

# The Dalles Chronicle.

VOL. XII

THE DALLES, OREGON, FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1900.

NO. 254

## DEMOCRATS TALK OF A NEW PARTY

They Feel Disfranchised Under Existing Conditions—Cannot Vote for Bryanism.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 7.—E. C. Benedict, the New York banker, who recently returned from a trip with Ex-President Cleveland, has written a letter in which he says:

"The gross outrages perpetrated on the good name of the democratic party by the present managers of a party by that name, with scarcely a vestige of the old democratic gospel left in it, makes me at present a political orphan. I am practically disfranchised by their action, while their infidelity to democratic principles has provoked infidelity to the name to such an extent that I greatly fear we can never again succeed under it.

I am not alone in this orphanage. On the contrary, I have not a single acquaintance among my democratic friends with whom I have conferred, who does not share this feeling with me. It is also very apparent that this political orphanage is not confined to those of our faith. McKinleyism is becoming almost as repugnant to the rank and file of republicans as Bryanism is to us. As a temporary choice of evils, the latter may survive the former, but only for a little while.

"These vast and increasing rebellious elements from the ranks of both parties, having common dangers, are fast becoming common friends and are anxious to become enrolled under one banner. But before an organization of these elements can be effected, it is the plain duty of outraged democrats to use their best individual efforts, in the absence of organization, to clean house by the complete destruction of Bryanism. From present appearances it is the only function we can perform in the coming campaign. Soon thereafter McKinleyism must surely perish as a punishment for its infidelity to all sound principles of government. Then will come the opportunity for the formation of a great party, based on a platform similar to that of the national democratic party in 1896 (which was the soundest and most patriotic ever placed before our people), and the 'Moses' to lead it will be forthcoming when the proper time arrives.

"The 'Bab Ballars' tell us in substance that to enjoy Heaven well we should have a few moments of hell. This great, rich country is suffering vastly more from the pernicious action of its lawmakers and the unwarranted action of the administration than from all the law-breakers in the land; but our matchless form of government remains, under which our old party, with all its time-honored principles, may be born again with renewed patriotic vigor with overwhelming ranks, and, quite likely, with a new name."

## IN LEAGUE WITH THE DEVIL

Such Is the Belief of Chinese Troops Regarding the Boxers—Refuse to Fight the Disturbers.

LONDON, June 7.—Telegraphing from Tien-Tsin, under date of June 6th, a correspondent says:

"I left Tien-Tsin this morning en route for Peking, accompanied by General Nieh, supposed to be one of the best of the Chinese generals, with sixty troops. We proceeded to Lofa, a distance of thirty-one miles. We found the plate-layers' cabins in flames and telegraph poles cut, and men engaged in destroying others in villages near the railway, where flags were seen bearing the inscription, 'Kill All Foreigners.'"

"I saw smoke, evidently from burning houses in the distance, but General Nieh refused to proceed further, being in mortal fear of the Boxers. though the foreigners endeavored to persuade him to disentrain his troops, who are firmly

convinced that it is useless to fight the Boxers, as other Chinese say they have seen Boxers hit with bullets rise and run away.

"There seems to be little prospect of a resumption of traffic to Peking unless the foreign powers assume control of the railway until the Chinese government proves itself capable of managing communications with its capital.

Governor Gage Asks Further Evidence.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 7.—At a conference between Governor Gage and the members of the state board of health the governor stated that he would not sanction the expenditure of state funds to combat the plague until he had secured evidence of the existence of the disease in this city. When he has fully investigated the matter he will reply to the recent dispatch from Secretary of the State Hay, asking for information.

The state board will notify all county and city boards of health in the state of the conditions now existing in Chinatown, and will formulate a plan for sanitary inspections throughout the state. Since May 1 266 Chinese have left this city for interior points.

President Williamson, of the local board of health, has written to Consul Pickersgill, of Victoria, B. C., stating that no case of plague is known to exist here. This was done at the request of the chamber of commerce, which feared that Victoria might quarantine San Francisco and thus cut off the city's coal supply.

Negroes May Organize a New Party.

BOSTON, June 7.—Former Judge E. G. Walker, who was mentioned as a presidential possibility at the meeting of the national negro party in Philadelphia, says:

"I have heard rumors of the formation of such a party. It is a beautiful theory. I believe one of the principles of the party was for colored men either to refrain from voting or vote for this new party. So far as not voting is concerned, I believe in voting if I were up to my neck in blood.

