The Democrat.

Thursday's Examiner contains a large illustration of Rev. Edward Davis, of Oakland, as he was to appear in a sermon on "An Actor's Act." It was very dramatic and rather sensational. Mr Davis has a way of being heard from all his own.

If all the silver bullion of the world now for sale were brought to the United States it would increase the circulation only $200,000,000, making it only $50,000,000 above that of 1892, giving us a per capita circulation of $24 where we had $24.44 in 1892. There is nothing startling about that.

The Eastern Oregonian received the following dispatch from Chairman Jones of the National Democratic Convention: The statement that I have given up hope of Bryan's election, which you say is telegraphed to Oregon from Washington, is an absolute falsehood, without a shadow of foundation. I was never as confident of his election as I am today and I have absolutely no doubt of his success.

A political discussion on First Street ended in one man striking another. Discussions are all right, but men should be reasonable, and one man has no more right to be arbitrary and authoritative than another. By all means, gentlemen, keep cool. If necessary bring down the north pole to lean against, swallow a polar bear, live on ice cream, sleep in a refrigerator, keep a sponge soaked with ammonia in your nostrils anything to keep cool and not get hot on politics. Remember that you are brothers and that we are all interested in the welfare of our country and in having prosperity.

'Coin Harvey says: "On the election of a president and congress in November committed to free coinage, the danger of a panic will pass in a day. We will cross the danger line the moment the act is known. The next day silver will begin to advance and gold decline. Declining, gold will come out from its hiding in a few days after the election. It will seek to invest itself in the things that are rising, for it will fall in value. This is a law inexorable as any of the laws of trade. The wheat in existence is sure to fall in value when it knows that a large new crop is coming; the effect is felt before the crop is harvested. So it will be with gold when it is known that a new crop of money is coming."

The Albany Democrat thinks it has discovered that the report of depression in industry is a campaign lie because The Oregonian said lately: "Our exports of manufactures are the largest ever known." Are auction sales below cost to clear off dead stock signs of prosperity? Do sheriffs' sales under the hammer indicate a thriving business? Our exports of manufactures are large because our own people cannot afford to buy the goods and stocks that are left in the mills which must be disposed of at any sacrifice to pay debts. These are sent abroad, to sell for what they will bring, like the surplus of our agricultural products. Mills cannot afford to pay American wages and sell to a foreign market, so they close or cut down wages.—Oregonian

We publish the above as a sample of the manner in which the Oregonian manufactures arguments, regardless of the real facts. Every well read person knows that our people are as able to buy our goods as the people of Europe, where there is depression as well as here, and where their manufactories are able to meet the warmest competition so far as prices go. Try again.

The Image of Gold.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

"Nebuchadnezzar the king, made an image of gold." * * "Then a herald cried aloud, * * and whoso falleth not down and worshippeth shall the same hours be cast into the midst of a burning furnace," * * * "and all the people fell down and worshipped the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar, the king had set up.

One of the reiterated statements of the campaign is that the business men are for McKinley, that the business men know what is good for them, etc. In the war of the Revolution the tories were mainly business men and rich farmers who would lose by war, but thank God there were enough patriots who dared lose all for liberty. In this town men are being threatened with foreclosure because they support Bryan. We know this to be a fact. Many business men who expect to support Bryan, say very little because of the pressure being brought by the wholesale houses and trusts.

They will however vote their convictions preferring the chance of temporary loss to binding this country forever in the galling chains of the gold standard. All honor to such men, if the money kings have determined to force the gold standard on us, shall we again assert our independence.

Let them do their worst but let us preserve the republic. FREEMAN.

They Never Grow Old.

By the eternal, we will see which is to rule—the money power or the people.—Andrew Jackson.

Gold is the most useless metal in the world. Fit only for plugging teeth and ornamenting fools.—Dr. Franklin.

