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RIGHT OF WAY SETTLED

Northern Pacific Takes Half of Its Expense in Improving the Right of Way - Nothing Now to hinder Progress.

Portland, Or., July 3. The Daily Astorian, Astoria, Or. - The contract for the balance of the grading was signed this afternoon with Honeyman, DeHart and Glenn.

T. H. CURTIS.

The telegram from Mr. Curtis above, tells its own story and means much to Astoria. Every business man who heard the news last night was more than pleased. A great many enterprises have been held in abeyance pending the letting of this contract. The commencement of active work on the main line to Goble means that steps will be taken in the immediate future towards the launching of numerous manufacturing industries upon which will so largely depend the prosperity of the city. It is true beyond a doubt that a great deal of work will go forward at the same time with the railroad work. Foundations will be laid this fall, it is said by those who are in position to know, for the railroad shops and other buildings necessary for the terminals at Plavel, as well as for an elevator, dry dock, flour mill and saw-mill. The Snow Bay depot will now very likely be rapidly pushed forward, and it can be expected that a large amount of foreign capital will be invested here before the close of 1896.

General Land Agent Gossling, who returned yesterday morning from Portland, stated that the suit of the A. and C. R. R. against the Northern Pacific, for right of way at Goble, had been compromised in the United States court, the Astoria road paying about \$2,000, or one-half of the expense incurred by the Northern Pacific for work done on the grade at that point. Work would also receive from Mr. Hammond would leave New York for the West the first of next week. What with the completion of the Flavel Hotel, and the starting of work on many different projects on the west side of the bay, and the work going on along the entire water front of the city, and the line to Goble, times will be lively enough here to suit everyone.

CRICKET TODAY.

First Championship Game of the Season to be Played at Smith's Point.

The cricket game between the Multnomah Club and the Astoria Football Club that occurs today at the Smith's Point grounds, is the first of the 1896 championship series, and will be well contested, as both sides claim victory in sight. The M. A. C. has not yet met defeat, and the local boys are anxious to have the honor of doing them up.

The steamer Dwyer will leave at 12 sharp for the grounds and will make another trip at 2 p. m., charging 25 cents for the round trip. No admission charge will be made at the grounds. All will be welcome and it is hoped that the boys will have a good send-off. Mr. W. G. Gossling will umpire the game for Astoria. The following are the teams:

M. A. C. - T. B. Foster, W. N. Pattullo, C. Pattullo, S. H. Caverton, A. E. Cavston, F. Fenwick, R. Hart, A. Terry, W. K. Scott, C. Lawrence, Jr., C. McDonald, T. H. Clelland, and C. W. Lawrence, captain.

A. F. C. - A. S. Tee, F. M. Gunn, J. R. Rathon, H. Bell, W. O. Wilkinson, R. Gibson, W. T. Chutter, Tom Spencer, S. H. Maddock, C. R. Higgins, and E. C. F. Astbury, captain.

OBITUARY.

Mr. George Stinecomb, who for sixteen days has been suffering at St. Mary's Hospital, died yesterday afternoon. It will be remembered that he was run over by a wagon on the grading work at the head of Tenth street. Few thought that he would live twenty-four hours after the accident; but by sheer force of will and heroic effort he prolonged life more than a fortnight. Mr. Stinecomb made many friends here, and has many friends in Portland and Forest Grove. He is only a young man, and has been married four years. He leaves a wife and two children. Formerly he was in the drug business in Forest Grove, and when the hard times came on he left there and came to Astoria to engage in contract work.

Mr. Stinecomb was a member of Delphos Lodge, K. of P., Forest Grove, and was insured in the endowment rank. Members of the order of Astoria will accompany the remains to Portland Sunday, where members of the Forest Grove lodge will receive and take charge of the body. Mrs. Stinecomb has been in the city for a number of days past, and since it was definitely known that her husband must die, she has been completely prostrated. All has been done that human aid can do to alleviate her suffering.

