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FOR PRESIDENT
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FOR VICE-PRESIDENT
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FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.
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OUR COVETOUS NEIGHBOR.

The Cottage Grove Commercial Club has "resolved" that the Bohemia mines are or ought to be wholly in Lane county and steps are now being taken to change, by an act of the Legislature this winter, the Lane and Douglas boundary line so as to throw the entire Bohemia mining district in Lane county, whereas the county line, following the ridge as it does at the present time, just about equally divides the district between the two counties. Through the indifference, lack of enterprise and public spirit on the part of Roseburg and Douglas county, Cottage Grove has, by constructing a good wagon road into this now famous mining camp, secured all of the patronage and business of the district and is deriving much benefit therefrom. It has been repeatedly stated that Cottage Grove is the natural gateway to these mines and that Row river and its tributaries, which find their sources in the Bohemia mountains, afford the only natural outlet from the mines to the railroad at Cottage Grove. To any one at all familiar with the district the falsity of this statement is apparent. Without in any way attempting to deny the fact that a good, practical outlet is afforded from the Bohemia mines to Cottage Grove over which not only a good wagon road is maintained, but a broad guage railroad is now being constructed, it is also a well known fact that an outlet equally as practical is presented on the Douglas county side of the district down the North Umpqua river to Roseburg. A good wagon road has already been constructed over about one-half of this route, and if the road was completed over the remaining route Roseburg would be brought as near this rich mining camp as is Cottage Grove at the present time, and by a water grade route also. This road if completed would also traverse a territory rich in vast timber resources, and would not only bring Roseburg a share of the business of this mining camp, but all of the business of the vast territory which would soon be developed along this new road. Only at the last session of the Oregon Legislature Douglas county quietly snbmitted to a change in her northwest boundary line which gave Lane county quite a large strip of coast country, and now old Lane proposes to take a slice off of the northeast corner of Douglas which is rich in mineral resources, but so long as that rich territory is allowed to remain isolated and entirely cut off from all manners of traffic and communication with Roseburg and other parts of Douglas county, we can see no particular object in holding onto that part of the county and thereby retarding its development by resisting Lane county's encroachments and developments. Improve the country and develop its resources or give it to some one who will.

CAMPAIGN OPENS FRIDAY.

United States Senator C. W. Fulton's fame as an orator extends far beyond the borders of his native state of Oregon, his ability as a platform speaker being recognized by the national republican committee, who it will be remembered, recently prevailed upon him to assist vice presidential candidate Fairbanks in his Pacific coast campaign in the place of Senator Dolliver who was stricken with pneumonia complications. The citizens of Roseburg and Douglas county will be given an opportunity to hear Senator Fulton ably discuss the issues of the campaign at the Roseburg opera house Friday evening. He will be presented by Congressman Hermann.

The Massachusetts Democrats have nominated W. L. Douglas, the shoe man, for Governor. He won't have a walkover.

ROOSEVELT EXCLUDES CHINESE.

To clear the apprehension that is said to exist in some quarters that the president proposes to open wider the door for Chinese immigration into the United States, it is stated on good authority that he has no such intention. The subject was referred to at the cabinet meeting Monday and afterward it was stated at the state department and department of commerce and labor that the latter had been charged with the execution of the exclusion law treaty and was working in perfect harmony and in consultation with the Chinese minister in order to frame a treaty along lines of the present treaty, continuing the present rigid exclusion of coolie labor and simply moderating conditions under which Chinese merchants and scholars are admitted.

Something of the kind is regarded as necessary, in view of the fact that by direction of his government the Chinese minister last spring formally denounced the present Chinese exclusion treaty.

That notice of denunciation is to take effect December 7, and there will be no treaty relations between the two governments on that subject until a new convention is agreed upon.

The president has decided to enforce the existing Chinese exclusion laws after the abrogation of the treaty, but there is just sufficient doubt in official minds as to the extent of the powers that may be employed legally to effect exclusion to make a new treaty desireable.

A late dispatch from the national capital says: The war in the Orient has enlisted the closest attention of the Administration, and it is felt that the time is approaching when it will be in order for the great neutral powers to move toward the restoration of peace. President Roosevelt has from the first stood ready to use his good offices to stop hostilities on a basis honorable to both belligerents, but he is estopped from moving by the fact that it has been the unbroken rule of our Government to wait until it is assured that both sides to a controversy of this kind are willing that we should act. There has so far been no open proposition, nor can it be thruthfully stated that even an indirect overature has come to Washington from St. Petersburg or Tokio, but it is believed signs point to an early move in that direction.

