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UNCLE SAM: "A Good Ticket."

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
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Clackamas County.
For Sup't. Public Instruction
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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 Senator,
JAMES H. SEWELL.
For Representatives, 15th District
J. B. PRICKETT
B. G. LEEDY
JOHN M. WALL.
For Judge
L. A. ROOD.
For County Clerk
LINCOLN LAUGHLIN.
For Sheriff
IRA E. PURDIN.
For Recorder of Conveyances
IRA HAYNAM.
For County Commissioner
CONRAD SCHULMERICH.
For County Treasurer
PETER BOSCOW
For Assessor
J. C. MILLER.
For Surveyor
T. S. WILKES.
For School Superintendent
J. T. DORRIEN.
For Coroner
DR. W. P. VIA.

WHY DO YOU STAND IT?

Judge Crowell, of Jackson county, had a good subject at the court-house last Thursday night, and he was listened to with interest by many republicans who went to hear the eloquent Union orator. Mr. Crowell was not a partisan speaker and his words were received by intelligent republicans as worthy of consideration. Calling up the Southern Pacific Railway, Mr. Crowell conclusively showed that the company was not paying its share of taxation. California assessed roadbed at over $17,000 per mile; Washington state assesses roadbed at $10,000 per mile. Here in Oregon the company is assessed in most counties at less than $4,000 per mile, while lands in all three states are assessed proportionately the same. In this county the assessment of roadbed is fixed at $3,300 per mile. Taken throughout the state, the company is favored by lack of proper taxation. Farmers must pay this tax, which ought to be borne by the Southern Pacific. Is it any wonder the S. P. supports the Simon ticket?

The farmers who pay the tax which should justly fall on the Southern Pacific, should well consider before they vote for the administration which always stands with that company. Shake these corporations up. Vote for a man for governor; a man for supreme judge; a legislative ticket and a county ticket that will see to it that corporate property shall pay its just share of expense attendant to administration. It means several thousand dollars to be paid by the S. P., for county purposes which you now pay; it means that several thousand dollars for state purposes which you now pay must be paid by the Southern Pacific, now enjoying immunity from taxation! Remember that these things as they now stand are not right. Remember that the S. P. is always putting up a campaign fund to keep from paying its just share of taxes, forcing farmers to pay what it lacks in state and county tax! Vote for the Union ticket and it will mean several thousand dollars in the pockets of Washington county farmers every year! This is a matter of self interest and justice. Vote as a man, a business man, not as a partisan. Do not let Simon vote you against your own pocket book in the name of an "honor" which never existed, only in the cunning brain of those who would rob you.

CORNELIUS GETS MAD.

No one blames the County Judge for abusing, personally, the ARGUS editor. But all who hear him, pity the Judge's weakness. THE ARGUS has not attacked Mr. Cornelius or his personal "faults," such as: where he was born; whether or not his birth was ushered in at the torrid zone or frozen Alaska; or whether it was a midwife or a professional accoucheur who attended; or whether he was born before or after the war, or any of those things which the Judge holds as a grievous sin. These things are neither here nor there. THE ARGUS has spoken of the Judge's public service and will continue so to do, because it is right to so do and because taxpayers have a right to know how public business is transacted. Personal abuse of the ARGUS editor does not cleanse the wrathy judge, nor is it argument. Sensible people realize this as a great truth.

MR. SIMON'S HOPE.

It is now talked that Joseph Simon, should the republicans get the legislature, will be the candidate for U. S. Senator. He has stood at the head of the party for many years and has been the chief comptroller of legislation, and, as a matter of partisan preferment, is the logical candidate, having the highest statesmanlike office within the gift of Multnomah county.

He gains his elections by methods which will not bear scrutiny and his name, as a politician, is a by-word in the mouths of street gamins—and yet, with a tenacity unequalled in the history of the state, he holds his grip on the state's affairs. That he is objectionable to the extreme to fifty per cent of the republicans goes without saying, but many of those who know his political shame are being co-erced into party line. Mr. Simon is in the saddle and he wants success. Success may mean the U. S. Senate to him. Let our best citizenship, regardless of party affiliation, see that his aspirations are killed in the bud.

