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WINNING OVER AN AUDIENCE PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL. A Story of the Presidential Campaign

A clever bit of campaign repartee is accredited to Lee Fairchild, the California orator, who leaped into national repute in 1896. He was sent into a Southern state to advocate the gold standard. At a certain place he was informed by the committee that the "rally" would begin and end about the same time, and that not since 1883 had any republican speaker been permitted to finish a speech there.

Upon learning that the speakers, as a rule, had been able to get out of A Waldoboro (Me.) bachelor, while town and fill their next appointments, Fairchild determined to make the at- father last winter, made three as fine man to have no music, and to introduce him by saying to the audience: speaker." The chairman followed in- his body in an embalmer's office, where structions a little too literally. He it was doing service as an exhibit. simply pointed at the audience and then The man had been accidentally at the speaker, and disappeared behind drowned.

audience was separated, the colored married five times, and for each husfolk all being in the gallery, and only band she has had a child. The five thrust at the opponent party, when an organized body of young men in the center of the theater shouted in con-

Fairchild paused for a moment, and then, waving his hand at the gallery, "Waiter, come down and take the Chinamen's orders!" The effect was electrical. The speaker, in relating the incident to the writer, said: 'You should have seen that black hillside of faces sloping heavenward break told you that you had an extravagant into ledges of pearls."-Denver Times. fool of a father?"

State Turtles. Turtles are very largely found along the coast line of Burma and the impecunious government has found means to make money out of it. The right to a chump as I am."—Indianapolis Jourcollect turtles and eggs is sold by auction annually by the deputy commissioners within whose districts the banks are situated. The revenue from this source in the Irrawaddy division alone was about 28,000 rupees. For some time past a decrease in the number of turtles and tortoises has been noticed and the government now proposes that the islands on which the tortoises lay should be completely protected from January 1 to May 15 (the laying and hatching season) once in every five years and that a small establishment should be maintained for this purpose.-Calcutta Amrita Bazar Pa-



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Congressman Tawney, of Minnesota, began life as a blacksmith's helper. When Captain Coghlan was in command of the Raleigh he was the smallest man in stature on that ship.

A Fall River (Mass.) lover has secured a writ from court to compel the parents of his sweetheart to permt the latter to wed him.

A Lawrence (Ky.) man fell from a small flight of steps and struck the side of his head on the pavement. The blow deprived him of sight.

watching beside the couch of his sick tempt as billed. He advised the chair- quilts as were ever produced at an oldfashioned quilting bee.

A St. Louis woman, after searching "You are the people and here is the for six months for her husband, found

Perhaps the most extraordinary tam-Fairchild began his speech at once ily in the world is one now living at with one of his famous stories. The Arkansas City. The mother has been white people below. In about five children are living with her and each bears the name of his father.

Professor G. K. Gilber, who appears meal, per ton, \$33. to have been investigating quietly for several years, says the city of Chicago is sinking into the lake at the rate of nine or ten inches in a century. This is happening because of a gradual tilting of the earth's crust in the lake

The Conclusion.

"And you say the idiot of a teacher

"That's what he meant." "But what did he say?"

"He said it was criminal folly to waste money on the education of such

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Reporting the Wedding. A reporter on a newspaper was given the task of writing up a very swell \$1 per box.

wedding. He composed a fine account of the wedding ceremonies, but like many young writers, he tried to use too flow. 27@30c per pound. ery language, and, becoming excited he forgot to be accurate in the use of words. The description of the beau-

ties of nature read something like this: "The silvery moon hovered over the scene and the stars twinkled merrily; the soft sighing of the wind in the trees near by came like a benediction of love to the happy couple entering

upon the voyage of life together." The reporter sent in his copy but just as the paper was about to be sent to press he rushed into the editor's room all excitement saying he wished to make a correction in the account of the wedding as according to the almanac there was no silvery or any other moon on that night.

And the reporter also said that he had blundered in writing of the "contesting" parties instead of "contracting" parties.

After a few more corrections the account of the wedding was found avail- 21@22c. able for the editor's waste basket .-Tit-Bits.

No Tobacco for Norwegian Boys. A law was recently passed in Norway prohibiting the sale of tobacco to any boy under 16 years of age without a signed order from an adult relative or employer. Even tourists who offer cigarettes to boys render themselves liable to prosecution. The police are instructed to confiscate the pipes, cigars and cigarettes of lads who smoke in the public streets. A fine for the offense is also imposed which may be anywhere between 50 cents and \$25.-Chicago

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

rop Reports and Probabilities the Main Factors in Trade.

