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WHY SILVER IS AN ISSUE.

Because of a few abnormal conditions which naturally were better prices makers, our gold standard people naturally concluded that "silver was dead." These theorists were honestly—or dishonestly—attributing the better prices in 1897 and 1898 to a restoration of confidence and they heralded to the world that the "gold basis had caused it all." As a matter of fact, the world's unusual shortage of grain product pushed upward grain prices. There was competition in Europe to get the general product. Europe needed it; Europe was very short, and so was India. This forced better prices than usual and farmers were enabled to liquidate many of their pressing obligations, and, besides, purchase all kinds of manufactured articles. This made work for manufacturing labor, and this labor, in turn, having employment, made other purchases from the farm, creating better prices and better business amongst all classes. The Spanish American war next came on, and, instead of creating a panic, as would a conflict between two first-class powers, this, also, helped business, and wonderfully. But artificial aids cannot last forever, and we are now facing nearly, if not quite, normal crop production, and we are again face to face with an era of low, debased farm production, and with our monetary system as it is, we can expect nothing but profitless farming and consequent paralyzation of all business—except, of course, the business of the holder of first-class national or municipal securities, whose dollar is now as "honest and sound" as you could want it.

Bimetallists are aware that the old price level, the average, between money and product can be restored, and for this restoration they are earnestly striving. They realize that the "overproduction" theory will not stand analysis, and even if it would, they are cognizant of the justice which would obtain, if, concurrent with "overproduction" of product, we had, also, an "overproduction" of money. In either case, they want the producer to have as much "protection" as the wealth. Our nation is supported by its farms. These farms should have a decent profit. Their results should not be debased. That is why silver is not dead; that is why the money question will be an issue; that is why it should win out in the next presidential contest.

The mere presumption of the gold press and theorists, that farmers are fools and cannot reason from cause to effect, has no bearing on the conditions or facts involved.

Mr. Hanna and his colleagues will find a vigorous fight on their hands in 1900, notwithstanding they will receive the support of nearly all the parasitic elements which get their support off and from the farmer.

WHO SHOULD ENLIST.

It is a patent fact that Admiral Dewey armed the Filipinos against the Spaniards; it is a patent fact that this arming was a serious menace to the Spanish forces; it is also patent that Dewey believed Aguinaldo could be trusted, or else the insurgents would not have been munitioned. Mr. McKinley knew these things and evidently coincided with Dewey, for his ultimatum received instant abuse by the issue makers—the men who hoped militarism would strengthen the money power now in control at national headquarters. Mr. McKinley was shown by these gentry that he was "in error," they explained to him evidently, that if he did not proceed to "imperialize," that he must be set aside and no longer considered the second term "man of destiny." The old American maxim of liberty was

trampled under foot and the "white man's burden" at once deified by the moral gold-only press, which, of course, always working for God and the public good, wanted to make jobs for officers and incidentally publicly question the patriotism of every man who conscientiously believes there are certain rights which should be respected. So we are now shooting civilization into the Filipinos, and they are resisting.

Let them resist. At a let the cowardly stay-at-home expansionists keep up their howl of "traitor." Do not expect them to enlist. They are too cowardly to do this—they want others to do their fighting, and will be content to stay at home and "holler!"

Now that our volunteers are home, we need have but little anxiety in the whole political concern. The regular army is largely receiving its recruits from the wrecks and wretches who want a "job" and "feed;" from the toughs of the purloins, and from the poor devils who haven't the courage to work at home. They will get all they are worth. The only sorrow attached to the whole proceeding is that the loud-mouthed expansionist, so full of tongue fight, young or old, is not obliged to go to the front himself. But this is impossible, as they are expected to do the "political" act at home.

GLOBE DEMOCRAT HAS HEARD.

The day before Shackelford was elected by an increased democratic majority, the Globe Democrat, a rank, partisan paper of St. Louis, had the following to say:

"The democratic platform in the 8th district, on which judgment will be rendered tomorrow by more than 40,000 voters, declares that 'We are unreservedly opposed to the militarism and imperialism of President McKinley.' Is this true charge? Does the President deserve a rebuke for his Philippine policy? Should he reverse it? Shall the first command for American surrender reach the President from Missouri? To-morrow's election will tell, and the country will study the judgment of the ballot box with profound interest."

