THE ARGUS

Entered at the Post-office at Hillsboro, Oregon, as Second class mail matter.

LUCIUS A. LONG, EDITOR.

County Official Paper.

ISSUED EVERY THURSDAY
— BY —
The Argus Publishing Company.

Subscription: One Dollar per Annum. Six Months, 60 cts; Three Months, 35 cts.

Opposed to Gold Mono metallism. Believes in the Bimetallic Standard Thinks we Ought to Take Care of our own People Before Annexing Hawaii. Has no use for Marcus A. Hanna.

UNION TICKET.

For Governor
WILL R. KING,
Baker County.
For Secretary of State
H. R. KINCAID,
Linn County.
For Treasurer
J. O. BOOTH,
Josephine County.
For Supreme Judge,
W. A. RAMSAY,
Yamhill County.
For Attorney-General
J. L. STORY,
Wasco County.
For State Printer
CHARLES A. FITCH,
Clackamas County.
For Sup't. Public Instruction
H. S. LYMAN,
Clatsop County.

District.

For Congressman, First District
ROBT. M. VEATCH.
For Judge, Fifth Judicial District
W. D. HARE.
For Prosecuting Attorney, Fifth District
GEO. NOLAND.

County.

For Judge
L. A. ROOD.
For Representatives, 15th District
J. C. PRICKETT
B. G. LEEDY
JOHN M. WALL.
For County Clerk
LINCOLN LAUGHLIN.
For Sheriff
IRA E. PURDIN.
For Recorder of Conveyances
IRA HAYNAM.
For County Commissioner
CONRAD SCHULMERICH.
For Assessor
J. C MILLER.
For Surveyor
T. S. WILKES.
For School Superintendent
J. T. DORRIEN.
For Coroner
DR. W. P. VIA.

A RANTING DEMAGOGUE.

This little Schoonmaker, who comes here to stump for Mr. Tongue, is making a perfect ass of himself in attempting the "patriot plea" a la gold standard. His aping the gold press in this connection should be enough to disgust sensible people of any political persuasion whatsoever. For a man to make a fool of himself is excusable at all times, for God's mishaps should not be charged to man individually. But when a man of reputed sense makes a villianous blackguard of himself in thus attempting to partisanly draw the line of loyalty, it is high time that public sentiment and common sense proceed to show him by their ballot that decency is still at a premium.

It is enough for decent people to endure in this ranting demagogue that he comes to Oregon to plead for debased product and the mule who would neither kick nor eat him would be very poor contraband of war. Notwithstanding that God made him, he does not, by his own voice, "pass for a man."

Mau llin demagogues, of whom Schoonmaker has proven himself one, ought to get into the market somewhere and swap brains with some superannuated idiot and quit ranting about men and measures.

A TRUCE TO INDECENCY.

We say it in all candor: Let the cringing press which ignominiously assaults bimetallists as against the country in its hour of peril, face about and help those very supporters of the farm and field impose a tax upon the great incomes of the country as a war measure! Their very utterances, as above noted, are treason and outrage. Because men support a financial system which gives to the farmers just and equitable prices for his labor, it is a poor time to hear cries of "traitor" from those who would take advantage of travail, by force of ridicule and damnable, splenetic falsehood, to enforce political panjandrum. But debased product supporters and cheap labor demagogues always rise to their level in times of stress, and unmask their intents and purposes. They then, in their sheer desperation, uncover the very rottenness of their pretences to stand for American honor! Let these demagogues stand with the socalled "traitor"—yes, to Rothschilds' Spanish and Spanish Cuban bonds—to tax the wealth, as wealth, only, in time of war, rather than tax human beings by bonding. A truce to the rant and indecency of our syndicate press.

THE VAMPIRE'S BROOD

The tactics of the powerful gold press in charging free coinage advocates with treason, is treason itself—treason to better judgment; treason to American manhood;—a direct insult to a majority of the Caucasions of the United States—for a majority of the whites voted for free coinage at the last presidential election. In time of war, altho' it be with an insignificent power, when each and every American heart thrills with love of country and in support of the nation's honor and defense, these ghoulish assertions of our goldite friends come like a relic of barbarism; like a vampire's brood of bloodsucking creatures, to bulldoze, to dwarf and to politically annihilate the very essence of American citizenship. It is pitiful and yet, weak—coming from men of supposed intelligence.

