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A MONTREAL LETTER.

[*The True Witness and Chronicle, Montreal, Can., published Oct. 14, '88:* We are in receipt of a letter from one of our well-known citizens, Mr. E. Boisvert, who writes that upon recommendation of the most Rev. M. Marchand, of Drummondville, he was induced to use for that most dreadful of all nervous diseases, FITS, a few bottles of Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic; and is glad to say that after having suffered for eight years is now entirely cured, and heartily recommends all sufferers of nervous diseases to try this remedy.

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SCANDINAVIAN NEWS.

A terrible accident occurred the other day at Gamvik, in the northern part of Norway. Early in the morning, when the fisherman just had pushed their boats off the shore, a sudden storm commenced to rage, causing many of the small crafts to capsize. As far as is known at least twelve people were drowned.

King Oscar has left Stockholm for Biarritz. He is expected to return in the latter part of June. The latter part of the summer he intends to spend in the south of Sweden and in Norway. The queen has gone to Germany and is living near Bonn, where she will be visited by her sister the Dowager Princess of Weid. She returns to the Chateau of Sopheiro in the south of Sweden about midsummer after which she goes for a month to Norway. The Democrat Prince Eugen will visit California shortly to make studies for a grand sylvan picture which he intends to exhibit at the Chicago World's Fair.

The elections to the Danish Folkething resulted in a great victory for the government. The new Folkething consists of 102 members. The Radicals have hitherto been in the ascendency, but this time lost eleven because of the union that had been agreed upon between the Conservatives and the moderate Liberals. Among the defeated Radicals are Mr. Horup, the editor-in-chief of Politiken and his colleagues, Revening Jensen and Mr. Bing. But Edvard Brandes, the author, was elected. The outcome of the election was the great victory the present cabinet has sought and the government will now for a long time be able to carry successfully its reactionary measures.

BOTH HIMSELF AND WIFE

Afflicted For Years—Both Cured In Two Weeks.

Independence, Mo., Dec. 15, '89.

Both myself and wife have been years afflicted with disease of the kidneys and had tried many remedies without obtaining any permanent relief. About three months ago we were induced to try a package of the Oregon Kidney Tea, which has apparently entirely cured both of us, as since taking it two weeks we have felt no symptoms of the disease. We can heartily recommend it to others similarly afflicted, as we believe it will do all that is claimed for it.

M. L. WHITE.

HARD NUTS FOR "X. Y. Z." TO CRACK.

Editor of the Gazette:—

I see in the Gazette of May 20th an article written by some one, and placing at the bottom as a signature "X. Y. Z." He starts out by saying "It ain't for me to say how you shall run your paper," and winds up by saying, "if you know what is good for you, you will quit making a fool of yourself by printing such stuff."

I suppose, by what he has had to say in the beginning of the article, the "stuff" here referred to, was the alliance meetings as reported by "T. K. R."

Now anyone can see what is the matter with the gentleman; if this had of been a "grand old democratic meeting" that T. K. R. had reported, Mr. X. Y. Z. would have had nothing to say against T. K. R's. report. It seems from his language that he would like to dictate to the editor of the Gazette what he should allow to go into the paper.

Now I don't wish to take up my pen to defend Messrs. T. K. R., Hadley and Lewis, for they are able to defend themselves; but one word, anyway. I think that Mr. T. K. R. has only given the alliance justice, and would have done the same thing had it been a democratic or republican meeting, for I think he is too much of gentleman to do otherwise.

He next accuses Hadley and Lewis "of making a lot of claims that won't stick." Will the gentleman please state what claims they have made that they cannot prove? We don't think he has the nerve to come out and disprove what they have said; if he has why did he not do it when he had a chance to do so publicly. Hadley and Lewis have never spoken here one time that they did not give anyone having anything to say an opportunity to make a reply. Then was the time for this gentleman to put in, and not wait until they were gone and then explode his scatter-gun, hiding behind the tail end of the alphabet.

He says "this precinct has about 130 voters" when it only has about 120. He claims sixty-five democrats in this precinct when there never has been a democratic majority and is not now. He also tells us that there are fifty republicans in this precinct, but he does not tell us how many alliance men there is. I guess he don't know and we are afraid if we tell him, he might lose some sleep, so we will let him rest until election, then he will wonder how he made that mistake in figuring.

He calls the alliance "a side show" and Hadley and Lewis "the song and dance men." Well I guess he is about right, the alliance is a side show and Hadley and Lewis are the principal performers in this part of the country. So far the principal part of the performance has been for the actors to show up the corruptness of the old democratic party, and they have been doing it in good shape and don't you forget it. But the greatest act will take place about the 6th of next month, when the alliance will show them a trick worth remembering.

