

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- FOR SUPREME JUDGE, F. A. MOORE, St. Helens. FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL, L. R. WEBSTER, Jacksonville. FOR CONGRESSMAN-FIRST DISTRICT, BINGER HERMANN, Roseburg. FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE, T. A. McBRIDE, Oregon City. FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, W. N. BARKETT, Hillsboro. FOR SENATOR, GORDON E. HAYES, Oregon City. FOR REPRESENTATIVE, JOEL P. GEER, Pleasant Hill. A. S. LAWTON, Canemah. HENRY JEWELL, Highland. FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, RICHARD SCOTT, Milwaukie. FOR SHERIFF, ELI C. MADDOCK, New Era. FOR CLERK, GEORGE F. HORTON, Needy. FOR RECORDER, S. M. RAMSBY, Molalla. FOR TREASURER, J. O. WETHERELL, Canemah. FOR SUPERVISOR, SIDNEY SMYTH, Oregon City. FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, H. S. GIBSON, Clackamas. FOR ASSESSOR, J. C. BRADLEY, Borings. FOR CORONER, R. L. HOLMAN, Oregon City. FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, T. W. FOUTS, Oregon City No. 1. S. B. CALIFF, Oregon City No. 2. FOR CONSTABLE, J. S. PURDUM, Oregon City No. 1.

The Enterprise guarantees its circulation more than double the combined circulation of all other papers in Clackamas county.

IN PREPARING your ballot next Monday be sure to scratch the name of Eli C. Maddock for sheriff. Clackamas county is sadly in need of an honest man in the sheriff's office.

What Are the Issues?

In the heat of the political canvass in Clackamas county some of the issues of the campaign appear to have been obscured. Personalities have been crowded forward and in some cases the tendency has been to cloud the questions that are of real interest to the voter.

In the first place the voters want a more equal distribution of the burden of taxation. It is not that the amount of taxes is too much but it is the unequal distribution that makes the farmer dissatisfied with the present system. The repeal of the pernicious mortgage tax law and law permitting deductions for indebtedness are two of the things which the people absolutely demand. While the intent of the laws may be all right, in practice they operate to permit the rich to escape paying taxes, thus saddling all the burden on the poor.

As bearing on the matter of taxation it may be well to recall certain resolutions passed at the last republican county convention. These were—

- 1. Demanding the repeal of the mortgage tax law. 2. Favoring "a law assessing all real and personal property (except credits) wherever said property may be found, to the legal possessors and owners of the same, taxing no credit and allowing no deduction for indebtedness." 3. The same basis of valuation in all the counties. 4. A law making the offices of sheriff and clerk salaried and not to exceed \$1,800 a year each.

This is practically the platform of the republican party in Clackamas county this year. And these are matters that every man who owns a home in the county can appreciate.

Road improvements, stock laws and various other things have their weight but they can't overshadow the tax law question.

On this platform the republicans have put forth clean, honest, capable men. The legislative candidates are pledged to work for the reforms indicated. The nominees for county offices are in full sympathy with them and they are men of unimpeachable character. They stand for principles that may be put in practice on earth now—not for visions we hope to realize in the sweet by and bye after we have starved to death on earth.

A. S. LAWTON, of Canemah, is a reliable, steadfast, intelligent, honest and capable man who may be trusted to serve the best interests of his constituents and the state at large in the legislature. He is an old soldier, a quiet and industrious citizen, a man of charming personality, and he will reflect honor on Clackamas county. Don't scratch A. S. Lawton.

The Queer People's Party.

The people's party contains many well meaning persons who are honestly striving to make life easier to live. But the leaders in the movement are generally those of so little stability that they cannot get a footing in either of the old parties or they are disappointed soreheads.

"A rose by any other name would smell as sweet," but a twelve per cent. money lender when he wears the people's party badge becomes a perfect angel. Then the poor people who have been crying out against the oppression of the capitalists welcome the brother with the unkempt locks and soiled clothing though his palms be white and soft and he tells not neither does he spin.

It must be consoling to the honest, hard

working farmer to have these professional travelers go up and down the land telling them how terribly oppressed they are. Such discoveries are a positive boon to the farmer and he is willing to contribute liberally of his sweat-earned cash to pay the "expenses" of the calamity crier whose counsel he was happier without.

But many farmers with large, active brains don't see so much calamity as is pictured by the paid missionaries of discontentment.

