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IT will be a severe shock to W. J. Bryan to find that his newspaper cannot live as a mere curiosity.

HAPPY is the town that rejoices in the bounties of heaven and wants for nothing. Such is Oregon City.

BETS are freely being made that our own Binger Hermann will land squarely on his feet when he falls out of the land office at Washington.

THERE is something beautiful about the never-ending expectation of Tillamock county. The people over there really believe they are to have a railroad

Those who are prone to believe that the street railway between Oregon City fic alone is worth upwards of \$100 a day.

vious rivals wrangle.

A MERRY war is in prospect between the steamboats, the electric street railroad and the steam railroad between Oregon City and Portland. It will be a three cornered fight, and the people may reap a reward from the rivalry, by obtaining cheaper transportation.

' Now that the president is coming to visit this coast, let us stop all squabbling and bickering and receive the chief magistrate in a befitting manner,"-Astoria roads have announced that they will dis-

As only a small part of the population of Oregon is either "squabbling" or "bickering, it will not be a difficult matter to reach a unanimous conclusion.

A story is told of a Chinook school teacher who had a dread of all kinds of contagious diseases. She sent a child home because her mother was sick. The next morning the child presented herself at school with her finger in her mouth and a hood swinging by the strings, saying: "We've got a new baby at our house, but mamma says I shall the progress of any community. They of equal size in the United States. The tell you 'taint catching."-Astoria Herald.

THERE is talk that a large number of immigrants is about to arrive in Corvallis. Before their arrival it is suggested that sidewalks leading to the two railroad stations be improved. There are holes in some of them that are a positive menace to life and limb. Every immi- community was endangered and the changed to "dealing with unfair congrant that falls in one of them and breaks his neck will certainly locate elsewhere. -Corvallis Times.

THE deadly cigarette is being made the subject of legislation in several states. Minnesota has just passed a law, making of Everett to protest against their em- drink beer are nearly always in comit a criminal offence to sell cigarettes or ployment, and not because of any intol- pany. The reason why the boycott so the paper in which they are wrapped erance of spirit toward foreigners. Now often fails is because laboring men do The cigarette smoking habit has been the railroads avoid the unpleasantness not have the strength of character to noticed by the larger railroad companies, by hiring Italians. They have given an stand together on any principle which and they refuse to employ those who are order for 2,000 men of Italian birth to they assert, unless one is watching the addicted to it. The United States army work in Washington and Oregon. In other. Boycotts instituted against cer- from herbs, and is prepared as easily as will not admit confirmed cigarette smo- defense of themselves the railroads say tain brands of tobacco have invariably tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All kers to its ranks. When eigarette smo- they cannot hire native Americans who failed because those who agreed to stand ers, like morphine fiends are relegated to will work steadily. The labor unions together never carried out their promis class by themselves, the habit may be might find some pracitcal arguments in ses to each other. While they were in the claims of the railroad companies.

The editor of the Clatskanie Chief is not a Christian in the true sense of the word. He has spoken harsbly of a delinquent subscriber in the following well chosen remarks:

The Chief staff works 52 weeks per year; that's labor. Now and then some one pays for the paper; that's capital. And once in a while some sun of a gun of a dead beat runs up a bill and vanishes without paying it; that's Godfried Muller. But later on justice will overtake the last named creature, for there is a place where he will get his just deserts; that's bell.

Fon the first time in his life Grover Cleveland has become a distinguished personage. He is now the only living ex-president of the United States. As a duck hunter he is only up to the average, and so far as fishing is concerned, there is many a Siwash Indian that can beat him. In the matter of raising babies he has a good batting average, but nothing to astonish an Oregon farmer. He was always a fairly good drinking man, but the gold-cure institutes can produce those who are his superiors at this particular branch of political preferment. As an ex-president, however, he stands alone.

CORVALLIS has lately leaped into prominence as an egg center. An egg war between two local firms has made a stir in F. Gutsch the market that has brought about phenomenal results. From every direction eggs are arriving in an abundance that discredits belief. From away down by Albany, from Shedd station, Halsey and other parts they stream, in undiminished numbers. It is said that every hen for miles around has her eye on Corvallis. On account of the war, eggs are higher priced in Coryallis than in Portland. They are three or four cents higher than in Albany. They are in fact a round 15 cents a dozen to the farmer who brings them to town, though a Corvallis egg eater can buy all he wants at any store in town at 12% cents a dozen.-Corvallis

THEY are having a wild time in Salem over the introduction of the occupation tax. Those who carry on the most extensive business enterprises are tickled to death, while men of small means are staring bankruptcy in the face. While the principle of an occupation tax works well in some instances, it is undemoand Portland is losing money, may be cratic, and a relic of the past. To the gratified to learn that the passenger trai- man who is thoroughly established in business, the tax is not a burden, but the poor man feels it tremendously while HERE at the feet of Willamette falls, he is struggling to make both ends meet. with nature smiling from the mountain That the levving of an occupation tax is tops, sits Oregon City. Blessed in a se- a hardship on the weaker lines of busirene consciousness of contentment, the ness, cannot be disputed. Salem will happy town can well afford to let its en- find before long that the law will have to be repealed or there will be plenty of empty stores, offices and shops, in the town. The injustice of the tax can easily be comprehended, when it is shown that sawmills pay but \$15 a year while a poor cobbler pays \$25. Salem had better become civilized.

THE employment of Japanese laborers

by the railroads has occssioned no end of anxiety among the labor unions as to what the outcome would be. The railpense with Japanese and hire Italians. This settles the controversy without solving the problem. The war against the Japanese was waged with much bitterness. The Japs worked for \$1 a day boarded with nobody, they bought no bas not been explained. food except that which came from Japan.