Hear him again. He says that Hadley and Lewis sing and dance and tumble, etc. He is mistaken in that. It is the people that sing and dance and tumble. Whenever the people hear the truth and see the light they begin to "sing and dance" for joy; then it is not long until they begin to "tumble" and every time one tumbles he tumbles out of the old [illegible] as present himself; he knows it was a very rainy Sabbath morning, and the meeting referred to was Sabbath-school. On account of the inclemency of the weather there were but few gathered at the school house. On account of sickness the superintendent could not leave her family. The assistant superintendent was absent also, and while they were waiting for more to come, the few men that were there talked about politics, that is, in their common conversation. T. K. R. was there, not a silent observer, but adding his "little say" from time to time. In a little while after, finding there would be no Sabbath-school, they went home, and that was the extent of the political meeting. I have nothing to say about the impropriety of conversation of that kind, at that time and place. I merely wish to show that the meeting was misrepresented. There is no place religious meetings are more respected than in Eight Mile, and a religious meeting would by no means be turned into a political meeting. All sober-minded people feel hurt at such an insinuation as that cast on our neighborhood.

I. G. N.

EIGHT MILE, May 21, '92.

CHINESE MINERS.

They Are Working in the Old Placer Fields Near Umatilla.

From the East Oregonian.

It is a fact not generally known that a dozen or more Chinamen have been engaged for some time in working the old placer fields on the Columbia above Umatilla. They evidently have quite a "snap," and are very suspicious of white people, refusing to talk or to show the amount of gold taken out to parties who visit their camp. They are believed to have secured considerable fine gold. High water permits active operations just now, and the Chinese miners are busy, working near the edge of the river. They use quite an elaborate and ingenious cradle process, also, of a curious nature. The placers where the Chinese are mining were abandoned by white miners about twenty years ago. They are some two miles above Umatilla.

THE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS.

A rate of one fare for the round trip to Minneapolis and Chicago, republican and democratic conventions, has been authorized. Tickets to be good going and returning same route, to be sold only for trains arriving at Minneapolis on June 5th and 6th, and at Chicago on June 19th and 20th. Return portion to be limited to 30 days from date of sale.

Tickets returning via Shasta route or Union Pacific steamer between San Francisco and Portland will be $15.00 higher. Chicago tickets, if routed via Sioux City and St. Paul, in either direction, will be $7.90 higher than the direct route. For further information call on or address J. C. HART, Agent,
W. H. HURLBURT, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., Heppner, Or.
54 Wash. St., Portland, Or.

C. E. Holland, of the Ione section, was in town last week on business. He reports the wheat crop as looking well, and as yet, needing no moisture.

T. K. R. AGAIN.

Without any desire to brook disturbance or place fuel on the fire of any of these well meaning people, it seems absolutely necessary that this pen should again assume the defensive and do its best to show that "naught was set down in malice."

True some of the dear brothers (and or ought we know to the contrary, some of the dear sisters) danced in glee when in public Mr. —— was accused of refusing his grove for picnic purposes, but when it came to light that the charge was false, this error was corrected with the same publicity and as cheerfully as it was made.

There is a certain element in all countries that practice intolerance to an alarming degree. In fact they pride themselves on it. Find them where you will, they are the same in spirit although they may change their political or religious complexion with the rapidity of a chamelion, and over the door of the newly-constructed joss house will be written the imperative inscription in burnished letters of gold, "Thou shalt have no other gods but mine."

The gist of it all is that it depends very, very much on whose ox is being gored.

The ox in question was fairly caught in one of his own traps and since he makes such a "roar," why not examine the case a little further? Why not appoint a commission to investigate the case? If T. K. R. is the "dirty, malicious liar" you are so anxious to show he is, why not introduce something more substantial than a mere declaration? You can rest assured that something will have to be done to change public opinion on this interesting (?) issue. We beg of you, however, not to *unchain your tiger.*

Some correspondent, signing himself "Ignorant," asks T. K. R. "if a school building is not public property during school hours?" *No, most emphatically, no.* The school property of the state of Oregon belongs to the direct heirs and decendants of a royal family of kings by the name of Roberts, of which we have the distinguished honor of being a member. Native modesty has heretofore prevented us from making this public, but we believe in being frank and answering civil questions. The property is not for sale. Some very good people in their tame blindness have been going on from year to year, thanking God and the state of Oregon for these gracious favors which are only a small part of our private charity. From time immemorial our buildings have been used for school purposes and for meetings both religious and profane, and the sublime doctrine of "equal rights to all" is not a new idea but an old axiom, that with the iron hand of determination was stamped upon the mind of the world more than a hundred years ago. The time when the schoolhouse *was* refused, alluded to by T. K. R., is the only time in the history of the world that we know of, and if it had not been customary to hold such meetings in the schoolhouse, if the teacher had not agreed to take up school an hour earlier and thereby cause no inconvenience; if the prominent alliance man had been a Christian there would have been no occasion for this parley; but the facts show a clear case. Enough on that score.

