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PERTINENT POLITICAL POINTS.

Railroads and islands both seem to be going at bargain counter rates this winter.

President McKinley has the grippe, but Bryan wishes that he could have gotten it.

At any rate, we shall never have to wade through a review of the past century again.

What on earth does Mars want—if he is really signalling us. Can it be that he wants to tell us where Aguinaldo is?

Mr. Bryan certainly understands advertising. He never misses an opportunity to lug in the Commoner in his speeches nowadays.

Prince Henry says he does not want any Boni business in his, and demands that Queen Wilhelmina settle a good round sum upon him.

The Boer war is estimated to be costing Britain \$2,000 every three minutes. This is pretty expensive whether considered as an amusement or as an investment.

If the Democrats win in 1904, will Mr. Bryan claim the Lincoln post office on the ground that he has been editing the Commoner there for four years?

Mrs. Lease has forgiven her husband for staying at home and attending to business while she was off lecturing, and has withdrawn her suit for divorce on the ground of desertion.

The Christian Scientists have attempted to persuade women that their love of dress is imaginary and that rags are as good as fine raiment. Here, however, the system broke down.

It is something of a question whether Abdul's way of settling debts or the meeting of the Hague peace conference has been the strongest factor in encouraging the building of battleships this year.

This country may be bad enough in summer, but it is at least prepared for winter, while Europe is not. Americans abroad are suffering far more from cold this year than Europeans ever suffered over here from heat.

Americans are admittedly at the front of the world in electrical appliances. They have achieved this position by slow, steady progress, the cumulative effect of thousands of inventors, each of whom added a little to progress, while making a profit for himself.

The House of Representatives will be increased by 29 members. They cannot be seated in the present chamber without a radical reform in the desk system that prevails. If a more common sense plan than the present one is brought about by the increase, it will be distinctly worth what it will cost.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c. 26ly

Of course, no one questions the accuracy of Tammany's report on vice collections. Evidently, there were a number of smart men who played the organization and the vicious simultaneously, deceiving both and making a profit out of both. And of course Croker knew nothing about it. Of course not.

It is not altogether creditable to the fairness of Christianity that the average person can see nothing to be said on the Chinese side of the question. Yet, if any other country had tried to treat the United States as the powers have treated China for years, the entire country would have gone mad with rage.

The British policy of devastation in South Africa was begun on the theory that the country was conquered, and that the Boers should be punished. No one objected to it, until it turned out that the direct result was to stir up the war again. Then John Bull began to squeal, as he usually does when he is hurt.

The Day After Election.

Floored!
Knocked out in the second round!
McKinley and the dinner pail got there.
Gosh! Didn't they paste it to us everlastingly!

"Twasn't our fault, though. Hickory Ridge done noble. Bryan said he was bound to win, and we bet on his judgement.

And it cost us the best squirrel dog in the whole State by jocks! As we go to press the news is that everything has gone Republican except h—ll and Texas.

For President 1904, Andrew Jackson, of Tennessee. We've got to get back to the old landmarks or we'er wiped out.

We acknowledge a serenade by the Republican Marching Club with a brass band last night. It was darned poor music, but we suppose it was the best they could do. Thanks.

We are in favor of reorganizing the Democratic party or abolishing the whole shooting match. When it's got so that we haven't any principles of our own, and have to take them second hand from a lot of Kansas and Nebraska cranks and granddaddy longlegs with yellow hair and their pants in their boots, who don't know anything but free silver and calamity hooting, it's time, by jingo, to call a new deal!

We're tired of holding the sack for Republican snipe hunters. It's going to be a blamed long, cold winter for us this year. Wood, coal and corn cobs wanted on subscription, and wanted right now!

"Florida and Metropolitan Limited"
BY THE
SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY,
"Florida and West India Short Line"
TO THE
Winter Resorts of the South.
The Only Lines Operating Daily Trains to Florida.

Effective January 14th, the Seaboard Air Line Railway, the only line operating daily limited trains to Florida, will put on its magnificent new train, "Florida and Metropolitan Limited," solid from New York via Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington to Richmond, Raleigh, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine.

Connections at Jacksonville for Tampa and all Florida points, and at St. Augustine for the East Coast. This train also carries Drawing Room Sleeping car New York to Atlanta. Leaves Boston 12:03 a. m., New York 12:55 p. m., (from 23d street station Pennsylvania Railroad), Philadelphia 3:29 p. m., Baltimore 5:45 p. m., Washington 6:55 p. m., arriving at Southern Pines, N. C. 5:56 a. m., Columbus, S. C., 10:00 a. m., Savannah, Ga., 12:25 p. m., Jacksonville 3:50 p. m., St. Augustine 5:00 p. m., Tampa 6:30 a. m., Charlotte 9:51 a. m., Atlanta 4:35 p. m. Connections are made both at Miami on the East Coast and Port Tampa on the West Coast for Key West and Havana.

