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Some of our exchanges say that, "The factory smoke was so thick in some sections of Ohio that when Mr. Bryan tried to make speeches there it affected his voice seriously."

Now and then an old mossback pokes his head out of his hole and looks about him in vain for signs of prosperity. There are some people who don't know a good thing when they see it.

The magic watchwords, wheat, silver, and Bryan, have lost considerable of their potency. For some reason Bryan don't like to have his name coupled with wheat and silver any more.

Every now and then a Chicago platform plank gives way with a groan as an exceptionally large business-improvement wave dashes against it. Our Cartoon this week shows the platform to be in decidedly bad shape.

The Treasury officials are finding difficulty in handling the gold reserve, which has now passed the \$150,000,000 mark. This condition presents a slight contrast to the bond-selling Cleveland administration.

The attitude of the Administration in regard to the Spanish-Cuban question is sufficiently vigorous to show people that its action is to be clear and determined, and for the best interests of the Cubans as well as the people of the United States.

An exchange says that, "Wheat was going up again and all the panic shriekers were running, but just as they were about to reach cover, word came that the New England mackerel catch was 60,000 barrels short this year, so they turned back, and are going to try another shot."

What will the cheap money men do, now that silver coinage at 16 to 1 is becoming more and more unpopular? Will they abandon the issue entirely and drift into the greenbackism, pure and simple, or will they adopt single-taxism and such other fallacies? It is a logical step from forty cent silver to an unlimited paper money, and it is only a question in the minds of the silverites as to whether this will be sufficiently popular with the masses.

Twenty-five cents per bushel was the price predicted for wheat by the Popocrats last year in case of the election of Mr. McKinley, but with Bryan elected it was to bring a dollar a bushel. And under Bryan every dollar was to be worth two dollars, so that wheat was to bring \$2 a bushel. Of course, McKinley having been elected, wheat should now really be 25 cents a bushel, but owing to the foreign "scarcity," it is \$1, so that if Bryan had been elected it would be worth, at the same ratio of increase, just four times \$2 per bushel, or \$8 per bushel. It is too bad the farmers didn't know about this before they voted for McKinley.— Ex.

Give them Another Term.

As the time for City Election approaches the more thoughtful of our people, those who have the welfare of the city at heart above the gratification of petty ambition, are beginning to consider what ought to be done to secure a good city government for the coming year.

Everybody is ready to admit that the present set of officials has given

us an excellent administration during the past year. The councilmen have been faithful in their attendance upon the stated meetings, the finances of the town have been faithfully looked after, improvements have been made in proportion to the money at their disposal and not a dollar of the city's money has been wasted. Old and defective ordinances have been repealed and new ones enacted and in all things a careful and conservative judgment has been manifested. Mayor and Council have worked together in the utmost harmony and the result has been an administration in all respects creditable to the council and the city. An examination of the records of the city evince the fact that they have been kept faithfully and well, and that Mr. Drew is well qualified to fill the position which he holds. The marshal has had by all odds the hardest task of all. It is absolutely impossible to fill the office of Marshal in any town to the satisfaction of every one. If a marshal be very strict he offends some and if he be lax he offends others; and, even if he is so fortunate as to be just strict enough he still fails to come up to the full requirement with some of his constituents. Marshal Clement, has had a difficult position to fill, but he has done it to the general satisfaction of the people. He has been a painstaking, honest, faithful officer and has endeavored to carry out the laws under the instruction of the City Recorder and City Attorney. The City Attorney has performed his duties faithfully and ably for a ridiculously small compensation, and the City Treasurer has been equally faithful and competent. Take it all in all the city has had an exceptionally good government and the Headlight believes that the very best thing will be to reelect the entire ticket for another year. The Council will be in a position to do far better next year than any new set of councilmen could do. Lines of work have been started on that the council should have the opportunity to complete. The Marshal has learned the ropes and is now fairly familiar with his duties and the tricks of wrong doers. He also can do better than could a new man. The faithfulness of our city officials deserves a reward and the very best reward is an endorsement by returning them to the same offices they now hold for another year.