The Cottage Grove Commercial Club is becoming a very important deliberative body. It recently "resolved" that the corporation tax law is unjust and should be repealed; then it "resolved" that the Douglas county portion of the Bohemia mining district should be annexed to Lane county, and now it proposes to regulate the local option question. Its next official move may be designed to have some direct bearing on the election of a president of the United States or the cessation of hostilities in the far East.

From his chosen seat among the catacombs Carl Schurz has dictated a 15,000-word letter damning Theodore Roosevelt for the egotism of his personality. This is the fifth presidential campaign in which Mr. Schurz has assailed Republican candidates from the unscalable heights of his own collossal egotism. Other men now and then have a suspicion that all the rest of mankind differing from them may be right. Carl Schurz is never troubled by any such weak mistrust in his own omnicience.

"If our opponents come into power they can revoke this order (pension order No. 78) and announce that they will treat the veterans of 62 and 70 as presumably in full bodily vigor and not entitled to pensions. Will they now authoritatively state that they intend to do this? If so, we accept the issue. If not, then we have the right to ask why they raise an issue which, when raised, they do not venture to meet."—Roosevelt's Letter of Acceptance.

Our Imperialistic neighbor, Lane county, is after another slice of Douglas county—the Bohemia Mining district. It is to be hoped that Lane's enterprising citizens will not fix the new boundary line so as to take in Roseburg. Lane is playing a regular Russian trick on us with north Douglas as the Manchuria involved.

Grover Cleveland originated the phrase: "It is a condition that confronts us, not a theory," Applying it to the present situation it may be remarked that the condition is Republican prosperity and the theory consists of Democratic promises.

If you did not register for the June election you should register by this evening, this being the last day on which you can register for the November election.

Everybody cheerful. Everybody busy. Business booming. Crops selling for big prices. The nation at peace, and on good terms with the whole world.

A DEMOCRATIC PRAYER.

O, Lord God of Joshua, Jacob and Jim Jones; hear us, we beseech thee, in this our hour of political bewilderment, for we are tangled up in the calf ropes of democratic deception and are about to break our own necks. We are scattered worse than a flock of timid toads after a hail storm. We have an aching void in the pit of our stomachs which nothing but the fat of office can satisfy. We are badly scared, physically undone and morally rotten. We have floundered around, and split up, and busted apart and run together and fused and fought and foamed and fizzled till we can't tell whether we are stepping in the footprints of Tom Jefferson or following the dictates of the devil. We don't know where we are at, where we come from or whither we goeth. All is darkness and gloom. We are cast down in the dark valley of humiliation. On our right are the towering summits of national progress. On our left are the briny waters of democratic dissolution. Before us, in plain view, are encamped the pesky republicans in the full enjoyment of official bliss, and just behind us looms up our own records which brings shame on our faces and a griping in our bowles every time we look back. In this pitiable and awful condition, O, Lord, we come to Thee for succor. We have attempted to scare them away from the offices, but every time we try it we get hurt. We confess they are too much for us. Their numbers are like the sands of the sea.

In campaign years our editors write stirring appeals to the boys; our candidates go tearing over the country making democratic orations and speeches and we all will fairly bust our galls urging the people to stand by our party and save the country, while all the time the pesky "rads" go on sawing wood and don't say anything. Every campaign we have our hopes lifted high. We rip and snort and rare and charge and rave and bawl, because our hosts seem invincible, but oh, Lord, on election day it just seems to rain republicans, and we come out of the fight at the little end of the horn and feeling worse than sheep-killing dogs. Lord, we confess we have been very wicked. We acknowledge having said millions of things that were not exactly true, and having done thousands of things that would shame the devil. But, Lord, it was the best we could do under the circumstances. We know that Tom Jefferson would not have worn a red shirt, stuffed a ballot box, threw rotten eggs at republican speakers, nor voted a dead nigger. But, O, Lord, you know circumstances alter cases. Jefferson didn't have such a host of republicans to fight as we have. We never dreamed of the size of the job we would have on our hands. Argument was all that was needed in his day. But the republicans have multiplied on the face of the earth till it requires all the stealing red shirts, slander, lies, intimidation and trickery that we can command, to give us any chance and then we get licked off the face of the earth. Lord, what are we to do? We know we are unworthy to ask anything of Thee. We feel ashamed of ourselves.

Only a few months ago we said President McKinley was a dangerous man to be at the head of the government. We called him an emperor, a panderer to the trusts, a trampler upon the constitution, a tool of plotocrats. Today we acknowledge we lied. We, with all the world, know he was a gentleman, a patriot and a Christian. We are sorry he is dead. We are sorry we said so many hateful things about him. But O, Lord, we promise not to be so wicked any more, if Thou wilt only help us beat the republicans one time more.

