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WOOLEN MILL STORE

## Woolen Mill Opening.

Afternoon and Evening.

Friday, May 15, 1896.

Everybody invited to the Free Concert and speechmaking in the afternoon.

### Grand Ball at Night.

Beautiful decorations—Hall 60x140 feet. Band of twenty pieces, Orchestra of ten pieces. All invited. Proceeds of ball for the hospital.

### DEMOCRATIC SOLONS.

Gathering of the Warhorses at Gervais.

Discuss Legislative Appropriations and State Issues.

A large house, in which was to be seen a number of ladies, was present. Postmaster Nathman was chosen chairman. Wm. Kaiser, of Salem, was introduced. He spoke with considerable emotion of his experiences as a boy in this vicinity. Twenty years ago he had taught school on French Prairie and recalled with pleasure feelings that arose in his breast at sight of old friends and familiar faces that had always treated him with kindness.

It was unnecessary to have any argument on tariff, or national issues. Whether we should have high or low tariff, gold or silver standard or bimetalism, was of not so much consequence as reduction of our expenses. Retrenchment and reform and taxation were vital issues. Let us look into home matters.

The last two legislatures had appropriated something like two million dollars each. The clerkship evil had grown from about 25 in 1883 to 180 in 1891 and two hundred in 1893 and 180 in 1895.

The railroad commission was severely arraigned. They would undoubtedly be supplied with bootblacks and chambermaids by the next legislature if it was Republican. (Laughter.)

He scored the appropriations for higher education which he charged was for the sons and daughters of the rich. At one of these schools they paid \$1500 a year for a professor of gymnastics to teach the boys to turn summersaults and the young ladies to develop their muscles. (Laughter.)

In this great period of depression there was no excuse for high salaries and extravagant appropriations. The officials became rich and wealthy in a few terms of office, while it took the farmer and mechanic a lifetime to accumulate a competence and many went down to their graves in poverty. The people should arise in their wrath and place their disapproval on such conduct.

All the Republicans want is the offices. The dominant party did not care how much the people were taxed. They were after the boodle, and the people got nothing but high taxes as a result.

He told a story of the Irishman who had a best girl. Each had a pair of oars and were drifting along on the placid waters, having a regular love feast. They got near a waterfall and were near the brink, when both began to row with all their might. He did not tell her the danger. She did not realize it, but was charmed with the voices of the birds singing in the air. C. B. Moores, T. T. Geer and Elder Barkley were doing the sweet singing, but the Democratic party would save the people from destruction. (Applause.) His story of the parrot and the dog was also very amusing.

On another matter the Democratic party had taken a stand. They declared against any man being ostracized on account of any religious test in citizenship or politics. Under that flag we all loved so well it was wrong for men to form a secret political organization to oppress religious and benevolent and charitable organizations. Exact and equal justice to all men was the motto of Thomas Jefferson. Lincoln and Washington agreed in demanding religion and morality as the basis of our government.

Mr. Kaiser made a strong impression on his audience, and there was a good round of applause when he sat down after his half hour talk.

Hon. P. H. D'Arcy discussed the

importance of good government in his usual able and courteous manner. He was not prepared to say the Democratic party had not made mistakes in the past. All parties he said fell into the hands of bad men at times. It was a misfortune that the Republicans were so strong in this county and state. He talked as a business man, not as a politician, when he said their support was asked for as good a ticket as had ever been put up in this county. Did Barkley and Craig keep their pledges? Craig had introduced a bill to create the office of "moral director of public institutions" and Barkley had supported it. (This is the bill that Rev. Grannis got up and it was introduced at his request and was unanimously rejected on its second reading.)

A. M. Stevens said he was a Populist but if W. J. D'Arcy was elected he would be counted out as was E. J. Harding. Mr. D'Arcy read the Grange resolutions asking that salaries be reduced to the sums named in their platform. Mr. D'Arcy scored the high salaries of the county and state officials and the people were asked to take a stand against continuing this sort of things. Independent Republicans by the hundreds were showing their disapprobation of these things. He asked them to unite as Democrats, shoulder to shoulder and stand by their platform and ticket. He charged that the expenses of the last legislature were \$55,000. He told a story of a lot of men who went to Heaven. St. Peter told a middle-of-the-road Populist and a straight Republican to stand aside. But an Independent Republican and a Democrat who were standing together this year, St. Peter invited right in. "For God's sake don't be a middle-of-the-road-Populist this year and vote for Populists whether they give you good government or bad." (Great applause.)

