

CARRY OUT THE PLATFORM.

Both the Republican county and state platforms demand economy and retrenchment in our state government, and that all state officials be placed upon a salary instead of receiving unknown sums of fees.

The supreme court as newly organized has deferred action until the close of the present term. Before a new clerk is installed there should be an understanding that he is to accept a reasonable salary. There should be a reduction of several thousand dollars in the expense of that department and especially in the clerk's office. The clerk is now receiving nearly twice as much as a judge of the supreme court receives. The people have demanded that all county and state officials be placed on a salary. The Republican party—that is the rank and file—propose to insist upon this. It has been done with all county officials. I should and must be done with all state officials. This applies to the office of state treasurer, secretary of state and all state officials. Extra emoluments, fees, remunerations "aside" must be cut off. If our state government is to be brought upon a business basis, and this is where the Republicans have promised to bring it and can have no reasonable excuse for not so doing. The people are willing to pay fair salaries, and fairly recompense men while in office, but the time has come for the rigid enforcement of this proposition, and those who resist it act unwisely.

SUGGESTED COMMENT.

America can out-sail John Bull on neutral waters.

Uncle Sam, just put down that industrial rebellion.

America may yet win the gold cup in the international yacht races.

Mrs. McDowell comes pretty near being crowned Salem's queen of song.

Our readers never fail to get all the important foreign and domestic news.

American yachts in British waters seem to be sailing against the current.

The Vigilant can beat any yacht afloat in waters strange to both crafts.

Editor C. J. Curtis, of the Astoria Herald, is also prosecuting attorney for Clatsop county.

The Salem Independent is no longer complimenting Governor Penney, or is now telling the truth about him.

THE JOURNAL does not know how they feel about it, but it feels proud of its women readers. It has a host of them.

A good authority says the editorial Tuesday, "A Fatal Declaration" was a strident doctrine, and shouts, "Good for THE JOURNAL!"

Can't you push THE ONE CENT DAILY a little? We want a live representative who will send us local news and get up a list in each town.

THE ONE CENT DAILY has no ambition but intelligent dissemination of news and sound principles to the end of securing good government for the masses.

The great Armour meat monopoly has cut quite a figure in the recent strike. Armour had slaughtered so many small slaughter houses that thousands of people went without meat because he could not ship it out.

The general strike went amount to much. It cannot last. It came too late. A great many railroad men had gone to work. There are too many unemployed for a man to exert much influence by throwing up his job.

The first eastern mail brought the news of the death of President Carnot of the French Republic June 24. THE JOURNAL brought the news the same day it occurred, as it does all the important news of the world the same day it happens.

Fossil Journal: Although Jackson county was carried by the Populists, they did not elect the straight Populist ticket. The following Republican candidates received pluralities in that county: Blinger Herman, for congress; W. H. Leeds, state printer; Henry L. Benson, district attorney; Geo. W. Dunn, representative, and Gus Newberry, school superintendent. The JOURNAL also made a slight mistake in giving all of Coos county to the Populists, who failed to elect the surveyor,

The Oregonian who in his sixties has been elected secretary of state makes this rather frisky remark in his Eugene Journal:

A great many people are just now making smart remarks about "the summer girl." The fact remains that the world would be one awful blank without her, either in summer or winter, in the home or abroad.

Senator Mitchell sends us his able argument against free wool. But that is the verdict of the Democratic tariff bill and the people will have to stand it. Not being a woolen manufacturer we could stand it better to have free trade in manufactured wools. That would give us cheaper clothing sooner than free wool will.

The July Forum goes over its usual wide range of topics—the violence of religious intolerance in the Republic, Victorian literature, politics, finance, three educational articles, the sanitary condition of some of our large cities, and a discussion by an actor of the stage as a career.

THE CABLE SPOOK.

An Uncanny Thing Besides the Slot Before Chicago Street Cars.

