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Just Suppose.

There is a good deal of truth in what the Evening Telegram had to say editorially last week, which shows how people become prejudiced on certain lines, more especially if this or that party advocates certain things, and as it will prove food for reflection for hot-headed politicians we repeat it. The article says:

"Suppose Mr. McKinley had been possessed of a large, solid backbone, and an independent unyielding Will, like those of Andrew Jackson or of Grover Cleveland, for example. Suppose, being thus constituted, he had decided not to keep the Philippines, only to maintain a coaling station there; had ordered most of the fleet away and sent no army and told the Filipinos to do what they pleased—cut one another's throats till only a few surviving monkeys of them were left, if they chose—it was none of his affair. Suppose, in short, he had decided and insisted upon, and determinedly carried out the policy of nonexpansion and of national isolation, now commended by the democrats, what would the two principal parties and their leaders have done and said?"

"Why, the democrats would have denounced and assailed the president even more scornfully and bitterly than they are doing now—as a coward and skulker—and Bryan and all his troop of followers would have been howling for expansion and bewailing the surrender to the Tagals and the hauling down and retreat of the flag!"

"But this is not all. Almost all the republicans, from Hanna and Foraker down to Wallace McCamant and George Brownell, would have been applauding and glorifying McKinley as the greatest American statesman that ever lived for doing just the opposite of what he did, just as they do now for taking the course he did."

"That is to say, in practical politics, the 'out' party must take ground in opposition to what the 'in' administration does or proposes to do; while all or nearly all the office-holders and spokesmen and spoilsmen and rounders and ringsters and spellbinders and organizers of the 'in' party must stand up for and shout and applaud and eulogize everything that the president does. The right or wrong of it, the good or bad of it, is scarcely considered at all; or, rather, partisans affect to believe, and probably most of them do really believe, that whatever the president and other officials of their party do is altogether right, and whatever the other party does or seeks to do or professes is utterly wrong."

"Which is why a great many voters are saying: 'A plague on both your houses; I'll stay home and saw wood and do as I think best when the time comes; I don't half believe any of ye.'"

So it would have been with the silver question, for had the republicans taken up the silver craze and declared for 16 to 1, the democrats would now be whooping it up for monometallism or bimetalism with international agreement.

Prohibition Candidate Woolley is making himself extremely ridiculous calling Mr. McKinley the canteen president. Those who have studied this question impartially and given their candid and unbiased opinions, admit that the army canteen is more of a blessing than otherwise. All conservative and fair-minded persons take a liberal view of the army canteen question, and who cannot be influenced by the rabid assertions of the prohibition candidate. Two bugaboos confront the voters at this time—one is Woolley's "Canteen President" and the other Bryan's "Imperialism." This is a sample of Woolley's argument, or to be strictly correct we should have said taunt, which we take from his San Francisco speech: "If you vote for a canteen president don't bother God with your prayers to suppress the saloon—pray for rain, pray for anything you like, but have the manhood to refrain from mentioning the saloon." Let's take Woolley's advice and add to this: "Don't tell God that Woolley is out for the money there is in it, for he would be shocked to know that Woolley openeth not his mouth until a large number of \$ subscribers are guaranteed for his voice." The prohibition candidate also says: "There is throughout the country an immense feeling against McKinley on account of his attitude toward the army canteen." One can only wonder where this "immense feeling against McKinley" comes from when republicans as well as democrats are in harmony with the president on the canteen question. We are sorry to see so estimable a gentleman indulging in a political lie, for if there is an "immense feeling" against the president one would naturally infer that the prohibition candidate would get the "immense" support which Mr. McKinley received four years ago, while, in point of fact, Woolley does not expect to obtain one electoral vote.

