

Pointing to 1888.

A hidebound partisan paper, the Denver Republican, has discovered that the President of the United States is one of the shrewdest politicians that ever sat in the Presidential chair...

The peculiarly effective manner in which the combined National, State, County and City Democratic political machines ground out a large majority for the Democratic ticket in New York on Tuesday, Nov. 8th...

His statesmanship is open to question, but there can only be one opinion as to his qualities as a politician. Though far inferior to Jackson in strength of character and personality...

What are the party managers going to do about it? How are they going to beat him? Thousands of Republicans are asking these questions and the leaders have very little time left to answer them in.

Is Blaine the man to lead the party to victory? Last week we would have confidently said yes. To-day we confess that we don't know.

Whistling in a Graveyard.

Philadelphia Press. But we are defeated in New York, and isn't that the pivotal, decisive State? True, but how defeated? By coddling the George movement and counting on that diversion...

Dating his editorial at three A. M. Wednesday Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier Journal, gave vent to his election joy in this manner:

THE LORD BE PRAISED. Let the boys in the trenches rejoice. The pivotal points of the political situation have gone against the Republicans, horse, foot and dragons, and the Democratic goose swings away up in the air.

New York stands by the administration with a wet sheet and a flowing sea and a wind that follows fast. The issue was fairly put on New York and the president has fairly won. Hurrah for Cleveland!

We mourn for Pullitzer. We despair of Halstead. But God's people are to have their seven, yea their eight years of plenty, and the will of God be the law of the land.

And the Star Spangled banner— Cinnamon seed and sandy bottom— Shouting the battle cry of freedom.

Jake Sharp's lobbyist, Belden, was elected to Congress from a New York district. He is a Republican, so is Jake Sharp, so are seven of the boodler Aldermen. The man who prosecuted the boodlers successfully was elected Judge as a straight Democrat...

The official majority of Cook, Democrat, over Fred Grant, Republican, candidates for Secretary of State of New York, is 17,852. Very good. The George vote in the State is 72,000, just 4,000 more than it was in the city alone last year. The Prohibition vote is 41,000, a gain of 5,000 over last year.

In an interview in a New York paper in reference to the chances of a republican candidate for president in 1888, Editor Medill, of the Chicago Tribune, says that "the prospect from my present standpoint is not particularly flattering for any republican candidate. Frankie need not be in a hurry to find a purchaser for her Red Top cottage, furniture and fixings—not yet awhile."

Eight U. S. Inspectors in the 'San Francisco Custom House sold 15,000 Chinese return certificates, receiving for them, it is estimated, \$1,500,000. They are all Republicans, and the frauds were perpetrated prior to March 4, 1885. These gentlemen have been indicted. It is one of the deplorable instances of "opening the books."

Blaine is growing fat, and hence is taking the massage treatment in Paris. The voters gave his party in New York the massage treatment November 8th. Mr. Blaine is to be the leader of a lean party next year and is reducing himself to the weight of his following.

The Democratic candidate for President in 1888 is sure of 189 in the electoral college out of the 301 necessary to a choice. As these figures do not include Indiana with 15, New Jersey 9, Connecticut 6, California 8, Ohio 23 or New Hampshire 4, there seems but little doubt of the result.

Some brayer is braying about the contraction of the currency. He doesn't know the difference between india rubber and a bar of lead. The currency has, in twelve months, expanded nearly \$18,000,000.

J. Blaine called on J. Gould in Paris last week, and had a confab with him four hours long. Jay is a Blaine man from way back and gave a feed to James just before the last Presidential election.

The Western Union Telegraph Company landed last year 47,394,530 messages. That was not one spiece for our population of 60,000,000.

The official list of the members of the next House of Representatives shows that it will consist of 168 Democrats, 153 Republicans and 4 Independents.

"The Old Roman."

