### **ELE CTION** NOTES

Both Parties Still Confident of Success.

THE SITUATION IN CALIFORNIA

Reed at Oakland Today--Will Pass Through Portland on his Way Home.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.- The close of the campaign in California finds the Democrats confident of carrying the state, and Republicans also claiming California. Frank McLaughlin, chairman of the Republican state central committee, claims 10,000 majority for Mc-Kinley, while Chairman Alford, for Democrats, claims 30,000 majority for Bryan. Many Republicans concede the state to Bryan by a small majority.

It is believed San Francisco will reverse her majority for the Democrats of two years ago of 11,000, and give Mc-Kinley a small majority. The Republicans claim 5000 majority in this city, while the Democrats , make a similar claim for Bryan. Conservative Democrats and silverities claim the state for Bryan by smaller majorities than the Democratic state committee officers.

W. P. Lawlor, of the silver state committeee, says Bryan will undoubtedly carry California, but says his majority is problematical. Gavin McNab predicts that Bryan will have at least 10,000 majority in the state outside of San Francisco. The Democrats claim all the con gressmen except in the Fifth district, where it is admitted that the Republicans have a chance. The Republicans claim all the congressman except Maguire in the Fourth. The Democratic state central committee is positive Devries will defeat Grove Johnson in the Fourth district.

### REED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

### Will Leave for Home via Portland on Grain in New York Advanced Steadily Wednesday.

San Francisco, Nov. 2.-Hon. Thomand the pavilion and different parts of

about the city.

Wednesday the party will start for San Jose and the Lick observatory, and spend several days quietly at the Hotel Del Monte. Returning here Saturday, the homeward journey will be begun by way of Portland, Seattle and the Canathis month.

### QUIET DAY AT CANTON.

### No Organized Delegations Called Upon

CANTON, Nov. 2 .- No organized delegations have reached Canton thus lar today, but callers as individuals have been going to and coming from the McKinley house all day. Shaking hands has been the major's occupation during the day.

Colonel A. L., Conger and Judge U. L. Marvin of Ohio, came in with an in formal party of about a score of ladies from Akron. An informal party from Massillion also called. Mrs. McKinley continues to improve, and has nearly recovered from the illness which confined her to her room nearly all of last week. Mr. McKinley looks the picture of health. Canton clubs have arranged for a parade tonight.

Canton troops of horsemen, who escorted all the visiting delegations to the McKinley house, were photographed in it. We'll pay you. a group with Major McKinley this morning, and a number of such groups are being arranged.



ment Food Report. ROYAL BARING POWDER CO., New York

## THE FLOODS IN FRANCE.

### Rivers Rhone and Seine Rising With Disastrous Effect.

Paris, Nov. 2.-Telegrams received from the departments bear news of further floods and of alarming rise in the rivers. Enormous damage to property has been done, but no fatality has yet been reported. The river Seine is still rising, and is at the flood stage. The authorities have despatched to Comps and to Vallabregues, the artillery wagons from Nimes, to assist in the work of relief. The river Rhone has burst its dozing away under the soft splashes of banks at Lauson, which is now isolated. The only communication through considerable districts, is by boats. Troops have left Avignon to assist in repairing the broken banks of the Rhone.

Later advices state that the Seine has fallen slightly tonight, but the further rise is feared. The news received from Lyons this evening is most disquieting. Many houses are flooded at Neuville-sur-Saone, and the river is covered with furniture. The barracks at St. Lambert is surrounded by soldiers and prisoners. Half this district is inundated, and nu- ing shaved. He was evidently disgusted merous factories in Lyons and vicinity are closed.

