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REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

State Senator. HENRY E. McGINN. Representatives. A. A. COURTENEY, GEORGE M. ORTON, SANDERSON REED. JOHN GILL, DAN J. MALARKEY, J. S. HUTCHINSON, S. B. COBB, H. J. FISHER, W. R. HUDSON, C. W. HODSON, A. A. BAILEY, W. W. BANKS.

LET US HAVE HARMONY.

The New Age bows and yields to events and results. It is yet a Republican paper. It will support and work down for the candidates of the Republican party generally, if not wholly, it Senator Simon and other very faithful Republicans who have won the victories for the party in the past, and who must be counted on to win victorles in the future. The New Age has no apoligies or excuses to make; it has always spoken kindly and considerately of the gentlemen who are now "on top" and "riding in the band wagon." It believes that they are good and true Republicans; supporters of President Roosevelt as they were of the late President McKinley. The New Age has no quarrel with them.

But they have a very important in adjourning for a week. That will give time for reflection . What the did not cast many votes at the primarfor governor, District-Attorney Geo. E. Chamberlain, who is a vote-getter, gon, and especially to Portland. and deserves to be. There is no need The New Age hopes that the gentle-

ticket. Eastern Oregon will probably unite, practically on Mr. W. J. Furnish, and the New Age thinks that Portland, as a matter of politics, as a matter of policy, as a matter of business, ought to give this nomination to Eastern Oregon's choice.

Mr. Furnish, formely a Democrat from principle, is now a Republican from principle-and a good one-there are no better. He wants no other office-will take none. He does not desire to be United States Senator in the future. He does desire to be governor, and a very laudable ambition

it is. Mr. Furnish has been tried in various capacities, public and private; in all of them he has proved himself a noble specimen of young American manhood. Nobody doubts either his capacity or his integrity. He would make an ideal governor for the exposition period. He is in entire sympathy with that movement and enterprise as much as any Portland man is or can be.

Mr. Furnish ought to be nominated in the New Age's opinion in the spirit of harmony. While perhaps classed as an "anti-Simon" man, he has made his own fight on his own merits, has antagonized nor interferred with anybody. He is about the cleanest, straighest, most admirable specimen of manhood that has come prominently before the people of Oregon; and such

men should not be ignored or turned

doubt, but he isn't an Eastern Oregon his character. thinks the Republican convention did man. We have the two United States not quite sufficiently recognize and re- Senators in Portland and it would be alize the political obligation owed to "hoggish," impolitic, to take the governorship also.

> The New Age has a pretty clear vision. It believes yet, as it has all along, that the interests of both the state and of the Republican party will be best subserved by nominating:

For goveernor, W. J. Furnish For congressman, M. A. Moody.

CONGRESSMAN MOODY.

It is vastly important to renominate and re-elect Congressman Moody. We law-to-be is an old blowhard, and it trying to keep track of the tune; the all really know that on account of his made me tired-everybody else, tootwo terms' experience, he is the man the way he bragged about the fish he

for the place. No new man could do caught in former years. duty to perform to the party and to the work for Oregon that he could this city and state. They did wisely and would do. Few men, in fact, would have succeeded so well as he has done. He has been a true, intelresult will be in June depends largely ligent, industrious, faithful friend and no doubt, upon the character and scope servant of Oregon. He has done more of their deliberations. The Democrats than anybody before him in that position to open up the Columbia river. with bated breath for him to return. ies, but they will cast a good many He is a careful, energetic, painstaking more at the June election. They will business man-yet a young mannominate for the head of their ticket whose defeat for some new aspirant would be a positive disaster to Ore-

in disguising this fact. He was elect- men elected Wednesday to the state

FOR STATE SENATOR.

