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Republican National Ticket

For President.
THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
of New York.
For Vice-President,
CHAS. W. FAIRBANKS,
of Indiana.
For Presidential Electors:
G. B. Dimick, of Clackamas.
A. C. Hough, of Josephine.
J. H. Hart, of Polk.
E. A. Poe, of Malheur.

UNINTERESTING PEOPLE.

(Charles Brown Kirby, in Colliers.)
They live in a quiet sort of a way
In a quiet sort of a street,
They don't meet a great many people,
Nor
Impress the people they meet.
The newspapers never mention their
names,
The world doesn't care what they
do,
They never go in for anything much,
And their intimate friends are few.
He never has had a favorite club,
Though somebody said he might,
For a fat little nose on the window
pane
Awaits him every night.
And eight little fingers and two little
thumbs
Undo all the work of the comb,
And he sits in the quietest sort of a
way
In the quietest sort of a home.
She doesn't belong to a Woman's
Club,
She hasn't a single fad,
She spends her time with a blue-eyed
lame,
And a mischievous little lad.
She never unraveled a Problem of
Life,
She doesn't know lots of things,
She plays with the "kids" and works
all day,
And most of the time she sings.
He isn't like most other husbands at
all,
She isn't like most other wives,
And they never attempt to make a
change
In the course of their quiet lives;
But once in a while they dress the
"kids,"
And go to spend the day
In a nice little quiet country spot
In a nice little quiet way.

AN INDEPENDENT VIEW.

(Collier's Weekly, Sept. 3.)

A Southerner wishes to know why, since we admit the President's injury to the South, we support him for another term. It is part of our policy to answer all important questions as often as is consistent with not becoming tedious. In the first place then, we do not "support the President" against Judge Parker. We try to influence our readers to keep their minds open until November, and think as wisely about the country as if they were outside of party. A great deal of evidence may turn up between now and then. We support the President only in the sense that we should support Judge Parker, or any Democrat, if he were President and had, on the whole, had an honorable and prosperous administration. That is, having no interest in any party, we simply declare our belief that Mr. Roosevelt, with some gross errors, has, on the whole, made for betterment rather than for retrogression in the public service. We regret his worse than futile talking and acting on the negro question, whether the cause be tactlessness or politics, but such an error is not enough to weigh down the positive service which he has done to the country; in diminishing the role of the professional politician; in starting purification in the postoffice and land office departments; in giving, by action leading to the Northern Securities decision, at least a warning to monopolies; in doing his best to have Philippine affairs conducted for the welfare of the Philippines; in doing what he could also to secure honorable treatment for the Cubans; in being democratic in feeling, and yet cautious, in the great conflict of capital and labor; in being wise enough to keep himself surrounded, checked, and guided by such men as Messrs. Hay, Root and Taft. This is not politics. It is mere justice. We do not care what the American people choose, so long as they choose with their eyes open. Our only mission is to endeavor not to lose sight of the essentials in the excitement and dust of party warfare. If the people are led to believe, in calm judgment, that Judge Parker, his cabinet, and a Democratic House will act with more wisdom and honesty than we have had since Mr. Roosevelt came to power, well and good. Only let the

considerations be those of reason, and not the mere feeling that we are tired of certain personal characteristics and would like a change.

THE CURRENT OF FICTION.

The fall book trade begins to offer more of interest to the general public. The publications through the summer emphasize the fact that there must be a terrible waste of time and effort on the part of persons who try to keep read up in all the works of fiction that are offered. There are so many repetitions and so much trash that those who boast of reading them all have only made a confession of lack of discrimination and general intelligence. But there are still persons who place no value on their time and have not acquired good taste or judgment in literary matters. All is fodder that comes within reach and there is hope for the publisher of trash so long as these persons are in a majority and they probably are.

A tendency in fiction offered for September is that a number of novels are advertised as humorous. These are bright spots in lists of the treadmill producer of books. It is an interesting fact that women are foremost as producers of good, readable, saleable fiction. New novels are announced by Kate Douglas Wiggin, Clara Louise Burnham and Mary Austin. Of the first, it seems she will never write herself out. Mrs. Burnham's stories, The Right Princess and Jewell, are in constant demand, and are now to be followed by Jewell's Story Book. Mary Austin is the most noted authoress on the Pacific coast. Her Land of Little Rain and The Basket Woman being now followed by Ildro. This story is begun in the current Atlantic, and is planted in the rich surroundings of California in the early mission days of Junipero Serra. It will be especially dear to all who have visited Southern California.

THE INHERITANCE TAX.

While this does not affect men who stay in the newspaper business, it is of interest that the new state law is bringing in some revenue. Up to August 1st, \$3705.60 had been collected, and revenue from this source is accruing at the rate of about \$1000 per month.

There are some forty estates pending administration that come under the class that pay a state tax.

On an average it takes about eight months to settle an estate.

As a rule the wealthier people are long-lived.

X-RADIUMS

You can help Salem a whole lot right now by becoming a member of the Commercial Club. After Salem gets to be a city of fifty thousand we will all be gone and our help will not be needed. Give your name to Secretary Meredith right now.

Marshfield will have a football team.

They found a knocker in the act of knocking at a town called North Bend and gave him just ten minutes to get out of town. He got.

An architect on Coos Bay by the name of Smoak is said to draw well.

A new woolen mill is being built at Bandon.

Clackamas county is developing quite a mining interest.

Office Removed.

Dr. Frank E. Smith has removed his offices from the rooms over the Red Corner drug store to the new Breyman block, over the New Yokohama Tea store. Patrons please take notice. 8-30-04

Eastern Hop Market.

The Waterville (N. Y.) Times of September 2d says:

The hop harvest is now on in all yards. Those who had not already begun started in yesterday. The yield is somewhat of a surprise to the growers. It is larger than expected, and this, together with the fact that the quality is first-class, is very encouraging to hop-growers.