Some more good stories were told and a great deal of merriment was caused. Mr. D'Arcy concluded by saying that Republicans, Democrats and Populists were in favor of good government and Populists could do no better than help elect the straight Democratic ticket.

He pledged that Wm. J. D'Arcy would vote for no money for universities, normal schools and high schools. The schools were trying to do too much for the children nowadays. He was opposed to turning out gentlemen who would not work for a living. He referred to the anti-A. P. A. plank in the Democratic platform in an impressive manner. No star should be erased and no stripe should be blurred from the American flag and while the Democratic party was wrong on some things, it was honest, true and patriotic against this temporary fanaticism. (Applause.)

T. B. Wait, the Democratic warhorse and Penoyer cannon-spiker; He was not a kicker. The county convention had shown great wisdom in selecting E. J. Harding for county judge in place of him. He severely attacked Terrell, the Republican candidate and eulogized County Judge Hubbard who could say no. The farmers' little boys would wear no bib-overalls next year if Terrell was judge, they would run about in their shirts. Frank Feller would as commissioner make a good running mate for Judge Harding, the next county judge of Marion county, (Great applause.) He eulogized Sam Hayden and charged that John Carson was only recently naturalized. Ben Hayden was a captain in the Indian wars and fought to save this country for the new comers. He did not say a word against Mr. Carson's record as a lawyer, or his ability to fill the place. When he was a boy they used to take him along to buck straw at the threshing machine. Now he was in his second childhood and they were taking him along with the machine to buck straw. Mr. Stevens now spoke in eulogy of Capt. Harding, though he was a Populist. He was well to do and did not have to enrich himself at the expense of the county. (Applause.)

John Lewis was introduced and said he considered it the most important office in the county. Frank Feller was introduced with a hurrah and great good will was shown him. He would work with Mr. Harding to the true interest of the taxpayers. They would look after the interest and welfare of the public and if the supervisors asked for lumber to build a bridge and the public needed it they would supply it. They would not cut small bills and pay large ones in full. John Bayne was now introduced as Democratic candidate for the legislature. He said he was not a politician or stump speaker. He endorsed the sentiments that had been expressed. A man elected to a public office should be as careful as he was with his own office. He would speak in more detail on the 25th when they would be here.

Mr. Kaiser now asked a few minutes to reply to the attacks that were made on Sam Hayden, Democratic candidate for district attorney. Luke Smith was now introduced as candidate for representative. He spent considerable money in the canvass two years ago and he said if it was not for his belated crops and hard times he would make the canvass again. But he could not make the fight and wished to decline to allow his name to be used.

Hon. J. B. Dineck, of Hubbard, was present and he asked time to briefly reply to some of the charges made against the Republicans, and he did so in an able and vigorous manner. He showed that the lower house where there was not a Democrat, repealed the railroad commission three times, while the senate, where there were Democrats, restored it. He showed Elder Barkley in the house made Mr. Grannis's moral director bill a non-sectarian measure which killed it.

### Colorado Convention.

PUEBLO, Colo., May 14.—At the second Colorado district Republican convention this forenoon, Senator Teller was endorsed and asked to lead the Colorado delegation at St. Louis. An effort to amend the resolutions so as to instruct the delegates not to bolt at St. Louis, was defeated 199 to 170. Bimetallism and protection are declared paramount.

### Robbery.

NEW YORK, May 14.—The police made public today a robbery committed Monday night in the confectionery store of Eugene C. Ackers, on Sixth avenue. The booty amounted to \$22,000, most of it being diamond jewelry, kept in the safe. The police arrested John H. Reidel on suspicion. Reidel has been cared for by Ackers almost as an adopted son.

### Statement Denied.

NEW YORK, May 14.—Don M. Dickinson of Michigan, unequivocally denied today the statement published in the Detroit papers, that he had a letter from President Cleveland, which said the latter would not again be a candidate for the presidency.

### Assignment.

CINCINNATI, May 14.—The Odd Fellows Temple company, incorporated for the purpose of building and maintaining the great Odd Fellows temple, made an assignment to Marcus Worth. Assets are estimated at \$55,000; liabilities \$250,000.

### Republican Convention.

RALEIGH, N. C.—Republican State Convention will meet here today. The fusionists have had control of the State Committee; whether they will succeed equally well in the convention. If they do Russell will get the nomination for Governor.

### Trial Trip.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., May 14.—The Oregon is off on her trial trip. She crossed the line about 8 o'clock. The conditions in spite of high wind are most favorable.

### Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Hogs, light \$3.30@3.50. Cattle, beefs \$3.45@4.45. Cows and heifers—\$1.60@3.85. Sheep market strong to shade higher.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## THE M.E. CONFERENCE

Largest Attendance of the Session.

## TWO BISHOPS RETIRED.

A Pathetic Scene in the Great Assembly.

CLEVELAND, May 14.—Today's session of the Methodist Episcopal general conference was marked by the largest attendance of the session. Dr. Buckley as chairman made a report of the committee on Episcopacy. It is stated in the opinion of the committee Bishops Bowman and Foster are too old to stand the strain of duties and recommend their retirement at the end of the conference as non effective. A generous appropriation was urged for them. Bishop Foster rose and the audience received him with great applause. He said he simply had a request to make. He knew the question was one of great delicacy and he begged to be permitted to retire. Cries of "no, no," came from all parts of the hall. Bishop Foster extended his arms saying, "please, please." It was a most pathetic scene Bishop Foster spoke a few moments and the conference by a rising vote granted his last request. Bishop Bowman said he would make the same request, as he had just learned for the first time that he was not effective.

### LAST NIGHT.

Chaplain C. C. McCabe presented a constitutional amendment, which forbids any missionary society from appropriating any sum in excess of the income of the year previous. This was to call a halt on the appropriations which have been made in excess of income.

### INFANT BAPTISM.

A report in which a change was proposed in the matter of baptism created a prolonged debate. The proposition was that those who were sprinkled in infancy could, if desired, be immersed when they grew older. This was opposed by Dr. Leonard and others, on the ground that it was a discrimination against infant baptism, and after a prolonged discussion the report of the committee was recommended.

### An Inhuman Father.

SPARTA, Or., May 13.—A horrible crime has been committed by one James Robbins. He is charged with rape on his 11 year-old daughter. James Robbins has four children, two sons and two daughters. The girls are aged 11 and 9 years. Last June he went to work for C. G. Reed and moved his girls into a cabin a little over a quarter of a mile from the mine and let them keep house, he going home and staying nights and there commenced his fiendish work and keeping it up until the 6th of this month, when the younger girl told one of the neighbor women here, and steps were taken for his arrest. He was given an examination before G. Kendall, J. P., of Eagle Valley and found guilty and bonds fixed at \$3000, which he could not give and Constable Kirby took him to Union.

### Colorado Republicans.

PUEBLO, Col., May 14.—The Republican state convention will meet here today. There will be 713 delegates in attendance. The Teller influence will be strongly felt. Free silver is already a settled plank in the platform. Whether a favorite son will be trotted out in the person of Senator Teller is a question. Senator Wolcott in a recent letter to the chairman of the Republican state committee declared that the convention might and might not decide to be represented at St. Louis.

## DILLEY GETS HIS MAN.

Wm. Magers, alias Walley Johnson, Taken at Silverton.

May first it was reported that some one had robbed Sam Gibson, of West Salem, of \$113, and another man near there had lost a horse. The animal with saddle on was found at the big bridge, but no clue was given to the thief, who had probably used the horse to escape. Chief of Police Dilley was informed, and went to work on the case, and his only clue was from Mr. Hanson, who reported seeing a young man come into town early in the morning, who he at once suspected might be the perpetrator.

Mr. Dilley worked out the clue. He found where young fellow had bought an outfit of clothing at the Woolen Mill store; also where he had gone to a boarding house and cleaned up, putting aside his old clothes, but after that no trace was found of him until recently Mr. Dilley located the suspect at Silverton. This morning he brought him to Salem and from what he can learn he is confident he has the right party. While employed by Mr. Gibson he went under the alias of Walley Johnson, but now he claims his name is Will Magers. The prisoner was turned over to the officer from Polk county where he will be tried.

### CAMPAIGN NOTES.

The Democratic speakers at Gervais seemed to think the only way to restore prosperity, was to have less clerks in the legislature. They did not extol the Cleveland administration nor the Wilson tariff. They were silent on the money question. They denounced the A. P. A. and made a plea for the Independent Republicans and Populists to vote their ticket.

Geo. W. Beebe of Hubbard, Democratic candidate for county clerk, withdrew his name today, as a candidate. That leaves only L. V. Ehlen, Rep., and R. H. Leabo, Pop., in the field.

