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## WASHINGTON.

### Movement of the Farmers' Alliance.

#### UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT

The National Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry, through its successor, the Farmers' Alliance, has

WASHINGTON, May 29, 1891.

#### EDITOR OREGON SCOUT:—

A very prominent member of the farmers' alliance, who does not wish to be named at this time, writes me that there seems to be a general impression as to the connection of the farmers' alliance, particularly its Southern members, with the third party movement, a movement which is as yet entirely dependent upon contingencies. It has been stated and restated that the Southern members of our organization could be relied upon to support the nominee of the democratic party in the presidential election. Now I want to say that if Mr. Cleveland or any other man who represents what we consider the Wall Street ideas of finance is nominated by the democrats that he cannot carry four of the Southern States to save his life. One of the principal demands of the alliance is free silver, and unless the democratic party nominates a man friendly to that idea you will see the electoral votes of eight or ten of the Southern States cast for the nominee of a third party. The success of this whole third party business is dependent upon the action of the old parties; should one or both of them show a reasonable disposition to be fair towards the demands of the alliance, the alliance as a body will not enter the third party movement, but if Harrison and Cleveland are to be the nominees of the old parties we will go into the fight. I honestly believe that we can win against those two men."

Representative Jerry Simpson proposes making a free trade canvas of Ohio against McKinley. Mr. Simpson is doing this on his individual responsibility, the alliance never having gone so far as to endorse free trade.

Not for years has so many important cases decided at a single term of the United States supreme court as at the one which closed early this week. The entire number of cases disposed of was 617, and among them were decisions affirming the right of States to tax the cars of the Pullman Palace Car Company and the lines of the Western Union Telegraph Company (It is gratifying to know that we have one legal tribunal which does not fear the wrath of wealthy monopolistic corporations); the legality of the sentences of the murderers in New York who are to be electrocuted, and the constitutionality of the Original-package act, which it will be remembered was passed by the last congress.

An address issued by the legislative committee of the National Grange of the Patrons of Husbandry this week has excited much interest in political circles. It says in part: "The legislation sought must wait until the farmers learn to send fighting and faithful friends to represent their interests in congress. Friends without courage and push are only in the way where reforms are sought. \* \* \* The farmers may be slow (too slow) in starting into a campaign in their own defense, but once the battle commences they will never give up the struggle until the right prevails. When congress again assembles the farmers will pitch their tents alongside the capitol and renew the contest. The next congress, we feel assured, will have more men who have practical knowledge of the needs of agriculture, and we confidently hope that much wise and just legislation will result from their efforts. \* \* \* It is not the fault of your committee nor your fault that we have not succeeded in all our efforts, and we sincerely trust that our successors may be as ably supported. We desire to say that very much depends upon having a man in the speaker's chair who is ever and at all times the friend of agriculture; he can do more for or against our cause than any other ten men in congress. The farmers should, therefore, use their influence to secure a favor-

able man as speaker of the next house."

It seems to have been settled that Commissioner of Pensions Ramm will have to go as soon as his successor can be found, and it is now thought he has been found in the person of First Deputy Commissioner Davidson, a New Yorker, who is understood to have heavy political backing. It is a thankless position at best, and any man will do well to think twice before accepting it.

Our policy in Behring Sea this year has at last been determined by the cabinet and Mr. Harrison, after several prolonged sittings, and sailing instructions have been telegraphed to the revenue cutters, Rush and Bear. It is believed that it is the same old pretend to do something, but in reality do nothing policy that amused the rest of the world last year. Nothing definite has yet been heard from Lord Salisbury as to Mr. Blaine's proposition for a closed season, but it would be too late to enforce it now anyway.  
J. H. C.

#### FROM EAGLE VALLEY.

EAGLE VALLEY, June 2, 1891.

**EDITOR SCOUT:—**I will give you some of the news, as I have not seen anything from this section for some time.

I see some of the Spartans in the valley.

Mr. P. Basche, of Baker City, has been in the valley on business.

Miss Nellie Beck is sick with fever. Dr. O'Connor, of Pine valley, is attending her.

