

CLACKAMAS COUNTY

THE ENTERPRISE CORRESPONDENTS SWEEP THE FIELD.

Canby Populists Hold a Rally and Pass the Hat for Silver—Deserved Compliments for Morton and Shanks.

CANBY, May 26.—What happened at this usually quiet, peaceful little village on the southern edge of Baker's Prairie on last Wednesday from 10 o'clock until 3, is not soon to be forgotten—for on that date a "cyclone" like unto the kind they have in Texas visited this place. While it did not kill 60 people outright, as the recent one in Texas did, nor did it turn over their houses nor destroy their crops, yet it set forth such doctrines which, if believed and practiced, would kill 60,000,000 people by starvation and cause the lands to be abandoned to the Indian and the coyote. The meeting was held on the Methodist camp ground here and in the tabernacle, therefore a little description fashioned after the writings so often quoted there will not be amiss; for in those days came John (Davis) the "cyclone," preaching in the tabernacle at Canby, saying, repent ye, for the days of populism are at hand. Prepare ye the way of populism and make its paths straight to the court house at Oregon City. And the same John had his raiment of camel's hair and was dressed in purple and fine linen, while his deluded followers worked the town for silver shovels to pay him with, and were not exactly dressed in purple nor even in fine sackcloth. His meat was neither locusts nor wild honey, for he subsists on the fat of the land. When the giant, for he was nearly seven feet tall, arose and his massive form began to heave and sway, and his vocal organs began to emit sounds like those of Balaam's quadruped of old, and especially when he referred to tariff, tariff, tariff, republican, democrat, gold etc., did he virtually bray. Some exclaimed "what manner of man is he?" Others said "is the giant possessed of the devil?" Others supposed him to be the prince of devils. While all had to agree, after hearing his voice, that he must be a relative of Samson and is trying to slay the republicans and democrats with the same instrument Samson used to slay the Philistines. There went out to hear him all of Barlow and New Era, and the region round about Canby and beyond the Molalla, and when he saw many republicans and democrats come to the tabernacle, he said unto them "Oh generation of republicans and democrats, who hath warned you to flee from the harder times to come (should the pope succeed)? And seeing the multitudes he opened his mouth, and the people which sat in the darkness saw great light from a populist point of view. After taking up the usual collection, which consisted of the proverbial silver, intermingled with copper cents and pants buttons the multitude dispersed, wondering why the pope would import a southern democrat by name of Davis to teach politics and loyalty to the people of Oregon.

About three-fourths of the "pop"ulation of Canby went out to hear Jacob, the Coxeyite, preach in the Wilderness at Wright's Springs on the 23d inst. Curiosity was the chief attraction. People wanted to see the man who led an army of paupers to Washington city to intimidate congress into passing laws advocated by his honor who held forth at the Springs last Saturday. People would have gone just as far to have seen Barnum's white elephant and would have derived as much benefit. Coxey said that "it must be curiosity that impelled the people to congregate in such a large number on that occasion." We agree with Coxey on one point.

This is a time when every true republican should stand by his principles and not reject his party principles because there happens to be a man on the county ticket who does not exactly suit him. It is a poor time to experiment. Better wait until times get better. By voting against a part or all of your ticket this year only helps to encourage the enemy and causes many disgruntled ones to fall into the enemies' ranks who would be safe under more encouraging circumstances. Many people vote about as their neighbors do, and many who want office go over like some of the "pop" candidates did this year, just before the convention, in order to secure the coveted position. Let all the republicans then vote for principles and prosperity, and see that Clackamas county does not fall from grace to disgrace.

Every republican in this justice district should see that the names of Wm. Knight and J. S. Graham is on every ticket voted next Monday in the district. They are both first-class men, competent and trustworthy. Canby is entitled to the justice of the peace and the constable during the next term, as New Era has had the offices for the last six years. New Era republicans should appreciate this fact and vote accordingly. Most of the populists here and all the democrats are for Knight and Graham.

Some of the Canby republicans are talking against J. R. Morton for county commissioner. I wish to say that J. R. Morton is the best qualified man who has ever run for that office in this county. He is a practical bridge and road man. He made bridge work his occupation for years. I am personally acquainted with him and must therefore state that Morton ought to get the entire vote of his party here. He is not ruled by any man or set of men and will do the proper thing if elected. Republicans here conceded at the convention that the portion of the county north of the Clackamas river was entitled to the commissioner, and the convention said Morton was the man; therefore let us all vote for him and keep faith. What would the Canby republicans think if the republicans north of the Clackamas should vote for Lewelling for recorder simply because he lives in their section? What would Barlow people think if some section of the county should repudiate their candidates because of geography? Samuel Marks is a good man, and ordinarily successful farmer and good citizen, but a mighty poor stick for county commissioner as compared with J. R. Morton.