"In regard to a presidential nomination I have no desire or ambition to be dragged around in the mud.

"This action of the colored people seeking a new party is no doubt inspired by the recent talk about repealing the 15th amendment. There is a party general feeling among the colored people against the Republican party this coming election if President McKinley is the standard-bearer. McKinley has no sympathy for the negro."

Closed With Songs.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—In marked contrast with the exciting incidents attending the bitter struggle of the closing hours of the session, Speaker Henderson laid down his gavel at 5 o'clock this afternoon at the conclusion of one of the most picturesque scenes which has ever occurred in the hall of representatives. Party passion and personal rancor, which have brought the House to the brink of actual riots at times during the last 48 hours, gave way in the closing half-hour to good fellowship, have ended in a patriotic outburst that stirred the crowded galleries to the highest pitch of enthusiasm.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Canton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start. I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat.

Special reserve old government whiskey, recognized by the highest medical authority in the land; especially recommended by the board of health of San Francisco for hospital use, also A. P. O'Brien, M. D., captain and surgeon, and Wm. D. McCarthy, major and surgeon U. S. Army, as the purest unadulterated stimulant for convalescents, invalids and family use. Sold by Charles Stabling. ap120-dim

Cash in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to June 3, 1896, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after February 2, 1900.

C. L. PHILLIPS, County Treasurer.

Sale.

Trimmed hats and patterns at cost for the next thirty days at the Campbell & Wilson millinery parlors. 23-1f

Use Clarke & Falk's quinine hair tonic to keep dandruff from the head.

## DIRECT RESULTS OF EXPANSION

The Trade With Cuba and Our New Possessions Exceeds Anything in Their and Our History.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Exports from the United States to Cuba, Porto Rico and the Hawaiian, Philippine and Samoan Islands will reach \$45,000,000 in the fiscal year which ends with the present month, and will be more than three times as much as in 1896, and more than twice as much as in any year of our commerce with those islands, except in the years 1892, 1893 and 1894, when reciprocity greatly increased our exports to Cuba and Porto Rico. To Cuba the total for the fiscal year seems likely to be fully \$25,000,000, against \$7,500,000 in the fiscal year 1896, and \$24,157,000 in the great reciprocity year, 1893, when exports to that island were more than double those of five years earlier. To Porto Rico, the exports of the year will be, in round terms, \$2,600,000, against an average of \$2,750,000 in the reciprocity years, 1892, 1893 and 1894, when exports to that island were double those of earlier years. To the Hawaiian islands the total for the year will be about \$15,000,000, or five times as much as in 1893, nearly four times as much as in 1896, and more than double the total for 1898. To the Philippines the total for 1900 will be about \$2,500,000, or more than in the entire fifteen years since 1885, the date at which the first record of our exports to the Philippines was made by the Treasury Bureau of Statistics. To the Samoan Islands the exports of the year will be about \$125,000, or nearly as much as in all the years since 1896, at which date the official records of our exports to those began.

On the import side, Cuba begins to show something of her old-time strength as an exporting island, as the total imports into the United States from Cuba for the full year will show a total of \$31,000,000, against \$15,000,000 in 1898, and \$18,500,000 in 1897, though they still are less than half the average for the reciprocity years, 1892, 1893 and 1894, when our imports from the island averaged over \$75,000,000 per annum. From Porto Rico the imports of the year will be \$1,350,000, which is less than the total for any preceding year since 1880, and is presumably due to the destruction by last year's tornado of the crops which supply Porto Rico's chief articles of export. From the Hawaiian islands the imports for the full fiscal year will be \$21,000,000, or double the average annual importation for the period prior to 1896, and 20 per cent higher than in any preceding year, while from the Philippines, despite the war conditions, which reduce producing and exporting power, the imports will be larger than in any year since 1891.

Largest in Years.

SALEM, June 7.—The bill for the employment of convict labor in the foundry for the month of May is the largest for any similar period in some years, it being \$1075.90.

Superintendent Lee, of the penitentiary, is much gratified with the direct evidence of better times and better dispositions furnished by the thinning out of his institution. The sentences of seventeen convicts will expire this month, and unless there is an unusual influx of new ones the number in prison will be reduced lower than it has been for several years.