Allen G. Thurman in the last campaign addressed a large meeting at Kenton, Ohio. The following is a report of his speech as it appeared in an exchange:

The ex-Senator has been confined to his room for a month with rheumatism, but said he could not resist the call of the Democracy to once more, before crossing the dark river, speak for the cause he loved so well. His reference to his old age and to his last effort for his party was pathetic. The enthusiasm of the audience and especially that of the Therman Club of Columbus, an organization of young men, seemed to make a new man of him and he delivered a grand speech in spite of his infirmities.

I want to speak of a man I know—Grover Cleveland. I have lived through a good many Presidential terms. I have known several Presidents personally. I have read the history of all the administrations. I say upon my honor as a man bound to tell you the truth, as faithfully as ever man told the truth, that a more honest, braver, truer man never filled the Presidential chair.

He is an honest, plain man, of more ability than the people generally think. He has the supreme faculty—common sense. If he is not a level-headed, honest man, I am no judge of men. He grows in the popular favor every day, and when the four years of his administration are at an end the people will say: "You have done well. You may take your seat for another four years." In conclusion, Judge Thurman said: "I came in this beautiful weather to talk with you, and am feeling better than I have for a year. The best medicine I can find is attending a Democratic meeting. I have been confined to my room almost a month, but as I came up here I felt better every mile. Probably this is the last speech I shall ever make. I don't know, I may be wandering around on the banks of Styx talking Democracy. I'm sure I shall never talk anything else. As my parting words, I beseech you to stand by the principles laid down by Jefferson, under which this Government has become one of the greatest, best and most lovable on the face of the earth. Be thankful for such a government, and when you sift it down you will find that every principle that has contributed to your happiness is a principle of the Democratic party."

Religious exclusivism got a blow when Miss Burr, a Christian lady in New York, left \$90,000 to the Jewish Orphan Asylum. It was but reciprocal, however, for there is hardly a Christian charity in the country that has not been helped by Hebrews.

We may sometime reprint an extract from the speech of Gov. Hill, of New York, on the temperance question in that State. It is an ampersand of facts proving the duplicity and treachery of the Republican bosses to both sides.

The official vote for Governor in Maryland is Jackson (dem.) 98,938 and Brooks (rep.) 86,644 Democratic majority, 12,292. In 1884 the vote was, Cleveland 96,932, Blaine 85,699. Cleveland's majority, 11,233.

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FOR SALE.—Thirty-five dollars will buy a Parker shot gun, twelve bore; also five dozen metal shells—cost \$50. Inquire at this office.

\$10 REWARD.—Strayed from the farm of John Maxwell, near Irving, Nov. 10th, 1887, one dark bay horse, about 16 hands high, dim brand of "J N" on right hip, heavy saddle marks. The horse formerly ranged west of Junction. The finder will be paid \$10 by returning the horse.

OPTICAL GOODS.—Besides having a full line of jewelry Mr. J. O. Watts has just received from the East a large invoice of spectacles, goggles, eye shades and other optical goods. He also carries a complete stock of violin trimmings. Give him a call at his store in Horn & Paine's building.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH.—Office hours on Sunday from 8:30 to 10:30 a. m., and from 4:30 to 6:30 p. m. Week days, all business hours. G. F. CRAW, Supt.

LOT FOR SALE.—A fine building lot for sale in a growing portion of town 93x160 feet. Will be sold cheap for cash. Inquire of Mr. A. C. Woodcock for particulars.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—Parents buy your school books of Mr. George Collier, formerly McCormack & Collier. He has the largest stock and sells at low prices.

Notice to Teachers. Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers in the public schools of this county, the county superintendent thereof, and assistant examiners, will hold the regular quarterly public examination at the court house in Eugene City on Wednesday, November 30th, 1887, beginning at the hour of noon.

A. W. PATTERSON, Co. Supt. Dated this 17th day of November, 1887.

Firemen's Election. Notice is hereby given that the annual election of the Eugene City Fire Department for a Chief Engineer and First Assistant will take place on Monday, December 5th, 1887. Polls will be open from 1 to 6 p. m.

