The Times-Mountaineer

SATURDAY..... NOVEMBER 12, 1892

A PURE BALLOT.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Over 12,000,000 votes have been cast to-day in the United States for the different candidates for president, and before this hour the decision has been made as to who shall occupy the executive chair for the next four years. If the ballot were the honest expression of each individual elector the result to-day would also decide whether the greater number of American citizens endorse the policy of the Republican party, the free-trade tendencies of Democracy, the wild notions of the Populists, or the total inhibition of the liquor traffic as advocated by the Prohibitionists; but under the electoral college system, with the sway of unscrupulous politicians, who have reduced the manipulation of politics almost to an exact science, universal suffrage does not accomplish the end desired. With the Australian ballot system in operation in almost every state, an election approaches more nearly the object intended by the framers of the constitution than by the old plan, when every boisterous rowdy was granted the same rights to swagger and swear around the polling places as he who exercised the privilege of the elective franchise intelligently, conscientiously and for patriotic purposes. But while all must acknowledge the advancement made in our plan of voting, the fact is still apparent that perfection has not yet been reached. Perhaps it is too utopian for a man of practical sense to believe that in the history of free institutions that golden age will ever dawn upon this or any other country when the exercise of sovereignty by the people shall be untrammelled by extraneous influences; or, when men having selfish ends in view will not attempt by every device to accomplish their purpose, and this even by trampling under foot the sanctity of the ballot-box—the only safeguard of a free people. Absolute freedom and intelligence in the expression of citizens regarding the choice of candidates or measures may be unattainable; but, as in art, literature or scientific research, the model should be that which cannot be reached by any. Advancement has been made, and the people of the nineteenth century are much freer and honester than those of the eighteenth. May the twentieth still indicate progress in these regards, and the unattainable always be kept in view as a stimulus to greater efforts.

CONJECTURE.

From Thursday's Daily.

The result of the election to-day is difficult to conjecture because of a certain unknown quantity entering into the contest. This is the first election that a third party has been expected to possess the power to throw it into the house, and Democrats base their hopes upon this contingency. The states in which fusion has been promised will take electors from the Republican party; but with New York for Mr. Harrison, this may be overcome. It is pretty certain that Democrats will not cast their votes for Weaver's electors, and we apprehend that the Republican majority will be quite as large as it was in 1888, notwithstanding the uncertain factor that has entered into the campaign.

It is too early to state anything approaching certainty regarding the result; but indications are very favorable to Republicans for certain reasons. In 1872 the national Democracy nominated Horace Greeley, and he was defeated by an overwhelming majority, because the rank and file of the party would not support a man who had been their avowed enemy for long years. We believe the same will be true regarding Mr. Weaver in 1892, who has said as many unpalatable things regarding Democracy as ever Mr. Greeley did. It was a mistake with Mr. Harrity, of New York, and Mr. Murphy, of Oregon, to attempt, by this movement, to elect Mr. Cleveland. Democratic voters are independent, and will not tolerate bossism even from the national or state managers of the campaign. Our observation in the past has inclined us to the belief that there is less deviating from party candidates in Democratic ballots than in Republican, and on this we think it will be true that when the electoral college convenes a majority of the votes will be for Benjamin Harrison; and that Democracy will ascertain the fact that it made a mistake when the votes are counted to-day.

DEMOCRATIC DAY.

Speeches Made by Judge O'Day and Judge Bennett on Tariff Issues, etc.

From Saturday's Daily.

The court house was full last night to listen to Democratic speeches, and some enthusiasm was manifested. Several tunes were played by The Dalles band, and this had the effect of instilling a degree of courage into the hearts of despondent Democrats.

The first speaker was Judge O'Day, who is a fluent talker, and had many humorous anecdotes to relate. He acknowledged the country was prosperous; but considered it due to the beneficence of God Almighty and the manhood of American men and womanhood of American women. The McKinley bill had nothing to with it. From this one would infer that the judge considered it not a matter of any importance who was elected president, God Almighty would still deal kindly with the people while American manhood and American womanhood remained the same, and the Democratic talk about plutocracy and the robber-tariff is all bosh.

