

The Plaindealer has a half column article on our County Judgeship imbroglio, and with the usual luck of those who speak or write upon subjects they do not properly understand, makes itself ridiculous by its manifest ignorance of the situation here.

In the first place, as this affair is of purely local concern; as the reasons which gave origin to it are entirely local; and that as that part of the Democratic party hailing from Jackson county are as competent to settle their affairs now as they have shown themselves to be in times past, we consider this officious interference on the part of the Plaindealer, in the local concerns of the party in this county, as unwarrantable and presumptuous.

In the second place, the Plaindealer misstates the position of the TIMES by asserting that the Governor was blamed for not yielding to the request of the Democratic County Committee. That recommendation was backed by all the county officers and a petition besides—a fact which the Plaindealer sees fit to ignore.

The second misstatement of the Plaindealer is the covert insinuation that the TIMES claimed, on the part of the Central Committee, the right to dictate the appointment. This is an unwarrantable distortion of the position of this paper.

The third misstatement consists in an attempt to give a history of the politics of this county for the past four years. If a faction, which deliberately effects a fusion with an adverse political party accepts, for some of its members, places upon the ticket of such party, and then industriously works, by the use of money and influence, for the defeat of the political organization from which it seceded, can, with any degree of propriety, be called a "wing of the party" from which it seceded, then the youthful Daniel, of the Plaindealer, is correct, and Bill Owen, who ran for Sheriff on the Radical ticket in June, 1870, is as good a Democrat as the man who faithfully supported the ticket through good and evil report.

In pleasing contrast to the arrogant and offensive tone of the Plaindealer the Herald enters upon a defense of Governor Grover's appointment of Judge Duncan, in a spirit of candor and kindness, which gratifies us much to acknowledge, and pleases us still more to reciprocate, although we cannot altogether agree with its statement of facts or its conclusions therefrom.

In addition to the reasons stated by the Herald as the ground for our action, there is one our cotemporary omitted: we charged that the appointee is incompetent, and that his appointment was therefore a grievous wrong to the taxpayers of this county.

Now in regard to the petitions. Mr. Foudray's petition was in circulation one day, we believe, while Judge Duncan's was in circulation a week or ten days. It is charged that the fact of the action of the County Committee, and the recommendation of Mr. Foudray, was carefully concealed from many Democrats; and it is also charged, upon good authority, that some of Mr. Foudray's friends signed Duncan's petition in total ignorance of the fact that the former had been recommended for the position, and upon becoming acquainted with the fact, desired the person circulating the petition to erase their names, which was refused.

gratuitous counsel, we are satisfied that he would have concluded to have let the Democracy of this county manage their own affairs.

Says our dictatorial friend in the Umpqua: "We cannot, therefore, keep quiet and allow what is strictly a personal quarrel to jeopardize the interest of the whole southern portion of the State." "Allow" forsooth! "Upon what meat doth this our Caesar feed that he hath grown so great?" We are astounded to find that the Jackson county Democracy have a dictator down in the Umpqua—a fact of which we were in entire ignorance. So we have enjoyed the exhilarating pastime of quarreling only by the sufferance of the Roseburg man, and now he is going to shut us off, as a country pedagogue would his belligerent scholars! Faith! the Plaindealer man is dealing exceedingly plain with the recalcitrant Democrats of Jackson. So you won't "allow" this thing to go on any further! Don't you think, "not to put too fine a point on it," that you are getting several sizes too large for your unmentionables, when you talk about not allowing a certain thing to be done? If you are unacquainted with the fact we will take the liberty of informing you that the Jackson Democrats recognize no autocrat in their local affairs, whether he be located in Roseburg or elsewhere. If it is not possible for you to "keep quiet" about matters which do not concern you, allow us to recommend a vigorous course of manual labor. Saw or chop wood; use the pick and shovel, or "take a walk around the block," or anything, in fact, that will enable you to work off your surplus uneasiness and place your mind in proper frame for the observance of the First Amendment to the Decalogue, which reads thus: "Thou shalt mind thine own business and keep thy dirty nose out of thy neighbor's dish, lest thou become a nuisance and an offence unto him."

While during this same time, that favored spot of earth which is blessed with the presence of the Plaindealer office, was giving majorities exactly the other way, until last year. The Plaindealer man seems to fancy that there is a peculiar halo surrounding the person of the Governor, and that there is a peculiar sanctity about his official doings. He evidently believes that "there is a divinity doth hedge about a king" or a Governor, and when the slightest criticism is ventured, throws himself into the door way of the Executive office and cries *procul este, profani!* Now our bump of veneration is not so extraordinarily developed. They make Governors and Presidents out of such poor material now-a-days that what little reverence we ever had for the exalted station of the Executive has evaporated into thin air. When he commits an official blunder we propose to scrutinize it, although "The little dogs and all—Tray, Blanche and Sweetheart"—should wiggle their little tails off with indignation, and should yelp their little hearts out with horror.