THE STATE RELEASED.

People of Oregon have been badly used by the American Book Company, and although it is trying hard to elect its candidate for State Superintendent, it looks now as though its deadly cinche on the state is being broken. People do not like to be bled by this cormorant, and for once it looks as though the people are overwhelmingly going to elect Lyman, the Union candidate. Both Edwards, the American Book Company representative, and Ackerman are crying over the inevitable defeat—crying because the people of the state shall not longer be bled for their profit.

A PRETTY PAIN.

It is now generally conceded that either Corbett or Simon will be the republican candidate for the Senate should their forces be successful. Fences had been put up and the money sent out to carry the counties and get delegations which would not condemn Corbett's holdup, must in some way be repaid. It is reliably reported in this county that all the legislative candidates on the republican ticket are in thorough accord with Mr. Simon in this matter, and from indications, this is true. But the Jew and his reprehensible methods will receive a repulse from these old Oregonians who know him so well, that he will start for Jerusalem soon after election.

A REGISTRATION LAW.

Corrupt and indecent abuses at primaries will obtain until we get a registration law. Should Mr. Simon have control of the next legislature no registration law can be passed that shall give honest and reliable republicans who stand for good state government, a chance to correct evils, commencing at the primaries. A registration law would stop the corruption now attendant at primaries over the state, but Boss Simon will not have it—no, no. It will be remembered, in support of this, that Henry McGinn said on the senate floor: "When you get such a law in force the election machinery will pass out of our hands." This is why Boss Simon doesn't want a registration law. But Boss Simon doesn't want honest primaries. But let us put men in power who shall give us a registration law and then we shall have honest primaries.

JO SIMON'S NEW LOVE.

The "Push." Craig.

HOW CRAIG WAS MADE TO GATHER UP HIS CIRCULARS IN 1896.

IN THE FAMILY.

Henry Denlinger, the Union candidate for prosecuting attorney, is one of the brightest lawyers in the district. The convention did well in his selection, because too frequently untried and inexperienced attorneys are named for this important position. Mr. Denlinger has had a large practice for several years and is an advocate of marked ablility.—Roseburg Review.

Mr. Denlinger is a relative of D. M. C. Gault, of this city, and is an uncompromising free coinage man. Mr. Gault opposed gold standardism in 1895, and in his famous editorial of January 11, 1895, said of Mr. Dolph and his gold standard policy—the present financial 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 are 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.

HAD the county financial statement been published according to law, the Hatchet and Independent would not so readily have charged falsehood at the ARGUS' statement of fact that the books showed a warrant debt of $51,290.37. These editors take the bosses' words for anything and think that to yell "lie" is to obliberate the county debt. But they will find to their sorrow that County Clerk Imbrie will never deny that the books showed the debt just as THE ARGUS gave it. People do not like to be humbugged by such hirelings as the Hatchet and cuckoos as the Independent. These twins ought to get up another fight and tell the public of each others sins.

THE question of state domination by a republican legislature is one that should be seriously considered by the taxpaying citizens of the state of Oregon. We have seen nothing accomplished at the last two sessions of the legislative bodies and it is high time that our people make a change. We have seen the country republican press cry out against political outrages in no uncertain tones, only to witness them getting into line at election time. This has been repeated so often that it should at last dawn upon the minds of the rank and file of intelligent property owners as conclusive that no reform is to come from so-called republican forces in power. No one need be afraid if the rank and file of the republican party had its voice have prevailed in state affairs, but Multnomah's control of the state has ever been the damning influence to blight and kill decency in law making and administrative action.

THE GANG'S STRAW.

