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Tries to keep the public informed about the goods they receive, and the prices they sell at, and feel that all their customers are greatly benefited by trading with them. They have just received a large stock of the

"Star 5 Star Shoes,"

and mark all according to the late fall in prices. All kinds on hand.

Clothing

of best quality at very low prices for men and boys. A fine line of black worsted shirts.

Straw Hats

of all kinds and sizes, work hats or fancy straw. Their stock of

Lace Curtains

embroideries, laces, hosiery, notions of all kinds, all sold at racket prices. Call and save 15 to 25 per cent.

E. T. BARNES.

HERE IS LOGIC FOR YOU.

Vote Against Ellis But Vote for Bennett for the Same Reason.

LET US HAVE A STRAIGHT VOTE.

Voters of the second district, who wish to send to congress a man who will support free coinage of silver, and who, through his political associations and the help of a powerful party, will be able to do something for free coinage of silver, should vote for Bennett, the Democratic nominee.

The Populist nominee is also a free-silver man, but this party is too weak to do anything for silver, and votes thrown for him will therefore be thrown away.

As for Ellis, the Republican nominee, though he is a free-silver man, he can do nothing for silver; since the Republican party is inflexibly opposed to free coinage of silver, and Ellis at Washington finds himself practically alone. The Republican vote in the house recently was 184 against silver, to 25 for it. The Republican party therefore will do nothing for free coinage of silver, and Ellis, in voting for silver is going against the policy and and purpose of his party.

They who wish to bring about free coinage of silver, therefore, should vote for the candidate of a party that is disposed to promote that measure. The Populists are too weak to do anything. Their strength in congress is really nothing. The only way, therefore, by which the voter who desires free coinage can contribute to that result is through support of Democrats who are committed to the silver cause.

Every voter, therefore, of the second district, who thinks it important that free coinage of silver be carried, should vote for Bennett, the democratic nominee. He alone is in position to render available service to that cause.

Likewise, every voter who opposes free coinage of silver should refuse to vote for Ellis, because Ellis supports free coinage, as a demagogue, when his party is against it; and it is time measures were taken to enforce honest dealing on this all-important subject. Gold-standard men cannot vote for Ellis, because they detect false pretenses, and know how important it is that the attack in congress on the money standard shall cease. Silver-standard men should not vote for Ellis, because he can do their cause no good, and they cannot wish to be fooled and deceived. If they wish to make their votes for silver effective, Bennett is their man.

Honest and straightforward dealing in this matter, as in all others, is the essential thing. Let us have an end of pretenses, delusions and humbugs, so that votes may be placed just where they belong.—Oregonian, April 20.

[Ellis and Tongue are the Oregon Republican nominees for congress on the national bimetallic platform of 1892. If the Oregonian is a Republican paper, and if it still has influence with Republicans, it must know that its advice to the silver Republicans in Eastern Oregon will also be considered advice to silver Republicans in Western Oregon. The logic of the above is self-contradictory. What the Oregonian is really working for is to defeat both Republican congressmen from Oregon, and Senator Mitchell, as well. The people will not obey its command in this respect. They will elect the very men the Oregonian would destroy, because it cannot rule them.—EDITOR JOURNAL.]

Harvey Scott is in favor of executions. Mrs. Maybrick was not hanged quickly enough to suit; her friends are so rash as to hope she may never be hanged. That is an outrage when there is a chance to hang a woman and it is not done! That is a text for the Oregonian to grind tapeworm editorials upon, calling for the enforcement of English law. Harvey Scott, the Portland editor, is never quite satisfied with American law. He wants English law, because it is more severe, because more people are hung, more are imprisoned, fewer are pardoned. So poor Mrs. Maybrick catches it away off here in Oregon. She should be hung and so should all her friends be hung for ever-daring to hope for mercy!

The Oregonian couldn't dictate the money plank of the Republican platform, and because of that fact is very wrathful and will use its influence to defeat the party, being already engaged in making war upon Mr. Ellis, the congressional nominee from the second district. It wants an exclusive gold standard man to come out and run against Ellis. Well, suppose that were done; and then suppose all favorable to silver in the first district should swing to Vanderberg or Myers, where would Mr. Tongue be? The retaliation idea has defeated many a good man outside of Oregon and it may do it here. As a promoter of the best interests of the Republican party, the Oregonian knocks them all silly.—Valley Transcript.

The Statesman should let up on its abuse of Binger Hermann. It made Mr. Ford's candidacy impossible. It should not embarrass Mr. Tongue. In a private letter received from Mr. Hermann, he has expressed the hope that congress will adjourn early enough to allow him to return home and "take part in the campaign for Mr. Tongue's election." What more does the Statesman want?

