

INDEPENDENCE SOCIAL BRIEFLETS

Call on Frazer & Rice for grass seeds.

Dr. Butler was in Portland Saturday.

Miss Frances Cooper has gone to Newport for a season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dornise are camped at Cascadia.

Hop tickets while you wait at the West Side Enterprise office.

Two thousand lbs. of good clean timothy just received at Frazer & Rice's.

Mrs. J. A. Vanness of Winlock, Wash., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Spaulding near Buena Vista.

Mrs. John Burton and daughters have gone to Newport for a few weeks' recreation.

Mrs. Arthur Moore and children also Ernest Johnson and wife returned Saturday from their outing.

Hop tickets printed and numbered just as you want them at this office. Get in your order early.

The Vanness cottage recently injured by fire is being repaired and will again be occupied by Clarence Clodfelter.

Gov. Pardee and his party of prominent Californians passed through town Monday morning by special train.

Wellington Dornise, a brother of Jerome Dornise died August 7, at Ukiah, Cal. He was a resident of this place several years ago.

L. Damon and family including Mrs. Locke and Miss Grace, of Salem have returned from a twelve days overland outing in the vicinity of Slab Creek and Three Rivers. Two deer were killed on the trip and abundance of fish found in the streams but they are reported stubborn about biting.

Following is a list of Polk countyites going to Newport on one day, Saturday, of last week: A. S. Locke, Frank Lucas, Tracy Staats, Mrs. J. E. Kirkland, Miss Maggie Pomeroy, Jack Wilson, J. R. Cooper, John Gentry, Jasper Kennedy, Mrs. Stump, Mrs. David Stapleton, Misses Genevieve and Cecille Wilcox, Pearl Hedger, Reuben Dickinson, Thos. Pomeroy.

Dr. O. D. Butler is in San Francisco this week attending the Second Annual Session of the Pacific Coast Association of Railway Surgeons. The Lane series of ten or fourteen lectures will be delivered at the same time. Dr. Butler will attend at least a part of these. He left Monday expecting to return Saturday or Sunday.

A suit of forcible entry and detainer was brought by L. G. Reeves, through his agent, Peter Kurre, against Fred Oberer in Justice Wilson's court this week. Oberer rents his residence through Kurre from Reeves and the purpose of the suit was to have the tenant ejected. The case was called in court Monday, G. A. Hurley appearing for plaintiff and J. N. Hart for defendant. A defect in the servie developed and the case was dismissed. A new suit has since been filed in the county court at Dallas.

Elks' Charm Lost.

Lost, in Independence, probably in coming from the dock up town, an elk's tooth charm, with the inscription "T. A. Riggs, Salem Lodge No. —" on the back. Finder leave at this office and get reward

NATIONAL PLATFORM

Excerpts of the Platform Adopted by the Republican Convention at Chicago.

PROTECTION

Protection, which guards and develops our industries is a cardinal policy of the Republican party. The measure of protection should always at least equal the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad. We insist upon the maintenance of the principles of protection, and therefore rates of duty should be readjusted only when conditions have so changed that the public interest demands their alteration.

But this work cannot safely be committed to any other hands than those of the Republican party. To entrust it to the Democratic party is to invite disaster. Whether as in 1902 the Democratic party declared the protective tariff unconstitutional, or whether it demands tariff reform or tariff revision, its real object is always the destruction of the protective system.

However specious the name, the purpose is ever the same. A Democratic tariff has always been followed by business adversity; a Republican tariff by business prosperity. To a Republican Congress and a Republican President this great question can be safely entrusted. When the only free trade country among the great nations agitated a return to protection the chief protective country should not falter in maintaining it.

RECIPROCITY

We have extended wisely our foreign markets, and we believe in the adoption of all practicable methods for their further extension, including commercial reciprocity wherever reciprocal arrangements can be effected consistent with the principles of protection and without injury to American agriculture, American labor or any American industry.

We believe it to be the duty of the Republican party to uphold the gold standard and the integrity and the value of our National currency. The maintenance of the gold standard, established by the Republican party, cannot be safely committed to the Democratic party which resisted its adoption and has never given any proof since that time of belief in it, or fidelity to it.

