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Weather Forecast. Northern California—Generally cloudy in the northern portion; fair in the southern portion; somewhat cooler in the interior; fresh to brisk generally westerly winds.

WORDS TO OUR WOMEN.

Extracts from the San Francisco papers quoted in our amusement column this morning indicate that what was a few years ago considered by most people a mere grumble has become a matter of very serious concern, is now invested with gravity sufficient to command attention and bring about reform.

When complaint was made in these columns two years ago against offensive headgear in places of public assembly that obstructed the view and was injurious to the eyesight, it was on the eve of an unripe reform, and the offending women rose in their strength and flatly decided that when they pleased they would cease to offend; they might be coaxed, they said, but they would not be driven. Albeit a number of good women warmly indorsed the position taken by this paper.

In three courts their offending has been declared to be violative of the law; in many halls and theaters and churches they are not permitted to enter the auditorium with obstructing head gear. The New York "Herald" has taken up the matter in perfect seriousness and announces that an unending warfare is on until so much of the nuisance as remains is abated.

In San Francisco the theatrical managers are coming around to the view that men and women who do not offend have rights that are to be considered and protected, and in the chief theater of the city the obstructing hat is now forbidden. Probably in no place has the offense been more in evidence than in Sacramento, and here it shows least sign of abandonment. Just why this should be so is not explicable.

It is now suggested that the women of the Capital City at once, by common and gracious consent, drop into the line with the well bred and decent women who do not offend, and that of those who respect the rights of others and remove their hats in the theaters, concert chambers, churches and lecture halls or wear inoffensive head coverings. The season of evening entertainments is just opening. There is not an assembly room in the city so seated that a spectator behind a large, wide spreading or towering hat, or one decked with great plumes and ambitious flowers, can possibly see stage, rostrum or pulpit without dodging, ducking or rising in place.

Let the women of Sacramento reflect upon the truth set forth in the New York "Herald," namely, the large hats were not designed for house wear, but solely for the street; that they are never worn in assembly in Europe by women of good breeding, or any who wish to be considered good mannered. If a woman in Europe does appear in an assembly with such a hat she is required to retire immediately or remove it.

The "Herald" adds that reform as so far progressed in our own country that now at the East in the best assemblies no woman dares offend good taste by such headgear, no matter whether it is in the theater, concert room, church, lecture hall or any other indoor entertainment or assembly.

The offense does not stop with the high and wide hat by any means—let women understand that the fine, feathery, dancing egrette, even if it rises but three inches, is an obstruction, and more than that, is held to be very injurious to the eyesight of whoever attempts to look through or past it.

Our friends of the other sex may be surprised to learn that they can be cited to several cases of persons now under treatment for injury to the eye, the source of the harm having been traced directly to the dancing egrette on women's hats.

IS IT ANY WONDER?

Is it any wonder that the Bryanites refuse to discuss the rebellious and anarchistic plank of their platform? They know that it is a traitorous and menacing declaration; that it means an assault upon free institutions the next time difficulty arises in riot, strike or local insurrection. They know that the patriotism of the people if aroused to the point of alarm will sweep them and their boy orator and boom ideas from the face of the earth.

Let the people ponder upon what that infamous plank means. Let them reflect upon what the declaration of Bryan means, made in his New York tour, that if elected he will endeavor to enforce every plank in the Chicago platform. Which means that if another uprising of the lawless takes place the Government of the United States will not interfere, but will leave it to the treachery, weakness, cowardice or misconception of duty on the part of a Governor to determine whether the mails shall move through one or more States from another, and whether the Federal courts shall be upheld and the Federal laws enforced, or whether the lawless, the mob, the rioters shall rule. No wonder Bryan refuses to debate the plank; no wonder that he keeps his mouth employed with silver chatter; no wonder that he does his best to avoid reference to the secession and revolutionary expression.

Nothing can be clearer than this conviction in the minds of thoughtful and patriotic citizens, namely, that the

success of Bryan would be hailed East and West as a triumph of the elements that have repeatedly set the Government at defiance, plotted to overthrow free institutions and substitute for them fanciful theories and the dictation of passion, selfishness and lawlessness.

