

The Bryan men say "We are sorry, but we would do it again."

Con's Financial School could not compete with actual coin.

Mr. Bryan like a true patriot and gentleman extended his congratulations to McKinley.

In Idaho where the Republicans and Populists fused the silver men beat them seven to one.

An engineer on the railroad to Mars has sued the company for restoration of confidence.

Oregon seems to be the only state west of the Missouri river that sustains the Gold standard. Will Oregon be more prosperous?

More good, real, live, confidence can be restored by properly advertising your business than by simply thinking that the prospect is good now that McKinley is elected. Push your business.

The laboring man is a big fellow in print, in pictures and everywhere else just before election, his vote counts as much as president Cleveland. When election is over it doesn't take him long to find where he is at.—Albany Democrat.

It Was Murder.

The coroner who was called to Weston to hold an inquest, returned. He found the body of a man lying in the brush about 50 yards from the railroad track one mile east of Weston. The body was found Wednesday morning by Pres Worthington. The coroner summoned a jury and an inquest was held. The body was in such an advanced stage of decomposition that it was unrecognizable. The clothes were of a greyish color, pants coat and vest of the same cloth. The feet were encased in stoga shoes and in a pocket was found an O. R. & N. Co. folder. The victim was evidently a tramp. The top of the skull was crushed and a few feet away from the body was found an iron link which had been used as a freight car coupling. Nothing was found about the body to give evidence for its identity. The verdict of the jury is that the unknown deceased had been murdered by some unknown person or persons. The body was buried by the county at Weston on Wednesday.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Fred A. Legg.

Penitent Thief Gives Up \$2500.

The Great Northern express was robbed of \$1500 at Wahpeton, N. D., the other day, the money being taken from the agent's safe while he was on his way to the postoffice with a remittance. Detectives were sent for from St. Paul and every effort was made to get some trace of the cash, but entirely without avail, and the money was given up for lost by the local officials. Five days later the priest of St. James Catholic church at Wahpeton sent word to the company that they had the full amount in their possession and were ready to turn it over to its owners. It has now been taken by the express company. It is not probable that any action to discover the robbers will be taken. The priests say the discovery was made in the confessional.

Blood is Life.

It is the medium which carries to every nerve, muscle, organ and fibre its nourishment and strength. If the blood is pure, rich and healthy you will be well. Hood's Sarsaparilla has power to keep you in health by making your blood rich and pure. Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cures indigestion that biliousness. 25 cents.

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STATE NEWS.

The Gypsy was the first steamer to go the upper river this season. Wild geese and ducks are beginning to come in since the rains have begun. Nine Chinamen were arrested in Portland for smoking opium the other day.

The Sisters' Academy, of Albany, celebrates its tenth anniversary, on October 10.

The first appropriation for the cascade locks was made in 1874, and the latest in 1896.

The College at Albany will open a night school on Nov. 6, to continue during the winter.

In Mount precinct, Lane county 17 ballots were cast 16 being for Bryan and 1 for McKinley, 16 to 1 for certain.

Robert Crawford, of Albany, dug a potato with nine prongs, weighing 6 pounds, lacking an ounce. He called it "confidence restored."

Outside sheep have all left the Greenhorn mountains, and most of them are safely on their winter range, says the Long Creek Eagle.

By the semi-annual statement for Gilliam county, September 30, the liabilities amounted to \$18,120.59, and the resources to \$12,188.79.

A. P. Oliver, manager of the Alliance mills, in La Grande, has secured another contract for flour for shipment to China. The contract calls for 500 barrels.

October 25, 1896, T. L. Fine, one of Wallow county's old and most respected citizens, died. He was born in Missouri in 1827, and moved to the Willamette valley in 1827.

Wm. Eagles, a cigar maker, of Portland, was arrested and charged with writing obscene letters and criminal assault on an inmate of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.

Charles J. Welker, who was shot recently on the Lake county sheep range by W. J. Sherlock, as a result of a difficulty or dispute about the range, died at Silver Lake on the 29th. He was aged 34 years.

