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The following compose the County Central Committee of the People's Party of Coos county, Oregon:

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" " 4—I. T. Weekly, Gravel Ford.
" " 5—J. H. Matheny, Myrtle Point.
" " 6—Jas. West, Bandon.

JAS. WEST, Chairman, Bandon.
W. PHILLIPS, Secretary, Empire City.

Before the law was written down with parchment or with pen;
Before the law made citizens, the moral law made men.
Law stands for human rights, but when it fails those rights to give,
Then let law die, my brother, but let human beings live.
—Rev. Miller Hageman.

ITS STEADY GROWTH.

The Principles of Populism Are Not Ephemeral—Figures Never Lie.

The great plutocratic newspapers are somewhat alarmed to see the steady increase given the Populist party by the official election returns. The Springfield (Mass.) Republican, a newspaper of national reputation, an independent supporter of Grover Cleveland, though a Republican in politics, makes the following comment:

"This is a remarkable and in many ways a disturbing demonstration of radicalism. The Populist party was started in a flush industrial period, and the fact that it has held on so long and grown no less slowly and steadily in bad times than in prosperous times is not the least significant feature of its development. Were it based upon elements of ephemeral strength merely we should probably by this time have seen either the collapse of the organization or a sudden bound to a higher level. That neither event has resulted would seem to offer proof of the existence of strong basic material. As a matter of fact the anti-slavery party, from the time it began to put a presidential candidate in the field in 1844 down to the breaking up of the Whig party in 1852, never exhibited a more persistent and growing strength than the People's party has so far shown."

Radicalism always has a basis.

And the Populist party has even a stronger basis than had the anti-slavery party.

The slavery we oppose is that of a class of men whom the nation owes its great progress in the development of wealth, invention and all material growth.

Opposition to wage and debt slavery are the cardinal principles of the People's party.

As a basis it has the religion of Jesus Christ, the brotherhood of man and the foundation principle of justice, equal rights to all and special privileges to none.

Every man in the People's party has his feet firmly on the basic principles.

It is not buoyed up like a balloon, with gas; nor is it a party of sore-head politicians kicked out by the struggle of ambition from the old parties.

The People's party has come to stay, because the principles it advocates are permanent—firm enough to build upon for the future as long as humanity and civilization exist.

That there was a reason for its birth during flush times indicates very strongly that general injustice and not mere local discontent was the cause of the organization.

The People's party is not an organization of malcontents, howling and rending itself in the dark.

Its organization was due to broad, comprehensive study of the principles of the government of the people, by the people and for the people.

When the nation and the money loaners were prospering, all the people of the nation should have been prospering in proportion to the work they contributed to the general prosperity.

That farmers and laborers were depressed while idlers spent the summer in Europe and the winter in dissipation, aroused the people to a study of the eternal principles of equity.

The oppression has been felt worse during the past two years, but the people were not made wild and fanatical. They had coolly reasoned out the cause of the trouble and many of them had prophesied the climax.

They have reached the point in reason where they see that monopoly must be allowed to run its course for the present, while the people are being educated to take charge when the course of the money power has become unbearable to the whole nation.

The great trusts are testing the principles of corporation, and when proven successful and all powerful the nation will find it necessary to assume functions that have been before delegated to private individuals.

The People's party is looking confidently forward to the consummation of its every demand.

Not party success, but a better national industrial system is the object of this movement.

Portland Leader: The Oregonian is down on its knees pleading for the return of Dolph to the senate. How is it the mighty have fallen? It says:

The Republican party is on the knife's-edge of peril. * * To press this free silver issue in Oregon is not only to tempt but to assure Republican disaster. It introduces an issue under which no Republican party can hold together in any county of Oregon in 1896. If we have no election now, the Populists will carry the state and will get both senators and both representatives in the next election; and we can have no election, now, unless Mr. Dolph or some other sound money man be chosen.—Feb. 3.

[Slow curtain. This is the place to shed your tears.]

The state senate should be abolished. The senate killed the house memorial demanding the election by the people of United States senators.

Portland Leader: The well-organized Simon forces are masters of the situation, so far as legislation is concerned. They are in a position to kill every local bill whose author does not pledge himself to the wishes of the Multnomah delegation. Fine state of affairs.

Portland Leader: "The verdicts of juries are mere formalities, and I frequently set them aside." [When a railroad company has a verdict rendered against it for damages to life or limb of some private citizen.] So said a superior court judge recently. That is all right, isn't it? "The people be damned."

Portland Leader: Cleveland's pleadings with congress for more bonds would excite sympathy were they Coxey-non-interest-bearing-good-roads bonds, in the interest of the people, but as it is gold bonds, drawing interest in gold and for the sole interest of the gold-bugs, there can be but contempt for the whole gang.

GENERAL NEWS

AFTER MANY YEARS.