SPLIT ON THE MONEY QUESTION

The Democracy, Once Powerful, is Hopelessly Divided Against Itself at Chicago.

MESSRS. BOIES AND PENNOYER

Both Populists Are to Go Before the Convention as Candidates for President - Pennoyer Says He Thinks It's Very Nice.

Chicago, July 3. - Not since 1860, when the Democratic party met in convention at Charleston and split on the subject of slavery, has such an irreconcilable difference of opinion existed on the great question at issue as now confronts the delegates who are assembling here for the Democratic convention.

The situation which the Democrats faced then has its analogies in the question which they are confronted with today. The Northern Democracy, declaring for squatter sovereignty, late at Baltimore, nominated Stephen A. Douglas, while the seceding Southern delegates, declaring for the existence of slavery in territories under federal law, named John C. Breckinridge. Today the Democracy of the Alleghenies west to the Pacific and from the Potomac to the Gulf, except for a break in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan, so far as its voice will be heard in convention next week, stands solid for the free coinage of silver at 16 to 1 against an equally solid gold standard Democracy of the East.

At the threshold of the convention the gold standard Democrats are defeated two to one. New York and the little Democratic states of New Jersey and Connecticut, which have, since the war, always exercised a dominating influence in Democratic conventions, and have for years named the candidate on the theory that New York and the two small sister states were the battleground and their votes essential to success, are to be sent to the rear. The Eastern Democracy may plead and cry aloud that the free silver candidate and free silver platform means disruption, disaster and ruin, but their pleadings and their cries fall on deaf ears. The silver Democracy is in the saddle and will ride rough shod over precedent and tradition, if necessary, to accomplish their purpose. That is the set determination of the leaders. It is in vain that the gold standard men warn them of the certain loss of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut at the polls.

They have reconsidered to themselves that in the great boundless West and the middle states of the Mississippi Valley will be found electoral votes to offset the defection in the East. While there is neither a probability nor even a possibility of a minority bolt, and another candidate being placed in the field, as there was in 1860, so far as the eastern states are concerned, there might as well be, as the support in the electoral college from every state east of the Ohio has been voluntarily relinquished by those in control for the prospect of Western and Southern alliance.

This remarkable change in the position of the national Democratic convention toward New York and the East, entails other remarkable conditions which will make the coming convention memorable; and if its deliberations are crowned with success in November, epoch-making in the history of American politics. At the door of the convention stand representatives of two other national parties - Populists and Silverites - as well as the lieutenants of Senator Teller, who led the silver bolt at St. Louis, ready to pledge the support of their organization and their followers if the convention will put aside candidates from within the ranks of their party, and choose as a standard bearer in the coming fight a man who for so many years has been the commanding leader of the silver forces in the United States senate, and who two weeks ago took his hat and walked out of the convention of the party with which he has all his life been identified, because that party refused to endorse his views.

Senator Dubois and others of Mr. Teller's friends, and Chairman Taubencok, of the Populist party, impress upon the Democratic silver leaders the great strength Teller's nomination would bring to the cause of silver, in which the convention is to enlist itself. So far as Senator Dubois and Teller's associates are concerned, they say they stand ready to give their heartiest support to any recognized free silver Democrat whom the convention might name, if the platform in other respects is satisfactory; but they point out that the free silver Republicans who would rally enthusiastically to the standard of Teller, might not all vote for a Democrat, while the Populists, insofar as Taubencok can speak for them, openly declare that unless Senator Teller is nominated, they will place a ticket in the field at St. Louis, with Teller the nominee.

They show a list of eighty-one electoral votes from the Western and Mississippi valley states, which will be given to the nominee, more than

YALE STANDS WELL TO WIN

Training for the Great Regatta at Henley-on-the-Thames About Completed.

IT WILL BE A GREAT CONTEST

By the Gentlemanly Conduct of the Members of Her Crew, Yale Has Made Many Friends, and All Hope to See Her Win.

