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Democratic State Ticket.

- FOR GOVERNOR: G. E. CHAMBERLAIN of Multnomah FOR SECRETARY OF STATE: D. W. SEARS, of Polk FOR STATE TREASURER: HENRY BLACKMAN, of Morrow FOR SUPREME JUDGE: B. F. BONHAM, of Marion FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL: J. H. RALEY, of Umatilla FOR STATE PRINTER: JAS. I. GODFREY, of Marion FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION: W. A. WANN, of Lane FOR CONGRESS, FIRST DISTRICT: J. K. WEATHERFORD, of Linn

TAXPAYERS should not forget that the largely increased sum of taxes that they have been compelled to pay is the direct result of Republican extravagance and mismanagement. A lesson should be taught the party responsible therefor. And this can only be done by rebuking it at the polls.

It is becoming more certain every day that John S. Orth will be our next county clerk. He is a clever, upright young man, who has successfully conducted a large business, and has the confidence and esteem of all who know him. That important office could not be in better hands.

CONTINUOUS office-seeking is reprehensible any way we look at it. It breeds an office-holders' ring, bossism and what not. The people will and should smash the third-term idea. Competent, deserving men are plentiful; hence it is unreasonable and nonsensical to say that anybody should hold office more than four years.

ORIS CRAWFORD of Gold Hill is one of the best qualified candidates before the people. He is a good penman, has unquestioned clerical ability and all of the other requisites necessary to an efficient county recorder. He will sweep the district where he is best known which is the best sign of his worthiness.

It would be the height of indiscretion for the people to elect J. M. Hansbrough to represent them in the house of representatives. He is a conductor of the S. P. Co., and it ought to be expected that he would be a representative of railroad interests in the legislature. His opponent is well equipped for the duties of a legislator, and he should by all means be elected.

THE friends of Sheriff Orme try to meet the argument against the third-term idea heard on every side by saying that he has accumulated nothing in his four-years' lease, and should therefore be given another term. If such is the case that is certainly no fault of the office, whose salary and perquisites amount to something over \$4,000 a year. Joe Rader will be very well satisfied with two terms—and he will get 'em, too.

JACKSON COUNTY will be ably represented in the legislature by Miles Cantrall and John D. Oiwell. Better selections could not have been made. Both have shown by the intelligence and success with which they have conducted their private business that they can be relied on to look after that of their constituents in a first-class manner. It is unnecessary to add that Messrs. Cantrall and Oiwell will prove a credit to our county.

THE TIMES is sorry to see that there are yet a few newspapers which will descend to personalities and indulge in misrepresentation and abuse in order to injure those whom they do not fancy. The dirty blackguard who edits the Medford Mail heads the list of this class. In his last issue he attacks by innuendo one of the worthy candidates on the Democratic ticket. His action is as unwarranted as it is contemptible and cowardly. It will have an effect opposite to that which is intended, however.

EXPERIENCE shows that "cranky legislation need not be feared as a consequence of referendum. Contrary to all expectations, as Henry Sumner Maine shows in his book on representative government, and even to the bitter disappointment not infrequently of the authors of the referendum,

laws mistakenly supposed of the highest importance, some of them openly framed for popularity, have been vetoed by the people after they have been offered to the electorate. This result, as Maine explains, is sufficiently intelligible. It is possible by agitation and exhortation to produce in the mind of the average citizen a vague impression that he desires a particular change. But when the agitation has settled down to the dreary when the law is before him with all its details, he is sure to find much in it that is likely to disturb his ideas, his habits, his prejudices or his interests, and so in the long run he votes "No."

THE best index to a man's character and standing is the opinion his neighbors have of him. This truism applies with force to J. M. Rader, the Democratic candidate for sheriff. His candidacy is proving popular wherever he is known, and that means everywhere, for Joe has lived in Jackson county all of his life. He will prove the right man in the right place, for he is competent, honest and accommodating.