Anything upon which the government places its stamp and declares it a full legal tender in payment of all debts and taxes is money; no matter what the material may be.—Henry Clay.

The theory of the intrinsic value of money has been abandoned by the best writers and speakers.—Encyclopedia Britannica.

Whoever controls the volume of money of any country is absolutely master of all industries and commerce.—James A Garfield.

Avarice says: "I will oppress the weak and devour the fruits of his labors, and I say it is fate that has so ordained."—Volney.

I believe the struggle now going on in this country, and in other countries, for a single gold standard, will, if successful, produce widespread disaster, in the end, throughout the world.—James G Blaine.

I a government contracted a debt with a certain amount of money in circulation, and then contracted the money volume before the debt was paid, it is the most heinous crime that a government could commit against the people. Abraham Lincoln.

My friends, unless our children have more patience and courage than saved this country from slavery, republican institutions will go down before money corporations. Rich men die, but corporations are immortal. They are never afflicted with disease. In the long run they are bound to win with legislatures. Wendell Phillips.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Awarded Gold Medal at Midwinter Fair, San Francisco.

A Clincher.

The following affidavit is from a late number of the Seattle Times. It makes interesting reading and settles the question as to whether the free coinage of silver is beneficial to Mexico or not. The affidavit speaks for itself, and should be read by every body desirous of arriving at the truth: "I, James H. Kennedy, now a resident of the town of Sinaloa, in the state of Sinaloa, Mexico, depose that I am an American by birth; that I served three years in the Seventh Iowa during the late Civil War; that I have always been a republican. I have resided in Mexico for twenty five years. I speak the Spanish language as well or better than I now do the English. I have traveled through twenty-four of the twenty-seven states in Mexico in an official capacity and as an interpreter for numerous syndicates. I have had access to almost all the archives of that country. I am better acquainted with the customs and usages of that country than I am of my mother country. I left Mexico on the 2d day of March, 1896, coming to this country to visit my friends, and relatives and old comrades. During the last month in Iowa I have heard more absurd and utterly false statements made in regard to Mexico than I ever thought could be conjured up by mortal man, all to deceive the voter.

One most heard is that you can take one American silver dollar into Mexico and get two Mexican silver dollars for it, or that you can get a meal and throw down an American dollar and they will give you back in change a Mexican dollar. I brand this as utterly false in every respect, a lie manufactured out of whole cloth. I assert that a Mexican will not accept an American dollar, either gold, silver or paper for any amount, but will refer you to a broker, where you can sell your silver dollar as bullion for Mexican money; then they will trade with you. The largest hotel in the city of Mexico will not accept American money under any circumstances, but will invariably refer you to a broker.

By paying the mintage any one can take silver bullion to either of the mints in Mexico and get Mexican silver dollars for it, and for 250 years silver bullion has never fluctuated up or down to exceed two cents.

I have heard it asserted that the National debt is payable in gold. I brand this as utterly false. Every dollar of the debt, $146,000,000, is and always has been payable in the lawful money of that country, and we are now paying our debts in Mexican silver dollars, the money of the contract.

I assert that Mexico in the present decade is making strides of advancement greater than any other nation on earth. Twenty five years ago we had eighty miles of railroad; now we have near eighty thousand miles of railroad. We are building factories on every hand. Twenty-eight years ago, when the French army was driven out, the Mexican government was left penniless, not a dollar in the treasury. We can now pay our entire debt any day a demand would be made for it.

I am now on my way to Mexico to spend the rest of my life. Anyone can find me by addressing a letter to James H. Kennedy, Sinaloa, Mexico.