We are in sympathy with the miners who toil in the great anthracite coal fields in their strike for higher wages, for the

reason they are underpaid for their laborious and dangerous occupation, while the coal barons are getting richer every day because they can grind down the wages of the miners to a paltry pittance. The miners have real and bitter grievances, especially when it is a fact that the average amount of wages paid to a miner is \$20 per month, or \$240 a year, and considering that the cost of living has been increased at least 30 per cent by the operation of the trust system, it is plain to every fair-minded person that the full dinner pail argument we are hearing so much about cannot apply to the coal miners of Pennsylvania. When men have to mine a ton and a half of coal for a legal ton and are required to deal at the mineowners' "pluck-me" store, where the charges are outrageous, and with increased cost of living, what is \$20 a month to pay the expenses of a family? How would families in Oregon make both ends meet with only \$20 a month? Why some doctors in the Northwest do not scruple to charge workmen for an operation what the miner in the east receives for a whole year's work. The coal strike is to be deplored, for it will effect something like 140,000 miners and paralyze a large number of other industries, but as there appears to be no other course left whereby the men can obtain more equitable wages, this is the determination, although it will entail considerable loss to all parties. Arbitration is the only way to avert strikes, and when employers of labor are so uncompromising and will not consent to this mode of settlement, they should be compelled to do so.

Senator Hanna says the coal miners' strike in the East and Mayor Jones, of Toledo, Ohio, decision to support Bryan won't have any effect upon the coming election. No one is that foolish to believe such rot, for they know that it will. The paramount issue one day with Hanna is apathy in the republican party and the next day it is confidence, so that no matter how the election turns out he will be in a position to say "I told you so." The strike will hurt the republican vote, so will Mayor Jones' flop to Bryan in Ohio, where Jones, running as an independent republican for governor, received, if we remember rightly, about 100,000 votes. But whether it will be enough to defeat McKinley remains to be seen. Republicans should not run away with the idea that Bryan can be beaten without any effort, and if this idea prevails all over the country and a strong effort is not put forth to re-elect McKinley within the next month, republicans may be surprised and want to know how it all happened after the election is over.

We are glad to know that the Oregon Republican Editorial Association is perfectly in accord with the sentiments expressed in the Headlight in regard to the attempt of the republican national committee to force a supplement upon the republican newspapers, which is printed by a trust monopoly. As far as the Headlight is concerned, the editor does not propose to allow this newspaper to become a tool, nor do we propose to voluntarily step aside and play second fiddle. We are glad to know that the other republican editors have stiffened their backbone in this matter, and we hope they will continue to keep it stiff, for, as we have before stated, the republican editors of Oregon are more capable of doing political work in their respective locations than any trust company.

What ingratitude! It is stated that nearly 67,000 householders in Cuba have registered their intention to remain subjects of Spain. They will be a powerful element in the island and not a promising one for the tranquility of a Cuban republic. The United States is young and inexperienced in a colonial policy, as is seen by the side of England, for that country would have compelled each Cuban to take an oath of allegiance or clear out, the same as in South Africa. Although there appears to be considerable opposition to England's colonial policy in the United States, it is well for this country to consider how England makes a success of expansion while the European nations a failure of it.

The "paramount issue" with a good many prominent republicans the past few weeks has been prognosticating defeat if the apathy in the party continues. Even Senator Hanna is scared, and he too has done much to cause uneasiness, and we are wondering why the republican leaders are taking this fatal course, which is admitting, logically, a lack of confidence in the ranks of the republican party, when they could easily win the election by pressing to the front republican prosperity and expansion. Instead of causing uneasiness, this would have stimulated the party and urged it on to victory. Let's hear no more of these scarecrow prognostications.

A number of the Oregon editors are howling like blazes about monopolies and trusts, which is perfectly right and proper, but it is darn'd silly for the patent outside editors to do so when they hobnobble with and pay a trust company blood money for editing and printing one side of their newspapers, to say nothing of the columns of advertising the trust company runs in for which the editors receives no pay whatever. No, brothers,

don't howl any more about trusts if you are running a patent outside sheet, for when you wait upon the local advertiser do not appear thunderstruck if he should want his advertisement inserted free the same as those on the patent sheet.

Either the compulsory clauses of the Oregon school law should be rigidly enforced or the law made more stringent. In rural districts a large number of children are kept from attending school for various reasons, thus depriving them of a common school education. This is not right, for to raise children in ignorance when schools are provided in the remotest parts of the country is altogether wrong. We hear complaints about illiterate immigrants coming to this country, but let us watch against native born children being raised in that way.

We would like to see the next state legislature make some provision so that each county could maintain a good high school, to be established in the most central part of each county. Of course the school law would have to be altered to provide for this, but in counties like Tillamook, where there are no public high schools or non-sectarian colleges, what a great advantage it would be to pupils and their parents if an education of this description could be obtained in the home county.

