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ADIEU, KIND FRIENDS.

This week THE REPUBLICAN PUBLISHING COMPANY will dissolve partnership and turn over the printing plant and the future publication of the paper to H. Huse & Son, of Ashland, who will continue to publish the paper in the interest of the county and the good people therein.

Suffice to say this is the fourth change of ownership of the REPUBLICAN since its launching in April, 1896, which has been effected no doubt by the enormous amount of idle capital that is seeking investments on good security. With this announcement we will bid adieu to our many subscribers and seek green fields and pastures new in other lands.

Bryan pretends to believe in the extermination of trusts, yet he voted against the anti-trusts clause in the McKinley law.

Fifty per cent of the articles now controlled by trusts are either on the free-trade list or subjected to a light revenue tariff only.

It is now claimed that an extra session of the California legislature is a certainty and that it will convene early in November. It is also hinted that Dan Burns has cleared the Senatorial path of all obstructions to his political aspirations.

No rural sections of the country are so prosperous as those which possess successful irrigation, yet there are 70,000-900 acres of land in the West now arid and worthless, but capable, under complete irrigation, of raising certain and enormous crops.

General Wheeler's judgment in matters of war has been supposed worth something. He finds the country in the Philippines much better adapted to military operations than he had supposed; and if his forecast is correct, the insurgents will be reduced to submission very soon after our reinforcements arrive and the rainy season is over.

With the booming trade in the middle of dog days, and factories so busy that the annual vacations closing out seriously into filling of orders and in some instances has been necessarily curtailed, it is a bad year for Bryanism. Bryan first attained prominence by telling the working people that he would save them from hard times. He did—by being defeated.

Land monopoly is hardly a question to frighten the West as yet. There is no dearth of land. With between seventy-five and a hundred million acres of public land waiting to be reclaimed, irrigated and cultivated, the West need not yet worry about what land has passed into private hands. Let it turn its attention to that remaining and unite to secure its reclamation by the National Government.

Notwithstanding the strained relations between the United States and Germany the exports from the United States to Germany in 1899 were the largest in the history of the trade between the two countries. The balance of trade is largely in our favor. It is no wonder that the Germans are seriously considering a plan to make trade conditions more equal between the countries.

The democratic party is howling about trusts, yet when it repealed the McKinley tariff it destroyed the law declaring that trusts were illegal. In the Wilson bill they substituted, they placed no restrictions on trusts, and under the hard times caused by that bill was begun the combining of plants in order to reduce expenses. The democratic party has its full share of responsibility for this era of trusts.

The year 1899 may be considered [as the time of our "second wind." Last year we took a deep breath of Protection prosperity and eclipsed all previous records. This year there was nothing to do but to eclipse 1898, and we proceeded to do it. We have taken in the full, deep breath which always carries the runner in a race to victory. Our commercial rivals may as well drop out, for the close of 1899 will see the United States the winner by a good margin in the industrial contest.

Congress appropriates millions of dollars for the building of levees, ripraps and dredging mud to comparatively little purpose; the waters every now and then come rampaging down and break over the levees, causing death and destruction. But the same money, spent by the same government and by the same competent corps of engineers, to build storage dams and irrigation ditches, would prevent floods by storing these waste waters, and would give employment to thousands of laborers, and, at the same time, create a home for every one of them.

It is a fact that though France provoked her last great war with Germany and brought upon herself the astounding disasters that attended it, nevertheless there was much sympathy with France throughout the civilized world, in the calamities of her overwhelming defeat. But this horrible Dreyfus case has turned the feelings of the whole world against France, and when her next war comes there will be universal

desire to see her ground to powder. No nation capable of such horrible injustice can have the sympathy of the civilized world.

Wilhemina, the girl-queen of Holland, appealed to Victoria, the aged queen of England, to interpose her edict against war against the Boers in South Africa. The appeal does credit to the heart of the young Dutch queen, whose sympathies naturally go out to her countrymen in the transvaal, and who has, besides, all of a woman's abhorrence of war. But it exposes an ignorance of the fact that the gracious sovereign of Great Britain is a figurehead in the government, merely "ruling through her ministers." It is Salisbury that Oom Paul must reckon with—not Victoria.