Capt. Craig and Joseph Beck attended the memorial services at Baker City last week.

Mr. Ben Longley returned last night from Baker City where he has been on business.

The widow Lloyd, of Pine valley, has been visiting her son-in-law, A. Parker, of this place.

Mr. W. E. Barber's band of sheep averaged 10 lbs. to the head. Who can beat that? There are some bands to shear yet.

Mr. John Frazier has just got home from the sheep shearing camp where he has been superintending the shearing of his herds.

E. and A. Moody have just returned from Baker City with a new cart. Look out, girls, for a ride, for the boys are both good, jolly fellows.

There are some tenderfeet in the valley, late of Missouri. They want land, but think it pretty high. They don't stop to think what they can raise on it.

Land is selling high, but W. W. Kirby has a small farm for sale at a low price. It is a fine place, with good orchard, plenty of vegetables and small fruits, plenty of water and timber. For further information call on or address W. W. Kirby, New Bridge, Oregon.

I will say, old Eagle is on top yet. We have the best crops here that ever grew in Oregon. The hay crop is very heavy and grain is looking fine. We will commence cutting the first crop of alfalfa in a few days. There will be three good crops raised here this season—plenty for all and will be sold cheap.

The leading men of Huntington were in the valley a few days ago on the road business. They say they will build a good road from Huntington to Eagle valley. That may do very well, but Baker has been talking road a long time. I don't know yet what they will do. There is one thing certain, the farmers of Eagle and Pine valleys are going to have a road to travel out in the winter, and not through a snow bank. Give us our rights in regard to public donations. Union county has given some donations to this section, but we will have a road up Powder river or Snake river. Give us good roads. There is one thing, the people of this section are not altogether satisfied about the way some of the money has been spent on roads in Union county. All we want is fair play, and that we will have, for Eagle and Pine valleys unite, regardless of politics in this matter and look after the best man. We know that we have the ruling vote in Union county and will be on hand at the next election day, and we will work hard for the best man.  
K.

## COVE CULLINGS.

### An Epitome of the Village Happenings.

#### COLLAR FACTORY ESTABLISHED.

The Fruit Crop Consolidation of Upper and Lower Cove—Baseball Game Sunday.

Cove, Oregon, June 10, 1891.

Some of the boys have a fondness for Union of late.

The Cove is the place for excursionists. Quite a number were here last Sunday.

Daniel Connor, a brother of Mrs. Jacob Hildebrand, arrived here from Iowa last Thursday.

The present condition of crops in this place is very good, yet considerable of the fruit is falling from the trees. J. M. Selder is preparing to build an immense barn. We dare not give the dimensions for fear of being disputed.

Quite a few herds of cattle have been driven to the Minam range this week. The herders report considerable snow in that region yet.

The alliance is about to consolidate the Upper and Lower Cove into one mass. If it succeeds, we will be about the 41st city in Oregon. How is that, Mr. Portland?

Mr. B. T. Cravins, brother of J. M., one of the old pioneers, arrived a few days ago from Barnet, Mo. They have not seen each other for thirty-six years.

J. E. Hough has contracted for most of the strawberries in the Cove, and there will be plenty by the first of next week. He expects to dispose of them in La Grande.

The new horse collar factory will be in running order next week. The new machinery is on the way and the collar maker, Mr. Faber, of Portland, has made arrangements to run it to the very best advantage and fullest capacity.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McDaniel and daughter, Mr. A. J. Foster, Miss Dora Foster, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith and the Misses Pearl and Edna Payne started to Portland Monday morning. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

We are requested to extend an invitation to all baseball nines in the valley to play at any time, especially the High valley nine for next Sunday. The game last Sunday resulted in 63 to 37 home runs in favor of the Scrubs, the Mullers being whipped.

The summer school is progressing nicely and now is the time to arrange for the fall and winter term. Some improvements were talked off last spring, that is enlarging our buildings and connecting the two nearest districts. All know the advantage and necessity of the best school facilities; it is not wise to delay in improving them.

#### PARK PICKINGS.

Park, June 8, 1891.

School will be out in three weeks.

Wm. Vanorder has a brand new cart. Oh girls, he feels for your welfare!

