

Corvallis Times

CORVALLIS, OREGON,
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THE OREGON EXPERIENCE.

Most of the newspapers in the state profess to believe that the new primary election law has been demonstrated to be a howling success. Perhaps it has, though some of the results tend to discredit that view. It has certainly demonstrated that personal fitness and merit are not so valuable assets in securing a nomination as are organization and dollars. It is notorious that on nominating day, the farming population was largely at sea on the question of what candidates to support. The same conditions, in perhaps a less degree, was notably true of urban electors. It was then and there that the organization promoted by use of money in securing workers at the polls and otherwise had a telling effect. This luxury the less wealthy candidate could not afford. In more than one instance on state offices the lack of it is believed to have changed the result.

Analysis of the primary campaign and its outcome shows beyond question that it cost every candidate a large sum of money, that the man who spent the least money was handicapped, that there will always be times and instances where the nomination will depend on the amount of money spent, that on the whole money is a better asset for getting a nomination than is merit, and that the boss, through his superior organization, can probably accomplish more in controlling the outcome than he did under the convention system. The state is to an expense of many thousands of dollars, and as far as can be seen the tickets are no better, though probably no worse than would have been evolved by conventions. That the law from a partisan standpoint, is a good thing for the democrats is certain. That it will remain in effect is entirely likely, because having once felt the new nominating power, the electors will not be willing to give it up.

THE BENTON EXPERIENCE.

They say the primary election law is a good thing. Undoubtedly, those who put up the job that defeated William Jolly for the nomination think so. He is a good man and had lots of friends who wanted him renominated, but the jobbers knew the trick by which to let him down and didn't hesitate to spring the trap.

In the same way they took votes from Hawley and gave them to a former democrat to such an extent that a man actually born and reared within its limits scarcely got a plurality of the votes of the county. As to the others who got railroaded out of nomination by the combine, each probably knows in what part of the neck he got the axe, and just what was the influence that put it there.

If the primary law were given a fair trial and voters were left free to act on their own information, as the framers of the law contemplated, it would doubtless work all right. It would then give a fair test of the party sentiment. But when by secret agreement, as was the case in Benton, certain candidates agree to stand by each other to down others, and when good men are sacrificed by tricks of jugglery and jobbery, the law cannot be said to be universally satisfactory. Experience here has demonstrated that it is as easy to be unfair under its operation as under the convention system.

The redeeming feature of the primary law is Statement Number 1. In principle, it is right, and in the end, if Oregon voters are what they ought to be, it will triumph. Its first time in practice may have its drawbacks, but there is only one Bourne and probably he will not be on hand to fret and fresco voters in the next election. Then it will be Charles Fulton, and those who now condemn Statement Number 1, will extol it to the heavens.

FROM ALBANY NOW.

Transmission Wire Completed and Current Turned on.

The wheels at the electric light plant stood still last night. They are not to run anymore in Corvallis. They have been in service in supplying Corvallis with light for something like twenty years, but their usefulness here is ended. In a few days, the work of dismantling them will begin, after which they will be shipped to Seaside, where the work laid down by them here is to be taken up there. The changed conditions are due to the fact that Corvallis electric lights are now made by power from the Santiam ditch. A new generator was recently installed in the Albany plant for the Corvallis service, and a transmission line has been under construction for several weeks. It was connected up yesterday noon, and the current was turned on at one o'clock in the afternoon. The lights were all on throughout the afternoon in order to give the electricians opportunity to adjust things. The transmission wire brings in a voltage of 2,200 while the plants voltage was only 1,100 which made readjustments necessary. Even with precautions, half a dozen arc lights in the southern and central portion of town were burned out. They will all be repaired and in service tomorrow night. The transmission wire consists of three aluminum cables of seven strands each. One wire is at the top of the pole and the other two are at either end of a five foot cross arm three feet below. The usual transmission wire is of copper, but copper is 28 cents a pound now 30 miles of cable at that figure comes high and the aluminum is resorted to. The latter answers all purposes, but permits a larger loss of current in the process of transmission. As soon as transformers and switchboards arrive, 10,000 volts of current will be brought over the transmission wire into Corvallis. That will mean for everybody to keep hands off for it would be instant death to touch a live wire carrying 10,000 voltage. A voltage of only 1,700 is used in electrocuting criminals.

Suffered for Five Years With Kidney and Liver Trouble.
"I suffered for five years with kidney and liver trouble, which caused severe pains across the back and a blinding headache. I had dyspepsia and was so constipated that I could not move my bowels without a cathartic. I was cured by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and have been well now for six months," says Mr. Arthur S. Strickland, of Chattanooga, Tenn. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

CAMP GIVEN UP.

Creffield Said to Have Disappeared—Followers Leaving Waldport.

