

Thought Taft Was Freak.

Jimmy Leavin, who is well known at Hood River, has a friend in Boston who is staff photographer on one of the big papers of the Hub according to the Fenelon Tribune.

Recently Mr. Leavin was in Pilot Rock and was showing this photo graph to his friends. The features of Secretary Taft have become so well known through the medium of the press that no one needs to be told that it is Mr. Taft if the likeness is anything near natural, and this picture was so excellent that Mr. Leavin never thought of giving the name with the photograph.

Stepping up to an old man standing in front of one of the stores, Mr. Leavin handed him the Taft picture, casually remarking:

"Here's big Bill."

The old fellow studied it critically a minute or more, then remarked:

"He is pretty big. How much does he weigh?"

"About three hundred pounds," answered Mr. Leavin.

"In a show?" queried the old fellow.

Mr. Leavin thinking perhaps the old fellow was employing a figure of speech, meaning the presidential show, replied: "Yes, in the big show."

"Well, sir, you know," drawled the old fellow, "I ain't been to a circus in 18 years out I'd kinder like to see that fellow. When did you say he'd be here?"

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him \$100.

"In 1902 I had a very severe attack of diarrhoea," says R. N. Farrar of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March 18, 1907, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea Remedy, which gave me prompt relief. I consider it one of the best medicines of its kind in the world, and had I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doctor's bill." Sold by Kier & Cass.

Poetry a la Byrdie.

Mary had a little lamb, it followed her to church; and then stood around the door like an owl upon the perch. Why don't the silly lamb come to the watching people cried. Why, Mary told the silly thing to watch for her outside. So you, each gentle maiden, may one and all still find, some sheep-head waiting at the door, if you admire that kind.—St. John Review.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago Ill.—Gentlemen—In 1897 I had a disease of the stomach and bowels. In the spring of 1902 I bought a bottle of Kodol and the benefit I received all the gold in Georgia could not buy. May you long and prosper. Yours Very Truly, C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., Aug. 27, 1906." Sold by Keir & Cass.

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The Republican Congressional Committee offers \$150 for the best article not exceeding 1,000 words on the subject:

"WHY THE REPUBLICAN PARTY SHOULD BE SUCCESSFUL NEXT NOVEMBER."

The competition is open to all. In judging the merits of the competitors consideration will be given not only to style, arguments and facts presented, but to the convincing power, and it should be borne in mind that Members of Congress are to be elected as well as President and Vice President.

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\$7,000 Horse Drowned.

The fine trick horse, Prince Karl, valued at \$7,000, and a number of trained dogs were drowned in the Cowitz river at the ferry landing at Castle Rock, Wash., last week.

The ferry boat, which it is alleged was insecurely fastened, moved out as the team and wagon with the trick horse leading, were going on board, letting the whole affair, together with the driver, drop into the river. In his efforts to get his wife out of his pocket so as to cut the rope and save the valuable animal, the owner claims he pulled \$800 in gold out of his pocket, which sank. He says he probably will sue the company.

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The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitters does all that's claimed for it. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine. Mr. Harden is right: it's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all run down conditions. Best too for chills and malaria. Sold under guarantee at Chas. N. Clarke's drug store. 50.

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W. H. Root, Hill Heights, Hood River, Oregon, says: "I suffered a great deal from my kidneys for a long time. The 43 case being the result of a cold which settled in these organs. The secretions were too free in action, both day and night and were attended with severe pain. Whenever I attempted to

stoop over, sharp twinges would catch me through the loins and cause the most intense suffering. I felt weak, tired and languid and my eyesight was affected. I was greatly annoyed by dizzy spells and nothing seemed to help me until I procured a box of Dean's Kidney Pills at Clarke's drug store. I used them according to directions and it was long before I felt like a different man, without any sign of my trouble. Today my general health is excellent and for that reason, I cannot speak too highly in praise of Dean's Kidney Pills." For sale by all dealers. Price fifty cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Dean's—and take no other.

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Hotel Man a Bootlegger.

Because he failed to heed the warnings of Special Officers Sam Cone and Joseph Matulis to the effect the government would continue the fight against the liquor traffic on the Nez Perce Indian reservation until all of the bootleggers were either run out of the country or sent to prison, Thomas Craig, hotel keeper at Vollmer, is under arrest on a charge of introducing liquor, and a considerable quantity of beer was seized in the Craig building and will be used as evidence against the defendant before the federal court, says the Lewiston Teller.

