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AN HONOR ROLL.

We wish to have a little heart to heart talk with our subscribers. We wish to let them know just how much they can help us by a little effort and concerted action.

KNOW YOUR MAN.

Every qualified voter in this community should know his man thoroughly before casting his vote. He should know all candidates thoroughly before deciding for whom he will vote.

THE VALUE OF PREPAREDNESS.

Preparedness is in the air and everybody is talking about it—preparedness against war. But there is another brand of preparedness that is of vital import to the American people.

Congress at last is aroused and will take care of preparedness against war but the American farmer is the man who must prepare for the prosperity of peace.

BORAH SENTIMENT DEVELOPING

The constant and increasing rush of local politicians for a place at the ringside, so as to enable themselves to better shy their head piece into the squared circle, gives rise to the natural inquiry as to who is most likely to perform that stunt in the national ring which is now formulating.

It looks as though the Democrats were united on Wilson, and that he is in a receptive mood, notwithstanding certain promises made four years ago about the one term plank.

So far the republican atmosphere is not so well crystallized. Several strong men are being talked, any of whom would make an admirable party leader. Locally we don't hear many people expressing a preference.

Convention don't come out on a Borah ticket pretty soon, I will do so myself.

It is a little early yet for the ordinary man of affairs to have formed any idea of just who he will support, but with our preferential primary, we look for a decided expression at the coming election.

THE BOOSTER AND THE KILLER.

Nearly every town has two classes of citizens—the boosters and the Killers. All the world loves the former, but even the devil loathes the latter.

Be a booster! The booster is known by everybody, for he is always doing and saying something to push his town, and its people along. He is the man who makes the town. The killer is the one who destroys it.

Be a booster! The booster never loses anything by his boosting. He boosts other people and other people boost him and through this combination of boosting great things are accomplished.

Be a booster! The booster is like a ray of sunshine on a cloudy day. He brightens everything and everybody around him. His geniality, his cheerfulness, his energy and his good deeds breed hope in the bosom of despair.

Be a booster! This town has many boosters, and you all know them, you admire them, you respect them. And your respect is more precious to the genuine booster than is your gold.

Be a booster! There may be a killer or two in this town, but we hope not. But if there are any we hope they will cease killing and go to boosting.

Be a booster! We need the booster—we need more boosters. But we can exist handsomely without the killer, for the killer's principal diversion in life is to take a knock at the town, at its people, at their ways, and at everything and everybody connected therewith—except the killer.

Be a booster! If there are any killers in this town let's convert them, so we can all be boosters. The booster is of value to every legitimate thing with which he comes in contact, while the killer is not even of value to himself.

Be a booster! Heaven loves a booster—and hell is full of killers. Everybody boost!

THE WISE CANDIDATE.

The seeker for public office who possesses the wisdom necessary to qualify him for the position is alive to the fact that the voter of today has to be shown, that deeds count for more than empty words and cheap cigars.

One fears the approach of summer, as it may mean a recrudescence of the sport shirt.

IRONSIDES.

S. G. Van Buren has traded his farm here for a place at Weiser. Mr. Van Buern and family will move as soon as the roads are in good condition.

A. N. Fowler has sold his farm to G. R. Dickson. He will move in the spring to the homestead of his brother, Sam Fowler.

Morris Powell of Bonita, arrived in the vicinity on Monday.

F. W. Smith and Charles Howard made a trip to Bully creek the first of the week.

Dehorning has been the principal work among the stockmen the past week.

A. R. Van Buren left for Ontario on Saturday, with his daughter, Thelma, where she will be under a doctor's care, owing to sickness the past three months.

Carl De Roe left for Ontario last week, where he will look after his farm. He was accompanied by his uncle, Napoleon Vincent.

able features of the primary law, if a man feels the call, there is nothing to prevent his answering it.

Postmaster General Burleson has asked for an urgent deficiency appropriation of two and a half millions. The American people would be willing to make it \$5,000,000 if he would restore the former high grade service.

When a fellow can't attract attention any other way he just gets out in front of better people and makes a big noise, and the noise is about the only thing seen or heard.

MORE CANDIDATES.

There is another addition to the list of aspirants for the nominations this week and if the rush keeps up there is going to be a large list to select from.

Among the new names offered are F. B. Zutz, of Vale who was a strong second for the nomination for assessor at the last election, only lacking a few votes of receiving the nomination.

H. H. Williams, also of Vale, is seeking the nomination for county treasurer. He is located at Vale where he can attend to the duties and there is no question about his qualifications.

B. W. Mulkey, of Vale, who was county clerk a few years ago, is out after the position of assessor. Mr. Mulkey has had much experience as a campaigner and is widely and favorably known so that he will be a strong vote getter.

R. M. Carlile, of Ontario, formerly of Ironside, is out for the democratic nomination as assessor. Mr. Carlile made a good run for the nomination two years ago and will do better this time.

