

ASHLAND TIDINGS.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1888

FOR PRESIDENT, Gen. Benjamin Harrison, OF Indiana.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT, Levi P. Morton, OF New York.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS, ROBERT McLEAN, W. R. KATZ, C. W. FULTON.

Harrison and Morton will win. Gen. Sherman continues on the road to recovery.

Blaine is expected to stump Oregon and California for Harrison and Morton.

It is again reported that Henry M. Stanley, the explorer, has been killed by natives in the interior of Africa.

The Democrats will have an English landman in the campaign; the Republicans will have the American flag.

The Salem Standard heads its tick with a picture of the old log cabin, familiar to the old men who shouted and voted for Harrison once before.

The Dist. Court, near St. Louis, where Gen. Grant was held, has been sold for \$60,000, to L. H. Conant, an ex-Confederate. He has christened the place "Grantwood."

The Supreme Lodge, A. O. U. W., was in session at Louisville, Kentucky last week. About 100 delegates present.

Reports show 188,000 men, a gain of 21,888 during the year. General funds on hand, \$722,382.

The mother of General Sherman died at Souders, Ohio, June 14th. Mrs. Sherman was born in county Cavan, Ireland, and came to the United States in 1822. She lived in the home which she generally purchased for the family prior to the war.

The weather was excessively hot in the Atlantic states last Saturday. A number of cases of prostration from the heat were reported in New York city. The delegates at the Chicago convention complained greatly of the hot weather there.

The Nicaragua canal scheme has been revived by the incorporation of a new company under the laws of Colorado. The company announces that it will begin work on the proposed canal Sept. 1st. The estimated cost is \$50,000,000.

In talking of Thurman's popularity it is worth while to remember that the "Old Roman" was defeated by R. B. Hayes for Governor of Ohio, at a time when that state was occasionally carried by the Democrats.

In his eagerness to have Blaine nominated, M. H. DeYoung of the San Francisco Chronicle, attempted to head off Harrison at Chicago by the declaration that his record on the Chinese question would not be satisfactory to the Republicans of California.

Mr. DeYoung made reckless assertions in regard to Harrison's record in this matter, and the latter's friends told him he was mistaken, and that they would convince him of that. They did so. DeYoung and the rest of the California delegation were entirely satisfied with Harrison's attitude in the premises, after full investigation, and made him their first choice after Blaine, when they saw the latter would not accept the nomination.

Harrison's ancestry is famous, but he was not nominated on the fame of his ancestors. His great-grandfather was a signer of the Declaration of Independence. His grandfather was a president of the United States. Benjamin Harrison, now nominated for the presidency, was a good soldier in the great war, has made an honorable record in the United States senate, and since the death of Morton has been the leading republican of Indiana. The name of Harrison is identified with the leading precedent for defeat of a candidate for re-election to the presidency.

Mr. Van Buren, president in 1836, was a candidate for re-election, as Cleveland is in 1888, but was overwhelmingly beaten by William Henry Harrison, his antagonist in 1836. (Oregon.)

Grasping England—Within a few days Queen Victoria has added to her dominions an empire, almost continental in size, peopled by 70,000,000 of industrious and relatively progressive inhabitants. The tract extends from Zambur northward as far as Aden, with a seaboard over 1,750 miles in length. Westward it reaches to beyond Victoria Nyanza and the other great lakes from which the Nile takes its source, and includes the finest lands and the richest lands in Central Africa. A charter based on the lines of that of the East India Company, has been granted to a powerful association, promoted chiefly by Lady Bartlett-Coutts, and constituted under the name of the East African Company. The latter is authorized thereby to take possession of the district in question and exercise justice, collect a revenue, and by force of arms "hold all the powers of a semi-independent government."

Would Have Nominated Blaine. (Chicago, June 29th.) Chairman Cooper of the Pennsylvania state committee, who has, during all the convention, opposed Senator Quay in his efforts to nominate Senator John Sherman, gave some interesting and novel views of the Blaine movement last night and today. Chairman Cooper says that last night the Blaine men had assurances of 600 votes in the convention, and a plan to nominate Mr. Blaine to-day was fully arranged. At that time the managers of the Blaine movement had received the first of the cables from which were read in the convention to-day. It was then decided to nominate Blaine, notwithstanding this dispatch. This morning another conference was held, and it was definitely decided to force the nomination of Blaine on the fourth ballot to-day. This agreement was reached upon Senator Cooper's own motion. It was also agreed, if this plan succeeded, of which the managers had no doubt, to have the convention adjourn and await a reply from Blaine, but before this adjournment the second dispatch from Blaine was received, and the scheme was abandoned. It was agreed to throw the vote to Harrison, which was done, and resulted in Harrison's nomination.

