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FROM THE SON: "25 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882. Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the enclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case. Yours truly, W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the Sarsaparilla in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 72 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882. Yours gratefully, HIRSH PHILLIPS."

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The Only Slave Ever Sold in Oregon.

Were there ever any slaves bought and sold in Oregon, you ask? I know of but one case of this sort and the purchaser is a very well known character on the Portland streets. In 1853 Col. Jos. Teal, then a stout and vigorous young merchant doing business in Eugene City, purchased of Mr. Southworth a negro boy named Cole, and his grandmother, aged about 70. The price paid for these two servants was \$1000, and the bill of sale was drawn by Judge Stratton, then a practicing lawyer and afterwards Judge of the Second Judicial District in this State, and ex-officio justice of the Supreme Court of the Territory of Oregon. The bill of sale is in Judge Stratton's handwriting throughout, and is the most remarkable document in the State to day, outside of the public archives, because it is the title deed of the only sale of a slave that ever took place on the Pacific shores of the United States. I do not believe that any like document can be found recorded in a Court House in California, nor in Oregon, save the record of this one in Lane county. This is the only case I can cite of a citizen of Oregon having bought a negro, though I have known several of them to go out on election day and buy up a good many low-down white men. Col. Teal gave the old negro woman and her son their freedom nearly three years before the emancipation proclamation went into effect. They got a place on the "Long Tom" river, about three miles west of the present site of Junction City, where they earned a comfortable livelihood. There are hundreds of men within the State who have owned slaves at one time or another; but to the best of my belief there is but one man living in Oregon who can say that he bought and received possession of a slave within this State, and that man is Col. Joseph Teal.

The transaction between Col. Teal and Southworth was more of a loan of money than the purchase of a chattel, for Southworth needed money, and had nothing else that he could well afford to sell. Frequently in my life I have seen the time of an apprentice sold by one employer to another and this was just about a parallel case. So fit as any profit in the transaction is concerned, my belief is that Col. Teal was out of pocket, for the woman was superannuated. They were simply a bill of expense to the old man, and the boy was lazy beyond redemption. When the old grandmother died, somebody undertook to break the news gently to the lad, who answered: "Um! Is dat old Granny dead—I wonder ef she done finished dat ar pa'r o' corduroy trousers she was a-makin' fur me!" But this is the true inside history of slavery on the Pacific Coast, so far as it goes, and a correct record of the only sale of a human body within the State of Oregon.—Tom Merry in Sunday Oregonian.

Father and Son.

The success of the Democrats in Indiana, will, it is understood, insure the return of Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees to the United States Senate for another term. There is some talk of Hon. Joseph E. McDonald contesting for the place but he can hardly do so successfully unless an issue is made on the tariff—a question on which Mr. Voorhees is not in harmony with his party. But the probabilities are that the Legislature will return him to the Senate notwithstanding his departure from the faith in this particular. Mr. Voorhees as Senator will no doubt feel quite proud to greet his son as a Delegate from Washington Territory to the House of Representatives, for it is quite a distinction for one family to be thus represented in both branches of Congress. The son is said to possess many of the prominent peculiarities of the father, and the two will no doubt try to make life a burden to the officers and managers of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, in their advocacy of the forfeiture of land grants.—Daily News.

Cleveland's successor as Governor of New York, David B. Hill, is also a bachelor. Bachelors have reason to take heart.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15. P. Gorman, Chairman of the Democratic National Executive Committee, says that William H. Vanderbilt has not made any contributions to the National Democratic Campaign fund. "My reasons for wishing to deny the statement that Vanderbilt contributed \$150,000 or any other sum," says Mr. Gorman, "is that the story is put out with the malicious intent of creating a false impression that Cleveland and Hendricks received aid from that class of contributors and set of influences whose aid, when given at all, was wholly and unreservedly devoted to the service of Mr. Blaine, while the campaign of Cleveland and Hendricks was dependent wholly upon popular support, given for the most part in small sums. Some wealthy Democrats did their fair share, as did also some Independent Republicans of large means, but there was no aid from the large institutions likely to seek from the National Government new favors in the future or a continuance of the valuable privileges already enjoyed by them. Any part in the campaign taken by such bodies and parties was entirely on the side of Blaine and Logan."

Salt River.

In general terms Salt River is an imaginary stream up which defeated politicians are supposed to be sent to oblivion; but as a matter of truth the phrase "To row up Salt River" had its origin in the fact that there is a small stream of that name in Kentucky, the passage of which is made difficult and dangerous as well by its tortuous course as by the abundance of shallows and rocks. The real application of the expression is to the unhappy wight who has the task of propelling the boat up the stream; but in political or slang usage it is applied to those who are rowed up, as passengers. This is a little gratuitous information that we throw in for the benefit of those of our Republican readers who have forgotten, on account of age, we never know, on account of youth, the arduous labor that was cut out for them by the Democrats at the recent Presidential election.

The year 1900 will not be a leap year, although it is divisible by four without a remainder. In order to make a calendar and solar time agree as nearly as they can be got for years to come, the Georgian calendar drops three leap years out of ever four centuries, and these occasions are upon itself leap years as will not divide by 400 without a remainder, although they can be divided evenly by four. The 1600 was a leap year, but 1700 and 1800 were not, and 1900 will not be. The girls should make a note of this.

The United States Grand Jury on Saturday indicted Henry N. Barnhart and Francis Anderson, for killing an Indian policeman on the Umatilla reservation. They were tried in the State Circuit Court for Umatilla county for the above offense, and acquitted. Their present indictment is principally to test the question of jurisdiction, as it is claimed the State courts have no jurisdiction over offenses committed upon Indian reservations.

Robert Tomlin, of Georgia, owns large tracts of lands in Texas, and has refused \$70 an acre for one tract of 4,000 acres. When living in Paris just after the rebellion, he was asked how he supported himself. He replied: "I am eating an acre of dirt a day." He was selling Texas land at \$5 an acre, which was about his daily expenses.

A special from London says: The Tablet, the chief Catholic journal, and the Catholic Times both publish long editorial articles warmly congratulating America on Cleveland's election. The Belfast News says Blaine was defeated because of his action in the McSwain case.

The Democrats have the Illinois legislature on joint ballot by one majority. This legislature will choose a successor to Gen. Logan to represent Illinois in the United States Senate.