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Presidential Electors.
M. L. Olmsted, of Baker,
W. D. Hare, of Washington,
W. H. Spanish, of Lane,
Henry Watkins, of Yamhill.

THE MONEY QUESTION THE ISSUE.

Every possible effort of the old parties to dodge the money question has failed to deceive the people, and the Republicans have been forced to enter the presidential campaign on this issue. It is absolutely laughable to see the contentions of the party leaders in their painful efforts to evade this issue and switch the Republican voters off on some delusive side-track. A few of them, such as Mr. Tongue, rubbed up the old tin tariff whistle and tried dinning it in the ears of the voting masses, but the people yelled louder than the discordant squawks of the tariff horn, and it wouldn't work. They made the most ridiculous grimaces in their wild exertions to befog the people and get their eyes off the question of finance, so that they could adopt some meaningless straddle at St. Louis on this question that was, of all others, the bitterest pill for these party leaders. But hoot and ridicule as they might the people shouted finance as the issue, until these brilliant statesmen(?) could no longer shut their bleared eyes to the ominous hand-writing on the wall, and were driven by sheer force to take a stand on the money question. The Republicans, as was expected if worst came to worst, are out with a gold standard platform. The Democrats will be driven to take unmistakable ground at Chicago on this question, and we shall await their action with a great deal of interest.

Oregonian: The money issue is the greatest issue since the war. Men cannot dodge it.

Why is Grover Cleveland like most rivers? Because his mouth is larger than his head.

Joe Simon, delegate from Oregon to the Republican national convention at St. Louis last week, did not attend but gave Oscar Mayes, a New York Jew, his proxy. He wouldn't trust an Oregon Republican.

One g. o. p. in Ohio telegraphed to Senator Teller, after he walked out of the Republican convention: "I do not regard you as a representative Republican." Senator Teller smiled blandly. The fellow might have quoted from the song: "I don't want to play in your yard—I don't like you any more," etc.

Sound Money: Before the war the famous Dred Scott decision set up the doctrine that a slave had no rights that a white man was bound to respect. The courts—horrible and damnable as it may seem—are setting up the same doctrine to-day. The dollar is placed above the man, and almost every decision coming from the courts where the rights of labor or the common people are at issue with capital is in favor of capital. And so universally common has this become, that the people have come to look upon the courts as being as corrupt as any other branch of the government.

Roseburg Review: The business men and citizens of Astoria will send the following petition to Governor Lord: "Your Excellency, Governor Lord: We, the businessmen, merchants, taxpayers and peaceable citizens of Astoria, would beg that you withdraw the state militia from our orderly city, as there is no trouble here."

It seems now that it's the other fellow who does not want the militia, but we think they should stay. It is coming to a pretty pass when corporation agent or political tool cannot call on the governor for protection. Some of these same "businessmen, merchants," etc., decried Governor Penney some three years back for refusing to call out the O. N. G. to shoot down good citizens at the behest of some plutocratic tools, and called him an "anarchist," and other pet names.

Why, of course call out the militia to compel workmen to do your bidding, and punish them for asserting their rights as freemen and intelligent citizens. They should have no rights that you ought to respect. But our laugh comes in now, when you must pray the governor to "please, don't."

Governor Lord, in answer to a request from the mayor of Roseburg, last Friday ordered the militia out to protect murderer Dixon from being lynched by an angry mob who had congregated for that purpose near town. The sheriff, being warned of the coming mob, spirited the prisoner away to Eugene City for safe keeping. So it seems that we do have use for an army, after all, to prevent the anarchists from disturbing the peace while the carnival of crime goes steadily on, with little more than the inconvenience of weary, farcical court trials to interfere with its swelling tide of progress. Verily, "What will the harvest be?"

The baseball fever is breaking out again.

See the new roller awning in front of Lorenz's store.

W. H. Thomas drove several head of steers through town to his logging camp yesterday.

J. H. Matheny, of Myrtle Point, was in Coquille City on business a brief spell yesterday.

N. J. Ostrom, of Marshfield, visited Coquille City last Wednesday on his way to Riverton.

The road supervisor and our city marshal are busy putting their part of the road work in order.

An engine was received yesterday morning from the bay for use in Yoskan's logging camp.

It is William McKinley for president, and Garret A. Hobart for vice-president—and Old Nick for the country.

The way for our Republican friends to get free silver and bring on prosperity is to vote their gold-bug ticket.

Among the first arrivals to Mr. Powell, the new postmaster at Bridge, in this county, was a little daughter weighing 11 pounds.

Mrs. Nasburg will visit Gravel Ford over the 4th and have on hand a full supply of everything eatable, also lemonade, sodawater, etc. See notice elsewhere.