In conclusion I invite an honest and thorough investigation into the facts of my statement, and I defy successful contradiction. I am not the owner of mining stocks and no personal interest has caused me to make this statement, but have given it by the request of an old comrade. JAMES H. KENNEDY.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to by James H. Kennedy, this 20th day August, 1896. E. H. ENGLISH
Notary Public in and for Polk county, Iowa. (SEAL)

Salem has Oregon's only lady campaign speaker, Olive S. England, who is outspoken for Bryan, and spoke at a public meeting at Salem Saturday evening. Mrs England said in a letter to a local paper: I, for one, shall be willing, if needed in a humble way, to aid the poor old battered ship of state, who with only men at the helm, is sadly floundering without chart or compass on the troubled political sea, into smooth waters. And if in the immediate future I feel the necessity of making a political speech, it shall undoubtedly be for Bryan for president. He is a man born to command. The brightest star of eternal destiny surely lights him on his triumphal way to victory. Nothing can daunt the wonderful man. Not since the days of Abraham Lincoln has there been a man in the whole world who has, from seeming obscurity, attained to such phenomenal success. His is the most brilliant star in the political firmament today, and we shall soon see its light shining from the white house, irradiating every part of these United States from Maine to Oregon.

As the financial manager of a political canvass Mr Mark Hanna is an imposing sight, but as managing editor he has not as yet exhibited the smallest ability. The gold standard press of the East is being conducted with a stupidity that amazes, and necessity must soon compel a change in the plan of campaign, if the fight is not to be given up. Bawling cannot be sustained at concert pitch with good results for months at a stretch, and so far Mr Hanna's newspapers have given their whole strength to bawling. Unmistakable hoarseness has ensued, as a matter of course. Everybody who can read has been long aware that the single standard press wishes to be understood that any man who offers an argument in favor of bimetallism is a fool, a lunatic, a repudiator, a rogue and a foe of the national honor, of which Mr Hanna and the controlling trusts and syndicates are for this occasion only the special guardians. If the gold standard press has anything else to say on the subject of finance, the time has certainly arrived when it should utter itself with some effort at coherency.—Examiner.

Stanford University has a Bryan club, and the boys go at things in a live manner. At a meeting for organization a statement of the principles and aims of the club preceded the constitution. The existence of political clubs in the university was defended; the republican party was denounced for attempting to make the tariff the leading issue of the campaign, and the epithets applied by the republican leaders to those who believe in free silver were characterized as "an insult to the entire people of California, who have practically declared unanimously for free silver through the last State Conventions of the democratic, republican, populist and prohibition parties." The utterance of the platform on the income tax was defended. Taking up the main issue, the committee argued the impossibility of the attainment of bimetallism through international agreement. Continuing, the report read: "We maintain that an adherence to the gold standard means a continued contraction of the money o ultimate redemption for an indefinite period of time. This will produce a continual fall of prices for an indefinite period of time, and history bears us out in the assertion that a regime of falling prices paralyzes industry, makes public paupers of respectable laborers, causes an abnormal increase in crime, and produces untold misery, want and despair.

"We do not claim that free silver will cure all the ills of society. Indeed, we recognize the fact that our money system is a very imperfect system at the best. But we do claim that the adoption of free silver will increase the stability of our currency in stemming the mighty tide of falling prices."

Mr. Bryan, candidate for president on the national democratic ticket, candidate of the populists, and candidate of the silver republicans, has performed a remarkable feat, says an exchange. He has made 150 campaign speeches in all kinds of weather and in as many different sections of the country, and to as many different kinds of people, and he has not made an utterance that could be twisted by his opponents into a weapon against him. In all these speeches he has earnestly and frankly presented what his heart felt and his brain really thought and for this reason he has said nothing that was not in the interest of the great mass of the people and with which they have not sympathized. Mr. Bryan is a young man, but he has proven himself to be both wise and capable and exceedingly democratic.

