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CONGRESS is still worrying over the antics of ex-members as lobbyists on the floor. There is a very easy solution of the question. Let congress repeal the absurd rule that admits ex-members to the floor and excludes all other respectable citizens.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has not displayed very good sense in his appointment of Jasper Johnson as special land agent—a fellow who has been a bum in Washington for years past, and is no more an Oregonian than he is a democrat.

THE American citizen who doesn't settle down in his chair with a great deal of mental as well as physical satisfaction and increased appreciation of his country and its laws, when he reads in the dispatches of how the poor Bavarians have to tolerate insanity on the throne simply because of birth title, ought to move to one of those Swiss mountain villages where the people are nearly all idiotic through intermarriage, and play the part of retriever for a simpton chamois hunter.

A MAGAZINE in Brooklyn is endeavoring to find out from its readers the name of the ablest newspaper in the United States. It has secured 206 responses from its readers and the Boston Herald heads the list.

A DESPATCH speaks of a "novel" suit brought in Logansport, Ind., against a church for ringing its chimes to the detriment of an invalid in a neighboring house. Such a suit is not novel.

THE escape of W. W. Saunders, convicted of murder in the first degree, from the Linn county jail, is another reminder that the officers of the law cannot be too vigilant in such cases.

STRANGE varieties of boycott develop every day. The latest form is reported from Fayette County, Ill., where the farmers have agreed to sow no more wheat for three seasons to come in order to starve out the chinch-bugs.

THE fourteen miles of street railway in Glasgow are owned by the city and bring to the treasury a rental of \$76,000 annually. There is no uniform rate of fare, but a penny a mile is charged, with reduced rates morning and evening, when working people travel.

IT should be known that all federal officers appointed during the vacation of the senate must, after confirmation by that body, file new bonds, and we believe this has to be done before adjournment of congress.

THE outlook for Gladstone and home rule for Ireland is becoming more gloomy. The "appeal to the country" bids fair to return adverse results from those intended.

THE next thing on Salem's program is a woolen mill. We must have it and we will have it, sooner or later—if not in the near future then it will come in the distant future.

THE business depression from the stickles in the east is dying out. If congress will now adjourn, everybody will be prosperous and happy.

REMARKS has been telling the boys of a German university that "it is easier to criticize than to govern." He has tried both.

THE VETO POWER.

President Cleveland has exercised the power of veto to a considerable extent thus far during his term of office, but the most of his veto messages have been against pension bills, about which there was some irregularity in the bureau. There is no reason to doubt that the exercise of this power was deserved in some, and probably most instances, but the reckless abandon with which he has gone at this work leaves open the belief that many of them were deserving subjects.

PROSPECTIVE ORPHANAGE.

The two leading mugwump organs of New York have got the country into a dilemma that it will take delicate statesmanship to extricate us from. Harper's Weekly declares that no other democrat than Mr. Cleveland can be elected in 1888.

That's the situation, and we must get along the best way we can without any president after the fourth of March, 1888. We suppose it is the feeling of prospective orphanage that so wrought upon some fellow in congress that he introduced a bill to allow Mr. Cleveland to hold over until April first instead of going out like his predecessors on the fourth of March.

AN OFFENSIVE PARTISAN.

If there is an offensive partisan holding a federal position in this country, that man is surely Eugene Higgins, of the treasury department. He is a disgrace to the country. The following is a Chicago Tribune special from Washington: No man appointed to office since the advent of this administration has received the abuse and condemnation of so large a number of people as Eugene Higgins, appointment clerk of the treasury department.

THE supreme court of the District of Columbia has decided that the Indian is a foreigner. This is possibly a peculiar decision, but is not a surprise, coming from the supreme court of the District of Columbia. By the way, what is the use of a supreme court in the District of Columbia, anyway? Isn't it a virtual interloper, if not a foreigner? A police court or two would apparently be sufficient to do Washington business.

LOUISE MICHEL is not satisfied with the expulsion of the Princes from France. To make the policy effective she insists that all the officials of the country, from Jules Grevy to the humblest village mayor, should be expelled also. "What good," she exclaims, "does the banishment of the Princes do me, while the capitalists are allowed to remain? I am choked with disgust. The most terrible thing I know of to-day is life, and I am so tired of it that I wish they would send me to jail." It is likely that Louise will be gratified in this latter respect, as she is now under indictment for exciting the people to resist the law at the recent meeting of the Chateau d'Eu.

