

The Monopoly Scheme.

[Respectfully dedicated to the Democratic National Convention.]

It's a very good scheme if it works, Mr. Gould. To have President, Judges and Congressmen pooled, to have all the laws made, and everything ruled for the millionaires, while the people are fooled.

You have the Republicans solid, 'tis true, with bold Jimmy Blaine and his magnetic crew, who shout for the many, but work for the few, making laws which force all to pay tribute to you.

And now, it is said, you have a nice plan by which Democrats hold to adopt a Gould man, so with best two in three you won't care. Which comes out about, both will bear the Gould ban.

The issue between the two parties is more marked than at any time in the history of our country, both by the selection of the candidates and the declaration of the principles which they represent.

Capital is directly arrayed against labor. The country has been drifting to this issue for many years. Concentrated capital has thronged the lobbies of our legislative halls, both state and national, and with her seductive influences has corrupted our legislators and secured special laws for her aggrandizement, and has by this means created monopolies that are more dangerous to the liberties of our people than an armed rebellion.

The Goulds, Vanderbilts, Huntingtons and Crockers, emboldened by their success and bloated with the possessions of their millions, wrung from honest toil, by unjust and discriminating laws assume to rule this country and dictate legislation, both state and national, for our people. It is for the people to say if they will longer submit to the dictation of these plutocrats, or assert their independence and manhood by hurling from power a party that has created and fostered these monopolies. It is within the memory of many men now living, when Astor and Vanderbilt were the only persons in the United States who could reckon their wealth by the million. Within the last twenty years millionaires have sprung up in every village and hamlet from the Atlantic to the Pacific, while the people, they have correspondingly grown poorer and poorer every year. Millions of persons are working to build up Vanderbilt's fortune which he uses to impoverish and oppress those who are building it up for him.

Right.

The position taken by our cotemporary of last week upon unjust discrimination as to the railroad system of freightage has the sound of good metal. We hope its republican subscribers will read and preserve its leader. The idea that Jackson and Josephson shippers should pay nearly double the amount paid per hundred by merchants of Yreka, Klamath and Linkville is most unjust, and in the language of the Plaindealer is "damnable." Legislators of Douglas county be as fair to the people as your organ would suggest. It is in your power to aid in redressing these grievances and it is your absolute duty to exercise that power in behalf of right and justice. In another place in his paper Brother Hurs pleases us. Speaking of the change in railroad management, he says: "The same officers that held under the Oregon and Transcontinental Company will retain their positions under the new management, and perhaps General Manager Koehler will not again have the effrontery to come into court claiming to have no connection with the management of the road in whatever capacity." Those are, and long have been our sentiments. Stick to these, brother, and when weary, rest upon our placid bosom, for there is no guile in us.

The "Blaine Grand March" is now out, but there has been a march for some years familiar to the public, which more directly suggests him and his history than this latest one. It is called "The Mulligan Guard."

Mr. Blaine didn't fight in the late war, but he led, nevertheless, led his country through a bounty jumper.

A Change Needed.

Every day the news is heralded by the telegraph of the defalcation of some Government employe who has got away with a large amount of Uncle Sam's money. To what extent this peculation has gone, and the amount of money that has been stolen from the public funds the people will never know, until there is a complete change in the Governmental affairs. Enough is known to show that the amount stolen from the various departments amounts to many millions of money annually. This does not rest so much from the fact that persons who are employed in the public offices are more dishonest than those in other walks of life, as it does from the system by which the public business is conducted; the opportunities for peculation and the disposition of those in high places to cover up and conceal these robberies, lest their party should suffer from their notoriety. In all the frauds and robberies which have been brought to light, the guilty parties have been shielded by those in high places. Grant pardoned the convicted whisky thieves who had fattened off the defrauded internal revenue. Hayes and his party covered up and concealed the star route thieves during his administration, and it was left for Arthur and those under him to render their conviction impossible; and it is now conclusively demonstrated that the administration connived at the escape of these criminals. It would not do to charge that Grant, Hayes and Arthur shared in any of the booty. Their action is only attributable to a desire to save their party from the contumely which would naturally attach to it from a conviction of their appointees. These facts show the necessity for a change in the administration of the public offices. The founders of our government had this in view when they provided for the recurring biennial and quadrennial elections. It is by frequent change in the offices that the greater number of our people become initiated in the mysteries of our Government. The greater the number of citizens familiar with the forms and administration of the Government, the safer will be our institutions. The people themselves are the parties directly interested in the protection of the public moneys; it is from their pockets it is taken for public uses, and they should see to it that it is applied for its legitimate purposes. The public fund can be better guarded and the public interests better subserved by frequent changes in the administration. The accounts of the outgoing officials will be closer scrutinized by those of the opposite political party than by those who are interested in covering up and concealing their own defalcations and shortcomings. If the people will but ignore party for the good of their country, and interest themselves in the welfare of the people, instead of this or that political party, peculation in office can and will be made odious and the offender more frequently brought to justice. The frequency with which we are made acquainted with these public robberies and defalcations shows the necessity for a change of administration.

