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DURING the first month of '91 there went east 2,000 carloads of Pacific coast produce. Of this 215 cars were loaded with dried fruit; 150 held wine and brandy; 120 held canned and pickled salmon, and 150 were full of beans; wool and quicksilver were also represented. In return we got about 5,000 carloads of stuff that we ought to mostly produce ourselves: cloth, provisions, hardware, etc., that should be produced cheaper and better on this sunset slope. Such things as prints, calicoes, dress goods, fine hardware, etc., can be bought cheaper than we can make them, but all we can put in our mouths and much of what we daily use can be produced here under better economic conditions than those which now prevail.

THE governor has appointed Mr. Tim Davenport, of Silverton, member of the board of regents of the State Agricultural college. This appointment is in accordance with the governor's idea of placing the farmer's college in control of farmers. Mr. Davenport is a pioneer Oregon republican and has of late years been particularly active in support of Governor Penoyer's political aspirations. He has the ability to make a valuable member of the board of regents, tho' his appointment will not be apt to particularly gratify either republicans or democrats.—Journal.

AN exchange says: "A casual glance at a newspaper will show a list of men who helped build up the town. If you see a good-sized live advertisement in the paper by each of the principal merchants, and a card from each of the small ones, you need not inquire of the prosperity of the town—'tis solid. But if you find the most extensive merchants not advertising their business, then you set it down as a fact that those who do try to push their business and the town with its interests, have a hard time and an uphill journey all the year round."

ALL calculations about the presidential election it would be well to bear in mind that the electoral vote in 1892 will be the same as it was in 1888, with the addition of the votes of the six new states that have been admitted into the Union since the election of that year, namely, Washington, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming, and Idaho. The electoral vote of these states amounts to 19, which, added to 401, the number of votes in 1888, gives 420 as the vote in 1892, of which 211 will be the required majority.

FOR four months in the year butter here brings at retail 25 cents a pound; for other four months 30 cents is paid, and during the remaining four months 30 cents is paid, and during the remaining four months 35 cents. There is money in it. Every year less and less of this article that every one uses is brought from Iowa, but some is still imported from there and a great deal is brought from California. Under proper conditions there need not be a pound of butter brought or bought here outside the limits of Clatsop, Pacific and Wahkiakum counties.—Ex.

FESTON is California's new republican senator. He is probably as good and able a man as the other candidates who received any number of votes. But Oregon will continue to be head and shoulders in the lead so far as the Pacific coast representation in the upper house goes.—Statesman.

EASTERN PRESUMPTION.

It seems to be ingrained in the minds of eastern people that no one west of the Alleghenies possesses either brains or information enough to judge correctly of political questions. They have a self sufficient way of alluding to "western ignorance" which is sometimes amusing and sometimes exasperating. The latest exhibition of this self sufficiency was made by President Eliot of Harvard University in a speech at the Mercantile Exchange in St. Louis on Monday. He told the merchants that "the West is subject to that which we in the east are not—sudden waves of misinformed public opinion. Those in control should be properly informed. They should be taught the true doctrine year by year. You must relieve the minds of the people in this western country of these erroneous ideas." This speech happened to be of the exasperating kind. The calm assumption of superior knowledge for the east, and the cool reference to the erroneous ideas of the west, was too much for the audience, and the dissatisfaction was so manifest that President Eliot left the hall without waiting to be introduced to the merchants. The audience is not wholly to be blamed in the matter. During the whole of the recent discussion in regard to the financial system of the country, there has been a pretense on the part of the eastern bankers and gold men that they alone knew anything of the subject and that the western people were too ignorant to talk about it. The claim of such superiority of knowledge has not the slightest foundation to rest upon. It is not in the east alone that there are learned universities or careful students of economic topics, nor do the people of that section possess all the wisdom of the country. They seem in fact to be the most ignorant in the Union, for they are ignorant of the kind of men and civilization which have grown up in the west, and which make it what it is. Every now and then some display of this ignorance is made in regard to the western states and the Pacific coast. The matter is generally more amusing than annoying, but the east had better get rid of its own erroneous ideas before it talks so wisely of "waves of misinformed public opinion that flood the west."—San Jose Mercury.

