

POPULIST TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, William Jennings Bryan, OF NEBRASKA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT, Thomas E. Watson, OF GEORGIA.

Presidential Electors. N. L. Butler, of Paik, M. L. Olmsted, of Baker, Henry Watkins, of Yamhill, E. Hofer, of Marion.

For Representative of Coos County, THOMAS BUCKMAN. [Special election November 3, 1896.]

Rev. Father Nugent, the most prominent Catholic priest from Iowa, and a lifelong Democrat, says he is going to vote for McKinley.

Coast Mail: The old "Billy Goat" of the Herald gets in some of his customary lies about the Mail this week.

Well, old "Billy Goat's" hair is straight, at all events; no kinks in his whiskers—pure Caucasian—and he is not living a lie.

AND THIS IS LAW

United States Attorney Dodge has decided not to bring suits against the MANUFACTURING FIRMS of Massillon, Akron, Canton and other cities in Ohio, who during the panic issued scrip to their men in lieu of currency. THIS WAS A VIOLATION OF THE REVENUE LAWS, AND WOULD SUBJECT THEM TO HEAVY PENALTIES. BUT MR. DODGE HAS COME TO THE CONCLUSION THAT UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES THE MATTER SHOULD BE DROPPED.

LITERARY NOTE.

Appropos of Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt's disagreement with his son, and the latter's marriage to a woman very much older than himself, the editor of The Cosmopolitan, in the September issue, seriously discusses the education most useful to modern life, and substantially, if not in words, asks: "Does modern college education educate?" The September Cosmopolitan, as if to show what a magazine can do, gives four complete stories in this single number, by such noted authors as Frances Courtenay Baylor, Maurice Thompson, Gertrude Hall, and John J. a Beckett, Louise Chandler Moulton, Mrs. Lew Wallace, Francisque Sarecy, I. Zangwill, Agnes Repplier, Norman Kerr, M. D., H. C. Chartfield-Taylor, Wm. Eleroy Curtis, Robert E. Straborn, Colonel Tillman, and Ruth McEnery Stuart are also among the contributors to this one issue of a magazine that is sold for ten cents. Nor is that all. Among other writers not already mentioned is Camille Flammarion, who has an article on "The Wonderful New Eye of Science," which alone is worth the entire price of the magazine. The Cosmopolitan has been gradually perfecting its engraving and mechanical departments, until the publishers believe that, in the September issue, they present a number unrivaled in artistic and mechanical excellence.

Another large mercantile failure is announced, and this is the cause given: "Dull business, shrinkage of values and slow collections." And this is the work of the tariff!

The business men of the middle west have learned at dear cost and painful experience through several years past, that combines and corporation greed are not in their interest nor for the welfare of the masses—something our coast middlemen seem loth to learn. To that end their business organizations have taken a position on the political issues of the day, and are not only arrayed in line against those enemies, but are publishing and distributing political documents in the east by tons. And their arguments are just what the Populists and reform organizations have been doing in the public's ears till the smart ones have denominated them cranks.

Ex-State Senator Cogswell, fine residence, valued at \$10,000, burned. Mr. Cogswell only receives \$3000 insurance. At Portland a marriage license was issued to Asa Perkins, aged 72, and Mrs. Mary Bybee, aged 45. The curfew ordinance will be enforced in Astoria hereafter.

JESSIE GRANT TURNS POP.

At San Diego, September 4th, a great sensation was caused by J. Wade McDonald, one of the delegates, reading the following letter from Jessie R. Grant, son of General U. S. Grant, as follows:

"My Dear Judge: I have noticed with much interest your withdrawal from the Democratic party and espousal of the People's party. This action meets my approval, since I have concluded to enroll myself in the same cause. The financial plank in the Republican platform must drive from that party any one who believes as I do, and the anarchical plank in the Democratic platform must lose to it any person who believes in protection of American citizens at home as well as abroad. The platform of the People's party, on the contrary, has no objectionable principles and seems to offer a political home that any American can proudly enter. Yours truly, JESSE R. GRANT.

"To J. Wade McDonald." Mr. Grant has been a resident of San Diego for several years and has large property interests here.

The letter comes as a complete surprise, not only to the convention, but to the entire community. Mr. Grant has so seldom concerned himself with public affairs, and is, seemingly, so little interested in local politics, that he is probably the last person from whom such a letter was to be expected.

Mr. Grant is not in the city tonight, and his reasons for writing the letter could not be learned from him personally. Delegate McDonald, who read the letter, when asked as to Mr. Grant's probable motive in writing it, said:

"The letter from Mr. Grant to me that I read in the convention today is according to his long standing and well-known views on the silver question, and this is about all that I know of it."—S. F. Examiner.

Coast Mail: And now "Old Billy Goat" of the Herald reads J. W. Bennett out of the Democratic party. This poor white trash is getting officious.

