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USES FOR SOOT.

Experiments in France have shown that chimney soot is valuable, both as a fertilizer and as an insecticide. Its fertilizing properties are particularly noted in garden and meadows. M. Dasseire, a wine grower in Southern France, avers that "chimney soot kills

the phylloxera with the rapidity of a stroke of lightning, and at the same time endows the vines with extraordinary energy of growth." Other experiments, however, have not found it effective in the case of phylloxera, although it kills many kinds of larvae.

Mexico promises to be a large factory in the orange markets within a year or two, as the development of groves there has recently been taken up very largely. It is said by an authority in the trade that by 1907 a large part of our oranges will come from Mexico.

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Mexico City, Oct. 31.—The census shows this city has over 400,000 population.

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THEIR LAST EFFORT

BRYAN COMMITTEE SENDS OUT A "CONFIDENTIAL LETTER"

To the Members of the Populist Party—Republicans May Take Warning—King Talks Fraud.

(From Daily Statesman, Nov. 1.) Will R. King, representing himself to be chairman of the People's Party, which was long since swallowed and digested by the Democracy, has issued a "strictly confidential" letter bearing the date of October 30th, to his old friends of the defunct organization, giving them lots of information (?) about the political condition of the state as well as the Nation. The author is either stuporously ignorant of the political situation, or is trying to misrepresent it with a hope of getting a few discouraged Bryanites out to vote who have long realized the utter uselessness of trying to carry Oregon for Bryanism. The former Populists of Salem who received the letter yesterday evidently regarded it as an insult to their intelligence, and indeed it may naturally be so taken, for they at once came with them to the Statesman, condemning a man who would "talk" they could be worked by such nonsense as it contains. The text of the letter is as follows:

"It is now only a few days until election. Our reports from the East all are very encouraging and point to Mr. Bryan's election beyond a reasonable doubt. The only hope the Republican Party can have of succeeding is through the use of money, which, in many places, will very likely result in fraud at the ballot box, if not watched.

"We are NOW of the opinion that Bryan can carry the state of Oregon (although we have not thought so heretofore), and would feel sure of victory if we knew that all of our representative men in each precinct throughout the state would take an active interest in the fight and see that ALL Bryan men vote November 6th. Our last June election is no criterion to judge the result of this election from. There were 17,000 registered voters who did not go to the polls at the June election, and from the best information we can obtain, we believe that three out of every four of these are on our side and will vote for Mr. Bryan.

"We therefore earnestly request THAT YOU MAKE A SPECIAL EFFORT TO HAVE EVERY BRYAN VOTER AT THE POLLS ON ELECTION DAY.

"We have over 900 precincts in this state. You will readily see that if a few Bryan men in each precinct do not vote it will be a loss of a few thousand votes in the state. We trust also that you will make it a point to see that at least one Republican in your precinct changes his vote, looking especially after the young men. In this way, if followed up in each precinct in the state, it will take at least 900 from the other side and add them to the Bryan ticket, making a change of the total result of 1,800 votes in our favor, and may insure Bryan's election. McKinley only carried this state four years ago by 2117 votes. Practically all who voted for Bryan before will do so this time. We know of at least 200 in one county who have changed to Mr. Bryan, and reports in most counties look very encouraging. The majority for McKinley in Portland will be 2500 less than it was in 1896. This can be overcome by the votes from outside counties with active work.

"THIS LETTER IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. We have given over three months of our time, free of charge to this campaign, hence it is not asking much of you, and a few Bryan supporters in your precinct, TO GIVE YOUR FULL TIME IN SPECIAL WORK FOR THE CAUSE ON ELECTION DAY, and a few days before if necessary. Be at the polls before time to vote on the morning of election, see that the boxes are properly closed, that everything is done in accordance with law, and that no fraud is perpetrated. Have some one to look over the shoulder of the judges and watch the count carefully until the last ballot is counted. You can readily see what an easy matter it would be for a judge if so disposed, to make a mistake (intentionally) and read two or three ballots in favor of the Republican ticket, which would

make a difference of about 2000 votes in the state, if done in every precinct. "If all to whom this letter is sent will act on these suggestions, there can be no doubt but that the result in this state will be for Bryan, and it is possible that the carrying of the state may be necessary for his election, so let us do our best."

FRANCE AGREES.

The Anglo-German Compact Satisfactory to That Country.