Said Mr. Bryan—The treasury would not back silver any more than it backs gold. That is the gold-standard idea, that you have got to back something. Bimetallism gives you two moneys which back themselves. Our opponents talk about a flood of silver. We have the unlimited coinage of gold, and we are not flooded with gold to any great extent. Suppose a new coinage law is in existence, and suppose some foreigner who did not like us were to come here and hurt us with his silver, how could he do it? He could bring enough silver bullion to have 1000 silver dollars coined, the government could take the bullion and stamp it and hand the dollars back to him. How would he hurt us? I know what you will say—that he will take his silver and change it for gold and take it away. Will he? Where will he get the gold? Go to the treasury and get it? Not under bimetallism. The government does not agree to swap dollars. What else could he do? Trade his silver dollars for something else—something we have to sell.

Ex-Judge A S Bennett is the only man in Oregon, so far as we know, who pretends to any reputation for knowledge of history, of economic science, of business and affairs, who speaks for the fallacies of the silver propaganda. Every other democrat who pretends to intelligence and dignity, refuses. Judge Bennett disgraces himself and forfeits his reputation. He professes to speak for "bimetallism." We suppose he lacks intelligence to know that he is speaking for debased dollars and silver monometallism. His reputation for honesty can be saved only upon the supposition of his ignorance of history and of economic science. It is pitiful, indeed.—Oregonian.

Really this man ought to take a hem in his conceit—it is spreading over his waistband. If Ex-Judge Burnett, of Corvallis, Attorneys W G McFadden, J R Bryson, Geo E Chamberlain, H C Watson, J K Weatherford, W R Bilyeu, J J Whitney and scores of others of fine ability and standing are to be classed as having no pretense to intelligence or dignity, because they differ from the editor of the Oregonian, either the said editor is not infallible or people in this valley are badly deceived in men whom they have always respected as both intelligent and dignified. The editor disgraces himself.

The New York World is in a peculiar position. It is against all three candidates and platforms. It now goes for the Palmer platform as warmly as against free silver and against McKinleyism with its trusts and monopolies. It says: "A democratic platform of 2,000 words surely had room enough for a specific declaration against trusts. Even more important is the financial plank. In settling up the single gold standard and having no word in favor of international agreement or any other means of increasing the use and enhancing the value of silver, one of our country's richest products and constituting over one-half of its store of money, the convention simply gave new point and edge to the free silver argument. It is a bankers' plank written by bankers' attorneys and hence is both selfish and short sighted.

"Messrs Flower, Belmont, Fairchild and their associates are apparently too closely identified with the Wall street view of finance to understand the depth and strength of the popular belief in bimetallism. In opposing the disastrous descent to a cheap silver basis they lose sight of the possibility of reconciling the country to the single gold basis.

"The people of the United States desire an honest and actual bimetallism, gold and silver dollars of equal intrinsic value. This is the tradition of the country. This is the democratic principle and practice. In failing to recognize it the Indianapolis convention made a bad mistake."

Gave Some Figures

Mr. Rigdon in a speech at Salem quoted from the tariff reform league document No. 9, showing as follows:

Last year of the tariff of 1883, surplus, $85,000,000.

First year of McKinley bill, surplus $26,000,000

Second year of McKinley bill, surplus $19,000,000.

Third year, surplus $2,000,000

Fourth year, deficit $69,000,000.

First year under Wilson bill, deficit $42,000,000.

Second year, deficit $26,000,000.

Showing the greatest deficit since the war occured under the McKinley bill and further that the customs receipts last year of McKinley bill were $129,000,000 making customs receipts $23,000,000 in favor of the Wilson bill.

He also showed by the same Republican tariff document that the per cent of free goods imported under the McKinley bill was the greatest in our history reaching the enormous figure of 60 per cent free importations, also that our exportations at present are greatest in our history.

These figures set his audience to thinking and put them in the proper mood for a careful investigation of the cause of our present hard times, says the Journal.

An improvement in times, reported by Dunn and Bradstreet, the Oregonian says to the certainty of McKinley's election. It knows better than that and the utterance is an untruthful one.

Every last one of us is for honest dollars and a chance to earn them. We want all the dollars honest, not part of them alone.

MISFITS.

