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ISSUED EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The Tribune readers should not overlook the eloquent letter of J. J. Stanley to Hon. J. H. Upton in this issue, and after the latter's portrayal of his pathetic affliction, it is not amiss to state that his articles are always welcomed by the type. While it is surprising how, in his condition, Mr. Upton can write at all, yet his copy would put to shame that of some which reaches our cases, from gifted men, possessed of all the attributes of perfect manhood, yet evidently laboring under the impression that anything is good enough for the "devil." While the printer is always ready to help the writer, he in return appreciates the writer helping him, and this reason makes Mr. Upton's pieces a pleasure to the type-setter, as they are quite legible and the orthography and punctuation are invariably correct.

The Imp in the Bottle.

ROBERT G. INGERSOLL'S Famous Speech on the Evil of Intemperance.

I am aware that there is a prejudice against any man who manufactures alcohol. I believe that from the coldest and poisonous worm in the distillery until it opens in the jaws of death, dishonor and crime it demoralizes everyone that touches from its source to where it ends. I do not believe that anybody can contemplate the object without being prejudiced against the liquor crime. All we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks on either bank of the stream of death, of the suicides, of the insanity, of the ignorance, of the destitution of little children tugging at the faded breast of weeping and despairing mothers, of wives asking for bread, of the men of genius it has wrecked; the men struggling with imaginary serpents, produced by the devil's thing; and when you think of the jails, of the almshouses, of the asylums, of the prisons, of the scaffolds upon every bank, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced against this damned stuff called "alcohol."

Intemperance cuts down youth in its vigor, manhood in its strength, old age in its weakness. It breaks the father's heart bereaves the doting mother, extinguishes natural affection, erases conjugal love, biots out filial attachment blights parents hopes, brings down mourning age in sorrow to the grave. It produces weakness, not strength; sickness, not health; death not life. It makes wily widows, children orphans, fathers fends; and all of them puffers and beggars. It feeds rheumatism, invites cholera, imports pestilence and embraces consumption. It covers the land with idleness, misery and crime. It fills your jails, supplies your almshouses and demands your asylums. It engenders controversies, fosters quarrels and endangers riots. It crowds your penitentiaries and furnishes victims for your scaffolds. It is the life blood of the gambler, the elements of the burglar, the prop of the highwayman and support of the midnight incendiary. It countenances the liar, respects the thief, esteems the blasphemer. It violates obligation, reverences fraud and honors infamy. It defames benevolence, hates love, scorns virtue and slanders innocence. It is the sum of all villainies, the father of all crimes, the mother of all abominations, the devil's best friend and God's worst enemy.

Duty calls; idleness whistles. A drawback is better than a setback.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is sole partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Subscribed and sworn to before me and published in my newspaper, this 25th day of December, A. D. 1908. A. W. GLASSER, Notary Public.

PERSONAL.

By J. H. Upton. Editor TRIBUNE:—I take the liberty of making public the kind letter which appears below from my old friend J. J. Stanley who took an intelligent, active part in revolutionizing Coos County politics some 17 years ago, and who was elected County Clerk on the Populist ticket, having been prior to the beginning of the "Revolution" a school teacher. His has been an active life since the days of the "agitation." A dealer in real estate occupied his splendid energies for a time. He then owned and ably edited the Coquille Bulletin, while reading law. He has served several terms as mayor of his city and is now one of the leading lawyers of Coos County.

Mr. Stanley's humane reference to my physical infirmities moves me to a few reflections of a personal nature. I have now been confined to my Morris chair for near ten years, except upon occasions when I have been assisted out and onto a vehicle and driven about the place and to the village, and once as far as to Bandon, and again to Port Orford. And, withal, time passes pleasantly with me. I have accepted my fate without repining, devoting my time to directing business about the place, and besides to official duties as U. S. Commissioner and Notary Public in which duties my good wife performs an indispensable part.