Skirmishes in Luzon.

MANILA, June 7.—Captain F. Crenshaw, with forty men of the Twenty-eighth infantry, while scouting near Taal, was led into an ambush by a guide. Captain Crenshaw was badly wounded in the head, and one private was wounded. The ambushers were scattered, leaving ten dead and three wounded on the field.

Captain Flint, while scouting five miles east of Biannenabato, Buacan province, had a slight brush with the enemy. Flint and two privates were wounded.

Small in size and great in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills that cleanse the liver and bowels. They do not gripe.



Blue Serge Suits

\$10.00 and \$15.00

At either price:—

Pure Worsted Material.... Permanent Color. Perfect Tailoring.

Single or double-breasted styles.

A. M. WILLIAMS & CO.

VOGT Opera House

F. J. CLARKE, Manager.

Tuesday and Wednesday Nights....

June 12-13

...LADY...

MINSTRELS

An Up-to-Date Minstrel Performance.

50 Home Ladies, Misses and Children in Coon Songs and Jubilee Shouts.

An Elaborate First Part and an Olio of Fine Specialties.

PRICES

Reserved Seats - - 75 Cents

General Admission, 50 Cents

Box Sheet open Saturday noon at Clarke & Falk's.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised 'Electric Bitters'; and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed, at Blakeley & Houghton's drug store.

## C. J. STUBLING

Wholesale and Retail

Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Agent the Great American Liquor

Yellowstone Sour Mash Whiskey.

WHISKEY from \$2.75 to \$6.00 per gallon. (4 to 15 years old.)  
IMPORTED COGNAC from \$7.00 to \$12.00 per gallon. (11 to 20 years old.)  
CALIFORNIA BRANDIES from \$3.25 to \$6.00 per gallon. (4 to 11 years old.)

ONLY THE PUREST LIQUORS SOLD.

COLUMBIA BEER on draught, and Val Blatz and Olympia Beer in bottles Imported Ale and Porter.

JOBBERS IN IMPORTED and DOMESTIC CIGARS.

## Jacobsen Book & Music Co.

Hammocks Hammocks Just Arrived

The largest and most complete line at

Rock Bottom Prices.

Grandall & Burget	
DEALERS IN	UNDERTAKERS
All kinds of	AND EMBALMERS
Funeral Supplies	The Dalles, Or.
Robes, Burial Shoes Etc.	

Before you place any orders for a tombstone or for curbing, fencing or other cemetery work, call on Louis Comini. I will not only give you all the information you need but I will quote you prices you cannot beat anywhere. Let no one bluff you. It will take only a few minutes to call and see me. If you have a neighbor who ever did business with me consult him as to the price and quality of my work and abide by the result. : : : Louis Comini

CLEANLINESS.....

is being advocated by all parties regardless of race, color or previous condition of servitude. Remember we make our customers glad when they buy or Pure Prepared Paints. There is a finish and gloss to its work that is admired by all.

Paints, Oils, Glass, Picture and Room Moldings

Be sure and inspect our stock of Wall Paper ..... Designs for 1900 on Display.....

Washington Street, between Second and Third. H. GLENN & CO.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured with local applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo O. Sold by druggists, price 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. 12

Columbia Southern Warehouse.

At Shaniko the Columbia Southern Railway Co. controls 80x100 feet of the Shaniko warehouse building, to be used as a freight warehouse, through which they will receive and forward freight in the usual manner. The impression that all business must be done through forwarding houses is an erroneous one and we take this means of dispelling it. Freight received and held twenty-four hours will be turned over to a forwarding house subject to the order of the consignee. The rate on wool in sacks or in bales from Shaniko to The Dalles is 25 cents per 100 pounds. For rates or other information call on or address C. E. LYTLE, G. F. & P. A., or GEO. F. ROSS, Agent, Shaniko, Or.

Starvation never yet cured dyspepsia. Persons with indigestion are already half starved. They need plenty of wholesome food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat so the body can be nourished while the worn out organs are being reconstructed. It is the only preparation known that will instantly relieve and completely cure all stomach troubles. Try it if you are suffering from indigestion. It will certainly do you good.