Whether it is a spook or not, it is bothering the brains of the west side cable car conductors and gripmen and is causing all kinds of guesses on the part of the passengers who travel nightly on the Milwaukee avenue and Madison street cable cars.

It looks like a wolf, but it may be an ordinary dog—that is, ordinary in all respects save in appearance.

Two members of the University club were sauntering along Washington street, between Dearborn and Clark streets, a week ago last night. A west-bound Madison street cable car was standing opposite the Title and Trust building. The gripman looked as if he was in a trance. The conductor was helpless and evidently speechless. In the center of the street stood something that looked like a wolf. It was not howling and was not wild looking. It was simply standing over the cable slot in what, in the case of a man, would have been called a reflective mood.

Some of the women on the front seats jumped off. When they saw how mild and harmless the object over the slot looked, they returned to their seats. The conductor at last regained his courage and tugged twice at the bell rope. The gripman obeyed, the car moved on, and the passengers leaned over the sides (they were summer cars), anxious for the fate of the dog, spook or whatever it may have been. It did not snarl and jump on the front seat. It quietly moved away, went over to the sidewalk and waited—waited just long enough to have the train pass—then it returned to the slot, resumed its air of reflection and stood still. Another train of cars came along. The same programme was gone through.

And so it went all that Sunday evening. The following day every gripman and conductor in the west side cable service was talking about the thing in front of the Title and Trust building. They were on the watch for it Monday night. It did not appear. But on Tuesday evening, about 8 o'clock, it appeared again and went through the same performance as on Sunday evening, disappearing about midnight. It was seen again Wednesday and Friday, and last night at 9 o'clock it resumed its place.

Cable car men are superstitious as much as sailors. They do not like that thing that stands over the slot on Washington street. Some of them say that it is the ghost of some poor creature "killed by the cable."—Chicago Herald.

She Had the Toothache.

A Philadelphia newspaper is responsible for this story about a cat. This particular feline belonged to a dentist and seemed to take a delight in watching the doctor operate on his patients. One day it was noticed that pussy refused to eat and that she often yowled in apparent distress, but no one knew what was the matter. The next morning, after a patient had left the chair, pussy jumped into the place he had occupied and gave a pitiful yowl. Struck with an idea, the dentist carefully examined the cat's mouth and found a swollen gum and an ulcerated tooth. He promptly extracted the incisor, and pussy immediately began to purr in a very contented manner. It may have been only a coincidence, but it really looked as if the cat knew where to go for relief.

An Ancient Telephone.

An English officer named Harrington discovered in India a working telephone between the two temples of Panj about a mile apart. The system is said to have been in operation at Panj for over 2,000 years. Egyptologists have found unmistakable evidence of wire communications between some of the temples of the earlier Egyptian dynasties, but whether these served a telegraphic, telephonic or other purpose is not stated.—Chicago Herald.

A Good Appetite

Always accompanies good health, and an absence of appetite is an indication of something wrong. The universal testimony given by those who have used Hood's Sarsaparilla, as to its merits in restoring the appetite, and as a purifier of the blood, constitutes the strongest recommendation that can be urged for any medicine.

Hood's pills cure all liver ill's, biliousness, jaundice, indigestion, sick head ache, &c.

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THE OLDEST TWINS.

Elvira and Elmira Fife of Peterboro, N. H., Are Entitled to the Honor.

At Peterboro, N. H., live Elvira and Elmira Fife, who claim to be and probably are the oldest twins living. Next August they will be 88. At the age of 14 they entered the employ of a local manufacturing company, and for 60 years they remained on its pay roll, the maximum wages earned being 99 cents per day and the minimum 71 cents for three days' labor.

A Boston Journal reporter recently visited them.

"Is it true you have never ridden on a railroad train?" queried he.

"It is," was the reply, "and, what is more," said both in one voice, "we never will." Although the Boston and Maine railroad has run cars within 10 rods of our door ever since they built the road into this town, we have never yet entered a car. We came pretty near it at one time. A few years ago some of the townspeople wished us to take a ride in the cars, and we came so near it that we went to the depot, but backed out before we got aboard."

