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POETICAL SELECTIONS.

INFULFILLED. The morning came glowing with a sunny smile, Winking the birds to joyous minstrelsy.

DREAMS. All through the days of summer I stumber and idly dream That life is a charmed vision.

The Hammer and the Pen. We read that the pen is mightier than the sword; reasoning metaphorically, the statement is true.

Washington Letter.

Washington, D. C., August 16th, 1876. The city seems as quiet this morning as a mill pond in dead calm.

In the Senate yesterday the morning was occupied in discussing various bills of no general interest.

he had no party or personal bias, but a lot of rogues who followed him for thievery.

General Sigel—I think that the business interests of the country demand a change in the policy of the general government.

A minority of the Senate committee investigating Mississippi affairs. Senators Bayard and McDonald presented their views at some length.

A WRITER in the London Sanitary Record gives the following instructions for making a cheap window ventilator.

A NEW RIDER.—It was a dark night. There was a long ladder. The boat was moored near the wharf.

During the week ending August 5th the police of New York made 1639 arrests.

SIGEL FOR TILDEN.

The Hero of Wilson's Creek on the Political Situation—He Declares that a Majority of the German Voters Will Support the Democratic Ticket.

The publication of a letter in a recent number of the New York Herald signed by General Franz Sigel, in which he indicated very clearly and very positively that he would support Samuel J. Tilden for the Presidency.

"I called on you, General Sigel, to ascertain the reason why you have written the letter stating that you will support Mr. Tilden for the Presidency, and why you are to abide by the platform of the democratic convention at St. Louis?"

"Well, General, do you think that there will be a change in the administration at this election?"

General Sigel—I think that the business interests of the country demand a change in the policy of the general government.

General, I want to ask you what is your opinion as to the action the German people in the United States will take in the coming canvass?

"I think, said the old veteran, as if calculating about 500,000 to 600,000. That is about the number of the German speaking race, of German parents and who move in one direction with a German aim or German proclivities.

A GREAT INEQUALITY.—The N. Y. Herald has published a tabular statement of the number of members belonging to the trade-unions, and of the non-workmen of New York, from which it appears that there are now 35,300 workmen out of employment in that city.

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German people make up their minds, as they will in this contest, they will follow their own opinions and not the opinions or professions of their leaders.

General Sigel—Why, certainly. There are objections made by a great many good and well-meaning men to Governor Tilden's election, with the idea that there would be a danger to the Republic in the concentration of so much of the nation's power in the hands of the chief of the demers in party.

"Do you think, General Sigel, that the country will be safe in the hands of Governor Tilden if he should be elected President of the United States?"

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Failures--What They Teach. The suspension failures and suspensions which have made the commercial world since the panic of 1873 one of constant upheaval and change, should be utilized by those fortunate ones who have thus escaped disaster.

The man who makes a study of any occupation, outside of the professions, in the strict sense of the term, who devotes time to an accurate and scientific education in the business he has chosen as a means for the accumulation of wealth, is now rarely found, and it seems to me that a large number of the failures of the last three years might justly be attributed to this cause.

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TO ADVERTISERS. The Walls Statesman has a large circulation...

DEMOCRATIC TERRITORIAL CONVENTION.

It will be noticed that J. P. Jaden, chairman of the democratic central committee...

THE SURRENDER TO THE INDIAN KING.

The committee of conference defeated the resolution of the House transferring the Indian tribes from the interior to the war department...

THE PROXY SYSTEM.

It will be noticed that the committee recommended that in selecting delegates to the democratic territorial convention...

THE SILVER QUESTION.

still continues to trouble European statesmen, but it seems to be the opinion of Mr. Goschen...

SPEAKER KERR DEAD.

A Washington dispatch of the 19th announces the death of Speaker Kerr, of the House of Representatives...

NEW LAND OFFICE.

The telegraph informs us that the bill before Congress for a new land office, to be located at Colfax...

W. W. BOONE, of Whitman county,

is reported as willing to serve the poor people in the position of district attorney...

COL. INGLETS is ordered to report at San Francisco,

where he is to take the position of chief quartermaster of the Department of the Pacific...

BEN BUTLER is again a candidate for Congress.

Butler runs on the Hayes reform ticket, and the country by this time understands the kind of reform Butler favors...

FRANK CLARK is expected to be at Vancouver on the 21st of September,

and it is called upon, will undertake to run the democratic convention...

HONOR TO THE BRAVE.—General Terry

has issued an order thanking three privates of the army for their valor in going out as volunteers through the Sioux country with despatches to Crook...

GOVERNMENT CLERKS.—Dispatches

say that about five hundred clerks are to be discharged under the operation of the House retrenchment policy...

