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BRYAN'S CIRCUS.

Although the United States is a comparatively young nation, it has had occasion to pass through some pretty severe ordeals in its history, but never before, no matter what was the popular topic of agitation, has the spectacle been witnessed of a man, supposed to possess the qualifications for the exalted office of president, running alone the country after his defeat at the polls seeking to revive the repudiated issues of his campaign at a charge of so many dollars for each of his engagements to speak. This is precisely the business that ex-Candidate Bryan is now engaged in, and how any intelligent man can so far forget the precedents and proprieties of ordinary civilized life as to participate in his meetings or uphold his course of conduct is beyond comprehension and almost belief. The man is a fakir, pure and simple; he was repeatedly exposed as such during the campaign, and his present breach of good manners and common sense ought to forfeit his claim to indulgence, even on the score of his supposed sincerity and established ignorance. He pretends to represent a great principle—to be weighed down, as it were, with the responsibility of awakening his fellowmen to a realization of the wrongs and oppressions from which they have suffered long, and yet, after the manner of other peripatetic attractions, he maintains a hired manager, who hagglies about the price to be paid for his principle's engagements, and pits the bidders for his appearance only to bill Performer Bryan with the organization or society offering the most money for him. In other words, people who can't pay don't get a chance to hear Mr. Bryan, while those who do pay are delivered a stated amount of goods for so much money. It was well understood during the campaign that Mr. Bryan exacted and received money for his speeches; but it was pleaded for him then that as a poor man, running as a poor man's candidate as a poor man's ticket he had no other way to provide for his family and pay necessary campaign expenses. Now, on the contrary, according to his own boast in private conversation, he is living in a veritable lap of luxury, his money to burn, or, which is about the same thing, to contribute to the so-called bimetallic league, from the enormous royalties turned over to him from the sale of his book. There was never, we repeat, in the whole history of the country a public spectacle quite so disgraceful, or one which was so serious a reflection on the intelligence of the masses as the crowded exhibitions which Mr. Bryan is now giving, at so many dollars per exhibit, like the two-legged calf or the prize jackass on a country fair circuit. Something ought really to be done to put a stop to such folly, and to induce the agricultural and other societies having Mr. Bryan on their list of attractions to invest their simple-minded patrons' money in some other more rational form of amusement. It is true that Mr. Bryan's presence as the great star of these country gatherings may help the directors or managers in their gate receipts—that his performances, indeed, in the relaxation in money matters resulting from McKinley's election, might make absolutely certain the chances of clearing expenses, or even small profits, but it is wrong to play upon the credulity of the rustics who turn out to hear him under the impression that he believes the absurd things he says, and that he is actuated solely by consideration for their enlightenment and welfare. Respectable newspapers, too, are much to blame for the fraud and imposition of the Bryan shows. There is every reason to believe that if they would cease to devote columns to the publication of his silly mouthings, ignore his movements, and refrain from serious arguments in answer to his ridiculous assertions, interest in his exhibitions would cease, and the crowds that now go to hear him

would be impossible. He would soon find it difficult to make fresh engagements, and the price offered would not justify hotel expenses and Pullman accommodations. Thus the country would be rid of a nuisance, and the poor dupes who are now attracted by notoriety the newspapers now give him would retain their dollars, or spend them for the benefit of their families instead of contributing them to increase the fortune they have already given Mr. Bryan.

A socialistic glass factory at Albion, in France, has failed, and its chief promoter says it is because the selfish capitalists refused to give credit any longer. A great many individuals, firms and corporations have failed before now from the same cause, and it is hard to see how the Albion socialists are going to make out; that they have been discriminated against in the matter of credit. The special significance of the Albion failure is that it has given the socialistic promoter of the bankrupt concern the occasion for including the right to credit among the fundamental rights of man. The right to labor, the right to land, the right to strike and prevent everybody else from working have been exploited before, but the right to credit is a new socialistic demand, which, if well established, would make all other rights of small account. We presume, however, that the hard-hearted capitalist class will go right on refusing credit, except upon approved security, notwithstanding this new claim that the right to credit is one of the inherent rights of humanity.—Philadelphia Times.

