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ST. HELENS, OREGON, NOV. 23.

EVERY senator west of the Rocky Mountains save one is for bimetalism.

THE friends of Senator Dolph need not worry so much; the members-elect of the legislature are not unreasonable.

KOLB, the populist, who was defeated for governor of Alabama by 27,000 votes, in a lengthy address to his followers, says: "by the grace of God and the help of the good people of the state, I will be inaugurated on December 1."

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FROM present indications Congressman Hermann will be made chairman of the committee on rivers and harbors of the next house of congress.

IF a note required the endorsement of the assessor to render it valid and collectable and a similar endorsement and registration by the same officer whenever there was a change of ownership, much wealth would be deprived of an opportunity to dodge taxation.

IN these times of depression and stagnation in business it is especially meet and just that each one should assist in every possible way his neighbor in the business walks of life.

THE Oregonian and Tribune say that any man who favors bimetalism is not a republican.

IT MIGHT BE WORSE.

Things look very dispiriting in Oregon just now and especially so in Columbia county. The fact that our principal industry in the past has been logging and lumber, principally, and dairying, hay and stockraising as secondary resources, have all gone begging for a market, lately, causes a greater degree of depression in this county than exists in some other localities.

For instance, our shingle mills are running "short time," but are selling a part of their product, which, at present prices they realize some ready cash for their labor; logging has not of late, been carried on extensively, but the loggers, by strict economy in labor and other ways, manage, by not employing a great deal of outside help, to have a little profit left after paying actual expenses; while the price of butter and beef have been exceedingly low and a limited market, the dairy-men along the Columbia bottom have been shipping an occasional real or beef, a few pounds of butter, and a few hundred gallons of milk to market, for which they have received cash, and by close economy, and doing most of their own work, have stemmed the current of depression, and thus lived; the farmers on the higher lands have sold, butter, eggs, hay, and other general farm produce, as well as beef, pork, etc., so that they, too, have not been deprived to any great extent, of actual necessities.

All these things, while in small quantities, as compared with former years, have contributed toward the happiness and comfort of the people of this county, during the depression of the past several months; and by and by the wheel of fortune will again turn our way, when our logging camps will begin to open up, the busy hum of sawmills heard all along the river, railroad building to some extent will be undertaken, and in fact, Columbia county will once more be enrolled as the most prosperous section of the state. We have the resources and their development cannot always be prevented. The fact cannot be overlooked that Columbia county today is in as good condition financially as any county of the state, and her undeveloped resources are greater.

POPULISTS generally this year knew when they were whipped and stoically gave up the fight. Not so with Reuben F. Kolb, the defeated candidate of the peoples party for governor of Alabama. He does not intend to be ridden down and barr'd out by a democratic majority, and has openly declared his intention to be inaugurated governor of the state on the first of December. He calls on his followers to rally at Montgomery on the date designated and aid him to take possession of the chair of state, in accordance with what he believes to be his rights in the premises and "his duty to the people of Alabama."

IF people were endowed with a spirit to "lead" instead of to "follow" in matters of public interest in this age of the world, how different would be their condition. But this will probably never be, since it is human nature among the rank and file of humanity to wait for others to pave the way for their success, devoting his own time and money to that end. If there are any such within reach of this paper we fear they will wait too long for the coveted opportunity.

Pistols in Court.

INDEPENDENCE, Or., Nov. 21.—Justice Irvine's courtroom was the scene of an exciting event this afternoon. A trial was in progress, in which Ben Hayden and his sons had caused to be placed under arrest two Jordan boys, for assault with a dangerous weapon, they having in a quarrel, it seems, drawn a pistol. The testimony on both sides was decidedly sensational, and the courtroom was crowded. During the course of the trial Clei Hayden came in, and, walking up behind one of the Jordan boys, drew out a pistol. Some one threw up his arm and the bullet went through the stove pipe and lodged in the wall. Ben Hayden then jumped on the boy, and with the help of officers, attempted to overpower Clei. About this time Bill Hayden came on the scene, with a pistol in his hand. In the meantime, the crowd had rushed out of the building, and the door not being large enough, they also went through the large glass front. Bill Hayden was tackled by an officer and several bystanders, and, after a struggle, the pistol was taken away and he and Clei were taken to the county jail. In attempting to put them in, Tom Lowry, interferred, and Marshal Williams knocked him down, and then locked him up. A large crowd witnessed the whole affair, and the frantic efforts of those in the courtroom to escape was the subject of much jest.

THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.

Large Republican Majority in Both Branches. Its Political Complexions.

SENATE.

Baker and Malheur—Will R. King, pop.

Benton and Lincoln—Tolbert Carter, rep.

Clackamas—Geo. C. Brownell, rep.

Clatsop—John H. Smith, dem.