"Ignorant" further inquires "is it powder or gas?" As "Ignorant" and his immediate friends are making the only outcry, perhaps they have been "burnt" by the little explosion, and if they are anxious to know whether it is powder or gas it might be well to exhibit their wounds to that eminent French chemist, Chas. W. Ingraham, whose country residence is hardby. Charley can tell powder from gas but strange to say to tell the respective ages of the Heppner belles is a "muckle mair" than he will bargain for.

Old Bachelor need not ask the origin of the expression "too green to burn," if he will keep in the middle of the road and attend now and then a political meeting. There is certainly no harm in a simple question or two. You are a fair writer and we hope for the common good of all you will continue to comment on passing events.

X. Y. Z. gets in his "awger" again. X. Y. Z. is badly "off his bunch," and his interpretation of our kind admonition to "soberly examine the correspondence, etc.," provokes a smile wider than sunlight. A story illustrates his case pretty fairly. The story is an ancient chestnut.

A very nice young man was out riding with a very nice young lady. For convenience let us locate the story in Australia. When their drive was over, at her father's gate, the very nice young man said, "Miss Matilda, may I help you to alight?" Indignation burned like fire, and the young lady haughtily replied, "*No, thank you sir, I don't smoke.*"

Most resp. yours,
T. K. R.

HEPPNER, Or., May 30, 1892.

[We are somewhat crowded for space and must necessarily "cut out" about four columns of the best work we have ever seen from T. K. R.'s pen. We desire to give everyone a fair show, but we can't publish a history of the democratic party or any other party in a single issue. Furthermore we do not approve of these "personal tilts," and in the kindest spirit suggest in future that correspondents avoid as much as possible anything of a personal character that is not complimentary. Our readers as a rule do not enjoy the "pitch battles."—ED.]

Before Starting on a Journey

A person usually desires to gain some information as to the most desirable route to take, and will purchase tickets via the one that will afford him the quickest and best service. Before starting on a trip to Chicago or any point East, you should provide yourself with a map and time table of the Wisconsin Central lines. The trains run on this route are vestibuled and equipped with Pullman's latest drawing room sleepers, elegant day coaches and dining cars of latest design, built expressly for this service, and are exquisite in furnishings and convenient and comfortable in arrangement and so complete in every detail that they have no superior in comfort and elegance. The dining car service is pronounced by all the most elegant ever inaugurated, and is operated in the interest of its patrons.

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SATURDAY'S RACES.

The Meeting Ended by Two Spirited Contests—Champagne and Lady Opal the Respective Winners.

Saturday opened up rather cooler than the preceding days, but windy and dusty as ever. Very early in the morning there were strong indications of a shower, which, under the circumstances, would have been welcomed, but it failed to do more than sprinkle.

The attendance on this day was the smallest of the meeting, owing, perhaps, to the disagreeable weather.

THE HALF MILE DASH

Had the following starters: Champagne, Brady, Joe Cotton and One-Eyed Riley, Brady and Riley both belonging to W. G. Allen and selling "in the stable." Joe Cotton was a strong favorite, Champagne next and stable third.

The horses were tapped off with Joe Cotton a little behind, the others about even. At the head of the home stretch, Champagne took the lead, holding it to the finish, with Joe Cotton a neck behind, Brady following a half length. Time, 0:52.

The entries in the

CONSOLATION PURSE

Were Lady Opal, Little Dick and Brady. Opal sold favorite with Dick and Brady about an even second choice. Distance 1000 yards.

After a tedious delay they were tapped off about even. It was a pretty race throughout, Opal winning, Dick second and Brady third. Brady having just run in a half-mile race, had the worst of it for the others were fresh. Time, 1:01.

NOTES.

The attendance throughout was smaller than should have been, for the race course is certainly quite a benefit to Heppner.

Tomorrow Deacon and Bob White will try the half mile over again for $100 a side.

The writer has discovered that to be an officer of the Heppner Park Association is no fun; in fact, it is a thankless position.

Leaders in fashion just received. A new line in latest novelties of gents' straw and felt hats. The genuine "Stetson" in dress and cow boys, at 91-tf-t

C. S. VAN DUYN'S.

A Gazette reporter visited the farm of J. B. Ely, near Douglass station, the other day and was shown over the premises. Mr. Ely has 275 acres of fall-sown grain which is now more than knee high, and to say it looks fine does not half express it. He has just put up a fine, new cyclone wind-mill, something very seldom seen on our bunch-grass farms. Some of the grain in that locality has been damaged to some extent by the hot winds of last week, though it is uninjured on this particular farm.

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