"Reston News," in the Roseburg Review, notes this: "W. T. Emery and R. C. Hutchinson, of Oakland, brought 326 head of cattle from Coos county recently."

Oregon Kidney Tea is the most effective blood-purifier known. For sale by druggists N. G. W. Perkins, of Myrtle Point, and Dr. S. L. Leneve, of Coquille City.

Our summer term of school will close next Friday. We think we can say, without fear of contradiction, that this term has been above the average in successful management.

NO. 205.—160 acres, ¼ mile from Gravel Ford creamery, 30 acres in grass, garden, some fruit trees, berries and small fruits, a fair dwelling, corrals, chicken-house, woodshed, etc. Will take a wagon and team in part payment. Price of property, \$700.

Salem Capital Journal: Senator Gesner and Elmer Worrick left yesterday for a surveying tour, beginning at Cottage Grove, thence to Coos county, then back to Quartzville. Messrs. Jones and Fromenter are also in the party. It is government work.

Thanks of the HERALD to the gallant Co. K., O. N. G., at Bandon, for complimentary to an entertainment in their behalf last Saturday evening. We could not attend, but thanks, all the same. The play given was "Twixt Love and Duty," a military drama, and had a host of characters. Prof. H. A. Rayner had supervision.

UPPER - RIVER DEPARTMENT.

Myrtle Point and the Upper-Coquille, and What is Going on There.

Luscious strawberries in market. It is asserted that times are getting a little better.

Capt. Rackleff's sawmill, at the forks, is now running and a good-sized crew finds employment. A. H. Moore, of Salmon mountain, came back from Gold Beach Saturday where he had been visiting his family.

Several families will soon arrive here from Umatilla county. They have shipped their goods to Orvil Dodge by the sea.

Will Guild, the barber and notion dealer, has added new stock until he has a fine assortment of candies, cigars, nuts and an elegant stock of stationery.

George Flanagan and Receiver Hutchison visited the quartz mill near Big Joe last week. Capt. Reel, of the steamer Arago, accompanied them.

The train made a special trip over from Marshfield last Friday to meet Manager Graham and lady, who arrived here by private conveyance from Roseburg that day.

Specimens of coal are brought into the U. S. commissioner's office every day and considerable filing on coal lands have been done lately. Truly our country is developing vast wealth.

Two prospectors from California came up on the boat Saturday, purchased pack animals, supplies etc., and started for the Salmon mountain gold fields Monday. Our mines are attracting much interest.

The German Baptists (Dankers) held a regular quarterly meeting at their church below town last Saturday. Judging from the large attendance we conclude that their services are of great interest.

People are beginning to look forward for a grand time at Coquille City, August 13th, when the G. A. R. and Pioneers meet. Coquille is saving her 4th of July powder for that occasion, we are informed.

Albert Clinton of Arago, the unfortunate young man whose hand was severed by an ax while swamping in a logging camp, was in town twice during last week. His wound is getting along as well as possible.

Riverton Riottings.

Riverton, June 22.—The steamer Moro took on a cargo of coal from Timon & Bean's mine.

J. P. Tupper says the Bandon coal company will be shipping coal in three weeks.

E. J. Price took his bed and baggage up to the Morris Bros' mill. He will be employed there for some time.

Chas. Nosler has the contract of furnishing the logs for the lumber, spars, etc., of the new steamer that is being built at Prosper.

The K. of P. of Bandon will have a picnic at Riverton on the 27th of this month.

Would it not be better for the boys to bathe in some other place than in front of town?

J. F. Chaney came up from the mines last Saturday and found a new lodger at his home. It is a daughter. Accept our congratulations, Jack.

We expect to have the Riverton and Fat Elk road graded, bridged and made passable for a wagon or buggy by the 27th of this month. We are the people!

The young folks will have a social party here next Saturday eve, so we are told.

Mrs. George Lamb leaves for Youconia tomorrow to visit her folks.

C. A. Peterson has discovered a fine vein of coal on his ranch.

Rev. J. S. McCain held services here last Sunday. Doxa Asa.

Bandon's Budget.

Bandon, June 20.—The Stutz Theater Company passed through here on their way down the coast this week.

County School Superintendent Barklow is making his rounds visiting the schools these fine Oregon days.

Quite a number of the members of the M. P. M. & D. Co. visited their works at the "Big Joe" and "Little Mary," this week. Recent developments are very encouraging.

Frank Tiebner of Port Orford arrived in town Saturday evening by horse and cart. The rig spilled Frank out with his baggage a half-mile before reaching town and each came in independent of the other. Mr. T. is advertising Port Orford as a summer resort, having fine photographic views of that romantic and interesting coast, as well as graphic descriptions of that favored spot.