Lord, we are in rare need of an issue. We haven't got anything. Some of us want free silver and some of us don't. Some are eager to make imperialism the issue and some want trusts. Then there are many of us who are lugging that old issue of low tariff back into the ring. Lord, we confess with a mighty confess, that we don't know what we want. We trotted in our low tariff one time, and, Lord, Thou knoweth what an awful mess we have made of things.

Sometimes we think we want to expand nationality, and then we shudder at the thought. We know that this country is already too big for us to manage. The republicans seem to have the democratic party by the tail and a down hill pull. But, Lord, may it not always be thus. Help us to smite them with a terrible smite, so that every postoffice in the land shall be ours. Help us this once and we will not bother Thee again as long as the salaries hold out.

But, O, Lord, if we are not on praying grounds; if the gates of mercy are shut against us; if the accounts are closed, and the book sealed, if Thou canst give us no guiding star to lead us to victory, if we have sinned away our day of grace; if we are everlastingly beyond the pale of Thy sheltering hand and Thou wilt not help us, Lord, please don't help the republicans, but just stand by and you'll see one of the confoundedest fights you ever witnessed, for we are bound to do something and that pretty soon. AMEN.

From Moravian Falls, N. C., Yellow Jacket.

Drain Normal Notes.

A new sidewalk is in process of construction in front of the grounds.

Owing to inclemency of the weather the track meet arranged for last Saturday was postponed.

Football is developing. With one or two more good men a strong team can be placed in the field.

President Dempster is absent this week in attendance upon the Eastern Oregon Teachers Association at Pendleton.

The training department is devoting considerable attention to beautifying its rooms. Especial effort to secure plants is being made.

Arrangements for a reception to the patron's some time near Thanksgiving are in progress. Definite announcement will be made later.

The Zanzamian Society is showing splendid progress. Nearly all the students are enrolled and a lively interest is shown in the work.

A library and reading room has been fitted up in what was formerly the chemical laboratory. The laboratory now occupies a finely equipped room in the basement. Other improvements are in progress which add greatly to the convenience of the building.

The following officers have been elected by the various teams:

Track Team	Capt. Roy Moore Mngr. Carl Hill
Football	Capt. Lloyd Whipple Mngr. M. B. Signs
Basket Ball	Capt. John Johnson Mngr. A. I. Briggs
Baseball	Capt. Lloyd Whipple Mngr. John Johnson M. B. Signs.

Yoncalla News.

Arrangements have been made to organize a Rebekah Lodge here next Saturday, Oct. 22.

Mrs. Jas. Dougherty received the sad news of her mother's death in Indiana on October 8th.

Misses Leah and Ruth Brown entered the 9th grade in our school from the Scotts Valley district Tuesday.

Miss Emma Applegate is engaged to teach the Red Hill school and Prof. Geo. Wilson the Duckegg school this winter.

It is quite the fashion to go to Scottsburg fishing now. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Applegate, their son Vincent, Mr. Ed. Tuller and daughter, Verna, went last Saturday. Some fishing is done when "Buck" gets to the river.

There is considerable dissatisfaction with Mr. Meinzer for going away to Wisconsin for a bride. With the abundance of widows, old maids, and younger maids Yoncalla contains it seems that he might have been suited at home, nevertheless we will give the new Mrs. Meinzer a hearty welcome.

DIED.

Mrs. D. L. Green was born in Cardwell County, N. C., April 28, 1877, and died at her home near Boswell Springs Oct. 15, 1904, aged 27 years, 4 months and 17 days. Mrs. Green's best friends were her nearest neighbors. She was a member of the Baptist church and a good Christian wife and mother. Her husband and three little boys survive her. She and her infant girl were buried together Monday at the Yoncalla cemetery, Rev. Woodward conducting the services. Mr. Green has the sympathy of all. X.

See Sykes & Carroll and get their prices on plumbing and tinning before purchasing. 77tf

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Adam Johnson and John L. Clark, as Johnson & Clark, liquor dealers has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Clark retires and Mr. Johnson continues the business. All bills will be paid by said Johnson and all accounts due said firm will be collected by him.

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"FOR HER SAKE."

Russians Want the Play Suppressed Which is Coming to Roseburg Next Tuesday Evening.

The Oregonian of Tuesday announced that it has been learned through private sources that the Russian Consul has been instructed by his government to ask the Federal authorities to prohibit further performances at the Cordray's Theater this week. The title of the play, "For Her Sake," is innocent enough and does not indicate exactly the nature of its production.