Every man of sense, even if he concur with their idea of the gold standard, instinctively abhors the present attempts of the gold standard press to fasten the badge of shame upon those who prefer product not debased, as measured in money.

MEASURES, NOT MEN.

You now have the initiative and referendum through the ballot but the system admits of betrayal through individualism when in office. No man who wants the majority to rule is willing to leave the system as it is—for it is abortive in too many instances. Fix it so you can vote for measures or the repeal of measures, direct, and then the farm people can get laws. Quit voting for men and vote for measures. It is only the politician who does not want the method of direct lawmaking. Such a system would "rob" him of the opportunity to sell out—which he often does.

BELIES ITSELF—READ THIS.

The Independent in 1895 fought Mr. Dolph and his support of the present financial system. Mr. Dolph wanted the greenbacks retired, and in fact, was an exponent of just what Messrs. Gage, Hanna and McKinley now desire. The Oregonian at that time went after the Dolph opposition. The Independent retaliated and if its utterances are to be indicative of what it wanted, and what it believed to be republican policy, it is true, then, that our contemporary has gone over, body, boots and breeches to Wall street. There are no republican farmers but who will do well to read what the Independent said, editorially, January 11, 1895, and in so doing, they must acknowledge THE ARGUS' repeated charge, that the organ is now making a political blunder. The editorial utterance at that time came from our brother when he felt for producers and when he thought the present financial system was a bad thing—when he realized the money volume should, to use his own words, expand "with population and business needs. Here is what he said, and it gives the lie direct to every one of his editorial utterances of today:

"The Oregonian and some of its aiders and abettors must be more consistent supporters of the republican principles and republican measures than it has been in the past before it has the right to decide who are republican and who are not. What right has it to set up the financial standard of the democratic administration and declare that all republicans who do not support it have abandoned the party? It was not under any republican administration that there was a total stoppage of the coinage of silver. It was not a republican administration that had declared war upon the paper currency of the country. Contraction of the nation's money is not a republican precept. No republican convention ever declared for it. The republican party, when in power, authorized substantially that silver produced from the American mines should be converted into money and favored currency expanding with the population and business needs. If any man or set of men are authorized to turn it over, body and soul, to the principles of the democratic Wall street administration they ought to earn the right by longer and more conscientious service in the republican ranks than the Oregonian and some of the supporters of Mr. Dolph.

This same paper now asks people to support the administration idea of finance, which is exactly in accord with the late Mr. Dolph's ideas. The Independent even went so far, in the same date of issue, as to acknowledge and fight against the idea of contraction. It said of Mr. Dolph and his policy:

"He is representing a policy of contraction, is working to secure the interests of the banks and railroad corporations against the interests of the people. He represents Wall street and London, not the producing classes of the state of Oregon. He is the representative of the east and Europe, not of the great west. Oregon, as well as the entire western part of the U. S., has been built up largely on borrowed capital, and owes large sums to the east and Europe. We re willing to pay these debts fairly in the money of the value in which they were contracted. But the policy urged by Mr. Dolph, of the contraction of the currency, making it scarce and high, would double and treble the indebtedness of every man in the state.

The west sells food products and has no other way of paying its indebtedness, either principal or interest The policy of Senator Dolph **would decrease, and IS DECREASING from one-half to TWO-THIRDS the price of everything Oregon has to sell.**

The organ now asks republican farmers to stand in for those very same things which it then condemned. This is more pregnant with shame when we remember that the paper is Tongue's personal organ and that the above quotations read mightily like Mr. Tongue's usually able style. Wil republican farmers be hoodwinked to vote for contraction since they have advice from the king-pin that it is damning? Will rantings for "sound money at this date make political tools out of honest farmers to further the interests of the banks? Common sense says, "no!"