Paris, Nov. 1.—The Polique Coloniale makes the following announcement:

"The French Ambassador to Great Britain has received instructions, to reply to the Anglo-German agreement that France adheres to the principle of integrity of the Chinese Empire, and the 'open door,' and that with regard to article 2, she reserves the right to act in such manner as to safeguard her interests."

A SPANISH REVOLUTION.

Madrid, Oct. 31.—Papers and stamps bearing the inscription, "The Royal Army of Catalonia," have been seized. It is said that the revolution was timed for the first night in November. The conspirators in three groups were to attack simultaneously the municipal council, the civil government and the captain general.

NEWS IN STAYTON.

A Resident of That Place Loses a Large Sum of Money.

Stayton, Or., Oct. 31.—Will Weddle had the misfortune to lose a purse, containing about \$85, Saturday. He in company with Otis Balles, went over into Linn county for some apples, and on the way stopped at Kington, and purchased some cigars, that being the last time he remembers having the purse. Mr. Weddle is under the impression that he left the purse lying on the counter, where it was no doubt picked up by loafers. Geo. Neibert is having his house on Second street thoroughly remodeled, papered and painted, new porches and partitions added, and building a new barn, preparatory for rental purposes. It is understood a lady from near Turner will occupy the building, and conduct a boarding house.

Thos. Gehlen, Stayton's leading merchant, has just completed a new ten foot cement pavement in front of his store building, on 2d street. The work was done by John Olesoa, of Salem, and does credit to that part of town.

A party consisting of Grant and John Nixon, Bud David and Oscar Cole left Saturday for Horse Mountain back where they expected to enjoy several days fine sport in deer hunting.

Mrs. Watson and daughter, Miss Callie, of Goldendale, Washington, accompanied by the Misses McCrow of McCoy, arrived in the city yesterday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fischer.

E. Shepherd made a business trip to Salem Saturday.

Miss Augusta Neff who has been visiting relatives in this city for the past few weeks returned to Stayton Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Fred Bowersox returned to Stayton Monday after a week's visit with friends in the Capital City.

Mrs. Frank Rowe and two little daughters, Dollie and Marie, of Detroit are guests at the Woolley home.

J. R. G. Russell, pastor of the Baptist church at this place is conducting a series of revival meetings which will continue throughout the week.

John Robertson and son, Byron, and Gilbert Stayton returned from the mountains one day last week bringing the latest fine deer, G. L. Hunt and Arthur Elder returned a few days later without getting a shot.

A SUFFRAGIST DEAD.

New York, Oct. 31.—Mrs. Sarah Burd is dead at Rochester, in her 90th year, says a dispatch to the Times. Mrs. Burd was born in Saratoga in 1810. She was one of the first active workers in the cause of woman suffrage.

UNION OF WOMEN BINDERS.

There are so many women employed as binders in Washington that they have formed a most interesting and active club, under the name of the Woman's Bindery Union.

SMALL FORTUNE FOR A POST-AGE STAMP.

One of the questions most often asked is, "Which is the most valuable stamp in the world?" The most valuable stamp is supposed generally to be the rarest, yet this is really not so, as several stamps known to be exceedingly rare have brought only hundreds where the Mauritius postage stamp of 1847 has brought thousands. The highest price ever paid for a stamp is \$7,500 for one of these Mauritius 2-cent stamps, used, Jules Bernillon, of Paris, is the proud possessor of these one-penny and two-penny Mauritius, for which he paid \$3000. Mr. Bernillon's collection is one of the finest in the world, and is supposed to be exceeded only by the collection of the Count of Turin, now crown prince of Italy. The most valuable American stamp is the ten-cent Baldwin, a specimen being recently bought by William A. Castle, of New York, for \$1,000.

METEOR IN A LEAD MINE.

An interesting discovery was made recently at the West Lubec, Me., lead mine by Dr. Smith. While digging in a bed of slate several meteorites were unearthed, two of which were as large as a man's head. These must have fallen thousands of years ago, when the slate bed was a part of the old sea shore. They were imbedded several feet below the surface at the mouth of shaft No. 8. Two of the meteorites were dug up whole and will be sent to a college museum.

MIDDLE-OF-ROAD ACTIVITY.

A "Third Party Movement" of Some Importance, Where Its Effects Will Be Felt.

The National Convention of the Middle-of-the-Road Populists, which put Barker and Donnelly in the field on May 10, was participated in by 975 delegates, the representation of the various states and territories be-

ing based upon the demonstrated voting strength of the Populist party at the 1896 election and not upon the division of electors among the states. New York had only 13 delegates, Pennsylvania, from which the Presidential candidate was chosen, only 14, and New Jersey 6, but Texas had 123, Kansas, 86; Alabama, 62; Minnesota, 48; Nebraska, 46; Iowa, 27; and South Dakota, 17.

