

Randall claims the entire Pennsylvanian delegation.

Cyclones never come west of the Rocky Mountains.

The Western towns which have not been cycloned will please rise and be counted.

What has Randall done that so many people should shoot at him.

The Car is not so nervous as he was. The only really nervous persons now are the Ohio Republicans.

Democratic policy is to lessen taxation and revise the tariff in the interest of American labor.

Thurman and McDonald are the central figures in the Democratic canvass for the Presidential nomination.

The strikes in the Pennsylvania coal fields and iron foundries tell whether protection benefits the laborer.

The high tariff organs are red hot in their denunciation of Bismarck for excluding American pork from Germany.

What is the matter with them? Here comes ex-Senator Wisdom, who also thinks the Republican party is doomed to dissolution.

An exchange alleges that a Pennsylvania protectionist was terribly shocked when he went to church and heard the minister announce that salvation was free. He hurried home and wrote a sharp letter to his Congressman demanding an explanation why salvation had been allowed to escape the tariff bill.

An exchange speaks of a case of suspended animation. There is a lingering remembrance in the minds of the public of a case of suspended animation, in which one Guitane, a stalwart Republican, figured conspicuously, but the "animation" did not last so long as the case referred to by our exchange.

Good sense, and fair-dealing towards public interest, as well as the business interests of the country, require that time should be given in which to fairly test the practical workings of the tariff law passed by the last Congress. Hence we hope to see the Congress this Fall abstain from intermeddling with the subject.

It will be observed that we have learned nothing yet through the telegraph concerning the details of the local elections in Virginia, although the election was held two weeks since. Eastern papers, however, tell of a defeat of the allied forces of Mahone and Republicans.

The New York Sun says, in speaking of Harvard's refusal to confer the degree of LL. D. upon Gov. Butler, that this is good for Butler and bad for Harvard College. Harvard could not in any other way have done so well for him, or so ill for itself.

An institution of learning which confers its highest distinction on Rutherford B. Hayes, only honors other men when it withholds from them the same form of compliment.

A STATE THAT NEVER HAD A REPELLING GOVERNOR.

An exchange has the following: Texas, the banner Democratic State, is a fearful example Republican newspapers do not refer to. In Texas there are 6200 miles of railway lines, growing two miles daily. Tax is thirty cents on each \$1000. There are \$4,250,000 in the State treasury. State bonds are worth 40 per cent. premium, and the debt of the state was reduced by that rare old genius, Governor Roberts, who doesn't believe in political thanksgiving days, \$1,400,000 last year leaving a balance of Texas bonds outstanding, and held mainly by Texas schools and institutions of learning, of \$1,000,000 five per cents. The State's taxable wealth has grown from \$290,000,000 in 1877 to \$410,000,000 in 1882. The free school fund will soon be \$6,361,000. More than a million dollars were dispensed last year among free schools attended by 293,000 pupils. A white and colored normal school provide home-made teachers. The University of Texas has 1,000,000 acres of choice land, and there is engrained in the constitution of Texas a provision enabling a poor man to invest \$5000 in real estate and making it his homestead. It cannot be mortgaged or sold for debt, and only conveyed absolutely by the joint deed of man and wife.

ABBICATION OF QUEEN VICTORIA.

Rumors come from London to the effect that the Queen seriously contemplates abdicating the throne. The reason given is the fast falling health, and unwillingness and sometimes inability to perform the functions of her high office. The Queen is understood to be a spiritualist of a mild type, believing that the spirit of her dead husband has often assisted her in the performance of difficult public duties. It is believed that the succession of the Prince of Wales as prince regent, would change the whole condition of English politics.

HINTS FOR PRESIDENT MAKERS

It has been a matter of regret heretofore that the New York Sun was not able to find more than one man whom it could urge upon the Democratic party as its presidential candidate, but more recently it has assumed a more moderate, and displays a more liberal spirit than formerly. It is of the opinion that if the delegation from Ohio to the Democratic National Convention of 1884 shall be solidly, unanimously, and earnestly in favor of the nomination of Allen G. Thurman as the candidate for President, Thurman will be nominated.

If the delegation from Indiana shall be solidly and zealously in favor of Joseph E. McDonald, he will be nominated.

If the delegation from Illinois shall unanimously and earnestly in favor of nominating John McAnley Palmer, he will be nominated.

That is to say, if Ohio is unanimously for Thurman, while Indiana and Illinois are not united in favor of McDonald and Palmer, Thurman will be the candidate; if Indiana is unanimous for McDonald, while Ohio and Illinois are divided, then McDonald will be the candidate; and if Illinois is unanimous for Palmer, while Ohio and Indiana are divided, then Palmer will be the candidate.

If either of these three men is selected by the Convention as the candidate, he will surely be chosen in November, 1884, to be the President of the United States.

But supposing that Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois are each and all of them unanimous in supporting respectively Thurman, McDonald, and Palmer in the National Convention, how will it stand then?

The supposition is improbable. Such unanimity is not to be expected. It is not likely, as the case stands at present, that either of these great central States will send a united delegation to the Convention. The Democracy cannot count upon such unity and harmony.