Elections not Significant.

The elections in the eastern states, as usual on "off years" have this year but little political significance. In N. York the fight had no political significance whatever. It was a struggle between different parties and different factions for power and for the privilege of handling the enormous amount of money which in that great city passes through the hands of the officials. The payroll of greater New York it is estimated will be about \$40,000,000 per annum and it was for control of this and the privilege of assessing it for political and other purposes that the rival factions struggled in the last election. What the Democratic party can find to rejoice over in the result of the election in that city is a mystery to all decent people. The victory was won, not by the democratic party in a fight for democratic principles but by Tammany Hall at whose head is Dick Croker the most corrupt political boss outside of prison walls in America, and in whose ranks this year was found all the filth, all the corruption and all the rottenness of all parties in that great city. Tom Platt the republican boss and Dick Croker the Tammany boss marched cheek by jowl, hand in hand. It was not a struggle for principle but an unprincipled struggle for power. The war cry was "to hell with reform" and the final result one to be deplored by all good men of whatever political faith. The party that glories over the result in New York glories in its own shame and shows itself

unfit for the exercise of power. In Ohio the struggle was of a different character but almost equally destitute of political significance. Mark Hanna was a candidate for the United States Senate and the republican candidates for the legislature were pledged to support him. Mr. Hanna is undoubtedly a great financier and his management of the campaign that resulted in the election of McKinley was able and in it he displayed great ability as an organizer and general, but, notwithstanding all this Mr. Hanna is personally unpopular even in his own party; Especially is this the case amongst the wage workers and farmers, who seem to have determined to retire him to private life. The republican party made a mistake in Ohio and it came near suffering disastrous defeat as a result. Thoughtful democrats can not suppose for a moment that the result in any of the states had any political significance. The election on "off years" very rarely has. It is a struggle between factions, between men, The only officers elected in Ohio, that have any hearing on political matters, are assembly-men, and though such should not be the case nevertheless it is true that the man, and not the party, frequently determines the choice even in that. In New York "the dog has returned unto his vomit." In Ohio Mark Hanna came near being beaten, but the republican party was never so strong in the affections of all the people as it is today.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order a decree of the Hon. County Court of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, duly issued on the 4th day of November 1897, and to me directed as Administrator DE BONIS NON of the Estate of T. F. Harris deceased, and authorizing the sale of the lands hereinafter described, for the purpose of satisfying a certain mortgage upon said lands given by said decedent in his life time to one George F. Williams, dated Jan. 31st, 1892. I will on Saturday the 11 day of December 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the Court House, in Tillamook County, Oregon, The lands in Tillamook Co. Ore, described as follows to-wit: The East half and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter and the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section (30) in Township (2) Two, South of Range (9) Nine West of the Willamette Meridian, in Oregon, containing (50) One hundred and sixty acres. Terms of sale—Twentyfive per cent cash in hand, and the remainder payable upon confirmation of sale. Conveyances to be made at expense of purchaser. G. O. Nolan, Administrator. Handley & Handley, Attys. for Estate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree of the Hon. County Court of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, duly made on the 4th day of November, 1897 and to me directed as Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Wyss, deceased, and authorizing the sale of the lands hereinafter described. I will on Saturday the 11 day of December 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, offer for sale at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in Tillamook County, Oregon, all the Estate, right, title and interest which the above named decedent, Ernest Wyss, had in and to the lands in Tillamook County, Oregon described as follows to-wit: The Southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section (11) eleven, and the South half & Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section (12) Twelve in Township (1) one, North of Range (7) Seven West of the Willamette Meridian, in Oregon. Terms of sale—Twentyfive per cent cash in hand and the remainder on confirmation of the sale. Conveyances to be made at the expense of purchaser. G. O. Nolan, Administrator. Handley & Handley, Attorneys for Estate.

Portland Market.

