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County.

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J. T. BORRIEN.
For Coroner
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KING, OR GEER?

Mr. Geer supported the measure to establish the railroad commission. See House Journal, 1889, pp. 179. In 1891 he voted to indefinitely postpone a bill to abolish this same commission. In 1893 he voted against the repeal of the commission. See House Journal, 1893, page 515. Mr. King voted for the repeal. Mr. Geer, in 1889, voted against the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people. Mr. King favors this measure. Mr. Geer, while in the House, voted against a registration law which will give us honest elections. Mr. King is an advocate of a registration law.

These two men are running for governor and the people must elect one or the other. If they elect Mr. Geer they elect a man who stands in with the useless incubus, the railroad commission. They will elect a man who is afraid of an honest vote; they will elect a man who thinks the people of the state are not sufficiently intelligent to elect a United States Senator. On the other hand, if they elect Mr. King they will elect a man who is opposed to giving politicians soft snaps in the way of railroad commissions, which do no one any good and only create taxeaters. Mr. King stands for honest elections and for the popular expression of voters on both law and the election of United States Senators. Which of these men does the intelligence of the state desire? As these are truths and matters of record, it should be sufficiently easy for intelligent citizens to ascertain how they shall vote. Let the searchlight of reason direct our people, be they republicans or not, and the great state of Oregon will place Mr. King in the gubernatorial chair.

MR. TONGUE AND HIS RECORD.

The Congressional Record shows that up to the 16th of April, Congressman Tongue was absent 26 times out of 87 roll calls. It shows that Mr. Tongue voted to allow poaching in Pacific waters, which means destruction of an industry peculiarly American; he voted for the Loud bill, a measure crippling country newspapers, and which measure the editor of his own organ, the Independent, asked Mr. Tongue to oppose.

Outside of this, we have the Independent's word for it that Mr. Tongue wanted the administration to wait until after the election before pushing the retirement of the greenbacks, Mr. Tongue, in his conceit alleging that the people of Oregon might "shy at the word gold," and that the people as yet had not been educated up to elaborate currency reform, a tacit admission that he favored anything the great bosses might dictate, but begging to be allowed to fool the people on the issues. His interview with Reed, as published in the Independent, shows that he is in the hands of Mr. Hanna, the confidential advisor and dictator of the administration—he who has, through mercenary power, practically said to honest republicans, "stand back! I am the bone and sinew of your party—you are ignorant; I am wise as a serpent; you know not what is good for farmers; I do; I am the great "Hanna"bal of the American flag; you are foolish and might want an American money system; this is not right, we should be true to our mother country's wealthy creditors without whom one could not buy seed wheat; cork up, you little fry and let me be your political Moses. McKinley will stand with me whether you do or not; fall into line; you are all right, only you don't know what's good for you."

Can a man vote for vacillating Mr. Tongue, who is handled thus? Hardly!

JEW VS FARMER.

The money question has been altogether too much temporized with by our modern gold basis politicians. The republican platform pledged the administration to promote international bimetallism. Did it do it? No sir, it did not! It struck that economic desire a body blow at a critical time—a foul blow, at that. The Oregon republican platform now goes further and in its opening lines wants the gold standard specifically. Then, at the tail of the thing, it endorses the St. Louis platform! This is rich! Let no friend of the farm and field vote for the demagogic platform. Let only the friends of debased product do this. Here is the fight—there is the cause. Farmers who want debased product can vote for the gold standard. Farmers who are for product not debased will vote for bimetallism and the Union ticket. The republicans, under the leadership of the Jews, want to make product debased under the specious plea of the "best dollar." Bimetallists desire to have product not sunk to unprofitable levels as measured in dollars. Take your choice. If you are interested in large securities, vote gold standardism. If you are interested in farm property, vote bimetallism.

EXERCISE BUSINESS SENSE.

All the great institutions handling money for interest gathering purposes were fully satisfied with the Cleveland era of prices—that is to say, all those handling securities which were non-taxable or founded on property sufficiently productive to liquidate interest. That era gave them a greater power in each unit of their property and they know that with normal conditions, like conditions will again present themselves. These men are intelligent. They realize, with normal production, war scares out of the way, prices of all things except the dollar, must inevitably go to the decline. Business sense teaches them this. On the other hand, those whose business and benefit is to get good prices for farm product ought to have sufficient intelligence to observe that conditions being normal, under the present system, they can get nothing but debased prices for product as measured in money; and that they can get no better prices until the money volume is enlarged to keep pace with the increased business and production. Indeed, to get down to first principles, a sufficient guide to those who have farm product to sell, is the way those vote who are interested in great dollar wealth. The great security holders want a system which gives them more of everything else for their each dollar. The farmer should, as a matter of fact, see that this is against his best interests. Is not this plain enough? Does he not see that the gold standard system is supported by those who want the dollar fertilized at the expense of everything else? Is the farmer to be made the pack mule of the dollarite?

THERE is no monopoly in Oregon which has received so much condemnation from the general public as has the American Book Company. The republican candidate for state superintendent is well known to be one of its staunchest supporters. Mr. H. S. Lyman, the Union candidate, is being assiduously opposed by this great book trust, a splendid reason why voters should vote for him. Mr. Lyman has the support of Mr. Joseph W. Marsh, of the Pacific University, who recognizes in him a man qualified for educational work. Vote for Mr. Lyman and the Union ticket and you will not vote for the American Book Company nor the little Jew boss of Portland.