Civil Service.

The present Republican administration is reforming the Civil service with a vengeance. Especially is this noticeable in the Postoffice Department. My dear Hubble's letters sink into insignificance compared with the present method adopted by it for extorting money from the employes to swell the corruption fund. Instead of notifying them by letter (which might get into print) and allowing the employe to contribute of his earnings or resign his position, as heretofore, the department waits until a month's salary is due and then deducts about twenty-five per cent. of the salary of each employe to swell the corruption fund. The boys on the various routes are then notified by the agent of the Government that they are to stand this imposition until after the presidential election or resign their places. Such is the beauty of the Civil Service Reform that the Republicans prate so loudly about.

Sheehan G. Blaine is what an ardent supporter, the Jewish Gazette of New York, calls the Republican candidate for President. Victory with such a name is worse than the bitterest kind of bitter defeat.

LOGAN is said to "swear like a pirate" when he gets mad. He will have a chance in November.

In respect to revenue reform the Democratic position is: Reformation, not revolution.

BISMARCK is agitated to learn that the American pig incarnate was let loose at Chicago.

What is the use to buy trees from strangers when you can secure a better character and quality from our fellow-citizen Tim Ford. He guarantees what he sells and he is here and if we find him false we can put our hands on him.

Logan's Last Vote.

Old though the saying, worn even through, it is nevertheless true that, "When the devil got sick, The devil a saint would be; Whenever the devil got well, The devil a saint was he." This is particularly the situation of Lo, the poor Logan. We have all watched the action of Congress for the past several years upon the Chinese question. We have observed that upon the different occasions it has been upon, the Democrats have stood squarely for the interests of white labor in the United States; just the opposite with the Republicans. Their Presidents have vetoed every remedial measure that has been suggested. Until the other day the Heathen Chinee never had a more ignorant, loud-mouthed, blatant champion than black Jack Logan who is running with Blaine for Vice President, an excited position for which he is utterly unworthy. What a change has come over the spirit of his dreams! On Friday last the Democrats in the Senate forced the Henley anti-Chinese bill to a vote. This bill is far more stringent than any ever presented, possessing every objectionable feature that Logan had boldly opposed and vituperatively reprobated. But when the roll was called and the letter L was approached Logan took a reef in his moustache, flung a full sail of hair to the breeze, and when his name was reached, in a voice that would have shivered the timbers in the wigwams of Sitting Bull, belted forth, "Yes!" About this time the devil was very sick and therefore sought the doctor. This is the Logan, the unchangeable, the undaunted, the fellow who is like unto the laws of the Medes and Persians, but he is awful sick. He seeks a cure in high preferment and once secure he can again cajole with his old friends from lands celestial, and laugh at the stupidity of the American voter. Out of respect for many intelligent Republicans we will cheerfully say that theirs is not a kangaroo ticket; the brains are in front and whenever it nods the head the ponderously haired tail wags complacently. Whilst Blaine is above medicine, he is not strong enough to pull along that caudal appendage. Poor Lo, the Indian, before he attains his present ambition will experience more pains and suffering than that war or women have.

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In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Douglas. In the matter of the estate of James Quinn, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED administrator of the estate of Jas. Quinn, deceased, has filed his final account of his administration of said estate in the County Court of Douglas county, State of Oregon. The said Court by an order duly made and entered thereon on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1884, appointed Monday, July 7, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the court room of said Court, in the court house in Roseburg, a time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said final account and the settlement of said estate. This notice is published by Hon. J. S. Fitzgerald, County Judge.

HENRY LANDERS, Executor.

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