But if the unexpected should happen, if Illinois should be all for Palmer, Indiana all for McDonald, and Ohio all for Thurman, the people of the United States may heartily congratulate themselves on the surprising fact, and be thankful that they are to have for four years so good a President as that one of the three whom the Convention shall finally prefer.

Yet it is impossible to contemplate even such a beneficent result as this without the heartfelt wish that the reformer and statesman of Graystone were still fresh and vigorous enough to lead once more the array of the Democracy, and to revive the Union with the inspiration of Democratic ideas as they are conceived by his profound, untiring, and pertinacious genius!

GENERAL NEWS.

The New York Herald predicts war between France and China.

General and Mrs. Fremont have gone to New York City to live. Mrs. Fremont is in excellent health.

It is said that under the civil service rules female clerks will be excluded from positions in the departments.

The New York World and Sun think the Republican nomination for Governor of Ohio (Judge Foraker) is a weak one.

A vigilance committee has been organized in Silverton, Colorado, to protect the city from fire incendiaries and gamblers.

W. J. Gabriel, indicted for the murder of Clay Miller at Hot Lake, Union County, Oregon, on February 23, 1883, has been found guilty of manslaughter.

Miss Edith Fish, daughter of Ex-Secretary Hamilton Fish, was married a few days since to Hugh Oliver Northcote, son of Sir Stafford Northcote of Devonshire, England.

Joseph Keppler, the great artist for Puck, has been sued for damages for whipping a neighbors girl who was fighting his own.

Cleveland, Ohio, has one church for every 1,400 inhabitants. That is nothing. Oregon City has one saloon for every 200 inhabitants with the Chinaman thrown in.

The result of a trip through Umatilla county by an Oregonian correspondent demonstrates that the crop will be immense. The fields look like a solid wall of grain. Business men estimate the total amount for the county at 50,000 tons.

W. B. Astor, the Republican millionaire of New York City, will have a yacht constructed that will be 225 feet in length, 21 feet 6 inches beam and in depth of hold of 13 feet, and will draw not less than 15 feet of water, and will have an engine of 1200 horse power.

Jonathan Keene, living near Pilot Rock, lost on Sunday night last, 300 wethers by piling up. On Monday night he lost 200 ewes in the same way. He was preparing to shear them. The loss is quite heavy, amounting to nearly \$1,200.

A few days ago an Indian purchased 3,000 shingles from Hawn, Gayer & Co., proprietors of the Blue Mountain Saw Mill, and carried them away on the back of a cayuse. Wasn't he a daisy with a big yellow spot in his back?

Work upon the Siskiyou tunnel is progressing rapidly. A large number of Chinamen passed through this week en route to the tunnel. Mr. John A. Halbert is still engaged in locating the road between Ashland and the Siskiyou.

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ALBANY MARKET.

Wheat - 95c per bushel, at the mill, at the warehouse, 91.

Oats - 50 "

Beef - on foot, 5 to 6c.

Hay - baled, 23 to 25 per ton.

Butter - 23 to 25 cts per lb.

Eggs - 25 cts per doz.

Potatoes - 60c per bushel.

For - 7 cts per lb.

Veal - 60 per lb.

Bacon - hams, 14 to 16c.

Shoulders, 10 to 12c.

Sides, 11 to 15c.

Lard - 15c per lb.

Flour - 50c per 50 lbs.

Chicago - 50c per doz.

Sugar - 10c per lb.

Milk Feed - bran, 14.00 per ton.

Dried Fruit - man dried apples, 6c.

" " plums, 8c.

machine cured apples, 8 1/2c.

" " plums, 10.

Remember This.

If you are sick Hop Bitters will surely aid Nature in making you well when all else fails.

If you are constive or dyspeptic, or are suffering from any other of the numerous diseases of the stomach or bowels, it is your great fault if you remain ill for Hop Bitters are a sovereign remedy in all such complaints.

If you are wasting away with any form of indigestion, stop tempting death this moment, and turn for a cure to Hop Bitters.

If you are sick with that terrible nervous prostration, you will find a "Balm in Gilead" in the use of Hop Bitters.

If you are a frequenter, or a resident of a malarious district, barricade your system against the scourge of all countries - malarial, epidemic, bilious and intermittent fevers - by the use of Hop Bitters.

If you have rough, pimply, or scaly skin, bad breath, pains and aches, and feel miserable generally, Hop Bitters will give you fair skin, rich blood, and sweetest breath, health, and comfort.

In short they cure all diseases of the stomach, bowels, blood, liver, nerves, kidneys, bright's disease. \$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help.

That poor, bedridden, invalid wife, sister, mother, or daughter, can be made the picture of health, by a few bottles of Hop Bitters, costing but a trifle. Will you let them suffer?

4200 Acres of Land for Sale.

One farm of 200 acres very desirable.

One farm of 135 acres.

One tract of 160 acres of wild land.

One tract of 80 acres.

One tract of 135 acres, and other small tracts. Will sell in lots to suit purchasers. Will trade for other property. Call at this office.

"Rheumatism."

Quick, complete cure, an annoying kidney, bladder and urinary disease. \$1. Druggists.

READ THIS.

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O. L. IRVING : Salem Oregon.

The new tying apparatus will be furnished free to all purchasers of Deering Twine Binders for 1883. It is a big improvement.

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