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FLORENCE, LANE COUNTY, OREGON.

BIMETALLISM.

All men of fair minds will read and consider the candid opinions of other men, especially if such opinions emanate from students. England is credited with being a monometallist government, and her statesmen and scholars favoring the one standard policy, A piece of history, however, proves quite the contrary. Mr. Belfour has announced himself as a friend of bimetallism, and Mr. W. H. Grenfell resigned not agree with the financial policy of dream. But kill outright that offspring the Gladstone ministry. The argument of a decrepit ambition to "tinker with of these gentlemen, both weighty and the tariff," and the nation will be at popular, is that there is not enough gold to meet the requirements of a tivity. There is no disputing with the world-wide standard of value, and scarcity of the metal increases its value and thus benefits the creditor class to the table, loss of the debtors. "Trade is," Mr. A No less important fact, according to can's ideal has not yet been attained. Grenfell states, "carried on by means of a report in the Guard, than that the In- Militarism remains a power behind the borrowed money. However much gold vestigating Committee will bring suit presidential chair; and the prerogative may increase in value, debts contracted against Sheriff Noland at the next term of the yeto is as potent in the hands of a in gold have to be repaid in gold, with of the court to recover constructive Fonseca or a Piexoto as in the hands of no allowance for the appreciation which mileage, will be followed with interest, a Dom Pedro-as potent but not so sahas taken place since the contraction of Has all the money been spent and time cred. The Chamber of Deputies fears the debt. The debt and the interest re- expended and an insinuating report the establishment of a dictatorship. Here comes the Rural Northwest main the same, and the unfortunate made to fall into a legal dispute about They protest against Piexoto's dual po- touching upon the two fairs as follows: borrower, the man of enterprise and act the right of a sheriff to take mileage sition and treble power as president and While the Portland Exposition receives self-control is better than the best that tivity, is obliged to struggle against fall- called constructive? It is reasonable to marshal or commander-in-chief of the no aid from the state and is not primanely ing markets with a weight round his suppose that the sheriff would have army. They have therefore introduced rily intended to exhibit the agricultural These statements we find in an article tive if asked his practices in the matter, vice-president from second terms of of- many respects more of an agricultural

says that the demonetizing of silver in -nothing more. Germany, Italy and the United States result need not be pointed out. As an why have we always suffered when it may triumph for a time in the other to that idea. When with that declara-finished human character. illustration of such condition we copy a was in force? Free trade does not re- South American republics, but in Brazil tion is coupled commendation of Cleve- We all love those whom we benefit,

bought in 1873. Yet the unfortunate debtor must pay the full nominal sum by sane men. borrowed-that is to say, his debt is practically increased 50 per cent. Can a

ple squabble."

from men who cannot be put down as if it can be, by close reasoning from always met at last by the eternal fact Therefore the eyes of Brazilian patriots bright, educated men, and with the that there are some places better to live turn to de Moraes as the coming man. tor of the Oregonian to answer it.

OUR MAIL SERVICE.

A very common occurrence happened Saturday that furnishes us with a text for an article on the mail service from tle history is necessary. This mail contract was let to the lowest bidder at \$795 of the better towns, per year. The Government requires the Florence at 1 o'clock the following day, a distance of 801/2 miles. For the past boat had other work to do, and being What reformers we are! obligated in no bonds and receiving litfrom complaint for these omissions of tories and commerce. duty. But against these menacing cessors of these carriers, for the benefi- that place, ing reported for failures in the delivery gon pine.

gressive young men, who have inaugur- kyrie.

THE WEST. ated themselves into a body for defense gainst destroying flames, is commend--PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY MORNING, - able. As fast as the financial condition of the city will permit, they should be amply equipped with articles for their

