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FOUR GOOD REASONS.
First.—If you are a Democrat, you do not believe in the Republican policy of protection, but favor "tariff for revenue only." It is well for you to contemplate the fact that no Democratic tariff ever did produce enough revenue, but that the same tinkering which eliminated protection also created increasing deficit in the treasury, endangered the gold reserve and with it the parity of our silver and paper money with gold money, and necessitated large bond issues, out of which Wall street syndicates could get a rakeoff, but on which the American people must pay the interest and ultimately the principal.

The expenses of the government are now running close to the revenue, and these expenses are for such purposes as maintaining the old soldiers, paying for the Panama canal, irrigating the arid lands and rendering useful service to agriculture, to commerce and labor through departments specially instituted for such services. There is no patriotic Democrat who can desire expenditures for such objects cut down so as to cripple the prestige and efficiency of the government, and hence no patriotic Democrat, however ardently he may believe in free trade, should vote for a policy which would cut down the revenues and pile up a disastrous deficit as during the last Democratic administration. Since the war taxes were taken off, several years ago, there has been no safe room for further reduction in the government revenues. Anything that might be taken off from the protective, indirect taxes, would have to be put on somewhere else where it would be a direct burden to tax payers, or else money would have to be borrowed to make up for the deficiencies in revenue.

Second.—If you are not only a Democrat, but a Democrat of the "Jeffersonian" type, you should vote the Republican ticket, if only because Jefferson himself stood for expansion as the Republican party now stands. The circumstance for which Jefferson was most severely criticized in his lifetime, but which furnished the leading reason why posterity honors his memory, was his purchase of the Louisiana Territory, which purchase is now being appropriately commemorated by the great exposition at St. Louis. Had Jefferson not made the deal with France for the Louisiana Territory, he would have

escaped much bitter criticism from the narrow-minded element of his own party while he lived; but he would also have lost for the United States the greatest opportunity of history.

Third.—If you are a Democrat, but nevertheless want to know "where you are at," you will vote for Roosevelt and Fairbanks, because they stand for definite principles, have the moral courage to carry them out, and have behind them the strong support of a unified party. And what the Republican party says it will do, it always does. The present leaders of the Democratic party seldom express themselves strongly on any particular line of policy, but if they do, they usually also take the precaution to state that the Senate will continue Republican during the next four years, so that it would be impossible to change existing policies, anyhow.

Fourth.—If you are a Democrat, you owe a duty to yourself, your neighbors, your families, and especially to "the little ones at home," and to your fellow countrymen not to vote for candidates of your own party, when it is obvious as it is now that their election would certainly cause apprehension in business circles, tend to make the rich poor and the poor poorer, and increase the difficulties of making a good living. When business depression visits the country, it is no respecter of persons. The poor will suffer quite as much, if not more than the rich, and Democrats will suffer quite as much as Republicans.

PORTLAND LACK ENTHUSIASM.
These are some property owners in Portland, who, it seems to us, are not quite as enthusiastic over the Lewis and Clark Fair, as one would think property holders of that city should be. For instance: Last week while in Portland, we happened to overhear a conversation between a stranger and a Portlander who boasted a "property holder," which ran like this: Stranger—"What is that large sign, '1905' for?" Portlander—"Oh, they're going to try to have a fair here next year." S—"Are they doing any work on it yet?" P—"Yes, I think they are doing something out there; but I haven't been out to see it, and don't know whether it will be a success, or not."

Now, if such citizens as this one were not old "moss backs," there would be more enthusiasm, and consequently it would be easier for the promoters of the fair to make it a howling success. The mere lack of enthusiasm in this Portlander's answers are enough to discourage any stranger from caring to visit the great Lewis and Clark Fair next year. About all one can find out in regard to the exposition, in Portland, is from the newspapers. Even the little town of Hood River can give Portland a few points on enterprise and enthusiasm, when it comes to local publicity.

It must at least be admitted of Parker that he is a complete Democratic politician of the New York type. It goes without saying that the manager for years for David Bennett Hill would have that rank, but it has been exemplified recently by new exhibitions of political shrewdness. Parker has

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And Lasting Until Further Notice.

We are now ready to supply your wants for Fall and Winter with a complete stock of reliable Merchandise. As further evidence of our good values, we quote the following prices: Come early and supply your wants.

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Men's Shoes, worth \$2.50 for \$1.45
Men's Shoes, worth \$3.00 for 1.95
Men's Shoes, worth \$3.50 for 2.40
Ladies' Shoes, worth \$2.50 for 1.45
Boys' Shoes, worth \$1.75 for 1.30
Boys' Shoes, worth \$2.00 for 1.45

DRY GOODS

Best 10c Wrapper Flannelette, 12 yds for \$1.00
Best 12 1/2c Outing Flannel, 12 yds for 1.00
Best 8c Outing Flannel, 20 yds for 1.00
Best 7c and 8c Calicoes, 20 yds for 1.00
Ladies' 25c Hose, 2 pr for .25
Boys' Cotton Underwear, 50c to 75c values .25
Girls' Cotton Underwear, 50c to 75c values .25
Children's Cotton Underwear 50c to 60c .25
Boys' 75c School Pants, .50
Ladies' Jackets, worth \$15 to \$30, 4.90
Ladies' Jackets, worth \$5 to \$15, 3.95
Ladies' Jackets, worth \$5 to \$15, 2.95
Ladies' Jackets, worth \$3.50 to \$5, 1.95

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instigated to action Tammany and Gorman, the two most sinister forces of the party that he represents. He is with them and of them. That's Parker!

