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STATE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- For Governor, W. P. Lord, of Marion county. For Secretary of State, H. R. Kincaid, of Lane county. For State Treasurer, Phil. Metchan, of Grant county. For Supreme Judge, C. E. Wolverton, of Linn county. For Attorney-General, C. M. Idleman, of Multnomah county. For Superintendent of Public Instruction, G. M. Irwin, of Union county. For State Printer, W. H. Leeds, of Jackson county.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

For Representative in Congress, Binger Hermann.

THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

For Circuit Judge, H. H. Hewitt, of Linn county. For District Attorney, Jas. McCain, of Yamhill county. Member Board of Equalization, S. D. Gibson, of Polk county.

County Republican Ticket

- For Representatives, Ira S. Smith, of Monmouth, D. L. Keith, of Perrydale. For Sheriff, H. B. Plummer, of Dallas. For Clerk, B. F. Mulkey, of Dallas. For Treasurer, H. B. Cooper, of Dallas. For School Superintendent, T. O. Hutchinson, of Dallas. For Assessor, C. W. Beckett, of Eola. For Surveyor, Edgar Collins, of Dallas. For Coroner, Dr. E. L. Ketchum, of Independence.

PRECINCT OFFICERS.

For Justice of the Peace, J. D. IRVINE. For Constable, J. H. Moran, of Monmouth.

The assinine features of ye associate editor around the corner, were fully displayed in last week's issue of the Enterprise. Anticipating what would appear in the WEST SIDE, he indulged in some scurrilous remarks relative to him who controlled the editorial columns of the WEST SIDE of the same week. Better get some big sheets of wrapping paper and black paint, and stick it over town announcing that the funeral obsequies of the Enterprise will be observed on the 1st day of July, 1894.

A bill allowing greenbacks to be taxed by states and municipalities is to be favorably reported in congress. At present greenbacks are exempt from taxation while coin is taxed, and it is stated by those who favor the bill that although there are only \$346,000,000 of greenbacks in circulation, banks and individuals by trickery claim and obtain exemption every year on \$3,000,000,000 of greenbacks.

The very pertinent questions asked in this issue by "A Reader" should set our people to thinking. The person who wrote the article has agreed to have his name published next week, as the author of the questions, if necessary.

The continual stagnation in business in the United States is not reflecting much credit on the administration now in power. The people are getting decidedly weary of its inability and are only waiting for election day to show their opinion of the "change" which has been given them.

The republicans of Independence are not to be led away with "false promises" but will vote the straight ticket this year.

When democrat meets democrat, the usual salutation is, "How is Cleveland?" followed by the invariable remark, "D--a Cleveland." Upon this both have most dolorous looking faces, and they part carrying with them most unmistakable symptoms of approaching democratic dissolution.

The populists are pointing to the returns from the latest election as an indication that the next presidential contest in the west and south will be between republicans and populists, instead of republicans and democrats. It is reported that a number of southern democratic members of the house will ask for a renomination and election as populists, and not as democrats.

James Helmick, republican nominee for county commissioner, is a man eminently qualified for the office; a man who successfully manages his own affairs, who is honest and a suitable man for commissioner. Such a man is James Helmick.

My wife was confined to her bed for over two months with a very severe attack of rheumatism. We could get nothing that would afford her any relief, and as a last resort gave Chamberlain's Pain Balm a trial. To our great surprise she began to improve after the first application, and by using it regularly she was soon able to get up and attend to her house work. E. H. Johnson, of C. J. Knutson & Co., Kensington, Minn. 50 cent bottles for sale by all dealers.

Somebody Answer.

INDEPENDENCE, Or., April 24, '94. Editor West Side:—With your permission, I, as a citizen of Independence wish to ask the following questions:

I.—Is the marshal not required to be on duty from the time the nightwatch quits in the morning? II.—Can the marshal arrest a man, place him in jail, take his money, and discharge him, without his appearing before the recorder?

III.—Are the marshal and night watch doing their duty when they spend all their time on the main street, and never visit some other portions of the city?

IV.—In view of the deplorable scarcity of fire hose, as shown by the recent fires, would it not have been better for our council to have expended \$250 in new hose, rather than in a set of books and salary to rewrite the ordinances?

V.—Has the marshal any right to separate a couple men fighting on the streets, and not arrest them for disorderly conduct.

I would like to have our city officials express an opinion through your paper in answer to these questions, which are founded on facts. READER.

The Complexion of a Chinese

Is not yellower than that of an unfortunate individual whose liver complaint has assumed the chronic form. The eyeballs of the sufferer assume a saffron hue, there is dull pain in the organ affected, the tongue is coated, breath sour, sick headaches usually but not always occur, and there is sometimes dizziness on arising from a sitting posture. Constipation and dyspepsia are also attendants of this very common ailment, always in its aggravated form, liable to breed abscesses of the liver, which are very dangerous. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters wholly eradicates it, as well as the trouble complicated with it and which it originates. In chills and fever, a complaint which always yields to the Bitters, the liver is seriously involved. This fine alterative tonic removes costiveness and indigestion, rheumatic, nervous and kidney trouble and debility.

