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"I was troubled for years with a sore on my knee, which several physicians, who treated me, called a cancer, assuring me that nothing could be done to save my life. As a last resort, I was induced to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and, after taking a number of bottles, the sore



began to disappear and my general health improved. I persisted in this treatment, until the sore was entirely healed. Since then, I use Ayer's Sarsaparilla occasionally as a tonic and blood-purifier, and, indeed, it seems as though I could not keep house without it." Mrs. S. A. FIELDS, Bloomfield, Ia.

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The Only World's Fair Sarsaparilla.
Ayer's Pills Regulate the Liver.

PERSONAL MENTION

Rev. W. C. Curtis went to Hood River this morning.

Mrs. Hal French left for Hood River on the Regulator this morning.

Mrs. A. C. Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phelps left this morning for Stevenson on a camping trip.

Mr. S. L. Brooks left for Sherman county this morning.

Messrs. H. C. Howe and R. S. Andrews of Hood River, who have been attending the institute, returned home today.

Messrs. Lieba, Hinton, Gibbons, Schanno, Myers and Montgomery left on the afternoon train for Hood River and will institute a degree of Royal Arch Masons there this evening.

Oregon Press Association.

On August 20th and 21st the Oregon Press Association will meet at Astoria. The program is as follows:

Address of welcome; response; president's annual address; reports of officers; "The Editor and the Public Schools," D. M. C. Gault; "Newspaper Legislation," M. L. Pipes, ex-president; "A Subscription List in Oregon," C. S. Jackson, East Oregonian; "Personal Reminiscences," Dr. J. N. R. Bell, ex-president; "The Local Press," C. B. Irvine, Salem Statesman; "National Editorial Association," Charles Nickell, Jacksonville Times; "The Specialty Press," Frank Lee, Pacific Farmer; "Junketing," J. R. Beagle, St. Helens Mist, ex-president; "Normal Schools," A. Noltner, Dispatch; "Observations of the Oregon Press," J. B. Eddy, ex-president; "The Daily Press," John Gratke, Astoria Budget; "Western Editorial Federation," E. J. Kaiser, Record, Ashland; "Newspaper Hypnotism," Ira L. Campbell, Eugene Guard; "Newspaper Fakes and Fakery," L. Samuel, ex-president; also Mrs. O. S. England of Salem and Mrs. A. S. Duniway of Portland have been assigned places on the program. Editors A. W. Patterson, George B. Small, S. S. Train, Professor F. E. Blochberger, F. J. Nutting, E. B. Piper, Hon. S. L. Moorhead, Robert Johnson and V. P. Fiske will give five-minute talks on subjects yet to be assigned them.

The Wage-Earner Deluded.

New York Tribune.
Let not the wage-earner delude himself into the belief that it would be the great fortunes which would lose most from a 53-cent dollar. He himself would be the chief sufferer. He would buy less with his income, he would get cheap money back for the good money he put in the bank; his widow would get only 53 cents for every dollar he meant her to have from his life insurance. Perhaps his wages ultimately would go up to some extent, but his expenses would go up more, and the dollar he had already laid by would go down.

A Boom for Copper.

Chicago Post.
If the 53-cent silver dollar will bring prosperity and give money to all the people, the 8-cent copper dollar will bring

those blessings in greater measure. If the debtor can save 47 cents on every dollar under free silver, he can save 97 cents on every dollar by paying with a 3-cent copper dollar. The copper bug certainly has a better scheme than the silver bug. If the arguments of the silver bug are sound, those of the copper bug are sounder. But let us suspend judgment, brethren, until we hear from the man with the leather dollar.

The Issue is Pure Silver.

New York Sun.
Stop bothering your head about the figures 16 to 1; leave the gold standard out of the question, for there is no direct issue upon it, and consider the real issue, silver.

A lump of silver of a certain size, 371 1/4 grains in weight, is today worth 53 cents. The Bryan proposition is that the government shall stamp it a dollar. That would be fiat money-making of the same sort as the government setting its printing presses to work and turning out without limit dollars of paper.

It is fiat dishonesty. It is pregnant with trouble for every man, laborer or capitalist, who lives by industry, and it would leave to the United States the hurt of lasting mistrust in the mind of every industrial investor and leader, American and foreign.

A Martyr Turned Down.

New York World and Express.
Ex-President St. John, of the Mercantile National bank, is a wiser if not a sadder man than when he resigned his position in preference to his free-silver convictions and hastened to Chicago to become a national figure. Every platform suggestion he made to the men who had been patting him on the back was turned down unmercifully.

Kather One-Sided.

New York World, Dem.
Not a single Democratic newspaper of consequence in New York, New England, Pennsylvania, Maryland or Delaware supports the ticket thus far. Of 700 German papers that discuss politics, only 31 approve the platform. There are 1,200,000 German-American voters throughout the Union, mostly in close states.

A Mexican Object-Lesson.

Buffalo Express.
An object-lesson on the silver question was furnished by a national bank in New York, which offered \$10,000 in Mexican silver for \$4600 in United States money. Under free coinage, our money would be treated in international transactions as Mexico's now is.

Democratic Sarcasm.

Chicago Chronicle.
The Kid candidate favors "carrying the war into Africa." A good beginning has certainly been made in the nomination of candidates from states that never cast an electoral vote for a Democrat.

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Through trains on the O. R. & N will run via Umatilla, Walla Walla and Pendleton. Through sleepers, first and second class will run in connection with the Union Pacific, the same as heretofore. A through first-class sleeper from Portland to Spokane, connecting with the first-class sleeper to St. Paul and a through tourist sleeper from Portland to St. Paul, will be run in connection with the Great Northern railway.

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