Two men in Albany had a fight Saturday evening over politics, and another two men yesterday morning had a pugilistic encounter over 5 cents. The two together make an interesting and suggestive combination, indicating that this is inclined to be a pugilistic era.

A big gang of tramps have been doing Albany. They have two or three men specially for the begging part. One of them is one armed with some poetry about "Memories of Old Times," and another has a silver tube in his throat and a curse if you don't give to him.

Chas. Roberts was tried in Lane county for shooting from the public highway and sentenced to three months in the county jail. On a writ of habeas corpus, heard by the county judge, he was discharged on the ground that he only shot a dog and had a right to. Anything for business.

A very loving Chinese couple has frequently been observed on the streets of The Dalles lately, who pursue their love making unmindful of the smiles or remarks of the Melican man, says the Chronicle. They walk along the streets with hands clasped, and in one place where the sidewalk was too narrow to walk abreast, each put an arm around the other's waist and proceeded joyfully on.

After A. S. Bennett's speaking in Roseburg a white haired gentleman came to the front of the house and said: "Thirty years ago the first republican convention of Douglas county was held in the old court house which stood on the site of the present building. I had the honor to be chairman of that convention, and have always been a republican. I claim to be a republican yet, but I shall cast my vote for Wm. J. Bryan for president." This man is one of Douglas county's most honored pioneers, Mr. David Fate, of Days creek.

According to the Oregonian the principal object of the recent meeting of bankers east was to pave the way for a law permitting banks to issue paper money according to the amount of their stock, and not as now according to their bonds. This is one reason why such an effort has been made to retire greenbacks. The bankers undoubtedly know that the volume of money needs increasing and of course are in favor of a system that will enure to their advantage in a striking manner. The proper way, though, is by increasing silver, the currency of the people, using silver certificates, thus benefitting the people directly.

Albert Bond, who was declared a common drunkard several weeks ago by the city council, has been drinking harder than ever since, getting all the liquor he wanted in bulk, nearly always having a bottle. In going into a saloon he would, if any one were around call for a glass and pour out his own whiskey, said to be a very poor, cheap quality. On his way home last night some one asked him how he got his liquor, and he said that was easy enough when no one was around. There is considerable feeling against him on account of the way he has been doing. Any one who will sell such a man liquor in bulk or any other way, or buy it for him ought to hang his head.

The Portland Tribune says: Late last week a clerk in the employ of the firm of Goldsmith & Loewenberg, evidently acting under orders from a superior, asked all the employes to sign a paper pledging themselves to support and vote for McKinley. Some of the men demurred, but they soon found it was for their best interests to affix their signatures to the document. Two only absolutely refused to sign, and told the young man who was circulating the paper that they intended to vote for Bryan. One of the men, a tinsmith by occupation, says he is momentarily expecting a request for his resignation. "I do not care if I do lose my position," he said this morning: "I am an American citizen, and I do not intend to sell my birthright for a paltry salary."

Notice to Delinquents.

The sheriff is sending the following notice to delinquent tax payers:

DEAR SIR:

Your taxes for 1894 remain unpaid, and the county court has issued an order for the sale of property to pay the same. Please give the matter prompt attention as additional costs will be made after Oct. 1st, 1896. Very respectfully

M. C. GAINES,
Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon.

Boston Roller Mills, Shedds, Or.

In order to correct false reports we would state we give 40 lbs of flour, in exchange for one bushel first-class clean red and white wheat and less flour for second grade. We have put in a large Turbin and can do some good chopping for 1-10th bushel.

SIMMONS & THOMPSON.

Look at This.

I have 48 lots with fair house. All kinds of fruit, all in one body, close to college and city public school, to trade for residence in Albany. Look this up. Good place to make money or for speculation. G. W. MASTON.

Notice to Tax Payers.

City taxes will be delinquent on Oct. 1st., when costs will be added. Pay up before then. By order of the city collector.

