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### NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET



For President. WILLIAM M'KINLEY .....

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Never was a more grievous wrong done Never was a more grievous wrong take the farmers of our country than that so unjustly inflicted during the past three years upon the wool growers. Although among our most useful citizens, their interests have been practically destroyed.
--McKinley's letter of acceptance.

### BRYAN'S ABSURDITY.

his auditors inquired:

free silver?"

gold standard?

Auditor-I am.

Bryan-Tell me why?

a dollar.

Bryan-Why, I will tell you. Because of its value. The reason the can convert the bullion into a dollar at the mint.

Now apply Bryan's answer to 4124 grains of copper, iron or aluminum, or all of these metals, and then would the world be rich indeed. If you can make 4124 grains of silver, now worth 53 cents, worth 100 cents, then can you make 4121 grains of copper, now worth less than two cents, worth one dollar. If we can do it with one, then can we with all. The whole argument reduces itself to an absurdity.

can platform this year, without di United States was the most prosper- weighed a little over twenty pounds, candidate in China, Japan or Mexico been forgotten; the policies he is adous nation on the globe from 1888 and Mr. Silverman begged for gold. this might work, but it never will in vocating will be referred to as "the to 1892, and during that time it experienced greater prosperity than at like the above with an unprejudiced equivalent to every other dollar A same strain.

Yes, as Bryan says, "The people dollar. are interested in the plank in our

Chicago riots. They are deeply in- mony of people residing in the vicin- ERNEST SEYD AND THE CRIME.

FALSE IN FACT AND IN USE. gon place its trust?

We are told that the annual production of gold is insufficient to meet the demands of the world for coinage purposes; that the total production of gold in the world in 1895 was \$203,000,000; that only onethird of this is devoted to coinage, and the rapidly increasing population of the world is decreasing the per capita of gold, and therefore enhancing its value. The whole argument is based upon the proposition that the use of gold is consumption of it; that the demand for gold for coinage purposes is the annihilation of that amount of metal. The fact is that about sixty per cent, according to United States treasury statistics, of gold is used; for coinage. A very small percentage of gold is lost to the world by abrosion, etc. The quantity of gold subject to compopulation.

But the whole argument of the silverite, built upon these quotations of gold production, is misleading in other ways than by misstatements. They leave out of consideration en-At New London, Conn., Bryan tirely the extensive use of other vesterday run across a Yankee who means of representing value. Thus, punctured his soap bubble as neatly for example, in the United States, as as it has ever been done. One of in every country having a gold coin. a large amount of silver is used with "Where will we be when we get gold. Improved means in banking transaction and exchange are all the Bryan- Are you in favor of a time rendering the actual use of money less and less necessary or convenient. For every commercial transaction involving a value of \$1, Auditor-Because I believe it is where coin or other money is used, the best for the country. Every there are transactions by means of nation will accept a gold dollar for checks, bills of exchange and drafts

gold dollar and bullion are worth of gold to supply the moretary dethe same is because the law says you mand is false in fact, and more false in the manner in which it is made by

have been unable to dispose of. The payment of small checks for fruit, produce and wheat always requires great amount of small change. About a week ago the banks here sent to the sub treasury at San Francisco and received a large amount of silver, the government delivering it, without charge, at The Dalles. A No more absolute falsehood ever few days ago a wearer of a 16 to 1 passed the lips of a man than this badge stepped into the bank with a utterance of Mr. Bryan at Lynn, check for \$350. The cashier brought Mass., on Monday: "Falling prices to the counter a tray containing mean hard times. Hard times never about that amount of silver. The have been advocated in a platform sixteen-to-oner's eyes started out by any party, although the Republi- of their sockets as he exclaimed aires; the people against the bond-"And have I got to take that?" The holders." This is all there is to rectly saying so, promises to continue cashier, with a sober face, replied Bryan's speeches, and all he cares the hard times and make them that he supposed that was exactly for. His only hope is to win votes harder." Mr. Bryan knows that the what was wanted. The \$350 through prejudice. If he were a