Already many have sold at 30 cents, mostly half crops, and we have heard of a shade better being paid. The weather is very favorable for the harvest, and altogether the outlook is a bright one.

Many hop buyers from other places have been here this week, looking over the crop and quality, and a good deal of business is expected during the next few weeks.

Will Collect Duty.

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 7.—Shippers have been notified that, effective October 1, a war duty of 10 cents per sack will be taxed on flour entering Japanese ports.

HALF OUR ILLS ARE CATARRH.

(Letters From Two Prominent Men.)



CONGRESSMAN DUNGAN.

Congressman Irvine Dungan of Jackson, O., elected to the Fifty-second Congress as a Democrat, in a recent letter from Washington, D. C., says:

"I desire to join with my many friends in recommending your invaluable remedy, Peruna, to anyone in need of an invigorating tonic, and whose system is run down by catarrhal troubles. Peruna is a permanent and effective cure for catarrh and I would advise all who are afflicted with this disease to try this remarkable remedy."—Irvine Dungan.

Everybody is subject to catarrh. Peruna cures catarrh, acute or chronic, wherever located.

Hon. Thomas Gahan of Chicago, member of the National Committee of the Democratic party, writes as follows:

"I was afflicted with catarrh for fourteen years and though I tried many remedies and applied to several doctors I was not able to find a cure. I took Peruna for twenty-two weeks and am now entirely cured."—Thomas Gahan.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be glad to give you his valuable advice free.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

Valley Army Post.

Washington, Sept. 7.—Major General MacArthur, commanding the Division of the Pacific, in his annual report just made public, recommends the establishment of a new army post at some point in the Willamette valley, in Oregon, to accommodate one full regiment of cavalry. This is part of a general plan he presents to increase the military force on the Pacific coast.

General MacArthur says the concentration of political and economical interests in the Pacific ocean has enormously magnified the military importance of the west, and the continued rapid progress of events suggests the expediency of an early enlargement of military facilities to meet the growing necessities of the Pacific coast. The recommendation, with regard to Oregon, is made with a view to a full regiment of cavalry being divided between the Presidio and Ord barracks, and another regiment of cavalry at the post above mentioned, making two full cavalry regiments for the Pacific coast.

Dr. Gunn's Blood and Nerve Tonic

There is not a woman in this land but at some time in her life would have been the better for the use of this Tonic. For diseases peculiar to women a better medicine was never made. It is composed of the ingredients from which the system has been deprived by disease, overwork or dissipation. It enters at once into the circulation, building up the tissues that have wasted, making pure, rich blood in the most direct way. For weak, nervous, and unsteady people, pimply, pale or fleshless people, it will make strong, steady nerves and give the complexion that wholesome look that indicates health, producing good, solid flesh at the rate of 1 to 3 pounds per week. Druggists sell it for 75c per box, or 3 boxes for \$2. It should be taken after meals, one or two tablets each time.

For sale by Dr. S. C. Stone, druggist.

Heiress Weds Machinist.

New Market, N. J., Sept. 7.—Miss Mabel Leffer, a niece of the late Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who came into possession of a fortune by the settlement made between her grandmother, Mrs. Hannah Nelson, and the Fair family, was married today to George Whitley, a young machinist, living in Plainfield, N. J. Young Whitley became acquainted with the heiress when he was the pitcher of the baseball team here several years ago.

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BETTER THAN GOLD

for the teeth. It prevents decay. It hardens the gums and purifies the breath and mouth.

SAVES YOUR TEETH

Editors to Meet Parker.

New York, Sept. 7.—In response to the invitation of Chairman Taggart the editors of a considerable number of Democratic papers throughout the country gathered in New York today for a conference on their part in the work of the national campaign. Arrangements have been made for the editors to go to Esopus tomorrow to visit Judge Parker.

Yankees in Turkey.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 7.—Capt. R. D. Buckman, who was employed by the Cramps to take the Turkish cruiser Mejedia to Constantinople, has been made a vice-admiral of the Turkish navy at \$10,000 a year, and also given a free hand to inaugurate any reforms he may decide upon.

WOMAN'S BEST FRIEND.

Women suffer all about us with headache, backache, loss of energy and spirits, Nervous Dyspepsia and many other ailments which make life almost unbearable. Every woman can be immediately relieved of this suffering if upon the first sign of derangement she would take a dose of

BEECHAM'S PILLS

By following the instructions with each box of pills thousands of women all over the world have saved their lives. BEECHAM'S PILLS purify the blood, give strength and vigor to the digestive organs, give vim and tone to the nerves and put the whole body in a healthy condition. A box of BEECHAM'S PILLS should always be kept in the house as, like a "stitch in time," they will invariably have the most beneficial effect and save much future worry and anxiety.

Sold Everywhere in Boxes, 10c. and 25c.

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And What to Wear

Styles Always Correctly Solved at Mrs. M. E. Fraser's

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A Word to the Wise is Sufficient

IT'S THE HAT

That gives the finishing touch to a well dressed woman

.... SUITS, FURS AND WAISTS

A visit to our suit department can't help but convince you that we have the assortment, style and finish that you are looking for. We are pleasing many daily, and we can please you.

SPECIAL FEATURE FOR THURSDAY EVE:

MRS. HALLIE PARRISH-HINGES will sing, and souvenirs will be given each customer

MRS. M. E. FRASER

SALEM

A Monster Clean-Up Sale

of odds and leftover pieces of furniture. We must have the room occupied by such accumulations and to get it we have paid little attention to real value but have marked each piece with a price that will move it at first sight.

You never know what you want until you see it.

Look these articles over and you will surely find something you need. We reserve the right to deliver at our convenience.

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