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The probable compromise between the democratic factions in New York shows how little democrats nowadays care for what they still fondly call their principles, says the Standard-Union. The main thing is to regain the cities of New York and Brooklyn and re-establish election frauds, police blackmail, dirty streets and all the rest. Therefore the gold democrats—if the platform is greased so as to have no knots on it—will vote for some one who voted for Bryan. That would curl up the corners of Bryan's mouth and do a great deal of good.

The communication from Salem published in this morning's Astorian sounds a note of warning well worthy of earnest consideration by every true republican in Oregon. The observations of the writer, a man of unusual intelligence, are entitled to especial weight and significance from the fact that he occupies a private position affording him abundant opportunity to become one of the best informed authorities in the state on the real political situation. He is moreover, not an office-seeker, and his views are absolutely uncolored by the prejudice of any clique or faction of the republican party.

While other people are cheerful, Altgeld is still plunged in gloom. Not even dollar wheat can cheer him. Things are going all wrong. People may think they are happy, but they are not. They may suppose themselves to be prosperous and free, but they are, if they knew it, ground down in poverty and oppression under a crushing despotism, from which it is Altgeld's mission to rescue them. Of course it is the "corporations" that are doing all this mischief. The people must abolish the corporations and carry on all their business for themselves. If they can't do this all at once, they can begin in the cities, by the municipal control, for example, of the manufacture of gas. The representatives chosen by the people, in congress, legislatures and councils, being so weak that they are corrupted by the corporations, Mr. Altgeld would give them the entire control of the business of the community as a means of securing economy and efficiency of administration. Especially would he have the railroads managed by the state, and he points to Germany as the model not only in railroad administration, but in popular liberty and prosperity generally. It is really a pity that Mr. Altgeld left Germany, if he really thinks the German methods better adapted to popular progress. There seem to be a good many of his countrymen who are not of his mind, and there certainly are a great many Americans who prefer the American system and have very little time for Altgeld's railing accusations against the whole structure of American society.

SPEAKER REED ON PROSPERITY.

Speaker Reed says it is safer to prophesy what will happen in a hundred or a thousand years, than as to what is coming to pass tomorrow; but as to prosperity, all the symptoms are here, and it looks like 1873, when the country rose up, because specie payments gave the people confidence that all was right. He says: "Another encouraging symptom is that the financial medicine men are now expounding in a low tone of voice what they said in such loud tones last year was not so. This is the prelude to the utter silence which will fall upon them in due time, a silence which will be the signal that the world has settled one other financial problem in the only way that can be settled, and that is, in the minds of the people."

"A good many questions have been settled these last few years. In all the debates in the house last session there was but one man who even mentioned

the 'consumer,' and he was from Kentucky. In other years, if you could believe our debates, we had no population except 'consumers'; producers did not exist."

The money for the crops of cereals puts the Nation to work, and Reed adds: "Every historic period of revival has been like this. Some event at the ripe moment happens, like the resumption of specie payments, the setting of money in motion by reduction of the interest on part of the national debt, the passage of a tariff bill, which, rightly or wrongly, the people believed in. Human nature, and human affairs, made ready for the change, have always done the rest."

THE SPARTAN VIRTUE OF FORTITUDE

Must be possessed in no ordinary degree by those who bear the pangs of rheumatism without complaint. We have never heard of such an individual. But why not, ere the life-long martyrdom begins, extinguish the germ of this atrocious malady with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the efficacy of which as a preventive of the disease, as well as a means of relieving it, is well established and amply attested, during the last forty-five years, over professional signatures? It expurgates from the blood those acid principles which beget the pain and inflammation characteristic of this complaint, which, it should be recollected, is always liable to terminate life suddenly when it attacks a vital part. The Bitters also expels the virus of malaria from the system, remedies dyspepsia, kidney complaint, constipation and biliousness, quiets the nerves, and invigorates the whole physical organism.

Why is it that Monday is always such a depressing day?

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy always affords prompt relief. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

Grape scissors are being used for such prices at this season.

In these days of culture and progress, do not wear a grizzly beard or mustache, when they can be colored a natural brown or black at home with Buckingham's Dye.

Blessings in disguise generally have a hard time in proving their identity.