The "Florida and Metropolitan Limited" is luxuriously equipped in every respect, with Pullman Drawing Room Car, Compartment Car with Drawing Rooms and State Rooms, Observation Car, through Day Coaches and unexcelled Pullman Dining Car service.

For further information, call on or write to all Pennsylvania Railroad offices; or representatives of the Seaboard Air Line Railway at 306 Washington street, Boston, Mass.; 1206 and 371 Broadway, New York; 30 South Third street, Philadelphia, 207 East German street, Baltimore; 1434 New York Ave., Washington, or to R. E. L. Bunch, General Passenger Agent, Portsmouth, Va. 47-Feb.

It Girdles the Globe.
The fame of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, as the best in the world, extends round the earth. It's the one perfect healer of cuts, corns, burns, bruises, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, felons, aches, pains and all skin eruptions. Only infallible pile cure. 25c a box at L. Taggart's. Jan

"Florida Fast Mail"
BY THE
SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY,
"Florida and West India Short Line"
TO THE
Winter Resorts of the South.
The Only Line Operating Daily Trains to Florida.

The "Florida Fast Mail," another of the Seaboard Air Line Railway's splendidly equipped trains, leaves New York daily at 12:10 a. m., 23d Street Station, Pennsylvania Railroad, with Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Car and Day Coaches to Raleigh, Southern Pines, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, where connections are made for St. Augustine, Tampa and all Florida points. This train connects at New York with train leaving Boston 7:00 p. m. Leaves Philadelphia 3:50 a. m., Baltimore 6:22 a. m., Washington 10:55 a. m., Richmond 2:40 p. m., arriving at Southern Pines 9:35 p. m., Columbia 1:45 a. m., Savannah 5:00 a. m., Jacksonville 9:10 a. m., St. Augustine 11:10 a. m., Tampa 5:30 p. m. Through Pullman Drawing Room Sleeper New York to Jacksonville. Through Vestibuled Passenger Coaches and perfect service.

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A Deep Mystery.
It is a mystery why women endure backache, headache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so I could not dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 75 years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes constipation, improves appetite, gives perfect health. Only 50 cents at L. Taggart's. Jan

Mason Hill.
Editor Press:—
D. F. Marsh is somewhat indisposed—yes, gripped.

A very light winter we are having, but most people complain of a heavy cold. Thos. Hill and family are the guests of his brother Martin Hill and family, at this place.

Ethel Barr, who has been teaching school at Huston Hill, is home at present threatened with diphtheria.

Mrs. Russell, who has been ill for some time, is slightly improved and will soon enjoy her usual health, we hope.

Clarence Miller is nursing a smashed toe which he got while unloading ties at Huntley, by a tie falling on it.

O. B. Tanner and C. W. Williams have about one thousand ties ready for hauling and a little snow would make them happy.

G. W. Tanner bought a beef hide on Christmas, from L. B. Russell, which was a curiosity. In it was found two large soup bones and a rock. When they were removed Mr. Tanner was convinced that he had paid for 13 lbs. of hide that he didn't get.

Cameron.
Dan'l Sullivan, Jr., is pounding spikes for P. Clair.
Ed Chalmers says he has lined his valuable bird dog.

Harvey Kephart of Portage, was in town Saturday night.
Wm. Wyckoff came down from Cauley Run last Wednesday.

Ceo W. Darrin, of Sterling Run, was in town Saturday last.
R. E. Osborn intends to move his family to Cameron from York State.

W. L. Dixon is rushing the coal trade. He is very busy supplying the demand.
E. Fred Cromley is drivng team for W. H. Morse hauling lumber from the mill.

Warren McConnell and son Jesse have gone to Ridgway for a short visit with friends.
We learn at this writing that our old townsman Dan'l Britton has been in very poor health for some time.

One of our young men started to surprise his mother not long ago and he did it nit.
Our boys took in the show at Emporium last week. They returned via railroad, loaded down with pleasure.

P. Clair, Jr., has recently returned from Boston where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. Lynch. Patsy is highly pleased with Boston.
The young men in town have formed a reading association, Ed Lininger is Sec. and Treas., R. A. Lord is Pres. They held their first meeting Saturday night.

SINANEY.
Editor Press:—
Alex. DeShetler, wife and daughter will start next week for a visit of several weeks with relatives in Ohio.

The P. O. S. of A. will hold a banquet at their hall on this Wednesday evening, exclusively for members with their wives and sweethearts.
Mr. Frank Tice is receiving the con-

gratulations of his friends with dignified modesty but cannot conceal his joy and pride at being papa of a pretty little daughter.

As the licenses expire this week, our hotels will be "dry" until new papers are issued, but the liars club and zabo band are laying in a stock so the drought will not be a severe one.

Isaac Barber has immigrated again and this time with Oklahoma as his objective point, and if big trout and spike horn bucks are abundant there, he says he will stay a year. Ike is at home with rod and gun.

