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#### FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1892,

The way to build up Oregon City is to give Oregon City people your patronage.

#### REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE. F. A. MOORE,

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H. S. GIBSON FOR ARRESTME. J. C. BRADLEY FOR CORONER,

#### The Motor Line Proposition.

R. L. HOLMAN

The plan of building a narrow gauge rail- gentleman had to toe the mark. road to be operated by steam motors, sug gested in Mr. Hardesty's communication to the board of trade, is somewhat novel but not so impracticable as it might seem at first thought. In view of the difficulty in from a trip to the East he omeularly de-

Take for instance a line from Oregon City to Mulino or Wright's bridge. The distance him. Mr. Blaine is truly unfortunate. He by the present wagon road is about twelve deserves the prayers of all good people that party. Respectfully, miles. A steam motor road, traversing the he may be delivered from such insects as country having the lightest grades and that Mike de Young of the San Francisco Chronwould afford plenty of business, could make licle. the distance between its termini about six teen miles. There are mills along the mute now in operation that would furnish fifteen to twenty carloads of freight a day and the is signed "Blunderbus." We must know passenger traffic would not be inconsiderable. Who is responsible for the matter we pub-With the transportation facilities such a lish and people who are not willing that line would furnish the business of the their names should accompany their manucountry would increase rapidly from the script would better not write. We will not start and the arrangement would be pro- publish matter of this kind, no matter how fitable all around.

The cost of such a road fully equipped for sible for it. business ought to be less than \$100,000. A company giving satisfactory assurance of good service could get important bonuses to encourage the enterprise. This and other motor lines in different directiong from Oregon City offer superior inducement to cauitalists in quest of profitable investments.

The Australian Ballot and the City Election.

At the last regular council meeting in this city the mayor was instructed to confer with the city attorney as to the bearing of the Australian ballot law upon the forthcoming city election. The charter stated so plainly that the municipal elections should be governed by the state laws regulating general elections that it was deemed best to hold the city election under the Australian system, and a special council meeting was called and a special committee appointed to make preparations in accordance therewith. Last Saturday was the last day to have the nominations legally made for the Australian ballot and some parties by doing some lively hustling got a ticket duly filed with the county clerk. Some others did not. The result is another variety of the customary municipal election row.

The provision of the charter which led to the conclusion that the city election must be prepared for and conducted under the state law known as the Australian ballot Blair is still a candidate for presidential

law reads as follows: SEC. 25. All laws of this state regulating and | Lood deal of magnanimity in taking up the governing general elections, and proceedings cudgels for him against the Chinese. Is it and matters incidental thereto, shall apply to desired to send Mr. Blair abroad prior to and govern elections under this act, except as June? herein otherwise provided

bearing on general conduct of city elections. ing that Christopher Columbus probably Without going further it seems clear that the did not care a rap for his fine theories about intent of the charter is to have the muni- there being a continent somewhere in the cipal elections conducted precisely as are great unexplored brine-vat west of Lisbon. the state elections. Indeed, we must go to He was out for the money to be gained. the state law for nearly all directions as to says the cynic. If the author of this virthe manner of preparing for and conducting tuous complaint will make a rapid survey elections under the city charter.

the state election law upon the city election. faultfinding.

Mr. Bingham, the Portland attorney who is the reputed father of the Australian ballot law, writes City Attorney Cross that the law was not intended to govern municipal elections and that he cannot see how it can be made to apply without lodging in the conneil and recorder powers now belonging exclusively to the county court and county clerk. Mr. Bingham also states that the

law was designed for state elections only. but the law itself expressly mentions "state, district, county and precinct officers." In one view of the case the state law makes it the duty of the county clerk to perform the functions specified in the law even if it be for a city election. The fact that the county election precincts and the city wards are not co-incident in boundary would not affect this matter of the application of the law, for that is one of the things "otherwise provided" in the charter.