PROTECTION is what we want, but we want a protection which shall benefit the farmers of the nation They are being hurt by a money system which produces a volume insufficient with which a dollar may be kept stable. It means cheaper product every year. Vote for better prices for farm products and rebuke those who are voting for debased industry under the guise of "honest dollars" Give our farmers monetary protection and they will prosper.

OUR UNION TICKET.

The union county ticket and platform should be successful at the polls in the ensuing election. On the legislative and county tickets are clean men, men of good repute—men who are not mere politicians The ticket is a representative one—representative of the farming interests of Washington county. They all stand for good product and good prices as against debased product. Laying aside all questions of personality this one thing alone should be sufficient to command the respect of every voter who is interested in farming and farm property and who wants good prices for commodities at all times, not desiring to have to depend upon famine and war in order to get a decent return for his labor.

This is a business proposition; and the man who is interested in agriculture should vote for agricultural betterment—not for the interests which desire to get more farm commodity and farm property for each dollar they own.

REPUBLICANS IN CONVENTION

Met at Hillsboro This Morning at 11.

TAMIESIE TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN.

Full Delegations out From Every Precinct. Mountain had two Sets.

The republicans met in county convention this morning and Dr. Tamiesie, of this city, was made temporary chairman.

The convention met at 2 o'clock and the temporary officers were made permanent. The delegates were then seated and from start to finish it was evident that those who approved Mr. Simon's holdup were in the majority so far as state senator was concerned Mr. Ed Haines, of Forest Grove, defeated Hon. C F. Tigard, of Tigardville, for that office by a vote of 88 to 36

The representatives nominated are: J R C Thompson, of Tigardville; G W Marsh, of Centerville; Abner Briggs, of Dilley.

Thompson and Marsh were in the holdup at the last legislature, standing for Mitchell, but from the votes received they were supported in the convention by nearly all of those who are known to be in touch with the Simon faction in politics.

For county Judge, B P Cornelius, D B Reasoner and J C Moore were nominated. Cornelius received 79 votes against the other two, and this being 16 of a majority, he was declared the nominee. The following were declared nominated by acclamation: W. D. Bradford, for sheriff; J. A. Imbrie, for clerk; Cal Jack jr., for recorder.

A. B. Cady was nominated for county treasurer. J. Q A. Young received the nomination for commissioner. Assessor, C A. Cavell, of Middleton. A. A Morrill was named for surveyor; residence, this city. Dr Large was the nominee for coroner. A young man by the name of Ball was named for school superintendent.

John V. Hale is home from Roseburg, having suffered a bruise from a stick of wood falling on his foot, while firing a locomotive. He returns as soon as well.

THE union ticket has the following in its county platform:

"We pledge our law making powers to reduce the salaries of our county officials to a fair compensation for services rendered."

This is something which is an imperative demand. Competency in public service should always receive fair payment, but our public officers are getting to much in several instances. The Simon legislature will not reduce salaries, because from them comes much of the always large campaign fund used by those who control the republican machine

Dewey didn't "dewey" thing to the Spanish squadron. And it was in the "dewey" morn.

Look out for the puny minded thing which calls you a traitor because you believe in a political policy which you think is American in its broadest interpretation. The sunlight of common love for man has never brightened the pate of such intellects, no matter how smart they may tell you they are, in their monumental egotism.

NOTICE.

City warrants up to February 22, 1895, are now payable at the office of city treasurer, Schulmerich store, Hillsboro, Oregon, and interest will cease on same after this date.

Dated May 5, 1898.

F. G. MITCHELL,
City Treasurer
By GEO. SCHULMERICH, Deputy.

Teacher's Quarterly Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools in this county, the county superintendent there of will hold a public examination at Forest Grove, beginning at one o'clock p. m. on May 11, the second Wednesday of the month and continuing through Friday.

Applicants for state papers may prepare themselves on Thursday, May 12. For state certificates the only requirement is experience of 2½ months, fee, $4 00; state diploma, 30 months experience and examination in bookkeeping physical geography and composition; fee, $6.00; state life diploma, 45 months experience and examination in algebra, English literature, Oregon school law and general history, fee, $10.