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Now if the majority of those whose names are given in the Herald are "representative men of the Democracy," it is certainly news to the said Democracy. Let us see: James T. Glenn is a good Democrat, although it is not true that he has been Treasurer of the county for several years. T. G. Reams was a former Sheriff of this county, elected by Democratic votes. Let us see what his vote was at the last election. He voted for the following persons on the Radical ticket against the regular Democratic nominees: Alex. Martin, State Senator; E. H. Greenman, Representative; C. W. Kahler, County Judge; W. A. Owen, Sheriff.

"David Sims." There is no such man, much less is there a representative Democrat, in this county, of that name. We should regret to think that Duncan's friends had forged and imposed fictitious names upon the Executive in order to obtain success. W. Jackson. Dr. Jackson has never been prominent in politics here, and is certainly not known as a "prominent Democrat." We believe he has never even voted in the county. A. M. Berry voted for Martin, candidate on the Radical ticket for State Senator.

Addison Helms voted for the following candidates on the Radical ticket, and against the regular Democratic nominees: Martin, State Senator; Campbell, Stearns and Greenman, Representatives; Kahler, County Judge; Bilger, County Commissioner; Owen, Sheriff; Muller, Clerk; Turner, Sup't Com. Schools.

Take Glenn, Bybee and J. S. Miller off the list of the names given in the Herald and the Democracy of this county will not recognize any "representative Democrats" in the crowd. We do not know upon what the signers of that petition predicated the assertion that the petition for Mr. Foudray was signed by "one-third Republicans," and that the petition in favor of Duncan was signed by Democrats. But no matter where the statement came from; it is untrue as regards Foudray's petition, and equally untrue as regards Duncan's, for the writer of this saw upon Duncan's petition the names of several Republicans, one of whom—John Watson—he now remembers, besides the names of John E. Ross, W. A. Owen and others who voted with the Republicans at the last election, and whom we again assert were the conspicuous and zealous friends of Duncan in this affair. The fact that these renegades and traitors to the Democratic party, these men, who strove, by all the influence they could bring to bear to defeat our ticket and destroy our party, had more influence with a Democratic Governor than the chosen representatives of the men who were ever faithful to the cause, who never swerved when the skies were darkest and the storms the heaviest, gave rise to a feeling which we beg to assure our friend of the Herald is not confined to a "few Democrats," but is wide spread and deep among the great body of the steadfast Democrats of Jackson.

The Herald refers to Gov. Grover's knowledge of the "unswerving and staunch Democrats" of this county. If the majority of the list published is a fair example of what Governor Grover considers unswerving and staunch Democrats, God help us! If these are staunch and unswerving Democrats we would humbly enquire where are the other fellows? These men and the class they represent, we inform our friend of the Herald, are "unswerving and staunch" for any party precisely so long as the most lucrative offices are possessed or controlled by them, and not one instant longer. They fight under any banner that represents official pelf, under any leader that promises plunder. They are the Free Lances of politics, and fight for any side that pays. The Governor's knowledge of the political life of his own appointee is not one whit better than his knowledge of his backers, and this we could and would verify by the record had we space.

We have no kind of doubt, had Gov. Grover informed Mr. Foudray's friends that the heaviest petition would get the appointment, and give them the same time which he extended to Duncan's friends, that the former would have sent a petition of Democrats which would have discounted Duncan's. The fact that the Governor did not vouchsafe a word to Foudray's friends while graciously yielding to the requests of men whom Democrats here believe to have initiated this move for the purpose of dividing and distracting the party, affords us a well grounded case of complaint against the Executive, and it is the principal, in fact, the sole ground.

In conclusion—and we have occupied much greater space with this article than we intended—we would state to our friend of the Herald that we have no desire to "disturb the harmony of the party" here or elsewhere. We have not requested the Democracy of the State to take sides against the Governor. We don't ask any help from the Democracy of the State in our controversy with the Governor of the State, and don't want any. We believe we fully represent the feelings and wishes of the true and faithful Democracy in this county in taking the stand we have in this matter, and as long as we entertain this belief we neither ask nor want help in our battles with

Governor Grover, "or any other man." If it were otherwise—if we did not know the sentiments and feelings of the body of the Democracy on this subject, and know that our action is in consonance with them, we would immediately acknowledge our error and make the proper amends, for we do claim to be the organ of the Democracy of this county, and do not desire to misrepresent their sentiments. This is entirely a local matter, and we have been surprised to see it made the subject of comment outside this county. There are local differences amongst the Democracy here as there always will be in any party when it has long been in power. Heretofore we have managed to win our victories notwithstanding these; giving constantly increasing majorities for our State ticket, and this was done without any outside interference whatever; and we should be disposed to resent such interference now, were it not that in the discussion of this subject the Herald is so evidently actuated by the kindest and most friendly feeling towards the Democracy of this county.