Owing to the fact that the W. R. C. will now occupy the G. A. R. hall in this place, the old boys have appointed a committee to put the rooms in elegant shape. This is a reminder of what great and refining influences the fair ladies have over even the old soldiers whose "silvery locks and bended forms" mark the passing of the meridian of life. Their influences will help to keep harmony in the post, we trust, and be the means of perpetuating the memories of those who did their duty when this great country was in peril, and instill patriotism in the minds of the growing generation.

W. E. Dietz turned out of the Enterprise office some neat circulars, last week, for Orvil Dodge, which describe the Coquille valley and give prices of lands in various localities. Some illustrations and a business directory adds to the value of the papers. The circulars will be sent to many places for information to emigrants. If other real estate dealers would follow such an example perhaps the misrepresentations of those selfish and unprincipled scoundrels at Roseburg could be headed off. We are creditably informed that some parties in Roseburg take occasion at every opportunity to run the Coquille valley down and scandalize its residents. They forget that many persons arrive here by steamer that are liable to go to the interior of the state in case they hear good reports of that section, and that there is often an opportunity to return compli-

ment. The undersigned wishes to sell reasonable, and on easy terms, an improved 150-acre dairy, hay and fruit farm; well watered and wooded. Perfect clover and other grass growth for hay or pasture. Joining Coquille City; near railroad and steamer lines and large creamery; cheap and quick freights to leading markets; good schools, churches and society. R. D. SANFORD, Coquille, Or.

Several weeks ago we announced to our patrons that we must have one hundred and fifty or two hundred dollars in money to keep up expenses, and requested those indebted to us to each send in a few dollars and make up the amount we needed. A very few responded, but not enough to make a beginning. Our friends absolutely must help us out by sending in a dollar or two each, or more. This you can easily do, and we hope you will attend to it at once.

The State G. A. R. Encampment.

The Grand Army encampment, held at Independence on the 18th and 19th insts., was one of the most successful in the history of the state. Over 600 veterans attended, and the hospitality of the citizens was so cordial that the same city was selected for the meeting next year, an honor seldom accorded to any place. The officers elected were: Major D. C. Sherman, of Salem, department commander; J. M. Stockton, of Independence, senior vice-commander; J. W. Maxwell, of Tillamook, junior vice-commander; Dr. J. W. Bradshaw, of Salem, medical director; Rev. Barton, of Portland, chaplain; R. A. Frame, E. F. Manning, D. W. Matthews, W. E. Gardner, E. F. Chapman, council of administration; A. B. Kady, J. M. Burlingame, H. S. Allen, delegates to the national convention, with Rev. Barton, J. M. Miller and T. C. Smith as alternates. The department of Oregon now comprises 71 posts and 2043 members. The Women's Relief Corps had an interesting session, also. Officers elected were: Mrs. Sarah M. McGowan, of Oregon City, president; Mrs. W. P. Conaway, of Independence, senior vice-president; Mrs. Baker, of La Grande, junior vice-president; Mrs. Cochran, of Oregon City, treasurer.

Gideon Senecal of The Dalles, aged 85 years, took strychnine to end his earthly life, from the effects of which he died in fifteen minutes.

Roseburg Review: The stage drivers between Myrtle Point and Roseburg are now making excellent time, considering the condition of the roads—the drive being made now in about fourteen hours. The Coos bay company has been very successful in carrying the mail since they took charge of the route.

Johnnie Stone returned yesterday from a visit of a month at Empire.

W. T. Lewis and bride left yesterday for their new home in the Rogue river valley.

It is the wish of many citizens that Manager Graham should put on a special or excursion train on the 4th of July.

Schiller Hermann, of the firm of Hermann & Brown, of Myrtle Point, dropped down on Coquille City for a few hours last Monday.

Geo. Whitesaker, representing the Cleveland Oil & Paint Co. of Portland, has been doing the river towns in the interest of his company.

Fred Nosler made a run on his wheel Saturday to meet his brother, Claude, on his return home from Monmouth. They met about Remote.

The gasoline steamer Moro, from San Francisco, arrived at Coquille City last Wednesday, bringing a quantity of freight for our several merchants.

T. C. Norris, who recently traded his property in town for a ranch in the Rogue river valley, started yesterday to move his family to his new home.

Miss K. K. Scott, daughter of Rev. W. C. Scott, of Bandon, after visiting in the neighborhood of Fishtrap came over and spent last Monday in Coquille and went home Tuesday.

