

CLASSED AS PAUPERS AND CRIMINALS

In the supplementary report of the committee on platform at the people's party national convention held at Omaha, two years ago, it is to be found: "We condemn the fallacy of protecting American labor under the present system, which opens our ports to the pauper and criminal classes of the world."

How do our naturalized foreign citizens who have come here for the purpose of earning an honest living by their labor, like to be characterized as belonging to the "pauper and criminal" classes of the world?

Again, the Omaha platform says: "Wealth belongs to him who creates it, and every dollar taken from the industry without an equivalent is robbery. If any shall not work neither shall he eat."

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE?

That times are hard and business on all sides in a depressed and stagnated condition cannot be denied. This being the case the question at once confronts us as to who is responsible for it?

Whether or not the populists get into power their proposed methods of legislation causes uncertainty with the business world and everything stops to await the result, and in the meantime labor is unemployed. No man with business forethought is going to invest his money or operate his mill, mine or factory not knowing whether his product can be marketed.

There is no thinking man in this country today who if he will be honest but must acknowledge that the populist agitation is the principal cause of the threatened ruin in this republic at the present time.

The populists say the reason Joe Waldrop did not make a better speech at Mayger was that Cleiton bought him off. "An open confession is good for the soul." These populists have finally acknowledged that their representatives are purchasable, even to the reverent gentleman who is their candidate for congress.

A FRANTIC JACKASS.

It is a step downward from decency, indeed, to for a moment, bring to the public notice a thing like the populist mouthorgan, published at Vernonia. The thing was put there for the mere purpose of giving a halfbreed jackass a chance to bray and paw mud because the people of Columbia county knew better than to trust the affairs of the county in the hands of men like the leaders of that party.

Our highly intelligent (?) populist candidate for the legislature occupied a prominent seat on the rostrum Friday night, and during Mr. Horr's speech took great pleasure in displaying his note book, for the purpose of appearing very wise.

Our populist friends who were present to hear Mr. Horr's speech Friday evening did not seem to appreciate the cold facts laid before them, yet they do not attempt to deny one single statement made by the speaker.

POPULISTS claim that the crash of 1873 was the direct result of contraction of the currency. Well, suppose that, for the moment, it is admitted. The crash did not close the factories nor extinguish the fires in the furnaces.

ONE W. L. KYSER, referring to Mr. Cleiton in the Waldrop-Cleiton discussion at Mayger recently, has this to say: "That gentleman having gathered confidence with rest was soon on his feet and began a tirade of abuse and misrepresentations, attacking all of Mr. Waldrop's arguments, excepting those which Mr. Waldrop challenged him to deny."

BOYCOTT WOOD attacked Tom Cleiton on the excursion steamer last Friday evening, on the political issues, and to see with what ease and completeness the little man turned Wood's brain (?) out to public gaze was the subject of comment by both republicans and populists during the entire evening and even next day.

SHERIFF MECKER, republican, at the end of four years was short \$1800. Sheriff Masie, populist, at the end of one year was short nearly \$4000, and at the rate he was traveling when he departed for — at the end of four years would have been short \$16,000. Both were wrong; but note the difference.

It is reported that Candidate Davidson told the people at Scappoose that Mr. Cleiton was pledged to introduce a bill creating the office of county recorder. If this report is correct, we wish to say that Davidson is a willful liar, and challenge him to furnish proof of such statement.

PENNOYER, in his Ashland speech, cited Russia as an example for this country to pattern after. The government would be glad to turn this free country into a monarchy so that Pylvester Sennoyer could be its czar.

It, as the Sentinel says, the Oregonian and Misc are making populists, it is safe to say that the Sentinel man is holding his own in making a show of himself and his party.

A vote for M. Davidson is a vote for Pennoyer for United States senator, which would give that official an opportunity to further disgrace the state of Oregon.

MR. HERR'S ABLE ADDRESS.

His Argument Fortified in a Manner that Cannot be Refuted.

The largest audience that ever assembled in St. Helens to hear a political speech was that which greeted Hon. Rowell G. Horr last Friday evening at the opera house. The audience was not only the largest but the speech the best ever delivered in Columbia county.

