The Register publishes the fol-

lowing: "The GUARD, at certain times, 18 very solicitous concerning the old soldiers, but they criticize onle others' tickets. Where are the old soldiers on the fusion ticket?"

The GUARD will briefly answer

Mr W F Gray, who was nominated unanimously for representative by the union convention, is to old soldier of the civil war; is an honorable member of Cottage Grove Post, G A R; has the respect of the people generally of the city in which he resides, and has resided in Lane county for a number of years. Before moving to Cottage Grove he resided on the Siuslaw. If Hon Herbert Condon, who is so patriotically inclined, will call on Mr Frank Reisner, Commander of the G A R for the state of Oregon, he will learn more com-

ing the gentleman. Also we will inform Condon that he learn from nearly any of the active comrades of Eugene Post, G AR, how the organization has been treated by the GUARD and tion will not be pleasant to his ears either, if we have been correctly informed.

LATER.

Hon H C Huston, Union nomince for state senator is also an old ex soldier, being an Indian war with credit. During the two years he received three severe wounds.

NO POLITICS OR RELIGION.

It seems to be a very general impression that the overwhelming majority of the 1245 soldiers who will leave Oregon for the war-front, are Republicans; a fact that speaks in vibrating tones for the patriotism of the party and that, of course, without prejudice to the loyalty of such citizens as do not happen to be in the guard. All the same it is a circumstance of genuine and justifiable pride to every Republican in the state.-Statesman.

not in good taste, says the Salem and such vices as drinking liquor and church does not enter into conversation when the Spanish war is discussed. Politics and religion the volunteers.

Mr Bryan and his followers, north, south, east and west, are a unite for the vigorous pressing forof Prohi's and Middle-Roaders.

At the Silver jubilee celebration, in honor of Archbishop Gross, just and loyal speeches were made by assembled Catholic prelates and an oar, reef a sail, or receive a message priests, when their utterances are with flags as well as his teacher. directed to the overthrowing of a government in which their church Following is a New York telegram:

At the regular annual meeting of the National Committee of the

"The National Committee of the Catholic Young Men's National Union express, on behalf of 50 000 young men, their fealty to the flag and their determination to uphold by every possible means your administration in the upright and

patriotic course it is pursuing." Let it now be forgotten that the Maine shows that out of 266 men age, but do a man's work and are on the Maine 190 were Catholics proud of it. and that probably a majority were not Republicans.

novel designation. It goes on the handle the modern appliances on ticket. Mr Mitchell belongs to the Washington, D.C. These achools are reparty. It is needless to say Mr served for the ex-apprentice. Upon the expiration of his term of calistment he served for the ex-apprentice. When the highest market price for all I can allowed and drawn allowed and drawn some form the served for the ex-apprentice. Upon the expiration of his term of calistment he Scott of the Oregonian does not.

THE NAVAL APPRENTICE.

For Unele Sam's Navy.

BY C. B. PERKINS, YEOMAN, U. S. N.

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never been on board an American-man, and the many other delicate contrigans and appliances than ingenuity of man can produce.

