

BY HOFER BROTHERS.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 1896.

The club to use in politics is the club that circulates literature.

A minority on the side of God and the poor is always respectable.

Circulate silver literature. If you would circulate silver by and bye.

The Bryan clubs are being organized without a sack, a boss or a machine.

There is but one way to beat Mark Hanna. Vote for Bryan and Watson.

There is no middle of the road between Bryan and McKinley in Oregon.

If there was a crime of 1873, what are you doing to correct the outrage?

The Oregonian is dreadfully afraid the silver forces in Oregon will not be harmonious.

Fiery David Burr Chase, who was treated so fairly in the Oregonian, writes in this issue.

Our friend C. B. Moores says it was all a lie about the crime of 1873. That ought to settle it.

The boy orator of the Platte is the significant title of Bryan. Platte is the Spanish word for silver.

Uncle Sam's mails continue to be interfered with by tons of Mark Hanna's literature for free distribution.

Sylvester Penoyer's only campaign speech will be delivered at Salem September 5. It will be in his own style.

Salem's new street commissioner was actually seen working today. Such conduct is a reflection on a public official!

There is something appropriate in selecting an undertaker to sit on the remains of anyone so politically dead as Hon. T. T. Geer.

The Republicans of Salem should console themselves with the thought that in the next city election they will have Brother Grannis's moral support.

If the Oregonian says you are crazy, that settles it. You should at once betake yourself to the asylum and stay there until the Oregonian lets you out.

The underground railway between the public treasury and the banks, is doing a heavy traffic in this campaign. Other railroad business continues light.

Don't mistake the sound money men at the Bryan ratification. The fifty-cents on the dollar Popocrats should not fail to raise all their money in advance.

Of course, the Salem Statesman has retracted the lie about Bryan's being in the employ of the silver mine owners. No one has seen it, but it has been done.

McKinley's letter of acceptance acknowledges that the money question is the only issue. Of course, Messrs. Ford and Geer will continue to differ with him.

The following is the remarkable argument used by an ardent Republican in a threshing crew near town the other day. "We don't want Bryan in because he is the friend of the d---n tramps." Bryan is a friend of everybody, but he does not give up his convictions for the friendship of rich or poor.

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MITCHELL AND BARKLEY.

The gold standard organs are hastening to the support and laudation of Senator Mitchell, the pioneer advocate of free coinage on the Pacific coast. It is their custom to heap such flatteries on a man whose neck they wish to break politically, and the senior Oregon senator is not wise if he is deceived thereby.

In the same column is renewed the demand that Hon. H. L. Barkley resign as Republican member of the legislature from Marion county. They would slaughter a man whom they could not defeat in the primaries, at the convention, or at the polls. They would make senator the man whom in January last told them they might as well expect to build a railroad to the planet Mars, as try to get international bimetalism with the consent of England.

Senator Mitchell will open his speaking campaign for McKinley at Woodburn, the home of the Marion county man who told the Republicans that if they made a gold standard platform he would not stand upon it and who has kept his word. Senator Mitchell will show the silver Republicans how they can stand upon a gold standard platform—how to build a railroad to the planet Mars! Barkley isn't as smart a man as Mitchell.

Senator Mitchell has undoubtedly the right to construe the McKinley platform. He has a right to convince Democrats, Populists and Republicans that the McKinley platform is constructed of pure silver sixteen to one. But he has no right to build that railroad to the planet Mars after he said it could never be done. Bryan and Barkley will favor putting an injunction on building it.

FOR BRYAN AND WATSON.

The union electoral ticket in Oregon is instructed and pledged for Bryan and Watson. This was brought about at Portland Aug. 25th and the Bryan and Watson ticket will be composed of two People's party electors, one Democratic elector, and one American Bimetallic party elector. The agreement as to the men is not yet perfected, as some are still refusing to withdraw who have already filed their acceptance. But no doubt, the perfected Bryan and Watson electoral ticket is an accomplished fact.

A spirit of justice, fairness and moderation prevailed throughout the conference. Both the People's party and the Bryan Democracy were willing to concede an elector to the silver Republicans. Wise counsel and harmony prevailed and the result will be an union of forces against the gold standard in Oregon. There will be but two electoral tickets in the field.

In the Mines.

ON THE TRAIL, Aug. 22, 1896.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—We reached Popso ranch on the 19th inst., and found the miners at work on a new trail that will shorten the trip to Gold creek over three miles of very hard climbing over the Henline mountains. We unpacked, camped and proceeded to dig, and we have completed the trail one-half mile east of Henline creek. When this trail is completed to Gold creek it will save a distance of at least four miles hard traveling, and when the wagon road is built it will go over this same trail. An expert of the Salt Lake Mining company has just been in Gold creek. He pronounces the ore first-class and says if a road was built it would not be long until smelters and stamp mills would be coming.

A new ledge has been discovered since I went out that gives promise of very rich ore. Messrs. Reeves, Wilmot and Pearson, of Salem, dropped in on us this morning on their way to Gold creek. They preferred to go over the old trail to waiting.

Much credit for opening this rich field is due to Messrs. Tempero, Dawes and Harris, of Mill City, who have some very fine claims at Mineral Harbor east of Gold creek three miles. An immense fire was raging on the mountains south of here last night. Our health is fine. Arthur says he can digest boulders now, and Herbert ditto.

The Reeves Bros. and Hart Bros. are working on their machine for crushing ore. ERASTUS.

OUR ILLINOIS LETTER.

(Continued from first page.)

MUST CARRY ILLINOIS TO WIN.

This belief was probably the one which induced Mr. Bryan to desire a Democratic headquarters at Chicago. Illinois is looked upon, by many politicians, as the state which will be the most bitterly fought for and which will decide the election. Nearly all western politicians, like Mr. Stevens, are of this opinion. They count on a solid south and west, and they believe that somehow or other Illinois must be won to win the day. Mr. Stevens added: "I shall devote all of my time to pushing the work of the campaign, sending out appropriate literature and urging the formation of silver clubs everywhere. Our work will chiefly be among those who have formerly affiliated with the Republicans and only differ on the one point of finance. The main basis of our routine work, will be the organization of silver clubs. This is now well under way, more than 1,000 having already been organized, with a large membership.

The outlook is so doubtful as to who will carry Illinois, and causing both sides at this stage uneasiness, at same time the tide for silver was so strong, that Dr. Jamieson of the Central Committee had almost given up the fight, had the election occurred at that period. The following from the New York Herald contains information in a nutshell.

McKINLEY HAS NO WALKOVER.

The plain truth about the national campaign is that Chairman Mark Hanna, when he returned from the west, although he wore a smiling face and openly said everything was going well, brought the news for the eastern members of the executive committee that the outlook is far from satisfactory. Mr. Hanna will not for one moment concede defeat in any of the states that go to make up the battle ground for honest money, but he told every friend with whom he talked privately that the fight was a hard one, and that the ticket could only be elected by the most tremendous exertions, continued every day from now until Nov. 3.

"The great battle ground is compact. It includes the states of Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Nebraska, and Kentucky. The Republican national committee is going in with a determination to win them all. The reports received about Illinois being solid for McKinley by 80,000 are put out for the benefit of the marines. Unless the situation changes between now and October, no living man will be able to tell with confidence in his predictions how Illinois will vote."

A Swedish club of 150 members has been organized at Princeton, showing that nationality is taking interest in America's chief precious metal product. At Monmouth, Ill., August 17.

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