THE nominations made by the Democracy of Jackson county are such that they at once command the most favorable consideration of the people of Jackson county. There is not one of the candidates against whom anything can be urged in any respect. All of them fill the test which should be made in every case—they are honest, capable and mindful of the people's interests. The voters will make no mistake in electing all of them.

A SPLENDID TICKET.

The Democrats of Josephine county have made exceptionally strong nominations. Every man on it is well qualified to fill the place to which he aspires, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of the people. R. G. Smith, for representative, is a prominent lawyer and an able orator, who has done good work in the legislature before. John O. Booth is a prominent and enterprising business man of Grant's Pass, who will make an ideal county judge. C. F. Loveless, candidate for commissioner, is a successful farmer of Slate Creek. T. Y. Dean has shown that he has the requisites for a first-class sheriff. J. A. Slover is a young man of fine clerical and business qualifications, who will make a county clerk the people will be proud of. J. T. Taylor and H. C. Perkins are the present incumbents of the offices of treasurer and surveyor, and have done their duty so acceptably and well that their re-election is assured. E. F. Hathaway is a good judge of values and is well fitted for the position of county assessor. Dr. Kremer, the candidate for coroner, is one of the best known and most successful physicians of Southern Oregon.

There is more catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

- The candidates on the Democratic legislative and county tickets, accompanied by Judge J. H. Neil and other public speakers, will address the citizens of Jackson county at the following times and places: Wimer, May 10th, 1 p. m. Woodville, May 16th, 7:30 p. m. Moonville, May 17th, 1 p. m. Gold Hill, May 17th, 7:30 p. m. Antioch, May 19th, 1 p. m. Meadows, May 19th, 7:30 p. m. Trall, May 20th, 1 p. m. Big Butte, May 20, 1 p. m. Lake Creek, May 21st, 1 p. m. Roxy, May 21, 1 p. m. mound, May 21, 7:30 p. m. Eagle Point, May 24th, 1 p. m. Central Point, May 24th, 7:30 p. m. Phoenix, May 26th, 1 p. m. Talent, May 26th, 7:30 p. m. Emigrant creek school house, May 27th, 1 p. m. Neil creek school house, May 27th, 7:30 p. m. Griffin creek school house, May 28th, 7:30 p. m. Ruch, May 29th, 1 p. m. Jacksonville, May 30th, 8 p. m. Medford, May 31st, 8 p. m.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC AND CO. SUPERINTENDENT.

At a school district meeting, held Jan. 25th, for the purpose of voting a special tax levy for school expenses previously incurred, over and above the amount received by the district, and to be incurred by the present school directors, the vote stood 5 for and 16 against the special levy. In defiance of the majority vote, the directors are adding to the supposed debt on the property owners of this district. As one of the majority I hereby protest against the warrants hereby issued and sold to innocent purchasers, and shall refuse to pay any portion of said illegal warrants. JONN WOODS. Woodville, April 25, 1902.

JOSEPHINE COUNTY ITEMS.

Some Matters of Interest Concerning our Neighbors.

W. A. Fleck was at Jacksonville one day last week.

Rev. Robt. Leslie has gone to his old home in Iowa on a visit.

C. D. Crane of Lucky Queen was with us one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Layton were guests of Hotel Layton Saturday.

Bert Barnes has returned to Ashland, after a week's visit to Grant's Pass.

Miss Mae Kellogg, who has been quite ill, is convalescing, we are pleased to learn.

Ben Thurston, the Humburg miner, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Benson last week.

Miss Hattie Sibley and Mrs. Nellie Miller have returned from their visit at Oakland.

John Winders was in Grant's Pass one day last week, en route from Gold Hill to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent of Table Rock, Jackson county, are visiting relatives living in this session.

Max Brown, who is developing a promising quartz mine on lower Rogue river, was in Grant's Pass last week.

Frank Mee came over from Cole's, Calif., this week. He expects to have his saw mill in operation before long.

Messrs. Wikstrom and Thompson, prominent Pleasant Creek miners, spent a day at Grant's Pass last week.