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Henley-on-Thames, July 3. - The training of the crews entered for the grand challenge cup race, which will take place next week at the Henley regatta, is about completed, although some of them during the present day or two would forego their finishing touches. The consensus of opinion is that the race for the grand challenge cup will be won by Leander, New College, or Yale, with the Thames crew having a good lead for fourth place in the estimation of competent critics.

WORKING FOR BOIES.

Chicago, July 3. - The Iowa men have been preparing to make a strong fight all along the line of delegates beginning tomorrow. It is stated by Boies' managers that they are using the same tactics so successfully employed by Daniel Manning when Cleveland was nominated for the first time. By Sunday there will be a swarm of Iowa men here who are coming in clubs and by special trains. There is considerable rivalry between Boies and Bland, as it is thought that if one was out of the way the other would be nominated. The Boies men on the ground say they are not making as much show as the Missourians, but they expect to fill the city with workers by tomorrow night and Sunday morning.

PRESIDENT PENNOYER.

Dr. Mullinix Will Present the Populist's Name at Chicago.

Portland, July 3. - Ex-Governor Pennoyer's name will be presented to the national Democratic convention for president by Dr. L. P. Mullinix, a delegate from Oregon.

Governor Pennoyer has been very reticent about his presidential aspirations, but today he said: "I see that my name is to be presented by the Oregon delegation for a place on the presidential ticket, and I will say in regard to this matter that such action on the part of the delegation has been taken without any solicitation from me. I have had no syndicate at my back like McKinley. I have had no literary bureau whatever. I have not written one single letter to, or asked the support of, any man, and so, if the nomination should come to me, which I do not expect, it would be a very great honor indeed."

OVATION TO MCKINLEY.

One Thousand Workingmen Wait Upon the Next President.

Canton, Ohio, July 3. - It was 4:30 this afternoon when a thousand people of Tuscarawas county came in a special train over the Cleveland and Canton road. They had the largest sheets of tin-plate "ever made in the world," and the largest strips of galvanized sheet steel. Colonel W. A. Bovey, of Dennison, was spokesman. In response to a very handsome presentation, Major McKinley replied: "This assemblage is fairly typical of our American communities, and it fully presents the varied occupations of the American people. As your spokesman has already said, in this presence are farmers, laborers, merchants, miners, architects, railroad employes, professional men and representatives of every rank of people and you are here, distant from your homes, not from curiosity, nor from any considerations at all personal, but are here for in your hearts you believe in the great fundamental doctrines of a good day's wages to our employes, which we want to be paid in good sound dollars, worth 100 cents and no less."

TRADE REVIEW.

The Day by Day Plan-Operators Make a Quick Turn.

New York, July 3. - R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly Review of Trade, which issues tomorrow, will say: "Current movements have been so largely of a temporary character, or else purely speculative, on the day by day plan, that they are not highly instructive. Thus an extensive shut-down of the cotton mills is solely in the hope that a half production in July and August may clear the largely overstocked market."

Stock fluctuations were still more ephemeral, including two sharp declines and partial rallies within the week, both laboriously ascribed to various political causes, but mainly due to keen operators who saw chances to make a quick turn.

The failures for the week have been 257 in the United States against 197 last year, and 22 in Canada against 21 a year ago.

GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONS.

The prevailing fashion in men's suits seems to be the soft, drowsy woads in black, blue, grey and chocolate colors, although black, blue and brown chevrons are still very popular. Some of the younger men and a few older ones still cling to checks and flures in lighter shades. There is no particular choice as to cut. The round or square corner, double breasted or frock suits are equally well liked.

But the best part of it all is that Herman Wise offers an assortment of over 500 of such stylish garments for \$11.50 a suit.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool, July 3. - Wheat, spot, firm; demand, moderate; No. 2 red winter, 1s 1/4; No. 2 hard Manitoba, stocks exhausted; No. 1 California, 1s 2/4d.

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