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J. L. HALL, Mayor,

Prescott, A. T. March 18, 1884.



## The World's Fair.

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Any person having Specimens of Minerals found in Yavapai county, of Agricultural Products, of the Fauna Flora Petrefactions, Fossils, Unique Relics, or anything of that nature, attractive or interesting, who wish to have the same forwarded for exhibition at the World's Exposition, New Orleans, are requested to send the same properly labeled, to the office of

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## HURRAH!!

### Republicans Sweep Ohio Overwhelmingly!

AND WEST VIRGINIA A STAND-OFF!

Columbus, Ohio, October 15.—Result of election so far regarded as an overwhelming Republican victory, and so conceded by Democrats. Republicans themselves are amazed at the result, which is a demonstration of the power of the Republican party in the West. Majority of ticket elected with the State ticket. Also Republican State ticket not less than 10,000, while the Congressional is elected, by as yet unknown, but presumed large majority.

Wheeling, October 14.—Estimates by keen observers up to noon today in largest voting precincts concede State to have gone Democratic by a majority much less than was expected. But little interest manifested at the polls and election passed off quietly.

LATER. Cincinnati, October 15.—Returns from country precincts show the Republican majority to over 20,000, which will be still further augmented. The German vote principally Democratic on legislative ticket, but on congressional, Republican. Partisan leaders say that mass of German and Irish votes cast Democratic at present election will go Republican in November, an endorsement for Blaine increasing rapidly and Democratic leaders speak in discouraging terms of Cleveland's candidacy.

Wheeling, October 15.—State probably Democratic by from 5,000 to 6,000 majority. Supporters of Cleveland feel dubious whether the State can be held for him in November.

FROM NEW YORK. New York, October 15.—Result of Ohio election places a damper on the most prominent Democratic leaders. The general feeling prevalent is that all efforts must be centered in this State between now and November election in consequence. The result was met with extreme indifference by Tammany, who claim it to be the result of Cleveland's unpopularity with the masses. An effort will be made, it is rumored, to secure Butler's withdrawal in favor of Democracy, by pledging party support four years hence.

OHIO. Cincinnati, Oct. 16.—Returns show without doubt the election of Republican Congressmen in but two districts, which remains doubtful. Republican gain will be over 30,000. This estimate is made on returns of 1765 precincts so far received.

WEST VIRGINIA. Wheeling, Oct. 16.—Returns to date show Wilson, Democrat, elected Governor by 7,883. Republican gain is large.

HOW ASH FORK STANDS. Ash Fork, Oct. 7, 1884.

EDITOR MINER:—Republican nominees have been with us, and we have been entertained by the finest political meeting ever held in Ash Fork. We feel good, for no one can now doubt the vigor and strength of our old, tried and true party at this point. Our esteemed townsman, A. G. Oliver, having recently built for his own use one of the finest store houses on the A. & P. line, we had the privilege through his kindness and hospitality of holding our meeting there. Monday evening bonfires lighted up the town and the heavy boom of cannon roused the people and brought them in crowds to hear a first class performance. The building is large and spacious and was well lighted and seats prepared for the audience.

The meeting was called to order and S. M. Rankin elected chairman. Col. G. C. Bean was the first speaker, and in a remarkable talk to the people, won their attention sympathies and the general endorsement that he would be the trusted servant to represent them as their next member of Congress. Certainly, his power, honesty and humor won general admiration. Next in order we heard Col. L. F. Eggers, the next District Attorney, in an elegant speech and his mastery power as an orator pleased all and charmed the ladies. P. B. Brannen, the nominee for treasurer, John Ellis, for sheriff and Scott Williams, for probate judge, each in turn received a warm welcome. All the candidates will command a heavy vote here. The candidates did much good by their presence and democracy got a "black eye." M. L. Wood and R. P. Furrow, business men here, by their energy and attention contributed much to the success of the meeting. You will hear a good account from Ash Fork on election day.

The Record thinks Cochise will poll 3,000 votes.

Pima's great register contained 1290 names a few days ago.

Cole's circus got away with about \$10,000 from Tucson.