Treatment For Wounds.

Dr. Eichler, in the "Aert, Prakt," advocates Peru balsam as a dressing which causes lacerated wounds to heal quickly, its points of adaptation being that it adheres well and covers the entire surface of the wounds; it has a drying effect, but stimulates granulations, and following application a scab is formed under which healing goes on. Dr. Eichler states that its use is especially indicated in the treatment of wounds having a tendency to marked suppuration or partial gangrene, and in injuries of the hands and fingers the results are excellent. In practice, after coaptation of the margins of the wound, the Peru balsam is poured over the entire surface, which is then covered with thin layers of gauze moistened with balsam and an ordinary dressing. The latter may be left in place for several days, though it is an advantage to remove the outer dressing daily and moisten the gauze with the balsam without removing it from the wound. —New York Tribune.

Notice to School Officers and Teachers.

Owing to the fact that the county court has extended the time when taxes will become delinquent, to the 1st of May, the apportionment of the school money will not be made until that date. This decision was made after consulting with many school teachers, school officers and the county court. Had the apportionment been made on the third Monday in April, less than two months' pay for our teachers would have been available, leaving them to wait till August for the greater portion of their wages, which would have been a decided hardship on many of them. Those interested will please take note of this extension of time.

T. O. HUTCHINSON, School Superintendent of Polk Co.

SNAP SHOTS.

What Our Traveling Correspondent Saw and Heard While Riding His Mule About the Country.

Airle has about 100 inhabitants. Hastings Bros. run a good store at Airle. Andy Torgison had a horse stolen recently.

Nick Tartar is still teaching the Peedee school. Nick Tartar has twelve acres in English cluster hops.

Crops in the Peedee valley are not as good as the average. The country around Coffin butte is rich in Indian relics.

Bert Simpson is trying to raise hops on coarse sandy ground. A great many Parkettes will take in the excursion to Albany next Sunday.

Orion Bagley of Airle, has 50 acres in wheat and has summer-fallowed 100 acres.

Frank Gaar and family are now happy in that fair land around Coffin butte.

J. H. Patterson of Suver, has improved his dwelling property by a new picket fence.

In Hastings Bros' warehouse at Airle there are 15,000 bushels of wheat and 4000 bushels of oats.

A. J. Richardson is up from Portland visiting at Buena Vista, and will remain two or three weeks.

Miss Carrie Fowle is the accomplished teacher of the Montgomery school, also an efficient musician.

T. B. Williams of Airle, was found happy and busy harrowing; he has a backward tendency on the dem's.

J. T. McClain of Buena Vista, has ten acres in hops; half red vine and half English cluster; they are looking well.

Sam Martin at Sulphur springs, has out about 80,000 feet of logs, and will commence sawing as soon as the season opens.

The following letters are advertised at Suver: Demer Royal & Co., Walter E. Polk, Rev. Geo. H. Whiteman. —D. Cade, P. M.

Geo. Bolter has 185 acres to summer fallow; 25 acres in winter oats; 70 acres in fall stubble wheat; 40 acres in spring wheat, and 60 in oats.

F. A. Kemp has twenty acres rented of Peter Reddkopf which he is going to put in hops. He has a timber homestead above Ronco's mill to give away.

Lee and Joe Brown are riding and buying cattle for a Montana man; these are the first cattle that have been bought near Coffin butte for many years.

Andrew J. Chamberlain will go to California this summer to live permanently. He is an old settler of Polk county and has had very poor health this winter.

John Writsman of Wells, has 500 acres of pasture, and about the same number of sheep; he has some farming land, and will put out 15 acres in hops this spring.

Peter Herbert of Wells, does a general blacksmithing and repair workshop, and sticks pins in the republican and democratic parties but profusely bestows on the populist ideas rare gems.

Ronco's mill on the Peedee is run by Mart Nally & Co.; they have a good plant, a 60-horse boiler with a 40-horse cylinder, and turn out 10,000 feet per day; they have 100,000 feet of lumber piled in the yard.

Marcus Gilliam's widow still lives in the old house which was partly built of timber taken from old Fort Hoskins in Kings Valley. Gilliam died about '68, but his wife lives on the Peedee with her son Franklin.

The Luckiamute railroad bridge is the finest truss bridge on the West Side division of the Southern Pacific. Alex Kerr is of the bridge watch, and whistles away the time reading the latest political squibs in the WEST SIDE while the ambitious valley mosquito sets his pins for another "pull."

Ed. Wiles has the largest gelding horse to be seen at a parachute jump in Oregon. He is guessed at about seventeen bands high and weighs 1700 lbs in even flesh. We would have "hopped" the critter, but there was not a pair of spurs on the place that would fit us and we are particular.

Tug Wilson is working yet at cow "punching" for John Smith as of yore. He has hurried more bovines to their destruction than his soul will pay for when he meets St. Peter, but that never affects Tug's spirits in the least, for he can now yell on a bet to be heard ten miles, and has a standing challenge to be able to scare out of their senses any band of steers west of the Rockies.

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