Kruger has resigned the presidency of the Trausvaal, but as England has annexed that country and Kruger has been on the run so much to avoid the firing line, we fail to see how his resignation was accepted unless he sent it to Lord Roberts. Of course Oom Paul has been on guard like a good soldier, but it was to watch the treasury falling into any other hands but his own when the final clash came and when he could skip the country.

Governor Pingree, of Michigan, is a queer kind of a republican. He obtained notoriety by his potato patch ideas, and now he is appealing to the gallery by saying: "I'll hold my nose, vote for McKinley and trust to luck," which makes a somewhat idiotic argument when dissected. Instead of being on the fence, Pingree must have reached a stage of his political career where the atmosphere is damnably foul.

A woman in Portland has sued a dentist one thousand dollars for pulling the wrong tooth. Now if that lady has any more sound molars in her head and the assessor of Multnomah county is onto his job he will assess each of them one thousand dollars.

The person who prognosticates the result of the coming election knows as much about it as the next man.

We don't want to annoy the anti-expansionists, but a little more expansion wouldn't do any harm.

Real Estate Transfers.

- U.S. to Thomas J. Gregory, Se ¼ of Sec 3, tp. 2 S, R 9 W.
- U.S. to A. D. Farmer, E ½ of Ne ¼ and E ½ of Se ¼ of sec. 1, tp. 4 S, R 10 W.
- U.S. to Lucie Huber, Se ¼ of sec. 31, tp. 1 N, R 6 W.
- U.S. to Mary J. Hughes, Ne ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- U.S. to Wm. F. Barnett, Nw ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- U.S. to John C. Herrington, Sw ¼ of sec 15, tp. 1 N, R 8 W: the same to Jos. Green.
- U.S. to Andone Huber, lots 1 and 2 and E ½ of Nw ¼ of sec. 31, tp. 1 N, R 6 W.
- U.S. to James Griffin, Nw ¼ of sec. 20, tp. 1 N, R 6 W.
- U.S. to John Huber, E ½ of Sw ¼ and lots 3 and 4 of sec. 31, tp. 1 N, R 6 W.
- U.S. to Ezra V. Rudrow, Sw ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- U.S. to Benton T. Smith, Ne ¼ of sec. 21, tp. 1 N, R 8 W.
- U.S. to David F. Newsom, Se ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 1 N, R 7 W; the same to Joseph Green.
- U.S. to Ellice D. Burr, Sw ¼ of sec. 25, tp. 1 N, R 7 W; the same to Joseph Green.
- U.S. to William H. Dillon, W ½ of Ne ¼ and lots 1 and 2 of sec. 25, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- U.S. to L. H. Shoemaker, Nw ¼ of sec. 25, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- U.S. to Philip S. Spicer, W ½ of Se ¼ and lots 3 and 4 of sec. 25, tp. 1 N, R 7 W.
- Miles Devitt to Joseph Green, S ½ of Se ¼ of sec 1 and N ½ of Ne ¼ of sec 12, tp. 1 N, R 8 W.
- B. W. Holmes to Louis Fleck, Se ¼ of sec ¼ of sec. 28 and E ½ of Ne ¼ and Ne ¼ of Se ¼ of sec. 33, tp. 4 S, R 10 W.
- U.S. to Jane Smith, Sw ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 2 S, R 6 W.
- U.S. to Mary B. Danforth, Se ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 2 N, R 6 W.
- J. S. Bosler et ux to Amy Taylor, N ½ of Sw ¼ of sec. 30, tp. 5 S, R 10 W, and N ½ of Se ¼ of sec. 26, tp. 5 S, R 11 W.
- U.S. to Frank E. Heterson, Se ¼ of Se ¼ of sec. 10 and E ½ of Ne ¼ and Ne ¼ of Se ¼ of sec. 15, tp. 2 N, R 9 W.
- E. P. Blum et ux to F. R. and A. G. Beals, S ½ of Ne ¼ and Nw ¼ of Ne ¼ of sec. 31, tp. 2 S, R 9 W.
- Charles Pye to Arabella Pye, a tract in tp. 3 N, R 10 W.
- John R. Mills to E. W. Mills, Se ¼ of Nw ¼, Ne ¼ of Sw ¼, Nw ¼ of Se ¼ and Se ¼ of Ne ¼ of sec 32, tp. 2 S, R 9 W.