Pure Drugs, Fred Dawson's.

BORN.

BARKER. — In Albany, on Sunday, Sept. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Barker, a son

MARRIED.

BENSON—GUNDERSON.—At the residence of Peter Gunderson on Sept. 27, by Rev. N. Peterson, Mr. Martin Benson and Miss Belle Gunderson—both of Linn county.

It is an interesting fact that the names of all the parties interested and the two witnesses end in son.

THE pain that sometimes strikes a man at the most inopportune moment is due to indigestion. It may come in the midst of a dinner and make the feast a mockery. It is a reminder that he may not eat what he chooses, nor when he chooses. He is a slave to the weakness of his stomach. Frequently he doesn't even know whether the thing he eats is going to agree with him or not. The things that please his palate most are often the worst for him to eat. Even the simplest food is likely to cause him misery and sleeplessness. His first trouble was very slight—very simple—very easy to cure. He ate something indigestible and it stuck some place in his digestive system. He ate more things and they stuck. Part of his digestion stopped altogether—that is constipation.

Constipation is so common that more than half the people in America are troubled with it. It is so serious that nine-tenths of the sickness of the world is traceable directly to this common cause. A man's health and strength depend upon what he gets out of his food. This depends on his digestion. Constipation stops digestion. Anybody can see that. The commonest kind of common sense will tell you that. When digestion stops, nutrition stops, and the whole body is thrown out of order.

The way to start digestion is to remove the obstruction. The way to do that is to take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are a positive cure for constipation and its attendant ills—headaches, sour stomach, flatulence, dizziness, biliousness and "heartburn." They are very gentle in their action. They simply assist nature. They give no violent wrench to the system. They cause no pain, nor griping, nor discomfort of any kind.

You can get a free sample of from 4 to 7 doses, by addressing World's Dispensary Medical Association, No. 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

If a druggist tries to sell you something "just as good," transfer your trade to another store. He is sacrificing your interests to his own pecuniary advantage.

TELEGRAPHIC.

A Southern Hurricane

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 29.—A Times Democrat special from Atlanta says:

A disastrous hurricane swept over Brunswick and along the Georgia coast this morning. Meager reports have been received from the storm center, saying the hurricane was most terrific and that great damage and probable loss of life resulted. All the wires along the coast are down and up to a late hour communication has not been restored to Brunswick, Savanah or Charleston.

Bad Condition of Affairs

MARSEILLES, Sept. 29.—There is a bad condition of affairs in this city which seems to be a disgrace to Europe, and to the Armenian associations generally throughout the world. Subsisting upon government, municipal or private charity here, are 500 unfortunate Armenians, men, women and children, young and old, healthy and sick, who have succeeded in escaping from the bloody massacres at Constantinople, and who were one and all buoyed up by the hope of being able eventually to reach the land of freedom—the United States.

Foolish Figuring

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 29.—A special from Dallas, Tex., says: "Republican leaders who are working to pull Texas into the McKinley column have been in conference with populist leaders today.

The latest figures made by the republicans are: Total vote of the state, 500,000; Bryan and Sewall electors, 185,000; Bryan and Watson electors, 120,000; republicans, 125,000; populists, 50,000; gold standard democrats, 20,000; McKinley's total vote, 195,000; his plurality, 10,000.

Biggest Yet

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Whether it may be set down to the enthusiasm of the candidate or to natural curiosity that predominates in the American public, it is nevertheless a fact that the demonstration that greeted W. J. Bryan today in this city was most remarkable in its character. Blockaded streets, crowded auditorium, besieged speaking stands and crowds that defied the energy of the police in their stability were some of the features. Tammany Hall, that had made the arrangements for the welcome and reception, outdid itself in the doing.

