

A POPULAR TRIUMPH

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Another remarkable feature of the election was this: Corporations always have their own creatures, and their hiring newspapers ring the charges on "discarding old party-hacks" and selecting "men fresh from the people."

The ex-couriers returned home entertaining the warmest feelings towards Astoria and its citizens, and thoroughly convinced that the courtesy and hospitality of the people of that city cannot be excelled.

The Astorian truthfully says: The ex-couriers were only preliminary to another one, to come in the form of the Farmers' excursion.

Mrs. DUNN applies to General Nesmith the title of "The Unpopular Woman." It is a fair criticism that the editors of the North-west is otherwise?

THE ASTORIA EXCURSION

The Farmers' excursion from Albany to Astoria, last week, was one of the most pleasant and satisfactory affairs of the kind which has ever occurred in Oregon.

Starting from this city, by special train, on Tuesday morning, and remaining over Tuesday night at Portland, we arrived at Astoria, by the aid of the staunch steamer "Annie Stewart," on Wednesday evening.

On Thursday evening a large gathering of citizens met our excursionists at the court house, where speeches were made by Col. Taylor, W. D. Hare, M. V. Brown, D. C. Ireland, A. S. Mercer, Jason Wheeler, C. P. Burkhardt, and several others.

At a meeting of the excursionists, held at the rooms of the Astoria Farmers' Company, on Friday, the following preamble and resolutions were presented by M. V. Brown and unanimously adopted:

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A PERSONAL MATTER

It will be observed that the Oregonian and Statesman, the leading Republican papers of the State, have no word of censure to cast upon the editor of this paper for his part in the Forest Grove affair.

The Bulletin finally justifies Mr. Thompson in casting aspersions on the editor of the Oregonian and Statesman.

"AN IOWA UNION MAN," publishes a card in the Bulletin in which he makes some allusions to the political record of the editor of this paper during the late war.

A person can't be expected to reply to all the lies which are daily cooked up in that Bulletin establishment, but this is such a glaring fraud upon truth that we take occasion to allude to it.

Table with 3 columns: County, Whites, Negroes. Lists election returns for various counties.

The following majorities are reported: For Smith—Chatsop, 14; For Nesmith—Baker, 149; Coos, 50; Douglas, 346; Josephine, 65; Union, 119.

The Salem Statesman very fairly states the truth in the following explanation which appears in its columns last Wednesday:

OUR REPRESENTATIVE.—By a private note from Col. Nesmith, Oregon's newly-elected Representative in Congress, we learn that he will start for Washington City about the 7th of November.

HON. S. F. CHADWICK.—Besides delivering two Masonic addresses in Eastern Oregon, week before last, Judge Chadwick delivered, by special invitation, the annual address at the Union County Fair.

By comparing the returns of the recent election with the reports of the California State Fair, it will be seen that Whipple's Hambletonians are capable of making much better races than Holladay's Hippopotamuses.

PACIFIC COASTERS

The State University has been roofed.

Work on the State Capitol is suspended for this year.

A small riot at Ogden laid up ten men for repairs last week.

Matheny, a murderer is to be hanged at Hamilton, Nevada, Dec. 19th.

Weston, Umatilla county, is to have a paper called the Granger.

Los Angeles will have an artesian well hung up in front of its post office.

Jno. C. Heenan, the "Benecia Boy" of pugilistic fame, died in Utah last week.

Salem has the lengthiest family in Oregon—strings out five generations now living.

A little son of Wiley Winkle, of Benton, was last week accidentally burned to death.

Bro. Nolner, of the Oregon City Enterprise, has returned home from a visit to the East.

S. W. Jackson, of Benton, last week had his foot mangled by a wagon running over it.

Lieut. Fred. Grant, son of Ulysses, is now in Salt Lake cultivating the Saints and Saintesses.

A lad named John Moore was thrown from a horse at Roseburg last week and had his leg broken.

A Walla Walla man "busted a young rooster in the ear" who gave his daughter a drink of whisky.

The State Agricultural College at Corvallis has nearly 300 students, and is in a most flourishing condition.

Gunn is the name of a Paget Sound man who gets up dances. There is no doubt but his little affairs "go off" nicely.

Our old-time friend, Ira Mayfield, has purchased a half interest in the Walla Walla Spiral. Success to you, old boy.

A Frisco bell-hanger rigged a pistol to kill any burglar who should open his door, and now he is one brother-in-law less.

Mrs. E. Morgan, of Olympia, has been elected Enrolling Clerk in the present Legislature of Washington Territory.

Mr. Robert Mays is Master and Mr. E. L. Perham is Secretary of the new Grange that was lately organized at the Dalles.