Every man who is interested in the affairs of his county should look out for petty little misrepresentations, from now on, both from the organs, the Hatchet and the Independent, and those who are interested in getting votes—not for your benefit—that they may continue to draw from the public treasury. Be on your guard against tricks. Do not let them fool you with deathbed circulars. Since May 5 they have had time to show the assumed "errors" of this paper. Their last defense is worthy of a mind that would illegally carry a primary. It is this: "The ARGUS lied because some of the warrants have not been endorsed and therefore do not bear interest!" Isn't this rich! "Holy Moses, 'aint' it cold!" The gang, like a drowning man clutching at a straw, is claiming the "interest bearing debt is not what THE ARGUS quoted" although they dare not deny that THE ARGUS correctly gave the outstanding warrants as shown by Clerk Imbrie's and Treasurer Cady's accounts.

So the organs have cried "liar," at the same time stooping to a deception and falsehood which would turn green with envy the most erring reprobate.

Is there any common honesty in the ring relative to public affairs. Ye Gods! Are not decent republicans—good citizens who do not approve of stealing primaries—almost disgusted with such doings where moral turpitude is practically involved.

A CLEAN CAMPAIGN.

Throughout this campaign this paper has steadily tried to represent the best interests of Washington county. It has not largely been a question of national politics. The paper has assaulted no man's private character, although it has fearlessly shown up conditions which should not be longer tolerated, as a matter of decency. The best element of Washington county, irrespective of republicanism, populism or democracy has been with us in this fight. The fight is won and victory will score for better men in office; better business management in handling county business and for better manhood in public life—unless the two saloon keepers who are supporting the Independent's and Hatchet's cuckoo cry of the bosses, shall work unsuspecting voters to vote against the taxpayers' best interests. However that may be, we shall be satisfied with the result, knowing we have attacked only official life and action, instead of private character.

Why I am a Republican.

To The Editor:

Permit me to state why I am a republican, financially.

Silver and gold were both the money of the constitution of our fathers, and as ours was a republican government, they were both good money. It remained the money of Washington, Jefferson, Jackson, Lincoln, yes, and of Webster, Clay, Blaine and Garfield; and more especially, the money of the grand old party until 1896 For 120 years it carried us through sunshine and storm. It was good enough for the party and it was good enough for me. In 1890 the republicans of this state, in their state platform declared for the free and unlimited coinage of silver—that was good enough for me. In 1892 the republicans in their convention condemned Cleveland and his administration for seeking to put the country on a gold basis. That was good enough for me.

But since Hanna, McKinley & Co. have turned away from the people to stand for cheap product and muscle, they are not good enough for me.

Since they have stolen Cleveland's thunder, since they, Hanna, McKinley & Co., have joined those whom dear money benefits—those who are wanting more of my muscle for a dollar, they are not good enough for me. I remain a true, old fashioned republican.

A. H. GARRISON.

Threatened Revolt.

One of the most prominent republicans of Portland stated publicly that there was such open suspicion of traitorous action on the part of the state republican central committee as threatened a general revolt on the part of the decent element of the party throughout the state. Under the management of Graham Glass jr., the entire campaign has been run in the interest of Geer, Moody and another favorite. Evidence is multiplying that even legislative candidates in various sections of the state opposed to the Simon regime have been marked for slaughter. Continuing the gentleman said that after the election these matters would be investigated, the reorganization of the committee demanded together with Mr. Glass' retirement as secretary. —Frater.

Citizens who want good government, who want self-respect, will ever remember that the dirty work of the so called republican primaries does not lay with any one man—but practically with the gang which runs the ring and which abuses everybody for a —— who happens to disagree with their policies.

San Francisco Thursday last, by a majority vote at the city election, adopted a charter which allows its people to vote upon any city law, when 15 per cent of the voters petition such law. This is right. If Oregon could do likewise, Joe Simon would get his fingers burnt each time he tried to put his greedy fingers upon the pulse of the state. The Union ticket advocates the right of the people to govern. The people should be supreme—vote for the Union ticket.

VOTE YOUR "X" THIS WAY.