The people may rest assured that the interests of Clackamas county will be sharply looked after in the legislature by Joel P. Geer. He is a typical westerner. He has grown up on Oregon soil, is possessed of an investigating mind, has a large stock of good, hard, common sense and has had experience in business that qualifies him for handling public affairs. Mr. Geer will make a valuable representative.

After the Boodle.

The few down readers of the Oswego Iron Worker have noticed some very amusing antics of that infant hellschild lately. At the time of the county conventions, republican and democratic, it took an attitude plainly indicating that it was in the field for something and it has very clumsily given its snip dead away during the past three weeks.

In the first place the paper is owned by Borthwick & Batty, the Portland real estate firm, who have undertaken the task of booming Oswego and selling certain town property. This is all right and no one ought to find fault with that feature of the case. But the young man employed to run the paper is a political freebooter who seems not satisfied with the salary paid him by his real estate employers and he engages in foraging expeditions occasionally.

Having "assailed" our county court without suffering instant destruction the Iron Worker assumed a swaggering air and pretended that it wielded an immense influence in Clackamas county affairs. It immediately began a hunt for the "sark." It didn't make any difference what the political character of the treasure might be, it was after the "swag." In the course of time it came to pass that the Iron Worker sang a few notes for republicans, naming with special commendation Gordon E. Hayes, republican candidate for state senator, and Eli C. Maddock, republican candidate for sheriff.

Then the young man with the bulging intellect made a trip to Oregon City and indicated his willingness to support the republicans provided they would put up his price in cold cash. He said he would support Mr. Maddock for \$250. Of course Mr. Maddock would not entertain such a proposition and the Iron Worker has cast its mighty weight into the scales against him.

By joining the infamous gang whose ruling passion it is to defeat Eli Maddock at any cost the Iron Worker confers its greatest favor upon him. It most clearly defines the line between the malignantly disreputable and the decent and respectable in politics.

VOTE for Gordon E. Hayes for state senator. He is not a political weather vane shifting with every breeze that blows. He is not in politics for revenge. He will make an active and progressive and safe servant of the people. He should be elected by a handsome majority.

He Can't Be Trusted.

The democrats have a man for representative whom the people of Clackamas county will take peculiar delight in not voting for. He is A. M. Lovelace of Damascus.

Mr. Lovelace signed the petition to the legislature praying for attaching all that part of Clackamas county north of the Clackamas river to Multnomah county. There were fifty-six other signatures on the petition. In but two weeks' time a remonstrance with more than 1000 names was gotten up and sent to the legislature. So Mr. Lovelace is with a hopeless minority. The people of Clackamas county will never trust him to represent them in the legislature.

The original petition having the name of A. M. Lovelace in his own handwriting is in possession of the ENTERPRISE. There is no possible doubt about the matter. He signed the petition to annex to Multnomah county all of Clackamas lying north of the Clackamas river—a territory containing seven or eight bridges and other improvements for which Clackamas county is now in debt.

CAPT. J. O. WETHERELL will be our next county treasurer. There is no doubt on that point. And it is a source of gratification to everybody who knows him, be they republican, democrat, people's party or prohibitionist, that the kindly, capable and honest old veteran will have charge of the county moneys during the coming two years. Give him a rousing vote. He is no politician. The bloom of his life was spent in the trenches defending his country's life.

THE JURORS whom Way wheedled into agreeing with him in opposing S. M. Ramsby for recorder very properly declined to make oath to the statement under which their names appear. Mr. Ramsby, however, is able to furnish the sworn statement of other jurors that the allegations against him are wholly untrue. To swear to falsehood is perjury. Way's whole fabric is simply a lie, windy, brutal and disreputable as himself.

Few men have been more systematically vilified in a political campaign than Henry Jewell, candidate for representative. But Mr. Jewell has silenced most of the attacks against him by his positive and straightforward denial of their truth and he will get a large vote. He is a farmer who has toiled long years and wrung from the soil an honest competence. He knows the needs of the people and will urge them with diligence. Vote for him.

You can always tell what Ed. Whitlock writes in his courier because of its mellow iridescence. It has all the colors of Book beer, stale ale, bay rum, kerosene and Jamaica ginger. It has a fizzy and foamy like soft soap suds. It sounds like a weird wind blowing in a bung hole. He sings like a hawk.

Mrs. Lease and Mr. Seyd.