I write an occasional article for an eastern paper, and numerous others for local and coast papers. And speaking of writing it may be asked how, in my condition, I do that? For many years prior to my "down and out" I was solely afflicted with rheumatism, and especially did the ailment occasionally assail my pen hand, until I was often, tempted to train my left hand for duty, and now that hand is worse contorted and disabled than the other. But to the question, "how do you write?" will say that I lay a board in front of me, the same resting across the arms of my chair and proceed to scribble with a pencil. I cannot, however, guide the ordinary pen on account of the contorted condition of my fingers, but can upon occasion use a glass pen whose every side is "right side up."

The following is the letter, which I greatly prize both on account of the high character of the writer and of our years of friendly intercourse and mutual aspirations in the past: Coquille, Ore., Aug. 12, 1908.

Mr. J. H. Upton, Langlois, Oregon. Dear Sir:—I scarcely know why I am writing you this letter—what motive has prompted, or what I shall say; but I have been feeling the "spirit moving me" for several weeks, to write you something in appreciation of the articles which you have been contributing to the PORT ORFORD TRIBUNE, and at last the impulse has become irresistible and I am sending you these few lines. I have read with much sympathy of your physical afflictions and can only imagine their so-called "forced idleness" in a person of your temperament—one who has, during a long and active life, taken a keen and prominent part in the affairs of mankind. While I have always been fortunate in possessing health and am not able to speak from experience, yet I assure you that my sympathy with you is none the less sincere. But what a source of enjoyment it must be to you to be able to speak to your fellowmen through the medium of the press. And this brings me to what I really wished to say; which is, that I prize very highly your articles on the general political situation and hope that you will continue them. I may not always agree with your ideas in their entirety, yet I appreciate the thought and research and broad-mindedness which produces them, and it occurred to me that a word of encouragement from some one out in the world might be of comfort to you.

So, if these rather rambling remarks shall bring any degree of satisfaction or a smile of good cheer to you in your isolation, I shall feel more than repaid for the effort it has cost me. Wishing you a recovery of your former health and a long and peaceful (yes, long, for we cannot spare you for many years yet) journey down the shady side of a useful life, I beg to remain, Yours sincerely, J. J. STANLEY.

The New Currency Law.

The Philadelphia North American is a very able independent Republican newspaper. It can see the truth or falsity in any proposition about as clearly as any newspaper in the country, and it always dares to tell what it believes to be the truth. Hence comes some of its comments on the new currency law, that is to be pointed to with pride at Chicago are worth quoting, the North American says: "It seems impossible for congress to perpetrate anything more infamous than the Aldrich-Vreeland bill. Yet Congress reached that high pinnacle of error in sanctioning the composition of currency commission by Cannon and Fairbanks."

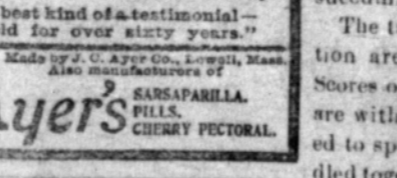
After characterizing the law as a "legislative monstrosity, that is the worst political blunder in the history of the Republican party," the North American quotes from the language of experts published in the Congressional Record who said that the law was written in Wall street; "50 per cent senate infamy and 50 per cent house infamy" was a law that would place every small commercial bank in the country at the mercy of the few so-called "financial banks"—hence a sort of financial trust.

The North American declares that the amended Aldrich bill "was far less vicious than the pernicious cheat that has become the law," and quoted ex Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage as describing it as "a narcotic to woo the country into false repose, from which we shall awake in trouble and real agony."

This measure for pretended general relief, says the North American, cannot be used in the slightest degree by any one in seventeen states. It was intended to allow Wall street to cast its "cats and dogs" into the national treasury, and by juggling of redemption—dodge all taxation and trade cheap money for legal tender redeemable in gold. The law is "an infamous device, each day examination of which uncovers a new nest of snakes, whose fangs, sooner or later, will strike poison into every branch of legitimate banking, commerce and industry for the fattening of the Wall street blood-suckers.—Journal.