The Globe Democrat has heard the news. It appears that Voshell, the republican candidate, got less votes than he did in 1898, by over 2,000. This simply means that Shackelford has not only received the vote of a democratic district, but it shows, in his increased percentage of the total number of votes cast, that the people are not supporting Mr. McKinley in his policy of "benevolent assimilation." This does not prove, however, that they would not support a policy which would say to the Filipinos: "Govern yourselves with decency and decorum, give us a coaling station and a naval reserve, and we will see that the powers do not partition you against your will."

PERPETUATE AB AND ALGER.

Get your large standing army; get your officers selected from political purloins; put in administrations which are sympathy with a knock-kneed imperialism; turn your government over to the patriotic and kind hearted Jew banking houses, which are best benefitted when one of their dollars will be able to purchase even more than it now does, and you can have taxation to your hearts' content. It will then be only a question of time until you will grow sufficiently insolent to breed a good sized war with wrong on your side, and the farmers can foot the bills. This will be of special interest to the producer, as all the government revenues first come out of his pocket. Then, your Carters, your Eagans and your Corbines will have their high noon, and the traditional "brother Ab" and the rotten commissary concerns become perpetual—and all this for the pap scolding politicians who want to go fighting; yes; but want some other fellow to do the real scarping, as the "patriots" haven't the time to leave off wagging their tongues at the unruly copperheads.

DRUMMERS coming into the city report that merchants all over the valley are not buying as they usually do in September, owing to the bad weather, and yet, the commercial agencies are reporting trade as "out of sight." The probability is that merchants are exercising much caution in purchasing—more than is necessary. Oregon is going to turn out a good crop, even if the prices are low.

Mr. Hanna is coming home to see just "what's the matter with Ohio."

What circus attractions Brother Ab, Alger, Bagley and Carter would make!

Oregon's rainy season is evidently trying to give the expansionists all the comfort possible.

Jupiter, Pluvius is evidently trying to

get even with that lack of precipitation charged up against last winter's rainfall.

Isn't it about time that the Hanna management censured the home press and imprisoned some of our people who believe in liberty?

The British lion has found out that Oom Paul is a pretty good sized cub, himself, and the Volkraad litter more bloodthirsty than the old fellow.

Sorry is one to admit that Washington county has but one journal which uses that new expression, "ye editor." Perhaps after awhile the rest of "us" may get "modern," eh?

Capt. O. M. Carter, the million dollar thief, suffers no penalty through the kindness of President McKinley. But, then, the people of our country are becoming used to seeing the poor devil who steals a sack of flour for his family, go to the pen, while the enterprising thief on the large scale gets honor and immunity.

J. Bull Esq. is not so slow after all. If he can only get your Uncle Samuel's support, Mr. Bull will partition China, and then good bye for the good old manufacturing days of America. John has the capital and he will institute manufacturing, and manufacture in the Orient for the whole world, at prices which will reduce other countries to ruin. Let us be John Bull's catspaw.

The Oregonian is now scalping the St. Louis Globe Democrat because that paper declared prior to Shackelford's election, that republican defeat would have a national significance, tending to show that the administration was not endorsed as it should be. The Oregonian should be willing to take the Globe Democrat on this matter, as it does on all other political propositions.

The ARGUS has no abuse to offer "gold standard expansion democrats." They have a right to their Hannaized beliefs. But to such of them as are seeking presidential nominations, let them look to the Hanna camp. They know, however, that the Hannaites have no use for them except to perpetuate Hanna power. These men, however, are not democrats—they all out-Hanna the Hanna men in monopoly interests.

It is reported in newspaper circles that Clark Wood, the versatile editor of the Weston Leader, and who is a vicious anti-expansionist, is seriously considering enlistment for the Philippines. It is Clark's overweening desire to gaze on Otis, the man who succeeded to Weyer's typewriting machine, and who is one of the world's greatest yellow journalists, that is causing his Oriental convictions. Clark would like to get on Otis' staff—editorial staff.

The United States Attorney General is not heard from in the matter of trusts, but some of our "republican" in-name-only governors are sending delegates to Chicago to talk over the trust movement. If the republicans really wish to head off the trusts, we must ask "for what in the name of common sense are they in power?" Now is their golden opportunity. There is a law against trusts and the administration can quickly squelch them. Grand stand plays will not go down with the common people.

Ask Mr. Hanna:

Quay is political boss in Pennsylvania, Hanna in Ohio, and Platt and Croker in New York; and there are others in other states. In spite of this condition of affairs Governor Roosevelt of New York in a speech a few days ago said: "Our mission and our only salvation in the Philippines is to establish a government by the best men for the purest ends, quite above the grasp of machine politicians." Since we failed to accomplish this where we have had the best opportunity how can we hope to do it in the Philippines?