American boys who wished to become are very simple. Man-of-War's men. During the first few years following the introduction gious of a modern warship is likely to Received from taxes 1887 of boys as apprentices, their presence convince one that business has been was greatly opposed by the men and overdone; that there are too many en- Paid county superintendents orders \$1005.51 mendatory information concernwork. It was found in a short time that want of strength when hauling a human body. And they are as faon ropes, or pulling an oar in a boat miliar to the officers and crew as the was amply made up by the apprentice boy's catlike activity aloft, and surgeon; more so because they are Register. And we are pleased to and the use of the modern form of ordisay, in advance, that the informa- nance. The American boy between 14 and 19 years of age is eligible for the naval service, providing he is physically and mentally qualified and posenters the service he is provided free the gun force and before the end of the with a complete outfit of clothing, bed. first year, the boy with his first enlistding, and receives \$9.00 per month, ment stripes if he has shown proper and he is only allowed to draw \$2 of pluck and zeal, perfrms the duty and the \$9, and the remaining \$7 is placed receives the pay of a petty officer. veteran, having served throughout to his credit on the tooks until he bethe Rogue river Indian war of 1855 comes of age, when his term of enlistment expires. Besides he gets his rations. His pay is increased to \$10,-00 and \$21.00 per month. On enlist-What do you think now Condon? Ing he is a 3rd class apprentice and as he gains a more familiar knowledge of what his duties are he is rated to a 2nd class apprentice at \$15 per month, and when he has thoroughly mastered signalling and seamanship and ordinance he is rated to 1st class and receives \$21 per month. Upon the expiration of his enlistment, he can reinlist with a chance of a petty officer's rations always ready for him. There is nothing to prevent a bright boy who has been well behaved to secure a well paid position for life in the United States naval service.

The training station at Goat Island, Cal, after the receiving ship, is where the boy receives his first lessons in seamanship, gunnery, and what is more important-dicipline. He is taught

fornia, introduced a bill for an appropriation to rebuild the old wooden ago, People's-Democratic-silver-Repubship, Pensacola, and make a training lican." Another "People's" party cut no figure in the organization of ship out of her. It is now completed state ticket would confuse the voters. ship out of her. It is now completed and will be stationed at Goat Island, in San Francisco bay, and accessible to the island for drill ground. The ship is fixed very conveniently, having a school room, where they study all kinds of school books. They have a herary room and gymnasium, where ward to victory. The same is true kinds of school books. They have a library room and gympasium, where they can exercise, making a perfect and ill-considered mandamus decision. home for a boy. Perhaps a boy has It was so full of defects that the attorhis greatest triels when he is on a news for the state did not care to amend held at Portland, the most patriotic training ship where he is still treated its contradictions for fear of improving as a boy though he may be able to pull its standing in court.

After finishing his course at the training ship, he is sent to sea for a tew months making a cruise from San Francisco as far south as San Diego and from there to Sandwich Islands, and from there as far north as Victoria and from there as far north as Victoria didate hurt by the Hewitt mandamus by the Manual of the training ship, he is sent to sea for a tew any number of delegates rejected by a is almost the government itself. Francisco as far south as San Diego ticket. and back to San Francisco. The U S is Hewitt himself. The lawyers for S Adams is used for this purpose sails Secretary Kincaid have won every Catholic Young Men's National ing most all of the time she is equipped point in the suit so far and Middle-

Every one of our vessels has in her complement a certain number of apprentices of the first or second class, dents of the University of Oregon had received from the training ships, enlisted as volunteers from Oregon, Some times the number allowed is ex- A number of others will probably go creded as was the case on the Crack also: Battleship Oregon, a short time ago when instead of 40 allowed over sixty are needed to fill the shortage of men. official report of chaplain of the some of these boys are only 16 years of

Captain Barker of the Owgon complemented the apprentices on his battle ship very highly the other day in his report to the Secretary of the Navy Several years ago the Government The Republican party of Mult- became aware of the importance of nomah county has a wing with a having a corps of welltrained men to board ship and established special official ballot as an "Anti-Simon" training schools at Newport, RI and

can make application to be sent to SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENTS from Oct. 1st 95, to March these training se hools and the Governplaces the apprentice becomes proficient facture and preparation of torpedos. The following letter from a well It is amazing in what a short time a known Lane county boy will be read man can get practical knowledge of with interest, the war fever of the several subjects in the short time alpresent time rendering it particularly lowed at these training places. On all four ships the electric turret gear, the "There are fully tif y millions of peo- ever running dynamos, the installaple in the United States who have tion of wires and lights, the forpedes, never been on board an American-manof-war, and probably sixty million between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts
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put a year or more in the seamen gunners class. Besides these varied and
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Received from Cance bottom or recover a lost anchor, they are able to cook, wash and mend their own clothes, Also keep an account of It is only during the last few years that much interest has been taken in the stores in a satisfactory manner. In the improvement of the navy. One of fact the seaman gunner is what our the most effective steps toward the new ships need more than the old type proper manning of the Man-of-War of of sailor man. The mechanism is so the future, was the establishment of fine now, a person has to be well the apprentice training system for trained to operate them although they