"You cannot find a correct definiany time in its history. If Mr. tion of an honest dollar in the speech Bryan were talking to a lot of peo- of any of the advccates of the gold ple who knew absolutely nothing of standard."-Bryan. Well, little boy dent Harrison paid off \$296,000,000 this nation's history, there would be orator, here is one: An honest dol some excuse, upon the ground of the lar is a dollar which, in all respects, all the running expenses of the govimportance to himself of getting is equivalent to the dollar for which ernment, and turned over to the inthere at any cost, for this kind of it is exchanged; a dollar paid by a coming administration a surplus of talk; but as it is, he will be believed debtor equivalent to the dollar re- over \$124,000,000. Then no one by none who are seeking the truth, ceived when the debt was contracted; was urging free coinage outside of Every man who listens to utterances a dollar that bears with it value a few silver mine-owners. mind will vote against the man who dollar which is of less purchasing uttered them. We hope, for the power than the dollar we borrow to- Republicrats of Idaho are having a good of McKinley's cause, that day is a dishonest dollar when our monkey and parrot time, while the Bryan will talk on forever in the creditor is compelled by law to take Republicans are united and making it in payment of that borrowed a splendid canvass. The result will

The United States court has platform which declares against what finally decided that if sheep injure is known as government by injunc- the forests by being pastured in the armies are supporting McKinley; tion." The people ARE deeply in- reservation, the owners should be en- the southern Democracy are greeting terested in having the federal gov- joined from taking them there. Bryan with the rebel yell; but the ernment protect the United States This settles the question adversely to North will have the aid in this conmails and inter-state commerce from the sheepmen, because the United test of a portion of the South, and mob rule, just as it did during the States courts will disregard all testi- will again prevail.

terested in having a government ity, and will undoubtedly be governed strong enough, and a man at its by the reports of the special agents, head wise and courageous enough, to who during the summer have been resist social and political combus- taking their recreation at the mounttion, and see to it that sedition and ain resorts. The only hope for the viclence do not gain ascendency. sheep owners is in a new administra-The people should, and do take a tion which believes that the sheep great interest in the idea promul- industry is entitled to some considgated by the portion of the boy eration. In this particular Bryan is orator's platform which he refers to. on record, and so is the Republican party. In which will Eastern Ore-

> Our Populistic friends are deeply concerned because "'Boss' Hanna is running so many free trains into guished writer and bullionist, who is now here and has given great attention McKinley." There is no need of after examining the first draft of this concern in that respect. 'Boss' bill, made various sensible suggestions, Hanna is not running trains, he is bodied in this bill." managing a campaign, and doing it was made by Mr. Hooper why Mr. Seyd was before the committee, or how he running into Canton; the several came to be in America, and all the inrailroads leading thither have an agreed excursion rate of a single fare for the round trip. Again, crowds Gazette:
> "In 1872 silver was being demonetized by the silv Kinley: they go because they want to see and hear a statesman. They have seen and heard enough of of the foreign bond holders and capital-Bryan, and they want to look further ists to effect the same object, which was before voting for him.

The silver mints of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Utah, Nemercial and financial usage is in- vada, Colorado and California, if furnish employment for half as many men as all the manufactures on the Atlantic coast. These men would receive better wages than do the artisans in the mills of the East, hence would become greater consumers .-Mountaineer.

simply dreaming that Bryan was elected, and he was trying to coin America, then, should hesitate to enwhich had gone out of circulation.

The tariff is an issue which we there are transactions by means of checks, bills of exchange and drafts involving hundreds of dollars in value.

We, in Oregon, produce much wool; we produce almost no silver. The value.

This statement about insufficiency of gold to supply the moretary demand is false in fact, and more false in the manner in which it is made by the Popocrats.

For the past month or six weeks the banks of this city were drained of the silver which they at times of the silver which the silver which they at times of the silver which the silver which the silver which the sold, and the court being the opinion of people who do not believe the wager is ingenious, though, and the court of kin of sild wards, and all persons interested the sold of the silver who in the paper is a went of the court of the silver who in the court of the silver who invented it is mented to what he can make for his originality.

The the wager is ingenious, though, and the court of the silver were double to what he can make for his originality.

The the wager is in genious, though, the banks of this city were drained pounds, while during the correspond-published in full at page 279, Coin-Isenberg of Hood River, who made enof the silver which they at times ing period under the McKinley law it was only 5108 pounds.

For the year's 1893-5 Russia's average export of wheat was 112,-000,000 bushels, while India averaged 21,704,000 bushels, or about one-fifth as much. The United States, Russia and Argentine together averaged 323,887,827 bushels, or almost fifteen times as much as India, and yet the Populists would have us believe that England's coinage of rupees fixes the price of wheat in this country.

"The millions against the millionthe United States, "because the conditions here are so different."

