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HENRY WATSON is credited with saying that he sees no chance for Cleveland in '02.

We hear nothing these days about "The tin plate liar". What is the matter has he quit lying?

THE difference between a Russia and the United States is that one has a "wheat famine" the other a famine of wheat cars.

If Speaker Crisp will take time to read the news papers he will learn a great deal about himself and his future intentions and prospects.

THE Bee continues its warfare upon the state oil inspectors. It is certainly taking an aggressive step in the interests of the people in so doing.

SENATOR STEWART, of Nevada, introduced a free coinage bill in the senate the second day of the session.

THERE is little doubt that the speakership fight has left sores in the democratic ranks which it will take years to heal.

LOKED SALISBURY is quoted as saying that "England will not falter in her attachment for free trade. It is very conclusive that she will continue to hope for democratic victories and hail, as a disastrous stroke to her industries, the growth of the protective tariff sentiment in this country.

It may be confidently expected that there will be neither tariff or silver legislation in the present congress. The people realize that frequent alternations of such momentous questions have a tendency to unsettle business and to the end that only wise steps may be taken they propose to give the existing laws a fair trial.

WITH regard to the possible opposition of railroads to the improvement of the rivers of the country, Mr. J. M. Osborn, one of the division freight agents of the Wabash, writes that it should be easily overcome by reference to the history of the New York Central, the Pennsylvania and other noted lines.

The member of the New York legislature, made the statement that there was not a dividend-paying road in the country that did not pass along, or between bodies of navigable water, a statement undoubtedly true at that time.

The movement is not an attack upon the railroads, for while it will, when successfully carried out, cheapen the roads by leaving them free to handle the high class merchandise and more profitably manufactured commodities, the higher rates with goods can take a large amount of ores or lumber, and being less bulky will give the roads better returns.

A son of Mr. M. D. ... was so afflicted with rheumatism for a year or more, so to be unable to work or go to school. His father concluded to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm on the boy. It cured him and he has since walked one and a half miles to school at the back every school day. 50 cent a bottle for sale by F. G. Fricke & Co. druggist.

A Religious Debate. A religious debate is in progress at Elmwood between Elder Allen, pastor of the Baptist church at Union, and Rev. Porter, of Saline county, of the Mormon persuasion. The discussion began Tuesday night, and, unless the time as originally set has been extended, the debate closed last evening. In his report of the discussion to the Union Ledger, an Elmwood correspondent has the following to say of the debate:

The speakers have so far been kind and patient toward each other and have demonstrated the fact that debates can be held without personal spite. As to their abilities, Elder Porter comes as a representative of his faith, in English by birth, and is a fine speaker, and while he seems to understand his business from his standpoint, he is not a sparkling orator, but a genial and companionable man. As to Elder Allen, he needs no commendation from me. He is a man whose reputation as a skilled, fair and scholarly debater stands in the front ranks, and in this debate he has more than met the expectations of his friends, and last night his onslaughts were so fearful and unanswerable that his opponent seemed to sit and gaze with amazement, and yet while Allen shredded the Mormon claims as by a whirlwind, his bearing toward his opponent was that of a friend and brother, and he plainly stated to the congregation that if they came to hear the Mormon prophet vilified they might as well go home. He has now in this debate the admiration of even his opponents as a man who stands above personal prowess or vindictive slang.

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PLACES OF WORSHIP.

- CATHOLIC—St. Paul's Church, between Fifth and Sixth. Father Cahill, Pastor. Services: 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 2:30, with benediction. CHRISTIAN—Corner Locust and Eighth Sts. Services morning and evening. Elder J. K. Reed, pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m. EPISCOPAL—St. Luke's Church, corner Third and Vine. Rev. H. B. Burgess, pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. GERMAN METHODIST—Corner Sixth St. and Granite. Rev. H. H. Pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. PRESBYTERIAN—Services in new church, corner Sixth and Granite. Rev. J. T. Baird, pastor. Sunday-school at 9:30; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. The Y. M. C. E. of this church meets every Sabbath evening at 7:15 in the basement of the church. All are invited to attend these meetings. FIRST METHODIST—Sixth St., between Main and Pearl. Rev. J. F. Hill, D. D. Pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. GERMAN PRESBYTERIAN—Corner Main and Ninth. Rev. White, pastor. Services usual hours. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. SWEDISH CONGREGATIONAL—Granite, between Fifth and Sixth. COLORED BAPTIST—Mt. Olive, Oak, between Tenth and Eleventh. Rev. A. Russell, pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Rooms in Waterman block, Main street. Gospel meeting, for men only, every Sunday afternoon at 7 o'clock. Rooms open week days from 8:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m. SOUTH PARK TABERNACLE—Rev. J. M. Wood, Pastor. Services: Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; prayer meeting Tuesday night; choir practice, Friday night. All are welcome.

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A POPULAR FAMILY. JENNIE: "How is it, Kate, that you always seem to 'catch on' to the latest new thing? Do what I may, you always seem to get ahead of me." KATE: "I don't know; I certainly do not make any pretension in that direction." JENNIE: "Well, during the last few months, for example, you have taken up painting, without any teacher; you came to the rescue when the laundress deserted her Delaorte class so suddenly, and certainly we are all improving in grace under your instruction; I heard you telling 'Country' James last evening how his child made mistakes in playing baseball; you seem to be up on all the latest 'fash,' and know just what to do under all circumstances; you entertain beautifully; and in the last month you have improved in health, owing, you tell me, to your physical culture exercises. Where do you get all of your information from in this little 'out-of-the-way place'—for you never go to the city?" KATE: "Why, Jennie, you will make me vain. I have only one source of information, but it is surprising how it meets all wants. I very seldom lose a thing, and I notice, says that it is that that makes her such a famous housekeeper. In fact, we all agree that it is the only really family magazine published, as we have sent for samples of all of them, and find that one is all for men, another all for women, and another for children only, while this one suits every one of us; so we only need to take one instead of several, and that is where the economy comes in, for it is only \$2.00 a year. Perhaps you think I am too lavish in my praise; but I will let you see ours, or, better still, send 10 cents to the publisher, W. Jennings Bennett, 15 East 14th Street, New York, for a sample copy, and I shall always consider that I have done you a great favor; and may be you will be cutting us out, as you say we have the reputation of being the best informed family in town. If that be so, it is Demorest's Family Magazine that does it."

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