

The Weekly Chronicle.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF WASCO COUNTY.

AMERICANISM TRIUMPHANT.

Americans throughout the length and breadth of the land have cause for sincere rejoicing today over the result of the contest in two great representative states. Ohio is representative of the distinctive American policy of protection as perfected by Wm. McKinley, and in Illinois is contained the heart of the foreign riffraff who assume to dominate the native born in the law-making and executive functions. Both have given such majorities as are unmistakably indicative of the spirit and the ability to yet govern their interests.

Further cheering news comes from the Empire state, which elected Bartlett judge of the court of appeals and a majority on joint ballot in the legislature. Iowa returns an old-fashioned republican majority and our dispatches tell the story of victory all along the line.

General Harrison says: "I am much gratified with the result of the elections." Quite natural.

The voters Tuesday throughout the states have said as plainly as words could make it: Give us back the prosperity of the days when republicans ruled the land.

The democrats could not have expected other than defeat when they so shamefully betrayed their incapacity to legislate in the special session of congress just closed. They couldn't agree on anything, and but for the aid of the republican minority nothing would have been done yet.

Wheat yesterday reached a lower point than ever before in the history of Oregon since the 40's, when in the absence of gold and silver, it was a legal tender in payment of all debts and the only circulating medium.

Cleveland, with all his whipper-in abilities, is but a single man. If his party would have but acknowledged him as their leader, their general defeat at the polls might not have occurred. But they were not on his side, and they wrangled together like cats and dogs, defeating every plan of work.

A Portland democratic evening daily heads its election dispatches "Got it in the neck." The slang is very apropos. The "change" having come, with values down and thousands being fed by charity, the voters of the country could not help contrasting the situation with the bountiful days under republicanism, and with the same strength a man tanshing for food is given at a fortunate moment, they grasped the implement of gullotinic propensities—the ballot—and gave it to the democrats "where the chicken got the ax."

Now that the country is safe, let us have a little reconstruction, or as an esteemed paternal relative would say, let us organize. The senate, which so long delayed legislation, was hindered by a very small fraction of the people though their representatives seemed to magnify their number to a respectable opposition. Oregon, with 313,767 people, has two senators. Three other states, with a combined population of only 190,851 people, have six senators. A senator from Nevada, casting 9,800 votes, has as much to say as one from Oregon, casting thirty times that number. Let us look into the matter a little further.

representing 11,000,000 people, contend with forty-four senators from twenty-two states, representing the same number of people. Eleven million people who have forty-four senators, are contrasted with fifty million who have the same representation. Twenty-nine million people have sixty-eight senators from thirty-four small states, and thirty-two million have but twenty senators from ten other states.

Medical ethics are often beyond the comprehension of the average person. An extraordinary incident is reported from Olympia. The wife of a farmer six miles from town was about to be confined. They had no close neighbors, so the husband left the wife alone and went to the city for the family physician. The latter was out on another case, and the husband sought other medical skill. He scoured the town in search of a physician to take the case. Five ethical gentlemen declined to respond, but No. 6 yielded to the earnest solicitation of the alarmed husband and went along with him.

Mr Van Allen, outside of his monodie, his Prince of Wales beard, his marriage into the Astor family, his tully-ho coach and his \$50,000 contribution of last fall, has not made any mark in the world. For the first time, a man absolutely without qualifications, in return for a money consideration, has been named as our minister to the foreign court, which at least has the right to expect, if we are going to be represented there at all, that the representative should be a man of some public reputation at home.

Is there anything unreasonable in this matter of government aid to country roads, asks the Willapa Pilot. Foreign countries get their good roads in this way and the Pilot believes it is the proper way. Let the counties do what they can and the states do what they can and the general government do the rest. There is not a river or harbor in the United States that needs improving one half as bad as the roads do.

"Mark Twain," when in New York, lives at the quiet Players' club. He has a room in the top of the house, and there he works and smokes as free from interruption as when at home in Hartford. Mr. Clemens' hair, which was once as black as a crow's feathers, is now silvery, but still abundant.

In regard to the recent offer of Emperor William to furnish a country house for Bismarck an exchange says: The consideration and kindness which the German Emperor shows for Bismarck is not very great, when it is taken into consideration that Bismarck furnished most of the grandeur which the emperor enjoys. William would have been very small potatoes had it not been for Bismarck. Offering the faithful servant the use of any of his palaces is, under the circumstances, somewhat equivalent to kindness of the traveler, who finding himself and dog in a wild country and out of provisions, cut off the dog's tail, broiled it for supper, giving the poor cartailed quadruped the bone.