There are signs that the Creffield camping proposition at Waldport has miscarried. Two of those who started for the rendezvous recently arrived in Corvallis yesterday, and a third passed out to Albany on today's train. Creffield himself, it is said to have been two or three days at the camp and he then disappeared and has not since been seen. The belief is that all the others will within a short time, return to their homes, and that Creffield will go elsewhere to carry out his devilish enterprise.

People familiar with the situation are convinced that the residents of the vicinity of the camp turned out to be hostile to the undertaking, and through fear of bodily harm, Creffield abandoned his plans. Mrs. Starr who deserted a seven months baby and another small child in Portland Saturday to join the party is said to be in Alesha. She arrived here Sunday and is supposed to have traveled most of the way to Alsea foot. A story of her desertion of her home and children appears in last night's Portland Journal. Creffield tells his dupes now that he cursed San Francisco and that is why the western metropolis is in ruins, and that he has a similar curse on Portland and Corvallis.

CHOLERA INFANTUM.

Child Not Expected to Live from One Hour to Another, but Cured by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.
Ruth, the little daughter of E. M. Dewey of Agnewville, Va., was seriously ill of cholera infantum last summer. "I gave her up and did not expect her to live from one hour to another," he says. "I happened to think of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and got a bottle of it from the store. In five hours I saw a change for the better. We kept on giving it and before she had taken the half of one small bottle she was well." This remedy is for sale by Graham & Wortham.

OYSTERS FROM JAPAN.

Will try to Grow Them at Yaquina—Shipment Received for that Purpose.

M. M. Davis is planting Japanese oysters in Yaquina Bay for experiment. Thirty boxes of the bivalves, each box weighing 250 pounds, passed over the C. & E. Saturday, and were planted in the Davis beds near Oysterville the same evening. The oysters are of large size, measuring from four to 11 inches in length and four to five inches in width and are two years old and over. They came from a remote part of Japan, and two weeks after being packed in the boxes, reached Yokohama, where they were immediately transferred to the steamer Nicomedia and brought to Portland. The Japanese oysters, says the Albany Herald, like those native of the Pacific Coast, live and multiply in cold water where the Eastern oysters cannot increase.

Many of the oysters in the boxes are dead owing to the long time they had been out of water. When ordered by Dr. Davis the instructions were to take them from the beds to Yokohama, there to be placed in the water over one steamer so as to revive them after being out of water for two weeks before they were shipped across the Pacific. But this order was ignored and the oysters on arrival in Yokohama were immediately placed on the Nicomedia; hence when the shipment reached here yesterday many of the oysters, especially the large ones, were dead. Dr. Davis was here to tranship them and accompanied the shipment to the bay.

Dr. Davis and associates have for several years shipped out Eastern oysters to Yaquina Bay in carload lots and planted them on their extensive oyster beds, and these are now beginning to be profitable to them, but thus far there is no sign of propagation of the Eastern bivalves thus transplanted, owing doubtless, to the cold water of the Pacific. More of the Eastern oyster seed will be sent out however, and the supply be kept up in this way for the present. Another carload from Narragansett Bay is now being loaded and will reach Yaquina in about two weeks to be planted in the beds of Dr. Davis.

The oysters planted two years ago will be ready for the market next winter, and it is expected that a large part of the trade of this part of the state will be supplied from Yaquina when the beds there begin to produce the Eastern oysters in quantities as expected. These Eastern oysters planted in Yaquina Bay, while they grow to as large a size in the East, take on the peculiarly rich flavor of the native oysters and are a great improvement on the genuine Eastern oyster, and for that reason very much more palatable. It is expected that when the Eastern bivalve is once placed on the market in large quantities it will be the most valued of all the bivalves to be found.

Ice and ice cream delivered by the Corvallis Creamery Co. in large or small quantities to any part of the city.

For Sale.

Vetch and Cheat and Clover hay. White seed oats. Also one fine M. B. tom. T. A. Logsdon. Ind. phone 55, Mt. View line.

—Ladies' underwear at the Bazaar.

Ice and ice cream delivered on Sunday—any part of the city—by Corvallis Creamery Co.

Eat Butter-Nut Bread. Thatcher & Johnson sell it.

English Shire Stallion.

