

Decision for the "Wets."

The Salem Statesman says: "Holding that priority of filing determines which local option petition shall go on the ballot in case of conflict or where two or more petitions embrace the same precincts, Judge Galloway yesterday overruled the decision of County Judge Scott, and ordered the county clerk to place the wet petition of Stayton and Sublimity on the ballot, instead of the dry petition of the Aumsville, Turner, Jefferson, Macleay, Marion, Stayton and Sublimity precincts. Carson & Brown represented the wets and C. W. Corby and C. L. McNary the drys.

Later—On account of delay in filing local option petitions there will be no local option election in any of the precincts involved in the trouble. The question will be voted on in the whole county, and voters in the precincts above will have an opportunity to vote on county option.

Fitton and VanHandel have commenced work on a new cement walk for Jos. Sestak.

Judge Powell, who has been quite sick the past two weeks, is reported considerably improved.

W. F. Klecker and Dr. Pantler are among the Staytonites who have gone to Seattle to see the fleet.

E. F. Long has purchased the old Geo. Downing place, near Union Hill, and has moved there with his family. Mrs. Long was in town yesterday visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Lambert attended the session of the State Grange at Eugene this week and report a very pleasant time. A list of the officers elected will be published next week.

Frank Silhavy has torn down the old barn at his residence and built a fine new one, much improving the appearance of the place. He will also build a new wood house and a new walk. Good for him.

In another column will be found an adv. of H. J. Mutchler. His new brick shop on Water street is furnished with all the necessary tools to do first-class work and all his work is guaranteed. His specialty is horse-shoeing and he can put good feet on a lame horse.

Mrs. Effie Jarvis and family, of North Santiam, wish to extend their thanks to their neighbors and friends for their kindness in assisting them in the sickness and burial of their son and brother, Harry Jarvis.

Mrs. Effie Jarvis and Family.

Stayton public schools close to-day after a very successful school year. In our opinion this school session has been by far the most valuable to all the pupils of any since we have been a Staytonite, and each and all of the teachers are entitled to credit for their good work. Stayton people are alive to the value of good schools and when the 11th and 12th grades are established, as they will be next session, our children can secure as good common school education as those of any other town.

A Revised Version.

The following is going the rounds of the press: "The politician is my shepherd. I shall not want for any good thing during the campaign; he bideth me in the saloon for my vote's sake; he filleth my pockets with cigars—my glass of beer runneth over. He prepareth my ticket for me in the presence of my better judgment. Yea, though I walk through the mud and rain to vote for him and shout myself hoarse, when he is elected he straightway forgetteth me. Lo! when I meet him in his own office he knoweth me not. Surely the wool has been pulled over my eyes all the days of my life, and I will kick myself forever; not for my sake, not for his sake, but for other people's sake.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Portland, Oregon, April 13, 1908.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Frederick J. Nelson, contestant, against homestead entry No. 15198, made December 3, 1903, for East half of east half of Section 24, Township 9 S., Range 3 E., by Frederick Nelson contestant, in which it is alleged that upon reliable information and belief he is well acquainted with the tract of land embraced in the said homestead entry and knows the present condition of the same; also that said Frederick Nelson has wholly abandoned said described tract of land from the date of said entry to the present time; that said entryman never lived and made his home on said land at any time after making said entry; that he never cultivated any portion of said land or raised any crops thereon after making said entry; that he never made any improvements after making said entry; that there is nothing to be found on said land at this time but an old dilapidated shack, erected before the date of said entry, and that said alleged absence from the said land, was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 3, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Portland, Oregon. If the said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed April 13, 1908, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

Mr. John Riba, of Vining, Ia., says, "I have been selling DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by Stayton Phar.

Many German families are moving into the Grand Ronde country.

IT REACHED THE SPOT.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when every thing else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at Brewer's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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AN INSTANCE.

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To Republican Voters

AN OVERWHELMING majority of Oregon's voters by registration have formally declared that they believe in the principles of the Republican Party. Let them now show that they are honest by voting in accordance with their declarations. The Oregon election comes before the Republican National Convention. Let every Republican voter in the First Congressional District uphold the honor of the Republican party in Oregon and strengthen the influence of Oregon's delegation in the National Convention by voting for H. M. Calkins for United States Senator and W. C. Hawley for Representative in Congress. If either of these Republican nominees fail of election the primary election system will be discredited and a return of boss rule will be invited. The good name of Oregon's voters will be smirched and Oregon's delegation to the National Convention will be placed in a humiliating position. For the effect it will have on the November election it is imperative that the Republican nominees in the June election shall be elected by an overwhelming majority. As a believer in the principles of the Republican Party it is your duty to be at the polls June 1st and vote for Calkins and Hawley.

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