

WHY IT WILL FAIL.

Hon. Wharton Barker in the Philadelphia American:

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One of the refreshing spots in American political life is found in the record of Col. W. Cary Sanger, of Waterville, Oneida county, N. Y.

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X-RAYS

On the Webfoot Politicians.

Independent Comment on People in State and Nation.

A prominent Republican, who pays taxes in ten different school districts, yesterday inquired when Bryan would be in Salem. He added that if he didn't come here he would drive fifty miles to hear him.

The Statesman is not an organ. It did not receive \$3,000 from the national committee to support the Republican ticket; nor does it receive compensation for supporting state and county tickets.

The building of higher rates with a view to repressing importations of foreign goods can avail our manufacturers nothing, for it is not an increase in importations of foreign goods, it is not a replacing of the products of our own mills, in our own markets, with goods of foreign manufacture...

Portland Tribune: It would require a constitutional amendment to allow any state institution to be located at any point except Salem, but economy and humanity demand that amendment should be made.

Pendleton E. O.: Many Irish and English girls are coming to this country, first, to seek work, and afterward to seek a husband. It is stated that they can come nearer supporting a husband than their American sisters, which is the reason they are finding an opportunity in this country.

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The men who are selling "The First Battle" do not have to work hard to sell Bryan's book. It sells like hot cakes.

Let's drop politics and give this week to the preparation for Memorial day.

The question is: Will C. B. Irvine recognize Cuba? If he doesn't, they might as well quit.

There seems to be two Reform parties, the People's party and the Middle-of-the-Road Populists.

The ring organ is treating the "Pops" mighty respectful. No abuse of Bud Chapman, R. R. Ryan and John P. Robertson, even!

Of course Tom Reed will put his foot on the Senate Cuban resolution.

Well, we are getting all the good times we're entitled to.

A county judge charging \$10 to go and look at a county bridge is a new wrinkle.

THEY ARE TALKING TARIFFS.

"What do the senators do, papa? The United States senators do?"

"They are patriots all, my good little Paul."

"They are patriots tried and true."

"But what do the senators do, papa? The United States senators do?"

"Oh, they talk and debate for the good of the state, they are statesmen loyal and true."

"But what do the senators do, papa? The United States senators do?"

"Each talks in turn until they adjourn; they are workers stern and true."

"But what do the senators do, papa? These United States senators do?"

"Oh, their speeches are sound and very profound, they are orators wise and true."

"But what—but what do they do, papa, what do they do, I pray?"

"Oh, they draw their pay in the regular way, in the old immemorial way."

STATE NEWS

Curry County has 18 school houses and 520 voters.

In Clackamas county twenty-four applicants for teachers failed to pass out 54.

Cosco County has 71 school houses and 2,098 legal voters for school purposes.

Judge J. R. Bryson, of Corvallis, died in New York City at 4:40 Friday afternoon.

A new lead of coal has been struck near Coquille 40 inches thick and 12 inches wide.

Alexander Power was today appointed postmaster of Halsey, in Linn county.

Robert H. Walker is the heaviest individual taxpayer in Washington county. His property is assessed at \$34,000.

The poles for Anton Pfanner's telephone line between Forest Grove and Hillsboro have been set, and wires are being strung.

A dividend of \$8073, sufficient to pay 28 per cent on the outstanding indebtedness of the Corvallis Carriage Works was declared last week.

The contract to build Hermosa Park bridge, in Clatsop county, has been signed by Contractor Victor Sanderson. The bridge will be finished by June 17, and will cost the county \$1099.

It is understood in Independence that the city council has been offered \$24,000 for the city waterworks, \$6000 less than the asking price. The city is paying nearly \$150 a month for water and light.

John Riggs, of McElvaine's railroad camp, while insane, attempted to commit suicide Saturday morning. An officer will bring him to this city for medical aid and for safe-keeping.

Three saddles were stolen Thursday night within a few miles of Sheridan, one from the stable of Frank Chapman, one from Ira Yocum, one from David Nance. A clue to the thieves was found and a posse is after them.

William Sayers, an old man about 90 years of age, was killed Monday, at Lost River gap, Klamath county, by his team running away. There were no eye-witnesses to the accident, but Sayers was evidently thrown from the wagon, striking upon his head among the rocks and crushing his skull.

Saturday the 11 year old son of E. C. Steffen, of Baker City while out hunting accidentally discharged his gun, the contents entering the right arm and nearly severing that member. He stopped to rest and placed his arm over the muzzle. The arm was amputated at the shoulder.

A miner named Julius Stine was caved in on by a bank one day last week on Evans creek, some 12 miles above Woodville. He was held down all night, his head sticking out, and found insensible next morning by parties who dug him out. He is recovering from his premature burial.

