

"IT CAN'T BE DID."

In a letter which appeared in the last issue of the Times, a "citizen" predicts the election of Mr. Bryan. "There is not much in platforms," he says. "But the thoughts of the common people are crystallized on the leaders and what they stand for." Mr. Bryan stands for free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1, but the Times correspondent says, "The currency question is settled. \* \* \* The bi-metallic system is firmly established in this country, and no party will ever dare to try to change it." Mr. Bryan stands against expansion, and yet this correspondent says, "Expansion is an established fact and the only question is, how shall we deal with these new possessions? If, as the Kansas City platform declares it is our duty to give to the Filipinos, first, a stable government," that covers the whole ground, as we can only do that in one way, and time will so fully disclose that way as to leave no difference of opinion." These are the paramount issues, "and if they are settled, it looks as if Mr. Bryan's chance for defeat was pretty well settled, too. Yes, the leader of the "crawfish" party is doomed to defeat, for as Hon. John Burnett said in a stirring letter which appeared in these columns last September: "The men who learned their democracy from Jefferson, Jackson and Benton will never march under the crawfish banner or endorse or adopt the old worn-out condemned garments of the old federal and whig parties, a narrow-gauge creed, born of fear and imbecility; a creed which has swamped every party which has adopted it.

"If Hoar, Atkinson and Boutwell and any other old ladies wish to organize a crawfish party I have no objections, but I don't want any in mine. It is the sentiment which opposed the war in 1812, in vindication of American ideas and sailors' rights. It is the same sentiment which opposed the war with Mexico and the acquisition of Texas, New Mexico and California but it was never labeled 'democracy' before.

"How can a man who marched under the proud banner of Polk, Dallas and Texas, 54-40 or fight 'crawfish'? It can't be did."

In an article concerning Mr. William Bryan, whom it describes as a "young and comparatively obscure man of scarcely forty years who has wrested without apparent effort the leadership of the greatest party that ever arose within christiandom from the stalwarts of long established national reputation and power and compelled them to follow without question or contest," the Eugene Guard says: "With the shadow of defeat upon him, unprecedented national conditions of opulence and ease to discredit his politics and his words he stands today the undisputed and peerless champion of probably more civilized and educated human beings than any ruler under the sun," and concludes with a fervor worthy of a camp-meeting exhorter: "Will the American people have him for their ruler?" Speaking from an humble place in this vast audience so boldly addressed in the above momentous question, we say decidedly "No." This is not done with any desire to be forward, but simply to relieve the suspense of the questioner. It is not the custom of "civilized and educated human beings" to call "young and comparatively obscure men of scarcely forty years," with "unprecedented national conditions of opulence and ease to discredit his politics and his words," to occupy the highest place in the nation.

In his reply to Senator Long's speech, formally notifying President McKinley of his renomination, the latter said: "The republican party was dedicated to freedom 44 years ago. It has been the party of liberty and emancipation from that hour, not of profession, but of performance. It broke the shackles of our million slaves and made them free, and to the party of Lincoln has come another supreme opportunity, which it has bravely met in the liberation of 10,000,000 of the human family from the yoke of imperialism."

The Kansas City platform was silent on the subject of civil service. But, perhaps, this was necessary in order to make Stevenson's nomination appear consistent.

David B. Hill continues to be considerable of a democrat.—Albany Democrat. Yes, he refused the vice-presidential nomination at Kansas City.

Last year's consular figures showed the number of foreigners in China to be 17,193; of this number 2,335 were Americans.

Knights of the Razor.

The Oregon State Barber's Commission, will hold a session in this city July 30th. This commission is acting in accordance with a law passed at the last session of the legislature licensing barbers in this state. Frank Maxon and possibly others will appear before the commission in this city.

Applicants will be examined on four subjects, as follows: "Sanitary Care of Barber Shop," "Mechanical Science," "Science of Shaving" and "Surgical Science."

Ten questions are asked on each subject, making a total of 40 questions which must be answered. They cover the ground thoroughly, and from the answers it is an easy matter to determine the subject's fitness to practice the profession of barbering.

Real Estate Transfers.

W O Heckart to W A Buchanan, 2 lots in Chase's Addition to Corvallis; consideration, \$50. C J Mulkey et al to G W Henkle interest in 103 acres Sec 35, T 11, S W; con, \$400. Elwood Divinell to W W Crowder, 12 acres in Linn county; con, \$600. Joshua Mason and wife to Martha J Fellie, 2 lots in Job's Addition; con, \$50. Monroe Pool et al to T J Huff, 80 acres; con, \$200. P J Stovall and husband to J I Taylor, 13 acres north of Corvallis; con, \$1,000. J I Taylor to P J Stovall, 80 acres near Philomath; con, \$1,000.

Broken lines of ladies', misses' and children's shoes and Oxfords at cost at Nolan & Callahan's.

Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there is money on hand at the county treasurer's office to pay all orders endorsed and marked "not paid for want of funds" up to and including those of November 30, 1899. Interest will be stopped on same from this date.

W. A. BUCHANAN, Treasurer of Benton Co., Or. Corvallis, July 14, 1900.

Ko-nut for sale at Zierolf's; more economical than lard.

Strayed

About May 10th, a gray mare, 12 years old; weight about 1300 pounds. Finder please report at this office, or return to O. A. Woods.

J. C. Kennedy, Roanoke, Tenn., says, "I cannot say too much for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. One box cured what they called an incurable ulcer on my jaw." Cures all piles and skin diseases. Look out for worthless imitations. Graham & Wells.

To Exchange.

Property in Corvallis and vicinity for Portland property. For particulars address Box 77, Portland, Oregon.

For Sale or Exchange.

Four lots, improved, in Avery's Add. to Corvallis, for sale; or will exchange for small stock ranch. For further particulars enquire of U. G. BERRY, Peoria, Oregon.

Milk Cows for Sale.

Two Jerseys, one Holstein, one Durham. For particulars address, J. H. EDWARDS, Dusty, Or.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Digests what you eat.

Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestive aid and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps, and all other results of imperfect digestion. Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co. Chicago. Graham & Wells.



CUTICURA RESOLVENT is so pure, sweet, and wholesome that all ages may take it with pleasure and benefit. Its mission is to cool and cleanse the blood in eczema and other torturing, disfiguring humors, rashes, and irritations, while warm baths with CUTICURA Soap cleanse the surface of crusts and scales, and gentle ointments with CUTICURA Ointment soothe itching, burning skin.

Shirt waists, crash skirts and crash suits at 20 per cent discount. Some men's suits at half-price at Miller's.

Ko-nut, the purest, sweetest, most healthful cooking material made; call for it at Zierolf's.

For Sale. Clean, bright stock of Ladies' Furnishing Goods and Fancy Goods. Address Box 415, Corvallis, Oregon.

Mid-Summer Reduction Sale. Shirt waists, crash skirts and crash suits at 20 per cent discount. Some men's suits at half-price at Miller's.

Jerseys for Sale. For Sale—One of the finest Jersey bulls, full blood, born last July, solid color, gentle and kind, will register in the A. J. C. C.

One very fine full-blood Jersey bull solid color, prominently marked, gentle and kind, born June 18, 1899. His mother tested 63 per cent butter fat. Will register in the P. C. C. C.

Two nice full-blood Jersey heifers, solid color, well marked, about 15 months old, gentle and kind, registered in the A. J. C. C. Parties wanting fine registered Jersey stock will miss a rare chance if they fail to investigate this opportunity to get fine Jerseys.

M. S. Woodcock, Corvallis, Ore.

"DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the finest pills I ever used."—D. J. Moore, Millbrook, Ala. They quickly cure all liver and bowel trouble. Graham & Wells.

New Train Service. The new train service on the Corvallis & Eastern should prove satisfactory to the citizens of Corvallis. The train now leaves Corvallis daily except Sunday at 6 a. m. and returning leaves Albany at 7:20 p. m., arriving in Corvallis at 8:05. It connects both ways with the Portland local at Albany, permitting the round trip to be made in a day giving six hours in Portland.

The easiest and most effective method of purifying the blood and invigorating the system is to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for cleansing the liver and bowels. Graham & Wells.

Persons desiring to locate on timber claims tributary to the C. & E. R. R. would do well to call on or correspond with the undersigned. There is a number of first-class timber claims to be taken up under the timber or homestead acts.

W. L. CLARK, Gates, Marion Co., Or. Locator.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Benton county, Oregon, administrator of the will annexed of the estate of Francis L. Such, deceased; and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers to the same at the residence of Thomas Daniels in Benton county, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

PERCY R. KELLY, Administrator. Kelly & Carl, Atty's for Administrator.

No. 4301. Report Of The Condition Of The First National Bank of Corvallis, at Corvallis, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, June 29, 1900.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital stock paid in, and various other financial figures.

For Sale. We have now on hand the finest and most complete stock of fish lumber and the best grade of flooring, rustic, etc., ever seen in Corvallis. Also cedar posts in any quantity. CORVALLIS SAWMILL COMPANY.

Magnolia Laundry. We respectfully solicit your patronage. Our agent will call at any address for laundry on Mondays and Tuesdays, and deliver on Saturdays. Strict attention given family washing. All work guaranteed first-class. Give us a trial. I. R. DANIEL, Agent.

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Wanted. Old cast iron of any kind. Farmers, we will pay you from one-fourth to one-half more for your iron than any junk dealer. We are ready to do repair work of any kind, at any time. Patronize us. Bring your old iron and get your money. THE FOUNDRY, Corvallis, Or.