AN OBJECT LESSON.

Here is an object lesson in free trade that cannot be escaped or explained away. At the close of December, 1892, we had in the United States 47,273,533 sheep, used for wool purposes alone, the mutton sheep being differently classified. The total value of the wool sheep was then \$125,909,264.

In that year a Democratic administration was ordered in, and in 1893 it began to tinker the tariff and cut off protection to wool, and William Jennings Bryan was an active worker to that end, speaking in Congress against the wool interests, and as a member of the Ways and Means Committee reporting against them.

At the close of 1895 our sheep had declined to 38,298,783, with a total value of \$65,167,735, a clear loss of \$60,741,529. Now look at the foreign imports of woolen goods. The imports in 1892 were 167,784,490 pounds. At the close of 1895 they were 248,989,217 pounds, a gain of 81,204,727 in three years.

The value of woolen imports in 1892 was \$37,515,445. By the close of 1895 this value had increased to the enormous sum of \$60,319,301, an increase of \$23,803,856 in three years. Well, is it any wonder that wool interests should dislike Democratic tariff tinkering?

The Bryanites are already making a bed to fall upon by saying from platform and press that "if" Bryan is defeated four years hence the fight will be made again, and if McKinley is elected the silver men in the House and the Senate will tie his hands and prevent any revenue legislation unless accompanied by a silver rider. When the opposition begins to talk about a possible defeat it is to be accepted as positive evidence of a conviction in their minds that their man is whipped already. But in this connection let it be impressed upon Republicans that this threat of the opposition to keep the nation in hot water for four years more, and by obstruction prevent settling legislation, serves to show the high importance of electing Republican Congressmen and State legislators in every district. Here we have advance notice that the opposition is planning to boycott the people, to play the dog in the manger act, to sit in the seat of power and snarl and snap at every effort that may be made to adjust the financial system of the Republic to the needs of the people and their commercial and domestic necessities. It is for this that they are giving up the hope of electing Bryan and preparing to concentrate all their forces upon the capture of Congress. We shall not be at all surprised to presently hear of offers to trade Bryan and Sewall for anything that will aid in the election of the opposition candidates to the House, or for the seating of radicals as United States Senators. The thing for Republicans to do is to stand firmly for the whole ticket, to enter into no bargains, to sacrifice no advantage that will take a single vote from a Republican nominee for Congress or the Legislature. There is and will be no need, reason or excuse for trading or dickering. It must be the ticket and the whole ticket, or nothing.

In his Jersey City speech Mr. Bryan said, "Business men have been living on confidence several years, and it is getting to be thin diet. * * * You have been exercising faith so long that you are getting tired of it." How widely Mr. Bryan differs from the publicist, Professor John C. Schwab, whose observation and study of political economy and financial systems completely eclipses the knowledge and capacity of young Mr. Bryan. Professor Schwab declares "that mutual confidence and dependence more than anything else characterize our present commercial life and anything that weakens that mutual feeling undermines the very foundations of our industrial system." Which of these two expressions strikes deepest into reason and leads most directly to honest and satisfactory conviction?

The Tulare "Register" thus expresses itself: Congressman Maguire lowers the standard of leaders when he reports to the tactics of the little yelpers and talks of employers coercing their employees. There has not been a specific case of this kind mentioned which has not been abundantly proven by the men themselves to be a lie from turret to foundation. And that is just exactly the length and breadth of the whole matter. Nothing is easier than to charge, and nothing is meaner than to insinuate without ability to convert the insinuation into charge backed by indubitable evidence of its truth.

Mr. Bryan said in one of his Ohio speeches that the declaration for free coinage will of necessity produce a panic. He conceded that, but it was unavoidable, and the good to follow will compensate for it, he added—in brief. So, we are to have a panic if Willie is elected, eh? Well, how long will it last? How widespread will it be? Whom will it most affect? Who is to foot the bill of damages? Who is to compensate the poor devils who must be sacrificed upon its altar?