The suit of Mrs. Harriet Phillips, of Portland, against H. D. Winters, of East Portland, has been on trial for two days in Judge Shattuck's court, for \$5,000 damages, has been awarded \$375 by the jury.

One thousand of the two thousand Eastern brook trout received on the United States fish commission car, a few days ago, have been sent to Crater Lake. The other one thousand will be placed in stream near Yaquina.

A shipment of eastern oysters was received on the 6th, to be planted in the bay at Yaquina. Game Warden McGuire has charge. These oysters are furnished by the government for the beds at Oysterville.

The annual chrysanthemum show at Portland, will be given at the exposition next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, under the management of Mrs. J. C. Card and Mrs. W. J. Lehigh, respectively president and secretary of the floral section of the Oregon Agricultural society.

A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove, Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a backache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a Bottle at Fred A. Legg's Drug Store.

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HEART DISEASE has its victim at a disadvantage. Always taught that heart disease is incurable, when the symptoms become well defined, the patient becomes alarmed and a nervous panic takes place. But when a sure remedy is found and a cure effected, after years of suffering, there is great rejoicing and desire to "let the whole world know." Mrs. Laura Wineinger, of Colwich, Kansas, writes: "I desire to let the whole world know what Dr. Miles' Heart Cure has done for me. For ten years I had pain in my heart, shortness of breath, palpitation, pain in my left side, oppressed feeling in my chest, weak and hungry spells, but dreams could not lie on either side, was numb and suffered terribly. I took Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and before I finished the second bottle I felt its good effects. I feel now that I am fully recovered, and that Dr. Miles' Heart Cure saved my life." Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold on guarantee that first bottle benefits, or money refunded.

Literary News and Comment.

FAR WESTERN REFLECTIONS.

About Books and Periodicals of the Day. [Address all mss. and communications to the editor.]

LONGING.

(I. P. Callison in Willamette Collegian.) I scarcely hear the water fall In the blue light under the hill, But voices faint as echo call From lips all white and still.

I scarcely see the distant pines, Where shadows come and go; I only know that love is lost, And youth of long ago.

I scarcely see the shepherd's cot, His tethered flocks below; But oh, to behold a face forgot, The pride of long ago!

"Lee's Home and Business Instructor." Same publishers.

"Aircraft Don," by B. Freeman Ashley. Laird & Lee, Chicago.

Following new publications have been received the past week, "Campfire Stories," by Col. Edward Anderson. Star Publishing Co.

Lieut. Nansen's new book on polar exploration sold to an English publisher for \$50,000.

J. Sterling Morton, the Secretary of Agriculture, favors establishing a bird day in our public schools.

"Sir George Tressady," by Mrs. Humphrey Ward. The Macmillan Co., New York; two volumes.

"How Marcus Whitman saved Oregon," by Oliver W. Nixon, Md. L.L.D. Star Publishing Co., Chicago.

The Alpha Publishing Company, Boston, now publishes "Babyland" and "Little Men and Women."

The students of Willamette university have organized a club to study the history of early English literature.

The countess of Aberdeen, Ottawa, Canada, writes that she is opposed to wearing birds, wings, or plumes on her hats.

It seems Li Hung Chang would take any risk to please our people but tackle an American bill of fare. He went home happily.

The Macmillan company announce two new children's books, "The Oriel Window" and "Tommy Anne and the Three Hearts."

The Macmillan company, in less than eight months felt called upon to print a second edition of Prof. Giddings' "Principles of Sociology."

All publications received will be acknowledged and promptly noted. Publishers will please send circulars and catalogues containing announcements of interest as literary news.

The rumor comes from England that Mme. Sarah Grand's new novel will be a sort of feminine Tom Jones. The author of the "Heavenly Twins" will write a readable book.

The Macmillan company have printed beautiful \$1.50 editions of Balzac's "The Country Parson," and "Beatrix." These volumes have etchings, and the get-up is simply perfect.

The second installment of George Du Maurier's "The Martians" appears in Harper's for November. It is better than the first part and superior in many ways to "Tribly."

Harold Frederic's "March Hares" is called one of the most cheerful novels ever written. He is the London newspaper man who made his fame by writing "The Damnation of Theron Ware."