### RISING WHEAT MARKETS.

### During the Day.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2 .- From start to as B, Reed, of Maine, in company with finish today the wheat market gave a Claus Spreckels, John D. Spreckels, A. surprising exhibition of strength, con-C. Spreckels, Miss Kitty Reed and and sidering the fact that tomorrow is a Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich, drove through hollday. Opening 1/4c higher at 801/4c Golden Gate Park and to the Cliff house, for December, it kept on rising until it where they had breakfast, yesterday, reached 81%c, where it closed. Specuwithin sight of the Pacific ocean. The lation was most active in the last hour. party was met by Mayor Sutro, who and the total sales for the day only showed them all there was to be seen in reached 3,150,000 bushels. It was a case the vicinity. During the drive they in- of bull sentiment, reinforced by strong spected the Presido military reservation foreign news and European buying, esand fortifications on this side of the bay pecially on the Pacific coast, where further export orders were reported. Siverpool stocks showed a falling off for Today Mr. Reed will remain at the the month, world's shipments were estright cheek. Both parties to the col-Palace hotel until noon, when he will go timated at nearly 1,000,000 bushels less loquy were getting interested and I was to Oakland and speak there. He will than last week, and there was a reduc- getting bored. return to the hotel in the evening. To- tion of 640,006 bushels on passage. The morrow he will spend the day drivibg American visible supply increased only half as much as expected.

### A Ploneer in Oregon.

OREGON CITY, Or., Nov. 2 .- Peter Weiss died at his home on the west side of the Willamette, south of the Tualitan, last night, in his 78th year, of a stroke dian Pacific, the plan being to reach of paralysis. He was a pioneer in this Portland, Me., on the 17th or 18th of county, having taken the claim in 1895, where he spent the remainder of his stranger, he said: life. He was an unmarried man. The elevation known as Pete's mountain, near the junction of the Willamette and you,' and placing the razor on the shelf Tualitan rivers, is on the Weiss claim and was named from the old man's given name. His only known relative is

### Let's take hold hands, get to crap shooting." "'Certainly, sah,' he replied to me Mr. Grocer, and dance!

We've got some beautiful business for you and with you, and for and with your with the game. As I left the room I could hear him muttering about the 'hurry some people is in an' it is still

Schilling's Best is the foh days fore we get to Memphis."tea. Pay every customer's money back that don't like

There's money in it.

Wisconsin, and who is now on his way here. The deceased left an estate of considerable value.

### Snow in South Dakota.

MINNEAPOLIS, Nov. 2 .- A special from Huron says five inches of snow fell there last night, making a foot now on the ground. The storm in the north and west is reported as severe. Farmers are wholly unprepared for winter. Telegraph poles and wires are down between here and Pierre. No communication with that city has been had by wire since Thursday evening.

### CRAPS BEFORE DUTY.

### The Darky Thought That the New Yorker Was Very Inconsiderate.

A Wall street man tells this story: "I was naking the trip from New Orleans to Memphis in April by a Mississippi river steamboat. On the first day out from New Orleans I felt the need of the barber's services and learning that the Memphis Belle was tonsorially equipped I sought out that office. I found a single barber in charge, a rather pompous, tall person of color with flowing Dundreary whiskers. He was engaged in doing nothing at all with that grace of execution peculiar to the southern darky. I seated myself in his chair and was soon wrapped in thought upon some business I had begun in New Orleans. The barber began his work leisurely, the while carrying en a one-sided flow of talk to which I replied in monosyllables.

"The day was warm and I was almost his brush when another customer entered. He was a nervous, fidgety sort of man and as there were no newspapers in the room he amused himself in looking at a few prints hung on the walls, the attraction of which soon palled upon him. Then he walked to the door and looked down the deck where a group of roustabouts were engaged in the game of craps. Figaro had by this time completed the lathering of one side of my face and roused me turning my head around. I intimated that life was short, and I didn't care about passing too much of it in bewith my taciturnity and replied with great dignity, but with no haste either of speech or action; 'Cert'nly, sah, cer-

"The stranger's curiosity had been aroused by the gambling going on outside, which was as usual accompanied by the 'come sevens!' and shrieks of

'craps' which attend that game. "'What game is that, barber?' he demanded of Dundreary. He of the whiskers made one or two artistic play:

of his brush over my chin and answered; "'Lah, Gawd, mister, ain't yer ever een that game? That's craps. Everybody plays it 'round this country.'