Imported English Shire stallion 7972 Southhill Ranger 18366 will make the season of 1906 as follows: Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at Abbott barn Corvallis, and Mondays and Saturdays at Monroe Ford Mondays at Watkin's place 12, miles south of Corvallis. Southhill Ranger is a beautiful dark dapple bay, 17 1/4 hands high and weighs 2150 pounds. Terms: \$20 to insure with foal or \$25 to insure a living colt. W. C. Belknap, Manager.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If this does not afford relief bind on a piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to follow. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution, decree, and order of sale issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Benton, bearing date of April 24, 1906, under the seal of said court on a decree and order of sale in favor of J. H. Moore and against Lyle L. Howe for the sum of \$4,821.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum from the date of said judgment, and the further sum of \$200.00 attorneys' fees, and the further sum of \$37.50 costs, less the sum of \$1,000.00 paid on said judgment on the 6th day of July, 1906, which said decree was duly entered in said court on the 6th day of July, 1906, in a suit wherein J. H. Moore was plaintiff, and Lyle L. Howe was defendant; said decree, execution and order of sale to me directed and delivered, commanding me as sheriff of Benton county, Oregon, to sell in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, all the real property owned by the defendant, to-wit: The original D. L. C. of Jacob Modie and wife; Rachael Modie, his wife, being claim No. 46, Book No. 2678 in section 26, 27, 28 and 34 in T. 10 S. R. 5 West, Will. Mer. containing 31.94 acres more or less, excepting 10 acres sold by Jacob Modie to Silas St. Jones on the 5th day of August 1888, by deed recorded on page 111 Book "2," records of deeds, of Benton county, Oregon, also excepting therefrom 21.75 acres sold by Jacob Modie to John Burns on the 20th day of May 1887, by deed recorded on page 616, Book "6," records of deeds for Benton county, Oregon; Also the original D. L. C. of William M. Mer. to-wit: Commencing on the S W corner of claim No. 46 of Jacob Modie and wife in T. 10 S. R. 5 West, Mer. thence running to the N E 1/4 of section 31 East and West, thence East about 163 rods thence North 80 rods thence E. 50 rods thence N. 80 rods thence W. about 12 rods thence S. about 27 rods to the S. E. corner of said claim No. 46, thence W. to the place of beginning, containing 190 acres more or less, also the following, to-wit: The S W 1/4 of the N 1/4; the W 1/2 of the S E 1/4; and the S E 1/4 of the N 1/4 of section 34, all in T. 10 S. R. 5 West, Will. Mer. containing 200 acres more or less, excepting from the last above tract one acre sold by J. H. Moore and Elizabeth, his wife, to school District No. 42, Benton county, Oregon, on the 26th day of April, 1902, by deed recorded on page 308, of Book 37, records of deeds for Benton county, Oregon. All the above described land lying and being situated in Benton county, state of Oregon, and amounting to 390 acres, more or less, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging in or any way pertaining, to and in obedience to the commands of said decree, execution and order of sale, I will, on Saturday, the 26th day of May, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock P. M., sell at public auction at the court house door, in the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, Oregon, the highest bidder for cash, all the above described premises, together with all and singular the hereditaments, tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any way pertaining, to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs.

M. P. BURNETT, Sheriff of Benton county, Oregon.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Benton, under the seal of said court, bearing date of April 24, 1906, on a judgment in favor of J. E. Smith, plaintiff, and against The Corvallis and Benton County Prune Company, a corporation, defendant, for the sum of \$1,800.00, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from the 20th day of December 1905, and for the costs and disbursements, taxed at \$150.00, which judgment was rendered and docketed in said court on the 20th day of December, 1905, in a certain action wherein the said J. E. Smith was plaintiff and The Corvallis and Benton County Prune Company, a corporation, was defendant, said execution to me directed, commanding me that out of the personal property of the said defendants, The Corvallis and Benton County Prune Company, a corporation, in the sum of \$1,800.00, cannot be found then out of the real property of the said defendant I satisfy said sum of money. Now, therefore, in pursuance of the commands of said execution, I have levied upon the following described real property belonging to the said defendant, to-wit: N 1/4 of Donation Land Claim No. 46, Notification No. 1800, Township 11, South Range 4 West, in Benton county, Oregon, containing 220 acres, except 164.28 acres sold to E. A. Thayer on Saturday the 23rd day of May, 1906, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day last aforesaid, at the court house door, in the city of Corvallis, in Benton county, Oregon, and will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title, interest and claim of the said defendant, in and to the said above described premises, together with all and singular the hereditaments, tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any way pertaining, to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs.

M. P. BURNETT, Sheriff of Benton county, Oregon.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed the administratrix of the estate of Clifton G. Watts, deceased, of the county of Benton, Oregon, as administrator of the estate of J. H. Patty, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same duly verified to the undersigned, at the office of W. E. McFadden in the First National Bank building, Corvallis, said county, within six months from this date.

HENRIETTA RANDALL, Administratrix of the estate of Clifton G. Watts, Deceased.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the undersigned was on the 6th day of April, 1906, duly appointed by the county court of Benton county, Oregon, as administrator of the estate of J. H. Patty, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate will present the same duly verified as required by law to the undersigned at Eugene, Oregon.

Dated, April 6, 1906. REUBEN PATTY, Administrator of the Estate of J. H. Patty, deceased.

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