So far as Mr. Bennett is concerned, his own party platforms, state and national, have read him out of the party, and he has taken the hint and slopes; we have never known him as a Democrat. As to our "officiousness" and being "poor white trash," we observe you retain the African (ac) scent of slavery days from which you have not yet asserted any manhood, but continue to serve, now as a flunky, and would-be overseer with a blacksnake in hand if you could.

The First National bank at New Orleans closed its doors on the 2d inst., and the Union six days later—on the 8th—behind in large sums, caused by loss of confidence and the tariff." The clearing house tried hard to rally to the crippled concerns, but had about exhausted the power of the syndicate for \$100,000, and still the bank needed \$92,000 more! Chauncey Depew's fifty men "who can stop the wheels of commerce, strangle enterprise and bankrupt the government" are getting in their work as a pointer-ta-ta, bankers.

Actually the people at Cleveland, Ohio, have celebrated Perry's victory on the lake without the consent of England. Anarchy seems to be spreading.

Jesse L. Test, esq., an old resident and highly respected citizen of our town, called this morning and after purchasing a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, said: "If anyone asks you if this remedy will do what is claimed for it, tell them yes, and refer them to me." H. Alexander Stoke, Reynoldsville, Pa. No one can doubt the value of this medicine after giving it a fair trial. Then it is pleasant and safe to take, making it especially valuable for children. For sale by Dr. S. L. Leneve, druggist.

S. F. Examiner: "Wealth is king in peace and in war," cried the Hon. M. M. Estee before the Republicans of San Francisco at the Auditorium meeting of Saturday night. "Wealth is king in peace and in war," and the inference may fitly be drawn that wealth is expected to be king in politics when the present campaign is done.

The Christian people of Pendleton have been invited to join in with the Salvation Army for a grand rally against sin and Satan.

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UPPER - RIVER DEPARTMENT.

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

Threshing is in order. Mrs. Ivy Pike of Beaver Hill spent several days in town last week visiting her many friends.

Myrtle Point now boasts of a new meatmarket—Albert McMicle is the proprietor.

W. T. Reed, one of our popular young men, has gone to Carry county to take a position in Wilbur's mill.

D. Giles & Son will soon have brick on the market once more as the fires are burning in their new brickkilns.

Al Sloan, the enterprising logger of Big creek, was in town last week and reports a very successful season's work.

Miss Mary Harris is visiting with friends on the lower river. Judge Riley, vice-president of the Bryan free silver club now spends his evenings at home.

It might be well for our poultry ranchers to keep an eye open for Jack Egan and R. Y., as they are dangerous men when the fires are going in the brickkilns.

Rev. Purdey and his band of workers are still with us. Their meetings are attended by larger crowds than ever assembled at other religious services in this place. They are earnest workers for the advancement of Christianity. They are receiving, and well deserve, too, the hearty support of all of the professed followers of Christianity. Much good is being done.

Mr. Perry, of South Fork, came into town last Friday morning carrying his child of two years, which by accident had got hold of a bottle of strychnine. The little fellow had strychnine the cork and was helping itself to the poison when discovered by its parents. They, of course, were badly frightened and hurried with the child to the office of Dr. K. A. Leep, who soon had the child out of danger. A town should be proud of so skilful a physician as Dr. Leep.

Riverton Rectings.

Riverton, Sept. 14.—J. H. Timon, after a long and tedious delay, has once more resumed mining. There are two schooners on their way here. Mr. T. now has as fine a coal tunnel as can be found in this county, and what is of greater importance is, that he has struck a better quality of coal than has hitherto been found.

Mr. Clark, president of the Bandon Block Coal Co., was here on a business trip. Not a day passes without one or more strangers arriving. All are seeking employment.

Wm. Sharp was visiting his uncle Joseph Perry last week. He is interested in the coal business here. C. A. Peterson & Sons have fitted up their building for a boarding house. We understand it is to be occupied by J. E. Martin. Mrs. Martin has about 25 boarders now, and will thus be better prepared than ever to accommodate them.

J. A. Lyons of Coquille was in our town one day last week. Once more tenement houses are in great demand. Some enterprising and humane person should construct several houses to lease. It would be a profitable investment. Keep your eyes open and be ready when the road petition comes around.

DONNA ANA.

At a meeting of the new board of directors of the Coos County Mercantile & Shipping Association, held last Thursday, W. Drane was re-elected president, J. H. Cecil, secretary.

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.

Hon. J. W. Bennett has sent in his resignation as a member of the Oregon Democratic state central committee; also as chairman of the county committee. John A. Gray, or brown-or black-or saddle-color says "Old Billy Goat" of the Herald read him out. We were not aware that our "officiousness" was so influential.