Circuit Court docket.
Circuit Court convened on Monday, Oct. 3, 1904. Hon. Judge Bradshaw presiding. Also present, Attorney W. H. Wilson and Prosecuting Attorney Menefee, from The Dalles; C. J. Bright, Sam Stark, and J. W. Allen, of Wasco; J. F. Moore, E. V. Littlefield and Hesford & Ragsdale, of Moro.

The following business was transacted, and court adjourned on morning of Tuesday, Oct. 4, the term being one of the shortest on record: Moro Merit Co vs D M Radley. Dismissed on motion of plaintiff. J Vestal Joy vs Lizzie Joy. Default for want of reply; plaintiff failed to appear in court. W H Wilson vs J E Friend. Confirmation granted. Moore Bros vs Gettz Mill & Mfg Co. Passed. Wasco Lumber Co vs Anna E Pearson. Passed. J A Ellis vs Anna E Pearson. Passed. Moore Bros vs J H Elliott. Settled and dismissed. Maggie Higginbotham et al vs Henry Prock. Decree granted; motion to set aside decree denied. Mary F Welch vs John A Welch. Passed; default; referred to W. H. Ragsdale. Oregon Mfg Co vs E G Messenger. Default and judgment, and ordered to sell attached property. Lena Pragg vs J S Pragg; divorce. Passed; default. Referred to W. H. Ragsdale. J L Smith vs Geo Hildebrand. Injunction; passed; dismissed on motion of plaintiff. J L Smith vs Val Workman. Passed; dismissed on motion of plaintiff. Jacob Harrington vs Mary Harrington. Divorce; passed for service. Eastern Oregon Trading Co vs Jas and G M Spoonmore. Passed for service. Same vs Win Steuart et al. Passed for service. The Plano Mfg Co vs C K Huff.

The people of Sherman county are invited to attend the
SIXTH BIENNIAL
Hood River Fruit Fair
October 13, 14 and 15.

An opportunity to see the products of the famous Hood River country at their best.

Special Rates by Boat and Rail
Thursday—Modern Woodmen of America Day. Friday—Dalles, Eastern Wasco, and Sherman County Day. Saturday—Portland Day. Programmes and entertainments each evening.

Settled and dismissed.
J V O'Leary vs J H Miller. Defendant to complaint overruled; demurred to answer overruled; debt to have sixty days to reply.
C R Rollins vs Sherman Co. Reviewed; taken under advisement; writ sustained.
B S Helsay vs Alex Eaton. Judgment on mandate from supreme court.
In the matter of the assignment of of the Sherman County Bank. Report filed; report approved.
State of Oregon vs John Cunningham and A Munroe. Prisoners arranged and time to plead waived; plea of guilty entered; time for sentence waived. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 each, or fifty days in jail.
State of Oregon vs M D Blum. Dismissed on motion of Dist. Atty. and ordered to turn money found on debt to J J Wiley, debt having died after arrest.
State of Oregon vs A C Harrison. Dismissed on motion of Dist. Atty.
Sherman Trading Co vs J E Henderson. Default and judgment.
State of Oregon vs Laurence Smith. Plea of guilty of assault entered; sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.

How to Cure Corns and Bunions.
First, soak the corn or bunion in warm water to soften it; then pare it down as closely as possible without drawing blood and apply Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice daily, rubbing vigorously for five minutes at each application. A corn plaster should be worn a few days to protect it from the shoe. As a general liniment for rheumatism, bruises, lameness and inflammation, Pain Balm is unequalled. For sale by all Druggists.

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Attorney-at-Law
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Moro, Oregon.

I have for sale three quarter-sections of fine farm land, a short distance east of Klondike, Ore. If you want land call on, or address,
C. J. Bright, Wasco, Ore.

City Property for Sale.
I have for sale the following property in Wasco: Lot 7 and 8 in block 6, Block First Addition; lots 11 and 12 in block 9, and lots 2, 3 and 4 in block 7, of Original town of Wasco; also the Lucas barn. 39-11 C. J. Bright.

Position Wanted.
A competent man with family wants a position on a ranch as overseer, or to drive team, and do cooking. Has large experience in farming. Can give references. Enquire at this office. 9-12

Some Seasonable Advice.
It may be a piece of superfluous advice to urge people at this season of the year to lay in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost sure to be needed before winter is over, and much more prompt and satisfactory results are obtained when taken as soon as a cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system, which can only be done by keeping the remedy at hand. This remedy is so widely known and so altogether good that no one should hesitate about buying it in preference to any other. It is for sale by all Druggists.

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