Many a schoolgirl is said to be lazy and shiftless when she doesn't deserve the least bit of it. She can't study, easily falls asleep, is nervous

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GOOD WORDS FOR MITCHELL.

ngton Mirror of March 16, says: "A most attractive man has been elected to the next senate, and one who has already served several terms hereone know this charming person and not love her? Surely no American girl, marreturn to the senate will not, however, returns to this country.

"Her father is an extremely handsome man, even now, when he has passed the magnetism. He is a lawyer of repute, and for many years was the attorney for one of the leading railroads of the country, but in spite of the fact that he has always had a handsome income he has never laid aside a cent, and is one of the poorest men in politics, which is more honorable, to my mind, than it is comfortable."

BOYCOTT ON BEER.

between the labor unions on one side and boarded themselves. At Eyerett, and the big breweries of Portland on the Washington, the whole subject was thor- other. It appears that the Portland oughly dissected by the citizens, who breweries have not been paying very of a courageous, honorable gentleman. beld mass meetings to protest against good wages. It is not difficult to bethe railroads giving employment to the lieve this when it is known that wages subjects of the Mikado. It was then in nearly every branch of business are shown that the Japs were a menace to lower in Portland than in any other city paid no taxes, they had no families, they reason for this peculiar state of affairs

The boycott is a queer weapon. When they quarreled among themselves When it is wielded by a combination the officers of the law had to maintain of rich and influential men, it is called peace. When they became sick with a "community of interest." When entering via Monida and coming out via contagious diseases the health of the labor unions make use of it the name is Cinnabar, making it unnecessary to hospitals were opened to them. They cerns." Although the boycott has were a source of governmental care and usually failed in the hands of united yet paid no money to defray the expen- labor, it has always been successful ses of the government. It was this use when applied to breweries. There is a happy condition that forced the people practical reason for this. Those who

but once separated they become weak in their resolutions. As the drinking of beer is done in company, the boycott on broweries has never been known to fail. If laboring men would know their strength, they must learn first of all to stand together.

OLD NUX YOMICA ONCE MORE.

Potent Poison Injected Into the Quivering Vitals of Poor George.

ORRGON CITY, March 30, 1901. Editor of the Enterprise :- Mr. Ogle, of Molalla, is very wrathy at Nux Vomica, as George says, he is writing under a nom de plume. And further, that if he seeks-that is, if Nux Vomica seeks a controversy, let him sign his name. Now George is as much mistaken about Nux Vomica seeking a controversy with him as he has been mistaken in most of his political fads. Bless your innocent heart, George, I want no controversy. You are the one who sought the controversy, and got it; got it where the opposition to Mitchell got it at the last legislative session; and where you got it nearly three years since. You took it for granted that you could asseall Representative Dresser directly and his colleague Hedges indirectly, from your glass house, but you find yourself badly damaged. "Corporal" in the Courier-Herald, took the ground that it was all right to elect Mitchell, and gave reasons sufficient for those who voted for him. You, George, jumped in, and in a slashing, controversial, antagonizing manner, abused those who voted as they saw fit, without caring for the opposition to Mitchell. Now what has Nux Vomica said that you take exception to? Is it that you violated the law of your state in the hold-up of 1897? Is it the statement that you attempted to bull-dose your way back to the legislature in 1898? Is it that you are now a back number? Now, George, I submit the first two Cara Manager and Annual Control of the Contro questions to any lawyer or layman in county or state, and will abide their decision. If you have any doubt of the correctness of the third statement, that is, that you are a back number, just try it and run for office, and you will be undeceived the morning after election. The populist party night "An Embassy Attache," in The Wash- have forced some good legislation had they done the duty they were elected to do, as the people of the state generally, and Clackamas county particularly, gave them a glorious chance to redeem and fulfill the pledges made for four or six Senator Mitchell, of Oregon. He is the years prior to June, 1896. Every popufather of the little Countess (alas! no list official was elected in Clackamas, longer little) Rochefoucald, whom you and great things were expected, especially from the legislative members, but know and love. How, indeed, can any with what result? Read the windup at provements, and remaining barnacles determined to quit ried in the European nobility, has half officially, as the people had quit them ber beauty or good tact. Her father's four years before, I repeat, that it comes with a bad grace from one who failed so foolishly as yourself to do your tempt her to come to America. She is duty to your state, to accuse Messrs. as much wedded to France as she is to Hedges and Dresser of that which they Rochefoucauld, and I doubt if she ever are not, in any sense of the word or deed, guilty. Had you shown the manly courage and political independence to obey your sworn duty, and had not frittered away your time at the half century ifmit by several years, and Eldridge block, were the hold-up harem has always been counted as having much was kept, and which is and always will be a reproach to the state, you might now have been state senator or equally prominent, and on your way to the guberhatorial mansion. Let me say in closing, George, that people detest a knave and pity a fool, but trust neither. There is a determination on the part of the people of this nation and this state to rid themselves of those who have proven either. While I know and repeat that you were probably deceived for awhile through your innocence; still, when you had so much time to reflect An interesting contest is being waged you must have known that you were unconclously guilty of a very serious violation of political morality. But

Through the Yellowstone.

to persevere in wrong doing, and shift

your blunders on others, is not the part

As I remarked, you are young and have

a great deal to learn, especially about

politics. Now my advice is to start

right, keep right, and you will come out

NUX VOMICA.

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