

# WEST LOBBIED IN SALEM HALLS

SO SAYS DEMOCRATIC LEADER PRIOR TO PRIMARIES.

Democratic Candidate Was Working In Interest of Corporations Is Charge

During the recent primary campaign, Judge A. S. Bennett, Democratic leader and anti-corporation man, of The Dalles, in a circular letter, addressed to the democratic voters of Wasco county charged Oswald West, democratic nominee for governor, with having lobbied before the last legislature in the interest of the corporation in the interest of the corporation in the interest of the corporation...

Judge Bennett's letter follows: "The Dalles, Ore., Sept. 19 Dear friend:—I know that many democrats are in doubt as to who is the best and strongest candidate for governor on the democratic ticket. "Knowing both the candidates, Jefferson Myers and Oswald West, I earnestly recommend Mr. Myers as the strongest and best nominee for the position, and I hope that you may attend the primaries and give him your support as against Mr. West for the office.

"I have reason to believe that Mr. West is too close to the corporations and that he is not in sympathy with progressive democratic ideas.

"He went before the committee in the last legislature and lobbied in the interest of the corporation against a very good bill for the regulation of livestock shipments on railroads, which was being asked for by myself and other livestock men, and for this and other reasons I do not believe him to be a proper man for democratic candidate for the high office of governor.

"I think Mr. Myers, on the contrary is thoroughly honest, and, if nominated and elected (as I believe is possible) that he would take great pride in making a good governor. "I sincerely hope, therefore, that you will not fail to be at the polls on September 24 and give Mr. Myers the benefit of your support. With kind regards, I remain, very truly yours. (Signed) "ALFRED S. BENNETT."

Charles Sanford III. Charles (Doc) Sanford, an employe of the Light company is quite seriously ill, with symptoms of typhoid fever. He was taken to the hospital last evening.

# STORY ADDRESS PROMINENT

SOUTHERN REFORMER COMING HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY.

Sidney Story, Man of National Reputation to Address Audience.

Sidney Story, for fifteen years Park Commissioner of New Orleans, ex-member of New Orleans' Municipal assembly, father of reform measures which have absolutely solved civic problems in his native city, and one of the foremost speakers in Dixie land, will deliver an address in this city at Steward's theatre on Wednesday evening, Oct. 12, his topic being "Model License Law, the Only Cure for the Evils of Intemperance." Mr. Story's address on this subject, delivered scores of times, has gained him the plaudits of tens of thousands of his listeners.

Mr. Story will deal with facts concerning prohibition and its failure to prohibit. He will support Initiative Bill No. 323, which gives to every city and town the exclusive power to license, regulate, control, or to suppress or prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors within a municipality, and which also embodies the present local option law. His address will deal principally with this law, operative in Philadelphia, which has made the latter city the best governed in the country from this standpoint.

## McALLISTER BUYS HOME.

Farmer Will Move to Town for the Winter and Buys Nice Home Here.

Hon. J. W. McAllister who resides just east of La Grande, today purchased through the Geo. H. Currey Real Estate Agency, the Jos. P. Price residence just north of court house for \$1800. Mr. and Mrs. McAllister will make their home in La Grande. This is a modern house, a slightly location and a delightful home.

## HOME FROM PORTLAND.

Alternate Delegate to State Committee Meeting Returns Confident.

Home from Portland where he attended the meeting of the Republican state central committee with the proxy of C. E. Cochran, George T. Cochran is confident that Bowerman will carry the state in November. The meeting was an enthusiastic one, the reorganization and other business being transacted with dispatch. The outlook from the entire state is that Jay Bowerman is going to be elected, and that the republicans will rally to his support. Chairman Nottingham was an anti-assembly man prior to the election and was opposed to Bowerman, but he believes the primaries is final as far as the republicans are concerned and he is now out whole souled for Bowerman. C. E. Cochran was named as a member of the state executive committee.

# WANT STARLIGHT TO APPEAR

LIGHTS LAST EVENING PREVENT HIS BEST PERFORMANCE.

Fair Committee Urging Dr. Phy to Permit Daylight Exhibition.

Starlight King was greatly handicapped last evening by poor light and though the audience which witnessed the animal's "stunts" was greatly pleased with the exhibition of the high school horse. The fair management has voiced the wishes of the people by clamoring for another performance and it is likely that an exhibition will be given in daylight during the latter part of the fair.

However, the exhibition was good. Starlight King can do exhibitions that are above the ability of the average trained horse that perform in circuses and as the horse is a local animal, more interest is attached. However, men who have seen the best horses in the business say that nothing is better than the exhibit by Starlight King.

# ENGLAND WORRIED

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confined to natural resources, excluding manufacturers, and the United States got "distinctly the worst of the bargain."

In 1874, the writer points out, another reciprocity treaty was proposed but failed of ratification by the United States senate. In 1891 Sir Alfred Laurier, prime minister of Canada, proposed "reciprocal and absolute commercial freedom between Canada and the United States." But, adds the reviewer, "the general election which ensued had a chastening effect upon the party and taught it that the country suspected that annexation was lurking in the background."

After summing up the difficulties in the way of reciprocity, the writer indulges the hope "that for the moment, at any rate, this blow will be averted." "If any such treaty is made," he continues, "it will be because the Americans realize the enormous potentialities of Canada and are prepared to make smaller demands with the purpose of securing the future. The outlook, from the imperial point of view, is of the utmost gravity, and yet the British people decline to say the word which will banish forever all such anxieties and establish the future of the empire."

Another writer on the same subject says that "President Taft is exactly the sort of man to succeed in such a project. Heedless of the noise and clamor of transient issues, he is silently working out a plan which may result in the annexation of Canada and win for him an immortality greater by far than any fame to be derived from beating the tin-pans of partisan politics."