MERCHANT MARINE

While every other industry has prospered under the fostering aid of Republican legislation, American shipping engaged in foreign trade in competition with the low cost of construction, low wages and heavy subsidies of foreign governments, has not for many years received from the government of the United States adequate encouragement of any kind. We therefore, favor legislation which will encourage and build up the American merchant marine, and we cordially approve the legislation of the last Congress which created the merchant marine commission to investigate and report upon the subject.

NAVY

A navy powerful enough to defend the United States against any attack, to uphold the Monroe doctrine and watch over our commerce is essential to the safety and the welfare of the American people. To maintain such a navy is the fixed policy of the Republican party.

CHINESE EXCLUSION

We cordially approve the attitude

of President Roosevelt and Congress in regard to the exclusion of Chinese labor, and promise a continuance of the Republican policy in that direction.

PENSIONS

We are always mindful of the country's debt to the soldiers and sailors of the United States, and we believe in making ample provision for them and in the liberal administration of the pension laws.

INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION

We favor the peaceful settlement of international difficulties by arbitration.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS

We commend the vigorous efforts made by the Administration to protect American citizens in foreign lands, and pledge ourselves to insist upon the just and equal protection of all our citizens abroad. It is the unquestioned duty of the government to procure for all our citizens, without distinction, the rights of travel and sojourn in friendly countries, and we declare ourselves in favor of all proper efforts tending to that end.

Our great interests and our growing commerce in the Orient render the condition of China of high importance to the United States. We cordially commend the policy pursued in that direction by the administrations of Presidents McKinley and Roosevelt.

EXECUTIVE FRANCHISE

We favor such congressional action as shall determine whether by special discriminations the elective franchise in any state has been unconstitutionally limited, and if such is the case we demand that representation in Congress and in the electoral college shall be proportionately reduced, as directed by the constitution of the United States.

TRUSTS

Combinations of capital and of labor are the results of the economic movement of the age, but neither must be permitted to infringe upon the rights and interests of the people. Such combinations when lawfully formed for lawful purposes, are alike entitled to the protection of the laws, and neither can be permitted to break them.

MCKINLEY AND ROOSEVELT

The great statesman and patriotic American, William McKinley, who was re-elected by the Republican party to the Presidency four years ago, was assassinated just at the threshold of his second term. The entire nation mourned his untimely death, and did that justice to his great qualities of mind and character which history will confirm and repeat.

The American people were fortunate in his successor, to whom they turned with a trust and confidence which have been fully justified. President Roosevelt brought to the great responsibilities thus sadly forced upon him, a clear head, a brave heart, an earnest patriotism, and high ideals of public duty and public service. True to the principles of the Republican party and to the duties to which the party had declared, he has also shown himself ready for every emergency and has met new and vital questions with ability.

The confidence of the people in his justice, inspired by his public career, enabled him to render personally an inestimable service to the country by bringing about a settlement of the coal strike which threatened such disastrous results at the opening of the winter in 1902.

Our foreign policy under his administration has not only been able vigorous and dignified but in the highest degree successful. The complicated questions which arose in Venezuela were settled in such a way by President Roosevelt that the Monroe doctrine was signally vindicated and the cause of peace and arbitration greatly advanced.

Concerned in the coming into Salem of the Independent or Home phone system the Statesman says: "Mr. Dancy is not very optimistic. He is very anxious to see Salem have the improved service that its business interests require, and he will do everything in his power to bring it about. He also says there is no doubt it will come soon. Everyone appreciates that the system at Salem is very antiquated and entirely unfitting to Salem's requirements."

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Lost.

In or in the vicinity of Monmouth, a Silver Waltham Watch, with leather chain. Finder please leave same at Enterprise office.

Soldiers Attention.

All soldiers who wish their pension claims to receive prompt and faithful attention should at once place them in the hands of Joseph H. Hunter, pension attorney, Washington, D. C., as I know from experience. He is the proper party to handle such cases. B. F. Owen

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| Leaves Independence for Monmouth and Dallas 11:30 a. m. 6:15 p. m. | Leaves Dallas for Monmouth and Independence. 1:00 p. m. 7:30 " |
| Leaves Monmouth for Astoria. 7:50 a. m. 3:50 p. m. | Leaves Monmouth for Independence 9:40 a. m. 1:30 p. m. 2:40 " 3:45 " 8:50 " |
| Leaves Monmouth for Dallas 11:30 a. m. 6:20 p. m. | Leaves Independence for Monmouth 2:05 p. m. |

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