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INDEPENDENT

Truth Fitly Spoken.

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ARIZONA INDIANS.

The horror of another Indian outernment and the happiness of a people. break in Arizona has startled the coun-I was always sorry fora family who had try. The remorseless savages, fattened no home, but had to dedge about from and caressed by the Government, have again broken through the restraints of orchard to improve, no flowers to love the reservations and are carrying and nurse, no sacred spot, no castle, as death and terror to the ranchmen ard Blackstone calls it, I don't know how miners of the Territory. Their path other people prize it, but my home is the of bloed is marked by the slain, by dearest spot on earth to me and my blazing roof trees and desolated homes family. There is no place like home-Terror and dismay appall the communot a rented home, forever wanting renity. Every where is peril. The pairs, but a home to live and die in, sense of insecurity is pervading, and which the boys who have found work crowds of panic-stricken fugitives afar off can look back to with affection crowd the towns for safety. Homes and revisit with pure delight, and where are abandoned, mines are left unthe good wife and daughter can plant worked, the ranches are given up to the vine and rosebush and sow the the savages, and scenes of desolation and flower seed, and the orchard and the horior which only a savage war on the grape-vines bring their fruit in due seafrontier can occasion take the place of son. It won't do to say that the poor the peaceful and smiling prosperity are too lazy to work and buy land and which so latsly distinguished the Ter- have a home. They haven't been tried. ritory. They don't get encugh for their labor to

All this comes, says the San Fran- lay up anything. They are not encourcisco Examiner, from the policy of the aged. Vanderbilt and company get all Government in dealing with the Indi | they make over and above a poor living, ans. It makes the savages masters by and Vanderbilt must be protected. The concentrating them in vast numbers on | trouble is our people have got hardened reservations in the heart of the Territo fixing a minimum price upon labor, tory. It renders the Indians formidjust enough to feed and clothe the able and menacing by supplying them family stingily, with no margin for old with arms and acoutrements for incesage or sickness, much less a house. sant warfare, and by training their What does all this mean that three most intelligent warriors to military syndicates are bying up all the land of skill in the capacity of army scouts. the great west, 700,000 acres and 300, It reduces the settlers to the n ecessity 000,000 acres in Texas, and large tracts of becoming mere pensioners on the in Arkapsas? Why don't the United good will and precarious friendliness of States government buy it up and save barbarians with whom war is a pastime | it for homes for our people? The govand slaughter a delight. It pampers ernment gave away 100,000,000 of the savage, excuses his merciless outbreaks, extenuates his crimes and con ciliates his sullen temper, instead of road-more land than is obtainable in whipping him into submission when any four States in the Union except his restless impulses urge to the war Texas, and our statesmen made no propath. There is no safety to the frontier un- hands of a few, and so is the land. der such conditions. The military pretection afforded to the people of Arizona has never been anything more than out agrarianism and robbery, and hire a pretense and an apology. The savges regard the military with scorp, scare off the little ones and so it goes. and treat it with contempt. The army | What we need are statesmen, not hirehas never harmed them. It is used to lings. We want fearless men who afford them amusement instead of inspiring fear. It is the plaything of surplus wealth, these bloated fortnnes, their idle hours. What, then, is to be done? We say After a man has accumulated \$100,000 that if the government cannot or will not protect them, the people of Arizo- he accumulates the heaver the rate; and na may be expected to prorect themselves. If there is a spot in their all the excess, if necessary, to equalize midst which the government maintains as a menace to their property and lives it ought not to be suffered to exist. humble homes-for the people. A Desperate diseases require desperate man with ten acres and a house of his remedies-and San Carlos is a diease. The surgeon in dealing with a dreadful 'ower of strength to his government in ulcer which threatens the life of his patient does not hesitate to apply the knife; and the people of Arizona will not to hunger and thirst for more, for not hesitate to doctor their terrible he can't need it, and it makes a dog of malady. If in doing this some start him to heard it up. Who has any reling and appalling tragedy results, spect for such men as Vanderbilt, or frightful and terrible in its consequences, the sin of the event will belong to the government whose weakness and folly inspire alike the contempt and commiseration of civilized men. COUNTING THE CASH .-- There has been a great parade made over counting the cash in the treasury of the United States, preparatory to turning is over to the new Treasurer Wyman. It seems that this has not been done for ten years, though there have been several changes of officers during that time. Some sixty persons are engaged in the work, which is expected to occupy two or three weeks, as there is supposed to be in the treasury nearly \$400,000,000. The counting com-

