

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Sheriff

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of Sheriff of Columbia County...

For Representative

I hereby give notice of my intention to circulate a petition for nomination to the Republican primary ticket...

For Representative

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for the office of Representative, subject to the action of the Republican voters...

For County Clerk

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican voters...

For State Printer

The undersigned announces himself as a Republican candidate for re-nomination for State Printer, subject to the decision of the Republican voters...

Messrs. Irwin and Bert Effert, of Deer Island, were visitors to the county seat on Wednesday last.

Messrs. Stockwell & Ross are fitting up the rooms in the rear of the Columbia County Bank for residence purposes.

Did it occur to you that Thursday was Washington's birthday?

REV. KEMP TO PREACH—Rev. H. G. Kemp will hold services at the M. E. Church in this city next Sunday evening.

A LIFE DIPLOMA—Miss Lula George, of St. Helens, has recently received her life diploma as a teacher in the schools of this State.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE—Mrs. Clara Bewick Colby lectured on equal suffrage at the Methodist Church in this city on Wednesday evening last.

Before Justice Watkins, on Wednesday last, Ross Engert brought complaint against Bert Adams, of Deer Island, asking that he be bound over to keep the peace.

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RAINIER

Among those who attended the funeral of Miss Watkins at St. Helens Monday were Mrs. M. Both, Mrs. A. L. Lee, Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Pomeroy, Mrs. C. L. Hooghkirk, Mrs. J. E. Doherty, Misses Lois Perry, Beryl Muckle, Alice Sherin, Messrs. J. B. E. Bourne, Fred Trow, Carl Stewart, Jesse James, W. M. Perry, Dolph Hooghkirk, Dave Prichard, Wm. Stehman, Earl Silva and Elmer Guild.

Rev. H. G. Kemp on Sunday conducted the funeral of a Mrs. Taylor, who died very suddenly at the Portland Lumber Co's camp a few miles back of Rainier.

Mr. N. S. Stewart was on the sick list for a few days last week.

Mr. J. D. Short was a Portland visitor last Saturday. He took his daughter Mary up with him and placed her in school.

Mr. C. C. Wilson has purchased 800 feet of water front from Geo. Moeck and is going to erect a large sawmill thereon in the near future.

It is rumored that G. H. Hammond will build his cigar rafts at this place after this month and will use the output of Geo. Rocky's lumber camp.

Stenneck & McKinnon have sold out their logging interest to a gentleman by the name of O'Connor, who will do a large logging business here.

Last Saturday evening the K. of P. lodge at this place celebrated the 43d anniversary of the founding of the order in a most fitting manner.

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FRED W. MULKEY



Candidate for Republican Nomination FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR For the Short Term

Fred W. Mulkey was born in Portland, Oregon, and is a resident of his native city. He is a young man with every accomplishment which should qualify him for this high office.

He is a Republican always. He has supported all the nominees of the Republican ticket at all times. He is as loyal to his party as to his friends.

A Desperate Slaughter

Twenty-One Elegant, Nearly New Pianos to be Sold at Once, for Virtually Half Price.

During the coming week we wish to dispose of 21 excellent, slightly used pianos, received in part payment for Piano-olas of late.

Here is the list. Fancy walnut Conover upright, \$185. Fancy mahogany Wing & Son, \$142.

Rosewood Rudolph & Co. upright, \$90. Large mahogany Leicht, \$138. Large mottled walnut Everett, \$180.

Fancy largest size Krakauer, \$264. Very fine mahogany Schuman, \$286. Mottled walnut Hamilton, \$176.

Fancy mahogany \$425 Lester, \$238. Oak-cased excellent Jacob Doll, \$196. Fancy Milton oak case, same price.

Great big oak-cased Wellington, \$120. Fancy mahogany Kingsbury, \$125. Very fine Knabe baby grand, in genuine rosewood case, \$123.

Genuine mahogany Pesse baby grand, very choice, \$485. Beautiful, nearly new, Steinway baby grand, \$435.

These grand pianos will be sold on payments of \$25 down and \$12 a month. All must be sold during the coming week.

Everything we sell we guarantee. Money back if purchase is not entirely satisfactory. Eilers Piano House, largest retailers of pianos in the United States.

For State Printer. It is now generally conceded that J. R. Whitney, the present State Printer, is far in the lead in the candidacy for re-nomination to that office.

The Yellow Fever Germ has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills.

New Year NEW GOODS New Year Everything, Except the Same Firm at the Same Place

TAKE A LOOK--IT WILL DO YOU GOOD

We have the largest stock of Furniture, Stoves and Ranges in town, all of which is bought right and will be sold right.

Women and Children's Wear

Hair Pins, Corsets, Belts, Hose, per pair, Muslin Underwear, Knit Underwear, Collars, Children's Underwear, etc.

Men's Wear

Good Work Shirts, Sox, per pair, Collars, Overall, per pair, Jumpers, Fine Shirts, per pair, Dress Shirts, Leggers, Shoes, etc.

STOVEPIPE

Stovepipe, 5 and 6 inch, Taper joints, 5 to 6 and 6 to 7, T joints, Elbows, etc.

Call and see our full guaranteed goods and be convinced.

A FEW SNAPS

Men's regular \$2.50 Hats, Men's regular \$1.50 Shirts, Ladies' regular 50c Collars, etc.

MEN'S WEAR

Carry a full line of Men's Cotton and Woolen Underwear, which you will do well to inspect before buying elsewhere.

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GROCERIES--You Want 'Em. We Have 'Em

We also desire to call your attention to a few prices that are attractive and appeal to the pocketbook. Flour, per sack, \$1.05, etc.

TOBACCOES

Two 2 1/2 oz pkgs Pedro smoking, Two 2 oz pkgs Union Lured, etc.

These prices are strictly spot cash.

BAILEY & BRIN, Houlton, Oregon

CITATION

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.