Nor have these ladies ever entered a theater, and very rarely did they enter society, and in all their lives they have been separated but 70 hours at any one interval, and when Elvira was taken ill and it was for a few days thought she could not recover Elmira was nearly crazy and threatened to commit suicide if her sister was taken away.

"I don't wish to live if the old woman," as they always call each other, "is taken away."

The strong resemblance between them is still as prominent as ever. One great peculiarity about these women has been that, although living in the same house and eating from the same table, they have always lived separately—that is, each has cooked her own meal. If one had a boiled dinner, the other had a boiled dinner, and it was not cooked in the same pot either. If one had a turkey, the other would buy a little larger one, and so in everything they vied with each other to see who would live the better.

CONSTRUCTION OF A PAIR OF EARS.

A Remarkable Feat In Surgery Performed by a Paris Physician.

At the Bicetre hospital, in Paris, the well known surgeon, M. Landry, performed a curious operation on a workman of Belgian nationality. The Belgian, it appears, got drunk and was taken to the police station at Gentilly when in a state of utter helplessness. While he was in the cells another drunkard, a mechanical engineer named Machant, was brought in in a state bordering on delirium tremens. Machant was in a terribly excited state, and he attacked his fellow prisoner with extraordinary ferocity, striking him, and, horrible to relate, biting off both his ears.

When he came to himself, Machant became very penitent and asked to be taken to the bedside of his victim, who was now in the Bicetre hospital, in order to ask his forgiveness. Dr. Landry, who was there, said:

"Should you like to give him back his ears?"

"Certainly," said the man.

"Then," said the doctor, "let me cut a couple of small slips of flesh from your arm, and it can be done."

The man consented, and the doctor did as he had suggested. The pieces of flesh he shaped as well as he could to the likeness of ears and joined them to the wounded places. According to the latest accounts, the operation has been a complete success.—London Answers.

The Princess Radzivil.

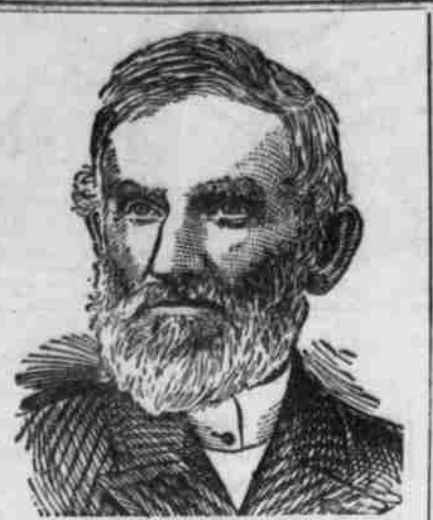
The Princess Hedwig Radzivil, who died in Nice a few weeks ago, gave up the opportunity of a brilliant life and marriage to become a Sister of Mercy. Until the time of her serious illness she had been the head of St. Joseph's hospital, in Potsdam, Germany. The princess was a member of the famous Polish Radzivil family, whose representatives have obtained high places in Germany, Austria and Russia. The old Emperor William fell in love with a daughter of the house, then a member of the Prussian court, and for five years resisted threats and entreaties on the part of his family in his determination to marry her. He finally gave in, however, and married a princess of the house of Saxony, but never forgot his first love. His favorite adjutant up to the time of his death was a Radzivil, the nephew of the woman who had won his heart.—Rome Letter.

Children Wed In Kentucky.

Sam Hart, aged 15, and Emaline Franklin, aged 13, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's father at Colly, a few miles west of this place, on the evening of the 6th ult. This phenomenal wedding breaks the record in the annals of Letcher's history. Never has there been a wedding when the bride and groom were both so young since Letcher had been hewed from the magic hills and peaks of Perry and Harlan counties and united into one bright and prosperous people. It is said that this young couple looked as children while they were being united as one. When the time came for the groom to say "I do," he became involved in a big laugh, which lasted till all was over.—Kentucky Mountain Echo.