The 5-year-old son of S. O. Wicklund of Tillamook, while riding last Tuesday with his father on a wagon loaded with gravel, was thrown out. One wheel of the wagon passed over the child's chest, and three ribs were broken. It is thought he also received internal injuries that will prove fatal.

James Martin, found a mud turtle on the side of the mountain about one mile south of the Hendricks McKenzie river ferry, in Lane county, last Thursday. On the under side of the turtle was the following inscription: "C. H. B. June 25, 1875."

"GREATEST ON EARTH."

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.

Mr. R. T. Caldwell, is book-keeper in the First National Bank of Fulton, Ky. "I was completely run down. My nerves became so unstrung through loss of sleep and worry that I felt sure I would be compelled to give up my position. I was awake all night long, and it took but little to shake me up so that I could not possibly attend to my business as I should. In connection with this I had severe trouble, sleeplessness and eat regularly, something in different parts of my body. I was also much reduced in flesh. I was persuaded to try Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine.



I first procured a trial bottle from a local druggist and good results quickly followed. I then procured a dollar bottle, and by the time I had used this up I was a different man. I am now on my third bottle and am able to sleep soundly and eat regularly, something I could not possibly do before taking your Nervine. I am now fully recovered, and do not hesitate to pronounce Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine the greatest nerve tonic on earth."

Dr. Miles' Restorative Nervine is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at \$1.00 a bottle for \$5.00 or it will be sent prepaid on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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Indian Jonah, sentenced to 15 years imprisonment in the penitentiary for the murder of Dave Hill (Indian), and who has served five years of the time, evidently expects a pardon. He has written a letter to his sister, asking her to secure money for his return home. He says he is all right now and in good health.

How's This! We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

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THE MARKETS.

PORTLAND MARKET.

PROVISIONS. Portland, May 24. Wheat valley, 75¢/76c. Walla Walla, 75¢/76c. Flour—Portland, 3.75¢/3.90; graham, 3.40 superfine, 2.75 per bb. Oats—White, 38¢/40¢; grey, 37¢/39¢. Potatoes—Oregon, 45¢/50c per sack. Hay, Good, 14.00 per ton. Hops—7c. Wool, Valley, 11¢/12¢; Eastern Oregon 6¢/8c. Molar, 10¢/20c. Millstuffs, Bran, 14.50; shorts 16.50. Poultry—Chicken, mixed, 2.50¢/3.00; turkeys, dressed, 12¢/12½¢. Eggs—Oregon, 11½¢ per doz. Hides—green, salted 60 lbs 6½¢; under 60 lbs 5¢; sheep pelts, 10¢/70c. Tallow—23¢/25c. Onions—1.50 per 100. Wheat Bags—Calcutta 5.25 per 100. Beans—small white, 1¼¢/1½¢; lima 3¼¢. Hogs Heavy, 4.50. Butter—Best dairy, 20¢/22½¢; fancy creamery 25.50¢ per roll. Cheese—11½¢. Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated, bleached 6½¢/7¢; unbleached 3½¢/4¢; sundried 6½¢. Peas—5¢/6c. Plums—pitted, 3¢/4c. Prunes—4¢/6c. Veal—small 4½¢/5; large 3¼¢/4c per lb. Mutton—Weathers 3.00¢/3.50; dressed mutton 5½¢; spring lambs 7¼¢/8c per lb. Beef—Steers 3.50; cows 2.50¢/3¢; dressed 5¢/6¢. Cured Meats—Hams 10c—10½¢; bacon 6c. Lard—in pails, 7½¢.

SALEM MARKET.

Wheat—66. Oats 34c. Hay, Baled, cheat, 12.00. Flour, in wholesale lots, 90; retail 4.40; bran, bulk 16.50; sacked, 17.00; shorts, 17.50¢/18.00; chop feed, 15.00 16.00. Poultry, Chicken, 4¼¢; spring chicken 10c; Turkeys 9c. Veal—Dressed, 3½¢. Hogs, Dressed, 4.50. Live Cattle, 2¢/3¢. Sheep, Live, 1.50¢/1.50. Spring lambs, 1.25¢/1.25. Wool, Best, 12c. Hops, Best, 8 to 10c. Eggs, weak 8 to 10c in trade. Farm Smoked Meats Bacon, 7c; hams 10c; shoulders, 5½¢. Potatoes, 25c per bu. Dried Fruit—Apples, evaporated bleached 7c—8c; unbleached 4¢/5c. Plums—4c. Butter—Dairy 8¢/10c; creamery 12¢/15c.

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