Candidates for county certificates for third grade must be at least 16 years of age, for second grade 17 years and for first grade 18 years.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1898.

AUSTIN CRAIG,
County School Superintendent of Washington county, Oregon.

UNION PLATFORM.

First—We demand the free and unrestricted coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to 1, without waiting for the consent of foreign nations; and we are unalterably opposed to the policy of the present republican administration in demanding the retirement of greenbacks, and the turning over of the money making power of the government to the national banks as presented by the bill drawn by the republican secretary of the treasury, and indorsed by President McKinley; and we especially denounce the avowed attempt by said bill to fasten the country irrevocably and forever to the gold standard.

We demand a national money safe and sound, issued by the general government only, without the intervention of banks of issue, to be a full legal tender for all debts, public and private; also a just, equitable and efficient means of distribution direct to the people through the lawful disbursements of the government.

We demand that the volume of circulating medium be speedily increased to an amount sufficient to meet the demands of the business and population of this country and to restore the just level of prices of labor and production.

We favor such legislation as will prevent for the future the demonetization of any kind of legal tender money by private contract.

We demand that the government, in payment of its obligations, shall use its option as to the kind of lawful money in which they are to be paid, and we denounce the present and preceding administrations for surrendering this option to the holders of government obligations.

We demand that there shall be no further issue of U. S. interest-bearing bonds.

We demand that postal savings banks be established by the government for the safe deposit of the savings of the people and to facilitate exchange.

We demand the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

We demand the initiative and referendum system of law making in its optional form, local, state and national and the submission by congress of all important questions for an advisory vote of the people, until such time as the national constitution shall have been amended so as to provide for direct legislation.

We condemn as dangerous and unjust the surrender, in all departments of the government, to the influence of trusts, corporations and aggregations of wealth generally; and the packing of the highest courts of the land with corporation lawyers, too ready to do the will of their late employers, and to set aside valid and wholesome laws passed by the legislative departments of the states and government, upon flimsy pretexts, at the behests of such institutions.

We are opposed to government by injunction.

In state matters we demand:

A simple and well guarded registration law.

A more equitable mode of appointing judges of election.

Stringent laws to regulate the operation of fish traps, fish wheels and all fishing gear in the waters within the jurisdiction of the state.

We denounce and condemn the corrupt and extravagant republican legislative assemblies, and charge that the republican party, in its eagerness for the spoils of office, has become divided into warring factions, so that it is incapable of government as exemplified by the condition existing in the office of the state treasurer, there being at this time more than $500,000 therein, wrung from the people by the process of taxation, while state warrants are stamped "Not paid for want of funds."

We demand that all district and county officers be placed upon salaries commensurate with the duties to be performed by them.

Inasmuch as railroad and other corporate property is not bearing its proportion of taxation, we demand that such property shall bear its just and equal share of the expense of government.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of an execution, decree and order of sale, issued out of the circuit court of the State of Oregon, for Washington county, in favor of Bernhardene Westphal and against Albert Lockyean, S. Hughes and A. Hinman, assignees of the estate of Anton Pfunnor, insolvent; John Williams, Sadie Williams and J. F. Schenck for the sum of $15 costs, and for the further sum of $800 U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 12th day of Oct. 1896, and $100 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 22d day of March, 1898, as attorney's fees herein, and for the costs and expenses of sale and of said writ.

Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will on Monday, the 16th day of May, 1898, at the south door of the Court House, in Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

Beginning at the northwest corner of the Elkanah Walker donation land claim in T 1 N R 4 W of the Will Mer and thence east 10.45 chs, thence south 58 deg 50' W, 17.15 chs to the center of the road, thence north 42 deg 00' W, with same 3.64 chs thence north 58 deg 50' E 5.24 chs to the northeast corner of the Henry Buxton, Sr., claim, thence north 3 deg 30' E 2.21 chs to the place of beginning containing 5 acres, all situate in Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the hereinbefore named named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale.

Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon.

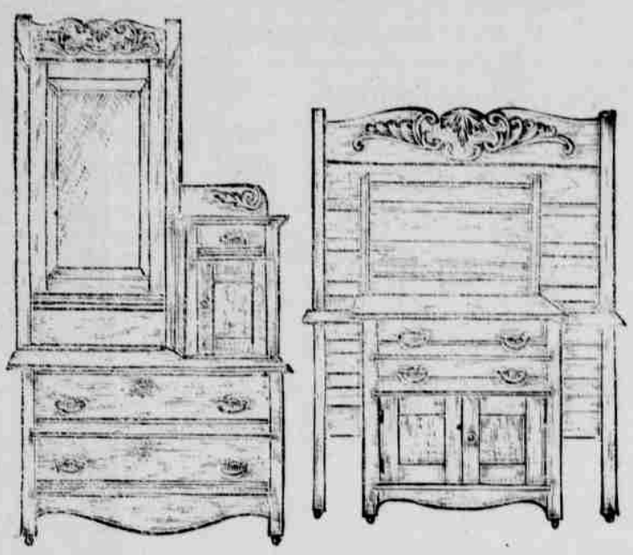
Witness my hand this 15th day of April, 1898.

W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington county, Oregon.
John M. Wall, Atty for Plff.

Hillsboro House, Cor. 2d & Wash'ton
J. NORTHRUP,
Newly Furnished and Renovated.
A first-class table and all accommodations for the convenience of guests.

Shute & Foote, Bankers
Transact a General Banking Business
J. W. SHUTE ..... Manager
A. C. SHUTE ..... Cashier
Sell sight Exchange and Telegraphic Transfers and issues Letters of Credit available throughout the United States.
Draw bills of Exchange on London, Liverpool, Dublin, Paris, Berlin, Frankfort-on-the-Main, Stockholm and all principal cities of Europe.
Collections made on all accessible points
Banking hours from 9 a m to 3 p m
Hillsboro, Oregon.

Wm. Gadsby, The House Furnisher
Corner Washington and First Streets, Portland.



This fine Ash Chamber Suit, Cheval Mirror, Beveled Edge on Dresser, Washstand has high Splasher back, Bedstead stands 6 feet high, special price to readers of the Argus..... $13.00

.. WE CARRY ..

Chamber Suits, Ash, Hotel Style	$10 00	Rocking Chairs, Arm, Leather Seat	$ 2 50
Chamber Suits, Ash, Landscape Glass	12 00	Parlor Suits, 5 pieces, consisting of Sofa, Divan, Patent Rocker, Arm Chair, Reception Chair, Oak Frames, upholstered in American Tapestry with Silk Plush Trimmings	20 00
Chamber Suits, Oak, Mirror 24x30 inches	18 50	Dining Room Suits, 8 pieces, consisting of Sideboard, 6 Chairs, 6-foot Extension Table	17 50
Dining Extension Tables, 6 feet long, Ash	4 00	Bedsteads, Ash $3; Maple $2 50 Fir	1 25
Dining Chairs Cane Seat, each	75	Centre Tables, Maple finished XVI Century	2 00
Sideboards Ash, 4 Drawers and Cabinet with Mirror 12x16	9 00	Size of top 22x24 inches	
Sideboards, Oak, as low as	12 00	Kitchen Tables, top 30x40 inches	1 00
Wardrobes, large and capacious	6 00	Household Treasure, large size	2 50
Iron Bedsteads, white enamelled	4 50	Chairs, wood seat, common, each	45
Woven Wire spring beds	1 50	Chairs, wood seat, Ash, high back	75
Woven Wire springs with coil supports	2 50	Cook Stoves, No. 7	5 00
Soft Top Mattresses	2 50	Cook Stoves, No. 8	7 00
Rocking Chairs, Cane Seat, nurse	1 50		
Carpets, Ingrain, per yd	35		
Carpets, All-wool Ingrain per yd	65		
Oil Cloth for floor	25		

Parties in the Country should send for our Catalogue on Furniture, Stoves, Baby Carriages, &c

State, when you write, where you saw this advertisement. You will then do us a favor and justice to the proprietors of this paper.