Judge Bennett was then introduced, and after a few prefatory remarks said it was not to be presumed that 30,000,000 citizens would be willing to turn over the country to Great Britian. He was a little mistaken in his figures, because there were only 11,384,937 votes cast in 1888, of which Cleveland received 5,538,421, and we do not believe that 6,000,000 Democrats have been made every year since that date. As regards Democratic free-trade being in harmony with England's policy it is only necessary to refer to the editorials in all the leading papers in Great Britain endorsing the plank in the Chicago platform and wishing success to the Democratic party. He said that home consumption of products was illustrated by an old-fashioned family of ten consuming 950 bushels of grain raised on the father's farm, and that he rear enough more children to eat up the remaining 50 of his 1000 bushel harvest. This requires no answer whatever, for the illustration is not in the least applicable to the doctrine of home markets as advocated by the Republican party. If The Dalles had factories—except the old shoe factory at North Dalles—he would be in favor of the theory that producers would find a better market here for vegetables, eggs and butter than elsewhere; but as he never expected to see any manufacturing industries in this city he could see no benefit in protection in this community. The judge knows that there are 65,000,000 people in the United States, and only about 4000 at The Dalles, and that the benefit to the many should be a higher consideration than benefit to the few; that in the state of Oregon there are nearly 400,000, and there are many industries in operation which are interested in protection; that in a few years there is good reason to believe there will be factories here which, according to his idea, will be largely concerned in the tariff, and also that the millions of pounds of wool handled every season at our warehouses are affected by the duty on imported wools. The judge implied that he was a protectionist, and we have no doubt he is; but he has to keep in line this year with the Chicago platform.

While we believe in giving proper weight to all opposing arguments, we cannot conceive how any man could feel himself strengthened in British free trade by the speeches made last night. There was a remarkable lack of facts or figures, and as these gentlemen are able exponents of Democratic doctrines, we are warranted in stating that the party has no solid position with thinking men in this campaign.

The Election.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The Dalles does not present such a scene of intense excitement to-day as if a full list of state and county officials were voted for at the same time as the president of the United States; but last June our electors expressed their choice for these minor officials, and to-day they exercise the right of suffrage for electors of the chief executive of the nation. For this reason the contest is rid of that personal preferences for neighbors and friends which animates state, county and municipal elections.

The day opened pleasant and agreeable, and citizens began to congregate on street corners and the polling places at an early hour. As soon as the booths were put in position and the polls opened a few cast their ballots, and this continued until the afternoon, when clerks were kept busy registering names.

Democrats did not work with the same ardor as formerly, and on the faces of many were seen the same expression as we would picture on the countenance of one in the ranks of a forlorn hope. Some said Weaver is a bitter pill; but if Cleve and Steve can be elected by such a dose, we suppose we must shut our eyes and gulp it down. But these were few, and a large majority indicated that desolate condition where "Hope deferred maketh the heart sick." One Democrat on being told that Harrison would be elected said he hoped so; but talked differently. We expect he voted in unison with his hopes.

The Populists were jovial and active, and said that as they had captured the Democratic party without an effort they thought they could get an inroad into the serried ranks of the Republicans. Some of their speakers occupied street corners, and harangued crowds in favor of fiat money. Their mission was with Repubs. and Prohis., but the Dems. were theirs, according to Harrity and Murphy.

At 4 o'clock the vote stood in the different precincts: Bigelow, 200; Trevitt, 220; East Dalles, 194; West Dalles, 73. Total, 767. By the time the polls closed this was increased, perhaps to 900. This shows a light vote, and can be accounted for because of the apathy of Democrats, who manifested little interest and did little work. Republicans were active, and every vote was counted.

To-night the center of interest will be at the Umatilla House, where bulletins will be received every half-hour, and they will undoubtedly be joyful for Republicans.

Highway Robbery.

East Oregonian.

Frank Spike, the livery stable man who removed to Pendleton recently from Echo, wears a badly damaged head, the top of his dome of thought being severely contused. The injury was inflicted the other day by some blunt instrument used by two unknown assailants. Mr. Spike was returning in a light wagon from Echo and at a point about five miles this side of that place stopped his team to watch a passing train. He paid no attention to two men who were standing near, but was made aware of their presence by a blow on the head, which knocked him from his seat. When he recovered consciousness he was lying under the horses' feet with the lines wrapped around his arm. Some small change, about $2 in silver, was missing from one of his pantaloons pockets, but considerable money in the other pocket remained, and his watch also was untouched. His opinion is that the robbers believed him dead, and becoming frightened over their crime, left without taking time to search him thoroughly. He arose, drove to Pendleton and is now able to attend to work.

Hon. G. M. Irwin's Speech.

The speech Saturday night by Hon. G. M. Irwin was one of the best delivered during the campaign. He is a logical debater, and went over the whole ground covered in the canvas with convincing arguments. Protection was explained so thoroughly that any school-boy could understand it, and the arguments produced were of the most convincing kind. On the monetary question he was thorough, and the state banking system advocated by Democrats was shown to be fallacious by apt illustrations of the wild cat banking system formerly in operation before the war. Throughout the entire address the strictest attention was paid, and frequently his remarks were applauded. The speech was highly complimented by all present, as being a thorough and critical presentation of the issues in the campaign, and devoid of anything which would have the least tendency towards sophistry or duplicity. Mr. Irwin made many friends in the city, who will be glad to hear him on any future occasion.