Married—On Jan. 7th, Mr. George Oakley, of Westfield, Tioga county, to Miss Minnie Cloutz, of this place and on Jan. 9th, Wm. S. Swartwood to Miss Christine Lloyd. Cupid is now after a couple of new victims, the fate of whom I hope to write up later on.

That Sinnamahoning correspondent for the Philadelphia North American is evidently the possessor of a very fertile imagination or else had been indulging in a new brand of spiritus fermenti, as that "write up" of the pedestrian club of this place clearly shows. While no such club as the one referred to exists in this town. That scribe evidently belongs to the famous C. L. C. For pure and adulterated rot that article takes the cake.

JOE.

Clear Creek Letter.

Editor Press:—
T. Dixon is on the sick list; better at this writing.

What objection can the people have to Mr. Hall for Supervisor? A man that can attend to his own affairs so ably as he, can surely be trusted to administer for the public.

Mr. Isaac Ostrom, whose pleasure it is to carry the school children to and from school, can truly echo the old saying, with a slight change, sweet Friday night, but sour Monday morning, these days of mud and rain.

Mark Wright had the misfortune to nearly sever the first finger of the right hand, while using a shredder last week. No, he had plenty of corn stalks, and says he believes they are better than sugar for a steady diet for cows. Mutilated finger doing well under Dr. Heilman's treatment.

Emporium's loss, Clear Creek's gain. Our new neighbor, Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh—we find them very pleasant and congenial people, and bespeak for them a kindly welcome by all their neighbors; also glad to report the convalescence of their little daughter Irene, from a severe attack of scarlet fever.

Charlie King is a hustler, sure. In one afternoon and evening he filled an ample ice house with ice, and now his slothful neighbors are inviting themselves over to eat ice cream next summer. Chas. believes in never putting off till tomorrow what may be done to-day. An example his neighbors now wish they had followed.

You had our sympathy, Miss Evers, this afternoon when we saw you start on your long, muddy walk toward. If Clear Creek could boast of one young gent he would have been at your service, of course. That a valley teeming with so many good things for the comfort of our guests, and bankrupt in this is our misfortune not our fault.

"Hoity, toity!" Stirred up a nest of hornets here, in mid-winter. What do we know about politics; better stick to our suffrage hobby, and muddy coffee. Ha, ha! Sold, my friend. We are no advocate of female suffrage. Just step in some morning and take breakfast with a farmer's wife; you will find her coffee amber clear, and of her own brewing; and we will try to find a salve for the sore corn we tread on in our late letter, and for desert an apology will be relished by your scribe.

M. W.

A Wife Says:

"We have four children. With the first three I suffered almost unbearable pains from 12 to 14 hours, and had to be placed under the influence of chloroform. I used three bottles of Mother's Friend before our last child came, which is a strong, fat and healthy boy, doing my housework up to within two hours of birth, and suffered but a few hard pains. This liniment is the grandest remedy ever made."



Mother's Friend

will do for every woman what it did for the Minnesota mother who writes the above letter. Not to use it during pregnancy is a mistake to be paid for in pain and suffering. Mother's Friend equips the patient with a strong body and clear intellect, which in turn are imparted to the child. It relaxes the muscles and allows them to expand. It relieves morning sickness and nervousness. It puts all the organs concerned in perfect condition for the final hour, so that the actual labor is short and practically painless. Danger of rising or hard breasts is altogether avoided, and recovery is merely a matter of a few days.

Druggists sell Mother's Friend for \$1 a bottle. The Bradford Regulator Co., Atlanta, Ga. Send for our free illustrated book.

LEADING HARDWARE HOUSE!

We extend our compliments to the citizens of Cameron and adjoining counties for their rapidly and increasing patronage. We would invite all to see our large display of GENERAL HARDWARE and BUILDERS' MATERIAL. We would call especial attention to our

COOKING, HEATING AND GAS STOVES

Comprising the best in the world. Our old and popular Store is headquarters for many useful articles and house-keepers should call and see what we have.

We again desire to call attention to our OIL, and GAS STOVES. The Ladies delight.

THE WELSBACH LIGHT.

This popular light the great gas saver, is growing in popularity with our people. All who desire to economize in gas bills should use these burners. Call and see them.

WALKER, HOWARD & CO.

C. B. HOWARD & COMPANY.

DRESS GOODS.

Pretty, good and cheap. We can only extend to you an invitation to come and see our goods. Printers' ink cannot tell the story. We will say this, however, if you want good value for good money you should see our assortment.

CORSETS.

Several good kinds here. We pay particular attention to our corset stock. We select those brands which in our opinion are the best. One thing is certain, no mean, miserable corsets are here and our prices are down to the lowest notch.

GLOVES.

A new \$1.00 glove. Here's good news for you. We've secured the very best kid glove we have been able to find, to retail at \$1.00. It's here awaiting your verdict.

HOSIERY.

Some especially good values. When a manufacturer over-produces, then he's pretty sure of losing some money. And incidently somebody is bound to profit by it. You are invited to share in some lots of exceptionally good hosiery at exceedingly low prices

C. B. HOWARD & COMPANY.