Campaign Literature.

For free silver and Populist literature, anything you may want in this line send to W. E. Jones, 291 Alder street, Portland, Oregon.

Ex-Queen Emma of Samoa is now in Berlin on a visit to the exhibition, accompanied by her husband, who was formerly an officer of the German army.

Has It Come to This with the G. O. P.?

ED. HERALD: Ex-Attorney General Williams' speech at Portland, copied by the Coast Mail of Sept. 10th, makes this statement:

"All history and all experience show that the fiat of the government cannot fix the current value of money," and continues his argument from the standpoint that, so far as the values of money is concerned, there is a power that is so great in its nature that all forms of government become entirely secondary to it.

Our forefathers, then, must have been very much off their base when they declared that congress should have power to "regulate the value thereof," when they coined money. The word "anarchy" means without government, or a government without any power or authority behind it. That has been the history of this government under Republican rule even since the exception clause was first admitted in the greenback, and is one of the cardinal planks of the Republican platform today, that we are naught of ourselves, but must wait the authority that is greater than we are. And notwithstanding all the tariff talk, it is the main difference there is between the Bryan and the McKinley man of today, the Bryan man claiming that we are strong enough of ourselves as a government to be able to carry out and execute the letter and spirit of the constitution as intended and proclaimed by its framers, while the McKinley men publicly acknowledge that we are without power—impotent, and in a state of anarchy so far as our government having any force in that direction.

The question now before the people, and of more importance than all others, is: Do we have a government, or do we not? A government that is without sufficient potency to regulate and govern that which is of the greatest interest and importance to its own people is a very poor excuse of a government at least, and that is precisely the situation that the Republicans persistently insist our government is in, and are begging us to continue it in that form.

With all due respect for the grand old Republican party, for what good it may have done in the past; but there is much it has done that is today causing innocence to weep, industry to fall in poverty, virtue to hide her face in shame, and manhood fall to the level of a base paltroom. Notwithstanding the state of anarchy which has been foisted upon us by the Republican party, there are many who see that the fiat of the government is all right enough, and our money is all right enough, only where base and ingrate hands have struck it a deadly blow with the dagger of legislation that has caused it to stagger and fall by the wayside. And by legislation do we propose to restore it again to its proper place, and whoever worships gold more than government, let him take his place among all other heathen idolaters.

THOMAS BUCKMAN, Marshfield, Or., Sept. 12th, 1896.

In a Quandary as to Who Mr. A. Fact is

ED. HERALD—Dear Sir: Who is Mr. A. Fact—that we hear so much about, and what has he done? He has dared take the name of Rev. Dr. J. P. Easter in vain, or has he said something naughty about Father Walker, finance, protection and McKinley? Why these men are all right on protection and money—they know all about it. I heard them say so. More than that, they have posted Mr. McKinley on most all the important points, so he is all right too, and if he is not, B. M. Green can set him right on short notice. You see, Bart is posted, too.

And what does Mr. A. Fact mean by poking fun at our pencil-driver, Mr. Conner. What made him put that crooked mark between "independent" and "Enterprise" when writing his piece? Did he mean to insinuate that our editor is crooked?

If so, he is a liar, for he is straight—yes, straight goldbug, both in his paper and out, so you see he is all right, too. But if Mr. A. Fact keeps up his nonsense in that way, the silver men will become suspicious of the paper and the Enterprise, like the West Oregonian, will be compelled to take the road again in search of new subscribers.

And who in mercy's name is that young upstart in the Enterprise who signs himself "J. P. Easter," and tells us funny little stories about Dutch people and mules getting lost in Paradise? Well, he will wish himself lost in Paradise if people should mistake his non-de-plume for the signature of our Rev. J. P. Easter. He would sure have a hard luck story to tell, for Dock would use him rough. You know Dock is a regular shoulder-striker, backed up with a pension for injuries received in a—battle, or somewhere else.

Now I advise Mr. A. Fact to join the Salvation Army or something else to make him good. Let him try to be like Schiller Hermann, who is about the best boy in town. You never hear him talking politics and saying naughty things about his neighbors, besides he employs Capt. Walker, of company G. Captain is all right, too, and Schiller thinks the world of him. I reckon that Schiller would pay \$15 per month before he would let him go. Now captain is polite and accommodating,



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and good looking too. I would like to know what Mr. Fact has got against the captain or his company? Of course they will be at the polls in November, and they have got a right to be.

Now, I just tell you I don't like Mr. Fact. He is ugly and insulting and no gentleman, anyhow.

Thanking you for your kind attention, I remain, Yours, as ever, A. POLITICIAN.

Pearl Geer, the brilliant young secular orator, and a cousin of cartoonist Davenport, has come out strong for Bryan. He is a nephew of T. T. Geer, the tall fir pole of Marion.

