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FOR PRESIDENT  
 Theodore Roosevelt, of New York.  
 FOR VICE-PRESIDENT  
 Chas. W. Fairbanks, of Indiana.  
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Wonders never cease. Now comes a newspaper from a Western Oregon town with an editorial opposing the location of the proposed military post in the vicinity of the town and even objects to the post being located at its neighboring town, Eugene. This paper is the Junction Times and among other things it says: "If we are correctly informed the establishment of a military post is just what a city does not need. A friend of ours, whose word we consider absolutely reliable, informed us that he visited Vancouver with the purpose of locating there but upon investigation found the moral tone of the place far from commendable which was attributed to the location of the military post near that city. If all we hear is true, the soldiers of that post are the best patrons of the saloon, the gambling dens and houses of ill repute. It will be a sad day when Eugene secures this element to come in contact with the wives and families and the bright young men and girls attending her various educational and religious institutions. Eugene is a fine growing city, much above the average in culture and intelligence, the capital city of the best country in the state, and the personal interest we have in the city and good morals generally, we trust the efforts made to secure the military post will fail."

Though suffering severely from a cold and worn out from a long, strenuous campaign tour, the genial, optimistic disposition of Senator Dolliver, the companion of Senator Fairbanks, was apparent on his coast visit late last week, where at Olympia in a dense fog he appeared on the platform and began talking in a very husky voice. He started a laugh in the beginning by saying, "Isn't this a voice for your whiskers?" The Senator's voice, however, became better as he talked. He humorously alluded to the fog by saying if he had not desired to see the city very much he would have remained at the depot. "I must congratulate you," he said, "that while you are in a fog this one day, you are not like the Democratic party. The Democratic party is in a fog every day." Owing to his serious physical condition Senator Dolliver was forced to give up the coast tour at Portland and was succeeded by our own distinguished silver tongued orator, Senator Chas. W. Fulton of Astoria, who will accompany Senator Fairbanks during the rest of his Pacific coast campaign.

Roosevelt and Fairbanks are both young men as are a majority of the leaders of the Republican party, says the Medford Mail. "If you believe in progress, if you want to see our country the richest and its people the most contented and prosperous on the face of the earth, if you believe in throwing open the doors of opportunity to young men, if you do not believe that smokestacks are a proper place for cobwebs and birds' nests, if you would rather hear the whirr of revolving wheels than the murmur of discontent, if you believe in happiness instead of unhappiness, if you believe in courage and honesty, if you believe in frankness instead of secrecy, if you believe in deeds rather than promises, if you believe in reason rather than ignorance, then cast your first presidential vote for Roosevelt and Fairbanks."

About all the strikes have been called off, and the cotton and other mills are starting up. The approach of frost and snow sets men to thinking that a half a loaf is better than none. In New York the subway engineers will get their \$3.50 per day, at least until the 8th of November when some sort of a slump may be looked for. On the whole the labor situation assumes a much brighter aspect and peace and plenty are smiling at each other.

### DOLLIVER MADE HIT

**Followed Senator Fairbanks in a Brilliant Speech.**

### AT PORTLAND MEETING

**Iowa Senator Delighted His Hearers With Wit and Satire.**

The Roseburg Plaindealer says that the proposed electric railroad line is not for light passenger service like we see in the street car systems of the cities. But the line will be a motor service both for passenger and freight business, with capacity to haul great trains of heavy freight not unlike those which now travel the country over behind the big locomotives. If Roseburg don't get in and hustle that road won't go near that place but will follow down the coast. The Roseburg Board of Trade could do much to bring the road to that place by showing the advantages it would have over the Gardiner route and that the Middle Fork route is the most feasible one to Coos Bay.—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

Here's another gem from Parker's letter: "Between the expenditures of the year 1886, amounting to \$242,000,000, and those of the last fiscal year, the seventh after Grover Cleveland ceased to be president, aggregating \$882,000,000 there is a difference so great as to excite alarm in the breasts of all thoughtful men. Expenditures have increased since Cleveland went out. Fact is, we couldn't spend much then because the country was "broke." Expenditures have also increased since Washington's time—the country has been growing some. It takes more money to clothe a growing youth than it does to keep an infant."