Probate.

Bond of administrator in re estate Samuel Kelley, deceased, approved; appraisers appointed: J. I. Hoops, G. E. McEwen and T. W. Thompson.

Ordered that administrator of estate of Jacob Anderson, deceased, sell all personal property not set aside to widow, for cash, at not less than appraised value.

Ordered that citation by publication and service be issued upon heirs at law of estate of Michael Kennedy, deceased, to appear October 9, and show cause why realty should not be sold.

Administrator of estate of Wm Vincent, deceased, authorized to sell personal property at private sale, for cash.

F. A. Bagley appointed administrator de bonis non of estate of David Monroe, deceased, bonds at \$1,000. Filed and approved.

Citation ordered issued to heirs of Anderson Smith, deceased, to show cause, Nov 6, why realty should not be ordered sold.

Petition filed, asking that Geo R. Bagley, administrator de bonis non of estate of Sarah J. Mull, be removed. Ordered that citation be issued to said administrator to appear at court room, September 18, and show cause why said petition should not be granted.

Real Estate Transfers.

J. C. Davis by admx to W. N. Barrett lots 4 and 5 b k 12 Side ad hbo E. A. Roberts to W. B. Streeter and 1/2 lot 27 M and V tract. 1

Chas E. Streeter to Henry Coe lot 27 Millard and Van Schuyner tract. 25

John A. Curran to Susan Barrett to a in Caleb Wilkins d l c. 1

Susan Barrett to Catherine B. O'Leary 12 1/2 a in Wilkins d l c. 500

O. C. R. R. to B. R. Harrington e 1/2 a e c sec 9 t 2 n 2 w. 130

Elizabeth and C. W. Walberg to Anna Schanoni, tract 34 and 35 of tract 36 Tualatin Gardens. 1,000

F. F. Hunke to John Hanchell 19 a sec 10 t 2 n 2 w. 500

Wm J. Carroll and wife to Geo. Gore 2 a sec 27 t 2 n 2 w. 200

W. C. Whitlock to Wm M. Spence e 1/2 a e c sec 25 t 2 n 2 w. 900

Christian Schneider to John Sommer 6 3/4 a G. W. Jones d l c. 900

Alice Mebus to B. R. Harrington t c. 900

MAN AND WIFE, PIONEERS OF 1843, DEAD.

SOLOMON AND LUCY EMERICK.

Solomon Emerick, a pioneer of 1843, and husband of Mrs. Lucy Emerick, died at Fletcher, Idaho, February 6, 1899. He was born in Montgomery county, Ohio, November 30, 1821. He moved to Buchanan county, Mo., and in 1843, started across the plains, driving an ox team for the Gilmore party. Upon their arrival



at Walla Walla they left their teams and came down the Columbia River. He first settled near Forest Grove, but later settled near Cornelius. In 1845 he was married to Miss Luceta Zachary, also a pioneer of 1843, and who crossed the plains in the same party with him. Of Mr. Emerick's immediate family, outside of his children, Mrs. Kate Wehrung, of Hillsboro, wife of Henry Wehrung, and a pioneer of 1845, survives him. Mr. Emerick was a member of the first grand jury called in Washington county. Mr. and Mrs. Emerick both of whom passed away in the last few months, were widely known pioneers, and their friends sincerely mourn their loss.

Mrs. Luceta Zachary Emerick, a pioneer of 1843, and well known here, died at Fletcher, Idaho, August 22, 1899. Mrs. Emerick was a daughter of John Zachary, and was born in Texas, January 28, 1825. The Zachary family left Independence, Mo., in the spring of 1843, with the first large overland expedition traveling westward. J. W. Nesmith, Jesse Applegate, Daniel and David Waldo and Solomon Emerick, her husband, and other prominent Oregon pioneers, were among the 296 men in the company. The Zacharys arrived in Washington county (then Tualatin) in November, 1843, and settled about six miles northeast of Hillsboro.



on what is now known as the Five Oak farm. On June 17, 1845, Miss Zachary was married to Solomon Emerick, and they lived in Washington county until last year, when they moved to Fletcher, Idaho, where Mr. Emerick died, February 6, 1899. Mrs. Emerick was a Christian woman, and was beloved by all the old pioneers. She leaves the following children: Thomas Emerick, aged 52, Reedville, Or.; John Emerick, aged 50, Arlington, Or.; Daniel Emerick, aged 45, Scholls, Or.; Mrs. Ellen Wright, aged 42, Fletcher, Idaho, and Charles Emerick, aged 29, Lennox, Or.