Here is a deadly comparison. Which does the true American prefer? One of the important duties of Government by law must first be ascertained in the put-tered. The spirit of ting of rings in the lawlessness must be noses of hogs.—W. J. extinguished by the fires of an unselfish and lofty patriotism.—to preserve inviolate our country's name and honor, its peace and good order, and its continued ascendancy among the greatest Governments on earth.—William McKinley's letter of acceptance.

England is the enemy of protection; therefore the English desire the ascendancy of Bryan and free trade. No wonder the Bryanites howl about the English being opposed to them. It is a cry to deceive and cover.

GRANGE EVENING SESSION.

Addressed by Hon. E. D. McCabe on Behalf of the Governor.

An Excellent Musical Programme Was Followed by an Executive Session.

The State Grange held an evening session last night at which a number of reports were read and resolutions were introduced.

It had been expected that Governor Budd would deliver an address, but he was unexpectedly detained in San Francisco, and his Private Secretary, Hon. E. D. McCabe, spoke in his place.

Mr. McCabe said, in part, that he felt embarrassed in knowing that the assembly had expected to hear the Governor, who had been, almost from youth, closely connected with the objects that were the cause of the organization of the grange. The Governor had, however, been detained by a meeting of the State Prison Directors in San Francisco.

The speaker regretted the inability of the Governor to be present, but he was gratified to be present himself, although he could not fill the Governor's place acceptably. He had known the Master of the State Grange for many years, having been associated with him in another organization, in which he had seen his worth and ability. He had read with pleasure, also, his address to the State Grange, published in the morning paper.

The speaker, although not himself a member of the order, had sprung from parents who were members and had passed his childhood on the farm. The agricultural interests of the State are vast and important and closely connected with the prosperity not only of the State, but of the world. Those interests demand attention, and it is natural that their representatives should meet to take action to make them profitable.

He spoke of the depression of agricultural interests throughout the world and its effect on the farming community, of the vast resources of the State and their relative importance to the rest of the world, and bade the grange welcome in the name of the Governor, whose interest in their welfare was well known.

W. W. Greer, the Master, said he had listened with pleasure to the remarks of Mr. McCabe concerning the great State of California and the condition of its agricultural interests, and his idea of the aims and purposes of the grange. It afforded him pleasure to respond for the organization to the able address, and to so hearty a welcome. The grange had been welcomed by the Mayor, the business men and the people outside of the city, and this welcome on behalf of the State had been given by his old friend.

Mr. McCabe seemed to have a good idea of the objects of the organization. It was not a political one, but discussed economic questions from a non-partisan standpoint, and no Legislature has more responsibility resting upon it. Its object is the improvement of agriculture, the farmer, the home, and the interest of the State. He would say to Mr. McCabe and through him to the Governor, that the Patrons of Husbandry appreciate the welcome so cordially given.

Previous to Mr. McCabe's address a fine quartet had been sung by members of the grange, and the address was followed by an excellent vocal solo by Miss Caples of Elk Grove. Then came a drill with vocal accompaniment by members of the Sacramento Grange, the various movements being given with precision and grace, and it was so heartily enjoyed that they were forced to repeat it. Then grange then went into executive session again.

SUPERVISORS. Asked to Have the Riverside Road Improved for Winter.

James O'Neill and several other citizens residing south of the city along the river appeared before the Board of Supervisors yesterday and asked that the Riverside road be macadamized the entire distance. The road becomes almost impassable in winter, yet it is a road that has to be used every day in the year, owing to the character of the business in which the people are engaged, that of raising garden products.

There are some portions of the road, Mr. O'Neill says, that are good, but there are other portions where there is quicksand, and these places become almost impassable to travel as soon as the winter rains come. Just now the road is a very nice one to travel, but the condition is simply awful in winter.

The time to improve the road, he said, is before the rains set in and make the road a sea of mud. There are about three and a half miles of the road that should be macadamized.

Chairman Morrison said he was fully aware of the condition of the road in



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winter, and it was his opinion that a narrow strip of it should be macadamized, as three is constant and heavy traffic over it at all seasons of the year. In the absence of Supervisor Curtis, in whose district the road lies, no action was taken in the matter.