Henry E. McGinn, candidate for How a Commercial Traveler Had Fun state senator, is a prominent lawyer, a life-long resident of Portland, and a very capable man. In some respects a certain little Western town I used he is probably the ablest lawyer on to cover was its extraordinary number ence in the legislature, having served cial traveler, who would rather lose an one term before as a state senator tical joke. "Preacher and people, rich and also as a circuit court judge. and poor, all had heads like billiard Judge McGinn is a big man, and will balls. It was a dull town, so one night be a larger one in state politics, and when a vaudeville troupe was billed may get into the highest position, if for the place I regarded it as a golden he has such an ambition, before 1910. opportunity to have some fun. I had Mulnomah county will be well and met the company in my travels-a flyably represented in the state senate by-night show, with a ballet that was

by Judge McGinn. Fred L. Olsen, a newspaper man and a lawyer, and faithful and success-

ful in both capacities, is a candidate for justice of the peace on the East Side. If nominated and elected he will make a very acceptable officer.

The Republican legislative ticket is ular lingo, like this: on the whole an excellent one. It is composed of first-class men, who deserve to be elected, as no doubt they will be.

Geo. E. Watkins, the well-known real estate man, has announced himself as candidate for assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

Little prattling Brownell will never get beyond the state senatorship. That is several sizes too large for him. in an unbroken circle around the stage;

GOT AHEAD OF THE OLD MAN. Where the Camera Fiend Used His Skill

to Great Advantage. "It was simply bullheaded luck." said

the young man with the red shirtwaist. dancers. The leader stood with up-"Papa declared that it would be a warm day when he consented to my ing for the signal. At this moment I marrying his daughter, and, as the weather record had been broken several times after he had made that remark, I was beginning to lose hope. When all-the-world-to-me went on her vaca-

"Finally some one hinted that it would be a good plan for him to make good at his fellow and grew red and wrathy. and give us an example of his skill as a fisherman. He accepted the challenge and spent three days getting his tackle no necessity for me to sneak out of ready. He went alone, as he said he town. Again the house went wild, and didn't want to be bothered by having the orchestra nearly smashed their inany greenhorns along, and we walted "Now, I am something of a camera calm of that town. The story spread fiend, and late in the afternoon I start. to every surrounding hamlet; business ed out to take a picture of a little wood- boomed, orders were doubled, and eved dell when the shadows were well down. I was making my way to the road through some thick brush when [again could I induce any one to accept discovered my daddy-in-law-to be stand- a complimentary ticket to a show." ing in the middle of the road bargain-

HE WOKE UP A SLEEPY TOWN.

with the Bald-Headed Men. "One of the most notable features of of bald-headed men," said the commera choice assortment of animated cadavers.

"I went to the opera house and bought up the front row, twenty seats circling round the stage, which stamped 'Not Transferable.' Then I picked out twenty of the baldest men in that bald-headed community and spent the day circulating those interesting bits of pasteboard. I had a reg-

"'Going to the show to-night?

"'I dun know.' "'Well, you'd better go. It's a good thing. Here's a complimentary ticket I'd like to give you if you will surely go, for you see it's not transferable." "Of course, every victim was wild to get something for nothing, so I nailed my men hard and fast. The town had the usual quota of small boys, and just before the play began I filled the gallery with them. Everything went beautifully. My twenty baldheads sat Judge Carey is a "good man" no There isn't a spark of sincerity in the gallery was jammed with youngsters who thoroughly understood their part of the drama.

"Then I took my seat where they could all see me. After the usual preamble by the orchestra the ballet put in an appearance and swung into line -a scrawny crowd of superannuated lifted baton, and the ballet was waitraised my hand, and from the gallery came the bellowing chorus: " 'Baldbeads to the front!'

"In an instant the audience of slowwitted people 'caught on.' as they saw tion I went to the same place and put that circle of baldheads around the up at the same hotel. Now, papa-in- stage. The orchestra had a hard time ballet tied themselves into hard knots, and the gallery gods sent out a deafen-

ing tempest of howls and cat calls. 'Each one of the baldheads looked Then they laughed as only bald-headed men can laugn, and I knew there was struments before the pandemonium ceased. It broke up the everlasting ery time I went there the boys 'set 'em up.' I was awfully popular, but never



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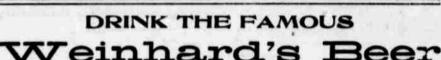
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THE NEW AGE, PORTLAND, OREGON.

was elected District Attorney here Age refuses to be blindfolded; if the important position of duty. Republicans are going to win, they conditions. In the language of Grover Cleveland, " it is a condition, not a and of Oregon.