Rear Admiral Skerrett.

Rear Admiral Joseph S. Skerrett of the Asiatic squadron, who came to his rank on the 15th ult., has for his middle name Salathiel. His parents, impressed with Eugene Sue's story of "The Wandering Jew," gave their baby the Jew's name. The admiral was Ohio born, and a great friend of the Hayeses. His assignments to duty during the civil war, owing to suspicion of the loyalty of some of his family, were not such as to secure him as great chances for fighting service as others of his rank enjoyed. He is a great seaman, a great reader, a great family man, a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and a devout Christian. He is 61 years old.



Like a Waterfall After the Grip

Great Suffering

Tremendous Tearing in the Head - Pain in the Stomach.

"To C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:"

"Two years ago I had a severe attack of the Grip, which left me in a terribly weak condition. Last winter I had another attack and was again very badly off, my health nearly wrecked. My appetite was all gone. I had no strength, felt tired all the time, had roaring noises in my head, like a waterfall, and had severe headaches and

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is surely curing my catarrh. I recommend it to all." GEO. W. COOK, St. Johnsbury, Vt.

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HANDY WITH THEIR FEET.

Hindooes Able to Utilize Their Nether Extremities to Great Advantage.

In the native quarters of the towns of India the strange spectacle may be seen of a butcher seizing a piece of meat in his hands and cutting it in two with a stroke of his knife held between the first and second toes of his foot. The shoemaker uses no last, but turns the unfinished shoe with his feet, while his hands are busy in shaping it. So the carpenter holds with his great toe the board he is cutting, and the wood turner handles his tools as well with his toes as with his fingers.

This use of the feet to assist the hands in their labor is not, however, the mere result of practice, but is principally due to the fact that the Hindoo foot is quite different from ours in its anatomical conformation. The ankle of the Hindoo and the articulation of the back of the foot permit considerable lateral motion. Then the toes possess a surprising mobility. The great toe can be moved freely in all directions, and the first and second toes are separated by a wide space, sometimes as much as five-eighths of an inch across at the base of the toes and two inches at their extremities.

The articulation of the hip is also peculiar, and this renders it easier to use the toes in handling the objects by enabling the Hindoo to sit in a squatting posture much more comfortably than we can do. A similar formation of the feet and toes is found among the Annamese, but it is not, as might be supposed, a common thing among barbarous and savage tribes.

One naturally thinks of the resemblance to a monkey which a human being in the manner described above must present, and yet M. Regnault is careful to point out the fact that the Hindoo foot is not at all like the foot of an ape or monkey. The great toe is not opposed to the other toes like a thumb, as occurs with the monkey, and accordingly the pedal dexterity of the Hindooes is not to be taken as an indication of simian descent.—Pearson's Weekly.

Leprosy in Germany.

There is in the German empire a hotbed of leprosy. According to the investigations of the imperial board of health, whose attention was directed to the fact by a physician, there are at present 10 lepers in the district of Mamel, eastern Prussia. Eight other lepers died in 1877. Six of these 18 cases were single persons. The other 12 extended over five families. Of those who died, 2 suffered from the disease 8 years; others 13, 10, 9, 7 and 1 year. The first case occurred, as far as can be found out, 20 years ago. Only one of the 18 had ever left home, so the origin of the disease cannot be found.—Berlin Correspondent.

Traveling Risks.

With the increased facilities for travel and the great number of travelers, there has been naturally a great increase in the risk of accidents.

Everyone, who for any reason is compelled to incur these risks, should keep by him a supply of Alcock's Porous Plasters, for they are a wonderful specific in strains of the back or limbs, such as are almost inevitable in case of accident.

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When I received your (name) I thought I sure would faint For though I often use Park's Tea 'Tis not for your complexion, I feared that Mrs. G. would think Wrong about our connection 'Till on her dresser there I saw Park's Tea for her complexion.