The steamer Shaver brought an excursion from Clatskanie and way landings on that evening; people came from the interior on horseback, in wagons and on foot. On the day before people began to arrive from different points along the river, indeed for several days previous to the day appointed for the speaking wrote in advance to engage hotel accommodations for that night.

On the rostrum were seated a number of republicans and populists, and at a few different points along the river, indeed for several days previous to the day appointed for the speaking wrote in advance to engage hotel accommodations for that night.

After reviewing the tariff at length the speaker next attacked the money fallacy of the populists, and yet while he held that party up to the light he made no mention of the reformer, yet in that vast audience made up of people of all parties, not one voice was raised in refutation, the presence of the populist candidate for the legislature to the contrary notwithstanding.

Reform With a Vengeance. There never was such a jumbled up mess as the Columbia county assessment roll which the county court has been wrestling with this week. In many instances the same property has been assessed twice and some of it three times. There are just fifty double assessments on the tax roll. The two years of "reform" under Kysersm, Massieism, Schoonoverism and populism has cost this county dearly, and the end is not yet. The property roll is not the only mixture which the court has to contend with. The poll tax collection is in equally bad shape. A great many people paid their poll tax to Assessor Kysers, taking their receipt for the same, yet that official charged them up with it on the roll after having already received them for it.

PERIS NOTES.

The heavy frosts of last week did considerable damage to garden stuff and fruit. D. Hendricks cast his net Saturday from Scappoose bay, where he has been fishing for some time. Mr. Hendricks reports fishing as being poor business at the present time.

Miss Dell Caples spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Columbia City. The Holsten-Stanwood camp will resume work in a short time after an eight months shut down.

J. Hendricks attended the Horr speaking at St. Helens on the 11th inst. He reports the speaking as being the best he ever heard.

We think the populists will back down when they come face to face with T. J. Cleiton. It would be better for them to slide out. They can run a literary society better (so long as they do not admit any but members) than they can our county business. We believe in our county officers executing their work in such a manner that they can decipher it if others can't.

The Government Will Assist.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—Lamont and General Schofield held a conference with the attorney-general today regarding the sending of troops to assist United States marshals in preventing industrial armies from seizing railway property in the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, and Wyoming. After the conference, the attorney-general said that if United States marshals could not enforce the law, troops would be sent to their assistance.

Circuit Court.

Judge McBride convened circuit court in regular session here Tuesday, with all the court officers present.

The grand jury was made up of the following gentlemen: Alonzo Merrill, Manritz Carr, John Girt, Harry West, Thomas Pettijohn, John Johns, and Isaac Bumgarner.

Edward Schmidt was admitted to citizenship. S. H. Tryon vs Green Creek Lumber Co.; dismissed at plaintiff's cost.

Hall vs Gillis; confirmation of sale. Wolf Bros. vs Dean Blanchard; judgment by default.

Wadhams vs Dean Blanchard; judgment by default. Seffert vs Borthwick; default and decree. Creevy vs Ulmer; dismissed.

Magle vs Dippold; further time allowed to plead and ten days answer. Edward Carlson admitted to citizenship; witnesses, Geo. Hayes and Chas. Lovgren. McMath vs John Maynard; demurrer overruled and default and judgment.

State vs Meeker; set for May 24. Columbia county vs Meeker; amended complaint filed.

Chas. Krazick admitted to citizenship; witnesses, Fred Rowderson and F. Clark. Michael Fresh admitted to citizenship; witnesses, Floyd Fowler, E. O. Varney. Wm. Flahner admitted to citizenship; witnesses, Fred Gates and Joseph Benner. Case vs. Case, decree of divorce granted.

A Dalmatian's Opinion. There is nothing I have ever used for muscular rheumatism that gives me as much relief as Chamberlain's Pain Balm does. I have been using it for about two years in all cases of rheumatism, and always been a bottle of it in my house. I believe I know a good thing when I get hold of it, and Pain Balm is the best I have ever met with. W. B. Denny, Fairview, New Lexington, Ohio. Do not buy bottles for sale by Edwin Ross.

A CHALLENGE.

