



Republican Ticket.

For President,
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,
 Of Ohio.

For Vice President,
GARRETT A. HOBART,
 Of New Jersey.

For Presidential Electors,
 T. T. GEER, of Marion County,
 E. M. YORAN, of Lane,
 E. L. SMITH, of Wasco,
 J. F. CAPLES, of Multnomah.

DISPLAY THE FLAG.

To the Republican Clubs of Oregon:
 Saturday, October 31, having been designated by Chairman Hanna, of the republican national committee, as "Flag Day," when all who intend to vote for McKinley and Hobart and to maintain the honor of the nation and the perpetuity of its institutions, are requested to decorate their homes and places of business with the national colors and display the stars and stripes, to remain until after election, the executive committee of the Republican League of Oregon urges republican clubs in the state to make a liberal display of the national colors; also that each individual member of the clubs do the same and wear a bow or knot of the national colors on the lapel of the coat. It is the desire of the national committee that all clubs get up as large a local demonstration as possible, winding up with a procession and speeches. This should be the program in every locality.

H. L. WELLS,
 Secretary.

FAIR MEANS WIN.

The action of the Bryan element in Portland last Monday night has made votes for McKinley, right and left. The McKinley people tried to hold an open air speaking, but could not do so because the police stood idly by and permitted a lot of hoboes and "strong arm" men to break up the meeting. No blood was shed, but it is a wonder. It is a fact that many good men are supporting Mr. Bryan. But it is also a fact that ninety-nine one-hundredths of the business element are supporting McKinley. Why is this?

McKinley stands upon safe business principles. The party that he represents has never had to apologize to the country for its acts, or has it ever had leaders that it put into office in one breath and repudiated the next. Its policies are true and tried. It does not meet the opposition with untried theories just in order to get into office. Its platform is too broad for that. That is the reason why the business men of this country are supporting Mr. McKinley and opposing Mr. Bryan.

They want no untried neophyte to handle the reins; no boy orator to formulate a plan of action on theoretical lines as to the policy of this government.

The popocrats have avoided any other issue but the financial one. Four years ago most of them were yelling themselves hoarse for tariff reform. The true and tried policy of protection was good but they had something better. The trial has been made and the result is well known. On the same issue defeat was certain. Something new must be worked to secure a victory.

The republican party offers the only absolutely safe plan to settle the financial question. All others are more or less theoretical and the Bryan men know it, especially without a protective policy. The McKinley adherents are not contenting for one principle but for many. Besides the tariff and money questions, they ask for reciprocal relations with other governments, they believe in building up our merchant marine, they favor pensions to the soldier in the best money of the world, they want a strong foreign policy, the Monroe doctrine is endorsed, and the struggling patriots of Cuba are promised independence through the good offices of the party. Besides these there are many other issues before the people, of supreme importance. One in particular is that of free speech and a free ballot. The republican party desires to win the election fairly and will not countenance any action that looks to any other end. It asks that all be heard and that the American people shall go to the balloting places without molestation and there do as they like, secure in the knowledge that their cause will prevail.

BRYAN is a freetrader.
 No federal interference.—Bryan.
 If YOU want free mobs vote for Bryan.
 PROTECTION to our homes.—McKinley.
 "MORE mills open" is the McKinley motto.
 WHEAT is going up. The Hannacrata did it.
 EGGS are getting higher. The Hannacrata did it.
 THE Bryan people claim New York state. Might as well claim Jerusalem.
 If YOU want wool protected, the only way to accomplish it is to vote for McKinley.

THE Hannacrata have been accused of everything but the crucifixion of Christ.

BRYAN said in 1894 that any ratio would do on which to give silver free coinage. The commercial ratio now is 32 to 1.

NOT more money so much as more work. Not so much more circulating medium as a chance to earn what we have already.

EDITOR C. E. WILSON, of the Pueblo (Col.) Call, has been dismissed for carrying a McKinley banner in a St. Louis parade. How is this for coercion?

THE rowdies of Covington who treated Carlisle so shabbily and those republican students who egged a Bryan parade in Chicago have all been rebuked. Such actions are shameful.

THE Tribune, of Portland, a representative of Bryanism, claims that Harvey Scott has conceded the election of Bryan. This is an absolute falsehood. Bryan has no sort of show to succeed.

BRYANITES are very handy with the term "goldbug" which they use as a means to cast approbrium upon the McKinley adherents. Better stand convicted than admit by every action and word that one is a "goldbug."

"YOU ARE A ROBBER. YOU ARE PUBLIC BEGGARS."—Bryan's words to manufacturers and laborers asking at the hands of congress protection against ruinous and pauperizing foreign competition.

