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A WORD TO THE WISE IS SUFFICIENT.

The people of Portland have at last heard some wholesome truths on the shipping question from a source which competes their attention.

Portland, as the natural center of the state, is bound to prosper with the prosperity of any other locality.

As President Meien intimates, the immense amount of money which has been squandered in the futile attempt to keep a 34-foot channel to Portland, if expended in developing the natural

SCOTT'S EMULSION

of cod-liver oil is the means of life and enjoyment of life to thousands; men women and children.

When appetite fails, it restores it. When food is a burden, it lifts the burden.

When you lose flesh, it brings the plumpness of health.

When work is hard and duty is heavy, it makes life bright.

It is the thin edge of the wedge; the thick end is food. But what is the use of food, when you hate it, and can't digest it?

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil is the food that makes you forget your stomach.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 First Street, New York.

advantages of Astoria and in perfecting and controlling rail communication between the two cities, would have placed Portland in the front rank as the business and financial center of the Northwest.

There is no port on the Pacific coast, San Francisco not excepted, which has been so well equipped by nature for a great shipping center as has Astoria.

Vessels can here be furnished with all requisite supplies, and try in many cases now so furnished by Astoria merchants, more cheaply than they can in Portland.

Portland, herself, has to admit that the great steamers now plying between America and the Orient do not wind their way up the shallow channel of the Willamette in anything like the numbers in which they are hastening to San Francisco, Seattle and even Tacoma.

The question is again presented to Portland for its consideration and decision. Will it heed the warning voice of President Meien or will it continue its selfish and fatal course till its opportunity to make Oregon an empire teeming with busy traffic and alive with industrial enterprises of every character will have passed away forever?

WHY THEY HAVE DESERTED BRYAN.

The following former Democrats explain why they will vote for McKinley: Elton T. Ransom, formerly Democratic assemblyman, of Ransomville, N. Y., says: "I have carefully watched President McKinley's course and cannot see where he has failed in duty as an able chief magistrate and an able patriot of lofty ideals."

Samuel J. Macdonald, of Newark, N. J., says: "Mr. Bryan's election would, without question, alarm the entire business world, and we know by sad experience the distressing and fearful consequences of such alarm."

John L. Blair, of St. Joseph, Mo., son of Frank Blair, Democratic candidate for the vice-presidency in 1868, says: "What I most wish to see now is that Mr. Bryan shall be so overwhelmingly defeated that he and all his Populistic ilk shall be forever banished from the Democratic party."

August Kresmer, manufacturer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "There can be no question to my mind that the Republican party is the only one that fully knows how to conduct the affairs of the country for its real prosperity. Acting under that belief, I have identified myself with the McKinley and Roosevelt League, and will devote the very little time I can get away from my business to progressing the fight against Bryanism."

George Sommerville, a prominent farmer, of Greenville, Ill., says: "I am satisfied with President McKinley's ad-

ministration; I have made more money in the past four years than I did under Cleveland's administration, and I believe the country is more prosperous than when under a Democratic administration. While I was not particularly in favor of taking the Philippine Islands, they have become our property; our flag waves over them and I am in favor of keeping it there."

P. H. Carlin, of Brooklyn, N. Y., leading builder and contractor, says: "The election of Mr. Bryan would be a lamentable mistake. If I did not sincerely believe this I would not turn my back upon the political teachings of my life. A series of disasters would follow his election to power. All confidence abroad in our financial stability would be destroyed, whether free silver could be at once adopted or not. Gold would be hoarded by the banks for self-protection, law or no law."

General William Crooks, formerly colonel of the Sixth Minnesota volunteers, of St. Paul, Minn., says: "In my opinion the administration of Mr. McKinley, in dealing with the questions that have arisen and have been most serious and difficult, has been honest, patriotic and national, and the American people will not forsake him while he is engaged in doing their will and upholding bravely, as he has, the honor of the nation at home and abroad."

Oscar Straus, minister to Turkey, of New York, says: "I am called a gold Democrat because I am opposed to a dishonest dollar. I opposed Bryan in 1896, and I will oppose him again."

Ex-Mayor Robert C. Davidson, of Baltimore, Md., says: "I would not vote for Bryan on a gold platform. I think he is even more dangerous than the platform he is on. I am against any man now and for all time who attempts to cheapen the price of the dollar we have now. Don't talk about Bryan to me."

Hon. J. N. Perrin, of Illinois, says: "The Filipinos had no business congregating an army 50,000 strong outside the city of Manila and starting a war with our soldiers after we had taken the city from the Spaniards, that same city never having been occupied by the Filipinos. I do not believe in saying to our soldiers over there that they are fighting for a wrong cause. I am an expansionist."

Ex-Controller Theodore W. Myers, of New York, says: "The Kansas City convention made a fatal mistake in keeping alive a dead issue. I cannot support by action or vote the free coinage of silver. I am one of a large number of discouraged Democrats who are wondering why in the name of common sense their party does not want their help and votes."

Francis H. Ruhl, of New York, says: "I never voted the Republican ticket in my life, and four years ago was out and out for the gold standard ticket. This year I am for McKinley for all I am worth."

William J. Curtis, member of the national Democratic committee, of New York, says: "The platform adopted and the candidates nominated at Kansas City show that the Democratic party under its present management no longer presents any attractions to the men who have always believed in sound Democratic principles."

