

Spring

The season for purifying, cleansing, and renewing. The accumulations of waste everywhere are being removed. Winter's grasp is broken and on all sides are indications of nature's returning life, renewed force, and awakening power.

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The time for purifying the blood, cleansing the system and renewing the physical powers. Owing to close confinement, diminished perspiration and other causes, in the winter, impurities are not passed out of the system as they should but have accumulated in the blood.

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Therefore the best time to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, because the system is now most in need of medicine. That Hood's Sarsaparilla is the best blood purifier and purifying medicine is proved by its wonderful cures. A course of Hood's Sarsaparilla may prevent great suffering later on.

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CHURCH SERVICES TOMORROW.

EVANGELICAL.
Corner Chemeketa and Seventeenth streets. Rev. F. M. Fisher, a returned missionary from Japan, will fill the pulpit at 11 a. m., and in the evening at 7:30. Rev. H. Schuknecht, the P. E. from Portland, will preach. After an evening sermon, there will be communion services. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Y. P. A. meeting at 6:30 p. m. On Monday evening, March 23, Rev. F. M. Fisher will deliver a free lecture on Japan. Everybody welcome.

CHRISTIAN.

Corner of Center and High streets. A. Denton pastor. Morning services begin at 10:30. Subject of expository sermon "Ananias and Sapphira." Sunday school from 12 to 1. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Topic "Diligence in Business." Evening sermon at 7:30 to children and young people. Subject "Keep Thyself Pure."

EVANGELICAL.

First German Church of the Evangelical Association on the corner of Liberty and Center streets. P. Bittner pastor. Sunday school at 10. Preaching at 11 and 7:30. In the morning H. Schuknecht, of Portland, will officiate. After preaching, communion services will be held. In the evening F. M. Fisher, a missionary from Japan, will preach. All are cordially invited.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. W. C. Kantner pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject in the morning "The Beautiful Christ," in the evening "The Battle of Life." A choir of male voices will lead in the singing. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Leader Mr. Fred Geibel.

UNITY CHURCH.

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Children's meeting at 11:45 a. m. Rev. W. E. Copeland, pastor. Mr. L. V. Barnard will conduct the services. Subject of morning sermon "What of a Day." Subject of evening sermon "What Salvation Is and is Not."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. Geo. Bray of Nebraska will preach morning and evening at the usual hours. Sunday school and Y. P. S. C. E. as usual.

INDEPENDENT EVANGELICAL.

On Cottage street. J. Bowerbox pastor. Preaching at 10:30 tomorrow. Sunday school at 12. At 7:30 Christian Endeavor exercises.

CENTRAL CHAPEL.

Eighteenth and State street. Usual services at 10 and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. P. S. Knight in charge.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN.

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. tomorrow conducted by Elder Jones, of Woodburn, Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Y. M. C. A.

Rev. Elwood Scott will address the men's meeting at 4 p. m. All men are invited to attend this service.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. at their hall corner Liberty and Court streets.

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Services at 10:30 a. m., in State Insurance hall. All welcome.

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Some Campaign Figures

For Democrats and Populists to Struggle With.