HARRISON AND MORTON.

The Chicago convention concluded its work on Monday by the nomination of Harrison for President on the eighth ballot, and Morton, of New York, for Vice-President on the first ballot.

The balloting began on Friday morning. Under the rule of the convention admitting territories to full representation, the full number of votes was 822, necessary to a choice 417.

The result of the several ballots is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Votes. Includes names like Allen, Allison, Washburn, etc.

Only three ballots were taken on Friday. An evening session was held, but no ballot taken. On Saturday at 10 a. m., balloting was resumed with the following result:

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No prospect of a choice appearing, the convention passed the remainder of the day in canvassing, and speech-making. On Saturday afternoon there were rumors of a combination having been effected by the Blaine men, whereby the "Pinned Knight" would receive more than 500 votes on the next ballot.

It is since learned that they had the votes secured, but that a private telegram was received from Blaine in which he positively declined to accept a nomination unless it should be unanimous and every candidate should request him to accept. Sherman's friends would not consent to this, and Blaine and Sherman thus blocked each other's way.

Upon the re-assembling of the convention Monday, Boutwell, of Maine, read two telegrams from Blaine, earnestly requesting his friends to abstain from voting for him. This decided the matter, and a break was made for Harrison, California leading. The next two ballots were as follows:

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After the seventh ballot the Allen men went for Harrison, as did almost all of the Blaine strength in New York, and other states, and Harrison was made the nominee by the following vote:

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Governmental reform took the platform and the nomination of Harrison. "Gentleness of the convention, the delegation from Ohio came here all Sherman men; they are here all Harrison men. It is easier for us to be so than to remember that General Harrison had the good sense to be in Ohio." (Applauds.)

Mr. DeYoung, General Harrison, on behalf of Pennsylvania, and Senator Howell, on behalf of Indiana, seconded the motion. His grandfather was a signer of the declaration of independence. His grandfather, Gen. William H. Harrison, was elected President in 1840 on one of the highest waves of popularity that ever carried a candidate into the White House. His father, John Scott Harrison, was a member of Congress from Indiana from 1833 to 1837. Benjamin Harrison graduated from Miami University in Ohio in his nineteenth year and studied law in Cincinnati. In 1854 he settled in Indianapolis and began the practice of his profession. He early won reputation as a lawyer, and public reputation, and in the momentous campaign of 1856 he did effective work for Lincoln and the Republican cause, and won renown for himself as an able debater and a sagacious politician. In the war of the rebellion he took the field as colonel of the 7th Indiana regiment, serving from July 1862, till the end of the war. For gallantry and valuable service he was recommended by Gen. Hooker for promotion, and was made a brigadier general. In 1876 he ran for Governor of Indiana against "Blue Jeans" Williams, and though he was defeated with his party, he ran 200,000 votes ahead of his ticket. In 1880 he was elected United States Senator, and would have been re-elected in 1886 had it not been for the capture of the legislature of Indiana by the Democrats in a manner condemned by some of the best men of their own party in the state, at the conclusion of the long deadlock in organization which was made so familiar to the people of the whole country by the press reports during its continuance. Skillful and shameless gerrymandering of the state by the Democrats in 1885 enabled them to claim a majority of two on joint ballot in the legislature of 1886, although the Republican members elected had a large majority of the whole number of votes cast, and the Republican ticket was elected. During his six years in the Senate Gen. Harrison took rank among the prominent few who are recognized as effective workers in legislation and men of solid ability. In his profession, he has reached the position of one of the foremost members of the bar of Indiana. He is considered one of the best campaign speakers in the country, and as a debater he won his spurs in a sharp contest with Thomas A. Hendricks (then by far his senior) in a joint discussion during the first Lincoln campaign. Gen. Harrison is the leader of the Republican party in Indiana, and is considered one of the best campaign speakers in the country, and as a debater he won his spurs in a sharp contest with Thomas A. Hendricks (then by far his senior) in a joint discussion during the first Lincoln campaign.