CHAUNCEY M. DEWEY, President of the New York Central Railway, is introducing an important reform upon that line. He observed that Hudson, when shouted in the car door, was "Bunpup," Schaghticoke became "choke" and Poughkeepsie was "Pipsy," and he is determined to stop it.

LOVES ye downtrodden and despondent quill-shover! President Cleveland was once local reporter for the Buffalo Courier.

TYROTOXICON.

Of the joys that bloom in the summer, perhaps none have had so wide and permanent a popularity as the ice cream. Many a young man who is fond of some other fellow's sister can testify to the craving the gentler sex have for the cold confection. It is, therefore, a sad truth that every generous swain is in danger of treating his beloved to cold poison unless he exercises great discretion.

At Newton, Mich., a number of persons have been poisoned by eating ice cream, containing cheese-poison, and, it seems probable, that nearly 200 villagers in New Jersey are ill from the same cause. It is really startling to think of the countless varieties of microbes, germs, bacilli, and bacteria which are ever warring against man's health and life.

Some time ago a convention of microscopists was held at Cleveland, Ohio. A learned professor said that while examining, under a powerful microscope, a human tooth, in a healthy man's mouth, he found it covered with countless bacteria. On applying the microscope to the teeth of another man he found them perfectly free from bacteria.

London, June 26.—Mrs. Mackay is about to achieve a rare social triumph. This is only her second season in London yet the Prince of Wales has promised to be present at the dinner she gives on Monday.

APING ROYALTY.

The above is a telegram to the New York World. It carries with it a world of suggestions. And who is the Prince of Wales, that a woman like Mrs. Mackay should contrive to win his recognition? Is he anything more than a man? Does he have any more than the five sense accorded to other humans, or even the exercise of them in any extraordinary degree?

From present indications, it looks as if Gladstone has not gained much by his appeal to the country, that he will get back home with about what he started with. May be he has winged a few unionists on the fly, but he will likely have only about enough to keep his head above water, without tackling home rule for Ireland again. There is a good deal of difference between England and America, outside of the Atlantic ocean.

The Fourth of July, with all of its grand-iloquence and fizzisitudes, has come and gone, and the country is safe for another year.

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT.

EDITOR STATESMAN:—I stand on the verge of the fourth of July with cotton in my ears and an awful lurking dread away down under my liver pad. The small boy with the firecrackers is abroad in the land, and the pluggery season is here.

The fourth of July is a good institution for ice cream stands and circular swings that "go round and round," and other attractions, too laborious to mention. It used to be kind of an irrigator of the garden patch of patriotism, but it has about outlived its usefulness as this kind of an irrigator, I presume on account of the agitation over "riparian rights" in California.

Salem has more nice horses and buggies and driving outfits and rigs to the square inch than any other town this side of Kalamazoo. It has been suggested that the reason Salem ladies like horses, is that they suggest the idea of the groom.

Mr. Smith—"I tell you, Jones, that little two-year-old of mine is going to make a flyer from law. The other day I passed one of those blooded horses out to the race track on the road. How's that for a scrub without a pedigree?" Mr. Jones—"Pretty good; but which way you were going?" Mr. Smith—"North."

DEFEATED, NOT CONQUERED. Gladstone may be defeated, but he is not conquered, nor is the principle for which he fought dead. Principles are eternal. They survive defeat, and successive and overwhelming defeat.

MISS LEVINGWORTH, niece of the general, last week married, at Syracuse, New York, Mr. Francis B. Gott. It was a church ceremony, to offset the swear name of the bridegroom.

Table with columns for Counties, Congressmen, Secretaries, Treasurers, S. Pub. Inst., and S. Judges. Lists names and numbers for various counties like Baker, Benton, Clatsop, etc.

INDIAN TRAINING SCHOOLS.

On the occasion of the graduating exercises of the Indian training school at Chemawa, last year, we expressed the opinion that the heavy expense for the support of these schools is money not well spent, at least that the expense is too great to justify the government for the good accomplished.

We have changed our opinion concerning these schools. They are the hope of the Indian race. They must do their work of civilization and enlightenment, or the red men must become extinct.