WM. GADSBY,
Corner Washington and First Streets
Portland, - - - Oregon.

The Hillsboro Pharmacy Union Block Main St. Dr. F. A. Bailey Proprietor.
The Leading Drug House
Where Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Sponges, Brushes and all Druggist's Articles may be procured at prices that simply distance competition.

THE DELTA DRUG STORE
First Quality in Every Respect
Special Attention Given to Quality and Accuracy in Dispensing.
A Full Supply of Toilet Articles, Perfumery, Patent Medicines, School Books, Etc.
See Our Large Stock of Fine Perfumes
The Largest Ever Shown in the City.
Telephone from Store to Office.

HILLSBORO CITY MEAT MARKET.
L. E. BERST, Prop
Beef, Mutton, Veal and Pork
Kept Constantly on Hand.
Highest : Market : Price : Paid : for : Fat : Cattle. : Sheep : and : Hogs
Cash Paid for Poultry.
MAIN STREET. - HILLSBORO, OREGON.

PRINCE ALMO!

Sired by Pollock. First dam, Queen, by Rotomago; second dam, Eclipse by Challenge; third dam, Puss, by Sir Charles; fourth dam, an Emigrant mare.

... The Fine Percheron Stallion ...

Prince Almo is 6 years old; dapple grey; black points; beautiful white mane and tail; 17 hands high; good action; very fast walker. His breeding combines the very best blood for draft and general purpose horse. Breed to this stallion and you will get fine results. His stands will be given next week in this advertisement.

TERMS TEN DOLLARS TO INSURE A COLT!

Due when mare is known to be in foal. For further particulars address JAS. H. SEWELL, Owner, or JOHN LONG, Manager, Hillsboro, Or

TWO FOR ONE

Send for free sample and judge thereby.

Hillsboro Argus And Cincinnati Enquirer

Both Per Year $1.50 Cash in Advacne.

The Enquirer is a 9-column, 8-page paper, issued each Thursday. Largest in size, cheapest in price, most reliable in news, all large type, plain print, good white paper. If our readers want another live paper the Enquirer is that paper.

Call or send orders to

The Argus Publishing Co

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington county.

Henry Heywood, Geo. Heywood Calvin H. Hill and John D. Walch, partners doing business under the firm name and style of Heywood Bros. & Company, Plaintiffs,
v
James H. Smith, Nellie Smith, Anson Powell and W. P. Atkinson, Defendants.

To James A. Smith and Anson Powell, two of the above named defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon: You and each of you are hereby commanded and required to appear in the above entitled Court in the above entitled cause on or before the first day of the next regular term of the above entitled Court, next following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order of publication of this summons, to-wit: Monday, the 18th day of July, 1898, and answer the complaint herein filed against you and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in their complaint, to-wit:

For a judgment against James H. Smith for the sum of $230, with interest thereon from the 1st day of June, 1897, at the rate of eight per cent per annum, and the costs and disbursements of this suit, and for a decree foreclosing that certain contract of sale made and entered into between the above named plaintiffs and the defendant, James H. Smith, on the 26th day of March, 1895, of the following described real property, lying, being and situate in Washington County, Oregon, and described as being lot No. 6 in block No. 4 in Thorne's addition to the town of Hillsboro, Oregon, as shown by the duly recorded map and plat of said Thorne's addition, on file and of record in the office of the Recorder of Conveyances of Washington County, Oregon, and for the sale of said premises above described as provided by law, to satisfy the claim of the above named plaintiffs as above set forth and for the costs and disbursements of this suit; and for a decree forever barring and foreclosing each of the above named defendants of all right, title or interest of, in and to said premises and any part thereof.

The service of this summons is made by publication by order of Hon. Alfred F. Sears, Jr., made in open Court at Hillsboro, Oregon, and dated the 28th day of April, 1898.

CAKE & CAKE, and
BAGLEY & BROWN,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.