Here is another straw from the country: In I. D. Miller's threshing crew there are 22 men, not one of whom is for McKinley, all being Bryan men. If there is a McKinley threshing crew in the country it is time they reported.

You'll Laugh IF YOU READ GROVER CLEVELAND ON A TRAMP.



THIS funny and instructive book tells in a most humorous way how the Angel of Liberty took Grover Cleveland from the White House in the dead of night, and left him, ragged and hungry, in Oklahoma City to tramp home. Grover's trials and tribulations as a tramp are most interestingly related, and his conversations with farmers and laborers seen about the silver question are very instructive.

EVERYBODY SHOULD READ IT. It contains 176 pages of laugh-provoking matter, and 49 full-page illustrations of Cleveland as a tramp.

Price, 25 Cents. For sale by all newsdealers, or send 25 cents for the book to the SILVER KNIGHT-WATCHMAN, 1420 New York avenue, Washington, D. C.

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W. W. GAGE, Sheriff of Coos county, Oregon.

The Y. P. S. C. Workers

Of Coos and Curry counties held their fifth convention in the Presbyterian church at Marshfield September 21 and 3d.

The officers of the convention being absent, Mrs. Meadows acted as chairman and A. L. Palmer as secretary pro tem.

The program was good and was carried out with promptness. The interest was good, but owing to some misunderstanding the delegation was small. Coquille City and Myrtle Point were not represented.

The delegates were royally entertained and I am sure they enjoyed themselves.

The officers for the next convention, to be held at Bandon, May 1897, were: President, M. C. Miller of Dora; vice-president, A. L. Palmer of Marshfield; secretary, Miss Kalona Scott of Bandon; treasurer, Mrs. Ora Maury of Coquille. M. C. M.

GENERAL NEWS.

GENERAL BLACK DECLINES.

Chicago, Sept. 8.—General John C. Black will probably issue a letter tomorrow declining the nomination for governor by the gold standard Democrats. The committees will select Judge Thomas A. Moran, William S. Forman or Henry Raab as a candidate.

WHERE IS THE FOOLKILLER?

Lanrol, Del., Sept. 8.—Mrs. Warren, a widow residing near Sharptown, in this county, has been reading about the New York prophet who predicted the world was to come to an end on Wednesday last. She became convinced that the prediction would be verified, and spent Monday and Tuesday distributing all her worldly goods to her neighbors, and on Wednesday she donned a white robe and sat on her front doorstep all day. The event failed to come off and on Thursday she made an effort to secure the return of her property but failed. She will bring suit in court to recover.

Execution Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Coos County on the 8th day of August, 1896, in favor of John Grimes, claimant, and against the property of John W. Webster, defendant, I did, on the 15th day of August, 1896, levy upon the property of said defendant, to-wit: 2 1/2 acres of land, lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, North Side, in section 2, and lots 4 and 5, North Side, lots 1, 2 and 3, South Side, in the said section 2, north range 13 west of Willamette Meridian, in Coos county, Oregon, and I will, ON SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1896, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of the said day, at the Courthouse door in the town of Empire City, Coos county, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, for cash, all right, title and interest which the said defendant, John W. Webster, had on the 5th day of May, 1896, or may at any time since have acquired in or to the above described real estate, or a sufficient quantity thereof to satisfy the sum of \$210.00 and interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the date of said execution, together with an attorney fee of \$30, costs taxed at \$10, and the costs of said execution. Dated August 12, 1896. W. W. GAGE, Sheriff of Coos county, Oregon.

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NOTICE is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution out of and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Coos County on the 10th day of August, 1896, in favor of John Golden, one of the defendants, and Louise Steinhart and Albert Dallenman, executors of the estate of W. Steinhart, deceased, plaintiffs, and against the property of W. G. Webster and Annie Webster, of the certain real property in said execution and hereinafter particularly described, or a sufficient quantity thereof to satisfy the demand of the said defendant, John Golden, to-wit: \$634.05, and also the demand of said plaintiffs, to-wit: \$1246.00, attorney fee and costs taxed at \$140.70, and also the costs of the said execution, I will, ON SATURDAY, THE 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1896, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Courthouse door in the town of Empire City, Coos county, state of Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, all right, title and interest which the said defendants, W. G. Webster and Annie Webster, or either of them had on the 25th day of June, 1896, or may at any time since have acquired in or to the north half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section seventeen (17), and the northeast quarter of the said section eighteen (18), all in township twenty-five (25), north of range eleven (11) west of the Willamette Meridian, situated in Coos county, Oregon, except and saving from said tract of land the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of the said section eighteen (18), township twenty-five (25) north of range eleven (11) west of the Willamette Meridian aforesaid. Dated August 12, 1896. W. W. GAGE, Sheriff of Coos county, Oregon.