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INDIAN PROVERBS

The coward shoots with shut eyes.
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Before the paleface came there was no poison in the Indian's corn.

Small things talk loud to the Indian's eye.

When a fox walks lame old rabbit jumps.

The paleface's arm is longer than his word.

A squaw's tongue runs faster than the wind's legs.

There is nothing so eloquent as a rattlesnake's tail.

The Indian scalps his enemy, the paleface skins his friends.

There will be hungry palefaces so long as there is any Indian land to swallow.

When a man prays one day and steals six, the Great Spirit thunders and the evil one laughs.

There are three things it takes a strong man to hold—a young warrior, a wild horse and a handsome squaw.—Sturm's Statehood Magazine.

There is some talk of an academy for La Grande. Let the good work go on. More and better schools are always acceptable.

There are several good propositions along industrial lines in store for La Grande this summer which will come to the surface in a few days.

Lovers of rod and stream are putting in their spare time overhauling their fishing tackle preparatory to making the first grand crusade against the finny tribe next week.

That is terrible over in Japan—800,000 to 1,000,000 people starving. And it will be October before relief from their home crops may be expected.

People are apt to forget that four states have full woman suffrage—Colorado, Idaho, Utah and Wyoming, all new Western states. North Dakota, South Dakota and Wisconsin are the only states that allow Indians to vote, but they must be civilized.—Eugene Guard

Union county has the distinction of having two candidates who represent the beginning of two important epochs. Ben Brown who is a candidate for commissioner was the first man to make a home in Union county—John Frawley who is our present county treasurer, and will continue to be as long as he desires the office, was conductor on the first train to enter Grande Ronde valley.

La Grande is going to have a city park and not in the very distant future either.

According to advance sheets of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers of the United States Montana leads in sheep, 5,200,000. Wyoming comes next with 4,500,000. New Mexico third with 3,100,000. Idaho fourth with 2,500,000. Utah fifth with 2,000,000. Oregon sixth with 1,900,000. California seventh with 1,750,000. Eastward Ohio stands next with 1,600,000, and Colorado 1,400,000. Texas has 1,440,000, and Michigan 1,300,000. No other state goes above the million mark. New York has 675,000 and Pennsylvania 850,000. Rhode Island and Delaware have only ordinary flocks, as holdings go in Eastern Oregon, 6500 each.

ADVERTISERS ATTENTION

Next Friday the Observer will issue what it terms a "Candidates edition," and which will contain a writeup of about twenty of the candidates who are before the voters of Union and Wallowa counties.

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I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Justice of the Peace, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

WM. GRANT.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for the office of County Judge on the Republican Ticket, subject to the will of the Republican Electors, at the primaries to be held April 20th, 1906.

Wm. B. SARGENT.

ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative for Union county subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

S. R. HAWORTH.

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TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for County Judge, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

J. C. HENRY.

ANNOUNCEMENT

TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF UNION COUNTY

I hereby announce myself as Candidate for the Republican nomination for Sheriff of Union County, subject to the primary nominating election to be held April 20th.

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