A petition was received from W. B. Bradford, J. Everson and others, residents of District No. 5, for a new road to be laid out near Johnsonville. The petition was granted and viewers appointed.

A demand of Darby Laydon & Co. for \$2,500 on account of repairs to the American River bridge, on the Twelfth-street extension, was allowed. The claim had been previously submitted to the District Attorney and approved by him.

After examining a large number of demands against the county the board took a recess till this morning.

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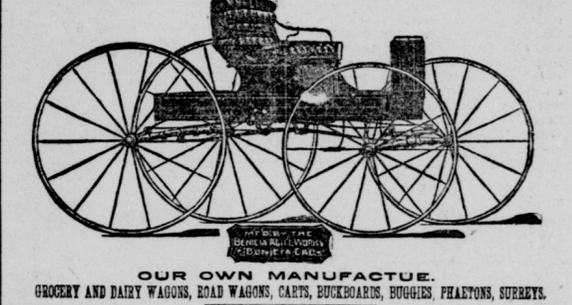
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Politics in Oregon.

Eds. "Record-Union": At the present interesting time in our country's history I thought it might be interesting to my Sacramento friends to learn what the prospects seem to be as regards the coming election. I hope it will show upon counting the ballots that William McKinley has received a handsome majority. I am sure never in this State's history has there so much interest taken in any election among all classes of citizens. You see them on the street corners, both laborer and merchant, with the United States Treasury report and other statistics, reading them to the assembled crowds, trying to make plain each citizen's duty on November 3d, and I find among these assembled crowds the majority wear the McKinley buttons and favor American protection in preference to free trade and free silver, and I notice on the bulletin boards bets are freely offered 3 and 4 to 1 in favor of William McKinley. I did hear one Popocrat that I don't think had been reading up very carefully, say that he would bet \$100 even that California, Oregon and Washington, the three Pacific States, would go for Bryan, and he did not think McKinley would carry his own State, and was sure he would not carry the county he lived in, but such people are few, and all are anxiously waiting the opportunity of doing their part to decide either for or against the prosperity of this country.

At a political meeting a few nights since I had the pleasure of talking with a laboring man that had been in the employ of a large manufacturing establishment, and he told me that up to and during President Harrison's term this firm enjoyed great prosperity and made money, but since, owing to depression caused by free trade, this factory, employing a great many men, had failed and some out of business, throwing this man and many others out of work, and now they found it a hard matter to find any work. So much for the present party and its future policy, and it don't seem to me we want it any longer, therefore I can't believe that the American citizen will be so devoid of reason on this question when it comes to voting, but that they will in no uncertain way, by an overwhelming majority, say to the Populists, Democrats and Silverites on November 3d, "We have no use for you, for you have been tried and found wanting. We think too much of this grand American country to trust it in your hands."

I heard a good story that may be new to you. A father was telling his son a story about a rabbit out for his morning meal, at the same time watching for a wolf that might devour him. He soon discovered one, and started to run over the fields, with the wolf in hot pursuit, and so near did the wolf get that the rabbit felt his hot breath and ran up a tree. "Oh, no," said the boy, "you can't fool me that way. Who ever heard of a rabbit climbing a tree?" The father looked at the knowing son, and said: "Yes, but, by God, he had to!" So the speaker said the Democrats had to take up silver because that seemed to be their only salvation, but it looks now as if it was going to be their downfall, and that on November 3d there will be other States beside Maine to hear from, and William McKinley, the true American soldier-statesman, will be honored with the office of President of these United States, and once more

the idle mills and factories will be running, confidence will be restored, money that has been hoarded will seek channels for investment, and the bells will peal forth the glad tidings to a despairing people that the battle has been fought and victory is ours. A VOTER. Portland, Or., Oct. 5, 1896.

Mrs. Cushing's Horses.

Eds. "Record-Union": Please contradict that piece about the horses on the island six miles up the Sacramento River, on the Yolo side. They got in on Wednesday night at dark, and I got them out Thursday about 10 o'clock. It is not true they were there without food or water. MRS. F. H. CUSHING.

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