A DIRECT VOTE.—The St. Louis

Republican has a plan for heading off the wire-pullers and slate makers in selecting candidates for Congress...

ADVANCE IN SILVER.—London

telegrams continue to notice the advance of silver bullion in that market. The graph was 47 pence per ounce...

COLONEL McCLEARY, of Philadelphia,

one of the ablest of the politicians in Pennsylvania, gives an exhaustive and eloquent summary of the situation...

The House yielded to the Senate

in the matter of the legislative, judiciary and executive appropriation bill...

W. A. GOULDER, assistant editor

of the Boise Statesman, is an aspirant to represent Idaho in Congress...

Geo. H. WILLIAMS is on his way

back to Oregon, and on his arrival will take the stump for Hayes and Wheeler...

JOHN M. CANADY is spoken of as

most certain to receive the democratic nomination to represent Idaho territory in Congress...

Gov. SOLOMON is to stump

California for Hayes and reform. Solomon formerly lived in Washington territory...

MANTON MARBLE, late editor

and proprietor of the World, is the favorite of many New York democrats...

MAN KILLED.—We learn from Billy

Hise, driver on the overland road, that a man whose name we could not learn, was shot by Dan McGinnis...

THE VISIT OF PROFESSOR HUXLEY

is an event of no small importance to the scientific circles of this country. It has been persuaded to deliver...

THE SUCCESSION IN UTAH.—It seems

quite certain that Brigham Young, the head of the Mormon hierarchy, is very near the hour of final departure...

UNLOADING GRANT.—It has been

suggested that the only way to save the republican party from defeat in November is for the republican State...

THE TURKISH MASSACRES.—The

British Press is outspoken and severe in its denunciations of the Turkish massacres...

BENJAMIN HARRISON has accepted

the nomination for governor tendered him by the republican State committee...

The returns from Alabama get

better. The democrats will have twenty seven out of thirty three senators and at least eighty out of one hundred representatives...

Gov. TILDEN'S letter is as bold

as is his. He shirks none of the issues of the day. He indulges in no evasions, tricks of language...

PROFESSOR HUXLEY.—This

distinguished English scholar and scientist, whose writings have given him world wide fame, is now on a visit to this country...

The Bloody Shirt.

The report of Senator Boutwell's committee on Mississippi affairs reveals the same wretched middle, political and social, which such reports on the state of the South generally shows...

MISSING LETTER.—A letter

lately sent from Walla Walla, containing a draft and other valuables to the amount of over \$200, is missing...

ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL.—It will

be noticed that St. Paul's School reopens on Monday, September 4th. Miss Brock will return to her duties...

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high priest of Masonry, was the recipient of many courteous attentions during his stay at Walla Walla...

OFF THE TRACK.—We hear

that the new locomotive has run off the track. No damage.

TILDEN'S LETTER.—The N. Y.

Sun says Tilden's letter of acceptance is a document worthy of a genuine reformer, and invigorating to the cause of reform...

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has been in power for a period of fifteen years, and has inaugurated all the corruption that curses the country...

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democratic candidate for governor of South Carolina. If Hampton is elected he will make it hot for the carpet baggers...

CHAS. F. ADAMS supports

Tilden, and is talked of as the democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts. Adams is a genuine reformer...

THE NEW Postmaster General,

Mr. Tyner, is married, and his wife up to the time of her marriage, and four years ago, was a clerk in the United States Treasury Department.

THE CENTENNIAL HAS OPENED!

AND SO HAVE DUSENBERY BROS. OPENED THEIR

Mammoth Stock

OF Clothing, Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

SUMMER HATS. CARPETS, CROCKERY, GROCERIES,

&c., &c., for THE SPRING TRADE!

And we are bound to SELL GOODS the CHEAPEST OF ALL!

People are wise who look around for The Place to Get the Best Bargains!

We will continue to sell our Goods at a Still Further Decline!

Our Prices cannot be beat by any other House in the City. It will pay you to CALL & SECURE THE BARGAINS!

At DUSENBERY BROS.

Democratic Territorial Convention.

The democratic territorial convention will be held at Vancouver, on the 21st day of September next...

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Centaur Liniments.

My wife has, for some time, been a sufferer from rheumatism. She has tried many remedies, but has given up hope...

New Advertisements.

St. Patrick's School. Studies will be resumed.

ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL.

MONDAY, September 4, 1876. PUPILS ARE REQUESTED TO BE PROMPTLY in attendance so that classification may be properly facilitated.

St. Vincent's Academy

RESUME STUDIES. MONDAY, September 4, 1876. THE SCHOOL WILL BE CONDUCTED AS usual...