When the Hair Falls

Then it's time to act! No time to study, to read, to experiment! You want to save your hair, and save it quickly, too! So make up your mind this very minute that if your hair ever comes out you will use Ayer's Hair Vigor. It makes the scalp healthy. The hair stays in. It cannot do anything else. It's nature's way.



NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Aug. 25, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the Santa Fe Railway Company, by A. P. Fulkerson, its Attorney in Fact, whose Postoffice address is Roseburg, County of Douglas, State of Oregon, has filed in this office its application to select under the provisions of the Act of June 4, 1897 (30 Stat., 35) the Southeast Quarter of Section 32, Township 31 S., R. 13 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the land above described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the said land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of the applicant should file their affidavits of protest on or before the 7th day of October, 1908. Coal Land. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Wm. Ladd, Pres. The C. F. Wier, V. P. COLUMBIAN LIFE TRUST COMPANY. OUR NEW POLICIES OFFER ALL THAT IS BEST IN LIFE CONTRACTS. LOW NON-PARTICIPATING RATES. HIGH CASH VALUES. W. A. WOOD, Local Agent, PORT ORFORD, ORE.

An Editor's Humor.

Down in Yokama, Texas, a new paper was launched upon the public a short time ago. The publisher was an original fellow and in the first issue directed the following bit of humor to his readers: "I have no earthly excuse to offer for fasting this paper upon an unsuspecting and outraged public but a fiendish delight in human suffering. It is malice premeditated. In fact I have been hoping, trusting, waiting, praying and laying for an opportunity to vent my spleen. Whether you do or do not like the paper doesn't concern me in the least. That's your business not mine. All I want you to do is to subscribe for it. The price is one dollar per annum, payable at the front end of the per annum, which is about ten times more than the thing is worth—but if after reading it you decide you do not want it, mail it back to me post-paid, and I will keep the dollar and sell the paper to some one else. This may not look like business to you, but it is to me—and about the best I have to offer."

Klamath Falls, Or., Aug. 10.—E. H. Harriman and party are now enjoying the superb fishing at Pelican Bay and the hunting in the immediate proximity of his resort.

He and his sons are enjoying the outing and Mr. Harriman is firmly convinced that Klamath is sure to be one of the greatest resorts of the West. He is becoming acquainted with the people of Klamath, who no longer look upon him as a man they dare not approach, but consider him a fellow citizen and a property owner in the county. He has at the request of the people here expressed his views on several subjects of local importance, chief among them the construction of good roads. He advocates "the building of the roads,—first, wagon roads and next railroads" is the way that he puts it. He has more closely allied himself with the interests of this section by becoming a member of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Harriman will remain in Klamath a few weeks. During that time he will visit Crater Lake and follow his guides through the forest in quest of bear. Telegraph connection with the Pelican Bay resort keeps him in constant touch with Wall street, and he is informed on every movement made by prominent railroad men.

Imported Percheron Stallion

KEROR. Kenon, (No. 51,602) was a prize-winner at the District Fair at Roseburg in 1908; taking four first prizes as follows: First as percheron draft horse; first premiums on two colts; first on horse and family of five colts.

WILL MAKE THE SEASON AT Bandon, Bear Creek, Four Mile, Dairyville, and Sixes river; being at the latter place on Sunday April 19th, and every nine days thereafter. SERVICE FEE: \$10, \$15 and \$20. S. J. CULVER & CO., BANDON, OREGON.

L. A. ROBERTS, ATTORNEY AT LAW. My office Point, Oregon. Probate business a specialty. DENNIS CUNIFF, JR., Dep. U. S. Mineral Surveyor. Surveyor for the District of Oregon. Gold Beach, Oregon.