To heal the broken and diseased tissues, to soothe the irritated surface, to instantly relieve and to permanently cure the mission of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, Charles Rogers.

The surest sign of approaching age in a woman is to consider a good dinner preferable to a new gown.

No man or woman can enjoy life or accomplish much in this world while suffering from a torpid liver. DeWitt's Little Early Bitters, the pills that cleanse that organ, quickly. Charles Rogers.

The joy of owning a new desk makes a woman attend assiduously to heretofore neglected correspondence.

Harper Whiskey is rapidly becoming the national beverage. It's the one thing all parties agree upon. Republicans, democrats, populists. Even the "know-nothing" party knows one thing; the merits of Harper whiskey. Sold by Foad & Stokes Co., Astoria, Or.

Hot bread may be very bad for one's digestion, but it is certainly a great temptation on a cool morning.

Running sores, indolent ulcers and similar troubles, even those of many years' standing, may be cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It soothes, strengthens and heals. It is the great pile cure. Charles Rogers.

It is the very worst possible form to allow one's mail to grow to an extraordinary length, yet there are many men not only guilty, but proud of this digression into vulgarity.

Moments are useless if trifled away, and they are dangerously wasted if consumed by delay in cases where One Minute Cough Cure would bring immediate relief. Charles Rogers.

It is all very well to prate about appearances not counting in this world, but just the same, the man in a good suit of clothes will get a position more quickly than his brother in the shabby one.

"For year," says Capt. C. Studler, "I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than anything else in the medicine chest, to regulate my bowel and those of my ship's crew. These pills are not severe in their action, but do their work thoroughly."

A peach cocktail sounds very innocent, but it is not the gentle libation its name implies, as peach brandy figures in its concoction, and a very serious headache after it if due precaution is not taken regarding its consumption.

If you have ever seen a little child in a paroxysm of whooping cough, or if you have been annoyed by a constant tickling in the throat, you can appreciate the value of One Minute Cough Cure, which gives quick relief. Charles Rogers.

Denying a fault doubles it.

Small precautions often prevent great mischiefs. DeWitt's Little Early Bitters are very small in size, but are most effective in preventing the most serious forms of stomach and liver troubles. They cure constipation and headaches and regulate the bowels. Charles Rogers.

Don't put tuberoses on the dinner table unless the menu is limited and the small appetite of your guests desirable.

The "Bicyclist's Best Friend" is a familiar name for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, always ready for emergencies. Instantly relieves and cures cuts, bruises, salt rheum, eczema and all affections of the skin. It never fails. Charles Rogers.



Fifty Years Ago.

This is the cradle in which three grew. That thought of a philanthropic brain. A remedy that would make life new. For the multitudes that were racked with pain. 'Twas Sarsaparilla, as made, you know. By Ayer, some 30 years ago.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

was in its infancy half a century ago. To-day it doth "bestride the narrow world like a colossus." What is the secret of its power? Its cures! The number of them! The wonder of them! Imitators have followed it from the beginning of its success. They are still behind it. Wearing the only medal granted to Sarsaparilla in the World's Fair of 1893, it points proudly to its record. Others imitate the remedy; they can't imitate the record.

50 Years of Cures.

What a lot of heartache an outgoing steamer can carry with it.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a secret preparation. Any physician may have the formula on application. The secret of its success lies in its extraordinary power to cleanse the blood of impurities and cure the most deep seated cases of blood-disease.

It costs so much more to avenge a wrong than to suffer it.

A CURE FOR BILIOUS COLIC.

Resource, Soreven Co., Ga.—I have been subject to attacks of bilious colic for several years. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhoea Remedy is the only sure relief. It acts like a charm. One dose of it gives relief when all other remedies all—G. D. Sharp. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

The tailor gown is doing especially pleasing duty this weather.

Certainly you don't want to suffer with dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sallow skin and loss of appetite. You have never tried DeWitt's Little Early Bitters for these complaints or you would have been cured. They are small pills but great regulators. Charles Rogers.

It is not wise to jump to conclusions because they are not apt to be as correct as when you walk up to them.