A John Day man raised a tomato that measured 18 1/2 inches in circumference, weighed two pounds and whose slices were larger than a dinner plate, says the Portland Journal. This tomato is a mere pigmy as compared to the one recently displayed in the PLAINDEALER office by Prof. Geo. Crane, which measured 19 inches in circumference and weighed four pounds. The Umpqua valley against the World.

The Mail has received from James Inman, of Looking Glass, Douglas county, the announcement of his candidacy for president. Mr. Inman is independent, not only in politics but as a man—he says, and is "fer-nist" everything that all the other parties are in favor of. He promises to publish his platform in a short time and it is certain to be good reading.—Medford Mail.

What is the U'Ren direct primary law, anyhow, but an act to disfranchise about one-half the voters? All the fault found with it is that under its operations no one could vote. That is a small matter in a free country, but it is the kind of rot that has been shoved onto the people in the name of expert legislation.—Salem Journal.

President Roosevelt has consented, in the event of his election, to formally open the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition by pressing a lever in the White House at Washington on June 1, 1905, which will set the machinery of the great fair, 3,000 miles away, in motion.

It is reported that 600 Chinese members of the most illustrious families in the Celestial Empire are studying the science of militarism under German instruction. This would indicate that the Chinaman is looking forward to the time when he will have troubles of his own.

A man who is not well known himself must be judged by his advisers. If Judge Parker is elected President, we must infer that his associates and advisers will be David B. Hill and August Belmont.

With David B. Hill, Wm. J. Bryan, and Mr. Hearst keeping close mouths and letting the machine run itself, the campaign is thus far very tame and uninteresting. There is not any opposition worth speaking about.

The fashion editor sees danger that the collarless styles in gowns will be run to the ground. We agree that this would be much too low, even in the hottest weather.

One New York man having been arrested and fined for riding a sick donkey, Judge Parker has a better reason than ever for refusing to make a campaign tour.

While he was about it Mr. Parker should have telegraphed Democrats to be protectionists as well as goldbugs.

Wheat is up, but even the Democrats are not looking for a sympathetic rise in the price of silver.

An important new industry soon to be born in Oregon is that of the manufacture of home flax into linen.

Most people would be content with their lot—if it happened to be located in Roseburg.

### Big Irrigation Scheme

A stock company comprising a trio of well known local capitalists filed articles of incorporation with County Clerk Zopher Agee, Friday with a capital stock of \$50,000, the company to be known as the Calapooia Investment Company. The object of the corporation is to place under irrigation from the Calapooia about ten thousand acres of land comprising what is known as the Camas Swale country, lying east of the S. P. railroad track between the Calapooia and Willbur. The three incorporators are P. J. Blakely who is interested in several other important enterprises in this county; A. E. Caton, a stockholder in the Oakland Bank; and F. R. Waite who owns 1000 acres of land in the Swale district.

The officers are F. J. Blakely, president; A. E. Caton, secretary; Lynn Caton, Treasurer. The company has purchased or acquired options on 4000 acres in the Swale district, besides the property owned by Mr. Waite. As soon as irrigation is under way the company will place the property on the market. This land is tributary to the towns of Oakland and Willbur, and the large increase in the settlement thereof means much to those places as well as the entire county.

The Recall, Coquille City's new paper, is at hand. It is a neat six column, eight page paper, republican in politics and it has a new appearance. Chester R. Ingle is editor and proprietor, and here's hoping that in the future the establishment of this newspaper will ever Recall pleasant memories to its enterprising publisher.

### BORN.

HANKS.—At Days Creek, Oregon, Sept. 24, 1904, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hanks a daughter.

SAUVAIN.—To the wife of A. E. Sauvain, in this city, Oct. 2, a boy.

### Letter List.

Remaining uncalled for at the Roseburg postoffice:  
 Cortell Mr John McFadden Mr T S  
 Crawford Mrs Chas Nelson Willis  
 Cole Miss Grace Pollock Mr Lester (2)  
 Chambers Mona Smith Charles E  
 Dayton Mr Chas StClaire F C  
 Dubitsky Joseph Simons Mr Hamner  
 Fulberson Mr N Thompson Mr John  
 Harriman Alice M Traver Mr Lewis  
 Hindy Mrs Alice Williams Mrs S  
 Laird Florence Wright Mr H E  
 Rhine Mr Jack Whitcomb Mr O P  
 Rowley Mr John Wandell Mr F  
 Johnson Wm H Young F J  
 Morgan T J Young Mrs Lillian  
 Persons calling for these letters will please state the date on which they are advertised, Oct. 3, 1904.  
 The letters will be charged for at the rate of one cent each.