The ladies are urged to attend the meeting to organize a Labor Exchange tomorrow night at mercantile hall. They are deeply interested in its success—it is a great help to them.

We are glad to announce that the single mill is undergoing repairs and improvements and will start up in a few days, possibly to run right along. Other features of manufacturing may also be added.

"The Coming Revolution," by Henry L. Call, is one of the most valuable books of reform literature that has been published. The Herald office has several copies of the book to spare yet. Price 25 cents.

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THE LABOR EXCHANGE.

A Plea for One in Coquille City— Last Resort of the People.

COQUILLE CITY, June 15, 1896. ED. HERALD: I desire, very briefly, to call the attention of your many readers in Coos county to the Labor Exchange movement, which is now organized in more than 30 states of this union, California having about 40 branches, which leads all other states.

I now begin to look upon this movement as the real remedy that is left for the laboring people. The plan, which was promulgated by G. B. DeBernardi at Independence, Missouri, in 1889, is simply to organize a branch in any community with not less than 25 members, who pay into the general fund \$1 each, which constitutes the fee of a labor member without dues or assessments. Then a depository is opened and checks of deposit are issued to those who deposit anything of value, which check is good for any other deposit of equal value, and thus we carry on our exchange without money and entirely independent of the money powers.

Coquille City is now taking steps to organize, and it is to be hoped that all other towns in Coos county will do likewise at once. Any further information, if desired, to the extent of the writer's ability, will be cheerfully given. W. H. NOSLER.

NEWS NOTES.

COUNTY SEAT CONTEST IN LINCOLN. It is said that the people of West Yaquina, who lost in the Lincoln county-seat fight, will contest the election of Lincoln county. They claim the Siletz Indians had no right to vote.

MONEY SUPPLY CUT OFF. Havana, June 12.—Dispatches from Madrid say the bankers of Paris and Amsterdam have declined to advance any further loans to Spain before next November.

Samuel Hughes, senator from Washington county, will be the biggest man in the Oregon legislature. His weight is 318 pounds. F. M. Jones of Wasco county, weighs about 250 pounds.

It cost Lincoln county about \$490 for serving papers on the different boards of election. It seems the sheriff charged the county up with mileage for five trips to each precinct when only one was made.

The official vote of the late state election is: Supreme judge, Benn. Pop., 42,073; Gaston, Pop., 26,131; Burnett, Dem., 17,943. Congressman, first district, Tongue, 13,356; Frankston, Pro., 13,292; Myers, 8105; Christenson, Pro., 1315; second district, Ellis, 12,333; Quinn, 12,239; Northrup, Ind., 8300; Bennett, 7255; McKercher, Pro., 761.

John Brosie, aged 85 years, of St. Joseph, Mo., died at the home of his son, in Happy Valley, 7 miles from Roseburg. Mr. Brosie reached there Sunday to make a surprise visit to his son. He came the entire distance alone, and on arriving at his son's farm, and before seeing any of the family, was struck totally blind. He left a widow and other relatives in St. Joseph.

Leigh Harnett, the well-known writer, who has been writing up southern Oregon and other mines for a number of years past, was found dead in a cabin near Wolf creek station last week. He had evidently been dead for several weeks when found, and it was impossible to tell whether his death was due to natural causes or suicide. However, the supposition is that he died from natural causes.

Gold Beach Gazette: The residents of Marshfield are hard citizens to make understand anything, and they do not yet understand that over half the people in Coos desire the county seat located in Coquille. On the bay there is considerable talk of litigation to prevent the removal of the county records, and even some bitter talk about dividing the county. Some people never can realize that the majority have any rights as against individual opinion.

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A Tough Case from Curry. Salem, Or., June 15.—The grand jury returned an indictment against John Liphart for adultery. Liphart eloped with John Delavan's wife from Curry county last July, and they have since lived together at Hayesville, this county. Liphart was arraigned today and pleaded not guilty.

A true bill was also returned against Mary Delavan for adultery, but on motion of District Attorney McCain was discharged—a humane act, as she is the mother of several small children.

The Salem Capital Journal includes these among its "Journal X Rays": "No more mistakes were discovered after Tongue had a safe plurality. . . . Twelve per cent interest and 5 per cent to get silver dollars to handle crops with—that's silver on a gold basis. . . . Dr. Cusick should get in an early order for his carload of silver and then perhaps the hop farmers will not have to pay 5 cents a dollar premium to pay off their hands. . . . The Allison boom at St. Louis cost the delegates \$5000. What was spent on the other booms? McKinley's is estimated to have cost half a million. The costs of political campaigns are paid out of the pockets of the people.

There was over 100 applications for the teachers' places in the Albany public schools last week.

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