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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.

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THE sound money treasurer's shortage in Linn county is \$3,800.74. How long will it take the people to learn that an honest man is an honest man in public office, no matter what the color of his hair, or the stripe of his politics. By the way, isn't the whole defaulting band of the State stove works composed of gold-bug republicans.—Salem Journal.

A newspaper whose columns overflow with advertisements of business men has more influence in attracting the attention to and building up a city or town than any other agency that could be employed. People go where there is an enterprising community. No power on earth is so strong to build up a town as a newspaper well patronized, and its power should be appreciated.

EVERY man who builds a house, or plants an orchard, or invents a machine, or discovers a law of nature, or does anything which tends to promote human comfort or happiness, is a public benefactor; but any man who stands between industry and natural elements, to levy a tribute upon labor or to keep a foot of land out of use, is a curse to the country and a despoiler of his fellow men.—Volney.

THE trial of voting machines at Rochester, N. Y., seems to have been a complete success. The great advantage of the machine is that it automatically keeps tally as the vote proceeds, and when the polls are closed it is only a matter of a few minutes before the result can be announced. Reports of the entire vote of all the districts of Rochester were turned in at police headquarters within thirty-seven minutes after the closing of the polls.

REV. LYMAN ABBOTT, editor of the Outlook, has this to say on direct legislation: "In my judgment the remedy for the evils of democracy is more democracy; fresh appeals from the few to the many—from the managers to the people. I believe in the referendum, and, within limits, the initiative, because it is one form of this appeal from the few to the many, from forces of abstract democracy to democracy that is the rule of the people."

If politicians get in office and then create offices and steal public money enough to buy re-election, the people are to blame. The plain voter will get just as good government as he demands and no better. It is getting to where no politician or statesman will undertake to make a sure enough fight for the plain people. They will become a candidate to fool the people if corporations or county rings will invite them or put up the campaign funds to buy votes.

THE introduction of the English or gray pheasant into Oregon will be attempted by a number of prominent Portland sportsmen next spring. It is proposed to import at least fifty pairs of these birds, and as they are hardy and prolific, that number, if they are properly placed and protected for a few years, should give the species a fair start. The Willamette Valley should be a paradise for them, as they prosper best where the higher state of cultivation prevails, and besides are said to be a benefit to agriculture.

IS Colorado there was no shrinking the silver question, says the Denver News. It was pushed to the front by the friends of the white metal and kept there. The result is the state ticket nominated by the silverites was elected by twice the majority ever before given to any set of candidates. The moral is plain. Silver must be the great issue of 1900. Bryan must be nominated by a rising vote. With bimetalism on the flag carried by our patriot leader, silver will as surely win as the battle of 1900 will be fought.—Jacksonville Times.

SENATOR HANNA, the chief mogul of the republican party, whose commands are absolutely obeyed by his subjects, in a recent interview admitted that the Dingley tariff law was a failure as a revenue producer. He says that the war tax has come to stay, with certain amendments, and suggests that a duty be placed on tea, coffee and other necessities of the poor man. Still, a majority of the people voted to put that apostle of "protection" for the trusts, Mr. McKinley, where he could do them the most harm, and they must not flinch over the results of their folly. They can right matters in 1900, however, by electing that great champion of the people's highness, William Jennings Bryan, or some other reformer, as president.

THE GROWTH OF POPULISM.

The populist party has won few victories at the polls. It has elected comparatively few officers in the several states of the union. But it has victories more glorious and more far-reaching than the triumph of political contests. Silently it has planted the seeds of truth in the hearts of men. Its teachings and its doctrines have been scattered broadcast and have found successful lodgment in the minds of millions of honest intelligent voters, whence not all the ridicule of wealth and the jeers of plutocracy can eradicate.

Let us briefly review some of the great truths of populism which have found favor with the people. Eight years ago the idea of postal savings banks was one of the most hated of populist vagaries. The idea was ridiculed and derided with all the venom at the command of old party politicians when the populist party first advanced it. To-day postal savings banks are advocated by some of the ablest statesmen of the old parties. Indeed the present republican administration is said to favor these banks. So popular has the idea become with the people that the republicans of Washington placed a plank in their state platform favoring postal savings banks.

The populist party first advanced the theory of government ownership of telegraph and telephone lines. It was derided as a visionary scheme of populism. To-day it is advocated by a large percentage of the membership of the republican party and is a tenet of democratic doctrines. If submitted to a fair vote of the people it would overwhelmingly carry in the United States.

