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THE CAYUSE TWINS.

Charles W. Zeigler, who was captain of the Pendleton baseball team during the early part of last season, is now practicing law in Canton, O. He sends the following verses written as a greeting from Major Leo Moorhouse's Cayuse twins to the babies of Ohio:

Tox-cox and A-lump-pum-been
As sweet little Indians as ever been seen,
To the babes in the East send a greeting kind,
And to further acquaintance are inclined.

While our brave papa hunts the antelope
In the Mountains Blue, on rugged slope,
Or the wild deer stalks, or hunts the bear,
Or braves the cougar within his lair;

Our dusky mamma weaves blankets gay,
Of bright-lined yarn, all the livelong day,
Or plaits from the wild grass baskets queer
And leaves us bound in our cradles here.



The Cayuse twins have no excuses
For being such crying young mopeoses;
But now, both quiet, with a good cry,
Indite this brief little message to you.

You babies in the East, where the crummette grow,
Who, cradles and soft, downy pillows know,
Would you wish Cayuses like us to be,
Cradled tight in our baskets, as here you see?



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"We live in a land where the brown hills lie
All parched and bare beneath a cloudless sky;
Where naught that is restful, and bright and green
Save the sage and the bunch-grass may be seen.

Or do you prefer your own soft nest,
Where mamma may sing to lull you to rest,
And by your bed does she patient watch keep,
After you go to the Isles of Sleep?
—CHARLES W. ZEIGLER.

HAS PULMONARY TROUBLE

YOUNG GRAND DUKE OF RUSSIA HOPELESS.

With the Demise of the Czar and Czarowitz Without a Son the Diadem of the Romanoffs Passes to the Grand Duke Vladimir.

The announcement was made last August that the czarowitz was engaged to marry the second daughter of the Grand Duchess Anastasia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, the Duchess Cecile Augustine Marie. It is regarded as a significant fact that no date has been set for the union, nor have any preparations been made for the event. To put it plainly the condition of the young grand duke is regarded as hopeless unless the climate of the Crimea should work a miracle. The pulmonary disorder with which he is suffering is complicated by a tendency to diabetes.

These diseases have worked frightful mischief among the collateral branches of the house of Romanoff and have already found shining marks in the ranks nearest the throne.

With the demise of the czarowitz and the czar without a son the diadem of the Romanoffs, the richest prize attainable by human ambition, would pass to the eldest uncle of the czar, the Grand Duke Vladimir, who is in his fifty-fifth year. Vladimir is in vigorous health, well educated, and an experienced administrator. He has traveled over Europe and much of Asia. He was greatly esteemed by the late czar and enjoys the confidence of the dowager czarina, who is the most influential figure among the reactionary forces that control Russian councils. She and Vladimir have had many differences as to Russia's Asiatic program and there was a brief estrangement, but cordial relations have been resumed.

Vladimir is very popular in Vienna

and Paris. His manner is engaging and his handsome person is familiar to the boulevardiers. When visiting here he has always gone about the city in an unconventional way and is altogether more democratic than any other member of the reigning family of Russia.

In a careful dispatch to his paper the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Politische Correspondenz of this city says: "Vladimir, while too strong a man to be dominated by the military party, has little sympathy with the political doctrines of Nicholas. He embodies the prudence of the Romanoffs. Like all Russians, he is full of craft. But his tendencies are toward the fulfillment of Russia's so-called traditional mission, and the imperial scepter would be wielded by him with no special deference to that wise principle of arbitration, of which Nicholas is the most illustrious exponent."

How it Will Work.

The New Orleans Times-Democrat (dem.), which does not take much stock in talk of tariff revision "by its friends" recalls the following anecdote: "I see that the republicans have been revising the tariff," said the late Roswell P. Flower, of New York, to Thomas B. Reed, in commenting on the McKinley rates. "Yes?" inquired Mr. Reed. "Yes," said Mr. Flower, "and do you know what it reminds me of?" "No," said Mr. Reed. "What does it remind you of?" "Well," said Mr. Flower, "it reminds me of the way the farmers build their fences out in Kansas. They build 'em four feet high and six feet wide. And when a cyclone come along and blows them over, they're higher than they were before." "That's the kind of 'tariff revision' the country always gets when the republicans go into the 'revising' business," says the Times-Democrat.

William C. Johnston, a painter, was run over by a heavy truck in Portland, Sunday, and had both legs crushed.

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