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WALLA WALLA, W. T. A Boarding & Day School FOR GIRLS.

Pitcher's Castoria.

Mothers may have rest and their babies may have health, if they will use Castoria for Worms, Colic, and other ailments...

Agricultural Society's Fair.

POOL PRIVILEGE! NOTICE.—THE EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGE OF POOL SELLING will be let to the highest responsible bidder, on SATURDAY, September 2nd, 1876.

A CHEAP PAPER.

THE demand for the WEEKLY OREGONIAN for a short time is so great that we have concluded to offer it for the balance of the year for ONE DOLLAR.

WHEAT!

HIGHEST PRICE SECURED, AND CASH ADVANCED. On consignments to CORBETT & MACLEAY, Portland.

NOTICE.

TO MY FRIENDS—I have just completed my New Building and as a consequence am in debt for it. Now, my friends, who know themselves indebted to me, please Come Forward and Pay Up.

North-Western Stage Co.

Reduction in Fare to the East. LOCAL RATES OF FARE: Walla Walla to Weston Oregon, \$1.00; Portland, Oregon, \$1.50; La Grande, Oregon, \$1.00; Union, Oregon, \$1.00; Baker City, Oregon, \$1.00; Boise City, Idaho, \$1.00; Winnemuccia, Nevada, \$1.00.



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1876.

THE O. S. N. Co. give notice that they will not receive any more wheat in lots less than ten tons.

REMOVAL.—Mr. M. F. Colt will soon vacate the old corner at the head of Main street and occupy the new iron front brick store.

STEAMERS.—The steamers New Tenino and Palms will arrive at Walla Walla to-day.

SCHOOL DISTRICT, No. 34, one of the most important districts in the county, has not as yet elected a principal for the approaching school term.

SCHOOLS REOPENING.—It will be noticed that St. Patrick's school for boys, St. Paul's school for young ladies, and St. Vincent's school for young ladies, on Monday, September 4th.

NEW IMPROVEMENTS.—Messrs. Johnson, Rees & Winans, in order to facilitate their business, have commenced the construction of a large brick warehouse.

ANNUAL ADDRESS.—At a meeting of the Trustees of the Agricultural Society, held at Walla Walla, Aug. 19, 1876, Messrs. Eppes Hardy and H. C. Copeland were appointed.

HON. E. PING, of Columbia county, was in town, Thursday last, and paid us the compliment of a call.

PETER KEEFER has moved his notion store one door below the St. Louis Hotel, where he will do boot blacking, sell all kinds of fruit, candies, cigars and tobacco.

THE CARPENTER.—Spartemen in hunting prairie chickens should be careful not to set fire to the grain fields.

IMMIGRANTS.—Not a day passes but what several trains of immigrant wagons pass through our city, and in nearly every case, they are mostly bound for Whitman county.

FAVORABLY IMPRESSED.—Mr. Thomas K. McCoy had occasion to visit Whitman station last Thursday, and while there met an old acquaintance who had just arrived from Missouri.

REDUCTION IN FREIGHT.—It will be noticed that the Railroad has made a reduction on downward freight, placing it at the figure charged one year ago.

MILITARY ITEMS.—The Col. Otis who is at present in command of troops operating against the Sioux Indians, is Lieut. Col. Elmer O. Otis, 22d Infantry, and not Lieut. Col. Elmer O. Otis, 7th Cavalry.

MORE WHEAT.—One hundred and forty-two and four horses—wagon loads of wheat were hauled to the railroad depot on Thursday last, and this is but a drop in the bucket of what is to come during the next two months.

PRAIRIE CHICKENS.—The other day Mr. George McGann, a young Nimrod, went out with his shot gun, and in a few hours bagged 67 prairie chickens.

SELECT SCHOOL.—Prof. Grim, a highly accomplished teacher, will open the Whitman Seminary as a select school, on Monday, September 4th.

AT HOME.—Mrs. J. F. Abbott, and her daughter, Miss Anna, returned by last Sunday's train, after an absence of nearly a year in California.

FRIGHTS.—Up to Thursday last there were over seven hundred tons of wheat and flour at the Walla Walla and Walla depots awaiting transportation, and still the wheat rolls in.

THE SHEEP BUSINESS.—Just now, owing to the low price of wool, there is a general disposition to get out of the sheep business.

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Agricultural Society's Fair.

The Annual Address. WALLA WALLA, W. T., Aug. 19, 1876. Hon. W. H. NEWELL.—Sir: The Trustees of the Walla Walla County Agricultural Society respectfully invite you to deliver the second annual address at the Fair Grounds, on Thursday, September 21st, at 1 o'clock, P. M. Respectfully yours, H. C. COPELAND, EPPES HARDY, Committee.

