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Life is too short to nurse one's misery. Hurry across the lowlands, that you may spend more time on the mountain top.—Phillips Brooks.

AN INDEPENDENT PARTY. IN AN article reprinted on this page Mr. Hearst's newspapers make an appeal for an Independent party.

Mr. Hearst probably does not expect to carry any state next year, only to get his party in sufficient form and shape to be recognized and considered, as something to be reckoned with and to attract increasing hosts of discontented and disgusted voters.

But, not only the mass of Democrats, but many Republicans, will ask: "If the Democratic party should nominate Bryan or some such man, and stand sincerely and thoroughly in opposition to the forces which Mr. Hearst alludes to, why not try that party? What need of an Independent party? And is not an 'Independent party' a contradiction in terms? Can an 'Independent' be a 'party' man?"

WHEN POLITICIANS CONSPIRE. TO SOME eminent citizen with brains to discern an opportunity and courage to grasp it, a United States senatorship is beckoning.

THE END OF KOREA. JAPAN IN KOREA is simply seeking to possess and enjoy one of the fruits of its victory over Russia, as determined by the treaty of Portsmouth.

Small Change. If you must go, now is a good time. Hobson begins a letter, "I fear." It can't be possible.

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AN ANTIQUATED SHIP. TOO LATE, for the dead, complaint will be made that the Columbia was not constructed so as to withstand such a wound as was given her long enough to allow all passengers and crew to get safely off.

JAPANESE IMMIGRATION. "LET THEM STAY OUT," says the Philadelphia Telegraph, alluding to Japanese coolies, the source of which remark makes it noticeable.

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care that this home government will be but a figurehead, with no power. Even now Japan makes the sending of a Korean protest to The Hague an excuse for overturning the government and compelling the abdication of the emperor.

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DISTRICT NO. 2 LEADS ALL OTHER DISTRICTS Dallas Girl Still Has First Call on Scholarships and Cash Awards—District No. 4 Takes Second Place With Second Call—Other Contest News.

District Number 2. Contest district No. 2 comprises the Willamette valley except Multnomah county (which forms a district by itself) as far south as Eugene. Contestants in this district compete with one another and at the same time with all contestants in all parts of Oregon.

District Number 4. Contest district No. 4 comprises all of eastern Oregon and eastern Washington. Contestants in this district compete with one another and also against all other contestants.

District Number 1. This contest district is made up of Multnomah county and includes Portland. Contestants in this district compete with one another and, at the same time, with all contestants in other parts of the northwest.

District Number 3. Contest district No. 3 includes all that part of Oregon south of Eugene and the counties of Oregon bordering on the Pacific ocean. Contestants in this district compete against one another and at the same time against contestants in all other parts of the northwest.

Two districts having selected scholarships, the leader of another district now has a turn. The comparative standing of contestants gives the next call on the scholarships to William Russell of Portland, in district No. 2.

Endorsed by Newspaper. The Washington County News gives Miss Maud Hollinger a fine notice as a candidate for a scholarship and at the same time commends the plan of the Journal in giving out scholarships and the means of education in exchange for increasing its circulation.

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Free Scholarships for Boys and Girls in Leading Educational Institutions. Sums of Cash Also to Be Distributed Among Industrious and Meritorious Students Who Participate in The Journal Educational Contest.

STUDENT! What are you going to do during vacation? Have you decided what school or college you will attend next year? If not, how would a scholarship in one of the following excellent schools suit you?

- Hill Military Academy for boys, Portland, Oregon. Two scholarships; one scholarship with board, room, tuition, laundry and other expenses, choice of 1000 tuition in any of the numerous or better courses except language course or courses in locomotive running; another scholarship as a separate prize for tuition, value \$120.

CASH AWARDS SUPPLEMENT SCHOLARSHIPS

- 1. Cash, with first choice of scholarship, \$200
- 2. Cash, with second choice of scholarship, 150
- 3. Cash, with third choice of scholarship, 100
- 4. Cash, with fourth choice of scholarship, 75
- 5. Cash, with fifth choice of scholarship, 50
- 6. Cash, with sixth choice of scholarship, 35
- 7. Cash, with seventh choice of scholarship, 25
- 8. Cash, with eighth choice of scholarship, 15
- 9. Cash, with ninth choice of scholarship, 10

The How, The When, The Why

Free tuition and expense money during the school year are put within the reach of the deserving, energetic and persevering young people who reside within the circulation field of The Oregon Journal.

AWARDS MUST BE EARNED. Through the combination of awards above outlined any boy or girl has an opportunity, during the summer vacation, to earn cash and a scholarship. These rich rewards are to be earned, not by any lottery or game of chance, but by hard work and business ability.

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