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WEATHER.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET

- For United States Senator—FRED W. MULKEY (Short term)
JOANATHAN BOURNE (Long term)
For Governor—JAMES WITHYCOMBE
For Secretary of State—FRANK W. BENSON
For State Treasurer—GEO. A. STEELE
For Supreme Judge—ROBERT EAKIN
For Attorney General—A. M. CRAWFORD
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For State Printer—W. S. DUNNIWAY
For Commissioner of Labor—O. P. HOFF
For Congress—W. R. ELLIS.
Clatsop County Republican Ticket.
For State Senator—W. T. SCHOLFIELD
For Representatives—ASMUS BRIX, JOHN C. McCUE
For Sheriff—MERRITT R. POMEROY
For County Clerk—J. C. CLINTON
For County Treasurer—W. A. SHERMAN
For County Judge—J. A. EAKIN
For County Surveyor—R. C. F. ASTBURY
For County Commissioner—C. C. MASTEN
For Coroner—C. E. LINTON
For Justice of the Peace, Astoria Precinct—P. J. GOODMAN
Election June 4th, 1906.

CLATSOP POLITICS.

What of politics, in a local sense, is underway, is an unknown quality just at present. There is no excitement, no big and fundamental issues in general consideration; no large personalities under active discussion; in fact, the Clatsop campaign cannot be said to have formally opened at yet; the potency and life of the state campaign has not yet reached this neck of the woods, and the only sign of the real existence of political conditions hereabout, is the quiet and broad-cast determination of the republicans to win out in every contest in the local field. This is one of

the best indications at hand, and it this alone shall be the cardinal issue, it is enough if it be made good, and that it will, is the hope, ambition and purpose of the Morning Astorian and every honest republican within the confines of the county. Keep this aim everlasting-ly in sight and give it the impetus of personal declaration and energy at every turn and the day is practically won.

COMBINATION.

An analytical reading of the works of Edward Bellamy at the present time might conduce to the reflection that he was not so much a dreamer as was thought when his works were the rage with a certain element of the American people. The processes of commercial and industrial combination as outlined then are being carried out to the very letter of his forecast, and his ultimate theory of the combination of the combines is well on the road to realization. We are prone to despise our prophets in the moment of our alleged prosperity, but it is well to hark back to them on the quiet once in a while, just to see if there was any sense or inspiration behind any deduction. It has come to pass in the history of nations that the so-called vaporings of its alleged agitators have been accepted as the textbooks of a later generation, and history repeats itself with conspicuous frequency and exactitude; hence, the reference to Bellamy and all his works. The need of wisdom is one of the wisest conclusions of this hour.

WE DOFF OUR CHAPEAU.

We take off our hat to George Mitchell, the slayer of Creffield, and express the earnest hope that our sister-state on the north will do the neighborly thing and turn him scot-free without any loss of time. If we should ever come in legal contact with any of her monstrosities of the type of Creffield, and an Evergreen citizen comes over here and shoots him into the damnation that is prepared for such as he, we will return the compliment with spontaneity and gratitude. It is a pity there are not more George Mitchells throughout the length and breadth of the land to put a quietus on the laevicious careers of the "prophets" that deal in the virtue of stupid women. The constitution of the country gives these fiends their first standing on a religious pedestal and the unctious scoundrels do the rest and work their carnal ends, safeguarded by the predicate that dwells within the organic law. Religious freedom means much to such as they; and it takes a George Mitchell to "propound the law" and the initial inspiration thereof. Here's to him!

THE END IS NEAR.

Republican Oregon is about done with democratic governors and democratic henchmen of all sorts, the fourth of June will see the last of it for long years to come. It is wholly proper that this should come to pass. The incongruity has made itself so manifest in a thousand ways that there are but two things left for republicans to do: Take over the state and its control and keep it intact, or yield to the minority and renounce their partizanship utterly. What is true of the state in this sense is as true of many of her counties. Democratic encroachment has either seen its limit, or it is just entering upon its sway. We cannot believe the republicans of Oregon intend to hand over the immense trust to the men who, at a supreme juncture in republican affairs, by the aid of republican votes, put a democrat in power on a margin of 274, while they still hold the leverage of 20,000. The collapse is too hideous to contemplate. It would be unforgivable in its absurdity; and just so sure as it is done, the death-knell of republicanism in Oregon is sounded.

EDITORIAL SALAD.

Now a lot of people will want to know who is Senator Clark's second choice for the seat in the United States senate from Montana.
Congress will adjourn about July 1, permitting the country to celebrate Independence day without equivocation or mental reservation.
General debate upon the railway bill being concluded the senate will now proceed to discuss it in detail.
Even if Walter Wellman succeeds in locating the north pole, it is too much to hope that he will stay there.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The recent fire on Astor street disclosed a state of affairs that is intolerable. Old mattresses, umbrellas, broken furniture, rags and combustible filth of all descriptions are thrown into the back yards of the houses. Such refuse makes good kindling for fires and furnishes food for flames, thereby endangering the lives and property of the people. This condition of affairs obtains, not only on Astor street, but also on Bond, Commercial and other streets; and after consultation with the Committee on Fire and Water, it has been decided to give public notice to all concerned, that all such premises must be cleaned up within thirty days from date. At the expiration of that period, members of the Committee on Fire and Water, together with the Chief of Police and Chief of the Fire Department, will make a tour of inspection, and all corporations, firms or individuals, failing to clean up will be prosecuted, in accordance with the ordinances of the city. HERMAN WISE, Mayor. Astoria, May 7, 1906.