Going the Right Way

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—The director of the mint has received a telegram from the San Francisco mint stating that about $4,000,000 in gold was expected to arrive there from Australia a week from next Friday. Information also comes from London that the Bank of England expects to lose $5,000,000 before the end of the week. Both shipments are expected to ultimately reach the treasury, together with the amount already in sight, which would bring the gold reserve approximately to $135,000,000.

A Live Wedding.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 28.—Yesterday afternoon Frank Carnivalli and Filomena Campologni were married.

The wedding party had adjourned from the church to the house of the newly married couple to join in the wedding feast. The health of the bride was toasted, then that of the groom. The wine cup passed freely and the merry jest. Things were going along famously when George Zitka did something which displeased Carnivalli. He also said something intended to be funny, but Carnivalli failed to see the joke and from the pistol pocket of his wedding garb produced a big revolver. Leveling it at Zitka, he pulled the trigger twice, hitting him, but not fatally. The company scattered.

Fatally Burned.

EUGENE, Or., Sept. 28.—Rowena, the 18-month-old daughter of Mr and Mrs C R Bonner, died a horrible death last night from burns received yesterday morning. The child was playing about the house with her brother, while the mother was in another room. There was a fire in the fire place, and the child fell into the fire. The mother heard screams and ran to find the child's clothing in flames, which were extinguished as quickly as possible, but not, however, until the child had been horribly and fatally burned

Peculiar Accident.

MEDFORD, Or., Sept. 28.—Jefferson Grigsby, a farmer, living three miles east of Central Point, was accidentally shot yesterday afternoon. He stooped to pick up some article from the floor, knocked down a shot gun and received a full charge of No 5 shot in his scalp, none of which penetrated the skull. For some time he was thought to be in a critical condition, but was resting quietly this evening.

After the Negroes.

HAVANA, Sept. 28.—The Spanish press of Havana is engaged in a heated editorial discussion of the proposition to expel from the island all Cuban negroes, as soon as the triumph of the Spanish army in the present struggle shall be assured, and will follow up this step by encouraging white immigration from the poorer provinces of the island. The negroes would be allowed to voluntarily embark for ports of the United States and Central and South America.

Branching Out.

NEW YORK, Sept. 28.—A positive announcement was made this afternoon that John Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, had bought the business of the suspended firm of Hilton, Hughes & Co. This announcement was made by Robert C Orden, the general manager of the Philadelphia establishment, and a member of Mr Wanamaker's firm.

Burke Burned.

BURKE, Idaho, Sept. 28.—Burke was visited by a disastrous fire this morning, which for a time threatened the destruction of the town. Besides destroying over $10,000 worth of property, it resulted in the death of one man and the narrow escape of seven others, all of whom were more or less burned.

Watson After Sewall

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Thomas Watson, the populist candidate for vice president, telegraphs to the World a review of the political situation in which, in conclusion he says:

"Under present conditions, Mr Bryan cannot get the full populist vote. He cannot get it in Kansas or Colorado. He cannot get it in North Carolina or Nebraska. In the friendliest spirit, I give Chairman Jones warning. He will make the blunder of his life if he listens to the fusion leaders and believes a full populist vote can be had for Bryan, with Sewall on the ticket.

The Leadville Strike.

LEADVILLE, Colo., Sept. 27.—At 9:30 o'clock General Brooks telephoned the Herald Democrat that an attack is in progress on the Carbonado hill reservoir of the Leadville Water Company, and that shots are being exchanged between the militia and rioters.

At 9:40 P. M. a lively fusilade began at the Bohn mine, and was continued for 10 minutes. The sounds resembled a number of shotguns seemingly from one place, answered by rifle shots from different points nearby. No one was killed.

A Yale Forger.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 27.—W C Wallace, a young man of many aliases, and a graduate of Yale, is in the city prison awaiting extradition to Fort Worth, Tex., where he is wanted for uttering a forged draft for $20,000 on the First National bank of this place. The prisoner was captured two weeks ago by detectives as he was coming from breakfast at the Palace hotel. Chief of Police J H Maddox, of Fort Worth, is here awaiting to take Wallace back for trial, but there is some hitch in the extradition papers.