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The Plaindealer in fast week's issue labors through about half a column of billingsgate garbage headed "Independet Misrepresentaand a living chance. Give a family a tious." in which it assumes to take us to home of their own and it is the best task for publishing a statement of the facts of the trial and acquittal of Frank Donald- Continuous Concrete Pipe, safeguard for the perpetuity of a gov-

Fuss and Feathers.

son before Justice Flint's court the week be fore, in which it makes use of language and sinuations unbecoming a respectable journ-We would not notice the article or the al. house to house and place to place-no thing that wrote it had not the Plaindealer on a previous occasion, by a similar attack attempted to shield a conductor of the O. & C. railroad from illegal and ungentlemanly acts, which we published from statements made to us by some of the oldest and most respectable citizens of our county, in which it won for itself a reputation scarcely second to Baron Munchausen or Sinbad the sailor. It complains that we made three mistakes n our report of the trial. First it says "The door was closed and held shut by hav" ing a chair propped against it, and did not stand ajar, as the mighty editor of the Independent falsely asserted." How the poor little thing knew there was' a chair against the door is a mystery, as there was no evidence of the kind introduced on the trial. ualess it was stopping in the room with the prosecutrix, which may explain the reason for this uncalled-for attack and the special defense which the little thing pleads in the article for its failure and its illegal and un necessary action in the premises, for which the tax payers of Douglas county are charged 851 65. Secondly it says: "Now this mighty In

dependent man knew that he was misrepresenting facts when he said that when ordered out he stood not on the order of going but went ot once." How the little thing found out he did not go out at once requires explanation, as the defendant testified positively that when ordered ont he got out as soon as he could, and in this as in most all of his testimony he was corroborated by the Mills, W. KRAMER, prosecuting witness.

Thirdly, it says that we insinuated that the prosecuting witness was a grass widow and was not overly choice in her language in ordering the man out. As to the witness being a grass widow the writer of the article in the Plaindealer is probably better informed

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There is a way to stop all this, but when it is agitated the rich and powerful ery the press and bribe the big men and can't be tampered with. Let all this be taxed to support the government.

begen to tax the excess, and the more when he gets it up to a million take in some measure the burdens and the comforts of life, and provide homesown is a good citizen in peace and a time of war. A million of dollars is enough for any one man. He ought

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UN-N dersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of C. T. Kuilman deceased. All persons having claims ugainst said estate will present the same to me properly verhed, at the office of J. W. Hamilton, in Roseburg, and any persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate will call and settle Gould, or Senator Shaon, ro even for the same. J. W. Hamilton attorney. the memory of Stephen Girard or A.

T. Stewart? Nobody .- ["Bill Arp" in the Atlanta Constitution. FROM MYRTLE OREEK.

Plenty of rain this week and the farmers jubilant over the prospects of an abundant harvest.

Dr. Keeler H. Gabbert, our able druggist, is up and attending to business once more, after a severe spell of ickness.

Jake Chadwick's son Frank has been very ill with typhoid fever for about two weeks, but at this writing is slowly impreving.

Dillard Strode of South Myrtle, hus been very ill with pneumonia, but bemenced on the last day of March and ing in reduced circumstances he could on April 2d it was gravely amounced not get a doctor. Dr. McCarty and that there was a deficit of five cents! the druggist being both sick he sent to No one expects any material shortage Canyonville twice, but neither of the to be found by this commission. It doctors there would come, having some





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trivial excuse, but we know their real was not appointed for that purpose. reasons, the lack of this man having When the treasury is turned over to property. Doctors, if you can't make the next Democratic administration it enough off of those that are able to pay will be a surprise to the country if so that you can wait on the poor, you there is not a greater discrepancy. had better give up your sheepskins and

THE Modoc war claims which for quit the business. several years past have been pending South Myrtle school, in district 55, before congress have at last been settled In full. His Excellency Gov. Moody which commenced Monday. having received a few days since from Capt. John Mullan drafts covering the thieves for the last day or two. Last balance due the state from the United evening they stole an overcoat from States government. The amount of Bailey's hotel, when Mr. Buick, Depsuch claims as audited and allowed the state was \$70, 268 08.

would want to see were camped, near LIBERAL LECTURES .- Dr. J. L. York the depot, and searched there for the the noted liberal orator will speak at coat, but could not find any trace of it. the Court house in this City on Friday. During the night these rascals fell out Saturday and Sunday evenings at 7.30 among themselves and gave informasharp on the following topics: 1st, tion which led Mr. Buick to make an-"Temperance Reform, from a new stand other search for it, which proved more point." 2nd. "The World we live in." successful, as he found the coat under 3rd. "Individuality, Love and marthe end of the trestle work, but the riage." 4th. "Science and Religion." bird that put it there had flown. Ladies especialy invited. Admission free. Collection at theclose.

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