In the Presidential election of 1896 the Populist vote for Bryan and Watson was separate from the Democratic vote for Bryan and Sewell in only seventeen of the forty-five states, and in these it was nearly a quarter of a million. In most of the other states the Democratic and Populist electoral tickets were the same under a division whereby one party had the choice of some and the other party of the balance to which the state was entitled. Thus in Iowa the Democrats got 10 and the Populists 3, in Nebraska there were 4 Democrats and 4 Populists, in Wisconsin there were 9 Democrats and 3 Populists. The arrangement under which this fusion was made provided that all the electors, if chosen, should vote for Bryan for President, but that on the Vice Presidency they should vote for the candidate of the party to which they owed their selection—the Democrats for Mr. Sewall and the Populists for Mr. Watson.

Under this arrangement Mr. Sewell received 149 votes in the electoral college and Mr. Watson 27, an arrangement which in no wise reflected the division between the two parties, for in Arkansas, in which Mr. Sewall received five votes and Mr. Watson 3, the division of the two parties on the vote for Governor in the same year was as follows: Democratic, 91,000, and Populist, 13,000, and in Georgia, of which Mr. Watson was a resident and in which the Populist candidate for Governor polled in the same year, 85,000 votes, all the electors were for Mr. Sewall. Watson received none.

Since 1896 many of the former Populists have directly joined with the Democrats, the estrangement between the original or Middle-of-the-Road Populists and the Fusionists has increased steadily. The Middle-of-the-Road men have their Presidential ticket in the field, and they have determined upon separate state nominating in Nebraska, Kentucky, Illinois, and a number of other states. What makes the Middle-of-the-Road Populist movement more formidable than that of any of the other "outside" parties this year is the fact that they are most numerous in the doubtful states. It is different with the other parties, "outside" of the regulars, for the Gold Democrats, so called, showed in 1896 that their supporters were nearly all in the strong McKinley states. This condition of things rules with the Prohibitionists as well, who received their largest vote in 1896 in the two states of New York and Pennsylvania, which gave respectively 298,000 and 295,000 plurality for McKinley.

The Middle-of-the-Road Populists are most numerous in the belt of states where heretofore Bryan has been strongest, particularly in Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota and Minnesota. They are very numerous, too, though that is of much less political importance, in the state of Texas, and in Ohio four years ago they polled 26,000 votes and in California 21,000, the number of straight-out Populists being in the same contest 46,000 in Kansas.

An active campaign by the Middle-of-the-Road men would be of little importance probably in the states of the East, regardless of the fact that their Presidential candidate has been chosen from this region; but in close states, such as Kentucky or Indiana for instance, the activity of the Middle-of-the-Road men brings no encouragement to Democratic leaders, and in Nebraska and Kansas is a distinct and serious menace to any prospect of Democratic success. The Middle-of-the-Road men in Maine were much opposed to Arthur Sewall four years ago and polled 2,500 votes for Watson.

STANDARD OIL MAN DEAD.

New York, Oct. 31.—The death of A. M. McGregor, a director of the Standard Oil Company, was announced here today.

FEES RECEIVED.—County Clerk W. W. Hall collected, during the month of October, \$268.25, as fees in his office, and County Recorder J. H. Roland, received \$241.05, both of which amounts were turned over to the treasurer.

MARRIED.

JESSUP-FENNELL.—At the First Baptist church, corner of Liberty and Marion streets, Salem, Oregon, Wednesday, November 31, 1906, at 7:30 p. m., Miss Ella Fennell to Mr. Albert A. Jessup, Rev. P. S. Knight officiating.

The ceremony was a most beautiful and impressive one, and was witnessed by a large crowd of invited guests and friends of the high contracting parties. The church was beautifully decorated in ferns and autumn leaves. Gesner's orchestra furnished delightful music during the interesting ceremony. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the residence of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Jessup, on State street, where an elegant wedding repast was served, after which the bridal couple was escorted to the overland train, which was boarded for a short wedding tour, the destination being kept a secret. Two cabs loaded with young friends of the happy couple, all of them armed with tin pans, cow bells and other instruments of torture, followed the bridal party to the train, making a hideous noise, and vividly recalling the old time charivari parties.

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