

**Democratic National Ticket.**

For President,  
**WM. J. BRYAN,**  
Of Nebraska.

For Vice-President,  
**ARTHUR SEWALL,**  
Of Maine.

It has been decided to hold a bolting democratic convention in Indianapolis on September 2, to nominate gold standard candidates for president and vice-president.

When we pick up the papers and read of the torrid heat of the eastern states it causes one to breath a sigh of thankfulness that they live in the region of the cool and invigorating breezes of the Pacific slope.

Senator Watson C. Squire, of Washington, is out in a letter stating that he will support Bryan and Sewall. His reason is that he cannot subscribe to the single gold standard of the republican party. Senator Squire has been a lifelong republican.

No wonder the republicans don't want the tariff question brought to the front. Statistics show that under the Wilson bill our exports of manufactured articles have increased from 19 per cent. in 1893, under the McKinley bill, to 25 per cent. in 1896.

The popular vote for Cleveland in 1892 was 5,556,918; for Harrison, 5,176,108; for Weaver, the people's candidate, 1,041,028; for Bidwell, prohibition, 264,133; for Wing, social labor, 21,164. The total popular vote cast, including all the scattering votes, was 12,110,636.

A mass convention of the gold democrats of the state has been called to meet in Portland on August 22, to elect eight delegates to attend the gold democratic convention to be held in Indianapolis on September 2. Of course the gold democrats all the way from Klamath to Umpqua will rush down to Portland on that day in order to join with their Portland brethren in this great movement.

Pennoyer is running the city of Portland as mavor in a manner that astonishes the old stagers of that city of pure and peaceful politics. He refuses to be dictated to by anyone in any manner. A short time ago the papers of Portland were wondering if any political heads would be cut off. Of late their wonder has been fully satisfied. The heads are falling thick and fast, and some of them are the heads of his own appointees who would not see things in Pennoyer's way.

In Benton county hereafter all officials must pay their own deputy hire. The county court at its session determined not to make any allowance for regular deputy hire, but to allow the clerk \$2 per day for one deputy for each day that the circuit and commissioners' court be in session, and to also allow said clerks \$2 for each deputy in making up the tax and delinquent rolls, and to allow the sheriff \$2.50 per day for two deputies while the jury is in attendance on the circuit court.

The Oregonian is getting anxious to have the campaign opened in Oregon. Why bless you, it is open. It has been opened ever since the republican national convention declared for a single gold standard. If what you want is an old-fashioned, enthusiastic republican campaign, you are certainly doomed to disappointment. The masses of Oregon are not in favor of the gold standard. Many of them will vote for it through party influence, but they will not get enthusiastic over it.

The government always withholds the fractions of a penny in the periodical distribution of dividends on account of the national debt. In the last 100 years from this source the state has accumulated \$750,000.

Harry Watkins, one of the populist speakers who visited this county during the last campaign, was attacked with a fit of temporary insanity at Baker City last week, while enroute home from the national populist convention. He is said to have recovered, however.

Governor Lord has refused to call a special election to decide the contest for representative in Coos county, in which there was a tie last election between Bennett, democrat, and Buckman, populist. The Governor holds that it is not within the meaning statute for him to call a special election in such cases. The tie will probably be decided by lot.

The gold organs never fail to note the fact when a goldite democrat bolts his party, but they cautiously avoid mentioning the wholesale desertions from the republican ranks. These have been so great that the organization has no following left in Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming and other Western states, while in California, Washington and Oregon the desertions are so great as to place the republicans in a hopeless minority.—Ex.

Never in the history of politics has there been such a spontaneous uprising for a candidate as there has been for Bryan. His trip to meet the notification committee in New York has been a continual ovation. At every village, town and city, night or day, his train has been greeted with immense and enthusiastic throngs. The fever seems to never die out. If the enthusiasm keeps up until the election his vote will be something marvelous.

The solid, substantial and through repairs that are being made on the O. C. & E. seem to be a very good indication that something in the way of extension is contemplated. The bridges and roadbed are being put in the best possible shape, thousands of ties are being replaced, and the physical condition of the road is the best it has been since it was first built, if not the best it has ever been. All this has been done at an immense outlay of money, and at an outlay that the present traffic of the road would never justify. The plausible theory then is that the owners contemplate something more than the local traffic, and that it must be the extension into Eastern Oregon so long looked for and so ardently hoped for. Mr. Hammond is a man of very few words, and he is actually doing today what a great many capitalists before him have tried to do and failed—he is actually building a railroad into Astoria. Everything indicates that before the first of 1897 that the Astoria & Goble road will be completed and cars running into Astoria. After that giant project has been terminated by a successful completion we verily believe that Mr. Hammond will immediately turn his attention to the extension of the O. C. & E. The undertaking is not so great as that of the Astoria & Goble road, and while there will be no great subsidy to earn, the profits and earnings would well repay the outlay. It would not only open up a vast country by railroad connection, but it would put the present line of the O. C. & E. in a paying, profitable condition. We have full faith that August, 1897, will see the active work on the long-cherished extension of the O. C. & E. well under way.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY. To Caroline V. Jackson, Mary A. Ridgeway, Martha J. Thobe, Minerva Bradley, Benjamin F. Jackson, Asenath Tracey, Benjamin Jackson, Geo. W. Jackson, Jr., Sarah Ellen Spurling, Anna E. Jackson, Eva Jackson and Edward Jackson, heirs-at-law of George W. Jackson, deceased, and to the public: Notice is hereby given that I, F. M. Stanton, administrator of said above-named estate, will on Saturday, August 15th, 1896, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, in the City of Toledo in said county and state, offer for sale at public auction for cash in hand the following-described real property belonging to said estate, to-wit: The undivided one-half of lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32, each lot containing five acres of land, in the town of Fruitville as shown by maps and plats of the same on file in Lincoln county, Oregon; also the undivided one-half of the southwest 1/4 of section 24, town 10, south, range 11, west, except the southeast 1/4 of southeast 1/4 of southwest 1/4 of section 36, town 10, south, range 11, west, containing 10 acres of land. All of the above-described land being situated in Lincoln county, Oregon, and being in all 175 acres of land, or thereabouts.  
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