The first descent into the lower reofficers; it being claimed that they gines, dynamos, pipes, wires, fixings were not strong enough to do a man's generally. The pipes and tubes and wires suggest the veins and arteries in veins and arteries of the body to a his quick way of picking up signalling studied daily by the crew and their own parts which each individual has to operate are thoroughly understood. All apprentices upon discharge do not go to the gun ner schools as the accommodation there is too small for so scenes good character. When he first many. Some prefer to re-enlist with

THE OFFICIAL BALLOT.

The Controversy Over Position o Middle-of-the-Roaders on the Ticket.

The Salem Journal has the following succinct comment on the efforts of the Middle-of-the-Roaders to get upon the official ballot, with the exclusive name of the Peoples Party, the result of the bolting 16 of the Middle-of the-Road men:

All through this controversy Secretary Kincald has taken the position Fish and game fund \$12808.25 that it was his duty to apply the Miles and the first and the fund \$12808.25 Institute fund \$1280 that it was his duty to enable the Mid- state die-Roaders to get their ticket on the Road fund Road fund indigent soldiers official ballot in a perfectly legal manner. He has shown no disposition to keep them off.

But their demand has been to go on

But their demand has been to go on

an electorial ticket went on two years

That is the secret of Judge Hewitt's

Judge Hewitt's decision will never bear investigation of the higher courts, March isos as it would establish the precedent that On hand April 1st, 1898 as it would establish the precedent that

Up to last night the following stu-

J C Booth, '98, F 2nd, Albany. H Davis, '98, C 2d, Eugene. R L Knapp, F, 24, Albany. Philo Holbrook, '98, C, 2d, Eugene. M L Applegate, C, Eugene. F E Ankeny, C. Engene. A C Stubling, H, 1st, Portland. C E Saunders, G, 3rd, The Dailes. L S Hooker, C, Eugene. E Crawford, C, Eugene. C McCornack, C, Eugene. A Gamber, F, Albany.

Oregon Grape Root.

50,000 pounds wanted. Will pay Indigent soldiers...

AND EXHIBITS.

in the use of modern guns, the manu- Financial Condition of Lanc County.

Semi-Annual statement of A. S. Patterson, County Treasurer of Lane County, Oregon, for the six months ending March sist, A. D. 1898. LANE COUNTY PUND. Bal. on hand October 1st, 1897, ... ceived from Taxes 1886 ceived from Taxes 1887 22.88 general fund
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Fees from Sheriff. Paid Lane County Warrants 9918.71 Balance on hand 9979.34 COUNTY SCHOOL PUND. | Bal. on hand October 1st, 1897, \$2003.08 | Received from flucs | 140.25 | Received from lapsed district | No. 145 | 18.80 | Received from taxes 1898 | 199.50

Bal. on hand Oct. 1st, 1897.... Received from fines 89.25 Paid orders of Co. court.

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Bal on hand......

INSTITUTE FUND. Bal. on hand October 1st, 1807, 54.78 Received from Co. superintend-Bal, on hand STATE SCHOOL FUND. Bal, on hand October 1st, 1897, . 7:0.08 Paid Co. superintendent orders ROAD FUND.

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ol fund 730,08 9.67 4.30 1977.42 772.49 1204.99

\$29754.58 \$12569.97 \$17185.71 D., 1898. A. S. PATTERSON, County Treasurer.

