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THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1888.

Republican National Ticket.

For President, BENJAMIN HARRISON, Of Indiana. For Vice President, LEVI P. MORTON, Of New York.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS. Robert McLean, of Klamath County. Wm. Knap, of Multnomah County. C. W. Fulton, of Clatsop County.

SCARCITY OF BEEF CATTLE.

Production in the United States is marked with violent changes. When an industry becomes profitable everybody is ready to embark in it.

All these causes of depletion have been going on for years, and an improvement in prices has been vainly looked for. Cattle owners paying interest on large sums of borrowed capital, and harassed and kept awake at night to meet the expenses of their herds, have watched for a turn in the market as a shipwrecked mariner watches for a sail.

Now the reaction has set in. "There is something startling in the idea," says a Kansas City market report; "that the country may suddenly be called upon to face a cattle famine."

Just one month ago the price of cattle, of nearly all grades, advanced ten cents per 100 pounds. Since then there has been hardly a day when there were enough cattle, in the Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago markets, to supply the demand.

members of the Kansas City exchange could among themselves, from positive information count 100,000 good corn fed beef cattle in the territory which ships to that city.

OBTAINED RECOGNITION.

The Butte (Mont.) Inter-Mountain being published in a mining district, has been clamoring for the free coinage of silver.

MIDSUMMER heat is torturing the people of the eastern states, and those who can leave home are scattering in all directions to get a breath of fresh air.

Two New York burglars being interrupted by the lady occupant of the room they were ransacking, one darted out of the door and escaped, the other leveled a revolver at her head and bade her keep still.

The school trustees of Portland have resolved to send to Massachusetts for a city superintendent and to pay him \$3,000 a year.

The Farmers' Review, published in Chicago, gives the following crop summary: "There is not much change to report in the condition of the growing crops."

Our neighbor the Statesman publishes a very mouldy chestnut about Brigham Young and the wooden leg, and says "it has never before been published."

Call on Winters & Thomas for the best groceries in town.

THE GOVERNMENT WEATHER.

The Signals to be Displayed from the Bank Block. Letter from Observer Pague.

The signals displayed from the staff at the White Corner through the kindness of J. M. Rosenberg & Co. have been duly appreciated by those who could see them.

This letter was referred to Sergt. R. S. Pague, observer at Roseburg, officer in charge of the Oregon weather service, and he has written a letter to Lieut. Ladue accepting the use of this flag staff, and promising to direct Volunteer Observer Jos. Albert to make use of the same.

He also adds the following recommendations: "In regard to the taking of observations at Salem, I would say that there are none made there, but there should be."

He here incloses a price list of these instruments, five thermometers and a rain gauge, the whole costing \$19.70, and a lattice shelter, \$5 more, making the whole cost about \$25.

"At this time, when Oregon is endeavoring to advertise her climate and resources, it is very important that every city should be able to present accurate statistics.

Very Respectfully, Your Obedient Servant, B. S. PAGUE, Sergt. U.S. Signal Service Observer in charge of Oregon weather service.

It will also be necessary to purchase a set of weather flags, and it is quite likely this matter will come up before the board of trade on next Tuesday evening, that being the regular meeting night.

Cream soda, ice cream soda, milk shakes, lemonades at Strong & Co.'s.

HENRY SCHOMAKER,

Manufacturer of The Standard Combination Fence!

No. 260 Commercial St.

All Styles of Fencing Made to Order ON SHORT NOTICE.

GREAT DISCOVERY!

Now in possession of a new discovery in medicine, which is purely a local anesthetic, and acts almost instantaneously on the surrounding tissues of the teeth.

Dr. H. SMITH

CRONISE & WILSON.

LEADING JOB PRINTERS. (In State Insurance Building) Good work. Fair prices. Prompt. Reliable.

CITY TAX NOTICE.

The City Tax Bill for the year 1888 is now in my possession, and the same is payable at my office immediately.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO whom it may concern, that the partnership heretofore existing between C. J. Hicks and J. J. Catterlin has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

NEW TO-DAY.

FARMERS, -:- LIVELYMEN And others in need of Team or Carriage Harness:

It will be to your interest to call upon me before purchasing elsewhere, as I have the largest and most complete stock in the city.

Carriage Harness from A. F. Rissler & Co. OF CHICAGO.

Warranted. The finest line of Dusters, Rugs, Robes, and Whips in the city. All these goods I am selling at very close figures.

H. K. DUBOIS. JOE DUBOIS

DuBOIS BROTHERS Proprietors

Chemekete Hotel.

FREE BUS.

Sample Rooms for Commercial Travelers.

From \$1 to \$3 per day. SALEM, -:- OREG. N.

VARIETY STORE!

W. M. SARGEANT Keeps a fine stock of

Wall Paper, Borders and Centers,

TOY TOYS, EXPRESS WAGONS, Toy Tool Chests, Velocipedes, Bicycles,

BASKETS, and all kinds of FRAMES.

Mouldings and Frames Made to Order.

Tissue paper, leaves and centers. Don't forget the artist material, such as Tube Paints of all kinds, Brushes of all sizes, and Blenders. Also the

GOLD PAINT-READY MIXED.

Mats for frames of all sizes, in fact everything else that can be thought of.

Come and See for Yourself

F. J. BABCOCK,

Cabinet Maker!

—AND— UNDERTAKER.

FARRAR'S BLOCK, STATE Salem, Oregon.

All kinds of Furniture made to order. A full line of Cushions always on hand.

SMITH'S AUCTION

—AND— COMMISSION HOUSE.

DEALER IN FURNITURE, BEDDING,

Carpets, Rugs, Crockery, Glass Ware, Tinware, Stationery, Notions, Oil Descriptions, Mirrors, Pictures, Carriage Poles, Mouldings and Window Shades. Picture framing and all kinds of job work in wood a specialty.

Tobacco and Cigars. Goods sold on the installment plan. Auction sale every Saturday.

Highest cash price paid for second hand furniture. G. F. SMITH, Proprietor.

LEGAL BLANKS, Largest Stock in the State, Best Discount.

Send for catalogue. Call for prices for Job Printing—lowest in Oregon. E. M. WAITE, Salem, Or.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN COFFEE HOUSE!

East Side Liberty, opp. Opera House, S. B. WATKINS, -:- Prop

ES. Meals at all hours, from 5c to 25c. -:-

GENERAL BLACKSMITHING

—AND— HORSESHOEING !!

All the improved methods of shoeing, shoeing, to cure diseases of the feet and for the correction of faulty action, construction and interfering, used. I guarantee satisfaction in all cases. Better to many well known horsemen in Oregon.

JOHN KNIGHT, The Horseshoer, 306 Commercial street, Salem, Or.

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.

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 full 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.

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.

S. FRIEDMAN, Manager. All kinds of Farm Produce Bought.

GREAT SLAUGHTER!

Having been continued as Assignee of A. Mayer, I will now offer the entire stock of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

And Gents' Furnishing Goods,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!

TO CLOSE THEM OUT.

Remember :: None :: Reserved, :: all :: Must :: Go!

YOU WHO HAVE MONEY

Can Secure Bargains!

All Sales Strictly for Cash.

E. WILLIS, Assignee of A. Mayer.

Bank Block, Three Doors South of 1st National Bank.

HACKS -:- AND -:- BUGGIES!

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

Every one Warranted!

JOBING and HORSESHOEING.

Call on the undersigned, wagon and carriage makers and blacksmiths, 285 1/2, 286, and 287 Commercial street, Salem.

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