WANTED INVENTORS. To write for our confidential letter before applying for patent; it may be worth money. We promptly obtain U. S. and Foreign PATENTS and TRADE MARKS or return ENTIRE attorney's fee. Send model, sketch or photo and we send an IMMEDIATE FREE report on patentability. We give the best legal service and advice, and our charges are moderate. TRY US. SWIFT & CO., Patent Lawyers, Opp. U. S. Patent Office, Washington, D.C.

IN THE COUNTY COURT, FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY, STATE OF OREGON.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. Hon. N. P. Jurgensen, deceased. J. Hon. To Anna Jurgensen, Chris Jurgensen, Peter Jurgensen, Daniel Jurgensen, Mary Jurgensen and Ida Jurgensen, and all other persons interested in said Estate. Whereas, application having been made in due form to the above-named Court on the 13th day of August, 1908, by Ames Johnston, administrator of said Estate for an order and license directing, authorizing and empowering him to sell the Real Estate belonging to the Estate of said decedent, and described as follows, to-wit: E. of NW 1/4 and Lots one, two, of section 22, T. 32 S. of R. 15 W., Willamette Meridian, Containing One hundred and forty-two and forty-one hundredths of an acre. The E. of NE 1/4 of section 21, T. 32 S. of R. 15 W., Willamette Meridian, containing 50 acres.

And Whereas said Court fixed on the 6th day of October, 1908, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Court Room of this Court in the Court House in Gold Beach, County and State of Oregon, as the time and place for hearing any and all objections to said petition and the granting of said order and license of sale. Therefore, In the Name of the State of Oregon, You and each of you are hereby cited, notified and required to be and appear at said time and place then and there to show cause, if any you have or if any exist, why an order of sale should not be made, as in the Petition aforesaid, and why said Petition should not be granted and said order and license should not be issued. Witness, the Hon. E. A. BAILEY, Judge of said Court with the seal of said Court affixed this 13th day of August, A. D. 1908.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 10, 1909. Notice is hereby given, that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all Public Land States by Act of August 4, 1902.

of Hixton, County of Jackson, State of Wisconsin, filed in this office on August 8th, 1907 his sworn statement No. 3619 for the purchase of the NE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 of Section No. 24 in Township No. 33 South of Range No. 15 West, W. M., Oregon, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on Wednesday the 21st day of October, 1908.

He names as witnesses: William Leonard of Portland, Ore. William E. Pratt, and Harry A. Miller of Hixton Wisconsin. Henry Colvin of Gold Beach, Oregon. Frank J. Leonard, of Kirby, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of October, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Curry County, Oregon, Administrator of the Estate of N. E. Neely and Mary E. Neely, deceased. All persons having claims against said Estates are required to present the same within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, with proper vouchers, to O. Leneve at Port Orford, Curry County, Oregon.

Dated at Port Orford, Oregon, this 22nd day of July A. D. 1908. H. C. ALLEN, Administrator. Bandon, Oregon.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, July 16th, 1908. Notice is hereby given that C. E. Moulton, of Suite 915, Board of Trade Bldg., Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has filed in this office the application of the Northern Pacific Railway Co. to select, under the act of Congress approved July 1, 1908, as extended by the Act of Congress approved May 17, 1906, the NW 1/4 of Sec. 14, T. 34 S., R. 14 W. of W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or any other reason, to the disposal to applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 4th day of September, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register. First Publication July 29th, 1908. Last Publication August 25th, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR. U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, July 31, 1908. Notice is hereby given that H. P. HUNDEY of Portland, Oregon, who, on July 1, 1908, made Timber entry, No. 98 for S. 1/2 SW 1/4 (Lots 13 & 14) Sec. 4, N. 1 NW 1/4 (Lots 3 & 4), Section 9, Township 34 South, Range 14 West, W. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the County Clerk, Curry County, at Gold Beach, Oregon, on the 10th day of Oct., 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses: George Colbrook of Corbin, Oregon. William Colbrook of " " Dick Quillen of " " Asher Moore of " " BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

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