The Indiana coal measures underlie one fifth of the entire State.

The production of lime is estimated at about 32,000,000 barrels.

The exports of fine copper from Chili in 1882 were 42,960 tons.

## SILVER MOUNTAIN.

Recent developments south of the Tiger camp along Hamburg Creek, and about the base of Silver Mountain, is attracting renewed interest in that direction, and we hope the time is not far distant when some company with sufficient means will open up the Mammoth and other monster lodes that appear to constitute the principal material of which the mountain is composed.

It is the opinion of miners and prospectors, most familiar with the locality and formation of the country, that Silver Mountain is the great feeder and fountain that supplies Hamburg Creek with its rich rock and placer gold. The indications, we are assured, all point to this and the countless spurs and stringers that radiate from the mountain, and which evidently have their base in the Mammoth lode, some of which have been successfully worked by anastrophic process, all tend to confirm this opinion.

The Mammoth, as has often been noted in these columns, is the largest gold and silver bearing lode or lode known to exist, either in Arizona or elsewhere, and as it shows unusual in paying values, in all the various openings along its course across the mountain for a distance of nearly two miles, it does seem that some company, having the means necessary to develop it, and see what it really contains below the surface, would be attracted to it. There is, perhaps, no undeveloped property in any mining camp in the United States that offers greater inducements to a company that is willing, by the expenditure of a moderate sum of money, to take the chance of realizing an enormous sum. If the property shall, upon being developed, prove to be what the prospects indicate, its value is beyond computation.

Of course, as in all speculations, there is a reverse side to the picture, and the money might be expended and nothing valuable developed; but such is not likely to be the case where the surface shows mineral for so great a distance, and where the formation of the country is so decidedly mineral-bearing.

The frantic endeavors that are being made to impress the public with the popularity of C. P. Head are becoming grotesque in their absurdity. He is not popular, and all the clanking of the Democratic organs cannot make him so. There is nothing either in his public career or private character to make him popular. He has none of that personal magnetism possessed by his opponent, and none of the characteristics that mark a man for a leader among his fellows. He is not expansive; he is not sympathetic; he has been so long engaged in a career of self aggrandizement, and is so encumbered over with the shell of selfishness, that if there be any selfishness or disinterested feeling in the man, they cannot break through. The best that can be said of him is that he has been a successful business man and that he has more money than Mr. Bean. In fact he has the talent for making money, the faculty of retentiveness, and the interests of C. P. Head are the god that he adores. It must be easy to be popular among Democrats, if he be popular.

One of the most substantial and uncompromising Democrats of the county, one who has ever been in the habit of going a straight thing and was never known to vote anything else, informed us on Saturday that he proposed to vote for C. Bean at the coming election. The statement was not made for publication, but we take the liberty of using the fact as indicative of how the territory feels on the matter of delegate to congress. There are plenty more gentlemen who will do just as the gentleman whose statement we have given will do. —[Phoenix Herald.]

The approximate output of copper in the United States this year is placed by the Engineering and Mining Journal at the following figures:

	Pounds.
Lake Superior	68,000,000
Montana	40,000,000
Arizona	22,000,000
California, Colorado, Utah, New Mexico, Missouri, etc.	3,000,000
Total	133,000,000

Belva Lockwood has sinister designs upon the other Presidential candidates. She has sent a letter inviting them to a love feast for mutual consultation and for the purpose of placing the contest on a higher and more dignified basis. She especially desires to meet Cleveland, but the Buffalo statesman has heard enough about his relations with a woman years ago to make him shy of forming friendships, especially with widows like Belva, whose natural shrewdness has been brought to a wide edge by law practice in the pension business.

The population of Nevada is steadily dwindling away. The Carson Tribune estimates there are now not more than 12,000 voters in the state. In 1876 there were cast 10,467 votes, and in 1880 the total vote was 10,611. Only one county has 3,000 voters, and of all the others only three have a voting population in excess of 1,000 each. One county is credited with 200 voters only, and there are five counties whose combined vote will not exceed 2,300.

Salt River valley will produce between 10,000 and 12,000 gallons of wine this year.