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 19, 1876. MESSRS. HARDY AND COPELAND.—Gentlemen: Your polite note of even date is at hand. In reply I have to say that it will afford me great pleasure to comply with your request, and should I be permitted, I will deliver the annual address before the Walla Walla County Agricultural Society at the time named.

MAIL ROBERTS.—Judge Deady, in the U. S. District Court, Portland, in the matter of the application of Frank M. Tompkins, N. E. Hanson, Wm. H. Bramlette and John W. White, for a pardon, has filed an opinion in which he distinctly sets forth his belief that Ad Edgar, the mail carrier, was a party to the robbery, and that the whole thing was a put up job.

COLFAX LAND OFFICE.—The establishment of a land office at Colfax will leave the Walla Walla office with comparatively little to do. The majority of the new comers now find homes in the Palouse country, and beyond, and will transact their business at Colfax.

GEN. CAIN is marshaling the democratic hosts in Columbia county, and expects to put in an appearance at the Vancouver convention with a pocket full of proxies.

MR. J. O. PATTERSON, agent for the Pioneer Oil Company, is prepared to purchase all the flaxseed that offers. His office is on Main street, below the State House.

SCHWABACHER BROS.' new and magnificent brick store is rapidly approaching completion.

REMAINING in the Book Office, at Walla Walla, Walla County, Washington Territory, Aug. 26, 1876. ARYSON, Mary J. Carpenter, Clara Crawford, J. V. Parker, W. D. Gledhill, H. Gordon, Wm. Kennedy, John Whitley, S. P.

CHINAMEN MURDER A WHITE MAN.

Wm. Korbly, Esq.—Our usually quiet town was thrown into a fever of excitement on the morning of July 29th, over the sudden disappearance of William Mansbath, called by everybody Uncle Billy, and who has been around Walla Walla for several years, and I believe made his home with you.

Not returning at the usual time in the evening, several went in search of him, but could find no trace; the search was resumed the next morning, when it was found that three Chinamen working on a claim above the one he was going to had left, and as it was known that Uncle Billy left the store about 10 1/2 o'clock, A. M., July 28th, the claims, which are in Baboon Gulch, about half a mile from town, but never got to the claims.

Every gulch and hill for miles around town was searched, and the search was kept up for several days without effect. Mounted a warrant on the morning of the 31st, and after the missing Chinamen, but they lost their trail on Salmon River and returned.

County Commissioners' Court. WALLA WALLA, August 23, 1876. Board and prominent members of a board of Equalization and Assessment present: C. S. Bush, C. C. Cream and Frank Loudon; B. Jacobs, clerk of court.

SHIPMENT OF WHEAT. WALLA WALLA, W. T., August 23, 1876. DR. BAKER and W. H. NEWELL.—Walla Walla: The shipment of grain in such small lots under so many marks is causing us a great deal of trouble and expense in handling.

THE NEW BRICK! WALLA WALLA BAKERY AND PROVISION STORE. O. BRECHTEL, MANUFACTURER OF BREAD, PHOT BREAD, CAKES, CRACKERS OF ALL KINDS.

JOHNSON, REES & WINANS, Are now in their New Brick Building! Where they have unequalled facilities for supplying the

THE COUNTRY AND City Trade! They are receiving A New & Large Stock OF Dress Goods, BOOTS & SHOES, CROCKERY, OILS, CLOTHING, &c., &c.

Prices Lower than Ever! Which will be sold at the Lowest Cash Prices!

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SENSITIVENESS OF THE BLIND.—John Stanley, the musician, lost his sight when two years of age. He had so correct an ear, that he never forgot the voice of a person he had once heard speak.

TAKE A REST.—Strict attention to business is commendable in all men, and it is one of the prerequisites of success. But this cannot be continued indefinitely without serious deterioration, or even fatal injury.

M. BOURBOIZE, of the Sorbonne, Paris, has discovered a method of telegraphing without the use of wires, by means of the electric currents passing through the earth, and has completely demonstrated its feasibility.

A SINGULAR UNION.—A gentleman traveling in Scotland says in a letter to a friend in Virginia: "I will now tell you of two young women who, disappointed in marriage, and being intimate, resolved to live as man and wife in some place where they were not known."

AN INEFFECTIVE PLAN.—A mischievous quack in Altoona City, Penn., advised a young man with more hair than brain to use molasses water, the theory being that after the water evaporated the rebellious locks would coalesce and keep in place.