John D. Crimmins, of New York, says: "Bryanism and Populism have dictated the ticket and the platform for the Democratic party. By adopting the 16 to 1 plank the convention has virtually defeated its own ticket and elected McKinley and Roosevelt. In my opinion Bryan will receive a worse defeat than he received four years ago."

George M. Feilmin, a farmer of Grand Island, Neb., says: "I was born and reared in Germany. I know what the result of free silver would be. Militarism is and when a Democratic politician tells me that I must be afraid of militarism I tell you he is either totally ignorant of what militarism is or he is totally dishonest in attempting to make me believe something which he cannot believe himself. The little fragment of an army this country has neither endangers the republic nor can cause the fine increase in the price of my farm products. I am going to vote for McKinley and I'd like to see the man that can stop me."

William J. McCarter, of Philadelphia, representing Hughes & Bradley, neckwear, says: "Like thousands of others I knew less about free silver than I cared to acknowledge, but I took Bryan's word for it. This year McKinley will receive my support. Why? The reasons for my change in sentiment are palpable. Everywhere I travel Bryan's platitudes are made more grotesque by the growing prosperity of the country. Mac is good enough for me this year, and that is just the way hundreds of other traveling men feel. This talk of an 'ominous silence' is bosh."

Widows are made, but poets are born.

It is exaggerating to one who knows Foley's Honey and Tar, and knows what it will do, to have a leader recommend a medicine, as 'just the same' or 'just as good' for colds, coughs, croup, in asthma, etc. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The man who is subject to hay fever should try to avoid grass widows.

Don't be deceived or humbugged by people who claim the discovery of some herbs unknown herb or root in swamps, or on some mountain or prairie, for the cure of kidney and bladder troubles. Any doctor or druggist will tell you that such claims are fraudulent. Foley's Kidney Cure simply contains remedies that are recognized by the most skillful physicians as best for these complaints, so don't be credulous or foolish. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Old maids were born in the wrong time of the moon, there was no man in it.

TO STOP A COLD. After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Nine out of every ten girls sing-or at least that's what they call it. I have always used Foley's Honey and Tar cough medicine and think it the best in the world." says Chas. Rogers, a newsboy of Erie, Pa. Take no substitute. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

It always unmales a woman when she obtains a divorce.

The editor of the Fordville, Ky., Miscellaneous writes as a postscript to a letter: "I was cured of kidney trouble by taking Foley's Kidney Cure." Take nothing else. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The old maid may be a trifle chit, but she's no spring chicken.

A CARD. The manufacturers of Banner Salve have authorized the undersigned to guarantee it for burns, cuts, sores, ulcers, letter, eczema and all skin diseases. You have your money back if it doesn't do all it claims. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Nothing succeeds like the species of a widow after a second husband.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE. High living, intemperance, exposure and many other things bring on Bright's disease. Foley's Kidney Cure will prevent it, cure it, and all other kidney or bladder disorders if taken in time. Take nothing else. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Cigarettes are now included in the up-to-date widow's weeds.

IT HEALS THE LUNGS. When suffering from a racking cough take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved and a warm, grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced. Take no substitute. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

WHITE COLLAR LINE

Columbia River and Puget Sound Navigation Company. Bailey Gatzert leaves Astoria daily except Sunday at 7 p. m.

White Collar Line tickets, O. R. & N. tickets and Iwaco Ry & Nav. Company tickets interchangeable on Bailey Gatzert and Hascall. Through Portland connection with steamer Nabotska from Iwaco and Long Beach points.

At Woodburn (daily except Sunday), morning train connects with train for Mt. Angel, Silverton, Brownsville, Springfield, and Nairn, and evening train for Mt. Angel and Silverton.

Rebate tickets on sale between Portland, Sacramento and San Francisco. Net rates \$17 first class and \$11 second class, including sleeper.

YAMHILL DIVISION. Passenger depot foot of Jefferson St. Leave for Oswego daily at 7:30, 9:45 a. m.; 12:30, 2:45, 5:15, 6:35, 8:45, 11:30 p. m. and 9:50 a. m. on Sunday only. Arrive at Portland daily at 6:35, 8:50, 10:50 a. m.; 1:35, 3:15, 4:30, 6:20, 7:40, 10:00 p. m.; 12:40 a. m. daily except Monday; 8:30 and 10:00 a. m. on Sundays only.

Leave for Dallas daily, except Sunday, at 4:30 p. m. Arrive at Portland at 9:30 a. m. Passenger train leaves Dallas for Astoria Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 2:45 p. m. Returns Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Notice is hereby given that the board of assessors have completed the special assessment for the improvement of Franklin avenue from the east line of Thirty-first street to the east line of the J. M. Shively's Donation Land Claim No. 5, in Township No. 4 North, Range No. 7 West, and the same has been filed with the au-

ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD.

Leave PORTLAND 11:15 a. m. 1:45 p. m. For Astoria and intermediate points. ASTORIA. 7:45 a. m. For Portland and intermediate points. 10:30 p. m.

SEASIDE DIVISION.

ASTORIA. 7:45 a. m. 1:45 p. m. SEASIDE. 11:30 a. m. 2:30 p. m.

All trains make close connections at Goble with all Northern Pacific trains to and from the East or Sound points.

Gen'l Frt. and Pass. Agent.

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