

Eugene City Guard

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"PARTING OF THE WAYS."

The Oregonian is to be commended for its frankness on the money question. Its editor knows—and will not play the hypocrite—that all the talk about international agreement as to the use of silver, monetary commission, etc., is the veriest rot and really unworthy of a party with a record like that of the Republican organization. The Oregonian says:

"Wolcott in 1896 stood by the republican party because it held out a hope of free silver by international bimetallism. He knows that this hope is an utter delusion; that the republican party has reached the parting of the ways and must henceforth be for the gold standard, without qualification. He cannot follow the party any longer without utterly abandoning the cause of free silver."

"Wolcott remained with the party last year only because of his belief, as he declared, that "bimetallism" could be best attained through the election of McKinley; and now that this delusion has failed and practically been given up by the party, Wolcott sees that he must either abandon his "free-silver" faith or the party; and all the other silver-republican senators must make the same choice, including Carter of Montana and Chandler of New Hampshire."

The money issue is the only one before the country today. The great parties have made their records and it is not going too far to say that there is no room in the Republican party for a silver republican nor in the Democratic party for a gold democrat. Such appellations are misnomers.

Honest thoughtful men of both parties thoroughly understand the situation, are severing old party ties, and aligning on the issue of the day.

And they are right. Honesty in politics is not less a virtue than in the individual.

BEFORE AND AFTER TAKING.

The position of the McKinley administration on the money question, and its campaign promises, can only be compared to the patent medicine advertisement showing the pictures of a very emaciated individual and one in the enjoyment of perfect health, under which are the respective labels: "BEFORE TAKING" and "AFTER TAKING."

The administration that was to take care of all our financial ills through tariff legislation and international monetary agreement, now proposes to do a thing that it would not have dared to breathe in strict privacy before the election. That of retiring the greenbacks by issuing gold bonds to secure the money to take their place.

"When the devil was sick
The devil a saint would be;
When the devil got well
The "devil" a saint was he."

A SUN PREDICTION.

The gold standard New York Sun commenting on the result of the fall elections says:

"What does this portend? It portends a united Bryan democratic party in 1900, with the delegation from New York supporting the reaffirmation of the Chicago platform against which it stood so solidly in 1896. It means the unconditional surrender of the New York democracy to Bryanism."

The Salem Statesman affords to believe "free coinage of silver at 16 to 1 is a dead issue." The Statesman should read the platform, adopted little over a year ago, on which McKinley was elected, before casting "free coinage of silver" aside as a "dead issue." The people of Oregon will have something to say about the silver question next June, and it will certainly be embarrassing for the Statesman to have to dig up a "dead issue" and try to convince its readers that it is really and truly dead.

New York custom authorities have instituted a movement to prevent kissing on the piers between incoming passengers and their waiting friends. They claim the kissing nuisance causes delay and gives smugglers an opportunity to pass the contraband stuff to the persons kissed. Medical science tells us disease can be communicated by kissing, and now stern law says our revenue regulations are broken while the apparently innocent kiss is being exchanged.

Commissioners' Court.

