and alfalfa and grain fields give promise of marvelous yields; evidences of thrift, business activity and prosperity are seen on every side. Where irrigatisn has not been practiced the fields are parched and the crops stunted and withered; there is a mournful air of stagnation in business, and a universal complaint of hard times. The encouraging feature of it all is the general expression in favor of irrigation. The interest in this most necessary form of public improvement is stimulated and given more active and general popularity by the misfortune of two dry seasons in succession. The valley is a marvel of fertility and versatility, and the only thing necessary to effect its transformation into a vast garden, where crops will never fail and hard times never enter, is a comprehensive system of irrigation. The comparison between the irrigated districts of Fresno and Tulare counties and the scorched and desolate fields of Merced and Stanislaus, furnishes an object lesson which cannot fail to impress itself deeply. Within her own borders Merced has a comparison strikingly suggestive. Wherever the lands have been watered from the new Crocker Canal, prosperity and abundance are seen, while adjacent lands show only blasted crops and ruined hopes.

A CORRESPONDENT in Kansas, who evidently is in the real estate business, writes as follows: "We have several parties who would like to trade good property here—both farm land and city lots—for farm or city property in Oregon. Would be glad if you could put me on track of something for which we could trade." Should be delighted to accommodate the gentleman, but property holders here are not trading for Kansas lands just now.

Exchange of Property.

Fred Hurst of Lincoln has sold his mill property to Dr. Chase of this city and bought the doctor's city property. He will give possession about August 1st.

Made Full Citizens.

Bernard and Conrad Lang, brothers and Swiss, were made full citizens of the United States in the circuit court to-day.

NEW TO-DAY.

Proposals for Supplies

The board of trustees of the Oregon State Insane Asylum hereby invite sealed proposals for furnishing at the asylum near Salem, Oregon, the following supplies for six months, commencing July 1, 1888:

GROCERIES.

2000 lbs Liverpool salt, fine.
2000 " Soap, Kirk's saxon.
100 " Sago.
600 " Dried peaches, machine dried.
400 " Mackerel, No. 1, extra mess.
720 " Tea, U. S. brand, Pouchong.
800 " Tobacco, Rapidan brand.
144 " Gloss starch, (Firmenich Mf'g. Co.)
300 " Corn Starch, (Oswego.)
300 " Soda crackers, extra fresh.
300 " Raisins, California Layers.
160 " Germea, Sperry's new process.
10000 " Sugar, 7000 lbs Golden C, 3000 lbs Granulated.
300 " Cheese, Cranston's, or as good.
1300 " Corn meal.
1200 " Rolled oats.
1300 " Coarse hominy.
250 " Dried currants.
50 " Cocoa.
168 " Carb. soda, Church & Co., A & A brand.
100 " White castile soap, Conti.
100 " Tapioca.
12 doz. Brooms, No. 1 extra shield.
14 " Cans oysters, blue points, 2 lb.
12 " Playing cards, Beaver brand.
2 " Qts. Worcestershire sauce, Lee & Perrin.
1 " Qts. Olive oil.
900 gal. Syrup, extra golden, American refined.
300 " Cider vinegar, 40 gr. pure.
100 " Coal oil, 50 gallon tanks Pearl brand.
100 " Molasses, Orleans extra.
2 12 gal wooden bowls, round.
25 gross matches, Metropolitan & Com. Co.
2 doz. whisk brooms, 2 string, velvet top.
6 " Concentrated lye.
½ " Turkey dusters, 14 inch.

COFFEE.

1000 lbs. Costa Rica, 1st grade.
125 " Government Java.
64 " Real Mocha.
400 Chicory.

SPICES.

154 lbs. Black pepper.
30 " Mace.
60 " Cinnamon.
50 " Ginger.
30 " Allspice.
30 " Mustard.
30 " Cloves. All standard ground.

PLUMBING.