John M. Somers, Republican candidate for the legislature, came down from Albany today. He says the legislative ticket there will be elected beyond a doubt, as the Republicans have put the Populists on the defensive.

### Murder and Suicide.

EAST CLALLAM, WASH., May 14.—At Beaver, twenty miles west here, last Monday, David McConnachie and wife were murdered by Charley Paul, a neighbor, who took his own life. Paul first murdered the man and then went into the house and scared the woman into promising to let him go free, and when his back was turned the woman attacked him with a butcher knife. He took it away from her and nearly cut her to pieces, killing her after a desperate struggle. He then returned home and blew his own brains out. Paul is thought to have murdered the woman's former husband, Charles Benton, in order to marry her, but instead she married McConnachie.

### Scott Jackson Guilty.

NEWPORT, Ky., May 14.—The Scott Jackson case went to the jury at 10 o'clock this morning. At 12:35 p. m. the jury returned amid deathlike stillness. The foreman handed the verdict to the clerk who read as follows: "We, the jury, find the defendant, Scott Jackson, guilty of murder in the first degree and fix the penalty at death."

### The Virginia Republicans.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., May 14.—The Republican state convention today instructed for McKinley, and declared for sound money, amid great enthusiasm.

### Health Association.

NEW YORK, May 14.—A convention of the Ladies Health Protective Association and its branches and offshoots begins today.

### A Valuable Prescription.

Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind., "Sun," writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can cheerfully recommend it for Constipation and Sick Headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove, Ave., Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a headache which never left her and felt tired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cents and \$1.00. Get a Bottle at Fred A. Legg's Drug Store.

PRIMARY POLITICS.—The new book on the reformation of the American primary system, is now on sale at Dearborn's book store. a17t

Fish of all kinds—Doty's market.

## A FAIRY BOWER.

Decorations for the Great Woolen Mill Ball.

Committees Hard at Work on This Social Event.

The great second floor of the new Salem woolen mills will reveal all the brilliant colorings and gay appearance of a fair bower Friday night. Snow white walls, girders of flashing scarlet, festoons of the national colors, studded with evergreen trees, at regular intervals, the whole enriched with gigantic American flags, and illuminated with three-three-hundred candle power arc lights, will present a scene of unrivaled brilliancy. The floor is 60 by 140 feet. Dressing rooms are set off at one end. The orchestra stand will be hidden in a bower of ferns and Scotch broom in bloom. A refreshment booth in the farthest corner, will be an appreciated feature.

Miss Mona Bowman, Mrs. J. J. Murphy, and other ladies interested in the hospital, were at the mills all day today, superintending the decorations. A sidewalk is being laid from the streets to the mills. Frank Willman has been in charge of the artistic arrangements of effects, assisted by Thos. McNary, L. D. McClure, Frank Dickman, Gideon Stolz and others.

The ball opens Friday evening at 8 p. m. sharp, and there is a revelation in store for those who attend.

### PROGRAM.

A few minutes before 2 o'clock the band will assemble in front of the Woolen Mill store, 299 Commercial street, where they will play some pleasing airs, after which they and the crowd will march to the woolen mill where the regular exercises will begin as soon as the 2:20 train arrives. The committee on reception will be on hand and will attend to making the guests feel at home.

The meeting will be opened by a burst of music by the band and will be called to order by Frank Davey, of the executive committee, who will make the opening speech and act as moderator. The program will be continued as follows:

- Music.
- Address of Welcome, Mayor Claud Gatch of Salem.
- Music.
- Address by Hon. J. K. Weatherford of Albany.
- Music.
- Address by Mayor Walter Tooze of Woodburn.
- Music.
- Address by Hon. Thomas Kay, President of the Woolen Mill.
- Address by Rev. J. P. Farmer of Salem.
- Music.
- Address by Hon. Chas. B. Montague of Lebanon.
- Music.
- Address by Hon. E. P. McCormack of Salem.
- More music and more speeches.

### Stoo Reward Stoo.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken into the blood, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.—The Woolen Mill store will be closed Friday afternoon from 1:30 to 5 P. M. during the concert at the Woolen Mill.

MORE MACHINERY.—Six cars of the new woolen mill machinery came in today over the Southern Pacific railway. It will not be unloaded until after the ball.

ALWAYS READY.—Call a bicycle messenger any time from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Ring Blue Boxes or Telephone.

You would do well to examine the "Star-5-Star" line of shoes at the Nork York Bicket, they are good quality, at low prices, and neat in style few men, women and children. 13 2d 1w

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