Henry Beam feeding rock crusher.....	\$26.62
A Cord hauling water rock crusher.....	24.37
R W Lyman hauling water rock crusher.....	12.12
Wm Brewer wood for rock crusher.....	4.70
George Forrest repairs on road tools and bridge material.....	3.75
F L Chambers miscellaneous hardware.....	16.10
Giffin Hardware Co miscellaneous hardware.....	22.20
Giffin & Veatch bridge hardware.....	10.20
W H Hayden bridge timbers.....	2.00
W R McCormack gravel.....	3.51
Frank Post gravel.....	7.50
Hutchins gravel.....	5.70
W F Patterson gravel.....	1.98
J H Millorn gravel.....	1.20
Stephen Smeed gravel.....	63
J T Rowland road supervisor district No 107.....	13.00
James Allen road supervisor district No 107.....	25.00
Lucky & Co repairs on road tools etc.....	13.40
V H Rowland repairs on road tools etc.....	5.00
H S Freeman repairs on road tools etc.....	5.00
T E Cress engineer and superintendent rock crusher.....	26.00
Harrisburg Lumber Co lumber.....	2.03
A flood & Son lumber.....	1.00
Eugene Lumber Co lumber.....	10.93
A W Shorthridge lumber.....	1.80
W H Eaton bridge floor claimed \$33; allowed.....	30.00
J W Holland collecting road tax Wm and Verne Larimer.....	43.30
James Frasure keeping pauper.....	3.60
J H Miller printing blanks claimed \$1.70; allowed.....	90
A E Wheeler J P State vs McMahon.....	3.80
Sid ey Scott constable State vs McMahon.....	4.50
L T Harris deputy district attorney State vs McMahon.....	2.50
F A Ware & Co meals for jurors.....	3.60
E Bangs livery.....	12.50
S H Friendly supplies for paupers.....	3.00
I M Francis work on Bally Hill.....	16.31
A E Wood pauper supplies.....	2.50
Henderson & Linn pauper supplies.....	2.15
L L Masters board of paupers claimed \$10; allowed.....	8.50
Pearl McDonald bounty wolf.....	2.00
W E Schell bounty coyote.....	2.00
D C Winn bounty coyote.....	2.00
Albert Moon bounty coyote.....	2.00
T C Dotson bounty cougar.....	2.00
A V Peters pauper supplies.....	3.40
R Robertson Hills creek bridge.....	90.00
John Winzenreid lumber.....	8.00
W P Lower road supervisor district No 22.....	54.00
W L Chesher medical attendance on pauper claimed \$22; allowed 15.00	
Tax certificate No 185; ordered by the court that said certificate be cancelled and declared void.	
The Register printing.....	38.50
D P Burton assessor work on military list.....	12.00
E Schwarzschild stationery.....	11.90
W B Andrews lumber.....	38.80
J H McAndrews pauper supplies.....	7.70
B F Dorris ex officio J P State vs Hopkins.....	9.45
W F Martin juror State vs Hopkins.....	2.00
Tom Brown juror State vs Hopkins.....	2.00
A M Hendricks juror State vs Hopkins.....	2.00
J B Kromebush juror State vs Hopkins.....	2.00
J H Goodman juror state vs Hopkins.....	2.00
George Yoran juror State vs Hopkins.....	2.00
Alva Simmons witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
John McCullow witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
J S Stiles witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
C A Wintersteller witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
H B Kenniston witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
G Bellmire witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
G C Fleeman witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
A L Patterson witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
W W Davis witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
J A Gordon witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
George Fisher witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
J J Nichols witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
Jas Houng witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
B F Gilmer witness State vs Hopkins.....	1.60
Paul Scherder, coyote's scalp.....	2.00
G S Miller J P State vs M Mullein.....	3.80
J H Wells constable State vs Mullen.....	4.92
R F Scott constable State vs Mullen.....	6.33
G S Miller J P State vs D Kelly.....	4.00
J H Wells constable State vs D Kelly.....	4.92
J L Cowan constable State vs Mullen and Kelly.....	4.90
R F Scott witness State vs Mullen and Kelly, claimed \$1.50; not allowed.....	
J H Wells witness State vs Mullen and Kelly, claimed \$1.50; not allowed.....	
E C Smith gravel.....	6.42

At this time the claim of F A Clew for \$207.00 for damage falling through county bridge was continued for the term, a bill of C M Collier,

levelling court house foundation, \$4, was continued for the term.

Kerr road in Tp 21 S R 1 W; established.

F L Baber road in Tp 21 S R 2 W; established.

THE FIRST BOAT.—F J Smith has been writing several articles on "Steamboating on the Willamette," for the Portland Daily Tribune. He has this to say about the first boat that ever reached Eugene: "In the spring of 1856 the James Clinton was built and commenced running on the Yamhill route. Although doing a good business under the command of Capt Cochran, he was induced by the McCullys of Harrisburg to change her route to that place and Eugene. Herefore the merchants of those towns had to haul their freight from New Orleans, a point in Linn county opposite Corvallis, by teams, and in order to get better facilities they were lavish in their promises of support, and also took several thousand dollars stock in the boat. While this proposition was of great benefit to those towns, it proved quite a tempting bait to the captain of the Clinton, and was accepted. She arrived at Eugene March 12, 1856, being the first boat to ascend that far. On this route she proved quite a success and finally was dismantled and her machinery was sent to Coos bay, to be placed in a steamer built there."

Some beautiful specimens of Kiondike gold are on exhibition in the show window of Hampton Bros, the property of Mr Atkins.

Revised Price List.