Sorry to state that some unscrupulous scoundrel circulated a story last Saturday to the effect that W. M. Shank was putting up money to a saloon at Liberal for the pur-

pose of securing votes there. I have known Mr. Shank for 13 years and know that he is not that kind of a man. He does not have to violate his established principles to secure votes. He will get there anyhow.

MARYSVILLE NOTES.

Aged Woman Left to Die by Her Brutal Sons—Notes of Interest.

MARYSVILLE, May 23.—Frank Manning, Jr., met with quite an accident this week while helping his father split rails. His axe glanced and struck his ankle, severing one of the large arteries and making an ugly wound. He was taken home by his father and the cut sewed up. He is doing well but will have to go on crutches for some time.

A pitiable case of destitution came to light on Wednesday of this week in this vicinity. Old Mrs. Mueller, seventy years of age and unable to work, was found by the school children in a small house near the school house, belonging to her son, Richard Mueller, of Highland. She was lying on a bed of fern, with no covering, no stove, and nothing to eat. When interviewed by the writer she told the following story: Some time since she came from the East to visit her sons, Frank and Wm. Mueller of this place, and Richard Mueller, of Highland. She had some money (about seventy dollars) left when she got here, which she loaned to William and Richard, but now, she being unable to work, they had turned her out and told her she could live in the place where found by the school children, and she had come there to die. When her sons were notified they refused to take care of her, and she is at present being taken care of by some of the charitably disposed neighbors. It certainly is a case that should be looked into by the proper authorities.

John L. Gard, teaching school in this district, is about to build a new house on a piece of land given him by his father. Of course we know John to be a good sensible fellow, and won't build a house unless he has use for it.

Chas. Kriezer, chairman of the board of school directors of this district, made and presented to the district a fine teacher's desk this week. Thanks, Charlie. May your shadow never grow less.

Singing practice at the Marysville school house every Sunday at 2 p. m. Those interested are cordially invited. Preaching the third Sunday of each month.

Colton News.

COLTON, May 23.—As there has been no letter from Colton for some time the news has accumulated to a large heap of almost nothing.

The most important subject of discussion is the fight last Sunday evening at the Salvation army barracks. One of Colton's leading populists and a most determined republican met and clasped each other in a very warm embrace which started the gossiping tongues at full speed, but no harm resulted from the small encounter except a few campaign scratches.

M. M. George Reed and Charlie Newbill, of Portland, have been spending a few days with Chester Gorbett rusticating and taking in the beauties of our rural surroundings.

A large audience gathered at the Colton school house on the evening of the 21st to listen to Hon. Geo. C. Brownell. He made a powerful address of two hours length on the leading topics of the day. He highly recommended separately and collectively the candidates on the republican ticket. This address was followed with a recitation by Miss Inez McLean, entitled, "My Sentiments," which was loudly cheered by the republicans. The stand was decorated with magnificent bouquets of lovely flowers from the well kept gardens of Mrs. S. Hammett and Mrs. E. Stromgren.

Mr. Countryman is obliged to feed his bees, having already lost some on account of damp weather and lack of flowers. That is very rough on the garden spot of the West. Boys, don't be raising blisters on your pious and ax handles with your big, rough hands, but go to Mrs. Countryman and get a pair of first class genuine buckskin gloves, made to order and never failing to fit.

Your correspondent had the pleasure of attending the exercises at the close of the second month of our school. The pupils rendered their recitations in a manner that did credit to their teacher as well as themselves. Mr. Dickey has his school under good control, and has the respect and good will of all his pupils.

Elliott Prairie Items.

ELLIOTT PRAIRIE, May 23.—Not having seen any news from this section of the county in the ENTERPRISE for some time, I take the liberty of sending a few items.

A republican rally was held at the school house last Tuesday evening. The house was full to overflowing. Hon. George C. Brownell was the first speaker. He spoke for about two hours to an appreciative audience, and was followed by several of the republican county candidates, among whom were Charles Holman, L. L. Porter, G. W. Prosser, E. C. Maddock and S. H. Strange.