Semi-annual statement of the amount of

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Catholic Young Men's National ing most all of the time she is equipped Union held in this city, the following telegram was sent to President McKinley:

"The National Committee of the Taylor of the County Clerk of County for what allowed, with steam. Upon her return after a lew menths cruise the apprentices are distributed among the vessels of our navy.

Student Soldiers.

Semi-annual report of the County Clerk of Roaders have no one to blame but Heave county, state of oregon, showing the amount of claims allowed by the County for what allowed, amount of warrants outstanding and unpaid from the list day of October, 1867, to the list day of March, 1898, both inclusive.

Every one of our vessels has in her

	March, tops, both meter	Am't, Cls.,	Am't.Wts
ı	On what allowed.	All'd.	dr'n.
١	Roads	\$2606.44	\$2000.4
ı	Bridges	2916.33	2916.00
ı		104.003	68.00
H	Bountles	1626.54	1626.5
	Paupers	492.80	692.5/
N	Assessor	784,70	781.70
	Witnesses	817.20	317.2
	Justices	1994-69	1904.60
	Jurora	335,68	
	Constable		335,80
	District Attorney	432,20	402.3
	Sheriff	1971.17	1971.17
	Surveyor	209,80	200,3
	Tegal services	73.00	78.8
	Miscellincous	237,00	287.0
	Court house	9067.07	\$167.0
	Furniture, fuel, light		
	and water	372,60	377.6
	Stationery, Postuge etc	184,35	184.33
	Principal	7103,000	7101.61
	Printing Examination teachers	91.50	91.56
	Clerk	1924.00	1024.00
	School superintendent		224.06
	Treasurer	950,00	250.00
ı	County judge		400.00
	Commissioners	725.01	725.00
	Supervisors	2831.97	2821.16
	Insane	93.75	91.70
	Inquest	27.10	27,10
	Bailiffs & night-watch	431,00	472.00
	Tax refunded	47.49	37,46
	Circuit court	70.00	70.00
	CALCINIC COMPLEX PROCESSES	210.50	210.56
	Ferries	210,00	696.22
	Book crusher	.668,27	599.21

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of the County of Lane, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amount of claims allowed by the county count for the six months ending on the 10th day of september, 187, on what account and the amount of warrants drawn, and sloo the amount of warrants or warnanting and unput, and that the foregoing summary is made up from the accounts of the sherif, focusiver and clerk and is a correct showing of the financial condition of Lane county, Oregon, as shown by said accounts on April 181, 1898.

Witness my hand and official scal the 21st day of April, 1928.

(SEAL)

County Clerk,

Two Sides to Fusion.

EUGENE, April 25, 1898.

gon is complete, the gold d mocrats, or schemes looking to the debasement 118.33 rather the Cleveland democrats and of the currency and the repudiation the McKinley republicans have fused of debt. We believe that the best and will support the ticket nomina ed money in the world is none too 7:0.08 nominate at Astoria? News Indeed. good to be assured by the govern-From whence did you get your infor- ment to the laborer as the truit of his mation-information that no one else toil and to the farmer as the price possessed? Again, when and how did of he crop. 5.47 a certain "class" of democrats and a certain "class" of republicans fuse? The national democrats you designate "Cleveland democrats" disclaim any such bargain. Have you, Mr Editor, heard one claim any such bargain as L Pipes [gold democrat] being one you charge exists? I have conversed of the platform committee. It has with quite a number of national demc- the merit of directness and does erats during the present month and have found only one who expresses a purpose to vote the Astoria ticket, issue of the campaign so plain that The position of national democrats no one need mis-understand it. seems unmistakably to be, that they will relect from the fusion and republican tickets such men as they desire to vote for, for the respective offices And further, national democrats gen. of the money power. On the other erally express themselves as favoring a side are the common people inmajority of the fusion candidates. I cluding all who believe in the had the honor to occupy a stat in the 5.47 state convention of national democrats 2.57 at Portland April 18, and there many expressed their views respecting not desire to see the Gage plan of political parties and political issues currency "reform," meaning the reand, save one exception, the McKinley tirement of all legal tenders except administration was condemned and Such a claim as the above, which is made clearly for political effect, is not in good taste, says the Salem Journal. The word party or church does not enter into conversional and party or church does not enter into conversional and such vices as drinking liquor and smoking cigarettes are not permitted.