Ross O. Soward, of Vale, the deputy sheriff, would like to have the democrats place him in nomination for treasurer. Mr. Soward is considered an excellent deputy sheriff and would no doubt make a good treasurer if elected.

Ben Brown, of Vale, the present sheriff, has announced his candidacy for re-election on the democratic ticket, and up to date there is no opposition. It has been the custom to give officers two terms and that is probably why Ben is having a walk over for the place.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE UNDER EXECUTION

By virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Malheur County and State of Oregon, dated the 21st day of February, 1916, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and State, wherein Harriet E. Smith, as Plaintiff, recovered judgment against Allen Gilkey, Angie Gilkey, N. J. Minton and G. W. Fletcher, as Defendants, for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars, with interest thereon from May 17, 1910, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and the sum of Two Hundred Dollars, Attorney fees, and the further sum of Thirty-nine and ninety-five one hundredths, Dollars, costs;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I will on the 25th day of March, 1916, at the hour of 1:15 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the main entrance door of the Court House in Vale, Malheur County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, or bidders, for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:—

The Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 15, and the North Half of the Northeast Quarter and the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 22; all in Township 19 South, Range 37 E. W. M., containing 160 acres, together with all water rights and ditches belonging to said place;

Take and levied upon as the property of the said above named defendants, Allen Gilkey, Angie Gilkey, N. J. Minton and G. W. Fletcher, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of Harriet E. Smith, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue.

Dated at Vale, Oregon, this 22nd day of February, 1916.

BEN J. BROWN, Sheriff, By Ross A. Soward, Deputy.

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February the fourth being the close of another month of school the following is a report of the same: The per cent of attendance for the fifth month is ninety three and one tenth, while the per cent of attendance for the first five months is ninety six and two tenths.

Even though a gripe and colds have been frequent visitors in our school, Lee Richey, Crissie Graham, Allie Key, Howard Nutt, Charlie Nutt, Dally Nutt, Earl Hopkins, Harriette Prah, Robert Prah, Harold Hopkins, Alton Byrt, Russell Wrinkle, Henry Dargell, John Hoffman, Vera Oster, Hazel Curry, Mary Tooman, and Mary Aull have been perfect in attendance.

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A record has been kept of the supplementary reading of second grade pupils. Ernest Zink and Robert Prah have the honor of each having completed the reading of eleven books since the holidays.

Free correspondence courses in penmanship are again offered the teachers of Oregon by the A. N. Palmer Company of New York. Full particulars may be had by writing to the A. N. Palmer Company, 30 Irving Place, Corner 16th Street, New York.

Area Moore and LaRue Dutcher won first and second places in the spelling contest in the Mooreville school last week. In this same school the two Holton children have not been in attendance during the bad weather.

Berton Gliverer is a new pupil enrolled in Miss Conkila's school on Alfalfa Heights. State Health Officer Dr. David N. Roberg writes that the rules to be observed in regard to the school sanitation are being slightly revised and our small health officers will have to wait for them and their insignia of office.

Mrs. Jacobs writes that thirty inches of snow has made the attendance report in the Bush District rather a low one. However, the enrollment in this district is the largest in fifteen years.

Boyd Hanna and Russell Kelsay have put up a table for the birds, and the children save the scraps and crumbs from their lunches for them.

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Business Directory

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ATTORNEYS. W. H. Brooks, Attorney at Law. Wilson Bldg. Ontario Ore. C. McGONAGILL. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Will Practice in All Courts. Notary Public. Office Over Postoffice.

PAID POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination as county assessor subject to the votes of the democrats of the county.

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FOR STATE SENATOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of State Senator from this district, composed of Malheur, Harney and Grant counties, subject to the will of the electors of the Republican party at the primaries to be held in May, 1916.

lars of your money and I pledge myself to every economy consistent with good government. If elected I will devote my entire time and energy to the affairs of the office. Impartial enforcement of all laws, economy and suppression of useless litigation,—my platform.

NOTICE.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for nomination to the office of Assessor on the Republican ticket, subject to the choice of the voters at the primaries.

TO THE VOTERS OF MALHEUR COUNTY.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for the office of District Attorney of this county. If nominated and elected I will endeavor to fulfill the duties of my office in a fair, fearless and efficient manner and to the best of my ability, keeping in mind at all times my duty to the tax payers.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County School Superintendent of Malheur County in the coming Primary Election.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County Clerk of Malheur County, Oregon, subject to the will of the Republican electors at the coming primaries.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County School Superintendent of Malheur County in the coming Primary Election.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

Subject to the choice of the Republican voters of Malheur and Harney counties, Oregon, to be expressed at the coming primary election, I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination as Joint Representative to the legislature from this representative district.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the voters of Malheur County: I hereby announce my candidacy for reelection to the office of County Assessor subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary election on the 19th day of May, 1916.

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