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In making THE HERALD a semi-weekly paper, the one issue is smaller, but in the two issues of the paper you get more reading matter than was contained in the weekly edition, and for the same price.

We hope to, at least, keep the paper up to the present standard of excellence, and by publishing twice a week, give our subscribers in the country the benefit of the state and general news, quicker than if we published only once a week.

We have a daily mail, a tri-weekly, a semi-weekly and one weekly, all from this place, and consequently all our subscribers, except those living on the weekly route, will get the paper twice a week.

OUR late exchanges announce that James G. Blaine will not be a candidate for the presidency in 1892.

We are of the opinion that Mr. Blaine, to-day, is the most popular and strongest man in the republican party, and can come nearer being elected president than any man in the party. But we think his idea for declining, is well founded. Believing there is no show whatever for a republican to be elected, Mr. Blaine would much rather some other man would be the defeated candidate. One defeat for presidency is all a man can well stand, and Mr. Blaine is entirely too smart to offer himself. He would prefer Mr. Harrison's downfall to his own.

It is not that we think woman too ignorant to exercise the right of suffrage and other national privileges, which are forced upon man, or rather, as some persons would have it, enjoyed by man, but it is our affection, love and respect that urges us to oppose any measure likely to bring our wives, mothers, daughters and sisters in contact with the common rabble.

God forbid! that those whom we love and honor, above all things, should be made a common target for the vulgar squibs and bitter anathemas of opposing political demagogues.

MANY years practice has given C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of patents at Washington, D. C., unsurpassed success in obtaining patents for all classes of inventions. They make a specialty of rejected cases, and have secured allowance of many patents that have been previously rejected. Their advertisement in another column will be of interest to inventors, patentees, manufacturers and all who have to do with patents.

FRANCE has been trying a high protective tariff, a la McKinley, and the result is, an uprising of the people, which threatens to become a revolutionary unless the duties are lowered. The question is now under discussion in the French Parliament, and its decision will be watched with interest by the people on this side of the Atlantic.

HERALD'S WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 1, 1891. Mr. Blaine will, I am informed, shortly remove himself from the danger of being struck by Presidential lightning by writing a letter declining to allow his name to be considered in connection with the nomination next year, and announcing his fealty to Mr. Harrison and his desire to see him nominated, but there is another danger that he either lacks the courage or inclination to remove himself from, and which may prove as disastrous to him as the anchors he once cast to windward by the advice of "burn this letter" Fisher.

This danger arises from his desire to protect the financial interests of his friend Stephen B. Elkins, who is a leading member of the syndicate that now has the government sealing privilege in Behring sea. But for this desire all the trouble might have been avoided for the coming season in Alaskan waters, as it is known that the British minister was ready to pledge his government to stop all British vessels from capturing seals for one year if Mr. Blaine would make the same pledge for American vessels. Last year, before Elkins became interested in the seal industry, that was what Mr. Blaine was asking for, but now he doesn't wish to stop the sealing, because his friend hopes this season to take an enormous number—a courageous Treasury agent blocked the game last season by stopping the catch, but a more accommodating agent in the person of J. Stanley Brown, once the private secretary of President Garfield and now the husband of Mollie Garfield, has been selected for duty with the sealers this season, and Elkins and his partners anticipate no trouble in taking all the seals they can catch, if Mr. Blaine can only maintain the status quo until the fall.

Secretary Foster appears to be getting what the boys call "rattled" over the condition of the Treasury. To quiet the alarm created by the announcement that he intended to extend the outstanding 4 1/2 per cent bonds at 2 per cent instead of redeeming them when they mature September first, next, he had his Director of the Mint finish a statement to the press which made it appear that the enormous sum of \$258,000,000 was available to pay any debts or appropriations. This was so absurd that Mr. Foster had himself interviewed in order that he might say that he did not altogether endorse that statement. He then proceeds to figure out an available cash surplus of \$70,000,000 and to naively inform the country that he also considers the \$100,000,000 in gold, which has always been regarded as a reserve held against the \$350,000,000 greenbacks in circulation, to be available cash and that he will not hesitate to use it if it comes to a pinch. Nonwithstanding these statements the daily balance sheet of the Treasury for yesterday shows a surplus of less than \$12,000,000.

Corp. Weather Bulletin No. 8

EASTERN OREGON WEATHER. Showers occurred in fore-part of week in most sections, on 23d snow and ice were experienced along and south of Blue Mountains. On 24th, 25th and 29th, frosts were general, no serious damage is reported from them. Cherries and wheat were slightly injured in a few places. The temperature continues cool, but gradually rising. Not quite an average temperature prevails.

CROPS.

Fall and early spring wheat continues to be promising. Late sown spring wheat is not so good on account of lack of rain. More rain would prove of great benefit to the wheat crop. While the wheat prospects at present are of the best reports indicate that the promising condition will not continue unless more rain falls, the fields are dusty and the lack of rain is already apparent. The grass is good. Stock are reported to be doing well.

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