



IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR RESULTS place your advertisements in the GAZETTE. THE BROWN CASE. The case begun by Rev. Brown, of San Francisco, says the Salem Journal, to send Mrs. Davidson to San Quentin prison for extracting \$500 from him to silence a Mrs. Baddin, is still dragging along.

EX-GOVERNOR FORAKER has been elected U. S. senator from Ohio. FRANK J. CANNON and Arthur Brown have received the republican caucus nomination for U. S. senators from Utah. A CALIFORNIA woman has given birth to three sets of triplets—nine in all. California is sustaining her reputation for having a very prolific climate.

GOVERNOR MCKINLEY and wife celebrated their silver wedding last week in the little cottage at Canton, Ohio, where they began their married life and have always lived. THE Muir-Hume election contest in Portland ended, as was anticipated, in favor of Mr. Hume, who gained twenty-five votes on the recount. The case is an outgrowth of the election two years ago. SOMEBODY asked Levi P. Morton how old a statesman would have to be before he lost his ambition for the presidency, and the old man replied that his interrogator would have to ask somebody older than he.

AS WILL be seen by a report elsewhere in this issue the populist state convention will be held in Salem, Feb. 22nd, at which time the party has declared its intention of putting a straight ticket in the field. MANY divorces have taken place from a combination of bad cooking and worse piano playing. A man may be able to stand bad cooking, but he cannot stand bad music and remain a Christian.—Salem Journal. SENATOR MITCHELL in an interview with the Nicaragua canal, said: "I am in favor of the construction of the canal under American control, whatever may be the cost and however great the obstacles may be that are in the way."

THE OREGON Railway and Navigation Co., is soon to be reorganized when the property will pass from the power of the courts to the control of a general manager. Mr. McNeill, the present receiver, has shown himself to be the right man in the right place, and should, and no doubt will be selected as the general manager. Oregonians are all glad to hear of the successful settlement of this company's business affairs. CONGRESSMAN GODFREY HUNTER and Senator Blackburn have each received the caucus nomination for senator of the republican and democratic forces, respectively, down in Kentucky. The legislature had been a tie between these two parties with 68 votes each, while the populists held the balance of power with two votes. However, the death of Isaac Wilson, a democratic representative, on last Saturday night, just after the caucus, broke the tie, and as the populists will now support Hunter he will probably be elected. But the democrats have not yet given up hope and if possible will present a joint ballot until after the vacancy has been filled.

AGAINST FUSION. The Populists will not lose in the Campaign This Year. The Gazette has been kindly requested to publish the following for the benefit of our populist readers which comes from W. H. Spangh, chairman of the state central committee of the populist party of Oregon. The communication explains itself: HARRISBURG, Or., Jan. 13, 1896. TO THE EDITOR:—The following is the result of the sixty letters of inquiry sent out to county chairmen and other prominent populists throughout the state as to platform, time and place of holding state convention. This report includes the vote of 24 county chairmen: In favor of single plank platform....6 Opposed to single plank platform....48 In favor of holding state convention February 22.....36 In favor of holding state convention in March.....8 In favor of holding state convention in April.....10 Vote on place for holding state convention: Portland.....7 Oregon City.....10 Salem.....20 Albany.....4 The Dalles.....2 No choice.....11 In view of the above popular expression, I feel justified in calling the convention for February 22, to meet at Salem. I would urge populists in every county to oppose fusion with any party, and delegates should be pledged to represent the popular sentiment. By a strict adherence to principle alone can we hope to succeed. W. H. SPANGH, Chairman State Central Committee. It will be seen from the above that the date of the populist state convention has been fixed at February 22, and the place of meeting at Salem. The single-plank platform mentioned means this: That the people's party should discard all other planks of the Omaha platform and make the campaign with only one plank, that plank to be either the initiative and referendum or free coinage of silver at the rate of 16 to 1.

THE time of the convention being fixed at February 22 is regarded as a decided pronouncement against any fusion as, with the convention held at that date, fusion will be utterly impracticable. However, this is in reality the decision reached at the recent gathering of the prominent members of the party at Oregon City. The matter was discussed at that time and was discouraged by the leaders. A prominent leader, from Baker county, asserted that the party had a strong following in Eastern Oregon, and should any fusion be attempted in either county or state conventions the party would not only lose a considerable portion of its original strength, but would sacrifice both its organization and principles. How's This! We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. OHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F. J. Oheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Advertisement for 'The Keeley Institute' for the cure of liquor, opium, and tobacco habits. It is located at Salem, Oregon. The Most Beautiful Town on the Coast. Call at the GAZETTE office for particulars. Strictly confidential. Treatment private and sure cure.

Advertisement for 'ELLIS & LYONS, Attorneys at Law'. All business attended to in a prompt and satisfactory manner. Notaries Public and Collectors. OFFICE IN NATIONAL BANK BUILDING. HEPPNER, OREGON.