After suffering from severe dyspepsia over 12 years and using many remedies without permanent good I finally took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much good I recommend it to everyone." writes J. E. Watkins, Clerk and Recorder, Chillicothe, Mo. It digests what you eat. Graham & Wells.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of July, 1900. E. A. CLARK, Notary Public for Oregon. CORRECT—ATTEST: JOHN WILES, C. E. MOORE, M. S. WOODCOCK, Directors.

..GREAT CLEARANCE SALE..

This month is supposed to be the dulllest month in the whole year. We propose to change the usual program and make it one of the liveliest. Commencing on Saturday, July 7th, we will inaugurate a stupendous Clearing Sale of

All Summer Goods

The first loss is the best loss; that is the principle we work on. If we carried over summer merchandise until next spring we would probably have to sell them at a loss then; we will take our loss now and sell regardless of cost

UNTIL AUGUST 1st

Remember this Great Reduction applies to Summer Goods only.

Nolan & Callahan LEADING CLOTHIERS. All Sales Strictly Cash.

Corvallis' Most Popular Eating House THE Pioneer Baker AND RESTAURANT. Fresh bread daily. A complete stock of candies, fruits and nuts kept constantly on hand. Smokers supplies a specialty. HODES & HALL, PROPRIETORS.

State Normal School Monmouth, Oregon. Fall Term Opens Sept. 18th. The students of the Normal School are prepared to take the State Certificate immediately. Graduates readily secure good positions. Expense of year from \$10 to \$100. Strong Academic and Professional courses. New Special Department in Manual Training. Well equipped Training Department.

TRY... FOR... Hodes Fresh Groceries FINE TEAS AND COFFEES PREVISIONS, NOTIONS, CIGARS CORVALLIS

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OREGON SHORT LINE RAILROAD THE DIRECT ROUTE TO Montana, Utah, Colorado and all Eastern Points. Gives choice of two favorite routes, via the Union Pacific Fast Mail Line, or the Rio Grande Scenic Lines. Look at the Time: 1 1/2 days to Salt Lake, 2 1/2 days to Denver, 3 1/2 days to Chicago, 4 1/2 days to New York.

Union Laundry Co., PORTLAND, OR. All white labor work guaranteed. Basket leaves on Tuesdays and arrives Saturdays. J. D. MANN, Agent, Second-Hand Store.

E. H. TAYLOR DENTIST. Dentistry of every description done in first class manner, and satisfaction guaranteed.

B. A. CATHEY, M. D. Physician & Surgeon. Office over Allen & Woodward's drugstore. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

A. STANDLEE, M. D. Physician, Surgeon, Obstetrician. Office at residence, 612 Madison street, and Graham & Wells drugstore. Office Hours: 9 to 12 a. m., at drugstore, 1 to 4 p. m., at residence.

Notice for Publication. UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, Oregon City, Oregon, June 12th, 1900. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

W. H. Mussar, Millheim, Pa., saved the life of his little girl by giving her One Minute Cough Cure when she was dying from croup. It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, grippe, asthma and all throat and lung trouble. Graham & Wells.

Notice of Executor's Sale of Real Property. To Whom It May Concern: By Virtue of an order of the county court of Marion county, Oregon, duly made and entered, the undersigned executor of the estate of Martha Jane Rice, deceased, late of Marion county, Oregon, will receive bids for the interest of said estate in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

Claim 34 in Township 11 south of range 5 west of the Willamette Meridian, beginning at the southeast corner of said claim, running thence north no degrees and 24 minutes west 69.90 chains; thence west 16.62 chains; thence south no degrees 23 minutes east 60.25 chains to the south boundary line of said claim; thence north 89 degrees 15 minutes east to the place of beginning, containing 100 acres of land situated in Benton county, Oregon.

Terms of sale to be cash in hand on the date of the confirmation of said sale by the said county court, and that from and after the 23rd day of June, 1900, that said executor shall proceed to sell said real estate at private sale; said bids to be addressed to my attorney, W. H. Holmes, at his office on Commercial Street, in Salem, Marion county, Oregon. The said bids will be received up to and including the 23rd day of June, 1900. MILES LEWIS, Executor of the Estate of C. J. Mulkey, Dec'd. Dated this 18th day of May, 1900.

Notice to Creditors. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the estate of Martha Jane Rice, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same duly verified to me at my residence in Kings Valley, Benton county, Oregon, or at the law office of E. H. Higate in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated this 22nd day of June, 1900. CHARLES E. RICE, Executor.

Table with columns: DEPART, TIME SCHEDULES, ARRIVE. Lists train routes and schedules for Southern Pacific Company.

PULLMAN AND TOURIST CARS on both trains. Chair cars Sacramento to Ogden and El Paso, and Tourist cars to Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and Washington.

See F. E. FARMER, agent a Corvallis station, or address C. H. MARKHAM, G. P. A., Portland, Or.

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