In reality it is a sensational expose of Russia's Siberian exile system and is said to have been written by a famous political prisoner who is now serving a life sentence in the mines of Kara for alleged conspiracy against the life of the Czar. For this reason the name of the

author does not appear on the advertising matter used by the company. Russia is striving with all her might to make a friend of the United States and is laboring to secure the mediation of President Roosevelt in order that she may get out of a losing fight without discrediting herself by suing for peace from little Japan. Negotiations have progressed so far that the President has intimated that in his opinion the powers should step in and stop the war. Anything which serves to create anti-Russian feeling in America is far from the plan of the Czar. "For her sake" is a powerful arraignment of the Siberian exile system, and those who witness the play leave with an unfriendly feeling toward the Russian government. The attendance has been so large and the feeling aroused so intense that the Russian Consul is determined that it shall not go farther. There may be some startling developments by the time the play is presented at the Roseburg theatre next Tuesday evening.

GRAND OPENING.

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Wanted, Information

Information as to address of Robert M. Gurney, or his heirs, if he is dead. The address was Roseburg about 1871. Small recovery can be made. Address Harvey Spalding & Sons, Washington, D. C. tf.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Douglas County.
Rilla N. Ison, Plaintiff,
vs
John L Nelson, Defendant.

To John L. Nelson, above named defendant In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause, within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, on or before the first day of December, 1904, and if you fail to appear and answer on or before said date, for want thereof plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in her complaint, which is for a decree from said court dissolving the marriage contract existing between plaintiff and defendant, for the care and custody of her minor children, Myrl Nelson, Raymond Nelson, and Blanche Nelson, for the sum of $25 per month for the support of said minor children, that plaintiff be declared and decreed to be the owner of an undivided one-third interest in and to the W½ of the NW¼, the NE¼ of the NW¼ and the NW¼ of the NE¼ of section 10, township 29, S. R. 14 west of the Willamette Meridian, in Coos county, Oregon, nor such other relief as to the court may seem meet and for her costs and disbursements in this suit,

This summons is published once a week for at least six successive weeks in the Plaindealer a semi-weekly newspaper published at Roseburg, Oregon, by order of Hon. J. W. Hamilton, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the Second Judicial District, made Oct. 19, 1904. The first publication of this summons is on October 19 1904.

BUCHANAN & GREENINGER, Attoyneys for Plaintiff.
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Sheriff's Sale.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Douglas County.

M. F. Callahan, Plaintiff
vs.
John R. Campbell and Nellie A. Campbell, Defendants

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution an order of sale issued out of the above-named court and cause on the 17th day of October, 1904, upon a judgment and decree duly rendered and entered in said Court and cause on the 7th day of October, 1904, by foreclosure of a mortgage in favor of the above-named plaintiff and against the above-named defendants and against the hereinafter mentioned and described mortgaged property for the sum of $1200 00 with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 28th day of June 1904, and for the further sum of $100.00 attorneys fees and $18.20 costs and disbursements, now therefore, I will, on Saturday the 19th day of November 1904, at one o'clock p. m. of said day at the court house front door in Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said defendants or either of them had on the 28th day of June, 1902, or at any time thereafter in or to the following described premises, towit:

The south ½ of the southwest ¼ of section 27, and the north ½ of the southwest ¼ and lots 1 and 2 of section 27, containing 199.61 acres, also the north ½ of the Donation Land Claim No. 47 of J. Atterbury situate in sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, containing 160 acres more or less, and containing in the aggregate 359.61 acres more or less, all being situate in township 26 south of range 7 west of the Willamette Meridian, in Douglas County, Oregon, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and will apply the proceeds of such sale first, to the payments of the costs of such sale and the costs and disbursements herein taxed at $18.20, second, to the payment of $100.00 attorney fees and to the payment of the sum of $1200 00 due the plaintiff with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the 28th of June 1904, and the overplus if any there be, pay to the said defendants, their assigns or legal representatives as by order of said court in said execution to me directed, commanding me to sell the above described real property in the manner provided by law. Dated this 17th day of October, 1904.

H. T. McCLALLEN, Sheriff of Douglas County, Oregon.
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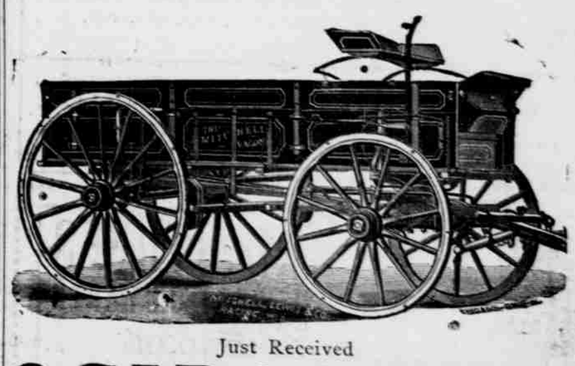

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