Columbia, Washington and Tillamook—J. W. Maxwell, rep.

Cook, Klamath and Lake—C. A. Cogswell, dem.

Douglas—Henry Beckley, dem-pop.

Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco—A. W. Steiwer, rep.

Grant, Harney and Morrow—A. W. Gowan, rep.

Jackson—S. H. Holt, pop.

Lane—B. F. Alley, rep., J. H. McClung, rep.

Linn—S. A. Dawson, rep., A. J. Johnson, rep.

Marion—W. H. Hobson, rep., I. L. Patterson, rep.

Multnomah—F. A. Bancroft, rep., O. N. Denny, rep., H. E. McGinn, rep., C. H. Woodard, rep., Joseph Simon, rep.

Polk—N. L. Butler, dem.

Sherman and Wasco—J. A. Smith, dem.

Umatilla—A. R. Price, rep.

Umatilla and Union—J. H. Haley, dem.

Union and Wallowa—D. A. McAlister, dem.

Washington—S. B. Huston, dem.

Yamhill—J. F. Galbreath, rep.

Elected in 1892.

HOUSE.

Baker—John C. Young, pop.

Benton—T. H. Cooper, rep.

Benton and Lincoln—John D. Daly, rep.

Clackamas—F. L. Mintie, rep., G. O. Rinearson, rep., C. B. Smith, rep.

Clatsop—C. J. Curtis, rep., C. F. Lester, rep.

Columbia—T. J. Cleaton, rep.

Cook—Thomas Buckman, pop.

Cook and Curry—Frank A. Stewart, pop.

Crook—A. R. Lyle, rep.

Douglas—J. E. Blundell, rep., J. T. Bridges, rep., C. A. Sehbredre, rep.

Gilliam—J. E. David, rep.

Grant and Harney—Orin L. Patterson, rep.

Jackson—Geo. W. Dunn, rep., J. A. Jeffrey, pop., S. M. Nealon, pop.

Josephine—R. G. Smith, rep.

Klamath and Lake—Virgil Conn, rep.

Lane—Chas. H. Baker, rep., M. J. Hillegas, rep., S. L. Moorhead, rep.

Linn—J. H. Scott, rep., T. Fleming Smith, rep., W. A. Templeton, rep.

Malheur—I. W. Hope, rep.

Marion—Henry L. Barkley, rep., J. L. Calvert, rep., David Craig, rep., E. Hofer, rep., C. B. Moore, rep.

Morrow—J. S. Boothby, rep.

Multnomah—S. C. Beach, rep., W. E. Burke, rep., B. P. Cardwell, rep.

Clarence Cole, rep., J. M. Long, rep.

John McCracken, rep., Geo. T. Myers, rep., O. F. Paxton, rep., E. H. Thompson, rep.

Polk—D. L. Keyt, rep., Ira S. Smith, rep.

Sherman and Wasco—T. R. Coon, rep., T. H. McGreer, rep.

Tillamook and Yamhill—H. G. Guild, rep.

Umatilla—E. J. David, rep., J. S. Gurdane, rep., Geo. Shtrum, rep.

Union—C. D. Huffman, pop., J. A. Wright, rep.

Wallowa—J. A. Burleigh, pop.

Washington—H. V. Gates, rep., C. F. Tigard, rep., C. P. Yates, rep.

Yamhill—J. T. Gowdy, rep., Calvin Stanley, rep.

SENATE.

Number of Senators..... 30

Republicans..... 19

Democrats..... 7

Populists..... 3

Democratic-Peoples..... 1

HOUSE.

Number of Representatives..... 60

Republicans..... 53

Democrats..... 7

Populists..... 10

Democratic-Peoples..... 1

JOINT CONVENTION.

Number of members..... 96

Republicans..... 72

Democrats..... 7

Populists..... 10

Democratic-Peoples..... 1

School Report.

The following is a report of school district No. 6 Columbia county, Oregon, for the month ending November 13: Number enrolled, 13; average daily attendance, 95. Those neither absent nor tardy are: Louise McGrover, Cleve McGrover, Bessie McGrover, Ruth McGrover, Lewis Englebresen, Orney Englebresen.

Farm Notes.

Some kinds of hedges may be cut back now, and it should be done now, so as to avoid having such work to do in the busy spring.

If you want fruit trees do not wait for an agent to come along and coax you, but select some reliable house for yourself, and send in an order for the varieties you prefer.

At this season when the hens appear droopy, and have swelled heads and eyes, the cause is due to draughts of air in the poultry house, which may be traced to a top ventilator or to cracks and crevices in the walls.

An excellent way to keep cabbages is to put them in a row close together, roots in the ground deep, and then turn a turrow of earth over them. They will keep better this way than when the heads are down and the roots are up.