Do you remember what a howl was raised when the populist party first advocated the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people? The howl is now the other way. It is now the man who opposes the idea that is ridiculed to-day. Even the Portland Oregonian, the most radical goldbug organ in the country, advocates the election of senators by the people.

When the populist party demanded that the Nicaragua canal be built, owned and controlled by the government, a million political hands went up in holy horror at the idea. It was more paternalism and was a most vicious and dangerous suggestion. But time passed and it is now the pride of the old parties that they advocate the building, ownership and control of the Nicaragua canal by the government.

But if among the teachings of populism there was one idea that was more distasteful and disgusting than another that idea was government ownership and control of railroads. This was fanaticism gone mad. It was the most visionary of a collection of most unaccountable vagaries. The republican party drew up its silken skirts and shrunk with hysterical horror from its vile contamination. How is it to-day? A large percentage of republican voters openly declare their endorsement of the doctrine. A still larger number would vote for it, if they voted their honest convictions. But a few days ago the dispatches announced that General James Longstreet, a republican and railroad commissioner of the United States under President McKinley, had recommended to the government the building of two transcontinental lines of railway. These roads are to be owned and operated by the government. Populism on the subject pure and simple and that by a republican of national reputation serving as an officer of a republican administration.

These are a few of the triumphs of populism and they are more worthy the wreath of victory than all the victories won in heated political campaigns. If the populist party should die to-day, it has sown the seeds of truth in the minds of men that will never die.—People's Advocate, Okemah, Wash.

COSTLY HONORS.

Here are some of the amounts which Republican candidates for congress in New York state swear that they spent in their campaigns:

Underhill, of West Chester.....\$6,810
Stewart, of Amsterdam..... 6,971
Ketcham, of Dover Plains..... 7,500
Littaner, of Gloversville..... 3,000

These figures of course do not include the sums spent in securing nominations or renominations.

In his two years a congressman draws only \$10,000 in salary.

Question: Is it coming to pass that only the rich can get Republican nominations for congress in this state?—N. Y. World.

The Albany Democrat says the Salem papers have a good one on Portland, which is claiming the state fair should be held in that city because it can better support one. Recently Portland, says the Eugene Guard, held a racing meet, which was very poorly attended, and one man who won a \$50 purse received only \$2.50 on it.

If the meet had been in Salem the state would have made up the \$47.50 from the people's tax money.

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W. B. Jennings to J. A. Nelson 54.65 a, Jennings ctm; \$5.

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O & C. R. R. Co to A. Drgden, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, se 1/4 of nw 1/4, sec 23, t 2 s, 5 e; \$320.

Geo. H. Harding to J. J. Wallace, lot 7, blk 3, Mt Pleasant; \$900.

J. H. Rankin to U. S., e 1/2 of nw 1/4, sw 1/4 of se 1/4 and nw 1/4 of se 1/4, sec 8, 2 s, 6 e; act of cong.

D. Chalmers to E. Nuttall, 50x111 feet, block "B", Canemah; \$90.

P. Pellatz to Otto Knorr, 40 a, sec 26, 3 s, 1 w; \$550.

H. J. Scott to I. Lang, lot 10 blk 28, Gladstone; \$75.

J. and K. Wolfard to A. C. Wright, e 1/2 of nw 1/4 and nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 and ne 1/4 of nw 1/4, sec 12, t 6 s, 2 e; \$1,000.

M. J. Albright to O. P. Logan, 7 1/2 acres in Marquam ctm; \$100 40.

J. F. Mortenson to W. Mortenson, 20.06 a, sec 8, 6 s, 1 e; \$350.

L. Miller et al to E. Riggs et al, se 1/4 of ne 1/4 and ne 1/4 of se 1/4, sec 26, 4 s, 1 e; \$1.

A. W. Riggs to E. Riggs, se 1/4 of ne 1/4 qr of se qr, sec 26, 4 s, 1 e, \$1.

G. Freeman to J. T. Searle lot 5, blk 9, Canemah; \$50.

M. H. and K. Flanagan to L. Hornschuch, lot 8, blk 14, co add; \$950.

A. and E. Crossan to C. N. Daley, ne qr of nw qr, sec 21, also 5, 8 a; \$230.

L. Wilkinson to E. Oliver, e 1/2 of w 1/2 of ne qr, sec 6, 4 s, 2 e; \$350.

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