Dr. HENRY SPRY, a medical officer in the employ of the British East India Company, attributes the upright carriage and graceful form of the Hindoo girls and women to the practice of carrying jars of water on their heads—an exercise which is said to strengthen the muscles of the back, and to throw out the chest.

WOMAN AND HER WORK.—In jewelry, silverware, musical instruments, and in a large range of manufacture articles, we are the peers of older people, but in some of the most beautiful fabrics we have no standing what ever, which is, however, no reproach to our hundred years, since they are perhaps the last traces of ages of civilization.

THE CHINESE DIFFICULTY.—The appointment of the Congressional commission to visit the Pacific coast this fall reminds all legislation on the Chinese question until the next session of Congress. It may be presumed that the same class of testimony will be presented to the Congressional commission as was recently submitted to the commission of State Senators appointed at the close of the last session of the legislature.

KEEP YOUR TROUBLES SACRED.—A worthy wife of forty years' standing, and whose life was not all made up of sunshine and peace, gave the following sensible and impressive advice to a married part of her acquaintance: Preserve sacredly the privacies of your own house, your married state, your heart.

The Boston Post exultingly ejaculates: There isn't printer's ink enough in this country to blot out Tilden's record as a statesman, a reformer, and honest man. Voters don't bamboozle worth a cent this year. Republican editors can pin this in their hat.

MURRE EGGS.—The murre is a queer bird. It is about the size of a mallard duck, and sits on only one egg at a time. If her nest is robbed, the mother murre lays another egg and sets again. The strangest part of the story is that the eggs are not alike; in fact, it would be almost impossible among thousands of them, to find a single pair that matched in color.

RESUSCITATION OF DROWNED PERSONS.—A French physician makes the remarkable statement that one-half at least, of that so-called drowned persons are buried a live, and that they may be brought to life by proper treatment after having been "several hours under water." His remedy is to get out the water, pour in and inject alcoholic stimulants and use a whip electrically, or hot irons in bad cases.

MAXIMS FOR WHIST.—There are a few maxims for whist playing which I commend to those who are fond of the game. The moment you receive your cards declare they are abominably bad; thus, if you will, you can claim credit for your play, no matter what your opponents say.

A young lady viewing Dom Pedro in St. Louis, the other day, remarked, as she fixed her eyes on the carriage, "It isn't exactly immorality to see an emperor, of course, but it's a glimpse, at last, of King Dom come."

The Alaska commercial company is making an enormous profit out of its contract with the government by which it is allowed to kill 90,000 seals yearly in Alaska waters. It is believed that such a depletion does not endanger the existence of these species in that neighborhood. Two thirds or all the males are never permitted by other and stronger portions to land upon the same ground with the females, and the killing is done wholly among the bachelor seals, as they are called.

SPURGEON tells the following story: "A poor man, who had a large family gave them a very comfortable support while he was in health. He broke his leg, and was laid up for some weeks. As he would be for some time destitute of the means of grace, it was proposed to hold a prayer-meeting at his house. The meeting was led by Deacon Brown. A loud knock at the door interrupted the service. A tall, lank, blue-frocked youngster stood at the door, with an ox-goad in his hand, and asked so see Deacon Brown. "Father could not attend this meeting," he said, "but he sent his prayers, and they are out in the cart." They were brought in in the shape of potatoes, beef, pork and corn. The meeting broke up without any benediction."

A patent has been recently taken out in France for accelerating the process of tanning leather by passing an electric current through the solution of tannin while the skins are in the vats. The bottom of the vat forms one of the poles and the other pole is placed on the surface of the liquid; by electric action a "molecular transportation" of the tannin ensues, which thereby passes through the skins and penetrates them more rapidly than in the usual method. It is said that heavy skins may be tanned by this process in thirty to thirty-five days, instead of twelve to fifteen months.

WHILE ten men watch for chances, one man makes chances; while ten men wait for something to turn up, one turns something up; so, while ten fail, one succeeds and is called a man of luck—the favorites of fortune. There is no luck like pluck, and fortune most favors those who are most indifferent to fortune.

A feminine lecturer says that there are five and a half million superfluous women in this country. But the "blamed self-invited frauds" wear seal-skin saques, four buttoned kids, bangles and striped stockings, just the same as if they weren't superfluous. Such cheek!

A suit of ancient armor recently unearthed in Rome proves beyond the need of protecting that portion of the body most exposed when a warrior leaves the fight and starts for home.

Mex, says Adam Smith, are naturally un sentimental. A man will scold the bottom out of an egg without thinking that the mother of that egg is, perhaps, a hundred miles away in the rain.

It is the young man who inveighs the loudest against the feminine love for dress, who can stand before a glass for the longest time, patiently struggling to make the central part of his hair a work of art.

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