THE business men of New York seem to be learning that what they need in an advertising medium is quality as well as quantity in circulation. The newspaper which gives decent editorial attention to the interests of trade, and gives first consideration to the welfare of active capital employed in commerce, and manufactures, and production, and construction, and which endeavors to educate labor and teach it to think for itself, that is the paper which will be able to boast the elements of quality and character in its circulation.

ARKANSAS contributes a novelty to the stories of official crookedness by having a judge sent from the bench to the penitentiary for forgery. Speculating in country scrip made the trouble.

THE West Side, of Independence, has acted very consistently on the bridge question, and our business men should remember it, and "keep it on their list."

CONGRESSMAN LE FEVRE says that no congressman can live on his salary and be honest. We infer from this that Le Fevre is a poor poker player.

NEW TO-DAY.

ESTRAY NOTICE. (CAME TO MY PLACE ON OR ABOUT JULY 4th, one sorrel mare, about 10 1/2 hands high, about 7 years old, shod in front. Owner please call and pay for this notice and small expenses incurred. Place 2 miles north of Williamsburg. 7-8-2w H. A. THOMAS.

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FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED administrators of the estate of Henry Smith, deceased, have filed their final account and Saturday August 7th, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the room of the County Court in the County Court House, of Marion County, in Salem, Oregon, has been appointed by the County Court in and for said Marion County, for hearing and passing upon the same.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an execution and decree duly issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion, and to me directed on the 24th day of June, 1886, wherein Andrew Hein Plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree against H. A. Keel, defendant, said judgment being for the sum of \$400.00, gold coin, together with costs taxed at \$7.00 and interest thereon from date, at the rate of nine per cent. per annum. I have levied upon, and will sell at public auction, on

Saturday, the 7th day of August, 1886, At 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, on the day of sale, at the court house door, in Salem, Marion county, Oregon, to satisfy said plaintiff's judgment and decree, all the right, title, and interest, which the said H. A. Keel had on or after the 8th day of December, 1883, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: All that certain parcel or parcel of land bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point thirty-four and seventy-eight hundredths (34 78/100) chains south of the northwest corner of the donation land claim, taken up by Allen J. Davis, and running thence south nineteen and fifty-six one-hundredths (19 56/100) chains and eighty-four (84) chains, thence north nineteen and fifty-six one-hundredths (19 56/100) chains, thence east forty-six (46) chains to the place of beginning, and containing, namely, sixty (60) acres, more or less, and being in sec. 21 T. 8. S. R. 1 W. of the Willamette meridian, County of Marion, and State of Oregon. Dated at Salem, July 7th, 1886. JNO. W. MINTO, Sheriff Marion County, Oregon.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRTUE of an execution and decree duly issued out of the Hon. Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, and to me directed on the 24th day of June, 1886, wherein Andrew Hein, plaintiff, recovered a judgment and decree against Chas. A. Frost and Margaret A. Frost, his wife, defendant, said judgment being for the sum of \$107.25 in U. S. gold coin, together with \$50 attorneys fees and all costs and expenses, and interest thereon at the rate of nine per cent. per annum from the 24th day of June, 1886, together with the liens mentioned in said execution and decree. I have levied upon and will sell at public auction on

Saturday, the 7th day of August, 1886, At one o'clock p. m. of said day for cash in hand on the day of sale at the court house door in Salem, Marion county, Oregon, to satisfy said plaintiffs judgment and decree, all the right, title and interest which the said Chas. A. Frost and Margaret A. Frost had on or after the 22d day of December, 1886, the date of said mortgage in and to the following described real estate, to-wit: Bounded by beginning at the north-west corner of the donation land claim of Allen J. Davis and wife and running thence west forty-six (46) chains, thence south thirty-four (34) chains and eighty links (84) to the place of beginning, and containing one hundred and sixty acres of land, all situated in T. 8. S. R. 1 W. of Willamette meridian and in Marion county, Oregon, and in case of any surplus remaining in my hands after the payment of the plaintiff's judgment together with costs and expenses, the same to be applied in satisfaction of the liens named in said judgment and decree in the order of their priority. Dated at Salem, July 7, 1886. JNO. W. MINTO, Sheriff Marion County, Oregon.

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