

THE death of ex-vice-president Wheeler, leaves Hannibal Hamlin, who was elected on the ticket with Abraham Lincoln in 1860, the only living ex-vice-president. Geo. H. Pendleton of Ohio, and Wm. H. English of Indiana, are the only ones alive who ever received the Democratic nomination for that office.

It is a great gift to be able to speak the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. They who devised the formula of the legal oath were aware of many difficulties in the way of ascertaining the exact truth, uncolored by prejudice and unwarping by self-interest.

Our view of a statement is qualified by our estimate of the man who tells it; and it is impossible, in most cases, to see that a fact is exactly the same (if it be a fact), whether the knowledge of it comes to us through a personality of one kind or another.

THE editor of the American Magazine has made an extraordinary discovery. He announces that "tobacco was intended for the use of men."

The cigar or cigarette is not unbecoming to the most perfect gentleman. But, when employed by ladies, it is put to a use for which it was never intended.

Grand Excursion! To Fort Canby and Ilwaco. The steamer Gen. Canby will leave Gray's dock at 9 A. M. Sunday, June 5th, 1887.

EXCURSION. O. R. & N. CO. To San Francisco and Return, Good for 45 Days, \$30. To Portland AND RETURN. \$2.50.

Renews Her Youth. Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town.

DRIFTED OUT TO SEA. Two little ones, grown tired of play, Roamed by the sea one summer day.

At last they spied within their reach, An old boat crest upon the beach. Heiter-skiter, with merry din, Over its sides they clambered in.

The sun went down 'mid clouds of gold, Night came, with footsteps damp and cold.

A storm comes on with flash and roar, While all the sky is clouded o'er.

The home-bound vessel, Seabird, lies In ready trim 'twixt sea and skies.

The mate comes up to where he stands And grasps his arm with eager hands.

"Naught but their safety will suffice; They must be saved," the captain cries.

With anxious faces, one and all, Each man responded to his call.

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