The total production of tin during the year 1882 is reported at 38,123 gross tons.

Kentucky has a coal area of over 12,700 square miles, and its output for 1882 was 1,260,060 tons.

## FIGURES.

Figures never lie, unless they are on a gas meter. The chief of the Bureau of Statistics, Mr. Nimmo, shows the great extent of our manufacturing interests. We are the largest manufacturing country on earth. The great growth is due to the fostering policy of the Republican party. Sections have suffered through the legislation of the Democratic party, as, for instance, among the wool-growers; but wherever the Republican party has had absolute control, industrial growth has been steady and large. We consume five times as much of our own manufactures as are exported from Great Britain and Ireland to all parts of the world. We use 99 per cent of our products of wool, gold and silver, 95 per cent of our manufactured iron, steel, leather and cotton, and 97 per cent of our glass, stone and earthenware. Under a protective tariff we are enabled to feed, clothe and comfort laborers on our own soil. Under free trade, we would be compelled to send abroad, not manufactured articles, but grain for the feeding of men who, in other lands, would manufacture for us. The artisan would become a farmer, and two farmers would till the fields where one laborer now, and the work of one would go to pay for the manufactured goods that he ought to be making in his own neighborhood, while part of the labor of the other would go to pay for freights. The best argument in favor of protection is found in the figures which indicate our great prosperity. Meanwhile, free trade England languishes.

## GONE OVER THE DIVIDE.

The late George W. M. Cowles who died in Jerome early this week left a large circle of acquaintances who mourn his loss. The deceased was a pioneer in both California and Nevada and had been engaged in mining for years past. His comrades gave him a good burial, the remains being followed to the grave by nearly every man in the camp. The mines were shut down and all the stores, saloons and boarding houses were closed and services conducted by the Catholic priest, who was visiting the town at the time. To the many miners on this coast, Mr. Cowles' death will be sadly received. His unlimited generosity to them in times of severe hardship was everywhere noticed and followed him from camp to camp. A few years ago in Nevada he acquired considerable wealth, but through the misrepresentations of men whom he had more than once befriended when at variation was near, and in one instance death staring one in the face, he lost all and was financially ruined. He arrived in our locality about two years ago, but owing to his feeble health, brought on by exposure in former years, he was unable to do but little in his line of business. In Los Angeles, Cal., he leaves a son, the only relative we believe on this coast. At the time of death, Mr. Cowles was about fifty-five years of age and a native of Indiana.

The effeminate editor of the Phenix Gazette has in a sort of maudlin way been trying to belittle Dr. F. K. Ainsworth, the nominee for joint councilman on the Republican ticket for the northern district of Arizona. The Doctor is well known to the people as one of the most accomplished, generous, free and open-hearted gentlemen in Arizona, and the wishy-washy articles in the Gazette will only have the effect of helping the Doctor to more votes on election day.

An itemized bill of particulars, published by the National Republican, shows that in thirty-one years of democratic administration the sums due the government from democratic defaulters were \$19,496,851.16, all still due and unpaid. And yet the democrats claim that theirs is the party of reform, while the republican party is that of robbers and corruptionists. Truly, how consistent is their cry, "turn the rascals out." A more appropriate cry would be, "let the rascals in."

Governor Tittle has offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the parties who committed the late murders at Rafferty's ranch, near the Huachuca.

The Mining Index of Tucson has gone over to the Republicans since Head "waded" in the old penitentiary. Couldn't stand the cold wave, as it were. —[Herald.]

Mr. Cleveland is practicing the democratic doctrine, "turn the rascals out." He has pardoned fifty convicts in the last two months.

A fire occurred in Patapere, Old Mexico, a few nights since, which destroyed a quarter of the town. The loss is estimated at \$200,000, with no insurance.

The Supreme Court of the United States meets at Washington to-day. There are 1025 cases on the docket, being 540 less than at this time last year.

It will cost lots of cash to have that talk translated from English to Spanish, and besides the cost of a new piece of buckskin will have to be considered.

Three fourths of the world's supply of copper is derived from sulphureted compounds of copper and iron.