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Sequen Mark Hanna republicanism, they | re- Could the issue be plainer? One of the platform declarations of the national democrats was as follows: locally and at large, is now, as in the past, the party of extravagance and corruption. It is growing more and more the party of wealth and special legislative ticket who served in the interests, not the party of the people, Union army during our late unand is accustoming the country to the pleasantness. He voted for Mcwholesale and hardly disguised pur- Kinley two years ago, but says he chase of elections and public positions." And again, the same platform declares can no longer follow a party which grossly dereliet in the matter of cur- declares absolutely for the single rency reform." Does this look like fusion? I think not. I wish further to add that the decision of the national democrats to make no nominations was not in the interests of any party, but simply that it would result in no practical good to the National Demo- commendable departure from u-ual crats as a party, and therefore no pe- campaigning methods. He is payculiar obligation rested on the conven- ing a good deal of attention to outamiss for me to say that the hope was expressed on every hand in the convention that at no distant day all democrats might unite on common ground lences. The crowd at Elmira yesand fight for time-honored democratic terday was larger than mrny we principles under one flag. It will be bave seen assembled in Eugene, noticed that the National Democrats in their platform distinctly recognize the "Bryan Democrats" as democrats. While it is true that the National forum. Democrats did not deviate one lota on national questions from the platform adopted at Indianapolts in 1896, the as authority on the financial queshope was freely indulged that the al and be speedity settled, and that sounder on finance than on the there might once more be a suited de- secession-slavery issue. Anyway mocracy, fighting the battles of the 1834 was a long time ago and the people and of free and popular government, as in days gone by. I say un- in our national existence, compared hesitatingly, Mr. Editor, in the light of recent events in this State, your editorial is misleading and unwise. Such sentiments as you express are not calculated to unite a party.

Before the campaign cods I shall probably ask space in your paper to present my views on the political st u-

E R ERIPWORTH All kinds of "Cronk" preners at Griffin Hardware Co.

STILL ANOTHER OLD SOLDIER.

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Since yesterday we have learned of another old soldier that is a candidate on the Union ticket. We refer to Mr Frank Kirk, of Richardson precinct, who is a candidate for representative. He wors the gray during the civil war, being a confederate soldier. After the conflict was over he came to Oregon and has since been one of Lane courstys prominent and respected citizens He is a loyal citizen and is proud of Old Glory.

Thus it will be seen that the Union ticket is composed of soldiers that were formerly in the Union, Contederate and Indian armies. It is a "reUnion ticket." All these men are bonded together for one purpose. They are satisfied now to labor for the enfranchisement of their brothers from the Gold plut rcracy.

Hon Herbert, why not name some of the old soldiers on the socalled Republican ticket.

THE ISSUE IS PLAIN.

Resenuer Review.

The republican state convention at Astoria last week adopted the following plank:

We are in favor of the maintenance of the seem of atandard. We EDITOR GUARD:-In an editorial of are torqual madiy opposed to the free the 23d inst you say "Fusion in Ore- coinage of silver and to all other

is platform was framed by men who are bitterly opposed to anything that is not mono-metallism in the strictest sense, Judge M not equivocate, making the leading

Republicanism simply means GOLD STANDARD, and under this banner are arrayed all the followers money of the constitution-gold, silver and paper. The masses do national banks notes, consum grated and fas end upon the people.

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> "Bob" Veatch is making a very opportunity to hear political speakings. And he is getting larg audeven when men of state and natiional reputatsonal occupied the

The Oregonian quotes Calhoun tion. Maybe Calhoun was no conditions of that formative period with the present, are as the child to the man. What might have answered then may not answer

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