Child Killed by Rats.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 27.—Three big rats attacked the 2-months-old baby boy of Isaac Asher last night, gnawing its face, head and neck to such an extent that it died in a short time. The mother of the child had gone to market, and the father had left it sleeping on a bed in a room on the second floor while he went into his store downstairs. But a short time had elapsed when Mr Asher heard the infant crying, and as he entered the child's room three big rats jumped from the baby's couch and scampered off.

Probably a Joke.

NASHVILLE, Sept. 27.—An American special from Atlanta says:

"Tom Watson has given out an anonymous letter, purporting to come from California. In part, the letter reads:

"If you had a particle of manhood about you, you would have resigned long ago, when you saw that you were not wanted. One hundred of us have sworn to put you off the ticket, if you do not go off of your own accord before October 15. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Thirtieth Year.

ALBANY COLLEGE.

CALENDAR FOR 1896-7

1896—Sept. 16—College Year begins . . . Wednesday
Nov. 26-27—Thanksgiving Day recess, Thurs. and Fri.
Dec. 21—Term examinations begin . . Monday
Dec. 23—First Term ends . . . Wednesday
Winter Vacation of Twelve Days
1897—Jan 5—Second term begins . . . Tuesday
Feb 22—Washington's Birthday a holiday, Monday
April 6—Term Examinations begin . . Tuesday
April 8—Second Term ends . . . Thursday
Arbor Day Vacation of Four Days
April 12—Third Term begins . . . Tuesday
June 8—Final Examinations begin . . Tuesday
June 13—Baccalaureate Sermon . Sabbath forenoon
June 13—Address before the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Sabbath evening
June 14—Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees Monday afternoon
June 14—Junior Orations . . . Monday evening
June 15—Graduating Exercises of the Conservatory of Music . . . Tuesday forenoon
June 15—Popular Entertainment . Tuesday evening
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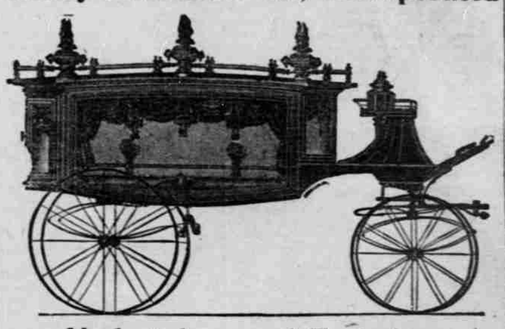

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Oliver Flickinger, late of the county of Linn and state of Oregon, by the county court of said county and state. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned, at her residence near Miller's Station in Linn county, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated this 18th day of September, 1896.

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The south half of lots seven and eight in block No. 2 (two) in the eastern addition to Albany, Linn county, Oregon.

Also by virtue of an order issued out of said court, on the 8th day of September, 1896, I will sell at public auction at the time and place above stated, to the highest and best bidder, the following described real property, towit:

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OLNEY FRY, JR, Executor,
By C H DALRYMPLE, Atty.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have filed their final account as executors of the estate of James B Morgan, deceased, and that the county court of Linn county, Oregon, has set Monday, the 2nd day of November, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock, p m of said day, for the purpose of hearing the same and the settlement of said estate. Any and all persons having any objections to said account and the settlement of said estate, are hereby notified to be present at said time and make the same.

Dated this the 29th day of Sept. 1896.

WEATHERFORD & WYATT,
Att'ys for Exrs ALFRED C MORGAN,
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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Isaac Hays Sr., deceased, has filed his final account with the clerk of the county court for Linn county, Oregon, and the court has fixed the 9th day of October, 1896, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day for the hearing of objections to said account if any and for the settlement of said estate.

This the 29th day of August, 1896.

Z. G. HAYS, Administrator.

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