"My boy came home from school one day with his hand badly lacerated and bleeding, and suffering great pain," says Mr. E. J. Shall, with Meyer Bros. Drug Co., St. Louis, Mo. "I dressed the wound, and applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely. All pain ceased, and in a remarkably short time it healed without leaving a scar. For wounds, sprains, swellings and rheumatism I know of no medicines or prescription equal to it. I consider it a household necessity." The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

Don't put into your diary any remarks that you would not care to have seen by eyes other than your own.

The dyspeptic carries a dreadful load on his back. It seems as if he were really made up of two men. One of them ambitious, brainy and energetic; the other sickly, listless, peevish and without force. The weak man weighs the other one down. The dyspeptic may be able to do pretty good work one day, and the next day, because of some little indiscretion in eating, he may be able to do nothing at all. Most cases of dyspepsia start with constipation. Constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of all human sickness. Some of its symptoms are sick and bilious headache, dizziness, sour stomach, loss of appetite, foul breath, windy belchings, heartburn, pain and distention after eating. All these are indicative of derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels, and all are caused by constipation. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pills are the quickest, safest and most certain cure for this condition. They are not violent in action.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, New York, and receive Dr. Pierce's 108-page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated.

Plaids in fabrics, hosiery and ribbons are holding forth in the gayest of gay colors.

IT SAVES THE CROUPY CHILDREN.

Seaview, Va.—We have a splendid sale on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and our customers coming from far and near speak of it in the highest terms. Many have said that their children would have died of croup if Chamberlain's Cough Remedy had not been given.—Kellan & Curran. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

A woman will always forgive her husband for coming home late unless he does it so quietly that she is not awakened and therefore not able to argue on the question of the hour of his arrival.

Northern Pacific railroad trains leave Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m. for Tacoma, Spokane, and the East. For connection made at Spokane for Lonsdale, Nelson, Sandow and British Columbia mining camps. For maps and information call on or address C. W. STONE, Astoria, Or.

MARINE NEWS.

Table with columns: DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Rows for various days of the week.

VESSELS ON THE WAY TO THE COLUMBIA RIVER FROM NEW YORK.

Table listing vessels, destinations, and agents. Includes entries for Henry Villard, George Steffen, T. Conn, Am Sh, etc.

MARINE NOTES.

The British ship Philomene left up the river yesterday. The steamer Elder sailed yesterday for Dyas and Skaguay. The barkentine Northwest arrived down the river yesterday. The State will arrive down the river this morning and sail for San Francisco. The British ship Marechal Suchet, which arrived Monday from Newcastle, has a cargo of 2,460 tons of coal. The German ship Flottbek, 1888 tons, Captain Shoemaker, arrived yesterday from Kobe, Japan. She is in ballast. The schooner Edward Parke arrived down the river yesterday. She has 250,000 feet of lumber for S. H. Bebb & Co., San Francisco. The harbor is beginning to look like its old self. Nearly a dozen vessels were lying at anchor today and presented a beautiful appearance from the heights. A RICH TREAT IS PROMISED. The Oregon State Fair for 1917-September 29 to October 3. Railroad rates reduced. The Southern Pacific will sell tickets at one fare rates for round trip from all points on their lines in Oregon. You will be entertained from morning until night. No time to rest. Liberal prizes offered for all kinds of sports, such as baseball, tug-of-war, chopping contests, foot races, hammer throw, shot put, and various other sports in charge of a competent committee. Don't overlook the date and the cheap railroad rate of one fare for the round trip. Popular admission of 25 cents.

THE OBJECTION NOT GOOD.

There are people who have objections to advertising matter in the columns of a newspaper. The ground of objection is that they do not want to read advertisements. Now this objection is not good, for oftentimes these advertisements contain valuable information. For instance, how else would the traveling public learn of the excellent dining car service of the Wisconsin Central lines between St. Paul and Chicago, or the general comfort of traveling over this popular line. For particulars call on the nearest ticket agent or address J. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis., or Geo. S. Batty, General Agent, 246 Stark street, Portland, Or.

When going East travel on the Northern Pacific Railway.

Quick time and the only line running dining cars. Train leaves Portland daily at 11 o'clock a. m. The brown chiffon veil will continue to hold its own throughout the autumn.



"Don't yer try to bunco me with something 'just as good' as Piper Heidsieck Plug. Gimme one of the big new five-cent pieces."