Levi P. Morton is one of the most favorably known bankers in the United States. He was born in Sparrowsburg, Va., May 16, 1824. He became a clerk in a country store, soon developed aptitude for business, and rose rapidly. In 1850 he was made a member of the firm of Beebe, Morgan & Co., merchants of Boston, and in 1854 he removed to New York, where he established the firm of Morgan & Co. In 1863 he founded the banking house of Morgan, Bliss & Co. in New York, and that of Morgan, Rose & Co. in London. The latter were the fiscal agents of the United States government from 1873 till 1884.

The firms of which Mr. Morton is the head were active in the syndicate that negotiated United States bonds and in the payment of the Geneva award of \$15,500,000 and the Halifax fishery award of \$5,500,000. Mr. Morton was appointed Honorary Commissioner to the Paris Exposition in 1878. In the same year he was elected to Congress as a Republican, and he was re-elected in 1880. In the latter year he declined the nomination of Vice-President on the Republican ticket.

President Garfield offered to nominate Mr. Morton for Secretary of the Navy or Minister to France. He chose the latter post and filled it from 1881 to 1885. Through his intervention the restrictions upon the importation of American pork were removed and American corporations obtained a legal status in France. He was American Commissioner general to the Paris Electrical Exposition, the report of the committee of the United States at the submarine cable convention, and publicly received, in the name of the people of the United States, the Bartholdi "Statue of Liberty Enlightening the World."

Mr. Morton in 1887 purchased "Elberfeld," the estate of William Kelley, at Rhinebeck on the Hudson. The degree of L. L. D. was conferred by Dartmouth in 1881, and by Middlebury in 1882. In 1887 he was a candidate for United States Senator.

Neighboring Counties. LAKE COUNTY. (Examiner, June 21.) Goose lake strawberries were selling on the 26th Saturday at \$1 per bushel, supposed to contain two quarts, but with the usual allowance.

Lakeland, Mo., H. A. O. U. W., has elected S. C. Booth as representative to the grand lodge of this jurisdiction, which meets at Seattle, July 11th.

"Uncle Joe" Lons has forwarded a petition to the president asking to be appointed receiver of the new Hiram Lake district. We warrant that no man asking for the position will have a better probability of a more substantial recommendation. He is a son of Gen. Joe Lane, and is a Democrat from way back, a good farmer and real money maker by all. We hope he may secure the office.

George Cona, who was down from Pandy Saturday, estimates that his firm will have close to 200,000 bushels of wheat to grind this fall; 4,000 from Crooked creek, 3,000 from Cheverton, and from 6,000 to 7,000 in Sumner Lake valley. It is likely these estimates will fall short 2,000 or 3,000 bushels, and then the yield will be four or five times larger than last year, as at that time V. & G. Cona did not grind over 40,000 bushels, all told. This is a good showing for a northern Lake.

The Result of a Test. When anything stands a test of fifty years among a discriminating people, it is pretty good evidence that there is merit somewhere. Few, if any, medicines have met with such continued success and popularity as has marked the progress of Brandreth's Pills, which, after a trial of over fifty years, are considered to be the safest and most effectual blood purifier, tonic and alterative ever introduced to the public. That this is the result of merit, and that Brandreth's Pills perform all that is claimed for them, is conclusively proved by the fact that those who regard them with the greatest favor are those who have used them the longest.

Satisfied With the Choice. (Chicago dispatch, June 25.) The members of the Oregon delegation are satisfied with the work of the convention. Mr. J. W. Casper says: "Our choice was Grosham, because the people of Oregon wanted him nominated, and Harrison and Morton are excellent men and will suit our people in every respect. They make a strong ticket, and with them Oregon will roll up a large majority for the Republican ticket in November than she did for the same ticket in June." Several of our delegates will stay east for awhile.

SUCIDE.

Another Man Who Met Death by his Own Hand.