> Well, we are no nearer the prosperous times so stoutly promised than when too much to hope that we will see the which, apparently, everybody misunderstands, be the outcome of extra session, it will enliven manufacturing wheels like the memory of an evil once transformed from inactivity to aceternal verities, and of all the verities the death of free trade is the most veri-

neck which is constantly increasing." answered the question in the affirma- a bill disqualifying the president and resources of the state, it appears in written by this gentleman in Fortnightly. and thus much saved in money to pros- fice. This measure has passed both fair than the state fair. It was a notice-The most forcible proof in support of cente the suit. From present appear- houses within a fortnight; but Piexoto able fact also that last year, at least, no ing it and conquering it. this quotation is to be had from Prof. ances it looks like a device for getting (Portuguese Paashoto) ill-advised by his part of the exposition appeared to be Foxwell, Professor of Political Economy over a troublesome and perplexed situaat University College, London. He tion to find howis for howling Populists of a half century, has attempted to kill and exhibit. There are some people and with no character behind them, are

has increased the demand for gold by Protective tariff, carefully built up his lack of statesmanship and inability \$1,000,000,000. Austra-Hungary has by the only representatives of the people to comprehend the spirit of the times. since set up a demand for \$175,000,000, during the past twenty years, is to be The Brazilians may have much to learn "Take, for example, the case of a man United States that will tolerate this free exoto in 1894. But such has been the purpose of the democratic party.—Ore- our love for humanity begins to grow who in 1873 borrowed £142. Prices trade caprice of the aristocratic antiqua- success of the revolutionists that the gon City Enterprise, have fallen to such an extent that £92 rian Congress, and it is a proposition to President may congratulate himself if

EVERY honest voter will rejoice if system which permits of such arbitrary Congress should ever get rid of that in-

floods came and the river rose and the Piexoto will be deposed.

three years the boat has laid down the were not ready, and the sound alike of foes. Before that long session had have arrived at 1 o'clock. Saturday the themselves are as silent as the grave. around him, foreing him into the Presi-

tle pay, did not wait for the arrival o The last census shows some facts that by only twenty out of two hundred and publican. the pay, did not want for the arc interesting. We have been taught eighty-three seats. In his political Cleveland will listen to no compromonotony, but live in a continual rush sympathize strongly with the contractthat the agricultural class outranks all principles DeMoraes is inclined to be a mise with the senate. The Cleveland of changes, thereby blunting the power ors, who undertook a service over a others, but the census proves that 23,- Conservative of the new regime. Though ear wasn't built that way. Nothing but for good of any change, others are so route 80% miles in length at a little 010,000 inhabitants are supported by sympathizing strongly with the aspira-

A FIRE company composed of our pro- for the American Cup, beating the Val- of faction and party. But against these ministration. Gold standard or noth-

EX. STAR EDITORIALS. THE REVOLUTION IN THE RIO.

For almost fifty years Brazil, as an Empire, enjoyed nearly all the advantnine years Dom Pedro ruled with a strong but sympathetic hand. He was model constitutional monarch. He vetoed any measure of reform on which the people had set their hearts. If he disapproved of any bill introduced into the Chamber of Deputies or the Senate, he relied on his ministers, who sition, he contented himself with predicting its unpopularity, and trusted his vindication to the people and to ime. But the people were not satisfied. They feared the succession of a princess whom they did not love; they yearned for the republic, and knew it could be secured from Dom Pedro. The Emperor abdicated in peace, and all the world

wondered at a bloodless revolution.

But her sister democracies have applauded Prazil too soon. The Republithe bill by the repeated exercise of the veto. Like Fonseco, he is a victim of

monstrons to be seriously put forward he saves his head, not to speak of his The wage earners of America will are too patriotic not to see the wisdom themselves; those who are married less than our best. reasons why Southern representatives Custodio Jose de Mello, and Sr. Pru-In 1881 Bismarck said: "Gold has be- are clamoring for its repeal, will do a dente de Moraes, President of the Senpealers, if they live at all, will live un-Such evidence as we have quoted, that der the everlasting brand of public inthe single standard is not sufficient to dictment and pass into oblivion which American politicians, and especially the Do what you will, and argue as close- naval power is no more welcome in the position of Prof. Foxwell will be refuted, ly and skillfully as you may, you are field of politics than that of the militia.