17 lbs D C Sugar.....	\$1.00
lbs Arbuckles or Lion coffee.....	25
1 large package gold dust.....	20
1 box 250 *** envelopes.....	25
1 lb can baking powder.....	5
1 lb can baking powder.....	10
1 lb package soda.....	5
6 lbs Arm & Hammer soda in bulk.....	25
Good new almonds, per pound.....	10
Good new walnuts, per pound.....	10
2 lbs nice fresh peanuts.....	25
3 lbs good mixed candy.....	25
2 lbs jelly bean candy.....	25
2 lbs candy hearts.....	25
2 lbs mint loz.....	25
1 lb pall E & B smoking tobacco.....	25
3 packages Pedro tobacco.....	25
1 lb starch in bulk.....	5
2 extra large paper tacks, 1 lb.....	5
1 bottle prepared mustard.....	5
1 gal bottle pickles or chow chow, good.....	25
3 cans salmon.....	25
1 broom, good.....	15
Nice fresh white fish, mackerel, salmon belly, etc. AX BILLY, Department Store.	

Day & Henderson, Undertakers and Embalmers, Cor. Wil. and 7th sts.

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Prices before you go to Klondyke.

Our walnuts and almonds are the new crop. Remember in buying oranges or lemons from us you're getting them cheaper and fresher—as it is fruit that I raise on my own place near San Diego.

4 dry peaches..... 25
4 dry apricots..... 25
50 lbs flour..... 1.00
1 doz lemons..... 10
1 doz oranges navel..... 25
2 lbs Arbutus coffee..... 25
2 lbs Lyon coffee..... 25
2 lbs very fine roast..... 25
2 lbs Green coffee..... 25
1 lb 1887 walnuts..... 10
3 lb candy..... 25
1 lb almonds..... 10
5 lbs lard fresh..... 45
10 lbs lard fresh..... 90
17 lbs granulated sugar (cane)..... 1.00
50 lbs fine Dairy salt..... 45
50 lbs sack salt..... 35
We give a handsome book to each and every customer.

Summons.

In the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Linn.

William Abi, Plaintiff,
vs
Victoria Abi, Defendant.
To Victoria Abi the above named Defendant, in the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer and completely defend against you in the above entitled suit and for such other relief as may seem equitable and just to this Court.

For a decree annuling the bonds of marriage now existing between you and the above named Plaintiff and forever dissolving the same and for the costs and disbursements of this suit and for such other relief as may seem equitable and just to this Court.

This Summons is published in the Eugene Weekly Graphic by order of the Hon. J. C. Fullerton, judge of said Court, said order being dated the 16th day of December, 1897.

WALTON & MARKLEY, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

TAKE NOTICE.

LADIES! LADIES!

Don't put off getting your all wool serge dress too long. It is going fast and when this lot is gone you won't have another chance. Only \$1.50 per yard, 60 inches wide at

SALEM WOOLEN MILL STORE.

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Are taking the Lead Over all Heating Stoves.

LOOK at PRICE Buy Them....They will suit you.
We keep the only genuine air-tight
GOLD DUST Smokeless powder and EXCELSIOR
Black powder loaded shells kept by us.

S. L. LONG.

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Is the time to Buy Xmas PRESENTS

NOTHING will make a better or more appreciated present than a pair of Boots, Shoes or Slippers. Something everyone needs. The largest and best stock of these Presents can be found at

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Orange and Nut Bowls Etc.

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Wall Paper Sale!!

In order to make room for our new spring stock, we are going to close out our stock of 1897 wall paper at prices that will astonish you. In other words we will cut the prices on white blanks and gilds

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Local Market. Western Washington has been having a great flood. The loss is placed at \$1,000,000.

Dec 31.

Wheat—67c. Oats—28c. Hops—6 to 12c. Eggs—25c. Butter—35 to 45c per roll. Potatoes—25c. Reports of disastrous rains in Oregon are liable to affect the price of wheat in the right direction.

Walton & Markley, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Chat Hutton

...CAPES...

For the Holidays

Plush Capes.

MAKE IT EVENTFUL!
Swing into line Holidays, with a suit and overcoat that gives you a well-dressed appearance—make it a happy Christmas. Just as well wear clothes that are tailored right—that have perfection in fit and finish that stamps them as leading—just as well have the best. It's the best if you buy it of us—"the best for the money" in every instance.

Men's all wool suits \$8.99, \$7, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.92, \$11, up to \$20.
Boy's suits, \$5, \$6, \$7, and \$8. At cost to close.
Trunks, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8, \$8.50 and \$9.60.
Telephones, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, \$6.50, \$7, \$7.50, \$8, \$8.50 and \$9.50.<br