Craig moved to the reservation at the time the open saloons were licensed. He erected a fine hotel building and bought the license of furniture to fit up the establishment. He had opened a barroom in connection with the hotel, but shortly after this the Dick decision closed all saloons on the reserve and the bottom dropped out of the hotel business at Vollmer. Mr. Craig then came to Lewiston and applied for a saloon license to open an establishment in the Squire building, but the action of the council at that time in limiting the number of saloons in business in Lewiston.

The arrest was made at Vollmer early last Thursday when the officers swooped into the town after an all night ride across Craig mountain by private conveyance.

Terribly Scalded.

is something we hear or read about every day of our lives. Burns and scalds either slight or serious are bound to happen in your family, be prepared by having a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment handy. It relieves the pain instantly and quickly heals the burn. Sold by Chas. N. Clarke.

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Steve Adams Free.

Steve Adams, member of the West-ern Federation of Miners, was acquitted of the murder of Arthur Collins July 15.

Adams' alleged confession of the crime was excluded as evidence by Judge Shackelford, and eight witnesses testified to an alibi for the accused man.

Collins, who was manager of the Smuggler-Union mine at Telluride, Col., was shot through the window of the office on the night of November 19, 1902, when playing cards with friends.

Steve Adams was twice tried in Idaho courts for the murder of Fred Taylor, the first trial resulting in no verdict and the second an acquittal.

It has been said he was implicated in the murder of former Governor Stenborg of Idaho.

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A Millionaire's Baby attended by the highest priced baby specialist could not be cured of stomach or bowels trouble any quicker or surer than your baby if you give it McGee's Baby Elixir. Cures diarrhoea, dysentery and all derangements of the stomach or the bowels. Price 25c and 50c. Sold by Chas. N. Clarke.

Hill destroys Idaho Fruit.

Sites and the surrounding country were in the path of a hailstorm July 14th and heavy damage to fruit and grain has been reported, while the window panes were broken and tin roofs punctured by the icy pellets, which were as large as hen eggs. W. D. Strecker's store and the Stites Trading company building were damaged by the hail while several farm houses have been damaged, according to Lee Carpenter, a farmer living ten miles east of St. Joe, Idaho.

In many fields the grain has been leveled and the fruit growers say that the fruit has been taken off the trees in some localities. It is impossible to

estimate the damage, but the loss will equal that of last year, when several prominent farmers lost a large portion of their grain.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured him and that saved his life.—William H. Strohm, Carbon Hill Ala. There is no doubt but this remedy saves the lives of many children each year. Give it with prompt action and to the plain printed directions and a cure is certain. For sale by Kier & Cass.

The plant of the Union Pine Box Lumber company was destroyed by fire last Monday afternoon, causing a heavy loss J. Jacobs, the principle member of the company, was the heaviest loser, says the La Grande Star.

Before the fire company could render effective service the blaze was under such headway that little could be saved. The Pine Box company had a large order for fruit boxes to be supplied to fruit growers' unions in Colorado, and a part of this contract has been filled. The total loss is estimated at \$12,000 and the insurance was but \$3500.

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A Sign of Bad Weather.

A nervous woman on an ocean liner approached a deck-hand, during a season of "bad seas," and asked: "Have you ever seen any worse weather than this, Mr. Sailor?"

"Take a word from an old salt, mum," replied the deck-hand. "The weather's never very bad while there's any females on deck—making inquiries about it."

Kodol will without doubt help anyone who has stomach, diarrhoea or stomach trouble. Take Kodol today and continue it for the short time that is necessary to give you complete relief. Kodol is sold by Keir and Cass.

Bulk Sales of Poetry.

"What are you paying for poetry today?" the long haired man inquired. The editor glanced at the closely rolled manuscript in the visitor's hands. "I'll have to consult the janitor," he said. "We see a little thing heavily at present, just a little now and then to accommodate our friends. But we never buy it in less than ten pound lots."

Was in Poor Health for Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. Sold by C. N. Clarke.

Government Apple Crop Report.

The July report of the crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture reports upon the apple crop as follows:

The condition of the apple crop on July 1, 1908, was 57.6 as compared with 66.0 on June 1, 1907, and 62.3 the ten-year average on July 1.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says: "I have only taken four doses of DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done." Sold by Keir and Cass.

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