Mr. R. Gibbons has been appointed County Clerk of Wasco to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. A. Holland.

Last week about one hundred dollar's worth of chemicals were added to the laboratory of the Agricultural College at Corvallis.

A Virginia City doctor, who was driving fast to reach a patient with a broken leg, was arrested and fined \$10 for violating the ordinance.

Two Frisco men attempted to kill each other with whisky glasses last week. They could succeed quicker by using the whisky instead of the glasses.

The number of votes cast in Wasco county at the last election was 333. Mr. Nesmith received 233 while Mr. Smith received 149. Nesmith's majority 153.

M. C. Kinney & Co., of Salem mills, are now doing an immense business, grinding 45 tons of flour a day, and receiving daily thousands of bushels of wheat.

Geo. Hare, of Sacramento, fell in love with a blooming water girl. She failed to respond and the unhappy youth now languishes in the insane asylum.

Some of the ladies have been circulating petitions in Olympia, praying for the Legislature to strike out the word "male" in the statutes regulating the qualifications of voters.

A Salt Lake woman gets mad, or temporarily insane, occasionally, and during one of her spells she tore down a partition, demolished a stove and smashed all the windows in the house.

A foot-pad stopped a Sacramento man on the street and wanted money or brains. The gentleman stretched his arm softly forward and the foot-pad is now under the prison doctor's care.

There is a woman in Yamhill county who is said to know what it is to be the mother of twenty-four children. Her husband is under the impression that it is possible for a woman to know too much.

Prof. Lay, the San Francisco balloonist, is evidently anxious to get rid of marrying a young lady to whom he is affianced, as we see that he will take her up in a balloon shortly. That's certainly a dangerous Lay.

A man named Hanxhurst stabbed to death one Drost, at Tillamook last Friday. Drost was jealous of Hanxhurst's attentions to his wife, and tried to kill him, but Hanxhurst cut him to pieces in the melee. Hanxhurst had a preliminary examination and was discharged from custody.

Dr. E. J. Dawne, of Salem, has just received a letter stating that a party of emigrants, consisting of eleven families, had started from near Memphis, in Tennessee, for Oregon. Dr. Dawne is corresponding continually with parties in the States, upon Oregon, its resources and progress, and has induced a large number of families, these among others, to come to our young State and assist in swelling her population, developing her resources and eventually to place her

in the front rank in the great manufacturing and commercial interests of the nation.

The Eugene Guard of last Saturday has this: "Judge Prim has rendered his opinion on the demurrers to the complaints in the railroad cases argued before him here last spring. He sustained the demurrer, holding that the contract on which these cases are founded is void, as being against public policy. These suits were brought by Mr. Holladay to recover subscription to the railroad subsidy."

This is the way Tom Merry puts it up: "An Oregon Museum has been established in Portland, under the management of Thos. A. Wood. We have not seen a programme of the outfit, but presume that when he gets the thing fairly under way, that he will have Sam Clarke for the Living Skeleton, Upton for the Giant, and Scott, of the Northwest, for the Bearded Woman. His 'wack-figgers' will probably consist of a group representing an allegorical tableau composed of Bishop Morris, Pink Henderson and Old Boykin, under the suggestive title of 'the World, the Flesh and the Devil.'"

On the 17th inst. the new Masonic Hall of Baker City was dedicated, says the Democrat, by Grand Master T. McF. Patton, in accordance with the ancient rites and ceremonies of the Craft on such occasion. After which Hon. S. F. Chadwick delivered an appropriate and interesting address, which was listened to with marked attention by the members of the Fraternity, as well as by a large number of our citizens who were present to witness the dedication ceremonies. Mr. Chadwick is an easy, pleasant speaker, and fully qualified to do this or any other subject justice. The audience were well pleased with the address, and were only sorry that it was so brief.

A fascinating young lady, at one of the resorts, on being asked recently if she had ever read Shakespeare, tossed her pretty head, with the answer, "Shakespeare? Of course I have; I read that when it first came out."

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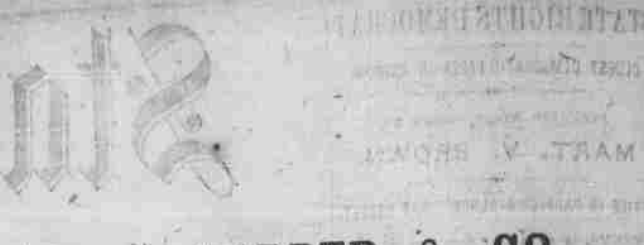
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AMANDA WHEELER, Executor.