Crimson clover provides green food during portions of the winter. It may be cut late in the fall and fed to the animals, and also may be used early in the spring. A small quantity given to the animals once a day will be highly relished.

The Same Here.

A Milton widow threatens to sue the Eagle for libel because in writing her husband's obituary we said that he had gone to a happier home. This is a parallel case to the Milton doctor who took his cad from the paper because the editor preferred another physician for a family doctor. There's a strange lot of people in this world, and Milton has her share of them.—Milton Eagle.

Oregon Hops.

In a speech at Onida, New York, recently, to a crowd of hopgrowers, Governor Flower said: "I would advise you to raise fewer hops in this state. The 30,000 acres in this state devoted to hopculture yield 540 pounds per acre. In California the yield is 2105 pounds per acre; in Washington, 1600 pounds; and in Oregon, 1580, nearly three times as much per acre as the yield in this state. How can our hopgrowers compete successfully with those of California, Washington and Oregon? Just as I have advised farmers to stop raising wheat and corn here in competition with the farmers, owing to cheap lands in the West, so I advise you in reference to hops. Do not try to enter a contest in which you will surely be beaten in a few years."

Held for Bigamy.

HILLSBORO, Or., Nov. 19.—A. A. Mead, who was examined before Justice Geisler in Portland a few days ago, and acquitted on a charge of embezzlement, was Saturday examined on a charge of bigamy, before Judge Cornelius, and was held to await the action of the grand jury under \$1000 bonds, which at present writing he has failed to furnish.

The Wrecked Schooner.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 19.—The steam schooner Bandorille arrived from the Sitka river last evening. Captain Winant reports the wrecked schooner, T. W. Lucas, bottom side up about three miles northwest of the Coos bay jetty, and in dangerous proximity to coasting vessels coming north or going south.

Smallpox in New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Five cases of smallpox were reported to the board of health this afternoon.

R. J. Barnett, formerly of Goble, but now a switchman in the railroad yards at Portland, had his thigh badly crushed while at work Tuesday night.

W. E. Jones, of Quincy, made final proof on his claim before Judge Blanchard Monday, with George Hayes and Martin White as witnesses.

M. V. Rork Again.

The editor is in receipt of a card from Los Angeles, California, which reads as follows: "Free lecture; cause and cure of Hard Times; you are especially invited to hear that able and logical speaker, M. V. Rork, of Oregon, upon questions vital to all. Illustrated by blackboard. Now Music Hall, Wednesday evening, Oct. 31, at 8 o'clock. Business discussion for business men." It appears from the above that Rork has lost none of his immaculate gall, and that he is still posing in the character of decent veneer. But they will get onto him sooner or later.—Heppner Gazette.

City Treasurer's Notice.

ST. HELENS, Or., Nov. 22, 1894. St. Helens city warrants Nos. 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 97, 102, 105, 106 and 110, are now payable on presentation, and will bear no interest from this date. W. B. DILLARD, Treasurer.

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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under- signed has been duly appointed by an order of the county court for Columbia county, State of Oregon, executor of the last will and testament of Orlas Cherrington, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at the office of the county clerk in said county and state, in St. Helens, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. JUDSON WREED, Executor of last will and testament of Orlas Cherrington, deceased. Dated St. Helens, Oregon, Nov. 1, 1894.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Columbia. S. S. Markham, plaintiff, vs. S. J. Brown, C. E. Brown, Rachel Story, Rachel D. Pretyman, and Henry W. Pretyman, defendants. BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, JUDGMENT, order and decree, duly issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court, in the above entitled cause, to me duly directed, a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 25th day of October, 1894, in favor of S. S. Markham, as plaintiff, and against S. J. Brown, C. E. Brown, Rachel Story, Rachel D. Pretyman and Henry W. Pretyman, as defendants, for the sum of twelve hundred and ninety (\$1200) dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 25th day of October, 1894, and the further sum of ninety-nine and sixty-five one hundredths (\$99.65) dollars cost also the costs on this writ commanding me to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit: The south-west one-quarter of section 25, township 5 north, range 3 west of the Willamette meridian, situated in Columbia county, state of Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, order, and decree and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I duly levied upon the above described real property on the 15th day of November, 1894, and will, on Saturday, the 18th day of November, 1894, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the county courthouse, in St. Helens, said county and state, sell, subject to redemption, according to law, to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title and interest which the above named defendants or either of them had on the 15th day of July, 1894, or since had in and to the above described real property, to satisfy said execution, judgment, order, and decree, interests and costs and all accruing costs. November 12th, 1894. C. F. DIXON, Sheriff of Columbia County, Oregon.

E. E. QUICK, Commissioner of Deeds for Washington. G. W. COLE, Notary Public.

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