logs float unaided into the bay to supply De Moraes is still a comparatively shut out by a simple statute. Preventhe mills; the river's channel is deepyoung man—just turned the half cention is much cheaper than cure.—Oregothe mental attitude of prejudging. When Eugene to Florence. At the onset a litber for outlading and-Florence is one life and respected by the great majority fraud. But the Government officials to his friends and strict justice to his can. dential contest and losing the election, closed a single factory or thrown a soliover \$5.25 per day, it has kept them agriculture, and 27,140,000 by manufactions of the revolutionists, his regard for to soothe his savage breast.—Klamath to soothe his savage breast. the constitution has kept him, and will Star. public evils there will be no quarter It is to be hoped that the bombard- probably keep him on neutral ground his success will be, if he undertakes to a few hours. - Corvallis Gazette. restore peace and lead again to progress, ces of the Government are ample, and if THE mast and spars of the Valkyrie, is a sphinx riddle which only the future Another stroke of democratic paralythe contractor fails to get them he must the English yacht here to contend for can solve. In Brazil, as in Canada and sis will wind up a multitude of glory suffer the consequences incident to be- the American's Cup, are made of Ore- in every cizilized state, the greatest of shouters.—Roseburg Plaindealer. national dangers are the selfish ambi-THE yacht Vigilant won the first race tions of petty politicians and the spirit No compromise on the part of the ad menacing evils pure patriotism and in- ing.

tellectual statesmanship will in the end prevail. Brazilians may not have the patient Saxon souls to await the constitutional development of "Liberty broadening down from precedent to precedent," but they love liberty none the less. And the Canadians hereafter need from the cynic's sneer, but rather extends to Brazil sympathy as for a sister in distress. This is the lesson of the freedom. And of the ultimate result there can be but little doubt. The stars in their courses fight against Sisera .-

quick to hear the aged, infirm and crippled defenders of the nation referred to as "beggars," "dead beats," "camp followers," and "coffee-coolers." His feelings were outraged by the declarations which emanded from the very precincts of his own private office that

short after he can things well in hand. It was only by his helplessness to do otherwise, while engineering other branches of his department, that his pension clerk was permitted to strike

ake more pleasure in seeing the empty and powerless.

When a democratic state convention

gress which met to draft the new con- Willamette valley. It has rained so listeners-certainly we are no longer Ir was long ago when President of stitution of the Republic, he demonstrat- steadily the past two months in Eastern impartial or fair ones. We welcome mail to be taken up at Eugene at 7 the Senate Fulton said: "We are ready ed how much power a competent pre- Oregon that we are now entitled to that which agrees with our notions and o'clock in the morning and delivered in for trial now," as one of his clients apsiding officer can wield even in an as-full fellowship with our neighbors which is corposed to them we ignore and peared to answer to a charge of customs sembly of revolutionists by impertiality across the mountains.—Inland Republiforget. We are not great enough to lis-

when the re-letting is done. A pitiful ment of Rio is abandoned as is reported till the crisis has been passed. He is The United States senate should learn have by constant habit become so wedded to monotony that they have lost the story of inadequate compensation need by Captain Picking, commander of the not be set up as a defense by the suc- United States cruiser Charleston now at between the contending factions. What boomers, who made their settlement in gitimate delights of change. Where

Literary.

TRUST THE CHILDREN. Trust the children! Never doubt them! Build a wall of love about them

After sowing seeds of duty, Trust them for the flowers of beauty. Trust the children! Don't suspect them! Let your confidence direct them. At the hearth, or in the wildwood, Meet them on the plane of childhood Trust the little ones! Remember

Let no words of rage or madness Check their happy notes of gladness Trust the little ones! Yet guide them! And, above all, ne'er deride them Should they trip, or should they blunder, Lest you snap love's cords asunder.

Trust the children! Let them treasure Mother's faith in boundless measure, Father's love in them confiding, Then no secrets they'll be hiding.

Who for such once sweetly pleaded. Trust and guide, but never doubt them, Build a wall of love about them. A man who looks close to the ground

Trust the children, just as He did,

will see dirt. There is no sound basis of power but

Nothing can be more sacred than a

The great secret of success in life is to be ready when your opportunity comes. Beautiful lives are never wasted, they are more powerful than eloquent words. The secret of being loved is in being lovely; and the secret of being lovely is

The poorest education that teaches

Self-will is so ardent and active, that it will break a world to pieces to make a