## MY REASONS FOR COMING OUT INDEPENDENT.

In announcing myself as an independent candidate for Sheriff, I claim no extra privileges or benefits for myself. Every other candidate is free to do the same.

The 457 or more votes cast at the Prescott primary, on the 16th ult., showed conclusively that they could only have been obtained by unfair means and influences.

If the Democratic party of this County is only created for the special benefit of cliques, rings, or a few chronic office-seekers,—some of the delegates pledged from six to eight months prior to the Convention—then the sooner the Democratic voters find it out, the better it is for our party and the interest of the County at large.

In conclusion, I will state, I am not a politician. All I ask for, is a fair and square deal for all—myself as well as others. I have no money to buy votes; but I still announce myself as an independent candidate for Sheriff, free and independent of any Clique, Ring, or any person or persons in Prescott or the County at large.

Respectfully, DANIEL HATZ, Prescott, Sept. 24, 1884.

## POLITICS ON THE RAILROAD.

ASH FORK, October 14th, 1884. EDITOR MINER:—Excitement runs high here. Occasionally some cool-headed fellow expresses an opinion in regard to the register and claims that his precinct is the only honest register along the line of the road. Then all's excitement again:

Williams has really a resident register, and was taken with caution and care. Flagstaff has a stopper and surprises the natives, but then you see it is not the 4th of November yet.

The respective candidates have their admirers who are willing to champion their cause. In some bar-rooms the cry is for Ellis; who is steadily gaining ground; McVernon's friends are beginning to think that it is not all gold that glitters, and use some of the vilest epithets in the English language to further their favorite's cause. Dan Hatz has plenty of friends on both sides, who are doing no loud talk; but are getting in their work for their man. Over for Supervisor, will take a strong vote along the line, and will carry his own precinct nearly to a man. The popular Assessor, named are Braunman and Nash. These gentlemen are politically opposed but some way or other Braunman's friends think Nash is the right man, and Nash's friends think the same of the doctor, and so you see they are the strongest team on the road. At Ash Fork, day and night, the scene is enlivened by speeches on slavery, which are ludicrous in the extreme, delivered by the famous gunner of (Hayward) R. M. Weyant.

It seems to me quite a number to own an newspaper man in Tucson:

The Arizona Sentinel has the following to say in regard to our townsman, Dr. F. K. Ainsworth: Remember Dr. Ainsworth, ye who toil. He is your friend.

Give him a lift, and encourage your neighbor to do likewise. He is all who know him will admit, has ever been the cordial, substantial friend of the miner and laborer. Two years ago, in the Legislature, he proved himself such by every action and word. He supported to the utmost of his ability every move tending to better their condition, and, as a consequence, miners, laborers, in fact every voter should rally to his support. Yuma especially, has been befriended by this gentleman, and in duty bound ought to help elect him by a handsome majority.

Residents of Yavapai, no matter of what political faith, should rally to the support of Hon. Louis Wollenberg and ensure his election to the Assembly. Mr. Wollenberg has proven his devotion to the interests of old Yavapai in the Legislature heretofore, and in the face of menacing enemies has demonstrated his ability to defend them. With such men as his stamp in the lower house, the mutterings which such Democratic organs as the State are indulging in relative to the removal of the Capital, no fear need be felt that he will falter in the hour of emergency.

Pima county, without doubt, now leads all other counties in the Territory in live stock, which have been increased during the present year more than 30,000, aside from the increase in calves. She will market between \$300,000 and \$400,000 worth of beeves this year.

A bill which the Massachusetts Senate has passed provides that court rooms may be cleared when the testimony is of an immoral character.

Extensive preparations are being made throughout New Mexico and Arizona for a creditable representation at the great World's Fair at New Orleans. Nearly every county in these Territories has made an appropriation for this cause.

A Newport belle wears fifty two bangles on one of her bracelets. The bangles are of gold coin; worth from \$1 to \$20 each.

The buckskin manuscript has been down to Sonora, and advices say that it is still intact.

Brother Morford, of the Herald, is dealing out argument that the Democratic journals cannot dispute.

What must have been the reason that the Colonel (?) visited Nogales? The are no Mormons there!