Herbert Spencer has completed his lifework with the volume on "The Principles of Sociology." He is now seventy years old, and has been engaged upon this work for thirty-six years.

The Willamette Collegian contains a valuable historical sketch of the founding of that institution, with pictures of the founders. There is also an able article on McKinley, by Rex W. Davis, and one on Bryan by W. J. Shepard.

A special winter number of the London Studio is to contain an article of Stevenson's never before published. It is an account of the novelist's stay at Monaster in the autumn of 1878, and was originally intended to serve as the opening chapter of "Travels With a Donkey in the Cevennes."

The Philadelphia American book reviewer writes of "a phthisicky, frail, antelope-eyed young woman, in a black garret in a great city, spinning pathetic stories and sacred songs for a religious periodical that kept her half-starved. Alas, at what sacrifices do we get literature!"

The Hookman for November contains a short article on political oratory by Harry Thurston Peck, that is readable and just. He refers to Mr. Bryan's convention speech as rhetorically correct and exactly suited to the minds of his hearers. His remarks about Blaine also show fine discrimination.

Kate Douglas Wiggin has shown the critics that she is one of the great masters of American fiction. Her "Marm Lisa" is the most hopeful evidence that fiction can be made the most useful form of the art of expression. Fiction shall yet do for education what Uncle Tom's Cabin did for abolition, and "Ten Nights in a Bar-Room" did for temperance—arouse the moral sentiment of the nation.

Two-volume editions are now quite a fad. It would seem as though two volumes are about all of one author that an ordinary reader can utilize. The best and greatest authors have their writings comprised in one volume. The American Publishers Corporation, 310 Sixth Ave., New York, has a series of two-volume sets, at \$1 each. They include nearly all the great writers.

N. Y. Mail and Express: We have no hesitancy in advancing the opinion that "Mrs. Cliff's Yacht" will be regarded as Frank R. Stockton's best long story by those who hearts are young enough to enjoy a tale of thrilling adventure, and whose of humor is sufficiently keen to detect the thousand and one subtle flashes of wit which cause the pages fairly to tremble with sparkling vivacity.

Whoever has read "The Adventures of Captain Horn" will be quite ready to enjoy "Mrs. Cliff's Yacht" by the same author, Frank R. Stockton. Mrs. Cliff is more real than any real person can be to those who formed her acquaintance on the memorable cruises to the coast of Peru and back in the first book, to which this kind of sequel. The new book is handsomely illustrated from the press of Scribner's, New York.

Philadelphia American: A new and ambitious poem by Thomas Bailey Aldrich would, once upon a time, have been an event. Are the days of the giants over forever? Where are this generation's Bryant, Poe, Lowell, Longfellow, Emerson, Holmes, Whittier? A group of Englishmen look down from the wall overhead; they walked and talked before our eyes only a few short years ago; where now shall we find our Newman, Manning, Darwin, Huxley, Tyndall, Spurgeon, Bright, Carlyle, Tennyson, Disraeli, Ruskin and Gladstone, the two latter living, but on the borderland? It is as though the century has passed its prime and its intellectual glory is on the wane. Material progress; is one glory of the Elizabethan and mid-Victorian mind-work is another.

Scribner's for November opens with "Panther Shooting in India," an illustrated paper on Lithography, a paper on Alaska, and a number of the highest class short stories and articles on live topics. The Christmas number will contain rich color printing and a wonderful array of seasonable literary matters. For 1897 a full announcement issued in very dainty and attractive form may be had gratis upon request from the publishers. We commend Scribner's as the highest development of literature and letterpress in our country, and shall be glad to help introduce it in as many of our family reading circles as possible at the lowest clubbing price. It is undoubtedly the best of all 25ct. magazines now reaching our book table.

The Macmillan Company announces a volume entitled "Guesses at the Riddle Existence," by Prof. Goldwin Smith. In his new volume the questions raised are chiefly ethical or religious. These papers are the work of a man who reads all the best that recent thinkers have to offer and passes a criticism on it in a pungent or keen, incisive style, distinctive in aim, brilliant in execution, yet never open to the charge of irreverence or of want of tenderness in dealing with the creed in which the writer himself was reared and which is still that of men who are the salt of the earth. The titles of some of the papers are "The Church and the Old Testament," "Is There Another Life?" "The Miraculous Element in Christianity" and "Morality and Theism." The first paper is an interesting discussion of a number of recent books, including "Drummond's Ascent of

man," "Kidd's Social Evolution" and Mr. Balfour's well-known work on the foundations of religious belief.