Bradstreet's trade review says: Crop reports and probabilities have constituted an important contribution to general trade and business advices this week. Among the unquestionably favorable features have been the reports regarding the corn crop, government estimates pointing to a yield of probably 2,200,000,000 bushels a heavy increase over last year and almost within touch of the record of the total of 1896. Spring wheat indications apparently bear out earlier trade advices in showing a decrease in condition during July. The reduction of 25,000,000 bushels in the probable outcome, estimated, however, considerably smaller it is true, than last year, but with the exception of 1898 and 1891, is the heaviest recorded.

A German lieutenant who is touring America says England would like to see the United States go to war with Germany, because Great Britain would get more commerce. He also says Dewey and Deidrichs were friends.

Hides, leather, boots and shoes are sympathetically strong, and at a convention of shoe manufacturers at Philadelphia this week a practical agreement to advance prices of the finished product was reached.

Wool is firm, as is also sugar, for which an unprecedented demand is looked for in the current canning season. The outlook in the canned goods trade generally is reported a very good

Business failures for the week in the United States number 156, as compared with 156 last week, 157 a year ago, and 214 in 1897. Since July 1 this season the exports

of wheat aggregate 22,125,000 bushels, against 18,354,728 bushels last year, and 16,115,543 bushels in 1897-98.

PACIFIC COAST TRADE.

Seattle Markets. Onions, new, \$1.25 per sack Potatoes, new, 1@112c per lb. Beets, per sack, \$1@1 25. Turnips, per sack, 50@60c. Carrots, per sack, \$1@1.25. Parsnips, per sack, \$1. Cauliflower, 40@60c per doz.

Cabbage, native and California \$1.50 per 100 pounds. Cherries, 75c@\$1. Peaches, 75c. Apples, \$1.25@1.75 per box.

Pears, \$1.75 per box. Prunes, \$1 per box. Watermelons, \$2@3. Cantaloupes, \$2@2.50. Blackberries, \$1.75@2. Butter-Creamery, 23c per pound; dairy 15@18c ranch, 12@16c per lb.

Eggs, 23c. Cheese-Native, 10@12c. Poultry-13@14c; dressed, 161/2c. Hay-Puget Sound timothy, \$8@9; choice Eastern Washington

othy, \$14.00. Corn-Whole, \$23.50; cracked, \$24; feed meal, \$25.00. Barley-Rolled or ground, per ton, \$23@24; whole, \$22.

Flour-Patent, per barrel, \$3.50; blended straights, \$3.25; California \$3.25; buckwheat flour, \$3.50; graham, per barrel, \$3.60; whole wheat flour, \$3.75; rye flour, \$4.50.

Millstuffs-Bran, per ton, \$16; shorts, per ton, \$17. Feed-Chopped feed, \$21.50 per ton; middlings, per ton, \$22; oil cake

Portland Market.

Wheat-Walla Walla, 57 9 58c; Valley, 58@59c; Bluestem, 60c per Flour-Best grades, \$3.25; graham,

\$2.65; superfine, \$2.15 per barrel. Oats-Choice white, 43@44c; choice gray, 42@43c per bushel.

Barley-Feed barley, \$17; brewing, \$18.00 per ton. Millstuffs-Bran, \$17 per ton; mid-

dlings, \$22; shorts, \$18; chop, \$16.00 per ton. Hay-Timothy, \$8@9; clover, \$7

@8; Oregon wild hay, \$6 per ton. Butter-Fancy creamery, 42 1/2 @ 45c; seconds, 35@40c; dairy, 30@35c; store, 22 1/2 @ 27 1/2 c.

Cheese-Oregon full cream, 12c; Young America, 13c; new cheese, 10c per pound.

Poultry-Chickens, mixed, \$3@4.50 per dozen; hens, \$5.00@5.50; springs, \$2@3.00; geese, \$4.00@5.00 for old, \$4.50@5.50 for young; ducks, \$5.00@ 5.50 per dozen; turkeys, live, 121/2 @ 13 1/2c per pound.

Potatoes-75c@\$1 per sack; sweets, 3@3%c per pound.

Vegetables-Beets, \$1; turnips, 90c per sack; garlic, 7c per pound; cabbage, 1½@2c per pound; cauli-nower, 75c per dozen; parsnips, \$1 beans, 5@6c per pound; celery, 70@75c per dozen; cucumbers, 50c per box; peas, 3@4c per pound; tomatoes,

Hops—11@13c; 1897 crop, 4@6c. Wool—Valley, 12@13c per pound; Eastern Oregon, 8@13c; mohair,

Mutton-Gross, best sheep, wethers and ewes, 3 1/2 c; dressed mutton, 5 @6c;

lambs, 31/4c per lb. Hogs-Gross, choice heavy, \$4.50; light and feeders, \$4.00; dressed, \$5.00 @6.00 per 100 pounds.

Beef-Gross, top steers, 4.00@\$4.25; cows, \$3.00@3.50; dressed beef, 6@6%c per pound.