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TODAY'S MARKETS.

Prices Current by Telegraph - Local and Portland Quotations.

SALEM, July 9, 4 p. m.—Office DAILY CAPITAL JOURNAL. Quotations for day and up to hour of going to press were as follows:

WHEAT.

38 cents per bushel.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Oats—new 30@32c.

Hay—Baled, new \$8 to \$10; old \$10 to 12. Wild in bulk, \$6 to \$8.

FARM PRODUCTS.

Wool—Best, 10c.

Hops—Small sale, 10 to 12c.

Eggs—Cash, 12c.

Butter—Best dairy, 12@15; fancy creamery, 20c.

Cheese—10 to 15 cts.

Farm smoked meats—Bacon 10; hams, 10; shoulders, 8.

Potatoes—30@32c. Scarce.

Onions—3 cents.

FRUITS.

Cherries, Royal Anne, 4c pound; strawberries, 5c box; currants 15c. gal.

LIVE POULTRY.

Poultry—Hens, 6@7c; roosters not wanted; ducks, 8; young chickens, 10 @12c.

PORTLAND QUOTATIONS.

Grain, Feed, etc.

Flour—Portland, \$2.55; Walla Walla \$2.50; Graham, \$2.00; superfine, \$2.25 per barrel.

Oats—White, 38@40c; grey, 36@38c, rolled, in bags, \$5.75@6.00; barrels, \$6.00@6.25; cases, \$3.75.

Hay—Best, \$10@12 per ton.

Wool—valley, 10@10c.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$15@17; shorts, \$16 @18; ground barley, \$20; chop feed, \$15 per ton; whole feed, barley, \$17 per ton; middlings, \$22@23 per ton; chicken wheat, \$6@6.00 per cental.

Hops—1893, 10 to 11.

Hides—green, salted, 60 lbs., 3c, under 60 lbs., 2@3c; sheep pelts, 10@60c.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter—Oregon fancy creamery, 18@20; fancy dairy, 15@17c; fair to good, 11@12c; common, 7@10c.

Cheese—Oregon 114@12c per pound; Young American, 13@14c; California 11@12; Swissimp., 30@32c; Dom., 16@18c.

Eggs—Oregon, 15c per dozen.

Poultry—chickens, old, \$3.50 per dozen; young, \$2@3; ducks, \$3@4; geese, \$5@6; turkeys, slow at \$8@10c.

Beef—Topsteers, 2@2c per lb; fair to good steers, 2@2c; cows, 1c@2c; dressed beef, 4@5c.

Mutton—Best sheep, \$1.75@2; choice ewes, \$1.60@1.75.

Hogs—Choice, heavy, \$4; light and feeders, \$3.7; dressed, 5c per lb.

Veal—Small, choice, 5c; large, 3@4c per pound.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

Wool: Oregon Eastern choice, 8@10c; do inferior, 5@6c; do valley, 10@12c.

Hops—11@13c.

Potatoes—New Early Rose, 30@40c; sacks; 35@60c per cental.

Oats—Milling, \$1.22@1.32.

IT IS RELIABLE.—Announcements of entertainments in THE JOURNAL.

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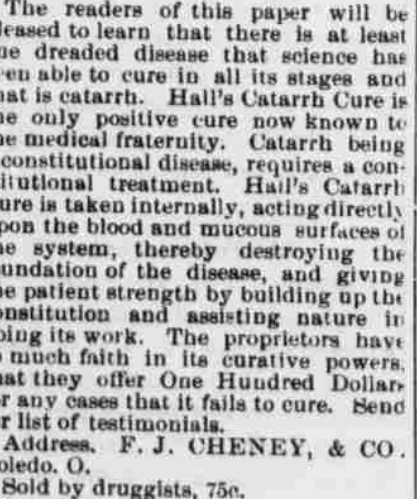
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