Mrs. Lease of Kansas, who had so little respect for Memorial day that she took advantage of the occasion to harangue the multitude on the iniquity of all political parties but her own, the people's party, seems to be no more correct in her facts than was Gen. Weaver. While desecrating Decoration day she made a great point of declaring that Ernest Seyd, a London financier of considerable reputation, was sent to this country with \$300,000 to obtain demoralization of silver.

That is a truly remarkable statement, in view of Mr. Seyd's attitude on the silver question. It is merely one of those extravagant catch phrases that constitute so large a part of the gospel of the people's party.

In 1873 Mr. Seyd published a little book entitled "The Depreciation of Labor and Property which would Follow the Demoralization of Silver." In it he says: "The single gold valuation, the writer believes, will bring misery to the world and the curse of posterity will fall upon its advocates." "Every sociologist who has at heart the welfare of his fellow men should oppose the threatening committal of this crime [the demoralization of silver] with all his energy." Numerous other similar quotations could be given but these show the sentiments of Mr. Seyd on the silver question.

The stupidity which charges the author of these sentiments with being the chosen agent of the gold bugs is laughable to say the least of it. Mrs. Lease should cease defying the world with her sharp tongue, and gain some elementary information.

LET THE VOTERS not forget the matter of confining hogs when they vote next Monday. Hogs are the most annoying beasts that can run at large. It is almost impossible to fence against them and they create sad havoc in the crops. There are few farmers who do not every year suffer losses by marauding hogs that would much more than pay for keeping their own in proper enclosures. Of course there comes the inconvenience of having to take care of one's own hogs but it is in the line of progress that must come to the farmers of Clackamas county. It is a matter for the farmers to settle by their votes. They should not ignore the question.

The new editor of the Courier, Ed. Whitlock, is such a sweet-scented, spiritual quantity that he may almost be said to be "without body, parts or passions." Certain it is that the terrible "tongue-lashing" administered to Mr. Maddock (according to that delectable sheet) was not administered in Mr. Maddock's presence. Eddie undoubtedly thought whole gobs of mean things he might say if he were not too cowardly, and then he "went and wrote it up" for his paper. He was evidently designed for a novelist—one of the mad-fancies-linked-the-ridiculous-atmosphere kind. His strongest point is fiction.

Geo. F. HORTON is a good man to elect county clerk to continue the present efficient administration of that office. He is a skilled accountant, has had a varied experience in public and private business and will handle the affairs of the office in a prompt and satisfactory manner. Elect George F. Horton county clerk.

IT WOULD never do to send A. M. Lovelace to the legislature as a representative of Clackamas county. He loves Clackamas so little that he wants to join Multnomah and would do so at the first opportunity.

The name of Max Ramsby, or "Little Mac" as he is familiarly known, appears on the official ballot as "S. M. Ramsby." Be careful not to scratch that name.

HENRY JEWELL will represent the northern part of the county and he will not consent to yielding any part of Clackamas soil to the greed of Multnomah.

WE WANT Joel P. Geer in the legislature. He knows what Clackamas needs and is able to present our cause in a manner that will command respect.

ELI C. MADDOCK is an honest and capable man who respects himself and the rights of the people.

SALOON KEEPER SUBBAUER of Canby wanted Mr. Maddock to deposit \$50 with him to be dispensed in free drinks for the boys. Mr. Maddock refused to deposit \$50 or any other sum for any such purpose. Now Subbauer is abroad with the statement that Maddock promised to pay him \$50 for drinks. There is no truth in his statement.

SHERIFF SAMSON says the ENTERPRISE exposure of his shameless treachery should not be entitled to credit because the editor of the paper is a comparatively new comer to old Oregon City. Mr. Samson appears to be one of those who think a truth cannot be a truth unless it wears dad's pants and has whiskers a foot long.

VOTE the republican ticket straight. This is a presidential year and every vote counts for principle. Study the ticket at the head of the editorial page of this paper.

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, June 4, 1892:

- Armstrong, Annie Brunson, John Bates, J. C. Dunlap, Harry Francis, Henry Fish, F. W. Hanson, Herman Hall, F. M. Kellogg, Wm J. Kellogg, Mason Linzie, John Manson, Mrs John Mead Miss Birdie Penleton, F E Pinedar, Miss Martha Piterson, Julius Price, Mrs Emma C Storey, Anson Salion, Fred Schmitz, Miss Elma Wheeler & Parlow Bros Wallace, John If called for, please say when advertised. E. M. RANDS, P. M.