The last administration of Presiof the public debt, besides meeting

The Popocrats, Democrats and be that Idaho will cast her vote for

The old soldiers of the northern

So many times has the "crime" been proven a myth, we supposed our friends, the Popocrats, would quit trying to fool us by the old cry. But they keep at it; each time trying to brace up the falsehood with some new embellishment. A few days ago the Mountaineer again shouted "Crime of 1873!" and quoted from the San Francisco Chronicle of August, 1893, as fol-

Among other things Mr. Hooper said (Congressional Record, April 9, 1873, p.

"Ernest Seyd of London, a distinwhich the committee adopted and em

formation it has of the reason of his mission to America it gains from the following, which appeared in the August, 1873, number of the Bankers'

in France, Germany, England and Holland, a capital of £100,000 was raised and Ernest Sevd of London was sent to this country with this fund as the agent

This is an old lie, many times refuted. Ernest Seyd was not in this country at any time after 1870; he was never before the committee; he creasing far more rapidly than the running at their full capacity, would did send a statement of his views, which was read before the committee; he was a distinguished English writer, banker and financier, but he was then an ardent advocate of free coinage of silver, and in his paper called particular attention to the We never before heard that Ore- dropping of the silver dollar from gon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, the coins provided for by this bill, Utah or Colorado had any mints. saying: "As this new bill presuma-We thought the only mints west of bly repeals all previous enactments, the Mississippi were at San Francisco I suppose that the total abolition of right away, and was going down for and Carson City. Our brother was the silver dollar is contemplated.

> silver enough during his one admin- ter upon this course without a full istration to take the place of the gold previous investigation of the immensely important considerations appertaining thereto." He then indicates how the bill should be must neither overlook nor abandon. changed so as to provide for the silage Laws of the United States.

The fact is, the committee did not adopt "the sensible suggestions" of this silver advocate; the Bankers' Gazette never published the statement accredited to it; Seyd was the last man in London whom English bondholders would send to America to influence legislation against silver. If Seyd was ever employed to influence legislation in this country it certainly was by those interested in silver coinnge. At the time it is claimed Seyd was here, he was in London, and the Act of 1873 had

become a law. ' Had the Populists read this paper before declaring that its author was hired by British gold, they would have used it as a campaign document.

Four years hence Bryan will have silver craze," and thousands of his present supporters will deny him and his cause.

Mr. Harry Watkins made as strong argument as can be made for the election of Bryan. He made no argument, but amused his audience

Wheat is going up because Russia's crop is small. Silver has not The Dalles. Everybody invited. Young yet "got a move on itself," although thousands hear Bryan talk every day.

## BBYAN.

Dr. Geisendorfer of Arlington contributes the following to the Arlington

He secured the nomination At the silver convocation By the fervid agitation Of his chin.

He has traveled through the nation And disturbed the population By the loud vociferation Of his lungs.

Since Vermont's late demon He is making his migration To his western reservation On his ear. With the whole conglomeration, Popocratic aggregation, Howling Dervish collocation, Blowhard crank amalgamation, He will view the situation, At the campaign's termination, On his back.



# Merely to cover a man..

Just like an umbrella -that's the way some suits are made up, regardless of fit, finish or fashion. . . . . .

It's the difference in clothing that makes you such a staunch friend to the K. N. & F. Co. garments. The sewing is strong, the trimmings are rich, the fit formlike, the designs exclusive, and the textures garnered from the world's noted looms.

You're safe with this labelstyle, service, satisfaction.



### A LARGE ASSORTMENT

of this celebrated make just received at

## A. M. WILLIAMS & CO., THE DALLES.

An Original Election Bet-

There is apparently no end to the 'catch bets' devised by the wary for the benefit of the unwary. The latest in that line to reach Helens, says the Mr. Mays that he is here not only for Independent, was one that W. E. Phil- the purpose of receiving these reports, lips had, and one that came near finding but of insisting, by every lawful means, takers of great odds.

"I will bet," said Mr. Phillips, "\$25 that I can name twenty-five states that elapsed without a report, to the great McKinley will carry, and then I will bet detriment of the beneficiaries and credmainder."

Thomas Crahan is an ardent silver man and one who doesn't mind taking in a good thing when it comes his way, either. He heard the offer, and had his ight away, and was going down for ome more when a triend told him what we was running up against, and he withdrew.

Of course the man who makes both of course the ma money up to take the first part of it some more when a triend told him what he was running up against, and he withdrew.

wagers has more solicitude for the larger bet. He will name nearly all Bryan states in the first twenty-five, expecting to lose some of them, and it is a "cinch" that out of those remaining McKinley will carry half.

tousiastic addresses. The following were chosen officers:

President-T. H. Johnston. First Vice President-M. J. Cocker-

line of Boyd. Second Vice President-Henry Hud-

son of Nansene. Third Vice President - W. H. H. Dufur of Ramsey.

