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THE COUNTRY EDITOR.

"No man in the community does more for the public and receives less for it than the country editor," says Senator H. Clay Heather, of Palmyra, Marion county, in the Missouri State Senate, when the bill reducing the price for publishing the Australian ballot was under consideration.

"If all the space he employs in booming the town, in helping individuals, in making statesman—sometimes out of pretty raw material—were paid for even at half the legal rate, he would be the richest man in the county. Few country editors are rich, but they are of more service to the communities where they live than the wealthiest man.

"They are in the forefront of every movement for progress. They do the work and leave the emoluments to others. A good, clean, honest country newspaper—and most country newspapers are good and clean and honest—helps on every worthy cause and deserves every encouragement.

"It fights the party battles, holds up the hands of the reformer and makes the scoundrel afraid. I am opposed to this bill. No paper in my county would print the ballot at the pitiful price named. They are not paupers. But, for the amount of splendid public service they render, they ought to be millionaires."

Bryan has addressed a letter to the Jacksonian Club of Omaha, declaring that he will not appear on the same platform with David B. Hill at its annual picnic next month. The club is one of the strongest Democratic organizations in the West. It was proposed to bring together Bryan, Hill, Watterson and Carter Harrison as club speakers. Hill was not inclined to come and the club wrote Bryan, asking him to add his entreaties to theirs. Instead, he replied that not only would he not urge Hill to come, but if Hill came he should decline to be there. Some members insist on Hill coming, even though it keep Bryan away.

Hon. John Barrett, of Oregon, late Minister of Spain, will not receive the appointment as United States Minister to China, for which position he was such a warm candidate a few months since, but then he will go to the Orient just the same. He has been named by President Francis to represent the St. Louis Louisiana Purchase Exposition of 1903, as Commissioner General of Asia and Australia, and after he gets through with the International Congress at Mexico, Mr. Barrett will go to Asia to remain several months.

The weather or something is causing numerous strikes, and even the industrious hen gets on a strike occasionally and refuses to furnish eggs with any regularity for home consumption. But the first thing that ever went on a strike is the tireless clock, that continues to strike with increasing regularity, and there is no kick coming as it does not belong to a union.

Holer of the Salem Journal talks about the "coyote bounty graft" just as if he would know a coyote if he met one in the road. There is one thing certain, however, no bigger coyote than Holer ever got straddle of a graft without squealing about the graft of some other locality.

A Denver man who deserted his wife five years ago came home the other day and told his wife that he went away "just for a joke." Then the wife sprang the richest joke of the season on him by introducing her new husband.

The Willows Journal, one of those horrid, torrid papers of the Sacramento valley, says editorially: "Miss Carrie Dam, of Wheatland visited Marysville today.—Marysville paper. We don't Carrie Dam if she did."

The motto, "God Bless Our Home," placed on the wall, will not insure domestic felicity. The motto must look down upon scenes of loving kindness and forbearance, else its charm will be neutralized.

The trouble between France and Turkey is in a fair way to be settled without any necessity for going to war.

And the Pennsylvania Democracy also ignored Col. Bryan. Gee Whizz!

ENTRY FOR THE PUPPY STAKE.
(Coggerel Verses.)

That thing called a dude
Who is having all day
On the street in his rade
And masculine way
Makes insulting remarks, on the sly,
To the ladies who chance to pass by

A coward is he,
And I need not aver
What I know him to be—
Just a low, dirty cur,
He makes sure there's no man with a boot
To avenge the insult with his foot.

He takes precious care
That the ladies have not
A defender near there
Quite indignant and hot
To apply a hard blow, with a cane,
To his skull that is guileless of brain.

For what useful work
Was this dude ever made?
He has managed to shirk
And all labor evade,
It is hard to invent an excuse
For allowing this dude to run loose.

There'll be a dog race
In the golden state town
If this fast youth can pace,
Let us enter him down.
For, maybe by chance, he will take
That Union Park puppy-dog stake.

Their Secret is Out.

Al, Sadieville, Ky., was curious to learn the cause of the vast improvement in the health of Mrs. S. P. Whittaker, who had for a long time, endured untold suffering from a chronic bronchial trouble. "It's all due to Dr. King's New Discovery," writes her husband. "It completely cured her and also cured our little grand-daughter of a severe attack of Whooping Cough." It positively cures Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis, all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50 c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Lee Beall's drug store.

Vicious But Awkward Fighting.

The Examiner always likes to see Lakeview keep up its reputation in all lines, and as the following from the Oregonian refers to an old Lakeview boy who was the winner, we have no hesitancy in republishing it—though we do not believe in street brawls in the strict sense of the term. However, when anybody hits a Lakeviewite he wants to look out for a return. Round one:

George W. Joseph, a rather widely known attorney, and a Mr. Gruener gave an impromptu exhibition in fist-cuffs in front of the Commercial block yesterday forenoon to the great amusement of a crowd of spectators. The two champions were holding rather an animated discussion on the sidewalk, when suddenly Gruener stepped onto the pavement and struck Joseph below the belt. He followed up with a vicious blow at Joseph's solar plexus, and Joseph countered on his opponent's cheek and scored first blood. The sight of gore aroused the demons in them, and throwing prize-ring etiquette to the wind, each grabbed the other by the coat-collar with his left hand and went at it hammer and tongs. Finally Gruener went down and his coat came over his head, imprisoning his arms so as to render him helpless. As he had been the aggressor, the sympathy of the spectators was with Joseph, and no objections were made when he began to punch his fallen foe in the back of the head, but as the head was harder than his hand, he soon got enough of that, and the contest came to an end. The pluck exhibited was commendable, but the combatants were voted the most awkward fighters ever seen. It was stated that Joseph had acted as counsel for Gruener's wife in instituting proceedings for divorce, and the offense taken by Gruener at a trifle like that was the cause of his attack on Joseph.

To Save Her Child.

From frightful disfigurement Mrs. Nannie Gallagher, La Grange, Ga., applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve to great sores on her head and face, and writes it is quick cure exceeded all her hopes. It works wonders in Sores, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, Cuts, Burns, Scalds and Piles. 25c. Cure guaranteed by Lee Beall druggist. 30-5

Lands Open to Settlers.

Two townships in the Cascade Forest Reserve will be thrown open on the 30th of September next, says the Klamath Falls Express. One township is in Crook and the other in Klamath and both are nearly west of Silver Lake. They are thrown open through the influence of the Little Deschutes Irrigation Co. This company has taken up and own about 13 sections of land and have taken out a large irrigation ditch on the Deschutes river which will go directly through these two townships to be shortly opened to settlement. The land is said to be very fine and by putting water upon it there is no mistaking what the result will be.

FINAL PROOF.

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Aug. 22, 1901. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before A. J. King, County Clerk at Vale, Oregon, on October 30, 1901, viz: John Mercurio, H. E. No. 275 for the SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 28, and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 33, Tp 38 S., R. 41 E., WM Oregon. He claims the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James Hightson, Philander Deffenbaugh, Cornelius Ryan and George Simpson all of McBurnitt, Nevada. E. M. BRADY, Register.

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