### Holy Roller Victim.

CORVALLIS, Or., Sept. 30.—Mrs. O. V. Hurt, who was brought home a few days ago from the state insane asylum with the hope of benefiting her mental condition, was taken to Salem last night by Deputy Wells. She still wears her hair down, Holy Roller style, and talks very little, although she appears to be slightly improved. Mr. Hurt feared her infirmities would have a bad effect on their daughter, Mae, as the latter recovered recently and was returned from the Boys' and Girls' home.

### Parker's Letter of Acceptance.

NEW YORK, Sept. 27.—Speaking editorially, the Tribune says:  
 "Judge Parker's letter of acceptance goes far toward demolishing his reputation as a great jurist capable of sustaining a logical thought. It is a lot of disjointed paragraphs seemingly produced without any plan of arrangement, without any clear-cut conception of problems discussed and without any definite policy to expound. Judge Parker traverses familiar ground of his earlier speech and of democratic editorials without saying anything new or noteworthy except in one particular.  
 On pensions, Judge Parker does become specific and astounding. After insinuating that the president's pension order, with its trifling addition to the pension roll, was a bid for votes and promising, if elected, to revoke it, Judge Parker proceeds to make a higher bid. He promises what is practically a service pension, a thing which has been violently opposed by the leaders and editors of his own party for years, and indeed advocated by few persons outside of radical Grand Army circles. It is not too much to say that this bid for votes is positively indecent."

The Republican party has been in power for more than seven years since the American people voted a wanton confidence in the last Democratic administration, and what it has accomplished and what it is doing becomes properly a subject for consideration. We can see in what it has done a fulfillment of what it promised to do. It has gone forward in an intelligent, high-minded and patriotic way to do the business of the people. A party is nothing but the agent of the people. The agent which has demonstrated its fitness and capacity should continue in the discharge of its important work. Let us not overturn existing policies and overthrow the administration of President Roosevelt and thereby invite a reaction in our industrial and commercial affairs."

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Republican Nominee For Vice President as a Boy at School and College—A Thrashing From a Schoolmaster—His Wooling.

When Senator Charles Warren Fairbanks, Republican candidate for vice president of the United States, was studying reading, writing and arithmetic at the district school near his father's farm in Union county, O., he was very fond of going in swimming.

**CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS.**

In a certain deep and shady pool not far from the schoolhouse, and upon one occasion he and several schoolmates overtook the noon hour in their enjoyment of the cool waters of the creek. The damp state of their hair indicated to the schoolmaster the cause of their tardiness. The educators of those days believed in the principle of "spare the rod, spoil the child," and young Fairbanks and his fellow culprits were severely trounced.

Candidate Fairbanks was born May 11, 1852, on his father's farm in a log cabin in which the family was living at the time. But when Charles was about four years of age his father built a more pretentious dwelling, and the old log cabin was put to use as a workshop and storehouse for provisions. One day young Charles got a broom and set to work cleaning up the old cabin. He threw the rubbish into the old fashioned fireplace, where a break fire was soon blazing. Somehow the fire caught in some shavings which lay on the floor, and soon the interior of the cabin was in a blaze. The four-year-old boy tried to escape by the door, but he could not reach up to the latch. Snatching a board from a carpenter's bench, he braced it against the door, climbed up, and unfastened the latch. He escaped death, but all the winter's stock of provisions was burned.

As a student at Ohio Wesleyan college, Delaware, O., he was editor, during the latter part of his course, of the college paper. He was a hard worked student, for he had to earn as much money as possible to add to what his father supplied him in order to meet his college expenses. But this paper was a source of much pleasure and profit, and perhaps the pleasure was in part due to the fact that one of his assistants was a girl student, Miss Cornelia Cole. The fair assistant editor was a daughter of Judge P. B. Cole of Marysville, O., and a young lady of rare culture and many accomplishments. The intimacy thus begun continued, and after he had graduated from college, studied law and been admitted to the bar the young attorney asked Miss Cole to be his wife, and they began married life in Indianapolis, where Mr. Fairbanks had decided to establish himself in his profession. They now have an ideal home in that city, and four sons and a daughter have been born to them. Their Washington home is also a popular social center, and Mrs. Fairbanks, as president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, takes a prominent part in movements of a patriotic character.

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