Secretary-Dr. A. Deitrick. Executive Committee-J. A. Gulliford, W. H. Whipple and Henry

Menefee. The club was organized in the M. E. church and the edifice was crowded. The speeches of Messrs. Michell and Isenberg were productive of most fre-

## Kingsley's McKinley Club.

quent and enthusiastic applause.

Kingsley, Sept., 28, 1896. EDITOR CHRONICLE: -- A McKinley club organized here on Saturday last with a large number of members enrolled. I. D. Whitten was elected president, E. Williams vice president, and Jas Kelly secretary. The chairman appointed E. Williams, C. Fraley and J. Kelly an executive committee.

The Hon. W. H. H. Dufur, of Dufur, addressed the meeting for over an hour in his usually, earnest, eloquent and impressive style.

The club will hold its meetings on Wednesday evening of each week. On next Wednesday evening, at 7 o'clock, the citizens of Kingsley will be addressed at the school house at 7 o'clock by two or three eloquent speakers from men bring out your best girls. We expect the Dufur band to attend.

W. A. K.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

The law provides that administrators and executors shall make semi-annual reports to the county court, and one of these periods has now arrived-from October 1st to 10th. Judge Mays is in town today for the purpose of receiving these reports. In conversation with him this morning a CHRONICLE reporter was told that there has been a great neglect generally by administrators and executors in the matter of making out and filing these reports. In this way Oregon, with proper vo creditors have suffered on account of not receiving their just due, and the widows and orphans have been subjected to

many deprivations and annoyances arising from the neglect of these appointed officers to settle up the business of deceased persons' estates in the shortest that they be promptly made out and returned. In some cases years have \$250 that we will carry half the re- itors. Mr. Mays' efforts to this end are commendable.

### Notice.

court having read said petition and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court from said peti-tion that it is necessary and would be beneficial to said wards that the real estate belonging to said wards should be sold, and the court being fully adviced:

Spet-fi ROBT. MAYS, Judge

## Citation.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasso.

In the matter of the estate of Mary M. Gordon, deceased, Citation.

To Mary Gibson, Susie E. Bickford, Maggie A. Gordon, Kate J. Stogsdill, George B. Gordon, Williams Gordon, heirs at law of said deceased, and all other heirs at law and next of kin of said deceased, known or unknown, greeting: In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco at the Court Room thereof, at Dalles City, in the County of Wasco on Monday, the second day of November, 1896, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, then and there to appear and show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made, directing the administrator of the estate of Mary M. Gordon, deceased, to sell the real estate belonging to said estate, described in his petition, and described as follows, to-wif: The South-west quarter of Section Thirty-two (32) in Township Four (4) South of Range Thirteen (13) East of the Willamette Meridian, in Wasco County, Oregon, for the purpose of satisfying the debts and claims against said estate.

WITNESS, the Hon. Robert Mays, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for [SEAL] the County of Wasco with the Seal of Said Court affixed this first day of October, A. D., 1896.

ATTEST: A. M. KELSAY, Clerk.

By Simeon Boldon, Deputy.

ATTEST: A. M. KELSAY, Clerk. By Sinkon Bolton, Deputy. oct5 ii

## Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order made and entered in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, in the matter of the estate of Phoebe M. Dunham, deceased, directing me to sell the real property belonging to said estate to satisfy the unpaid expenses of administration and claims against the estate, I will, on the 10th day of October, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the courthouse door in Dalles City, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for each in hand, that certain parcet of land described as follows: 33% feet wide and 100 feet long off the east side of lot 11 in block 6 of Laughlin's Addition to Dalles City, Oregon.

A. R. TROMPSON,
Administrator of estate of Phoebe M. Dunham, deceased.

## Notice to Taxpayers.

The County Board of Equalization will meet in the assessor's office on Monday, October 5th, and continue in session one week, for the pur-pose of equalizing the assessment of Wasco county for 1896. All taxpayers who have not been interviewed by the assessor will please call at the office on Thursdays, Fridays and Satur-days, as all property must be assessed.

F. H. WAKEFIELD,

# Guardian Notice.

Notice is bereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, guardian of the person and estate of Albert Lehman, an insane person. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them to me at my residence in Dalles City, Oregon, with proper youehers.

Oregon, with proper vouchers.

GEORGE A. LIEBE.

Guardian of the person and estate of Albert ehman, insane. Dated this 26th day of September, 1896, sep26-6t-li