

**Tariff the Main Issue.**

In a recent interview upon the issues of 1892, Senator John G. Carlisle says:

"I have no hesitation in saying that the democracy should keep the tariff in the front. It is the great issue of the day and on it the fight should be made. Upon it the party is united and can make a confident and aggressive battle.

"The party is not united on the free coinage of silver, and it would be suicidal to advance that issue to a position of equal importance with the tariff; but this will not, in my opinion, be done. Nothing can get in front of the other issue; the cause of revenue reform will still be the paramount question, even with free coinage. If the drain on the people produced by high prices is continued, how are they benefited? Their money will still be wrung from them through custom house exactions."

Eugene will have the best water obtainable. Wells that go below the surface drainage will supply the fluid.

The people's party of Ohio will probably poll 40,000 votes, three-fourths of which will come from the republicans. There is democratic encouragement in this.

McMinnville is agitating the sewerage question. The flourishing Yamhill city could not do better than consult the movers of the Eugene sewerage improvements.

While land is comparatively cheap Eugene should secure a public park. It has been suggested that the strip of land between the river and Skinner's butte would be an excellent location.

Secretary Noble is said to be a man of moods who sometimes loses his temper and storms about the interior department in a very tempestuous way. He has an undying antipathy to cigar smoke, and recently made himself very offensive to a correspondent who entered the Secretary's room with an unlighted cigar in his mouth. Mr. Noble once had a similar encounter with Senator Pettigrew.

Col. Elliott F. Shepard is erecting a new building for the New York "Mail and Express." The cornerstone was laid last week. On the occasion a banner was stretched on Broadway, on which was inscribed, "God bless the 'Mail and Express.'" Col. Shepard's little son lowered the stone into place with these words: "In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, eternally one God, I lay this cornerstone. Amen." In the stone were deposited copies of the Holy Bible, an engraving of President Harrison, the constitutions of the United States and the state of New York, the charter of the city of New York, a box of gold, silver, nickel and copper coins, this year's reports of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations of that city. There is not a man in the United States who is so great a humbug, demagogue and clown as this same Colonel Shepard. Earnest men shudder when they hear his name.—East Oregonian.

Ashland now has less water in the creek than has been known for a long time, the supply being almost inadequate to supply the water system of the town, and subjecting the mills there to serious inconvenience. The reason is said to be that the peach-growers argue that the peach crops bring in from \$50,000 to \$75,000 a year to that place, an amount far exceeding that realized from any other one source, and they have made up their minds that they will encourage peach culture to the utmost, even if it takes every drop of water in Ashland creek to give it the necessary fostering care. Some lively litigation is looked for in the not far distant future.—Jacksonville Times.

The next legislature will settle the question of freight rates. Lane county has especial interest in the question, and no man who is not pledged to give a maximum freight law needs show his head on the canvass. A corrupt legislature, under beck and call of the railroads' paid organs and subsidized attorneys, defeated ex-Senator Houl's bill that would have limited their exactions. The railroad commission promulgated freight rates, but that ends it. The next legislature will not be derelict in duty.

General John C. Black, who was commissioner of pensions under Cleveland, will go to Ohio in next month to make speeches for Campbell. He thinks Campbell will be elected. He says Ohio will send a Cleveland delegation to the national convention next year.

The Dalles Chronicle: The velocity of the wind during part of the time when the fire was raging may be gathered from the fact that the children of Mike Doyle, who lives seven miles from The Dalles, picked up last Wednesday afternoon pieces of half burned printed paper which the wind had carried there from The Dalles.

At Seattle it has been decided that a city cannot collect poll tax from its inhabitants of voting age. The poll tax should go.

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  3. W. G. Day will walk 30 yards against Mr. Eaton running 40 yards for \$50 a side.
  4. W. G. Day will walk 30 yards against John Mackey, of Denver, running 30 yards, for \$100 a side.
  5. W. G. Day will walk 30 yards against a horse running 300 yards, for \$50.
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**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT JAMES M. Martin, administrator of the estate of Marion P. Martin, deceased, has filed his account for final settlement of said estate, and Monday, October 5th, 1891, has been set by order of the court for hearing the same.