"The stranger admitted he had seen played before in the wharves and any mental light from his observations. A running exchange of queries and explanations followed between barber and stranger, during which a not over keen razor had begun its course down my

"The nervous stranger appeared somewhat obtuse, or, perhaps, the vernacular of the barber was inadequate to convey the full meaning of the technical details of craps. At any rate, he pressed for further information. My face had by that time been cleared of beard as to my chin and part of my cheek. Fifteen minutes had been consumed in the process and my patience was becoming threadbare.

"The barber had exhausted his powers of description and, turning to the

Well, sah, ef you really wants to know how to shoot craps I kin show he opened a drawer and withdrew a pair of greasy-looking dice. Then he stepped over to a table and began to give a practical exposition of the mys-

teries of the game. This was too much ""Here!' I cried, raising myself in the chair. 'Finish up this job before you

and turning to the stranger he added: 'One minute an' I'll show you.' "It only took a few minutes to complete his work on me, and as I put on ny coat he and the stranger proceeded

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In the County Court of the State of Oregon fo Wasco County:

In the matter of the guardianship of Alice Al mira Udell and William Edward Justin, Minors.

Now on this 26th day of September, 1896, the regular September term of Court having been adjourned and continued to this date, and the Court being in regular session, this cause came on for hearing upon the verified petition and application of George Udell, guradian of the persons and estates of Alice Almira Udell and William Edward Austin), and the Court being in regular session, this cause came on for hearing upon the verified petition and application of George Udell, guradian of the persons and estates of Alice Almira Udell and William Edward Austin), and the court having read said petition and application of George Udell, guradian of the persons and estates of Alice Almira Udell and William Edward Austin), and the court having read said petition and application of George Udell, guradian of the persons and estates of Alice Almira Udell and William Edward Austin), Minors.

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### Notice.

of kin of said wards, and all persons interested in said estate of said wards, sppear before this court on Monday, the 2d day of November, 1896, at the hour of 2 o clock p. m., at the county courtroom in the courthouse in Dalles City, in Wasco County, Oregon, to show cause, if any exists, why a license shou d not be granted to said guardian, George Udell, for the sale of real estate belonging to said wards to wit: The southeast quarter of Section 30. Township 1 North, Range 10 East, situated in Wasco County, State of Oregon.

It is further ordered that this order shall be served upon the next of kin of said wards and all persons interested in said eatnie by publication thereof in Dalles Chronicle, a newspaper of ge eral circulation in this county, for three successive weeks, beginning on the 3d day of October, 1896.

3oct-ii ROBT. MAYS, Judge.

### Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order made and entered in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco c-unty, in the matter of the estate of Phoebe M. Dunham, deceased, directing me to sell the real property belonging to said estate to satisty the un'aid expenses of administration and claims against the estate, I will on the 10th day of October, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the courthouse door in Dalles City, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, that certain parcel of land described as follows: 33% feet wide and 100 fe. t long off the east side of lot 11 in block 6 of Laughlin's Addition to Dalles City, Oregon.

A. R. THOMPSON,
Administrator of estate of Phoebe M. Dunham, deceased.

### Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the understaned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County executor of the last will and testament of James Modahun, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby to any-hereof, within six months from the date

Dated August 5, 1896. augs-5t-ii K. F. GIBONS, Executor.

### Notice to Texpayers.

The County Board of Equalization will meet in the assessor's office on Monday, October 5th, and continue in session one week, for the purpose of equalizing the assessment of Wasco county for 1896. All taxpayers who have not been interviewed by the assessor will please call at the office on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, as all property must be assessed.

F. H. WAKEFIELD.

Sept 12-ii County Assessor.

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