The New Age speaks not for Mr. Simon particularly at all-has never done so-but it speaks for hundreds, even thousands of Republican voters. and especially for several hundred Negro voters. These voters want good government, too, as well as others; they want, clean capable men, and by the way, straight, outright Republicans-elected to office. They consider this important; necessary.

Is it wise, is it fair, is it necessary, is it politic, under such circumstances to crowd Mr. Simon and his friends and supporters to the wall, over the new man would be an other nobody. ropes, outside the party? The New Age believes this will not be done. There is a chance for "harmony" yet. But both "factions"-for it might as well be frankly acknowledged that there are or have been factions-must be recognized, allowed to have a voice tional spirit it turns down Moody. and a vote. Isn't this fair, reasonable, proper: necessary?

If it is determined to defeat Senator Simon next winter, very well; men go up and down; but the Republican party will make a very serious mistake if it attempts to ostracise, politically Senator Simon and his friends and supporters. He yet holds his high office for more than a year: he is yet a very potntial figure in local politics; let not these facts be forgotten.

The way to have harmony, just as in the case of a strke, a contest between employers and employees, is to make mutual concessions. Are our friends McGinn, Carey, Mathews and Scott willing to do that next week? If not-well.

THE GOVERNORSHIP.

Among others aspirants, one towers far above all others. He quietly, can might be senator. Well, he may be. didly, but energetically, says he is a There are a mighty sight worse men. candidate. He lives in Eastern Oregon, and as the New Age has said before, that part of the state is fairly man. Watch out for him and see him entitled to this place on the state grow.

in discussing this fact. He was elect. convention, even if determined to when this county was normally 5000 renominate Mr. Moody. He isn't clany ging into it with the other. Republican. There must some merit moring for it at all, but he deserves in a man who thus succeeds, and in it, and we owe it to ourselves, to our the causes he represents. The New business interests, to keep him at that

There is no contest over Mr. will have to face facts and existing Tongue people care not whether he was for free silver, or what faction or clique he has belonged to in state theory" that now confronts the Re. politics. He is recognized as an able, publican party of Multnomah county useful, forceful man, and the people of the first district are going to keep

him there as long as he wants to stay. Why not do the same with Moody? He is quite as deserving, even if not work together in harmony for Oregon a lawyer like Tongue. They will work together in harmony for Oregon. The potential figures in congress are the men who stay there, Hoar, Allison, Morgan, Platt, Cannon, Grosvenor, Delzell, Payne and so on. A congressman amounts to nothing in his first

term, a little more in his second; in the third he begins to be somebody. and can accomplish something. A Williamson would be a mere figurehead for the first term; Moody is now a potential man of business, who can and will do what we want done. The Republican convention will make a serious mistake if in any fac-

The nomination for state offices go over the 27th. It is practically settled, according to the New Age's present information, that Governor Geer will not be renominated. The New Age has known for many months that Mr. Geer should not seek a re-nomination. It would have been impolitic for pared an index of all the debates in him to do so.

Mr. N. H. Alexander, who is a candidate for county clerk before the county convention, needs no introduction to the public. He was one of the foremost members of the old Multopor club and of the Multorpor quar tette and has been an active campaigner in his party for years.