As given by Allen & Lewis. WHEAT—Market, advance nominal at 79 0/8c, Eastern Oregon; Valley, 82c. OATS—No. 1, white, 23 to 25; grey, 20 @ 22c choice. BARLEY—Feed, \$17.50, to 18.00 brewing \$20.00 to \$22.00. POTATOES—In good demand at 40 to 45c per sack. BUTTER—Store, in rolls 20 @ 25c per roll choice dairy, 30 @ 35c per roll; creamery 42 1/2 @ 47 1/2c per roll. EGGS.—Choice candled 25 1/2c per doz. MILLS—Good demand at 15 1/2 @ 16. WOOL—Valley, 150 @ 160; Eastern Oregon, 100 @ 140. HIDES—Dry, 115 @ 140; green 80 to 70. DRIED APPLES—Evaporated bleached, 5 @ 5c, evaporated unbleached, 4 1/2 @ 5c. PEARS—Sea and evaporated, 5 @ 6c. DRIED PLUMS—Pitless, 4 @ 5c; prunes, 3 1/2 @ 4c. CHICKENS—\$1.50 at 2.00. TURKEYS—Live, 3 @ 4.00 for choice. DUCKS—Young, 3 1/2 @ 4.00. GEENSE—\$1.50 @ 2.00.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK. In the matter of the Estate of Lester B. Hart, insolvent. Notice is hereby given to all persons claiming indebtedness against said Estate to present their claim at the office of Handley & Handley at Tillamook, Oregon within three months from the date hereof. Albert Harris, Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of Tillamook County State of Oregon his final account as administrator of the partnership of Claude Thayer and G. Gabrielsen deceased, and the Court has appointed Tuesday November 2nd 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon for the hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof. Claude Thayer, Administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Ore-on City, Oregon, Oct. 26 1897.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Tillamook County, at Tillamook, Oregon, on Dec. 18th 1897, viz: Edward Evans; H. H. Hobbie for the N E 1/4 of sec 25 T 2 N R 7 West. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Paquet, of Tillamook, Ore; Fred Paquet of Hobsonville, Ore; Joseph Gaudrau, of Hobsonville, Ore; Isaac Smith, of Wilson, Ore. Chas. B. Moores, Register.

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK, OR. In the matter of the estate of Ernest Wyss, deceased. Citation To the unknown heirs of Ernest Wyss the above named decedent greeting: In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook, at the Court Room thereof, at Tillamook, in said County, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of November, 1897 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exists, why G. O. Nolan, administrator of the above named estate, should not be granted an order of sale of the interest of the above named decedent Ernest Wyss in and to the lands in Tillamook County, Oregon, described as follows to-wit: The S E 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of section 11 and the S 1/2 of the S W 1/4 and the N E 1/4 of the S W 1/4 of section 12 in T 1 N of R 7 W of the Willamette Meridian in Oregon containing 160 acres. Witness, the Hon. W. W. Conder Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook with the seal of said Court affixed this 13th day of September 1897. Ernest Wyss, deceased. This notice is served by publication by order of Hon. W. W. Conder Judge of the above named Court made on the 13th day of September 1897. Handley & Handley Attorneys for estate.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

The delinquent tax roll for the year of 1896, has been turned over to me with a warrant attached thereto requiring me to collect the taxes on said roll by levy and sale of the personal property of such delinquent tax payers, and if none be found then the real property described on said tax roll. I trust those who are delinquent will pay up soon, and thus save themselves considerable cost. H. H. Alderman, Sheriff of Tillamook Co., Ore.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK.

In re estate of James Ryan, deceased. Notice is hereby given that D. W. Ryan, administrator of the above named estate, has filed his final account with the clerk of the above named court showing the receipts and disbursements of the funds of said estate and that by virtue of an order issued by said court on the 26th day of Sept. 1897, Tuesday the 2nd day of Nov. 1897, was appointed as such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time if said final account is approved by said court said administrator will be discharged from further liability or connection with said estate. D. W. Ryan, Administrator. W. J. May atty for admr. Dated Sept. 26th 1897.

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