The British are killing the poor, defenseless Matabele by the thousands. The savages cannot cope with them, but die as cheerfully for their country as if they were civilized. Meanwhile trouble is looked for in India. It is the general opinion the natives are growing restive under British rule, and it is believed it will take only a small spark to kindle the fire of a revolution that will be far-reaching in its consequences.

Here is a great stimulus from the Arlington Record: If the Good Lord or Grover Cleveland or the crazy governor of Oregon can show us anything to be thankful for as a nation or state, we will send him or them a copy of the Record free with postage paid.

The continued rise in the price of silver since the passage of the repeal bill is something the quack financiers did not anticipate. If the rise keeps up at the present rate, within a year silver will be worth more than gold.—Telegram. Since the silver advocates are the ones who claimed they would lose so much with the passage of the repeal bill, we suppose the Telegram refers to them as the quacks. Anyway, it is a pretty good admission to make.

The administration has developed a bad case of crank scare since the assassination of Mayor Harrison, of Chicago. Ever since Mr. Cleveland was inaugurated his every move outside of his private apartments has been watched by private detectives, and this week the force of detectives has been doubled. Somehow the idea has got out that Mr. Cleveland has a morbid fear of assassination at the hands of some crank.

MARKET REPORT.

Butter Declines Sharply—Wheat as Low as It Can Get.

FRIDAY, Nov. 10.—The markets are very dull in all lines, and the same can be said of business and trade. The merchants complain of a limited traffic, which is confined to a local or city demand for a home consumption. The provision and produce traffic, owing to the large supply, is very dull. The only thing noticeable is a decline in fresh butter and is quoted at 40 to 50 cents per roll.

Poultry is steady at former quotations. Our dealers in the city say turkeys are quoted at 7 and 8 cents per pound dressed.

The grain market is as near the bottom as it is possible for it to get. The Portland market quotation is 49 to 50 cents per bushel, a price never known on the coast since the discovery of gold in California. The European markets, from advices received, indicate a dull and sluggish condition. Russia is sending her surplus wheat into English and French markets, and the bears are using the influence of it, to their advantage, which controlled as it is, depresses American markets.

WHEAT—42 to 45c per bu.

BARLEY—Prices are up to 75 to 80c cents per 100 lbs.

OATS—The oat market is light at 80 to 90 cents per 100 lbs.

MILKSTUFFS—Brand and shorts are quoted at \$18.00 per ton, middlings \$22.50 to \$23.00 per ton. Rolled barley, \$23.00 to \$24.00 per ton. Shelled corn \$1.25 per 100 lbs.

FLOUR—Salmon mills flour is quoted at \$4.25 per barrel. Diamond brand at \$3.00 per bbl. per ton and \$3.50 per bbl. retail.

HAY—Timothy hay ranges in price from \$12.00 per ton, according to quality and condition. Wheat hay is in full stock on a limited demand at \$8.00 to \$10.00 per ton.

POTATOES—40 to 50c per 100 lbs.

BUTTER—Fresh roll butter at 40 to 50 cents per roll, in brine or dry salt we quote 30 to 40 cents per roll.

EGGS—Good fresh eggs sell at 25 to 27 1/2 cents.

POULTRY—Chickens are quoted at \$1.75 to \$2.25. Old fowls \$3.00 per dozen.

BEEF & MUTTON—Beef cattle are in better demand at \$2.00 per 100 weight gross to \$2.25 for extra good. Mutton is now quoted at \$2.25 per head. Pork offerings are light and prices are nominal gross weight and 1/4 to 5 cents dressed.

COFFEE—Costa Rica, is quoted at 24c per lb., by the sack. Salvadore, 23 1/2c. Arabica, 25c.

SUGAR—Golden C. in bbls or sack 85 5/8; Extra C. 86 1/2; Dry granulated 85 88 in boxes, D. G., in 30 lb boxes, 82 7/8. Ex C., 82 25. GC \$200.

RICE—Japan rice, 6 1/2 @ 7c; Island, rice, 7 cts.

BEANS—Small whites, 4 1/2 @ 5 1/2c; Pink, 5c per 100 lbs.

LIVERPOOL, 50lb sk, 65c; 100lb sk, \$1.00; 200lb sk, \$2.00. Stock salt, \$13.50 per ton.

DRYED FRUITS—Italian prunes, 12c per lb, by box. Evaporated apples, 10c @ 12 1/2c per lb. Dried grapes, 7 @ 10c per pound.

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SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco. A. D. Bolton Plaintiff.

10th day of November, 1893, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint.

FRANK D. GILLESPIE, Plaintiff. E. Hunt and W. H. Butler, Defendants. The Plaintiff is bound to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the first day of the regular term of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Wasco County, next following the date hereof, to-wit, on or before the 10th day of November, 1893.

Estray Taken Up. One black pony, branded either 5 or 8 on left hind leg.

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