And still it rains. "When will we get our spring grain sown?" is what we hear on every side. But still the citizens of Elliott Prairie have not given up in despair, as we have a road supervisor in this end of the precinct now in the person of G. W. Killin, and a good selection too, as no obstacle is too difficult for him to overcome, as will be shown by the following: Last week George had to go to mill, so he took three or four men with him, equipped with the necessary tools for working roads, and boldly started out. After filling ditches, leveling down hills, and bridging mud holes, he made the round trip of eight miles in a little less than thirteen hours.

G. W. Owings is building a fine barn. He has the frame work up and with a few days good weather will have it under cover.

A F. Chapman met with quite a painful accident one day last week, while splitting wood. He almost severed the thumb of the left hand.

Fall grain generally looks well. Hops are uneven and making a slow growth, owing to the wet cold weather.

The U. S. Gov't Reports show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

OSWEGO NEWS.

A Great Republican Rally—M. E. Church Conference.

OSWEGO, Or. May 17.—On last Saturday night the grand republican rally for Oswego was held in the Grange hall. The hall was literally crowded, standing room being at a premium. The meeting was presided over by Mr. Traft, our county committeeman. After music by the Willamette Amateur band, the candidates were introduced by the chairman and in short speeches each one gave account of the faith that was in him. After the candidates had all spoken Senator Brownell was introduced. The senator delivered one of the very best speeches that has been heard in Oswego during the campaign. Rinearson was loudly called for but excused himself upon account of the lateness of the hour.

It looked very fraternal to have the president of the local democrat club occupy a seat on the platform at the republican rally.

A number of Milwaukee boys attended the republican rally at this place Saturday night. The third quarterly conference of the M. E. church was held in the new church on Saturday night. Rev. Doctor Van Scoy of Portland University occupying the place of presiding elder. The doctor preached Sunday morning to a good congregation.

The Willamette Amateur Band played at the republican rally at Wilsonville, Monday night. Quite a number of republicans went out with the boys. Last night the same band went to Canby and played for the rally at that place.

The great and only Gen. Weaver will speak in the Grange hall here on Thursday night.

D. H. Buzzard, John Erickson and Roy Haines leave today for Washougal, not for their health but for fish.

Mr. Prosser has quite a force of men working on the road. G. W. has been and is yet a good road supervisor and will make a good representative. He will be elected despite the efforts of a few men in Oswego who call themselves (God save the mark) republicans.

Sandy.

SANDY, May 25.—Farmers were blessed with fine weather the past week and all spring work is done now.

John Foster has sold 100 acres to his brother-in-law Mr. Will Stansbury, who will make it his future home.

Mrs. Rambow sold 37 acres to Mr. Sage, a new comer, who will make this country his home.

Considerable talk is indulged in a manner more forceable than polite by the people of this country about those fish wheels which are located at the mouth of the Sandy river. It is said that there are five wheels in operation there and that wire screens have been stretched across the river, compelling all salmon to go through the trap, consequence are that very few fish get up here when in former years we had plenty of fish. An effort should be made to clear one channel at least so that some fish could get up here.

Several parties with boats and fishing tackle came out here, hoping to catch lots of fish, but were greatly disappointed on account of fish being so scarce.

F. A. Meinig, our road master, has called for bids to clean out our road.

Last Saturday our debate was attended by an immense crowd. Considerable interest was manifested in the discussion. Resolved that a good wagon road is of more benefit to this country than a railroad. The discussion was a bitter one and was decided in favor of the affirmative.

Politics have reached the highest point of earnestness here. It's 110 in the shade.

The 19th inst., about a dozen whittlers and about as many democrats and republicans came out to hear the populist candidates speak on the political issues of the day. Mr. U'Ren who seems to be the chief cook and bottle washer of the populist party spoke for an hour and a half, made a good speech for his supporters.

Monday, June 1st, is election day and every legal voter of this state who desires to have this country restored to prosperity should vote a straight republican ticket, as it is the party to which Abe Lincoln belonged. It is the party that founded the homestead law by which thousands of families were provided with comfortable homes, it is the party that is in favor of free public schools, it is the party that is in favor of using both gold and silver as money, it is the party that is in favor of high protective tariff so that all men may have employment who are willing to work.

As times are hard, good many remedies are being proposed as a cure and I will as one suggest a remedy that will surely cure these hard times if followed according to directions: every voter on election day should take his ballot and give every populist candidate a good scratch with pen and ink and all other candidates, except the republican candidates leave them clear of mark or blots.

The People's Favorite.

When you are hungry and want an appetizing meal—one that is well cooked to your taste and well served—try the Nickel Lunch Counter. This is no second-class restaurant, we feed the best people in Oregon City and they always go where they get full value for their money. Give us a trial.