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Great bodies move slowly, and only act after mature deliberation. It may therefore be safely stated that governments and corporations did not employ avenarius carbolinum until fully convinced of its money saving as well as wood preserving qualities. Private individuals desirous of lengthening the life of wood work and at the same time curtailing expenses, need not fear to follow the precedents established.

Recent local examples proving the truth of the above statements are not wanting. The reconstructed Madison street bridge in Portland has been treated with avenarius carbolinum, as has also the pavement at the intersection of four streets in that city where the heaviest street car and wagon traffic converge. The latter use of the compound was made at the earnest solicitation of street car managers who confidently look for gratifying results.

The gentlemen in charge of the United States engineering department for Oregon are now applying avenarius carbolinum to the dams and lock work on the Yamhill river, a flattering tribute to its merits which was certainly not extended until searching investigation satisfied the authorities that it was a measure of practical economy.

With such examples before them it would appear that the individual is foolish and the official almost culpable who does not protect his own, or the taxpayer's pockets by using this compound, thus saving from decay, and lengthening the life of all frame structures for which this saving from decay, and lengthening the life of all frame structures for which he is individually or officially responsible.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of Eric Peterson, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County, his final account as such administrator, and that Tuesday the sixth day of November, 1900, at the hour of ten o'clock a.m., has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing of objections to said account, and the settlement thereof.

FRANK EKROTH,
Administrator of the Estate of Eric Peterson, deceased.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County.

George E. Whittington, plaintiff,
vs.
A. P. Wilson and Susie A. Wilson, defendants.

To A. P. Wilson and Susie A. Wilson, the defendants above named: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to-wit, on or before Thursday, October 26, 1900, and if you fail so to appear and answer for want hereof plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in the complaint herein. The relief demanded is that you may be required to set forth the nature of your claim to the real property referred to in the complaint herein, and real property being situated in Tillamook County, Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit: The West one-half of the Northeast quarter and the Southeast quarter of the No. 10 east quarter of section fourteen and the Southwest quarter of the Southeast quarter of section eleven, all in township one North of Range ten West of Willamette Meridian, and that all adverse claims of you, the said defendants, may be determined by a decree of the above entitled court; that by said decree it be declared and adjudged that you, the said defendants, have no estate, title or interest whatever in or to said described real property, or any part thereof, and that the title of plaintiff thereto is good and valid; that you and each of you be forever barred from any and all claim to or estate or interest, whatsoever, in or to the said described real property, and that plaintiff's title thereto be quieted, and that plaintiff have judgment against you for his costs and disbursements herein.

This summons is published in the Tillamook Headlight by order of Hon. G. W. Sappington, County Judge of Tillamook County, Oregon, made and dated August 22nd, 1900, the time prescribed in the order for publication being once a week for six successive weeks, and the date of first publication being Thursday, August 23, 1900, and the other publications being August 29, 1900; September 6, 1900; September 13, 1900; September 20, 1900; September 27, 1900; and October 4, 1900, the last being the date of the last publication of this summons, and said several publications being on Thursday of each week.

MILTON W. SMITH & B. L. EDDY,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., August 28, 1900.

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 the County Clerk of Tillamook Co., at Tillamook, Oregon, on September 25, 1900, viz:

F. L. M. HALL,
H. E. No. 10215, for the Nw ¼ of Sec ¼ and Sw ¼ of Nw ¼, sec. 31, tp. 1 N, R. 10 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Axel Nelson, of Tillamook, Or.; John Hodgdon and Joseph Kodak, of Netarts, Or.; John Henegay, of Tillamook, Or.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.—That the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of J. E. Barker, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Tillamook County, his final account as such administrator, and that Tuesday the sixth day of November, 1900, at the hour of ten o'clock a.m., has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing of objections to said account, and the settlement thereof.

WILLIAM BARKER,
Administrator of the Estate of J. E. Barker, deceased.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., September 1st, 1900.

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 the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on October 19, 1900, viz:

FREDERICK M. BLAISDELL,
H. E. No. 11984, for the S ½ of Sec ¼, Lots 7, 8 and 9, S. 8. E. 10, T. 3 N, R. 5 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

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