Veal-Large, 6@7c; small, 71/2@8c per pound. San Francisco Market. Wool-Spring-Nevada, 10@12c p-

pound; Oregon, Eastern, 10@14c; Vai ley, 17@18c; Northern, 8@10c. Millstuffs-Middlings, \$17@19.50; bran, \$16@16.50 per ton. Onions-Silverskin, 75c@\$1

Butter - Fancy creamery, 2014@ 21 1/c; do seconds, 19 @ 20c; fancy dairy. 18@19c do seconds, 14@16c per pound. Eggs - Store, 16@18c; fancy ranch,

Hops-1898 crop, 171/20. Citrus Fruit-Oranges, Valencia, \$2.75@3.25; Mexican limes, \$4@4.50: California lemons, 75c@\$1.50; d choice, \$2.75@2.00 per box.

Hay-Wheat, \$7. @9.25; wheat a: oat, \$5@8.50; oat, \$8@9; best ba ley, \$5@7; alfalfa, \$5@7 per to: straw, 15@35c per bale. Potatoes—Early Rose, 75c@\$1 Oregon Burkanks, \$1.65@\$1.85; rive:

Burbanks, 75c@\$1; Salinas Burbanks \$1.25@1.50 per sack. Tropical fruits-Bananas, \$1.50@ per bunch; pineapples, \$26 4.00; Persian dates, 6@61gc pr

A Good Word for John. What did that man want?"

"He wanted a correction made." "Did he leave his address?"

"No; he didn't want to." "All right; make the correction." Correction .- "John Smith wishes it stated that he is not the John Smith who was sued for board by his landlady."-Puck.

Look the Same. Yeast-Did you ever take any o those mud baths?

Crimsonbeak-Well, I ran for office once-Yonkers Statesman.

Still More Counterfeiting. The Secret Service has just unearthed ther band of counterfeiters and secured a quantity of bogus bills, which are very cleverly executed. Things of great value cleverly executed. Things of great value are always selected for imitation, notably Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators, but no equals for disord-ers like indigestion, dyspepsia and consti-

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English speaking people are said to

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A new industry is springing up in Northern Mexico-the sinking of wells for salt water, from which salt is manposes. One company has secured 120, turn purple and black, hogs soon learn 000 acres of salt water territory at to devour them, The American locomotive manufac- Camaron, 120 miles south of Laredo,

True to His Principles. half dead from thirst, and all unused to the climate of the tropics, lay gasp-

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up with fire?" "So I have heard," replied Tom.

o when the world is burned up?" "Oh," replied Tom with an air of one who has provided for all the contingencies, "I shall go out to Uncle tarrh." Address Dr. Hartman, Colum-Billy's and stay."-Detroit Journal. Never Satisfied.

Fuddy-Joggles has moved ou' to He says he does it for negie Steel Company, Limited, to pay af Allegheny county. They manufact the exercise that working about the the depositors a higher rate of interest tured 22 per cent of the Bessemer steel place will give him. He bought on their savings than could be obtained production of the United States and 42 Shandy's place. Shandy has moved Duddy-What induced him to sell?

> "To get rid of the work about the place."-Boston Transcript. Nothing, perhaps, is so bitter as ufactured for mining and domestic pur- olives freshly picked, yet after they

An analyst has made the discovery turers from 1890 to 1898 inclusive ex- and has struck water containing 12 per that California roses contain 20 per ported 2,289 locomotives, of a value of cent of salt, worth from 1 to 3 cents a cent more perfume than those grown

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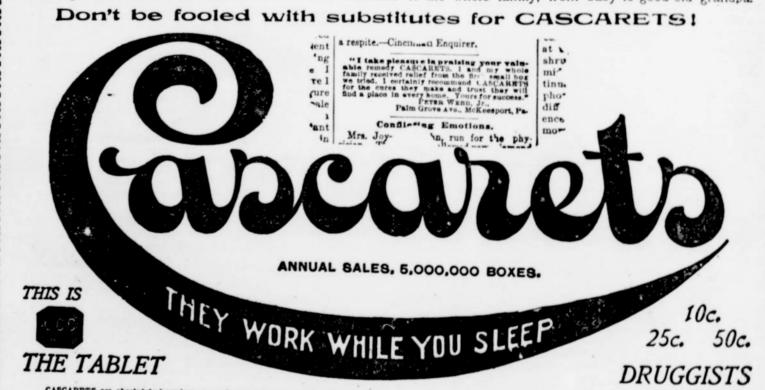
ever taken." Healthy mucous membranes protect "But, Tom," went on Jimmy, who the body against the heat of summer was deeply concerned about the ap- and the cold of winter. Pe-10-na 18 proaching catastrophe, "what will you sure to bring health to the mucous

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