Proposed Fusion in Georgia.

There is more than a possibility that the Republicans and Populists of Georgia will this year try to capture the state, as the Republicans and Populists of North Carolina captured that state in the last election. Talk of fusion has gone on until there is a probability that it will be effected, it, indeed, it has not already been agreed upon. C. H. Ellington ex-president of the state alliance, and John T. West are both in touch with Tom Watson, who is the boss of the Populist in the state. Mr. Ellington and Mr. West have been interviewed by the Atlanta Journal, and both express themselves in favor of fusion. This they should not do without the boss's consent to the scheme.

Nominally the fusion is to be upon the state issue of honest elections, while actually it will be in the interest of free silver and a division of the spoils. It is said the plan is to give the Republicans the governor to succeed to Atkinson, and the Populist the senator to succeed Gordon. The Journal's correspondent at Thomson, who saw Ellington and West says the deal has been made and that all that is lacking now is a completion of the details and the ratification of the bargain by the bosses of the respective parties.

The Illinois legislature has passed a primary law. One weak point is that the central-committee of parties may elect whether to hold their primaries under the provisions of the new law or not. Perhaps this is a necessary tribute paid to bossism, in order to secure the passage of the law and likely the observance will be made mandatory at a subsequent legislature. A good point is the enforced division of primary voting districts, so that not more than 800 voters will be in a district. Canvass of the votes must be publicly conducted.—Oregonian

The above from a Portland paper is written by the editor with a knowledge that Oregon has about the worst primary law that could be drawn. It was drawn to legalize twenty years of Jo Simon's corrupt practices in that city.

The Republican party in Oregon is in a bad way. The truth must be told. It is without leadership for the people, and it is without a respectable machine leadership. Either of these may develop, however. In the meantime the people are preparing to act. They will stand by men who do their duty and who give the people to understand that they are with them on the vital principles of protection and genuine bimetallicism. To these principles the Republican party stands committed without leadership.

Again the committee on fire and water appoint an engineer without consulting Fire Chief Hutton. It is believed that Fire Chief Hutton understands his business. The property owners have confidence in Mr. Hutton. Then why should the committee select men for him unless he has confidence in them? It is time to quit fooling with this question if we are to have an efficient Fire Department and low rates of insurance.

The gold bugs tried to run a radical anti-silver resolution through the state convention, but were promptly voted down. Ex-Senator Dolph introduced the resolution.—Tillamook Headlight.

Salem should have a higher quality of fire fighting, or she will have a higher rate of insurance.

Cheaper fire protection means higher insurance.

Did You Ever... Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exert a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have loss of Appetite, Constipation, Headache, Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spell, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by its use. Fifty cents and \$1.00. Fred A. Legg's Drug Store

Children Cry for Pitcher's Oastoria.

FOR A THIRD TERM

Declaration of the Bay State Democrats.

GROVER FOR PRESIDENT

Ex-Governor William Russell is Re-Nominated.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—The rolling booths were opened at 6 a. m. today and voting is going on quietly. No disturbance is reported from any section of the state. The election today is for state, city and parochial offices.

CLEVELAND AND RUSSELL

BOSTON, April 21.—With an enthusiasm almost surpassing that noted at the recent state convention of the Republicans of Massachusetts, when Thomas B. Reed was endorsed as a presidential candidate, the Democrats of this state today set their approval upon Cleveland for president, and named ex-Governor William Russell as their choice for nomination to be his successor.

CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

John E. Thayer, of Worcester, the permanent chairman in his address took ground against free coinage of silver. "The true interests of all our people," he said, "who cannot constantly and closely observe the money market, is to have every dollar issued or authorized by government to be at times and in all its uses an exact unchanging equivalent, not only in debt paying, but in the purchasing power of any dollar. Of what avail is it to pass resolutions for a single gold standard if, as it now appears is quite probable, McKinley is to receive the nomination for president. The people well know that McKinley has a long, consistent and uninterrupted record, while in congress, favorable to silver." Thayer denounced the American Protective association which he compared to "fungus growth that sprang from and took root, flourished and fructified in the very heart of the Republican party." Thayer closed his address with an eulogy upon the administration of President Cleveland.

RUSSELL FOR PRESIDENT.

At the mention of William Eustis Russell's name, as the choice of the Democracy for president, a mighty cheer went up, which was repeated again and again.

CLEVELAND A CANDIDATE.

CHICAGO, April 21.—In an interview today comptroller of the currency Eckles said: "I do not know positively about President Cleveland's intentions or wishes relative to the presidency, but my impression is, he feels that there is a reason why he should be willing to enter another presidential canvass."