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The fire department met last evening and adopted the sub-division of the city into fire wards as recommended by the Board of Fire Delegates, and also the code of fire alarms. The code of alarms will be printed from time to time, so all the city will know what to turn in, in case of fire.

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CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE State of Oregon, for the County of Washington.

In the matter of the estate of Michael Kennedy, Deceased, To Ellen Kennedy, Margaret Shevlin, Mary E. Ring, Anna K. Jones, Thomas Kennedy, Martin Kennedy, Grace Lawson, Wm. Hall, John Hall, Martin Hall, Margaret Hall, Michael Hall, Andrew Hall, Kate Hall, Rose Hall and Nellie Hall, Heirs at law of Michael Kennedy, deceased, greeting.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, at the Court Room thereof, at Hillsboro, in the County of Washington, on Monday the 12th day of October, 1899, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order of said Court should not be made authorizing and directing the administrator of said estate to sell at public or private sale, the following described real property belonging to said estate, described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the quarter section corner between sections 11 and 14 in Township One South, Range 42 East of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence North along the West line of the A. W. Hart and wife Donation Land Claim to said Township and Range line, thence South 30 degrees 30 minutes East to a point in the West line of said Claim; thence North 30 degrees 30 minutes East to the center of the Canyon Road; thence North 30 degrees 30 minutes East to a point in the center of said road; which point is north 22 degrees 30 minutes East 10 1/2 chains from the intersection of said Canyon Road with the West line of said Hart Donation Land Claim; thence South 1 degree 30 minutes West 4 1/2 chains to the South West corner of the A. W. Hart Donation Land Claim in Washington County, Oregon. Also the following: Commencing at a point 17 1/2 chains East of the South West corner of the A. W. Hart Donation Land Claim in Section 14, Township One South, Range One West of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence East 3 1/2 chains, thence North 25 1/2 chains to the Section line between Sections 11 and 14; thence West to the East line of the land owned by Thomas Shevlin; thence South to place of beginning, and being in Washington County, Oregon, as prayed for in the petition of R. B. Jones, Administrator of said estate, filed herein.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Root, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, with the Seal of said Court affixed this 2nd day of September, A. D. 1899.

Attest, J. A. IMBRIE, Clerk.

By J. W. Morgan, Deputy Clerk.

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County Treasurer's Notice.

All county warrants endorsed prior to January 1st, 1899, are now called for and payable at my office in the city of Hillsboro. Interest will cease after this date, Sept. 1, 1899. A. B. CADY, County Treasurer.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Winslow H. Brownson, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administrator.

Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present same to me at the law office of Geo. R. Bagley, at Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, together with proper vouchers within six months from this date.

Dated this 27th day of July, A. D. 1899. Administrator of said estate, Geo. R. Bagley, Attorney.

SUMMONS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County.

H. O. Meacham, Plaintiff vs Isaac McCallister, defendant.

To Isaac McCallister, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed herein within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer the complaint the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$50.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since March 7, 1894; the further sum of \$50.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since May 25, 1894; the further sum of \$125.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum since September 1, 1894, and for the further sum of \$50.00, attorney fees, and for the costs and disbursements of this action. The date of the first publication of this summons is August 31st and the order authorizing the service of this summons by publication requires you to appear and answer on or before the expiration of six weeks from said date. This summons is served upon you by publication by order of the Hon. L. A. Root, Judge of the above named court, by order made and dated at Chambers at Hillsboro, Oregon, on August 30, 1899.

JOHN M. WALL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Ocean Steamships leave at San Francisco, sailing every

Columbia River leave 8 p m except Sunday, Saturday 10 p m for Astoria and way landings, arrive 4 p m except Sunday

Willamette river leave 6 a m except Sunday for Oregon City, Newberg, Salem and way landings, arrive 4:30 p m except Sunday

Willamette and Yamhill river leave 7 a m Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Oregon City, Dayton and way landings, arrive 3:30 p m Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Willamette river leave 6 a m Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Corvallis and way landings, arrive 1:30 p m Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday

Snake river leave Riparia daily for Lewiston; returning leave Lewiston daily except Sunday.

Address W. H. HULBERT, Gen. Pass. Agent

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah A. Root, deceased, and has duly qualified as such administrator.

Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present same to me at the law office of Geo. R. Bagley, at Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, together with proper vouchers within six months from this date.

Dated this 10th day of August, A. D. 1899. Administrator of said estate, Geo. R. Bagley, Attorney.