Fruit jars at Duffy's. The barbers' organization will be a clipper.

Jim Moore has a horseless freight wagon—it is pulled by mules.

From all indications we will probably have a few days fine weather.

Possession is nine points of the law, and the attorney's fee is the tenth.

The only drawback that appears to be lacking in France is a populist party.

An Eastern Oregon city has a saloon called the "Bee Hive," because everybody that goes into the hive gets stung.

American trade with China is increasing to such an extent that it is likely this country and Japan will have a monopoly of it in the near future.

"Do you believe Dreyfus is guilty?" "Of course, I do," said the French army officer, so fiercely that his mustache came uncombed. "Guilty of what?" "Guilty of trying to prove his innocence, of course. Anybody ought to be able to see that."—Washington Star.

Spain is still trying her army and navy officers for losing ships and battles to the "Yankee Pigs." If Spain had a hood full of good horse sense she would not keep on advertising that "little affair of honor."

Within the past three months two of Klamath county's most respected citizens, viz: B. T. Tiffany and W. E. Bowdoin, have departed from our midst, the one for the penitentiary and the other, a former editor of the REPUBLICAN, for the insane asylum. Au revoir, boys.

In the write up of a funeral an exchange says that the deceased "lay quietly in his casket." What else would you expect the departed one to do? Get up and prance around a mong the mourners and wear the solemnity of the funeral.

A Sunday school teacher finding a class hesitating over answering the question "With what weapon did Sampson slay the Philistine?" and wishing to prompt them, significantly tapping his own cheek he asked: "What is this?" The whole class instantly answered: "The jaw-bone of an ass."

Last week a young couple arrived here from Yreka and tried to get a marriage license, but Clerk Withrow refused to issue it as the girl could not prove that she was over 18 years of age. All kinds of propositions were suggested, but the cold-hearted clerk refused the license, that would make them one. They left town the next day.

Eugene Wilkerson, of Langell valley, arrived in the Falls Sunday, and Monday was brought before Judge Benson and fined \$10 for disturbing a religious meeting in Langell valley last June. A warrant for his arrest was sworn out last June but Wilkerson left for California and has remained there until lately, when he concluded to face the music, and plead guilty, as his accomplice in crime was only fined \$10 at the June term of court.

Several of the youths of the Falls have been making it a practice lately to go outside of town and tear down signs that have been put up by the merchants, also those around town. This has been going on for nearly the past year or more. Now if these young subjects of the reform school wants to keep out of trouble they had better behave, because preparations are being made for their arrests, which will cause their parents considerable trouble, or else they will be sent over "the road."

Colonel Summers has been reappointed United States appraiser at Portland, says the Oregonian. That is proper. He resigned the office to take service for his country in war, and it is fit and just that he should receive the civil office again. Mr. Hendricks, who was appointed when Colonel Summers went to the Philippine islands, never regarded himself as other than the locum tenens, or ad interim appointee, and resigned at once upon Colonel Summers' return, so the latter might be reappointed.

Van Natta the Ashland fruit peddler was delivering fruit in the Falls yesterday. Van Natta makes a trip out here every week arriving Wednesdays. He delivers a variety of fruit each week, and will deliver any special order that the people may wish.

G. W. Stephenson and family who returned to the valley, last week, have purchased the O. T. Brown place at the junction of the Klamath and California wagon roads. Harry Withrow, who has been living upon the place, is removing to Klamath—Tidings.

It is estimated that the sugar beet crop in Grande Round valley will be fully 20,000 tons, this year, an increase of two and a half times more than last year. This means a vast amount of money on the coast which would otherwise be sent away for sugar. Coast farmers and coast laborers can better afford to sweeten tea and coffee when they themselves are paid for producing the necessary ingredients. It is surely only a matter of time when a beet sugar factory will be established in Rogue river valley.

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