

W. C. BYRD Editor

Wall street opposition to silver was an important factor in the contest which has given the silver democrats control of the Chicago convention.

Somebody will be calling Gladstone the grand old humbug if he doesn't stop abusing the Turkish government, which he might easily have toppled over, when he was at the head of the English government, upon any one of a dozen occasions.

Try as they will the republicans cannot wipe out Speaker Reed's prophecy, that it was to be a do-nothing congress, and its fulfillment. That is about the only promise that they kept.

We hear of Mark Hanna, Congressman Grosvenor and others being the spokesmen of McKiuley so often that we are constrained to ask if McKiuley has lost the faculty of speech.

Leaving out private pension bills less than one half of a newspaper column is required to enumerate all the legislation accomplished at the session of congress just ended.

The accomplishments of the session of congress justifies calling the republicans a promise much-and-do-little party.

Tom Platt still has the New York republican machine and his express business to fall back on, but poor Clarkson! he may have to return to Des Moines and go to work for a living on his brother's newspaper.

McKinley will need all the support he can get—and we hope a little more—to get in sight of the presidency.

Just before adjourning the republicans made a bid for the negro vote by giving the seat in the house to which the Hon. William Elliott, of S. C., was elected, to the negro who contested it.

Col. Wm. R. Morrison, one of the war horses of democracy thus sizes up the situation: I have been a democrat for a great many years and have always stood by the party and the platform. My idea is that when you are whipped the thing to do is to take it rational and wait for another year."

Congressman Payne, of N. Y. must be an applicant for Czar Reed's place. He didn't even take the trouble to count a quorum, but proceeded to do business without one, while he was temporarily presiding over the house, the other day, and went a step further than Reed ever did when he refused to entertain a respectful appeal from his decision.

There is little doubt that it will be in the power of the Chicago convention to make the democratic party a winner this year.

Administrator's Sale.

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate at Private Sale for Cash in Hand.

In the matter of the Estate of William D. Hudspeth, deceased.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Hon. County Court of the county of Harney, State of Oregon, dated May 6, 1896, empowering and licensing me, as Administrator of the above entitled estate, to sell all the real estate thereof, in said county, at private sale for cash in hand, I will so sell at private sale for cash in hand all of the following described real estate, to wit:

The East half of the South East quarter (E 1/2 SE 1/4) of Section Nineteen (19) and the North West quarter of the South West quarter and the South West quarter of the North West quarter (NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4) of Section Twenty (20), Township Thirtythree (33) South of Range Thirty (30) E. W. M.

The South half of the South West quarter and South West quarter of the South East quarter (S 1/2 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SE 1/4) of Section Twenty (20), and the North West quarter of the North East quarter (NW 1/4 of NE 1/4) of Section Twentynine (29) Township Thirtythree (33) South of Range Thirty (30) E. W. M.

The South East quarter of the South East quarter [SE 1/4 of SE 1/4] of Section Twenty [20] and the South West quarter of the South West quarter [SW 1/4 of SW 1/4] of Section Twenty-one [21] and the North West quarter of the North West quarter [NW 1/4 of NW 1/4] of Section Twenty-eight [28], and the North East quarter of the North East quarter [NE 1/4 of NE 1/4] of Section Twenty-nine [29], Township Thirtythree [33] South of Range Thirty [30] E. W. M.

The South half of the North East quarter and the South half of the North West quarter [S 1/2 of NE 1/4 and S 1/2 of NW 1/4] of Section Twenty-eight [28] Township Thirtythree [33] South of Range Thirty [30] E. W. M.

The East half of the South West quarter [E 1/2 of SW 1/4] of Section Twentyseven [27] and the East half of the North West quarter [E 1/2 of NW 1/4] of Section Thirtyfour [34] Township Thirtythree [33] South of Range Thirty [30] E. W. M.

The West half of the North East quarter and the West half of the South East quarter [W 1/2 of NE 1/4 and W 1/2 of SE 1/4] of Section Thirtyfour [34] Township Thirtythree [33] South of Range Thirty (30) E. W. M.

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The South half of the North West quarter (S 1/2 of NW 1/4) and Lot numbered Four (4) of Section Two (2) and Lot numbered One (1) of Section Three (3) Township Thirtyfour (34) South of Range Thirty (30) E. W. M. All situated in Harney county and State of Oregon.

The said sale will be made on or after the 2d day of July, 1896, and bids will be received by me at the office of Cressler & Bonner, at the town of Coda-ville, State of California or at the office of Waters & Gowan, Burns, Harney county, Oregon.

Terms of sale cash in hand on the delivery of Administrators deed of conveyance.

C. B. WICKLIFFE, Administrator of the Estate of William D. Hudspeth, Deceased. Dated May 25, 1896.

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H. M. HORTON, Administrator.

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