NEWS FROM BARLOW

THE PRECINCT WILL GIVE HERMAN A LARGE VOTE.

Young Men's Republican Club Organized a Newspaper to be Established in the Town.

BARLOW, Or., May 31.—M. E. Bain, formerly of the Oregonian and late of the Salem Statesman, has purchased property and ordered lumber for a two-story building 24x34 feet and will start a six-column newspaper making its first appearance Thursday June 9th. The name of the paper will be "The Three Sisters." This was suggested in honor to Canty, Aurora and Barlow and as the latter place is the central point the paper will be issued from here. Mr. Bain has secured the hearty support of the three towns and will work in the interest of them all. The paper will be non-political and it is hoped that every man living in the great V valley of Clackamas county and the northern part of Marion county will subscribe for it.

BLAINE REPUBLICAN CLUB.—The political pot is boiling here. The young men have organized a republican club and taken for its name "Blaine Republican Club of Barlow." They met in mass meeting at Tull's Cafe last Saturday night and twenty-two signed the constitution. Jas. I. Dozier was elected chairman and Jay Green secretary. Considerable life was manifested and after long and strong speeches were made the secretary was instructed to write Hon. Geo. C. Brownell, chairman of republican central committee, to be present on the night of June 2nd, Thursday, to address the people in behalf of the club.

DECORATION DAY.—Decoration day nearly all the people in this vicinity went to Butteville or Oregon City to join in the observance of the day. At Butteville there was a gathering of the Grand Army men and the Aurora band led the procession to the cemetery followed by nearly 500 people. The town everywhere was gay with bunting and before proceeding to the graves a sumptuous spread was served in the grove by the good people of Butteville to treat the visitors from other parts of the county.

HERMANN'S LARGE MAJORITY.—Before another issue of the ENTERPRISE it will be known the majority Hermann has received at this precinct on the night of the 6th of June. There is a great deal of work being done for Binger Hermann in this precinct and every effort is being made to increase strength. A great many democrats, prohibitionists and people's party men will vote for him.

SEVERAL NEW BUILDINGS.—J. W. Scoggin's new building is nearly completed. Moses B. Quint has his new dwelling under way. M. Besser has the lumber on the ground and will commence to erect his dwelling in a few days. B. Irwin is hauling in lumber for his building. J. L. Hendricks has just completed his dwelling and moved in.

NEW FOLDER.—We notice this week a new folder that Barlow & Co. are sending out at the rate of 1000 a day. It is well gotten up and speaks of the resources of the entire south part of Clackamas county. It also has maps which shows Molalla, Marquam, Soda Springs, etc and all the country between the Molalla and Pudding rivers.

LAND SALES.—The past week has far exceeded any previous weeks transfers recorded in Barlow & Co's office. For the past week are the following: J. Monroe 15 acres, F. Thompson 12 acres, P. Clemmens 12 acres, M. Besser, 20 acres and L. Buckman 20 acres

W. S. Tull says no partnership has been formed between James Deas and himself, as reported in this correspondence last week, nor in any such partnership contemplated. He did not authorize the publication.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Nelson of Molalla, sister of Eph Ramsby, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Geo. A. Sheppard came over from the Sound Saturday and spent the Sunday with his family.

Mr. R. L. Hall, a real estate man of Portland was in town last Saturday and registered at Tull Cafe.

Prof. Byland, candidate for justice of the peace for Needy, Lower Molalla and Barlow was in town this week.

Dr. Carl of Oregon City, chairman of the central committee, came up Tuesday and addressed the people politically.

Hon. Geo. A. Harding, democratic candidate for senator, and wife were in town last Tuesday and registered at The Koehler.

Trespass notices, on cloth, large size, seventy-five cents per dozen by retail at the ENTERPRISE office.

G. E. Hargraves, builder, near the foot of Falls View stairs, will save you money on building a home and guarantees satisfaction.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Notice is hereby given that the city council of Oregon City, Oregon, will sit as a board of equalization on the assessment of 1892 of said city on the 23rd day of June, 1892, at 9 o'clock p. m., and adjourn from time to time as the case may require until the 29th day of June at the same hour.

The tax roll will be on file and for inspection in the office of the recorder after June 16th, 1892. Any person not satisfied with his assessment, and wishing a reduction of the same, must apply to said city council in writing and stating his reason for the reduction asked for, under oath, before the 29th day of June, 1892. L. L. FORTY, Recorder, Oregon City, June 1, 1892.

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