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Year ended June 30.	Customs revenue.	Excess of revenue over expenditure.	Excess of expenditure over revenue.
1858.....	.....	.....	\$ 27,529,904.43
1859.....	.....	.....	15,584,511.10
1860.....	.....	.....	7,065,990.56
1861.....	.....	.....	25,036,714.50
1862.....	.....	.....	422,774,363.48
1863.....	.....	.....	602,043,434.22
1864.....	.....	.....	600,663,870.37
1865.....	.....	.....	963,840,619.33
1866.....	.....	.....	.....
1867.....	\$179,046,651.28	\$ 37,223,203.07	.....
1868.....	176,417,810.88	133,091,335.11	.....
1869.....	164,464,599.56	28,297,708.46	.....
1870.....	180,048,428.63	48,078,469.41	.....
1871.....	194,538,374.44	101,601,916.88	.....
1872.....	206,270,408.05	91,146,756.64	.....
1873.....	216,370,286.77	96,588,904.80	.....
1874.....	188,980,522.70	43,392,959.34	.....
1875.....	163,103,833.69	2,344,882.30	.....
1876.....	157,167,722.35	13,376,638.26	.....
1877.....	148,071,984.61	29,022,241.83	.....
1878.....	130,956,493.07	30,340,577.69	.....
1879.....	120,170,680.20	20,799,551.90	.....
1880.....	137,250,047.70	6,879,300.93	.....
1881.....	186,525,094.60	65,883,653.20	.....
1882.....	198,150,676.02	100,069,404.98	.....
1883.....	290,410,730.25	145,543,810.71	.....
1884.....	214,706,496.93	132,879,444.41	.....
1885.....	195,067,489.76	104,393,625.59	.....
1886.....	181,471,939.34	63,463,771.27	.....
1887.....	192,905,023.44	93,956,588.56	.....
1888.....	217,286,893.13	103,471,097.59	.....
1889.....	219,091,173.63	111,341,273.63	.....
1890.....	223,832,741.69	87,761,080.59	.....
1891.....	229,968,584.57	85,040,271.07	.....
1892.....	219,525,205.23	26,838,541.96	.....
1893.....	177,452,964.15	9,914,423.69	.....
1894.....	203,355,016.73	2,341,675.29	.....
1895.....	131,318,530.62	.....	\$ 69,803,260.58
1896.....	152,158,617.45	.....	42,805,223.18

The above table of figures, compiled from the official government statistics, shows that for three years of Democratic rule and five years of rebellion from 1860 to 1865 inclusive there was a deficit in the national treasury. From 1866 to 1873 inclusive there was a Republican surplus to apply to wiping out the national debt. Cleveland went in March 4, 1893, and for that year the surplus nearly disappeared. In 1894 and 1895 the deficit due to Democratic mismanagement of revenues and finances ran up to over \$112,000,000. Draw your own conclusions.

CALL FOR CONVENTION.

A Republican convention for the state of Oregon is called to meet in the city of Portland, on Thursday, April 9, 1896, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the presidential electors and state and district offices, except congressmen, and of electing four delegates at large to the Republican national convention, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention. The convention will consist of 237 delegates chosen by the several counties as follows:

Baker.....	5	Lane.....	10
Benton.....	5	Linn.....	10
Clackamas.....	12	Lincoln.....	3
Clatsop.....	7	Malheur.....	3
Columbia.....	5	Marion.....	10
Coos.....	4	Morrow.....	3
Crook.....	3	Multnomah.....	48
Curry.....	3	Polk.....	8
Douglas.....	2	Sherman.....	3
Gilliam.....	3	Tillamook.....	3
Grant.....	3	Umatilla.....	9
Harney.....	2	Union.....	8
Jackson.....	7	Wallowa.....	3
Josephine.....	4	Wasco.....	7
Klamath.....	2	Washington.....	11
Lake.....	3	Yamhill.....	9

The same being one delegate at large for each county and one delegate for every 300 votes and for every fraction over one-half thereof cast for the Republican candidate for governor at the election held in this state on June 4, 1894.

All voters in favor of the Republican principle of protection to American industries and American labor, the upbuilding of a home market, a sound financial policy and a patriotic enforcement of the Monroe doctrine are cordially invited to unite with us and

GEORGE A. STEEL, Chairman.

WILLIAM KAPUS, Secretary.

Portland, Or., Feb. 5, 1896.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.

A Republican convention for the first congressional district, of the state of Oregon, is hereby called to meet in the city of Albany on Tuesday, April 7, 1896, at 3 p. m. for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and two delegates to the national Republican convention. The convention will consist of 122 delegates to be chosen by the several counties, as follows:

Benton.....	5	Lake.....	3
Coos.....	4	Lincoln.....	3
Curry.....	3	Linn.....	10
Clackamas.....	12	Marion.....	10
Columbia.....	5	Morrow.....	3
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The same being one delegate at large for each county and one for each thereof, cast for the Republican governor at the election held June 4, 1894. The committee recommends that the primaries and county conventions be held in accordance with the recommendation of the state central committee.

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