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We have just received a new line of spring millinery goods and can furnish you trimmed hats or trim them to order on short notice

Men's and Boys' Clothing

Our boys' and men's clothing has just arrived. Do not fail to see it before you buy, for we can save you more money than ever before.

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Stafford News.

STAFFORD, May 25.—Whoop! We are once more breathing fresh, balmy spring zephyrs. Ranchers are just more than shoving in their crops.

Road Boss Baker claims to have the best stretch of road of any supervisor in the county. The road from the Shipley bridge on the Tualatin river, to Slickizer's hill, 8 miles, being now in splendid condition, and no place on it where it would not be a pleasure to trot over with a horse and buggy.

Several men with teams are at present repairing and grading Hayes hill and on down to Schultz's blacksmithing shop.

Wm. Schatz has got out the new sills for his large barn. The timbers are 40 and 48 feet long.

John Schiewe has purchased separator trucks on which to mount his stationary engine. John intends to furnish power for Johnson's threshing machine the coming season. Taff, Reichle has bought some old trucks and will haul water for the above outfit.

Fred Reichle is expected home this week. He has been attending college in New York for a couple of years.

Rev. Reichle is having a summer kitchen added to his commodious residence.

Rev. Gronde was in Aurora Friday last. Night school has busted up. The professor got wrathful and closed the meeting Friday evening before school had fairly begun.

The Coyote club will meet Saturday evening at the Frog Pond School house for the purpose of allowing half price for young coyotes, providing there is not too much strenuous objection.

Dame Rumor says, Mrs. Jennie Burger, of Frog Pond, intends going East soon—presumably with her horse and cart.

Politics have begun to really boil here now. Some of the non-taxpaying candidates have been amongst us.

Jerry Toombs, of Portland, is stopping a few days with friends here.

Mrs. J. J. Howard, of Oregon City, accompanied by her three children, was the guest of her mother, Mrs. M. A. Gage, Sunday.

Some of the young hoodlums that hang around the Baptist church horse sheds during services are paving the way to the reform school or "cooler" by stretching wires across high foot bridges and acting in a very indecent and ungentlemanly manner generally.

Don't Tobacco Spit

Or smoke your life away, is the truthful, startling title of a book about No-To-Bac, the harmless, guaranteed tobacco habit cure that braces up nicotineized nerves, eliminates the nicotine poison, makes weak men gain strength, vigor and manhood. You run no physical or financial risk, as No-To-Bac is sold by druggists everywhere under a guarantee to cure or money refunded. Book free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., New York or Chicago. Charman & Co., Druggist.

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Persons who are subject to attacks of bilious colic will be pleased to know that prompt relief may be had by taking Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It acts quickly and can always be depended upon. In many cases the attack may be prevented by taking this remedy as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

Buy A Home.

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S. F. SCRIPTURE.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rambling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be lost forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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632 Castelar St., Los Angeles, Cal., "After having suffered for a long time from acute rheumatism without obtaining relief, I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and was almost immediately relieved. I highly recommend this as the best medicine known. D. M. HAMILTON. For sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

Worthy of Notice.

The S. B. Medicine company is the only one out of nine proprietary medicine firms incorporated on this coast since 1887 that has not made an assignment. These hard times with new newspaper advertising contracts for two years, it speaks loudly of their merit. For sale by C. G. Huntley, druggist.

For the Lungs.

Elder Alon W. Steers writes from Portland, Or., "There is no medicine for the throat and lungs that I can recommend to ministers, public speakers and singers, with the confidence that I can the S. B. Cough cure." 50 cents a bottle. For sale by C. G. Huntley, druggist.

An Old Standby.

Clarence Porter is so well-known in Oregon City that he needs no further introduction to those wanting blacksmith work. His work always speaks for itself and his prices are always reasonable. Remember his shop is opposite Pope's hardware store, corner Main and Fourth streets.

For the Kidneys.

"I am 65 years old; have had kidney disease and constipation for 25 years. Am now well—used your S. B. Headache and Liver Cure one year. Used 6 bottles at 50 cents each. J. H. Knight, Rutledge, Or." For sale by C. G. Huntley, druggist.

For the Cemetery.

People desiring to go to the cemetery on Memorial Day can secure single or double rigs at reasonable rates at Noblett's stables. Hacks will be run from all points in the city to the cemetery to carry passengers. Our rigs are all comfortable, easy riding and teams gentle and reliable.

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