John Drummond, an old man 75 years of age, who has resided in Ashland a part of the time since last October, shot and killed himself on Wednesday of this week, about 11 o'clock a. m., he being at the time of the shooting in the front yard of the residence property north of the new school house on Main street which property belonged jointly to the deceased and Mrs. Mary Van Buren, and the bullet from a 38 Calibre Colt's revolver entering the mouth and ranging upward through the brain, causing instant death. Engineer McCarthy, whose residence is near, was the first on the scene and immediately sent word to Marshal Walnut, who in turn telegraphed to coroner Pryce at Medford informing him of the need of his services. The coroner deputized Justice of the Peace Helman, and a jury being summoned on request over the body was held Wednesday afternoon and some of the facts of the case elicited. Mrs. Van Buren testified that she had known the deceased five or six years and during that time he had been with Thomas A. Hendricks (then by far his senior) in a joint discussion during the first Lincoln campaign. Gen. Harrison is the leader of the Republican party in Indiana, and is considered one of the best campaign speakers in the country, and as a debater he won his spurs in a sharp contest with Thomas A. Hendricks (then by far his senior) in a joint discussion during the first Lincoln campaign.

Drummond had undoubtedly lost considerable money by the "hardening" of the boom at San Diego and that with other things preying upon his mind probably was the primary cause of his ending his life. The property in which he was interested with Mrs. Van Buren had been only partially paid for. That Drummond had committed suicide for a short time at least is shown by several letters found in his pockets but bearing no dates. One to the coroner is as follows:

"TO THE CORONER OF JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON: My name is John Drummond, and I am the owner of the house that belongs to me which you can take to pay my wife's expenses."

Another quite long letter, evidently written the night before committing the deed, was found on his person. It was written in a rambling, disconnected style, hardly intelligible, referring to something in Ashland, then changing abruptly to San Diego or the East and back again—the whole showing that there was a "split" in the man's mental faculties. The following is a copy of another short letter found in the suicide's pocket and addressed to Mr. Van Buren, husband of Mrs. Van Buren, interested with the deceased:

"MR. H. VAN BUREN—Which would you rather have, your wife or the money you and I have got out of."

Drummond was a widower, his wife having been dead many years and his family consisted of five children, two sons and three daughters, all grown up and living in the East. Before coming to this coast he lived in Kansas, where he had property. He had been at San Diego from last November until about a week ago. He was an old man with rather feeble faculties, and a number of people around town who have conversed with him, say that he was well posted and of an ordinary intelligence. The coroner's jury found no money on his person, but a purse.

After hearing the testimony of Mr. and Mrs. Van Buren, Engineer McCarthy and Dr. Souger, the physician who examined the wounds, the jury brought in their verdict as follows:

"We, the undersigned, summoned to appear before A. H. Helman, Justice of the Peace and acting coroner of Jackson county, State of Oregon, on the 27th day of June, 1888, to inquire into the cause of the death of John Drummond, do hereby certify that the testimony adduced, upon our oaths, each and severally, and after hearing the same, we believe that the deceased committed suicide on the 27th day of June, 1888, in this county by a gunshot wound inflicted intentionally by himself in the chest, the wound being fatal. All which we certify to be true, in writing, in the presence of W. F. JOHNSON, W. L. JOHNSON, FRANK HAYES, C. W. AYRES, and E. S. WELLS, coroners of Jackson county, Oregon."

In pursuance of a dispatch from Drummond's son in Kansas, H. S. Emery enclosed the body in a zinc coffin, so that it could be transported, if desired, and the burial was at Ashland cemetery last evening.

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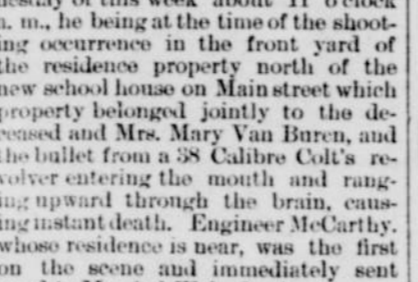
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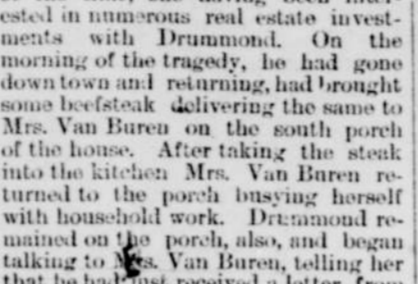
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