A Relic of the Long Ago.

Statesman.

Hidden away in the musty archives of the state of Oregon is a long, curious looking tin box that contains a 38-caliber Colts revolver, very large and heavy, a bowie knife made from a butcher knife, two pair of bullet moulds, two ramrods and a belt. They are old and rusty, but they are prized as relics of Oregon's early history when Indians were on the warpath and settlers lives were in danger.

In 1887 this historic arsenal was presented to the state of Oregon through Secretary of State McBride and since then it has lain undisturbed in the state house.

The articles were the property of H. C. Paige when he made himself famous by a desperate conflict with a band of Indians in September, 1866. He was messenger for Wells, Fargo & Co., and was guarding the company's treasure box which was being carried by stage from Canyon City to The Dalles. H. H. Wheeler was driver of the coach and it was near Alkali Flat. There were no passengers and the two were slowly jogging along a very hilly portion of the road, when suddenly sixteen Indians on horseback made a dash for the coach, firing as they approached. Paige sprang to the ground and single-handed engaged the savages. So rapid and effective was his fire that three of the Indians fell from their horses and the remainder scattered in flight.

But they soon rallied and surrounded the doomed stage. Meantime Wheeler received a bullet near the corner of his mouth which passed entirely through his cheeks. It was impossible to drive faster than a walk, so rough was the road, so Paige and Wheeler unhitched the two lead horses, mounted them and left the scene to the mercy of the Indians. Amidst a volley of bullets they escaped to the nearest station and thence to The Dalles.

Paige was well known throughout the northwest in those days as a cool-headed man who knew no fear and who was always equal to an emergency. In October immediately following the event Governor Woods made this occurrence the subject of a special message to the legislature.

Mr. Paige is living in Eastern Oregon now, but he leads a quiet and secluded life and refuses to talk of his brave actions or his valuable connection with the early settlement of the state.

On the Trail.

Forest Journal.

Deputy Sheriff Morgan, of Portland, and Sheriff Leslie, of Sherman county, were in town Sunday last looking for murderer Wolf. There is now little doubt that they are on the right track. Morgan traced his man over the Barlow route to a stopping place on the summit where Wolf stayed over night and paid his lodging with an order of 75 cents on one of a party of hunters, who, he said, were coming along that way, signing the order "George Smith." Wolf had a peculiar way of making his capital letters, also his figures, and Morgan having secured a sample of the murderer's handwriting, in Portland, compared it with the order and found them to tally in every particular. Wolf stole a stud horse belonging to Jas. Abbott, of Tygh Ridge, and mounted bareback on this steed he passed through Moro and Grass Valley. He crossed the John Day at Esau, where he discarded the horse and struck across the country afoot, crossing Ferry Canyon and Thirty-mile, without touching at Condon. He reached Mayville on the morning of Saturday, October 22d, and purchased a box of sardines there upon which he breakfasted. He came on to Fossil the same day, and dined here on a box of sardines. He stayed about an hour in Anderton's saloon, speaking to no one, and several men who scanned him closely while in the saloon have, since seeing the photo and description sent out by Sheriff Kelly, recognized him as the original. They all agree on the resemblance, which is close except that Wolf looks thinner in the face than his picture, which he naturally would after ten days of hardship and brooding over his crime. He inquired the way to Mitchell of Charles Branson, and announced his intention of going to that place. He ate dinner at George Hamilton's, at the head of Pine Creek, and that was the last seen of him. Sheriffs Leslie and Morgan followed the trail as far as Mr. Hamilton's, reaching there one week later than the murderer. The officers went on to Mitchell and ascertained that the fugitive had not been seen in that locality, whereupon they retraced their steps and yesterday were scouring the Haystack country. They are confident that they are after the right man, and think he is hiding somewhere along the rough banks of the river. Wolf appeared to be sick when in Fossil, and Sheriff Leslie is of opinion that he is by this time too ill to travel.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Died of His Wounds.

GARFIELD, Nov. 7.—Langford Summers, who was fatally injured Saturday afternoon by a gang of roughs, died at 6:30 this morning. Hill, the murderer, is still at large. Citizens have offered a reward of $500 for his arrest. Sammie McCown, Charles McCown and C. H. Payne, three of the gang arrested Saturday for complicity in the matter, were taken before Justice Patuson at Colfax this afternoon. They were formally charged with the crime of murder in the first degree and committed to the county jail without bail.

Lynched by a Mob.

MERIDAN, Miss., Nov. 7.—James Tolbert, father of the Tolbert boys, who have long been a terror and disgrace to this section, was last night taken from the guards near Fort Stephens and lynched by a mob. Charlie Tolbert, the eldest son, is in custody and may escape mob violence. Tom Tolbert and his youngest brother, Walter, escaped after shooting Tom Cole and are at large, though armed posses with bloodhounds are scouring the swamps, and their capture is only a question of time.