## WILL MAKE RYE FLOUR.

North Powder Miller Will Introduce New System in Flour Making.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Johnson of North Powder are in the city today and tonight will leave for Portland where Mr. Johnson will secure some French burrs to make rye flour, a process not practiced extensively in this country. Mr. Johnson bought heavily in rye to help the farmers out in that country and in order to dispose of it he is going to make rye flour, thus keeping all the money necessary for the transfer of the ownership in North Powder. He is also connected with the Farmers' warehouse in North Powder.

## FAIR VISITORS MARRIED.

Couple from Union Misses Opportunity To "Drag Down" Bonus Money.

R. L. Herkimer and Miss Della Ballard, popular young people of Union, were married today by Rev. J. D. Gillian at the Methodist parsonage. Mr. and Mrs. Herkimer evidently did not dare brave the publicity of a public wedding and consequently did not get a share of the "bonus money" which the fair donated the popular Cove couple the opening night.

# Fair Week Specials...

For this Week Only, We Offer:

- Ladies Night Robes, warm and handsome, 75c, better ones \$1.00, better ones \$1.25.
- Childrens warm Night Gowns . . . 60c.
- Men's Ouing Flannel Night Robes, special . . . . . 65c.
- Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear, worth, 65c, 75c and up special the garment, . . . . . 50c.
- Men's \$3.50 Hats, good shapes, all sizes, . . . . . \$2.00
- Blankets, great values, the pair, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25.

# THE FAIR THE FAIR

IF PLEASED TELL OTHERS, IF NOT TELL US

Catch the **Cold**

In a strict sense you do not catch cold, but rather the cold catches you. It catches you when your vitality is low, when the circulation is impeded by sudden draughts of cold air, etc. The right thing to do is to reverse things and catch the cold in the start and stop it before it has you firmly caught. You can do this with **Blue Mountain Cold Cure**. They stop colds in the beginning and cure settled colds in one-fourth the usual time. Price 25c, Guaranteed

**Wright Drug Co.**  
The Reliable Druggists

WE WANT YOUR **Laundry Work**

BOTH PHONES TWO WAGONS

**Cherry's New Laundry**

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**Roosevelt Aids Slemp.**  
Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 7—Former President Roosevelt will speak today at the Appalachian Exposition on the subject of conservation. He is also scheduled for a brief address at Bristol, on the Tennessee-Virginia border, where he will advocate the cause of Congressman T. B. Lemp, of the Ninth Virginia district. Slemp is engaged in a vigorous contest with Henry Stuart, the democratic nominee. He was an ardent supporter of Speaker Cannon in the rules fight in the house.

**A Good Show.**  
The Lowe Stock company opened at Steward's opera house last night to a large audience and gave universal satisfaction to all. "Tempest and Sunshine" is a dramatization of Mary J. Holme's novel by the same name and no more beautiful play has ever been seen here at cheap prices. The characters were all well portrayed. Miss Lowe as Sunshine played her part beyond criticism. Her acting is easy and natural and she is a favorite with the audience from her first appearance on the stage. Miss Bea Curtice as Tempest made a very good impression and Miss Carrie Godfrey was exccrclatingly funny as the negro mammy. Mr. Walter R. Boss played his part in a faultless manner. As a character actor Mr. Boss holds a place among the best. Mr. Edward F. Bernard was seen in a difficult role and sustained the part to the entire satisfaction of the large audience. Mr. Frank M. Weeks as Uncle Juber, the poor hen-pecked colored man, was immense and his trick banjo playing was greatly enjoyed. Mr. E. Ryerson Howland made a very good Dr. Lacey, although he appeared new in his part and not certain of what he was going to say. Mr. Mott Howland played his double role very acceptably and taking it all in all, the show was well worth more than the price of admission and the company will certainly enjoy a liberal patronage during their short stay here.

Tonight they will present for the first time here, The Sweetest Girl in Dixie or in Dixie Land. The price of admission is only 10, 20 and 30 cents and reserved seats are on sale at Van Buren's news stand.

**THEY ALL DEMAND IT.**

La Grande, Like Every City and Town in the Union, Receives it. People with kidney ills want to be cured. When one suffers the tortures of an aching back, relief is eagerly sought for. There are many remedies today that relieve but do not cure. Here is evidence to prove that Doan's Kidney Pills cure, and the cure is lasting.

H. P. Swisher, 2467 Hadison street, Baker City, Oregon, says: "Kidney complaint in my case was caused by riding. The backache steadily became worse as time passed and there were other annoying symptoms of kidney complaint in evidence. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills I began their use and they not only reored my kidneys to a normal condition, but rid me of the backache and pains. I shall always take pleasure in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills." (Statement given November 4, 1907.)

**Lasting Results.**  
Mr. Swisher was interviewed on May 28, 1910 and he added to the above: "The cure made by Doan's Kidney Pills in my case has been permanent. I gladly confirm as I have previously said about this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name — Doan's — and take no other.

**Natural Inference.**  
"A whole train load of babies went from New York to New Orleans."  
"What for?"  
"Adoption."  
"Have poodle dogs become as scarce as that?"

**Playing Safe.**  
"I see you have bought an auto."  
"Yes, and it is a dandy."  
"I thought you considered autos dangerous?"  
"I do to the people who are walking."

**All Alike.**  
"And how much money does your wife spend?"  
"Much as any woman does."  
"How is that?"  
"All her husband earns."

**Unexpectedly**  
Yesterday we received a load of **Eagle Valley Tomatoes**

Some green, but the majority ripe, and of a very nice quality.

Put your order in early as they will not last long.

**90c a Box**

**Pattison Bros.**  
Use either phone