FRANCIS CLARNO, silver mine owner like J. Bourne, made three speeches of misrepresentation, in Morrow county. Facts are not so plentiful with such people as he as they are full of figures. Figures are the hottest liars on earth in the hands of a skillful manipulator.

EVERY voter in Oregon, popocrat, democrat, republican or prohibitionist, in Portland or elsewhere, MUST HAVE A RIGHT TO VOTE. No interference with the exercise of this supreme act of citizenship must be allowed. There must be a full vote and a fair count.—Salem Statesman.

IF SILVER and gold do not circulate side by side, under free coinage, then we have less money than now, we have silver monometallism and a contracted currency. Free coinage, according to the East Oregonian, is only feasible under a protective tariff, if at all. The popocrats will not even think of tariff.

BRYAN was hired by the state fair management to make an address about two years ago. Just before he began his speech there were bicycle races and the grandstand was filled to overflowing. By the time he was through less than 300 people remained and 30 of those were "crazies," under charge of the man who gave the Gazette this information. The Gazette claims that the comparison of Lincoln with Bryan is an insult to the patriotism of our people and a disgrace to this country. Bryan is shallow and demagogic; he is a phrasemaker not a sound thinker. Lincoln was a patriot, retiring in his manner and honest in every utterance which was a jewel of consistency. It grates harshly on one's ear to hear the good, grand Lincoln compared with the cheap clown, Bryan.

STUB
 To be torn off by the Chairman

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 To be torn off by the First Clerk

Official Ballot

FOR LEXINGTON PRECINCT, MORROW COUNTY, OREGON, NOVEMBER 3, 1896.

Mark Between the Number and Name of Each Candidate or Answer Voted For.

STATE.

For Electors of President and Vice President of the United States. VOTE FOR FOUR

- 12. X JOHN F. CAPLES, of Portland, Multnomah Co. Republican
- 13. X T. T. GEER, of Macleay, Marion County Republican
- 14. X E. L. SMITH, of Hood River, Wasco County Republican
- 15. X S. M. YORAN, of Eugene, Lane County Republican

- 16. N. L. BUTLER, of Monmouth, Polk County Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
- 17. E. HOFER, of Salem, Marion County Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
- 18. W. H. SPAUGH, of Harrisburg, Linn County Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican
- 19. HARRY WATKINS, of McMinnville, Yamhill Co. Peoples, Democratic, Silver Republican

- 20. D. BEWERMAN, of Salem, Marion County Prohibition
- 21. C. J. BRIGHT, of Wasco, Sherman County Prohibition
- 22. LESLIE BUTLER, of The Dalles, Wasco County Prohibition
- 23. C. E. HOSKINS, of Springbrook, Yamhill County Prohibition

- 24. LEWIS B. COX, of Portland, Multnomah Co. National Democratic
- 25. ALEXANDER M. HOLMES, of McCoy, Polk Co. National Democratic
- 26. FRANK A. SEUFERT, of Seufert, Oregon National Democratic
- 27. CURTIS J. TRENCHARD, of Astoria, Clatsop Co. National Democratic

Voters should note that to vote for any elector they must put a cross between the number and the name of the candidate. The ticket as marked above is a sample of a ballot marked for the electors of McKinley and Hobart.

It is a fact that the McKinley law admitted more articles free of duty than does the Wilson-Gorman tariff. One, while producing revenue, gave the American people the greatest possible protection. The other admits those things free of duty that the Americans produce, placing our people in competition oftentimes with the ignorant and impoverished classes of the "Old World." Even as a revenue bill it is a failure.



IN CONGRESS, Candidate Bryan spoke and worked and voted for free lumber. And yet the friends and followers of Mr. Bryan pretend that Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin are all doubtful states. We believe that, at one time, they thought Maine was doubtful, too, with the chances a little in their favor. Recent events have given them reason to discard that belief, however. The message which the Maine lumbermen sent in September to Free-Trader Bryan and his other warm friends of Canadian lumbermen of Michigan, Minnesota and Wisconsin will repeat with emphasis in November.—American Economist.

IT is hardly necessary for the Gazette to call attention to the work of the bungling compositor in Tuesday's issue, in the editorial under the caption, "Is he big enough?" The sentence, "But he is demagogic and shallow on the political rostrum," was transformed into a mass of nothing. Other inexcusable errors appear in the same article. The editor begs of the public to let him live long enough to thin out a few of these manipulators of antimony—well meaning people for all that—who raise the very device just when you expect them to be careful.

HON. HENRY BLACKMAN stated to the E. O. that Bryan will carry Morrow county sure. Bro. Blackman has evidently pulled off his "Jeffersonian" button, which means anything, gotten down off the fence and come out for Bryan. Our collector is a hard man to understand but he will show his hand occasionally.