JAMES M. MARTIN, Administrator.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

LAND OFFICE AT ROSEBURG, OREGON, September 1st, 1891. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Judge or County Clerk of Lane County, Oregon, at Eugene, Oregon, on Saturday, October 18th, 1891, viz: Jesse F. Holman, homestead entry No. 6231, for the E 1/4 of S 1/4 and S 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 20 T. 18 S. R. 1 E. W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Reese C. Howard, Henry L. Carter, James Howard and Charles McFarland, all of Lowell, Lane County, Oregon.

JOHN H. SISK, Register.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY. Estate of J. C. Yates, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of an order of the County Court of Lane County, State of Oregon, at the June term thereof, 1891, I, T. G. Hendricks, administrator of said estate will offer for sale at public auction at the Court House door of said county at Eugene, Oregon, on Saturday, October 3, 1891, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., of said day the following described real property or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the debts and expenses of administration as follows to-wit:

**Tract No. 1.** Lots Nos. One and Two in Section Four, and the South West Quarter of Section Four, and the N W 1/4 of the S E 1/4 of Section Four, and all that part of Lot No. One, in Section Three, lying west of the Telegraph Road, leading from Eugene to Corvallis, Oregon. All in Township Seventeen South, Range Four West, Willamette Meridian, containing 250 acres of land. Also commencing at the North East corner of a tract of land located by Geo. C. Fisher to Jasper Jones, recorded in Deed Book "F" on page 393, running thence East 44 rods, thence South 40 rods, thence West 44 rods to the South East corner of said tract, thence North on the East boundary of said tract to the place of beginning in Sec. 12, Tp. 12, R. 1, containing eleven acres of land and being part of the Donation Land Claim of Garrett Maspin, Notification No. 2143.

Also beginning at the South East corner of J. E. Bosserman's claim, thence South 6.45 chains, thence North 20 degrees 3 minutes, West 6.55 chains, thence East 2.35 chains to the place of beginning containing 77-100 of an acre in Section 17, Tp. 12, R. 1, in Irving, Lane County, Oregon. Also all that portion of the Donation Land Claim of James Sandford lying North of the Section line between Sections Four and Nine in Township 17 S, R. 4 W, containing 32 acres of land more or less. Also a 1/4 interest in the North East 1/4 of Section 32, in Tp. 20 S, R. 4 W, containing 40 acres of land in Lane County, Oregon. Terms of sale cash, except in tract No. One which will be sold for one-half cash and the other half secured by mortgage on the farm, if the purchaser desires. Sale will commence at one o'clock p. m. Possession given immediately. For particulars apply to the administrator at the First National Bank. T. G. HENDRICKS, Administrator.

**Sheriff's Sale.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County, on the 5th day of September, 1891, in a suit wherein A. C. Woodcock was plaintiff and C. A. Davis defendant, I did on the 5th day of September, 1891, levy on the following described real property, to-wit: Lots No 9 and 10, in block No. 4, of Shaw's 2nd addition to Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, and also a piece of land adjoining on the east side of said lot No. 10, described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said lot No. 10, thence east 122 feet, thence north 160 feet, thence west 122 feet to the northeast corner of said lot No. 10, and thence north 160 feet to the place of beginning, all situated in the City of Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, to satisfy the sum of Forty and 40-100 dollars (\$40.40), with interest at 10 per cent per annum from the 5th day of September, 1891, and the further sum of Twenty-two and 5-100 dollars, costs and disbursements, and accruing costs. Now, therefore, in the name of the state of Oregon, in compliance with said writ, I will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on Tuesday the 13th day of October, 1891, the aforesaid described real property, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to-wit: at 1 o'clock p. m. on said day. Terms of sale, cash in hand.

Dated at Eugene this 7th day of September, 1891. JAS. E. NOLAND, Sheriff of Lane County, Oregon. By H. J. DAY, Deputy.

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**Summons.**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County.

Ella Willson, Plaintiff,

vs. Fredrick Willson, Defendant.

To the above-named defendant Fredrick Willson:

IN THE NAME OF THE State of Oregon you are hereby required to be and appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court by the first day of the next regular term of the above entitled court, to-wit: Monday, the 25th day of October, 1891, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint the plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, viz: That the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved and held for naught and for the care and custody of the minor daughter of plif. and def., Vernie Willson, and for general relief. This summons is published by order of the Hon. Martin L. Pipes, Judge of said circuit court, made at Chambers at Corvallis, Oregon, and bearing date the 20th day of August, 1891.

Published first time this, August 22d 1891. L. BILVEU, Atty for Plif.

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