THE Philadelphia Press publishes letters from a score of senators as to the preference of their states for president, in both parties. Blaine is the favorite for the republican and Cleveland for the democratic nomination. Senator Dolph writing in regard to Oregon, says: "In reply to your question with regard to the preference of political parties in Oregon to the presidential nomination for 1892, I would say that Secretary Blaine has for many years been a favorite candidate upon the Pacific coast. If he were to be a candidate for the presidential nomination in 1892 I have little doubt that a majority of the republicans in the state I represent would very strongly favor his nomination. Governor D. B. Hill, of New York has some warm admirers among the democrats in the state of Oregon, but now that he is wholly out of the presidential race by his acceptance of the United States senatorship from New York, I think, from all the expressions I have heard in regard to the matter from the democrats of my state, that a majority of the democratic party would favor the nomination of ex-President Cleveland."

OLD TIPPO TIB, the uncertain African spectre who has been a slave dealer, cannibal and general terror by turns, is reported to be paralyzed.

ACCORDING to some authorities the people of Oregon are not rolling stones.—Ex.

TOLEDO NOTES.

The Toledo Mill Co. have sold one-half interest in the large saw mill to Messrs. Logan and Hocker. Soon we shall hear the busy hum of the mill again.

Many of the citizens of this place attended the ball at Yaquina City last evening. All returned home sober on the morning train and say they enjoyed themselves fine.

Mr. E. W. Durkee, merchant of Chitwood, spent two days here last week and bought quite a stock of goods of Mrs. Copeland who is selling goods very cheap for cash.

R. F. Jones has gone to Portland on important business we understand.

The entertainment given by Mr. Bether pupils of "The Last Leaf" was highly appreciated by a large audience. VIOLET.

March 18, 1891.

IN comparison with the recent dignified session of the Oregon legislature, the following exciting scene which occurred in the California assembly Friday evening will appear a trifle out to people of this state. Bruner arose to a question of personal privilege, and denounced Bledsoe for giving a majority report of the investigating committee to newspaper reporters before it had been presented to and received by the assembly. Bruner moved to tears and finally sat down, crying like a child. In a moment his desk was surrounded by a score of members. Bledsoe sat in his chair and was approached by Low, of Santa Clara, Bruner's special friend and champion. He pointed to where Bruner sat and exclaimed, "That's your work, damn you." Bledsoe apparently fearing a personal attack, ran back to the farthest corner of the chamber and begged other members to protect him. Low's friends now rushed in and dragged him from the crowd. During all this time the greatest confusion prevailed. Several ladies were borne from the chamber in a fainting condition. Such scenes might be expected of a freshmen's debating society, but not of dignified legislators.

\$50,000 for the Botkin impeachment, \$150,000 for state printer, and not a cent for the World's Fair. This is alliance reform legislation, says a Kansas exchange.

LAWRENCE BARRETT, the eminent tragedian, died in New York City last week of heart failure. He has been suffering several days with a severe cold. He was 53 years old and leaves a wife and two daughters.

THE Louisiana State Lottery has located in Montreal, and the Canadian postal authorities promise to co-operate with this government in preventing it from using the mails for illegal purposes. That is reciprocity after all, remarks the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A CONSIGNMENT of Oregon flour, the first ever brought here, came down from Portland on the Geo. H. Chance.—Marshfield Sun. Think of that! No Oregon flour ever before consumed in such a section of the state, rich beyond description in resources! The same is almost true of nearly all the coast of Oregon. San Francisco is their market. They only come to Oregon when sent to the penitentiary, asylum or legislature.

THE Farm and Fireside of Springfield, Ohio, says: "It is a noteworthy fact that while all the old reliable farm journals are in hearty sympathy with the farmer's movement, very few of them advocate the two schemes of government loans of paper money on lands and on farm products. A number of them are warning the farmers that the movement will be wrecked if these schemes are not abandoned."

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