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We confess it astounds us, and wonderfully to you, To see what the Ague King daily do; If you're Fever, or Ague, or any such thing, Go promptly and purchase the great Ague King.

I'll be ten long, till every kind friend Candidly told me to fix for my end; Oh! it was so sweet, I wished not to die, Therefore the Ague King I hastened to try.

Oh, but it is all—I do not direct, And, without fail, my cure was effected; For to the great, I was snatched, and never "ringing" in my head, nor "stiff" in my feet, I was restored, and every such thing, Must speedily yield to the

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ALWAYS on hand the best stock of patent and home-made Rifle and Shot Guns, single and double; Revolvers of the latest patents; Pocket Pistols, neat, small and powerful; Derringers, of the latest and best. Also the Best Powder and Powder Flasks; all sort of Shot and Pouches; Caps, Wads, and everything in the Sportman's line. The above goods are all of the best quality, and will be sold cheaper than the cheapest. All orders promptly filled. Repairing done promptly and in good style.

JOHN MILLER, 36 Jacksonville, Sept. 9th, 1871.

NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: WE have sold our Jackson Salt Works to John Sizemore, with the intention of leaving, Oregon as soon as we can settle our business. We tender our thanks to the people of Jackson county for the patronage that has been given us. The business will be carried on by Mr. Sizemore.

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Jacksonville, June 10th, 1871.

July 7th.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been appointed agent of the County Court of Jackson county, Oregon, for the care of the sick and indigent poor of said county, this is to notify all interested persons, that application for relief or aid from said county must be made through me, and all bills for said relief, before being audited by said Court, must be presented to me for approval.

Done by order of the County Commissioner, at the July term of said Court, 1871.

E. D. FOUFRAY, Agent.

Of the County Court of the aforesaid county, for the county poor. This 12th day of July 1871. 28ft

QUICK SALES

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I AM SELLING A SUPERIOR ARTICLE of Sadies and Harness cheaper than ever was before in Jackson county. "Seeing is believing." Give me a call before purchasing elsewhere.

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done with neatness and dispatch. JERRY NUNAN, Jacksonville, Jan. 14th, 1871. Jan-11ft.

Administrator's Notice.

THE undersigned, having been appointed by the County Court of Jackson county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Wallace Smith, deceased, all business pertaining to the settlement of said estate must be presented to me at the butcher shop on California street, Jacksonville, in said county. JAMES A. CARROLL, Adm'r. Jacksonville, Sept. 23d, 1871. 38ft

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Jackson (sitting in Probate, September 5th, 1871.) In the matter of the estate of John Robinson, deceased.

SUSAN ROBINSON, executrix of the above account, having filed in said Court her final account, and praying for an order fixing the time for hearing the same; therefore notice is hereby given that said final account will be heard and determined in said Court on Tuesday, the 4th day of October, 1871, at which time all persons having objections to said final account and settlement must then and there make the same. By order of Hon. L. J. C. Duncan, Judge of said Court. [364] SILAS J. DAY, Clerk.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County, (sitting in Probate, September 4th, 1871.) In the matter of the estate of Samuel J. DOWELL, deceased.

B. F. DOWELL, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account for settlement, and also praying for an order for setting the time for hearing the same; therefore notice is hereby given that said final account will be heard and determined in said Court on Tuesday, the 3d day of October, 1871, at which time all persons having objections to said final account and settlement must then and there make the same.

By order of Hon. L. J. C. Duncan, Judge of said Court. [364] SILAS J. DAY, Clerk.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Jackson county, (sitting in Probate, Sept. 4th, 1871.) In the matter of the estate of George W. A. BERRY, deceased.

B. F. DOWELL, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account for settlement, and also praying for an order for setting the time for hearing the same; therefore notice is hereby given that said final account will be heard and determined in said Court on Tuesday, the 3d day of October, 1871, at which time all persons having objections to said final account and settlement must then and there make the same.

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Tax-Payers' Notice.

BY act of the Legislature of the State of Oregon, approved October 25th, 1870, appointing a Board of Equalization for the adjustment of the tax roll for the different counties of the aforesaid State.

Therefore this is to give notice that the said Board of Equalization will meet the tax-payers of Jackson county on the last Monday in Sept., 1871, at the Clerk's office in Jacksonville, for the purpose of correcting any errors that may have occurred in the assessment of lands, lots or other property either in value or ownership, and that said board will continue its sittings until the examination of the assessment roll is completed. All those feeling themselves aggrieved by over assessment will appear before said board and state their grievances.

DAVID REDPATH, Assessor for Jackson county, Oregon. Jacksonville, Sept. 1st, 1871. 36ft

DEVONSHIRE BULL.

Notice to Cattle Raisers.

MR. C. T. PAYNE, LIVING 14 MILES east of Phoenix offers the services of a thorough-bred Devonshire Bull to the public, at \$5 a season. The animal is a deep red five-years-old, weighing 1,624 pounds.

C. T. PAYNE, Phoenix, O. n. Aug 4th