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TOLEDO PRECINCT.

For Justice of the Peace.....R. S. VAN CLEVE
For Constable.....JOE HILL

The eyes of the nation are turned toward Oregon just now on account of the performances of the Portland Browns baseball team down in California.

Articles of incorporation of the Yaquina Bay Oyster company were filed yesterday at the office of the county clerk. The incorporators are John D. Wilcox, M. M. Cartwright and George B. McLeod. The amount of the capital stock is \$10,000. The purposes of the incorporation are to grow, transplant and raise oysters in the waters of Yaquina bay; to hold lands and waters with that object in view and to sell their product.—Portland Journal.

THE LEADER has received through O. O. Krogstad of this city another letter from W. R. Blain of Albany, devoted to the expounding of Socialistic doctrine and roasting the editor of THE LEADER and Republicans generally. Much of it is but a repetition of his letter published by THE LEADER last week. For this and other reasons we decline to give it space. One of the other reasons is the evidence contained in the letter that Mr. Blain is excited to such an extent that he forgets to be courteous, refers to "fool talk in Republican papers," and characterizes our remarks as "rot," etc. Very naturally, we are not willing to devote any more space to the subject. If our remarks last week were regarded by Mr. Blain as "fool talk," he should have no desire to be stirred up by more of the same brand.

Of William Randolph Hearst, who is now a Democratic possibility the San Francisco Star has the following to say: "As a congressman, he has been a total and laughable failure. Thus far he has not cast a single vote in the House, nor made a speech, nor made a point of order, nor moved to adjourn. He has never made a 10-minute political speech in all his life. He never has written 10 lines on a political question in all his life. He declines all invitations to speak, and sends out letters in reply, written by his clever hired men but signed "William Randolph Hearst." He talks of himself in his papers but cannot talk for himself anywhere. Hearst does not exist except on paper. He is a creation of the paid write-up. He is talked of because he is never seen. Bring him into the open, and force him to scrap with the world and he would go down and out in half a round."

The general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held in Los Angeles next month. A strenuous time is already foreshadowed. Among the seemingly irreconcilable points of difference that will come before the quadrennial body will be a rule of 32 years' standing in the church which forbids dancing, cardplaying, going to theater and participation in other amusements of the more worldly sort. Whether this rule is abrogated or not, it is plain to the ordinary observer that relatively few Methodists who belong to city churches now observe it. The country delegates, led by the old-fashioned ministers, will, it is said, insist upon the retention of the rule, while the city delegates, including the pastors, will speak and vote for its abrogation. The general conference has in late years held many stormy sessions. Progressive measures, comporting with changing social conditions and religious convictions, have generally prevailed. If precedent is followed, the rule in regard to the amusements that are deemed "sinful" will be abolished, though not without earnest protest on one hand and urgent appeal on the other.—Oregonian.

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Andrew Carnegie is willing to contribute \$1,000,000 to assist in thwarting the attempt of Wall Street to prevent the renomination of President Roosevelt. Andy is hard to locate. Not long ago he was vigorously ferried President Roosevelt's "imperialistic" policy and just as willing to blow himself to smithereens.

Mr. Bryan was nominated on the platform of 1896 and defeated; Mr. Cleveland was nominated on the platform of 1892 and elected by a handsome majority. Bryan and free silver lost in 1896; Cleveland and tariff reform triumphed in 1892. In 1904 free silver is as dead as slavery or secession and William Jennings Bryan is not mentioned as a Presidential possibility.—Richmond Times-Dispatch

Socialist Primaries.

The Socialists of Lincoln county held their primaries last Saturday, the main event being in Toledo—the hub. Otto O. Krogstad presided and J. W. Parrish acted as secretary.

The chair announced that Toledo precinct was entitled to 12 delegates to the county convention, based, we suppose, upon the number of votes not cast for Judge Bean. Following are the winners:

C. A. Dick, J. M. K. Butler, S. J. Stewart, E. W. Sawdon, Hans Olson, J. W. Parrish, S. Romtvedt, I. F. Hiser, C. M. Carlson, Charles Brown, R. H. Butler, O. O. Krogstad.

O. O. Krogstad, J. M. K. Butler, R. H. Butler and J. W. Parrish had a race for the nomination of justice of the peace. Mr. Hiser won easily.

R. H. Butler was nominated for constable by acclamation.

Real Estate Transfers.

March 30—S G Irvin and May Irvin to Edwin Bradley, lot 5 in block 10, Irvin; in Ocean View addition to Newport. \$50.

March 30—S G Irvin and May Irvin to E Rice, part of lot 1, block 5, Nye & Thompson's addition to Newport. \$25.

April 1—Chas B Moores and Sarah E Moores to Mary E Tucker, lot 10 in block 2, Sea Home addition in Nye & Thompson's addition to Newport. \$1.

April 1—Laura Booth and J S Booth to B F Swope and Grace Swope, north half of lot 3 in block 8, Nye & Thompson's addition to Newport. \$700.

April 1—B F Swope and Grace Swope to John Buckley, lots 9 and 10 in block 50, in Case & Bayley's 2d addition to Newport. \$500.

March 31—State of Oregon to Harold Bancroft, s½ of ne¼ and n½ of se¼ section 2, township 12 south, range 9 west. \$200.

April 4—George Harter and J H McClung to Anna C Wright and Emma M Wright, se¼ of section 1, township 12 south, range 11 west. \$850.

Cattle Growers' Convention.

There will be a convention of the cattle growers of Oregon held in Portland, April 16th, beginning at 10 a. m., and continuing in the evening. The people interested in this great industry are earnestly requested to be present, as subjects will be discussed of the greatest importance to all cattlemen. The meeting will be held at the Auditorium, between Taylor and Salmon, on Third street. GRANT MAYS, Sec.

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GROWING TALL

Singular Effect of a Malady on a Massachusetts Man.

William Griffin, aged 25 years, a resident of Weymouth, is afflicted with a malady that makes him a puzzle to physicians. Three years ago he showed symptoms of pulmonary consumption. He went to Nantasket as a hotel clerk for the summer and grew fat on it. During the winter he was taken ill again and Dr. Tinkham was called. The young man at that time had all the appearances of being in the first stages of consumption, but upon an examination it was found that his lungs were sound.

Dr. Tinkham then called Dr. Sheehan, who also found that Griffin's lungs were not affected. The medical men were unable to locate the disease, and the patient continued to decline. He has kept in the house nearly all the time since, except on some fine days, when he has walked out. For a year past he has not changed any, either for better or worse, and his ailment appears to be at a standstill. When he was first taken ill his height was about five feet ten inches, and at the present time he is six feet three inches tall.

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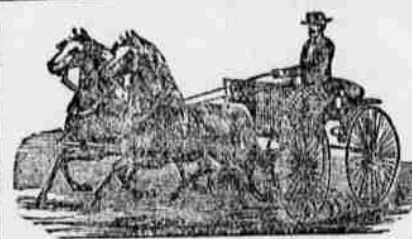
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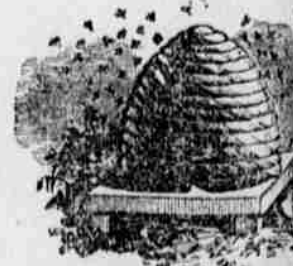
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