JUDGE HUBLEY, who is out from Wisconsin to talk to the "one galus" boys, is too much of a plutocrat to accomplish much. Why he wears diamonds, owns iron mines and indulges in such luxuries as spotless shirt fronts.

HON. GEO. NOLAND, who spoke here the other evening, said that our tariff was all right, and that if one could buy cheaper clothing in England than in this country, why England should be patronized. People of this section don't appreciate Mr. Noland's position.

OUR readers will notice that P. M. Arthur, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, E. P. Sargent, Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and F. W. Arnold, Grand Secretary of the same order, are supporting McKinley regardless of reports to the contrary.

WE CHALLENGE any popocratic paper or person to tell us how the value of silver can be raised by legislation. If it can be done, then we propose to apply the same method to advance the price of farm products, which are of far more importance than silver mines.—Baker Republican.

We are spending more than our profits on Schilling's Best tea to get you to try it—just to try it.

Your money back if you don't like it.

At grocers' in packages.

The Curse of Mankind!

The most horrible disease to which the human family is subject is contagious blood poison. It has always baffled the doctors, for notwithstanding the progress made in some branches of medicine, they have failed absolutely to discover a cure for it. Whether in the form of powder, pill or liquid, the doctor's prescription is always the same—potash or mercury.

Mr. Otto H. Elbert, who resides at the corner of 22d Street, and Avenue N., Galveston, Texas, had a severe experience with this dreadful disease, and under date of April 5th, 1896, writes: "Several years ago I was so unfortunate as to contract contagious blood poison, and was under treatment of the best physicians continuously for four years. As soon as I discovered that I had the disease, I hastened to place myself under the care of one of the foremost doctors in my State, and took his treatment faithfully for several months. It was a very short time after he pronounced me well, that the disease broke out afresh, and I was in a far worse condition than at first. Large lumps formed



MR. OTTO H. ELBERT.
 on my neck, my throat was filled with sores, and a horrible ulcer broke out on my jaw. After being treated again with no success, I became disgusted and changed doctors. I was again given the usual treatment of mercury, and took enough to kill an ordinary man. Of course, I was pronounced cured half a dozen times, the disease returning each time, until my physician finally admitted that he could do me no good. I am sure that no one was ever in a worse fix than I—my hair had fallen by the handful, my feet were so swollen that I could scarcely work, and I was in a sad plight.

"I had seen S. S. S. advertised as a cure for this disease, and determined to try it, and before I had taken one bottle I felt much better. I continued to take the remedy, and a dozen bottles cured me completely, so that for five years I have had no sign of the terrible disease. S. S. S. is the greatest blood remedy of the age, and is truly a God-send to those afflicted with contagious blood poison."

For fifty years S. S. S. has been curing this terrible disease, even after all other treatment failed. It is guaranteed and never fails to cure contagious blood poison, scrofula, eczema, rheumatism, cancer, scarrin, or any other disease of the blood. If you have a blood disease, take a remedy which will not injure you. Beware of mercury; don't do violence to your system.

Our books on blood and skin diseases will be mailed free to any address. Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.



JOHNSY, we know its tough medicine to take, but Dr. McKinley has diagnosed your case and the directions are plain. The medicine may kill you but it will save our Americans, and the sacrifice has been called for. Like the philosophers of old, take your cup of protection hemlock and die the death that your greed has honestly earned. No more Johnny Bull tariffs in America.

Fruit for Sale or Trade.
 James Hager has a fine lot of fruit, consisting of fall and winter apples, which he offers for sale at one cent per pound. He will also accept in exchange for same posts, wood or wheat, delivered at his place four miles above Heppner. Those desiring fruit should center with him.

It is immaterial, in my judgment, whether the sheep grower receives any benefit from the tariff or not. . . . Whether he does or does not I am for free wool.—Extract from speech of William J. Bryan in the House of Representatives when the Wilson bill was under consideration.

Through trains on the O.R. & N. will run via. Umatilla, Wala Wala and Pendleton. Through sleepers, first and second-class, will run in connection with the Union Pacific, the same as heretofore. A through first-class sleeper Portland to Spokane, connecting with the first-class sleeper to St. Paul, and a through tourist sleeper Portland to St. Paul, will run in connection with the Great Northern railway.

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 FULL ENGLISH COURSE.
 FRENCH AND GERMAN.
 BUSINESS BRANCHES.
 BOOKKEEPING, SHORTHAND, TELEGRAPHY.
BOARDING DEPARTMENT FOR LADIES



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CHARLES CUNNINGHAM.

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