Advertisement for 'THE PALACE HOTEL'. C. S. VAN DUYN, Proprietor. I have taken full control of this popular house, and will make it strictly first class. MEALS, 25 CTS. BEDS, 25 CTS. Free Baths and Free 'Bus for all Guests.

Advertisement for 'LEGAL BLANKS'. Plenty of them at the Gazette Office. DISCOVERED AT LAST! IF Mr. Columbus were alive to-day and called at Mat Lichtenthal's he might make a new discovery quite as memorable as that of 1492. Chris was a great discoverer in his day. He would at this time discover the finest stock of Shoes ever shown in Heppner, and the cheapest as well. What more does mortal man want? The Old, Original Shoe Merchant. M. LICHTENTHAL, Main Street, Heppner, Oregon. Custom Work a Specialty.

Advertisement for 'THROUGH TICKETS EAST AND SOUTHEAST VIA THE UNION PACIFIC SYSTEM'. Through Pullman Palace Sleepers. Tourist Sleepers and Free Reclining Chair Cars DAILY to Chicago. Many hours saved via this line to Eastern Points. STEAM HEAT. PINTSCH LIGHTS. LOWEST RATES. R. W. BAXTER, Gen. Agent, Portland, Oregon. J. C. HART, Agent, Heppner, Oregon.

Advertisement for 'Your Face'. Will be wreathed with a most engaging smile, after you invest in a White Sewing Machine. EQUIPPED WITH ITS NEW PINCH TENSION, TENSION INDICATOR AND AUTOMATIC TENSION RELEASER. The most complete and useful device ever added to any sewing machine. The WHITE is Durably and Handsomely Built, Of Fine Finish and Perfect Adjustment. Sews ALL Sewable Articles. And will serve and please you up to the full limit of your expectations. ACTIVE DEALERS WANTED in unoccupied territory. Liberal terms. Address, WHITE SEWING MACHINE CO., CLEVELAND, O. G. B. Hart, the financial artist, can be found at his parlors, Matlock corner, where he will dispense at popular prices, sherry, champagne, kalmus, etc.

Advertisement for 'FERRY'S SEEDS'. Perfect seeds grow. FERRY'S SEED ANNUAL. For sale by W. W. FERRY & CO., Seaside, Wash.

Advertisement for 'THE BEST COUGH CURE'. The Best Cough Cure is Shilob's Cure. A neglected cough is dangerous. Stop it at once with Shilob's Cure. STRAYED OR STOLEN. One roan cow strayed away last summer branded HW on right side. \$5 reward is offered in any one delivering her to First National Bank, Heppner, Or., or to Mrs. Emma Welch, at Moun-s-mont. 406 11.

Administratrix Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that letters of administration on the estate of Justice Beaman, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the third day of January, 1896, by the County Court of Morrow County, Oregon, in and to the said Justice Beaman, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance, at my home in Black Horse, Oregon, within six months after the date of this notice, or they shall be forever barred. This 3rd day of January, 1896. ELIZA BEAMAN, Administratrix.

REPORTS OF THE ENACTING YEAR. Report of G. W. Pearson, road sup., dist. No. 8, considered and accepted and bill for \$89 allowed. Isaac Vincent appointed for the ensuing year. Report of S. C. Stone, road sup., dist. No. 18, considered and accepted and bill for \$82 allowed. J. M. Waddell appointed for the ensuing year. Report of Clyde Saling, road sup., dist. No. 12, considered and accepted. W. G. McCarty appointed for the ensuing year.

Lively as a Cricket. Although in the first instance as sluggish as a tortoise, the kidneys become as lively as a cricket when a healthful impulse is given to them with Hoesetter's Stomach Bitters, a promoter of activity in these organs which counteracts a tendency to their lethargy and disease. Inaction of the kidney should be remembered, is the first stage of those dangerous renal maladies against which the resources of medical science are too often exhausted in vain. Peril is forestalled by the Bitters, which averts Bright's disease, diabetes, dropsy, gravel and the troubles arising from a weak bladder. Equally efficacious is it in checking and eradicating malarial, bilious and nervous ailments, dyspepsia, constipation and rheumatism. Appetite and sleep are improved and convalescence hastened by its beneficial action. Either when health is slightly or seriously impaired, the value of this restorative and preventive medicine is speedily made manifest.

THE National Bank election resulted as follows: Wm. Penland, pres.; O. E. Farnsworth, vice-pres.; Ed. R. Bishop, cashier; Wm. Penland, O. E. Farnsworth, J. H. Hood, A. Rood, P. C. Thompson and Ed. R. Bishop, directors. The following were selected by the Heppner Building and Loan Association, which also held an election last Tuesday: O. E. Farnsworth, pres.; E. D. Rood, vice-pres.; Ed. R. Bishop, sec'y.; Wm. Penland, O. E. Farnsworth, E. D. Rood; P. C. Thompson and A. Rood, directors.