Oregon for Weaver.

Portland Telegram.

"OREGON MUST BE CARRIED FOR WEAVER."

This is the imperative, peremptory order received last night from the national Democratic committee.

Oregon must be carried for Weaver. This is positively necessary to secure the election of Cleveland.

The issue presents itself squarely: Oregon must be carried for Weaver if Cleveland is to be elected.

The duty of Democrats is plain. It cannot be evaded. It must not be shirked. Oregon must be carried for Weaver.

A dispatch was received by Chairman Murphy last night from Chairman Harrity, of the national committee, that Oregon must be carried for Weaver to assure the election of Cleveland.

A conference of leading Democrats was called, and the unanimous decision reached was that Oregon must be carried for Weaver, and it will be done, if individual work and personal effort will do it.

Death of an Old Pioneer.

Statesman, Nov. 3d: John Picard, known to every man in Walla Walla, died yesterday at 5 o'clock, at his residence on Poplar street. Although he had only been seriously ill for about five days, he had been ailing for over two years. He was able, however, to always attend to his business until taken down with an attack of pneumonia one day last week. Mr. Picard was born in Loraine, France, and was 58 years of age. He came to the coast in 1855 as a member of Col. Wright's regiment. In 1861 he received his discharge and settled in Walla Walla valley. He engaged in the undertaking business which he has conducted ever since, and in 1885 was elected councilman from the Second ward, re-elected in 1887 and again in 1890. He had many fine qualities and a legion of firm friends, many of whom called to see him in his dying hour. He leaves a wife and five children

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Legal Notices.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco.

J. L. Story, plaintiff, vs. George Gardiner, defendant.

To George Gardiner, defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county; or if served within any other county in this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; and if served upon you by publication, then by the first day of the next regular term of this court, to-wit: Monday, the 14th day of November, 1892. The defendant will take notice that if he fails to appear or answer as above required, the plaintiff will take judgment against him for the sum of $250, and interest thereon at the legal rate from the 1st day of July, 1887, and for the further sum of $22, and interest thereon at the legal rate from June 1, 1890, and the further sum of $30, and interest thereon at the legal rate from June 1, 1891; and for his costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the above entitled court, made at chambers in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, on the 30th day of September, 1892.

J. L. STORY,
oct1 Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco.

Anna A. Greenwood, plaintiff, vs. Jno. S. Greenwood, defendant. } Summons.

To John S. Greenwood, defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause and court, on or before the first day of the next term of the said court, to-wit: on or before the fourteenth day of November, 1892; and if you fail to so appear or answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the said court for the relief prayed for in her complaint, to-wit: to dissolve the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant; that plaintiff be restored her maiden name, and for such other and further relief as to the court shall seem reasonable and just.

This summons is published pursuant to an order made by Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the above entitled court, on this 30th day of September, 1892.

C. P. HEALD,
oct1 Attorney for Plaintiff.

FOR SALE.

STOCK RANCH AT AUCTION. The undersigned, as administrator of the estate of A. Finlayson, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction, at Prineville, Crook county, Oregon, on October 15, 1892, at 1 o'clock P. M., the desirable property known as the "Nye ranch," situated in the Crooked River valley, about 24 miles from Prineville, the county seat of Crook county, and on the stage road from Prineville to Burns. The ranch consists of 800 acres of deeded land, besides some wagon road and other entered land held under lease, and is taken so as to control the waters of Horse Haven creek for a distance of 5 miles. Besides this, Crooked river runs through the land, affording a never-failing water supply for all purposes. There are about 250 acres under cultivation, 75 of which are in alfalfa and under irrigation, and about 400 acres enclosed. There is also a good sheep-dipping station, with boilers, tanks, etc., and a number of good cabins and corrals used in the sheep business. There are best 60 tons of good grain and alfalfa hay, besides miscellaneous effects, all of which will be sold with the place; also will go with the place all the right to the outside range connected therewith, and sufficient to run from 5000 to 10,000 sheep and 150 head of cattle. The surveyed line of the Oregon Pacific railroad passes within 25 miles of the place, and as soon as completed the property will more than double in value. Terms of sale—One-half cash; balance in three (3) annual payments, with interest and security on the ranch. JOSEPH MACEACHERN.
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Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have been appointed by the Honorable County Court of Wasco county, Oregon, at the October term thereof, A. D. 1892, sole executor of the last will and testament of W. McD. Lewis, late of said county and state. All persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them to me, properly verified, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Such claims to be presented at The Dalles National Bank, in The Dalles, Oregon. Z. F. MOODY,
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