Chicago, Feb. 12—John W. White, one of the Mosby's rangers, was wounded at Dranesville on May 18, 1863 and lost his revolver. Last night the weapon was placed in his hands by R. M. Parker, a G. A. R. man, formerly of the Second Massechusetts cavalry. A friend of White met Parker yesterday, and the conversation turned on the war. Mr. Parker mentioned the revolver and the fact that a name had been cut on it. It was White's name and the long-lost weapon was promptly returned to its owner.

THE CONSTITUTION SAYS: "A FAIR AND SPEEDY TRIAL."

Chicago, Feb. 12.—Judge Grosscup has postponed the Debs trial until the first Monday in May. He discharged the jury on account of the serious illness of Juror Coe.

The discharged jurors surrounded Debs, shook his hand and expressed their admiration for his bearing during his trial. The attorneys for the defense also expressed the opinion that victory for the defendants was in sight when Coe's illness stopped the trial.

A LONG SENTENCE.

Fort Smith, Ark., Feb. 12.—Bill Cook, the outlaw, was sentenced today in the United States court to 45 years in the penitentiary at Albany N. Y.

February 22d is a legal holiday in every state in the union except Arkansas, Iowa and Mississippi.

Jim Westfall, a Chinaman, was worth $10,000 or $15,000 two or three years ago, but now he says he is "busted." The Oregon Pacific railroad did it.

VERY PLAIN LANGUAGE

Mayor Sutro Tells of the Result of Corruption of the Railroads.

New York, Jan. 30.—Mayor Sutro, of San Francisco, in a signed special to the World, dated the 29th, makes a general attack on the "Pacific Railroads," which he says have California in a "relentless grip." Among other things, he says: "From the day the first Pacific railroad bill passed congress, the beneficiaries inaugurated a system of cheating the government and robbing the people that has been carried on till the present day.

Among the results are a general destruction of the prosperity and failure of the farmers, the decrease and almost cessation of manufactories and the ruin of jobbing-houses and merchants. This is not all. The evil influence of these unscrupulous men have brought about a condition of social affairs which probably has never been seen in any other state of the union.

"Corruption and bribery wielded with a high hand, the example set by those men rolling in ill-gotten wealth, has been destructive to the honor and honesty of the rising generation. They corrupted the judiciary and municipal council. The legislature and congress have by espionage been intimidated and made cowards of.

"They have by the power of money managed to control public opinion, and have lowered our standards as citizens of the United States."

Sam Brown Appeals.

The attorneys for Sam Brown, convicted of the murder of Alfred Kincaid, filed their formal notice of appeal to the supreme court Saturday. Their grounds of appeal include thirty-seven exceptions, most of which were noted in the Review at the time of the trial. They except to one grand juryman; to the ruling of the court in the examination of most of the trial jurymen who were finally accepted, and to the testimony of several witnesses, notably that of R. P. Dear, T. L. Kimball, W. C. Underwood, and the several grand jurors. Judge Fullerton has granted a stay of execution until such a time as the appeal shall have been decided. Brown was to have been hanged on the 15th inst, but said he dread it in the least. He whistles and sings "like a lark," as one of the sheriff's force remarked the other day, and has apparently lost every feeling of fear. He advised the sheriff recently not to go to the expense of building a scaffold from which to swing him off. "Tie a rope around my neck and put it over the limb of that tree," he remarked, "and I will jump out of the window, and the job will be done," and Sheriff Cathcart thinks that Brown wouldn't hesitate a moment to launch himself into eternity in that way.—Roseburg Review.

Lee Items.

Feb. 14.—The mild weather continues. Farmers are thinking seriously of plowing and gardening if it lasts much longer.

Mrs. W. P. Mast has been visiting at her son's, R. H. Mast, in Bandon for the past week. She reports things lively in that little town.

I. Chandler and family of this place have been visiting friends and relatives at Gravel Ford for a few days.

Starr Sherwood of Sumner spent Saturday and Sunday on the river. Come again, Starr, and perhaps you will have better luck next time.

W. H. Brown has secured the Pat Smith place from the S. O. Co., and will take possession in the near future.

The friends of Miss Sadie Harman gave her a pleasant surprise Friday afternoon, 8th inst., in honor of her twenty-second birthday. The day being pleasant the time was spent in outdoor sports, which were enjoyed by young and old. When the cool shades of night began to gather round, the crowd gathered into the house. Refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent in pleasant games, music, etc. When midnight sounded the crowd departed well satisfied with their evening's entertainment.

TOPSY.

[Port Orford Tribune.]

Hon. Binger Hermann has our thanks for selecting us as a beneficiary in the government distribution of valuable war records. They will be a present to be highly prized.

Fred and Hardy Stewart, sons of Hon. F. A. Stewart, are among the successful beach miners. They are making good wages right along, and in five days, took out $43.

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