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THE SILVER QUESTION

Huston Says Cleveland Will Have a Picnic with It.

HARRISON THE MAN FOR 1896

The Great Northern Railway Trying to Get a Steamship Rate Into San Francisco.

NEW YORK, March 17.—Ex-United States Treasurer Huston, speaking of the currency question, said he thought Cleveland was going to have a hot time trying to get congress to legislate to suit him in an endeavor to have the Sherman silver purchase act repealed. He said:

"I believe the majority in congress is for free silver, and if the president does not give the members what they desire in the way of patronage I predict a regular war on him. It rather looks like war now, and when the fur begins to fly the country will have infinite amusement. I do not think a single gold bond should be issued. We should stop the coinage of silver, for that is the only way to solve the financial problem."

"It is said you advocate ex-President Harrison for the presidency in 1896?"
"I think he would be a logical candidate. When the people have had time to consider his administration he will be a more popular man than now. The result may be his nomination again in 1896."

Italian Anarchists.

ROME, March 17.—A bomb was exploded in the Ancini Mattet palace, the official residence of United States Minister Porter early this morning. Fortunately nobody was hurt and but little damage was done to the building. No cause is known for the deed.

The building was occupied by two other families besides that of United States Minister Potter. As a similar outrage was perpetrated in the same building in 1892, and as Potter had only engaged the building for occupation in the closing days of that year, it is believed the fact of the place being inhabited by an American minister had nothing to do with the outrage, but that the motive for causing the explosion was to gratify a desire for vengeance upon the proprietor of the place, irrespective of whether the residents were injured or not. This was the motive suspected at the time of the first explosion, and there is no reason to take a different view.

Dave Hill's Boom.

TACOMA, Wash., March 17.—Senator David Bennett Hill, of New York, is to visit Washington in the fall and will address the annual meeting of the Democratic Society of Washington, to be held at New Whatcom. The announcement was made last night by one of the most prominent democrats in the state. According to his story the date is fixed, an invitation has been sent, and Senator Hill has accepted it. This trip, it is said, will mark the beginning of Senator Hill's presidential boom for the campaign of 1896.

May Retain Lincoln and Grant.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—A hint of Cleveland's policy of building up a new party is given. Following the selection of Judge Gresham for the cabinet, it is said, he is going to appeal to the sentimental republicans by keeping Minister Lincoln at London, and Minister Fred Grant at Vienna.

Another Transcontinental Railroad.

MONTREAL, Que., March 17.—Another railroad deal is on the tapis. A bill is before the Dominion parliament to in-

corporate the Atlantic & Pacific Railroad Company, amalgamating the Baides Chalennes, Great Eastern, Montreal & Sorel railway, Montreal Bridge Company, Ottawa Valley Railroad Company, Pontiac & Pacific Railway and Ontario & Pacific Railway Company into one company with a capital of \$10,000,000. The bill also empowers the company to construct a railway from Gaspé to St. Mary's Algoma. Power is also desired to connect with a line of railway in Michigan which gives color to the report that the scheme is backed by the Northern Pacific and is really destined to be a transcontinental line with numerous ramifications. The bill has been reported in committee and will pass the house.

Into San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—H. S. Johnson, formerly freight agent of the Union Pacific in this city, and recently appointed division freight and passenger agent of the Great Northern railway, has come here to confer with the Pacific Coast Steamship Company relative to making joint rates with it on shipments to and from San Francisco via Seattle and the Great Northern road.

It will be remembered that the Great Northern has recently extended its line to the Pacific coast at Seattle and seeks an entrance into this city by making a rate agreement with the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, the same as the latter has with the Northern Pacific via Tacoma. This agreement with the steamship company will be perfected in a few days.

The Oregon Pacific.

CORVALLIS, March 16.—E. W. Hadley, the new receiver of the Oregon Pacific, returned from San Francisco today, where he made a complete change in the company's business affairs. The salary expense in the San Francisco office has been reduced over one-half, and other important changes have been made. Everything is running harmoniously here under Mr. Hadley's management.

Through Rates to San Francisco.

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A Childless Home.

Smith and his wife have every luxury that money can buy, but there is one thing lacking to their happiness. Both are fond of children, but no little voices prattle, no little feet patter in their beautiful home. "I would give ten years of my life if I could have one healthy, living child of my own," Smith often says to himself. "No woman can be the mother of healthy offspring unless she is herself in good health. If she suffers from female weakness, general debility, bearing-down pains, and functional derangements, her physical condition is such that she cannot hope to have healthy children." Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a sovereign and guaranteed remedy for all these ailments. See guarantee printed on bottle-wrappers.

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The Millers Combine.

A combination of flour millers has been formed at the Portland meeting held last week. It will incorporate under the name of the Northwest Flour and Shipping Company. The milling firms concerned comprise about one-half of the concerns now represented in the Oregon and Washington Millers' Association, which was in session at St. Charles during two days. For the present the new company will capitalize for \$20,000. The 20 mills represented have a capacity of about 2000 barrels daily.

It is proposed to erect a warehouse in Portland at once, and to send out agents to dispose of the products of the mills which will be stored here.—Capital Journal.

Mrs. Shaw Confesses.

Mrs. Shaw, who was arrested with Gallin, for the murder of her husband, near Baker City, has made a confession. She states that Gallin, with whom she has been intimate, killed her husband with a hammer, and then carried the lifeless body to the barn. He then dispatched a boy to town to spread the report that Shaw had been kicked to death by a horse. In the meantime the murderer burned the handle of the hammer and threw the head of it in the deep snow, where it was afterwards found.

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