John and Don were after some of the funny tribe yesterday, and lost their hooks.

The members of the alliance of the Park went down to the Big creek lodge Saturday.

Crops in Park look very well, considering the weather. Rye is rather short, but other grain looks favorable.

Poppy, of Powder river, got hurt by a horse yesterday at Sunday school at Big creek. I did not learn the particulars.

The word has got out that the Park is going to have a picnic on the Fourth, but it is not so understood in the Park.

The saw mill is on the run. Yet you might think it a coward in running, but come and see how fast Mose has to ride to get the lumber out to the piles.

A large band of sheep passed through the Park yesterday, with more to come. Gus Pierce was foreman. They are on the way to British Columbia. Go right along, Gus. Get them over the line.

Mr. W. T. Martin, our road supervisor, has been having some nice work done on the roads. Bill is a good one on the roads.

Health is generally good, but Grandma Van is poorly; but old age has something to do with her health, and so has patent medicines.

There is a bear hunter who comes to the Park once in a while, who has a knack of catching bears and taming them right away, so that they are perfectly tame and harmless.

The weather has been rather cool for weeks, without much rain, but this morning it started in with snow and then settled down to rain, and at 10 o'clock it is raining nicely.

Molke had his funeral preached on the 21st of May for some of his smartness. So he has gone the way of all those that, but they had to send off to get the one to preach his funeral.

While Miss Kennedy was out riding some time ago the horse jumped to one side to avoid being kicked, causing her to fall off and get her ear hurt; and now she wants to sell all of the horse tribe.

Mr. Enoch South was out some fine ago looking for horses and came across a young colt entirely alone and nearly starved to death. It was walking around a tree and could not be induced to leave, so he took the wagon and after hard work got the colt home, and is now raising it by hand.

Grandma Shaw, James Wade and Grandma Wisdom started for Salem. Mrs. Shaw and Mr. Wade returned, but Mr. Wisdom went down to be buried in the old family graveyard. He thought he was not long for this world and wanted to be buried among his friends. He has passed his three score and ten years.

George South, while driving the mill team around to get his load of lumber, met with quite an accident. The mules became frightened and started to run, which scared the horses and the seat fell off and threw George off. The hind wheel of the wagon ran over his thigh and it is thought fractured the bone. That is what the mule does. No thoroughly civilized man will own a mule. So say I.

Rev. Barger preached the funeral sermon of James Wisdom's boys on the 31st of May. The text was: "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; he that believeth not shall be damned." It hit some. When a man preaches that God never made a liar or a bad man, he is off his case. If God made man, as the Methodist catechism says, he made him with all of his faults. Our preacher of the 31st said: "A man makes himself a bad man and a liar." Did the natural born idiot make himself so? Did the negro make his hide black? Mr. Fowler, you might as well stop writing on phrenology, for you are wrong according to Barger. Does the child, one or two years old, make itself love whiskey? Does a child make itself a natural born thief? Such is the case. There is no doubt of such being demonstrated to a certainty. He said that a man could believe anything he wanted to. He said that Prof. Lang, of Germany, believed that the sun was a great bank of ice. That settled it. A man could believe anything he wanted to. Why was not Barger a Catholic, or Baptist, or some other denomination? Why simply because he could not believe the doctrine. Policy goes a good ways sometimes.  
JAYNE.

**MEDICAL SPRINGS.**  
MEDICAL SPRINGS, June 4, 1891.  
Lots of dry weather. Grain burning up.  
I understand that Dunham Wright is going to give a grand ball the Fourth of July.

Miss M. P. thinks she won't get any more free rides on the stage since L. F. flew the track.

A basket meeting was held at the Park school house last Sunday. Quite a number were present.

Work has commenced on the road, beginning at Jim Sams' place, intersecting with the Sanger road above Mr. Parker's place.

The school ma'ams from Antelope visit Big creek frequently. Come again girls; you are lively. We like to see you on our streets.

John Wilson was seen traveling up and down the road a few days ago, packing a board. Being asked what he was going to do with the board, he replied: "I am going to build an office."  
X. Y. Z.