Hard blows on marble in its cutting products of the orchard, dairy and trimming, and patient and persist- Goods as Represented. Prices Will be Found Reasonable form than in gazing at a horse trot. ent effort at its polishing are essential in the process of transforming the rude in the process of transforming the rude block as it comes from the quarry into Knowles & Cettys, making a total of \$1,175,000,000 with In- hastily, recklessly and wantonly de- in the art of self-government; but one in financially conservative Massachu- the finished statue which is a center of dia and the United States again to be streyed by a body of men who, be they thing is certain, they will not tamely setts declares in favor of a state banking admiration in the gallery. Yet no heard from. This demand for gold be- better or worse, came into power by ac- surrender the liberties for which they system, it becomes evident that the statue ever formed by the hand of man ing so much greater than the supply, the cident. Is free trade tolerable? If it is fought in 1822 and 1831. Militarism party at large is pretty fully committed cost such determined effort and such un-

paragraph in the Professor's own words, flect the sentiments of the people in an its day is done. Even the best leaders land's attitude toward the Sherman law, and, as soon as we find ourselves actuinformal way. There is no part of the of the army oppose the re-election of Pi- there is a strong hint as to the ulterior ally interested in benefiting humanity, and develop. It is a sifting process, too; how much inferior and unfaithful work does it cast out? If we are laboring only for our own profit, we shall do chances for a second term. His army have a lot of reasons to vote the repubis demoralized by political discussions lican ticket when they get a chance. to demand; but, if we are also laboring within its ranks. Many of it officers They will each have one reason for the welfare of man, we cannot do less than our best.

Sherman repeal bill passed, known as the Federal Election Law. The members decomposed writings we have were liest economic writings we have were liest economic writings we have were protests against the wrong and mischief caused by such changes."

bers who take this matter in hand and mercilessly and exhaustively expose the caused by such changes."

caused by such changes."

sharing their happiness, and lose far more than we gain. If we avoid sympathy and wrap ourselves round in a pathy and wra Congress has been in session two cold chain-armor of selfishness, we excome too scanty a blanket, which every lasting service in the interests of a pure ate. Admiral de Mello is a skilled naval ate. one struggles for and which makes peo- ballot box. If it is repealed, the re- officer, and possesses all the qualifica-

on the first day of the season. Verily, It is a reflection upon the intelligence, objections to him as a head of the State the mills of the gods (?) grind slowly, good sense and good feeling of any one objections to him as a head of the State the mills of the gods (?) grind slowly, good sense and good feeling of any one objections to him as a head of the State the mills of the gods (?) grind slowly, good sense and good feeling of any one objections to him as a head of the State that he ever complains of meeting unmeet the demands of trade, emanates awaits all corrupt and worthless things. objections to him as a head of the Strate A great deal of sound argument has that he ever complains of meeting unas those urged against Piexot. The been presented pro and con, and more such an one to do is to cultivate congesound than there was any need of .- niality with every one he meets. He may rest assured there is something in each that will respond to the effect, It will cost \$10,000,000 to deport the some element in character which will deepest sincerity in the implied compli- in than others. Florence is one of the deepest sincerity in the implied compli- in than others. Florence is one of the As president of the Senate, in the legal 150,000 Chinamen in the United States. ment and for the truth, we ask the edibetter places. The rains have fallen order of things, he should succeed to Meanwhile our lax immigration laws heart which will gain his regard; some recently and here are the salmon in Piexoto, who, as vice-president, sucabundance, the catching of which is enriching the pockets of many men. The course, what now seems probable, that ers, much more objectionable as residents than the Chinese. These could be reward him for his trouble of cultiva-

we begin to listen, we quickly take sides for or against, as critic or advocate, and of Brazilians. As president of the Con- Web foot is no longer confined to the from that moment we cease to be good mail at this office at from 6 to 9 o'clock President Fulton's voice in the defense ended, a great party, comprising the With all their effrontery, no demo- with avidity to that which we like, and on the evening of the day that it should of his clients and the prosecutions best elements in both Houses, railied cratic organ has yet had the hardihood turn a deaf ear to the opposite. As, the whole landscape assumes that color dential contest and losing the election, notwithstanding the power of the army,

rect them into any unaccustomed channel when the proper time comes. They have by constant habit become so wedever they go they carry their burdens and cares with them. In the midst of eye for her beauties nor ear for her harmonies; they are living over and over again their business details-living, in fact, the same monotonous life that they did all the preceeding months. Their vacation is a mere hyphen-nothing in been with what will be.

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