THE RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS

PROVIDENCE, R. I. April 21.—The Democratic convention to choose eight delegates for the national convention, assembled today. There was but little enthusiasm and many towns not represented. The platform adopted endorses the administration of Grover Cleveland. It continues: "It is vital to the interests of our people that there should be no departure from the gold standard to which all money, whether gold, silver, or paper should conform, and we are opposed to free coinage of silver until at least four of the great powers of the western world shall come to an international agreement."

RHODE ISLAND FOR RUSSELL.

The platform commends to the delegates at the Chicago convention one who will make an ideal president, William E. Russell of Massachusetts. Mention of Ex-Governor Russell's name called forth a great demonstration.

ANTI-SILVER DEMOCRATS.

DALLAS, TEX., April 21.—The Texas Democrats opposed to silver, met in a state conference at Dallas today. Upwards of three hundred delegates are present. It looks as if a full state ticket, congressional candidates, and possibly members of the legislature will be determined on, if the national convention adopts an anti-free silver platform.

TACOMA'S MAYOR.

TACOMA, Wn., April 21.—A. V. Fawcett has qualified as mayor without opposition this morning, notwithstanding E. S. Orr took the oath of office last night. Orr will depend on the courts for seating him.

The superior court enjoined Fawcett from appointing a commissioner of public works, and the council refused to confirm his other appointments.

The State Prison.

Walter Lyon writes in the Oregonian today:

The governor today made a personal inspection of the state penitentiary premises relative to some contemplated expenditures in the way of improvements. Superintendent Gilbert maintains that the proper oversight of the premises requires a policy different from that pursued by his predecessor. It will be remembered ex-Superintendent Downing turned back into the state treasury part of the penitentiary appropriation. This it is claimed was done to the neglect of needed repairs and improvements. The decayed condition of the wooden flume, rickety sheds, the weather-beaten window frames of the hospital, a partly caved-in bakeoven, and a lack of drainage is pointed out as evidence. Considerable repairing has been done by Superintendent Gilbert. To make it possible to drain the penitentiary lands he has made a ditch through the asylum lands adjacent, and at a lower level. The ditch is about three-fourths of a mile long, five feet wide at the top, and three feet at the bottom, with an average depth of four feet. It is the intention to make this the outlet for a system of tilling by means of which the penitentiary farm is to be thoroughly drained. Mr. Gilbert estimates that by allowing repairing and needed improvements to go by default, of the \$25,000 general appropriation, he could turn back from \$8000 to 10,000 this year. Of the \$18,000 appropriated by the last legislature, only \$300 more than one-half has been used to date. This includes paid-for eatables to last until July. The appropriations for general purposes by the legislature of 1893 was \$50,000. Out of that appropriation each discharged convict was allowed \$5 in cash, a \$15 suit of clothes, and mileage to some destination within the state. The last legislature, failing to make any provisions for released prisoners, its management has the advantage of the \$5, and about \$8 on each suit, besides the mileage expense, making approximately \$20 on each released convict. During the year the saving thus made is something over \$2000.

Loss of Sheep.

Speaking of the loss sustained to sheep raisers, occasioned by the inclemency of the weather, the Heppner Gazette says: "N. A. Kelley says he will not save over 75 to 80 per cent but many think they will be fortunate if they get out with 40 to 60 per cent. William Pennland, who has 30,000 head of sheep, will lose not less than 7000 to 8000 head of lambs."

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The Best Cathartic.

SOUTH SALEM, Ore., March 26, 1896.—We are greatly pleased with the paper dolls which were sent for one trade mark from Hood's Pills and ten cents in stamps. I have derived great benefit from the use of Hood's Pills. They are the best cathartic that I have ever tried.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla is the one true blood purifier.

Holverson's 50 cent waists are the talk of the town.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Meeting Called. The county Republican central committee and the candidates on the Republican ticket are hereby called to meet at the hall over the post office in Salem, at 2 p. m., Saturday, April 25. G. W. Davis, Chairman.

WASHED AWAY.

Great Damage to Railroad by a Nebraska Flood.

MOOREFIELD, Neb., April 21.—Details of a flood which occurred in this section of the state on Saturday night show that it did great damage. The scene of the greatest damage is on the Burlington & Missouri, four miles west of Farnum. The damage to railroad property far exceed any idea entertained before the full effects of the extent of the storm were realized.