CLATSKANIE, Or., May 4.—The populists of this county have repeatedly stated that they could not find a republican who would or could stand before them in a joint debate on the political issues of the day. I am authorized to state that Hon. T. J. Cleiton, of Clatskanie, republican candidate for the legislature, will meet any populist in Columbia county, in joint debate, on the political issues of the day, at any point in Columbia county, and at any time before election day. Populist friends put up or shut up.

W. H. CONYERS, Chairman Precinct Republican Com.

Justice of the peace blanks of all kinds for sale at this office.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE filed in the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Columbia county, my final account as administrator of the estate of Louisa Lancaster, deceased, together with my petition for distribution of the residue of said estate, and that the Honorable judge of said court has appointed Monday, the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, and the courtroom of said court, at St. Helens, in said county and state, as the time and place for the hearing and settlement of said final account and petition for distribution, at which time and place any person interested in said estate, may appear and file objections to the same. Dated May 11, 1894.

LINDLEY MECKER, Administrator of the estate of Louisa Lancaster, deceased. m1815

FOR SALE.

At private sale, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real property, viz: The northeast one-quarter of the southwest one-quarter of section No. 6, township No. 4 north, range No. 1, west of the Willamette meridian, containing 44.10 acres. Bids will be received to May 20th, 1894. Address all communications to J. B. NORTON, Pacific Grove, Monterey County, California.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION AND order of sale duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for Columbia county, to me duly directed, dated the 1st day of April, A. D. 1894, upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1894, in favor of Bernhard Bierckendick as plaintiff and against Elias T. Wood and John Maynard as defendants for the sum of five hundred and ninety eight and eleven-one-hundredths (\$598.11) dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the 31st day of March, A. D. 1894; and the further sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars as attorney's fees; and the further sum of thirty-seven and twenty-one-hundredths (\$37.21) dollars, costs and disbursements, and also the costs of and upon this writ, commanding me to make sale of the following real property of the above named defendants, to-wit: The northeast one-quarter (NE 1/4) of the southwest one-quarter (SW 1/4) of the northwest one-quarter of the southeast one-quarter (SE 1/4) of the south one-half (S 1/2) of the north one-quarter (N 1/4) of section number twenty nine (29) in township number seven (7) north range number five (5) west of the Willamette meridian, in Columbia county, state of Oregon, together with the improvements, tenements, and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining. Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, order, and decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on Saturday, the 20th day of May, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in front of the courthouse, in the city of St. Helens in said county and state, sell, subject to redemption, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title, and interest which the above named defendant, Elias T. Wood, then, Elias T. Lovell, had on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1891, in the title of the above described premises by said defendant, together with the defendant John Maynard, or has since acquired in and to the above-described real property to satisfy said judgment, decree, execution, and order of sale, interests, costs, and all accruing costs. T. C. WATTS, Sheriff of Columbia county, Oregon. Dated April 24, A. D. 1894.

Administrators Sale of Real-estate. In the matter of the sale of real property belonging to the estate of John Ivey, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, the administrator of the estate of John Ivey, deceased, by virtue and authority and in pursuance of the order made by the Circuit Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, on the 17th day of April, 1894, authorizing and licensing the said administrator to sell at administrator's sale the following described real property belonging to the estate of John Ivey, deceased, to-wit: All of the north one-half (1/2) of the northeast one-quarter (1/4) and north one-half (1/2) of the northwest one-quarter (1/4) of section 35, township 4 north of range 5 west, in Columbia county, state of Oregon, containing 160 acres. 1/2 will, as such administrator, on the 19th day of May, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in front of the courthouse at St. Helens, Oregon, proceed to sell the said real property above described at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, or one-fifth cash in hand, and the balance in three equal payments—one-third in one year, one-third in two years, and one-third in three years; deferred payments to be secured by a mortgage upon the said described premises, and to bear interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date until paid, interest payable annually.

EDWIN L. HEND, Administrator. Dated this 15th day of April, A. D. 1894.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for Columbia county.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have filed in the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for Columbia county, the same being the court having charge of said estate, my final account as assignee of said estate for settlement. And that said final account will be heard and passed upon by said court on Saturday, the 19th day of May, A. D. 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the court room of said court, in St. Helens, Oregon, at which time and place any person interested may appear and contest the same. J. M. LEAVENS, Assignee of said estate.

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