THE RANK AND FILE

The rank and file of men who have heretofore voted the republican ticket—more particularly those who are farmers, are not willing that the republican administration shall lend its power to contract the currency by the retirement of the greenbacks as contemplated by the Gage bill. They are not willing that the republican party shall take advantage of the temporary rise in the price of wheat to whittle down the money volume. Sturdy farmers are those who are paying the great debt and taxes of the country and there is but one way in which they can meet these demands and this is with product. International bimetallism has been discarded since power came. The farmer republicans will be fooled no longer. No contractive scheme will be tolerated at this period by the bone and sinew of all society and government. Product, the only first resource of the farmer, shall not be debased.

WHILE our gold press is busy calling "traitor" to those who will not subscribe to the gold standard, the piling up of more bonds, etc., the anti-contractionists are going right along trying to sound the note of alarm that our producers may not vote themselves into the hands of the cheap product demagogues. The producers must eventually foot the bills of the war—a righteous war—and no political panjandrum shall be worked upon the American people under the stolen cry of "patriotism." And this reminds one—these charges of treason—that it was the real thief who escaped by calling "stop thief!" at some one else.

THERE is plenty of money to be obtained to run the war without bonding for 500 millions. Those favoring the issue talk altogether too much of their patriotism and love of country—too much self praise—to not have their motives impugned. Sock on tax! It will cheerfully be paid by all. Touch up the great security holding interests. They are being protected and let them pay for the protection. Don't allow the goldites to get a 500 million bond bill through to give them a fund with which to contract the money volume of our country. This is doubtless the scheme, but there are too many hard headed republicans to allow the plan right of way.

KING SETS IT RIGHT.

Hon. Will R. King writes this paper that the report in the Oregonian to the effect that he was expected to meet Mr. Geer at Toledo, and failed, is absolutely untrue. Mr. King had received no invitation whatever and Mr. Geer had publicly refused to meet Mr. King in joint debate at any time or place. Mr. Geer's tactics are rather reprehensible and somewhat savor of Multnomah county politics. Mr. King gave Mr. Geer an open challenge for joint debate and the republican candidate refused. For Mr Geer to use the above methods of electioneering is entirely out of dignity with the high office he is seeking.

MANY who have heretofore voted republican will this year vote the Union ticket. They realize that this is the only way to root out the corruption existing in the ranks of their party. These men want legislation—and decent legislation. They want economical legislation and they have the hard headed common sense to know that from Multnomahism nothing but boodle measures can go through. They know this without being told. Every school boy is familiar with the history of Oregon so-called republican politics. The time for a change to order and business has arrived.

The Independent says this is a "Protestant" nation. No, no, Brother Gault, this is America. Neither Protestantism nor Catholicism has anything to do with our country. The Independent is as badly mixed on its religious ideas as it is on the money question.

Money to loan. Rooms 6 and 7, Union Block, Hillsboro, Oregon.

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S. P. Agent Pence reports shipping lively and is unable to secure the cars necessary to move the freight on hand at present.

On invitation issued by the Methodist Society of Hillsboro, presented by the pastor, R. A. Atkins, the Ministerial Association of the Portland district, will hold its annual meeting in this city, in May of next year.

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 present 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, 48 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.

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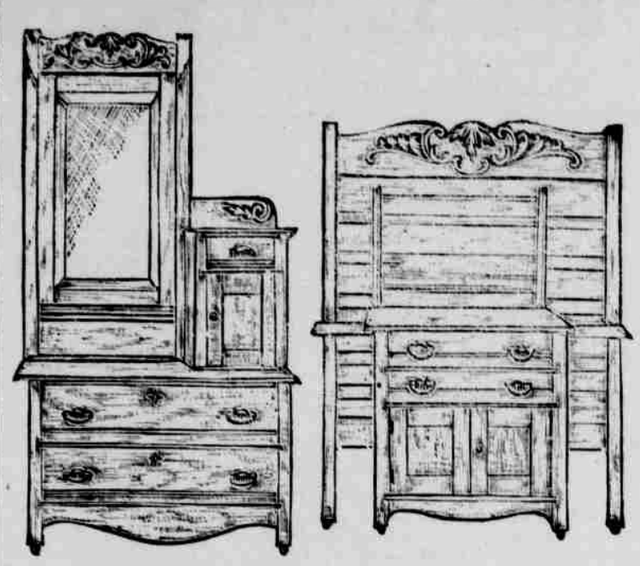

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Dining Chairs, Cane Seat, each	75	Fir	1 25
Sideboards, Ash, 4 Drawers and Cabinet with Mirror 12x16	9 00	Centre Tables, Maple finished XVI Century	2 00
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Wardrobes, large and capacious	6 00	Kitchen Tables, top 30x40 inches	1 00
Iron Bedsteads, white enamelled	4 50	Household Treasure, large size	2 50
Woven Wire spring beds	1 50	Chairs, wood seat, common, each	45
Woven Wire springs with coil supports	2 50	Chairs, wood seat, Ash, high back	75
Soft Top Mattresses	2 50	Cook Stoves, No. 7	5 00
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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 Pfanner, insolvent; John Williams, Sadie Williams and J. F. Schock for the sum of $15 costs, and for the further sum of $390 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 19.45 chs, thence south 58 deg 50' W, 15.15 chs to the center of the road, thence north 42 deg 00' W, with same 3.64 chs thence north 58 deg 50' E 5.94 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.

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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.

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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