W. M. Hannum is being visited by his brother, J. B. Hannum, who is extensively interested at Cripple Creek, Colorado.

Leslie Briggs, late of Hotel Rafael, the leading hotel of Marin county, Calif., has assumed a position at Hotel Josephine.

The Cass party, who have been located in their private car in Grant's Pass during the past fortnight, are on the way to their home in Iowa.

We are pleased to notice that Henry Ruch, the clever foreman of the H. B. Miller farm and orchard, has recovered from his recent illness.

A. H. Applegate, who is an excellent surveyor, will soon leave for the Water Creek section, to lay off some ground claims on unsurveyed land.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church gave a social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mangum, which proved a pleasant and successful affair.

The jury in the Gibson-Schombacher murder case disagreed, after being out twenty-four hours. It will be tried again at the July term of court.

W. K. Bell has sold his bakery to H. Abler, lately from Texas. He will pay sole attention to his restaurant on Sixth street, and spare no pains to cater to the public.

Roy Kremer, who recently returned from San Francisco, where he has been attending a medical college, is in charge of his father's drug store in the post-office building.

White & Armstrong are having the room in Tufts' building fitted up for a general merchandise store. Both gentlemen formerly resided in Wisconsin and are thorough business men.

G. M. Caldwell, who is an expert wheelwright, has taken charge of F. H. Schmidt's shop in Grant's Pass, and is doing a good business. He spares no pains to please, and his prices are right.

Col. Draper and C. S. Freeland, a first-class civil engineer, are on the ground, and have done some preliminary work in the interest of the proposed road to the sea. They made a trip to Crescent City last week.

Jos. Griffith, the wide-awake real estate agent, has effected another sale of the Hurlbert farm, situated a few miles west of Grant's Pass, for \$3,700, an advance of \$700. Thos. Caldwell, lately of Nebraska, is the purchaser.

The Socialists of Josephine county have nominated the following ticket: Representative, M. W. Robbins, Jr.; judge, J. B. Paddock; clerk, Chas. Edgeron; treasurer, J. P. Galeener; sheriff, H. H. Triplett; commissioner, Chas. Woodie; assessor, N. Reynolds.

Hon. R. G. Smith, who is one of the best speakers in the state, and well informed on all public questions, addressed a meeting at the opera house a few evenings since, which was well attended. His subject was "Public Ownership of Utilities and Monopolies," and was admirably handled.

Don't Start Wrong. Don't start the summer with a lingering cough or cold. We all know what a "summer cold" is. It's the earliest kind to cure. Often it "hangs on" through the entire season. Take it in hand right now. A few doses of One Minute Cough Cure will set you right. Sure cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Children like it. "One Minute Cough Cure is the best medicine I ever used," says J. H. Bowles, Groveton, N. H. "I never found anything else that acted so safely and quickly." City Drug Store, Jacksonville, and Dr. J. Hinkle, Central Point.

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When you take Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic because the formula is plainly printed on every bottle showing that it is simply iron and quinine in a tasteful form. No Cure, No Pay. 50c

Circuit court is in session again.

Josephine County Democratic Ticket.

- For Representative: ROBT. G. SMITH, of Grant's Pass For County Judge: JOHN O. BOOTH, of Grant's Pass For County Commissioner: C. F. LOVELESS, of Slate Creek For County Clerk: JAS. A. SLOVER, of Grant's Pass For Sheriff: T. Y. DEAN, of Grant's Pass For Assessor: E. F. HATHAWAY, of Kerby For Treasurer: JOHN T. TAYLOR, of Grant's Pass For Surveyor: H. C. PERKINS, of Grant's Pass For Coroner: DR. W. F. KREMER, of Grant's Pass

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PROBATE COURT.

The following business has been transacted in this court since our last issue: Estate of Samuel Phillips; order to carry out order of decedent made. Guardianship of Helene and Gertrude Biede. Otto Biede appointed guardian of the interest said minors have in estate of John Tepper. Estate of Herman L. Simpkins, a minor. Phillip S. Simpkins appointed guardian. Guardianship of Norah M. Baer, a minor. W. A. Patrick, C. P. Jones and Chas. Ganiere appointed appraisers.