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9. Because it is pleasant and safe to take.
10. Because it has saved the lives of more people than any other medicine in the world.
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Preserve Your Hair and you preserve your youth. "A woman is as old as she looks," says the world. No woman looks as old as she is if her hair has preserved its normal beauty. You can keep hair from falling out, restoring its normal color, or restore the normal color to gray or faded hair, by the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. THE PHYSIOLOGY OF THE LIVER. The liver is the largest secreting organ in the human body, and the bile which it secretes is more liable to vitiation and misdirection from its proper channels than any other of the animal fluids. Luckily for the bilious, however, there is an unfailing source of relief from liver complaint, namely Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine which for about half a century has been achieving thorough cures of the above mentioned ailments, fever, dyspepsia, bowel complaints, rheumatic and kidney affections, and disorders involving loss of nervous vigor. It is, moreover, a preventive of malarial disease, and affords protection to thousands of persons residing in districts of country where that dire scourge is prevalent. As a remedy adapted to the medicinal requirements of families, it is supremely desirable, and as a means of fortifying a debilitated system, it is thoroughly to be depended upon. Manure is so valuable that it is worth carrying away from the eaves of the barn. Take it to some safe place and pile compactly in a solid heap, under shelter, if possible. Economy is something that everybody tries to practice, and yet just a little oversight will sometimes rob the most frugal and thrifty family of a year's savings. You want to do as J. P. Hockmeyer of Monticello, Ga., did. He writes: "For six years I have kept Simmons' Liver Regulator in my house, and used it in my family, and have had no need for a doctor. I have five as healthy children as you can find." Good roads place the remote farmer, who pays as much for all he buys and gets no more for what he sells than the farmer nearer market, upon a more equitable basis of competition. A dose that is always reasonable is a dose of Simmons' Liver Regulator, the "King of Liver Medicines." It keeps the liver active; the bowels regular; prevents biliousness; and promotes digestion. In fact helps keep you well. "I have watched its effects in families where I have practiced and find it admirable; both alternative and tonic in its action."—Dr. T. W. Mason, Macon, Ga. Let not those who use commercial fertilizers almost exclusively forget that it will benefit the land to have a crop of clover plowed under every few years to lighten and mellow the soil. Some for ten, some for twenty and some for thirty years have suffered from piles and then have been quickly and permanently cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great remedy for piles and all forms of skin diseases. Charles Rogers. Fifty per cent of the manure on many farms is allowed to go to waste around (improperly arranged) barns and yards. Such things as gutters, ditches and roofs will all earn their cost. Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. Charles Rogers. Nothing ever happens just as we plan it, and nine times out of ten the less reciting we make on anything the more pleasure we get out of it. Few medicines have held their ground so successfully as Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During the past fifty years, it has been the most popular of all cough cures and the demand for it today is greater than ever before. Prompt to act and sure to cure. The most many man likes to be petted by the woman of whom he is fond, but he does not care for babyish endearments in public. Mr. C. L. Hasbrouck, a druggist at Mendon, Mich., says all of the good testimonials that have been published by the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy could be duplicated in that town. For sale by Eates-Conn Drug Co. Use Webfoot Corn Cure. No cure no pay. For sale at Eates-Conn Drug Store.



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MARINE NEWS.

Table with columns: DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Lists tide information for various dates from Thursday to Saturday.

VESSELS ON THE WAY TO THE COLUMBIA RIVER FROM BALTIC.

Table listing vessels, names, agents, and destinations for routes to the Columbia River from Baltic.

The schooner Edward Park sailed yesterday with a cargo of lumber. The pilots who took the Port Sang and Manabock to sea Sunday morning were enabled to return to the city in a shorter time than usual. They were landed at Plavé by the tug, and from there the motor brought them to the city. The Columbia sailed about 8 o'clock last night for Destruction Island and Willapa bay. Keeper Grayson went out to the island lighthouse, taking with him an engineer to repair the bellows. Hoops will be set in Shoalwater and Willapa bays.

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