M. A. Hamilton, of Salem, representative of the American Mortgage Trust Company, of London was in Toledo yesterday on business. He says that the recent rise in wheat has greatly benefited the farmers in the wheat growing districts of the coast, and that they have recently received interest on farm mortgages that have been defaulted for three years.—Lincoln County Leader.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for coughs, colds and lung complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of any physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Rev. John Burgess, Keokuk, Iowa, writes: "I have been a minister of the Methodist Episcopal church for 50 years or more and have never found anything so beneficial, or that gave me such speedy relief as Dr. King's New Discovery." Try this Ideal Cure at Fred A. Legg's drug store.

United States Attorney Murphy, says the Oregonian, has been instructed to commence suit against the Oregon & California Railroad Company to secure the cancellation of a patent granted the company to 100 acres of land in T. in 16 S. R. 2., which is within the limits of the company's indemnity grant.

Measles are prevalent in Enterprise, says the Aurora.

Don't think that your liver needs treating if you are bilious. It don't. It's your stomach. That is, your stomach is really what causes the biliousness. It has put your liver out of order. See what's the matter with your stomach.

Shaker Digestive Cordial is no secret. Formula on every bottle. But it's the simple honest way it's made, the honest Shaker herbs and other ingredients of which it's composed, and makes it so efficacious. Any real case of indigestion and biliousness can be cured with a few bottles of Shaker Digestive Cordial. Try it.

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For Infants and Children. The favorite medicine of Dr. J. C. Hutchins is an every wrapper.

A little babe in the home of Ed B. Horning, in Corvallis, begins its trip through the world with but one hand. The child, a wee girl, is but a week old. It is the left hand that is gone, and the arm from the elbow down is missing. The case is a freak of birth, and the salace in the circumstance is that never having had the hand is better than to have used it half a life time and then to lose it, says the philosopher of the Times.

ATTRACTIVE FIGURES come with good health. It is easily seen when a woman has perfect health, her figure and features show it. The painful disorders and diseases that afflict womanhood make themselves seen as well as felt. Dull eyes, blotched or sallow face, and a wasted form, follow them. This is the time to turn to the right remedy. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription builds up and strengthens the system, and regulates and promotes every proper function. It is a quieting, soothing nerve. It corrects and cures safely and surely, all those delicate derangements, weaknesses, irregularities and diseases peculiar to the sex.

For young girls just entering womanhood; woman at the critical "change of life"; and every woman who is "run-down" or overworked, it's something to remember that there's a medicine that will help you.

"FEMALE WEAKNESS." Mrs. BROWN DANARD, of Milford, Prince Ed. ward Co., Ont., Canada, writes: "A few years ago my health failed. I was troubled with female disease in its worst form. I was unable to do any work, and I had lost about fifteen years. I was also troubled with constipation, loss of appetite, dizziness, ringing in my head, nervous prostration, hysteria, loss of memory, palpitation of the heart, together with that tired feeling all the time. I consulted several physicians—no one could clearly diagnose my case. I was taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—have taken five bottles and am a well woman doing my household work. I feel it my duty to recommend your Favorite Prescription for ladies afflicted with female diseases as I have been."

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President Isaac Lewis of Sabina, Ohio, is highly respected all through that section. He has lived in Clinton Co. 75 years, and has been president of the Sabina Bank 30 years. He gladly testifies to the merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and what he says is worthy attention. All brain workers find Hood's Sarsaparilla peculiarly adapted to their needs. It makes pure, rich, red blood, and from this comes nerve, mental, bodily and digestive strength. "I am glad to say that Hood's Sarsaparilla is a very good medicine, especially as a blood purifier. It has done me good many times. For several years I suffered greatly with pains of

Neuralgia

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