PIPER HEIDSIECK PLUG TOBACCO

with its delicious champagne flavor, never yet failed to please the most fastidious tobacco chewer. Once tried, it is not forgotten. Once used, there is no satisfactory substitute. Hitherto the only objection to it has been its cost—but that is now reduced. A five-cent piece is more than one-third larger than it used to be. Try the new size, with the old flavor.

MANHOOD RESTORED "CUPIDENE" advertisement. Includes text about restoring manhood and a small illustration of a man's face.

MANHOOD RESTORED "By using Dr. Pean's Yellow Nerve Pills." advertisement. Includes text about curing nervous diseases and a small illustration of a man's face.

The Choicest Table Wines FOR FAMILIES and Cooking Purposes. Also medicinal and Repsold California Brandy. Includes text about wine quality and a small illustration of a bottle.

"The Louvre" ASTORIA'S GORGEOUS ENTERTAINMENT HALL. Includes text about fine music, games, and entertainment.

J. M. THE SISTERS OF THE Convent of the Holy Names. ASTORIA, OREGON. Will reopen their Boarding and Day School September 9. For rates, etc., address the Superioress.

PATENTS C.A. SNOW & CO. Includes text about patent services and a small illustration of a patent document.

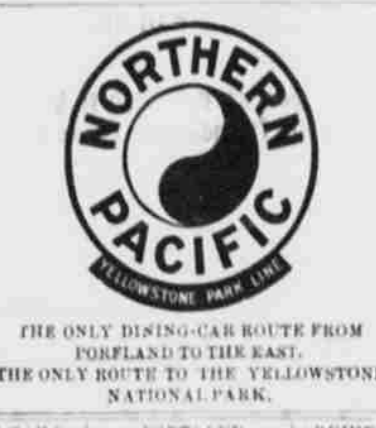
EAST VIA SOUTH SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

Table with columns: LEAVE, PORTLAND, ARRIVE. Lists train schedules for various routes.

Connecting at San Francisco with Occidental & Oriental, Pacific Mail, and Ooshiko steamship lines for JAPAN, CHINA, AUSTRALIA, AND HAWAII.

LOW FARE, EVERY DAY—PORTLAND TO SAN FRANCISCO \$2.00. Second Class; \$3.00, First Class; including berth.

Similar reductions to Los Angeles, Fresno and other California points. Baggage checked to destination. R. KOEHLER, C. H. MARRICHAM, Manager. G. F. and P. A.



THE ONLY DISING-CAR ROUTE FROM PORTLAND TO THE EAST. THE ONLY ROUTE TO THE YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK.

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1 DAY to Minneapolis, Omaha, Kansas City and St. Paul. 3 1/2 DAYS to Milwaukee and Chicago. 4 1/2 DAYS to Washington, Philadelphia, New York and Boston, and other Eastern points. Baggage checked through to destination of tickets. For sleeping-car reservations, tickets, maps and full information, call on or write A. D. CHARLTON, Asst. Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Portland, Or. 355 Morrison St., Cor. Third. C. W. STONE, Astoria.

Holds the world's record for long-distance fast running.

A Map of the United States

The new wall map is issued by the Burlington Route is three feet four inches wide by four feet long, is printed in six colors, is mounted on rollers, shows every state, county, important town, and railroad in the Union, and is a very desirable and useful adjunct to any household or business establishment. Purchased in lots of 500 the maps cost the Burlington Route nearly 20 cents apiece, but on receipt of 15 cents in stamps or cash the undersigned will be pleased to send you one. Write immediately, as the supply is limited. A. C. SHELDON, General Agent, Portland, Oregon.

WHITE COLLAR LINE

Columbia River and Puget Sound Navigation Co. STEAMER "TELEPHONE." Leaves Astoria daily except Sunday, 7 p. m. Leaves Portland daily except Sunday, 7 a. m. STEAMER "BAILEY GATZERT." Leaves Astoria daily except Sunday and Monday at 7 a. m.; Sunday nights at 7 o'clock. Leaves Portland daily except Sunday at 8 p. m. Leaves Saturday night at 10 o'clock. U. B. SCOTT, President. E. A. Seely, Agent, Astoria. C. W. Stone, Agent, Portland. Telephone No. 11.

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