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Situated as we are in the extreme west it is not always possible to cure goods by freight. It is a haul and between waiting for shipments to be made up by the railway companies, allowing for delays along Orpheum will present tonight for the the road, and the actual time con- first time in the city by a stock sumed in hauling, the demand has company at popular prices Harriet oftentimes gone by for the goods by Beecher Stowe's immortal play, "Unthe time they have been received. cle Tom's Cabin." Wherewith this Consequently the express companies play has been presented to the public Phone 305 are well patronized. The reduction for over fifty years it still holds its in rates then will be received with prestige as the biggest play ever

FOR PEACE, AT TAIL William Jennings Bryan, secretary of state in President Wilson's cabinet in the United States government. is tackling the universal peace probproposed international agreement has

Briefly, Secretary Bryan's plan, as loud bursts of applause. he outlined it, is that the United Knapp and Derill, the "crazy sailwhich disputes, even those involving of joy were the feature event of the "pational honor or vital interests." Wening, their feature jump, blind-would be submitted to an interna-folded into a barrel from a distance tional board of inquiry and that the of eleven feet being a nerve thriller disputing countries should agree to which was loudly applended.

time, of six months or a year. may have been "sounded" on proposition was not fully disclo intimated, however, that one or two foreign powers viewed the plan with

The majority of the committee expressed general approval of the idea of making some form of agreement with other countries for further development of peace relations.

The final settlement of the wars of the last few years have been to a large extent settled by arbitration. Why should disputes between nations not be settled by arbitration? Bryan will not be the first man who has thought of this way of eradicating war. It is to be hoped that he will be more successful than his predeces-

Communication

Editor Daily Herald:

Dear Sir,-In last night's issue of the Free Press there is a letter from Mr. Jordan, re my letter of some days ago. If Mr. Jordan will take the trouble to look up that letter again, I distinctly stated that I had seen it in the local papers that Mr. Pettigrew and Mr. Foster had made these statements, which were never contradicted. If these statements had been denied, as they should have been, if not correct, my letter never would have been written. Mr. Jordan further states that of late I have been currying favor with the boss and some one else smaller. Any person who knows will tell you Mr. Jordan that for the last eight or nine months straight I have been working in the worst kind of deficient work, five feet of rock and one foot of coal. If there is any favors attached to that, Mr. Jordan is 'welcome to it, but I don't think he is any too anxious for any hard work. As for May 1, you can rely on one thing, Jonathan will not be working on that day whether the mines work or, not. As for the statement that I made that these mines are not supply ing Ladysmith and Cumberland trade I still think it absolutely true and I cannot yet see where Mr. Stockett's statement as he uses for proof has any bearing on this trouble in any

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