Where the greatest damage occurred, the track follows a deep cut, starting at the end of Plum creek canyon. The torrent of water came through the canyon with frightful velocity. When it reached the point where the canyon intersects the railroad track, the current was diverted through the deep cut. The railroad track, ties and roadbed were swept down the stream like so much driftwood. At the west end of the cut, the topography of the country changes abruptly and instead of a deep cut, there is a fill 75 feet high and 200 feet long. The embankment was completely washed away. The steel rails were bent and twisted by the violence of the storm as if they were so many pieces of lead, and big drainage tiles, weighing 1,000 pounds, were torn out of the ground, in which they were originally buried 75 feet deep and washed down the canyon for a distance of 400 yards.

All traffic is suspended. Wrecking crews are at work on both ends of the washout. About half a mile of the roadbed has been washed away, but the wrecking crews will construct a temporary track for immediate use. All westbound trains are stopped at Curtis, and those eastbound stop at Eustis. The damage to property of farmers in the valley cannot yet be ascertained. No lives were lost, so far as known.

Fighting in Khartoum.

CAIRO, April 21.—Dispatches received today from the front say there has been fierce fighting at Omdurman near Khartoum, headquarters of the Khalifa. It is said 500 of the Khalifa's bodyguard have been killed. A general feeling of unrest prevails among the Khalifa's forces. The work of sending troops to the front for building a strategic railroad and fortifying Akasha is being carried on with admirable promptness and machine-like smoothness.

Umatilla Indians Want Money.

PENDELTON, Or., April 21.—Over 200 Indians held an excited council today at the Umatilla agency regarding the payment to them of \$14,000 appropriated by the government. The majority want the principal and interest, instead of the interest alone, as provided by congress. There is general dissatisfaction among the Indians, and Agent G. W. Harper has sent a communication to Washington to ascertain what can be done.

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TORNADO IN OHIO.

Two Killed and Many Others Injured.

FREMONT, O., April 21.—A tornado accompanied by a heavy rainfall swept over the northwestern part of Sandusky county about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, killing two persons, injuring a number of others, and doing great damage to buildings and other property.

The tornado came from the southwest with great fury, and every tree and building in its path was swept away. After smashing a road bridge and blowing a big tree across a Wheeling & Lake Erie freight train, which crushed the caboose, and came near killing a number of trainmen, the wind began to play havoc with farm buildings.

The barns of Jacob Engler, J. E. Hoffinger, Upton Burger and Anthony Swift first went down by it. Then the house of James Green was destroyed. Green's aged father, William L. Green was killed outright. His wife was fatally hurt, and the baby carried across the road in its cradle. The child escaped uninjured. Next the barn of Amos Harrick, in which Harrick and John Low were shearing sheep, was crushed. Low was blown across a field against a tree, being instantly killed. Other buildings destroyed were the barns of Al Fairchild, William Henson, Perry Parish, George Waggoner and Charles Tucker. Tucker's child was badly hurt.

A Sheriff Shoots.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 21.—Bob Kennedy, sheriff of Dallas, county, today shot Percy Wood fatally, and inflicted serious wounds on the latter's brother Mardis, at the depot here, in the presence of a large number of delegates to the Democratic convention.

Pearl Bryan Trial.

NEWPORT, Ky., April 21.—The trial of Scott Jackson, for the murder of Pearl Bryan, began today, the court room being jammed, but the utmost decorum was observed. Before noon nine juries were in box.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve

The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Sores, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever and all Tetter, Chapped hands, Chilblains, Bruises, Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to Live per cent satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For sale by Fred A. Legg.

JOINT DEBATE.—At Rickey school-house, on Tuesday evening, April 28, between W. S. McRen of Clackamas county, and Frank Davey, of Salem, and the question of the Initiative and Referendum.

THE BEST CAKES.—All kinds of cakes, the best in quality in the city, and cheaper than elsewhere, at Westcott & Irwin's restaurant.

Get your ready to wear skirts at Holverson's. They fit. Money back if you want it.

CLAY WORSTEDS.—All wool 15 ounce worsteds made up in frock and sack suits, only \$10 at G. W. Johnson & Son's.

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PROPOSALS FOR WOOD.

Sealed bids for furnishing wood for school district No. 24 will be received at the office of the clerk not later than 6 o'clock p. m. on May 15, 1896. Wood to be delivered on or before September 1, 1896, as follows: East Salem, 170 cords fir and 40 cords oak; Park school, 70 cords fir and 13 cords oak; Lincoln school, 60 cords fir and 13 cords oak; North school, 65 cords fir and 13 cords oak; Central school, 10 cords fir and 16 cords oak. All wood must be four feet in length, reasonably straight and corded closely. The fir must be large or body wood, and the oak must be split oak and not grub wood. All wood must be first class or it will not be accepted. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

H. A. JOHNSON, Chairman, SCOTT BOZORTH, Clerk. 4-21-13-96

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