1½ doz Jenkins valves, 3 1½ inch, 6 1¼ inch, 3 5-8 inch, 6 ¼ inch.
1 3½ pressure reducing valve.
1 doz ¾ compression hose bib.
3 " Elbows, ½ doz 2 inch, 2 doz ¾ inch, ½ doz ¼ inch.
1½ doz Tees, ½ doz 2 inch, 1 doz ¾ inch.
1½ " Sockets, ½ doz 1½ inch, 1 doz ¾ inch
1½ " Plugs, 1 doz 3-8 inch, ½ doz ¼ inch.
50 feet 1 inch galvanized iron pipe.
100 lbs sheet lead.
15 " Solder.
6 200 lb pressure gauges, 6 inch face.

DRY GOODS.

78 gross buttons, 10 dress, 48 shirt, 10 coat, 10 pants, ½ each size.
1 gross pins, American.
175 lbs Oregon yarn, all wool, 150 lbs white, 25 lbs blue.
24 cards hooks and eyes.
600 yds Canton flannel, Nashua XX.
250 " Toweling, bleached, 16 inch.
500 " Marseilles, York Mf'g Co., checks.
225 " Brown Denims, Amoskeag, 9 oz.
200 " Lonsdale fine sheeting, 36 inch.
200 " Cabot A, Dwight Mf'g Co
800 " Mariner st ipes, Amoskeag.
400 " Pequot sheeting, heavy (A) 36 inch.
600 " " " 45 inch.
45 " Canvas duck, 8 oz, white
200 " Check Flannel, Continental.

HARDWARE.

1 nail puller.
17 doz table knives, iron handles.
9 " Table forks, iron handles.
12 " Iron table spoons, tin plated.
¼ " Dinner bells.
8 gross screws, 2 gr 2½ No. 14, 2 gr 1¾ No 12, 2 gr 1½ No 10, 2 gr ¾ No 7.
3 packages wagon bolt: 1, 3-8x2½; 1, 3-8x3 1, 3-8x3½.
100 feet bar iron Norway, 30 ft ¼x1¼; 30 ft ¼x1; 40 ft 3-8x1¼.
150 feet round iron, Norway, 50 ft 3-8; 50 ft 5-16, 50 ft 7-16.
1 blacksmith's vise, Peter Wright patent, 5 inch jaw.
1 Saxter S wrench, 8 inch.
1 Pr Bellhangers players, 6 inches long.
1 " Nippers No 4.
5 doz packages tacks, 1, 6 oz; 2, 8 oz; 2, 12 oz
1 rachet drill, 12 inch handle.
1 hand saw, 'H Disson, quality No 12, 8 tooth.

PAINTS.

10 gallons boiled linseed oil.
50 lbs Pioneer white lead.
10 gallons turpentine.

STATIONERY.

1 box stub pens, C C and Welch.
4 " 404 pens, Gillott's.
1 " London Incandescent Pen Co No 4.
6 reams letter paper, Live Oak.
3 qts ink, 2 qts Arnold's 1 qt Stafford's.
8 doz lead pencils, Faber Nos 2 and 3.
3 " lead pencils, Star tablet No 2
6 " Payson's indelible ink.

CROCKERY.

24 doz tea cups without handles, w g.
24 " Saucers, w g.
24 " Soup plates, 7 inch, w g.
18 " Dinner plates, 7 inch, w g.
8 " 1 gallon pitchers, w g.
6 " Pie plates, w g.
12 " qt bowls, w g.
12 " Glass tumblers.
6 " Vegetable dishes, 10 inch w g.
4 " Syrup pitchers, glass.
8 " Salt cellars, glass.
3 " Pepper boxes, glass.
½ " Wash pitchers, w g.
½ " 3 gallon jugs, earthen.
2 " Meat platters, 10 inch, w g.
7 " Sauce dishes, 5 inch, w g.
6 " Individual creamers.

FLOUR.

300 to 400 barrels flour, best. roller process, to be delivered as required.

SHOES AND LEATHER.

9 doz ladies' shoes; 24 pairs No 7, 24 pairs No 6, 36 pairs No 3, 12 pairs No 4; 12 pairs No 3 light.
9 gross shoe laces, 4-4.
6 doz shoe blacking.
5 " Pairs men's heavy shoes, 8 to 12.
4 " Pairs ladies' carpet slippers; 24 24 " Pairs 6, pairs 7.
3 doz pairs boots; 6 pairs 8, 6 pairs 7, 12 pairs 9, 6 pairs 10, 6 pairs 11.
1 side harness leather, heavy California, extra good.
4 sides sole leather, 24 lbs each.
1 lb shoe thread, No 4.
6 bottles leather cement, Cook's S F, Cal.
11 lbs brass nails; 5 lbs ¼, 4 lbs ½, 2 lbs ⅝.
7 lbs hed nails; 5 lbs ½, 2 lbs ⅝.
2 doz pairs leather slippers, No 7.