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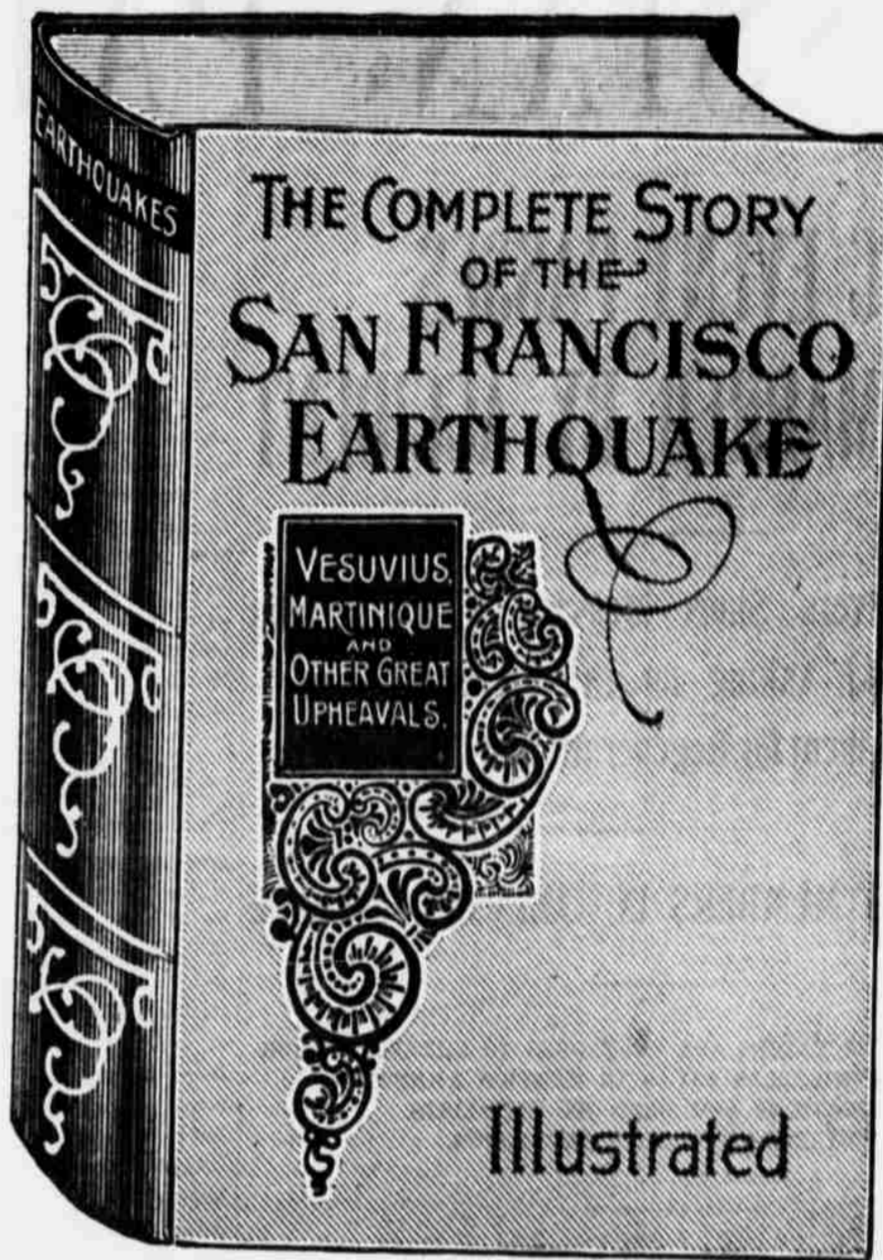
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"I am never without Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment since I tried them last summer. About the latter part of July my whole body began to itch. I did not take much notice of it at first, but it began to get worse all the time, and then I began, to get uneasy and tried all kinds of baths and other remedies that were recommended for skin humors; but I became worse all the time. My hair began to fall out and my scalp itched all the time. Especially at night, just as soon as I would get in bed and get warm, my whole body would begin to itch and my finger nails would keep it irritated, and it was not long before I could not rest night or day. A friend asked me to try the Cuticura Remedies, and I did, and the first application helped me wonderfully. For about four weeks I would take a hot bath every night and then apply the Cuticura Ointment to my whole body; and I kept getting better, and by the time I used four boxes of Cuticura I was entirely cured, and my hair stopped falling out, but I continue to use the Cuticura on my scalp. It keeps all dandruff out and scalp is always clean. I always use Cuticura Ointment on my face after shaving, and have found nothing to equal it. I will never be without it." D. E. Blankenship, 319 N. Del. St., Indianapolis, Ind. Oct. 27, 1905.

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