Now our good friend Binger, Binger the handshaker. Binger the smiler. the smiller, Binger the affable-Binger Hermann-imagines that at last he

B. S. Eddy of Tillamook, is a coming

ing with a small boy for a long string ed Attorney-General of the state when feat Senator Simon, will at least do of fish. Quick as a flash I took a snapit was normally 5000 Republican. He this congressional district, this state, shot of him just as he was holding on the Pacific northwest, the justice to to his pocket with one hand and dig-

"I let the old man brag around the hotel for three days about the fish he had caught. Then I showed him the picture, told him if he didn't consent to my marrying his daughter I would spread it broadcast over the hotel, and pointed out where his reputation would be. He wilted, guiped hard, and surrendered. He isn't a bad sort when remind one over and over again of the you know how to handle him."-Detroit Free Press.

Bank Note of Ancient Make.

the Asiatic museum at St. Petersburg rocks, their probable habits in sterile is a bank note which dates from 1390 or open countries of making their B. C., and which is said to be the old- homes in holes and caverns, their misest such note in existence. It bears chievousness and prankish good nathe name of the imperial bank, the ture, all seem to suggest that it was date and number of issue and the sig- some race like this which inspired most nature of a mandarin, together with of the stories of Teuton and Celt rea list of punishments for forgery. This garding a dwarfish people of quasirelic is probably written, for printing supernatural attributes. from wooden tablets is said to have 160 A. D.

Ever remark the fool things appar ently sensible people w ll do?

Pauperism in London.

On Dec. 31, 1901, there were in London, England, 107.768 paupers who were in receipt of relief. This total, which includes 68,297 indoor and 39,471 outdoor paupers, compares with returns of 104,365 and 104,744 and 103,out for the corresponding weeks of the three preceding years. There were also 1.003 vagrants, consisting of 825 men, 167 women, and 11 children, who on that same day received temporary relief.

Index of Congressional Debates. Ex-Senator l'effer of Kansas bas pre-Congress up to 1861, and proposes to make the work complete to the present time.

Fire Losses of America.

Within the last twenty-live years the are loss in the United States has exceeded \$2.800.000.000 To this total the year 1901 has contributed losses aggregating over \$170,000,000.

So He Did.

Mrs. Slimson-Willie, your shirt is dripping.

Willie-Yes'm. Some boys tempted me to go in swimming, and I ran away from them so hard that I got into an awful perspiration.

To Utilize the Sunflower.

According to an Egyptian Journal cotton seed oll as an adulterant of olive oil is soon to find a sturdy rival in the form of the seed of the sunflower.

GNOMES AND DWARFS.

Tales of Fulk-Lore May Have Been Founded on Pygmies of Africa. It is just possible that this type of pygmy negro which survives to-day in the recesses of inner Africa may even have overspread Europe in remote times. If it did, then the conclusion is irresistitble that it gave rise to most

of the myths and beliefs connected

with gnomes, kobolds and fairles.

The demeanor and actions of the little Kongo dwarfs at the present day traits attributed to the brownles and goblins of our fairy stories. Their remarkable power of becoming invisible One of the most vanued treasures of by adroit hiding in herbage and behind

The dwarfs of the Kongo forest can been introduced in China in the year be good or bad neighbors to the big black people, according to the treatment they receive. If their selfish depredations on the banana groves or their occasional thefts of tobacco or maize are condoned, or even if they are conciliated by small gifts of such food left exposed where it can be easily taken, they will in return leave behind them in their nightly visitations gifts of meat and products of the chase. such as skins or ivory.

I have been informed by some of the forest negroes, says Sir Harry H. Johnston in McClure's, that the dwarfs will occasionally steal their children and put in their places pygmy bables of ape-like appearance-changelings, in fact-bringing up the children they have stolen in the dwarf tribe. These collections of pygmies, which one can scarcely call tribes, certainly exhibit from time to time individuals of ordinary stature and with features not strongly resembling those of the pygmy type.

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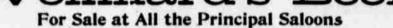
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and her baggage arrives at the house, she always says to her bostess: "Good ness, you would think by the amount of baggage I brought, I intended staying forever."

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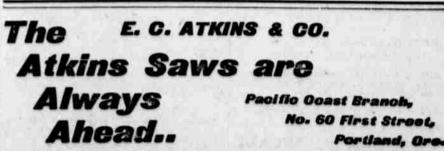
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