TINWARE.

12 doz pint cups.
¼ " Dish pans, 10 gallon, XXXX tin.
¼ " 1 qt dippers.
¼ " Slop buckets.
¼ " Syrup cans.
¼ " Crumb pans.
¼ " 1 gallon granite iron pitchers.
½ " Flat skimmers, 5 inch.
½ " Ladles, 4 to 7 inches.
1 Granite iron stew pan, 12 qts.
1 Porcelain kettle, 8 qts.
9 Granite iron pans, 3 8 gallon; 112 gallon.

MEATS.

500 lbs per day, more or less, of beef and mutton, as required, in equal parts of fore and hind quarters.

DRUGS.

5 lbs aqua ammonia, conc.
1 " Solution of iron for tincture.
1 " Fl Ext aconite root, Squibbs.
¼ " " colchicum seeds, Squibbs.
¼ " " " root, Squibbs.
1 " " nux vomica, Squibbs.
1 " arnica flowers, P D & Co.
1 " blood root, P D & Co.
1 " buchu leaves, P D & Co.
1 " red cinchona, P D & Co.
1 " quassia, P D & Co.
2 " liquorice root, P D & Co.
1 " mamas, P D & Co.
1 " squills, P D & Co.
2 " sarsaparilla comp. for syrup, P D & Co.
1 " muriatic acid, C P.
5 " muriatic acid, Com.
1 " salicylic acid.
2 " Brom ammonia.
1 " Carb ammonia.
1 " muriate ammonia.
2 " corrosive sublimate.
3 " bicarb soda.
2 " brom soda.
2 " salicylate soda.
3 " brom potash.
¼ " caustic potash.
¼ " bichromate potash.
4 oz resub iodine.
2 " iodoform.
¼ " sulph morphine, P & W.
¼ " sulph quinine, P & W.
¼ " sulph strychnine.
1 " solid extract ergot, Squibbs.
3 lbs subnit bismuth, Squibbs.
1 " powd acacia
3 " powd aloes, soc.
3 " powd colombo root.
½ " powd ext liquorice.
2 " gum camphor.
1 " gum benzoin.
¼ " gum catechu.
2 " wild cherry bark, ground.
1 " catech berries.
5 " sulphur flowers.
25 " epsom salts.
25 " ground flax seed.
2 " saech pepsin, Scheffer's.
2 " vanilla beans, Mexican.
5 " vaselin.
1 " powd ginger.
1 " powd gentian.
4 oz lycopodium.
oz antipyrin.
oz pills, aloin comp.
1 lb " C C gel coated, P D & Co.
1 lb pill C C sugar coated, P D & Co.
10 gal Eastern alcohol.
5 " best O K Cutter whisky.
5 " grape brandy.
5 " port wine.
3 " sherry wine.
3 " glycerine.
3 " Castor oil, Baker's A A.
3 " best Norwegian Cod Liver oil.
1 " olive oil, genuine.
1 gross pill boxes, No. 30.
500 each No. 1, 2, 3 and 4 empty capsules.
2 oz oil lavender.
2 oz oil rosemary.
1 only 2 dram graduate.
1 only 4 oz porcelain caserole, with handle.
1 only quart percolator, glass.
1 each sieves No. 20 and 40.
1 set 30 grain suppository moulds in tin frame.
¼ gross 2 oz bottles.
½ gross 4 oz bottles.
½ gross 6 oz bottles.
1-6 gross 8 oz bottles.
5 bbls sal soda.
12 lbs Japan wax, white.
2 lbs large carriage sponges, sheep's wool.
1 lb sulph ether.
2 doz strengthening plasters, S & J.
½ doz clinical thermometers, Lensfront, tested.
2 lbs F E colombo root, P D & Co.