While it may be true that the Australian ballot law was not designed to govern municipal elections it is also true that if it be wholly ignored the Oregon City election would be a mighty loose affair. And if the binding force of one portion of the law be recognized on what ground shall another portion of equal force be abrogated? The convenience of city officials charged with observing and enforcing the laws ought not to determine the validity of them. It is to be regretted that this matter did not come up in season to be adjusted without friction or unseemly haste, but it is now too late to repair any negligence of the council in this respect. As between holding the election under a law the application of which is in prestion and holding it outside of law by a ort of general consent of the more or less competent we are in favor of the former. It is not all that might be desired but we believe it to be the best that can be done in present circumstances.

#### The Democratic Ticket,

The republicans are pleased with the ticket nominated by the democratic convention in this city last week.

Wherever demograta congregate there is always a lot of noise. This was true of the Clackamas county democratic convention, but it was painfully apparent that even the mechanical enthusiasm that characterized that body early in the session had waned ong before the work was done. It didn't have strength enough to adjourn. It simply tapered off, petered out and left undone a usiderable part of the work for which t was called.

The job of attempting to concilliate the Iswego people because of the reported disaffection among the republicans of that locality was so bungingly handled that it canoot do the democrats any good. The ostentations play for different nationalities also recollect upon them. The action in this regard can hardly be considered in any other light than a deliberate soub of the Germans.

CONGRESSMAN John L. Wilson of Spokane has again gotten himself noticed by having a scuffle with some of the guards at the old watchman should not permit a real, live credit, and debts and wages were paid by congressman to have full swing in the es- orders to the stores. -- Congressional Report five and ten acre lots. tablishment in violation of all rules was so April 8. obnoxious to the Hon. Johnny that he smote the old gentleman on the jaw, accompanying this graceful act with a few well chosen cass words. But the pagnacious

AGAIN has that very vulgar and very vapid indivisinal, Mike de Young, suffered a breaking out. Returning to San Francisco getting wagon roads to suit the people it clares that Blaine is still in the presidential may be well to consider the motor line plan, race and that he will take the nomination can convention will give it to

> WE HAVE another anonymous news letter this week. This time it is from Oswego and meritorious, unless we know who is respon-

THE man named by the prohibitionists for county superintendent of schools is C. T. Howard of Mulino, a good republican who gives notice of his declination of the honor thus thrust upon him. This leaves the prohibitionists of Clackamas county with twelve votes instead of thirteen-one for each man on the ticket.

IF ANY one happens to let his horse go on the sidewalks he is arrested and fined. But such is the tender regard for the inquisitive cow that she is invited to inhabit the side walks all the livelong day,

Now if Palmer, Boies, Russell, Gorman, Flower, Gray and the rest of the boys will only keep off the grass the Cleveland political lawn will be in tip-top condition for the Chicago convention.

Isn't it about time that that Seventh street ob should be completed?

#### PRESS OPINIONS.

Philadelphia Record: It will be interest ng to see the department of justice make the lumber trust walk a plank.

Boston Herald: Considering that Mr. honors the administration is displaying a

There is no other provision of the charter | Chicago News: Some cynic is complainof mankind from pole to pole he will find There are various views of the bearing of material for an immense amount of similar

#### THE GOOD OLD TIMES.

A Cengressman Remembers and Tells about the Days of Revenue Tariff.

Mr. Joseph D. Taylor (of Ohio)-"I can remember very well when I was a boy that the neighbors used to gather around my father's fireside and talk about their mortgages and debts. He did a good deal of business and it was a very common occur rence for them to come there and talk about such matters. There was more poverty among the people, more property sold by the sheriff, more suffering and want in those days than I have ever seen since. Eggs sold at 4 cents a dozen, oats at 12% cents a bush- had fine success from the very first el, corn at 25 cents, wheat at 37 1/4 cents, and They employ fourteen men in the mill vegetables would not sell at all

When I was a boy we hauled wheat to the canal, a distance of forty miles, and sold our wheat at 3714 cents a bushel, and I can remember the time when there was absolutely no market at all for wheat. I know that my father had a large crop of wheat several hundred bushels, and was absolutely unable to sell it at any price, and many farmers let their wheat rot in the field. It was the same with apples and potatoes; there was absolutely no market for We had two large orchards on my father's farm, very good ones too, and I reember that at one time we picked one han dred barrels of splendid apples, the choices that we could select, and put them in new clean barrels, but we could not sell them anywhere, and those apples rotted. I think a few of them were used in making vine-

A Member-" Why didn't you eat them?"