For Governor—			
14	X	Will R King	Peoples, Democratic Silver Republican
For Secretary of State—			
18	X	H. R. Kincaid.....	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For State Treasurer—			
20	X	J. O. Booth..	Peoples, Democratic Silver Republican
For Supreme Judge—			
26	X	W M Ramsey	Peoples, Democratic Silver Rep.
For Supt. Public Instruction—			
30	X	H. S. Lyman..	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For State Printer—			
31	X	C. A. Fitch...	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For Attorney General—			
37	X	J. L. Story.....	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For Congressman, 1st Dist—			
41	X	R. M. Veatch	Peoples, Democratic Silver Republican
For Circuit Judge, 5th Judicial Dist—			
42	X	W. D. Hare...	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For Dist. Attorney, 5th Judicial Dist—			
45	X	Geo. Noland	Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
For M'b'r Board Equalization, 5th Dist—			
46	X	Wm. Barlow	Peoples, Democratic Silver Republican
For State Senator—			
49	X	James H. Sewell	Union
For Representatives—			
53	X	Byron G. Leedy	Union
54	X	J. B. Prickett	Union
55	X	John M. Wall	Union
For County Judge—			
57	X	Louis A Rood	Union
For County Commissioner—			
58	X	Conrad Schulmerich	Union
For County Clerk—			
61	X	Lincoln Laughlin	Union
For Sheriff—			
63	X	Ira E. Purdin	Union
For Recorder of Conveyances—			
64	X	Ira Haynam	Union
For Treasurer—			
66	X	Peter Boscow	Union
For Assessor—			
69	X	J. C. Miller	Union
For Surveyor—			
71	X	Thos. S. Wilkes	Union
For School Superintendent—			
73	X	J. T. Dorrien	Union
For Coroner—			
75	X	W. P. Via	Union

SUMMONS.

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

Mary G. Walters, Plaintiff
v.
William T. Walters, Defendant

To William T. Walters, the above named defendant:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby commanded to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff herein filed by Monday, the 18th day of July, 1898, the same being the first day of the next regular term of said Court after the service of this summons upon you, and if you fail so to appear and answer the complaint the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit: That the marriage and marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved, and that plaintiff have such other and further relief as to the Court may appear equitable. This summons is served upon you by order of Hon. T. A. Mc ride, made and dated at Chambers at Astoria, Oregon, on June 2, 1898

S. B. HUSTON,
and W. M DAVIS,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court, of Washington County, Oregon, appointed administrator with-the-will-annexed of the estate of Otto Wilhelm Ferdinand Weichbrodt, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me with proper vouchers, at my residence at Cornelius, Oregon, or at the law office of Smith & Bowman, at Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months of the date hereof.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this May 19, 1898 OSCAR WEICHBRODT,
Administrator with-the-will-annexed of the estate of Otto Wilhelm Ferdinand Weichbrodt, deceased.

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.

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 extravigant 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.

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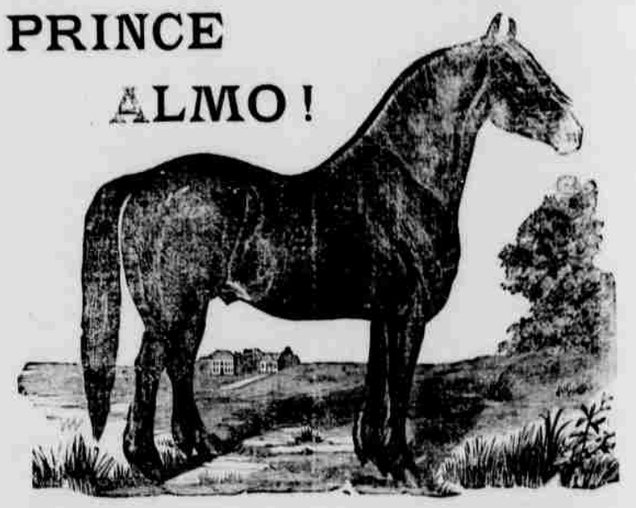

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SUMMONS.

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 20th 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

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