Samples may be seen at the office of the board of trustees, and goods must be in accordance therewith.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Delivery of supplies will be required within ten days notice of acceptance of bid. A copy of this advertisement must accompany each bid. The name of the class of supplies bid upon must be written on the envelop. Each bid must include all the items in the special class bid upon, and must give the items and totals in full, with exception of bid on meat. Auditing officers are prohibited by law from confirming accounts of purchases when advertisement does not contain a full and complete description of the kind of articles to be purchased.

Bids will be considered at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, July 3, 1888.

SYLVESTER PENNOYER,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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—132 State Street,—

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PROF. H. DIAMOND,

Teacher of Music

And dealer in all kinds of Musical Instruments. Office, 206 Commercial street. Instruments sold on the instalment plan.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE CAPITOL ADVENTURE CO.

Attention to what we will Mention!

Know All, by these presents: That the Capitol Adventure Co. neither slumbers nor sleeps, but are awake and up to the times, and know well that owing to the depression of business in the East there will be many failures. Now we want to be ready to capture any bargains that may be offered on account of such failures, and to do this it will be necessary for us to be on hand in New York and Chicago, in person, and be armed with plenty of the commodity commonly called Cash, with which we can boast the people of this country are well supplied, and in order for us to get it, we will from now until the first of August offer such bargains as will induce those having money to divide with us.

You all know that our Manager has been in business here for the last twenty years and always does as he advertises. About August 1st he will start East to buy a large fall stock, and in order to do this we will offer our whole stock of goods consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Trunks, Valises, Tobacco, Cigars, Paper, Envelopes, Notions, etc., at a great sacrifice, and in order that the general Public may know that we mean business, we mention the price of some of our goods till August 1st.

A good Hemmed Handkerchief for 1 ct. each.
A silver, gold or steel thimble, 1 ct. each.
A spool of Clark's, Coat's or Kerr's Thread, 3 c. each.
A spool good Sewing Silk, best brand and assorted colors, for 3 c.
2 spools Silk Button Hole Twist for 3 c.
2 skeins Saddlers' Silk for 3 c.
1 sheet gold, silver or plain Card Board, 1 c. worth 10 c.
1,000,000 doz. Horn and Cloth covered Dress Buttons worth 25 to 50 c. a doz., for 5 c. a doz.
100,000 doz. Fine Jet and Metal Buttons, worth 50 c. to $1 a doz. for 10 c a doz.
1,000 yds. Lace worth 5 c. a yd., for 1 c. a yd.
Lace worth 10 c. per yd. will be sold for 3 and 5 c. a yd. Other Edgings and Embroidery in proportion.
1000 fine Ostrich Plumes for 50 c each worth $1.
Large stock of flowers, price no object.
Ladies' Chemise 15 c. each, worth 50 c.
Ladies' Night Gowns, 50 c. each worth $1.25
And all our stock of Ladies' White Goods in proportion.
50,000 Ladies' Hat Frames 10 c. each, worth 50 c. to $1 each.
12 Fish Hooks and 1 Line for 3 c.
Good Scrubbing Brushes 5 c. each.
Good White Wash Brushes 10 c. each.
Best Patent Clothes Pins 5 c. per doz., worth 12½c.
Good Fly Hooks, 2 c. each.
50 Reams Letter Paper, 2 c. per quire.
10 lb Letter Paper, 5 c. per quire.
100 doz. Memoranda Books, 1 c. each.
500 boxes Lubin Toilet Soap, 9 c. per box worth 25 c.
A good article of Gent' Summer Undershirts and Drawers for 20 c. each.

The above are only a few of the genuine BARGAINS that we will offer. Besides these our whole stock will be offered at prices lower than anywhere else in the city, without any exception.

We are not going out of business but are here to stay and only do this to make room for our large fall stock. Call and be convinced. Buy and be happy.

Remember these bargains can only be secured at the Opera House Corner, from the Capitol Adventure Co.

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All kinds of Farm Produce Bought.

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A fine line of hacks, buggies, carts, carriages, buckboards, etc. Both our own make and the best eastern made buggies.

Every one Warranted!

JOBBING and HORSESHOEING.

Call on the undersigned, wagon and carriage makers and blacksmiths, 288, 312, and 314 Commercial street, Salem.

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