Another Member-" Why didn't you make cister of them?" [Laughter.]

to me about mortgages and debts. In that part of the country at that time everybody was in debt. When a man went to church on Sunday he often went in his shirt sleeves. Laughter. He and his wife would ride the same horse and sometimes carry one or two of the children. I have no sort of patience with this talk about the depression of agriculture as compared with the times when we had a revenue tariff. The farmers are having a hard time and I think they will have a harder time when wool is on the free list. But they are not having as hard a time as they had forty or fifty years ago, remember too well the sad condition of the suntry under democratic rule.

Mr. Chairman, these older men who ived in the rural districts know that I am telling the truth. The farmers know it. Farmers now have carriages, spring wag ons, carpeted floors, papered walls, comfort able homes, comfortable clothing, and a they did not have then.

"There was not a young man in my neighborhood who had a good overcoat before he was twenty-one years of age. The first one 1 ever had 1 bought when I was about this age; and I bought that on credit. reasury in Washington. The idea that an At that time everything was bought on great, that Barlow & Co. are now sub-

#### Correction.

of the democratic convention of this county | three feet high. n the 14th instant. You say, "David Wright proposed that J. H. Wright, the ing of the board of trade it is announced people's party candidate for surveyor, he indured as he was not really a people's that Messra. Wolfer, Byland and Harparty man. The point I wish to correct is desty of Neady will attend for the purpeople's party man," for in fact he is a realous advocate of the principles of the people's Needy. It is hoped that there will be DAVID WRIGHT.

HAPPY HOURS OF LIPE.

WRITTEN FOR THE ENTREPRISE. Happy the hours to the children given

Innocence blending with eager jo. Skies smile so kindly, and passing days Fill with the pleasures which never cloy. Happy the hours which to youth belong!

Rapturous visions, eestatic bliss! Tremulous hopes towards maturity's dawn, Breathing of yows and a lover's kins. Happy the hours of life's bright moon!

Gone is the glamor o'er early days thrown; Deepar the hears-throbe of joy or pain, Visions and dreams to reality grown.

Heights of an leaver perchance are won-Fruitage where blossoms of hope were born; Qualting the cup of the wine of life,

Who would regret having passed its morn! Redign; the skies when the sun goes down;

Happy a world by his parting bears blest; Tender the light e'er the night comes on, Hours of stumber and peaceful rest. Such are the hours of life's gentle close,

Happy in hope, calm, restful and awset Gates of eternity soon swing sjar. Bliss crowns the hours of a life complete

MARTHA L. C. HATWARD. Carus, Oregon.

#### Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, April 22, 1892:

Andress H. Miller Mrs. A. E. Andress Thurman Miller John Austin Jennie Smith John Bowers Martin L. Sendman George Hugle Mr. R. Seatter John Justice M. Williams W. W.

Kineeland F. L. If called for, please say when advertised. E. M. RANDS, P. M.

Umatilla county sheepowners are congratulating themselves over their success sugar pine logs down even the most fav- JUDSON POWDER, GIANT POWDER, in lambing this season. The weather orable streams, and some think that the has been cold, stormy and disagreeable Klamath would be a hard stream to in the sheep regions, but ewes are in a drive with any sort of logs. A number fine fix, grass is plentiful and the loss of expert timber men, however, declare will be inconsiderable

Friday evening George A. Young of Bake Oven, and Captain Pratt of Salem, had a good old-time chat in The Dalles. They were of those who, in 1857, built paring to do a big lot of advertising all the first woolen mills in Oregon, the through the eastern states by means of figure with us, as we can save you Pioneer, of Salem, and when it was ded-newspapers, folders, stickers, etc. The money. icated with a cotillion party, the build-board hopes to induce a lot of good and ing was alluminated with a tallow dip desirable immigration, by making known sonable amounts and reasonable Freight and parce s delivered to all for every pane of glass.

#### NEWS FROM BARLOW

THE LARGE SAW MILL BEGINS OF-ERATIONS NEAR TOWN.

Lumber Arrives for the Soap Factory -Easter Festivities-Political Talk-Other Notes.