L. BLYEY, President. November 18, 1887.

Cloaks and jackets—100 garments must be sold. Ladies look at my stock. Will make you prices lower than the lowest. G. BREITMAN.

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We don't know anything about booms in Oregon. Read the following from a San Francisco paper about Monrovia in Southern California: "A year ago last May when Monrovia was laid out, acre property was worth \$250. Now it is worth \$4,000. Town lots that fourteen months ago were worth \$150 now figure at \$5,000 and \$6,000 on the choice streets. There are two banks in Monrovia, and two churches are now being built, one costing \$7,000, the other about \$8,000. Two school buildings are also under way, one of which will cost \$15,000. J. M. Studabaker and Clem Stalebaker, the South Bend, Indiana, wagon manufacturers, and J. I. Case, the owner of Jay Eye See, are building winter residences \$7,500 each. E. F. Spence, the banker, is building a \$12,000 home there, and G. B. Lampert, cashier of the Granite Bank, is building a residence worth \$10,000. Monrovia has 1200 people, and is growing fast."

Joaquin Miller has become to some extent reconciled to his daughter Maud, who incurred his anger by marrying Ludon S. McCormack, the actor. Mrs. McCormack and her father now correspond regularly. She is a tall slender woman and resembles her father in appearance. She was his favorite child and the only one to whom he gave the advantage of an education. She and her husband have not prospered on the stage, and are now in St. Louis, out of engagements.—Louisville Post.

The congressional library at Washington will cover 110,000 square feet, more than two and one-half acres. Mr. Smithmeyer, to whom the library has been entrusted, has carried on elaborate tests of the resisting power of the soil on which it will stand. The German parliament house covers 110,000 square, the royal library at Munich 99,000 and the library of the British Museum 97,000.

"You say that you love me," said the charming young lady to the dude. "I do," he replied. Then why do you ask me to marry you?"

Away with superstition. A Michigan girl has found 2125 four-leaf clovers and isn't married yet. An Omaha girl who found out how to make pumpkin pie was married in three months.—Omaha World.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the county court of Lane county, Oregon, has duly appointed the undersigned administrator of the estate of Thomas C. Spain, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to said administrator at the law office of Gordon & Dorris in Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. GEO. A. DORRIS, Administrator. Dated Nov. 12th, 1887.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, OR., Nov. 3, 1887. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or Clerk of the County Court of Lane Co., Or., at Eugene City, Or. on Wednesday, December 14th, 1887, viz: Ananias J. Morris, Homestead Entry No. 3959 for the Lots 5 and 6, N 1/2 of S W 1/4 and S E 1/4 of N W 1/4, Sec. 5, Tp. 18 S, R. 11 West, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Amos Haring, of Florence, Or., James Taylor, of Eugene City, Or., Jefferson Harney, Cornelius Scott, of Florence, Or. CHAS. W. JOHNSTON, Register.

C. M. COLLIER, Attorney-at-Law.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, OR., Oct. 7, 1887. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the County Court of Lane County, Or., at Eugene City, Or., on Saturday, Nov. 26, 1887, viz: H. N. Carter, pre-emption D. S. No. 5320, for the S 1/2 of N W 1/4, N E 1/4 of S W 1/4 and lot 1 Sec. 20 Tp. 19 S R. 1 East W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land viz: E. D. Cain, E. W. Michael, T. J. Blakely and M. L. Lewis, all of Lowell, Lane county, Oregon. CHAS. W. JOHNSTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, OR., Nov. 15, 1887. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the county court of Lane county, Or., at Eugene City, Or. on Dec. 26, 1887, viz: Robert F. Cooper, pre-emption D. S. No. 4911, for the S E 1/4 of S E 1/4 and lots 1, 2 and 3, sec. 20 and lot 4 of Sec. 21, Tp. 17 S R. 9 W. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Zalmen Young, Christian Berger, Howard Pope and Sylvester Bishop, all of Dealwood, Lane county, Oregon. CHAS. W. JOHNSTON, Register.

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