Bankow, Or. April 18.—The Schields aw mill, located a mill and a half from town started up Thursday morning and proper besides the hands hauling and logging. Everything is arranged very conveniently about the mill. The proprietors will do a good business. They were compelled to commence work a couple of days earlier than they intended owing to the rush of orders.

YOUNG PROPILE'S WHIST PARTY.-The young people's whist party met at the residence of W. W. Jesse last Saturday evening and had an enjoyable time. The evening was spent playing whist after which followed music.

WHO WILL BE THE DEMOCRATIC JUSvention from Needy, Lower Molalla and Barlow did not decide upon a justice and constable, as the time was limited. The delegates for the three precincts are called to meet at Mr Ike Clouser's residence on Gribble prairie, Friday, the 22nd for the purpose of selecting their Mr. Joseph D. Taylor-" There was no candidates for justice of the peace and market whatever for them. Do not talk to constable. The way it now looks, it's either Jesse or Reek for justice.

LUNBER FOR SOAP FACTORY -A CRY ad of lumber arrived from Portland last week for Mr. Ingram's soap factory. The building will be erected on the Molalla river a half mile from town. Mr. Ingram has purchased thirty-two acres and will also go into the poultry business and will eventually work up a nice trade. The wise manufacturer no longer seeks a large city in which to locate an extensive plant and erect large when the democratic party was in power. I works because land is high, rents are high, taxes are high and he is ultimately cramped for room. He will locate outside the city every time if he finds equal facilities for getting raw materials and shipping his products to market.

SHIPPING POSTS. -- Several car loads of cedar posts have been shipped the past able homes, comfortable clothing, and a cedar posts have been shipped the past or any Lung. Throat or Chest trouble, thousand conveniences and comforts which week to the secretary of the State Insur- and will use this general as directed, ance company of Salem. Good cedar giving it a fair trial, and experience no posts are becoming scarce and will be posts are becoming scarce and will be valuable in the inture.

SMALL TRACTS OF LAND.—The demand for small tracts of land has been so dividing a few twenty-acre tracts into

HOP MEN FEEL JUNILANT.-All the hop growers in the country are busily at work cultivating and poling their EDITOR ENTERPRISE:-I wish to correct yards. The prospects look good for a an error you made in giving the proceedings large crop. The hops are in some cases

BOARD OF TRADE.-At the next meet-I did not say "he was not really a pose of talking and urging the matter of improvement to the base line hill near a full attendance the 7th of May as there are some very important matters good board walk past the land. Acre which will come up.

Arrangements have been made for a hop at Zeek's hall, Friday night the 22nd inst. A cordial invitation to all.

Manuel Pare of Portland has rented Carey Johnson So: Miller's corner building on Second and Main street and opened up a barber shop.

Easter Sunday was observed at every house in town.

San Francisco Examiner, came up and spent a couple of days in town this week and was registered at The Kohler.

Ex-Judge W. L. White spent Sunday in town and was the guest of Wm. Barlow.

Jay Green went to Portland Monday on a flying business trip.

J. I. Dozier of Marks prairie was seen on our streets this week. He feels enthusiastic over the Republican candidates.

N. V. Rork will talk to the people of Barlow and vicinity May 1st, at 12:30 p. m. Subject, People's Party.

Mr. Samuel Marks of Marks' praine was in town last week. Another family has arrived from Fos-

ter. Kansas, and will make Barlow their home. All are welcome.

The experiment of driving the Klamath river, which the timber men will probably make this season, will be awaited with wide spread interest. Lumber men differ emphatically in the in their opin ions as to the practicability of running that sugar pine logs will be run down the Klamath without difficulty after being barked and seasoned for about Portland prices, plus ic. per lb. for met for the first time in many years and four months, if cut at the proper time.

The Arlington board of trade is preabroad Gilliam county's record of 1892, distances free.

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#### Bids Wanted.

Sealed bids will be received from April 4th up to the 25th of the same month for the building of a new school house in district No. 18, the house to be 45x26, 12 foot ceiling. The directors NEW YORK GALLERY. will furnish all materials and have a right to take or reject any or all bids. Photographs Delivered Promptly in the Address all bids to

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