LATE NEWS.

President Strong of the U. of O. will leave the State before long, having been elected chancellor of the University of Kansas at a salary of \$4,500 a year. Redding, Calif., had a big fire Saturday, and six buildings and \$30,000 worth of property were destroyed. It originated in the Paragon hotel, through the carelessness of a chambermaid. The bank at Brownsville, Linn county, was robbed one day last week of \$1,500, while the cashier was at dinner. Two young men have been arrested. One of them—W. O. Tycer—formerly resided in Josephine county.

Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be. This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic. If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long. The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the niece of Frank Fay, 106 N. St., South Boston, Mass., who writes that she had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia for six years; had been without appetite and had been troubled with sour stomach and headache. She had tried many other medicines in vain. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla made her well.

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Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Don't wait till you are worse, but buy a bottle today.

For Clerk of Josephine County,

JAS. A. SLOVER, of Grant's Pass.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

For State Treasurer,

HENRY BLACKMAN of Morrow County.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,

W. A. WANN, of Lane County.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

For Attorney-General,

JAS. H. RALEY, of Umatilla.

Regular Democratic Nominee.

For County Recorder,

ORIS CRAWFORD, of Gold Hill.

Democratic Nominee.

For Joint Representative Jackson and Douglas Counties,

JAS. M. HANSBROUGH, of Roseburg.

Republican Nominee.

Weather Report.

The following is a weather report for the month of April furnished by E. Britt, volunteer observer: Mean temperature, 48.16 degrees; maximum temperature, 74 deg., on the 15th; minimum temperature, 28 deg. on the 10th; mean of maximum temperature, 61.3 deg.; mean of minimum temperature, 35.1 deg.; number times maximum temperature 90 deg. or above, 0; number times minimum temperature 32 deg or below, 3; number times minimum temperature 40 deg or below, 21; total precipitation, 2.78 inches; number of clear days, 7; number of partly cloudy days, 9; number cloudy days, 14; number of days on which .01 in. or more of precipitation fell, 13; greatest precipitation in 24 consecutive hours and date, .58 on the 18th; total depth of unmetted snowfall, 0 inches; dates on which hail fell, 20th and 21st; precipitation for season, 28.06 inches; precipitation for same time last season, 27.24.

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NEW CASES.

The following suits have been filed in the circuit court for Jackson county: J. W. Merritt vs. Meldorn and Julia Obenchain; to recover money. Geo. Riley vs. J. B. and Eliza Dunagan; to foreclose mortgage. Allen & Lewis vs. B. J. Trowbridge; to recover money.

ROCK MEN WANTED.

Good rock men are wanted by D. E. Morris, superintendent of the Fish Lake Water Co., at Brownsboro, Oregon.

HEADACHE cured in 20 minutes by Dr. Miles' PAIN EXPELLER. "One Ointment a Day" At Druggists

MARRIED.

NEWTON-SCHWEIN—At Henley, Cal., April 17, 1902, Morton Newton and Miss Anna Schwein of Chico. HAMMERLEY-TULL—At Lakeview, April 23, 1902, Judge Tonningsen officiating, W. B. Hammerley and Mrs. Margaret M. Tull. FARMER-DUFFY—In Jacksonville, May 1, 1902, by Rev. A. P. Gillette, W. G. Farmer of Sacramento, Calif., and Miss Etta Duffy.

BORN.

COLEMAN—At Phoenix, April 26, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coleman, a son. HOPKINS—At Ashland, May 5, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hopkins, a son. VON BENZON—At San Francisco, May 1, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Von Benzon, (nee Miss Carrie Roper) a daughter. GEARY—In Trail Creek Precinct, April 25, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. I. Geary, a son. BECK—At Eagle Point, April 26, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Beck, a daughter. CARTER—In Portland, April 25, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Carter, of Ashland, a daughter.

DIED.

SEVITS—Near Keno, Klamath county, of scarlet fever, daughter of G. F. Sevits; aged 6 years. FRULAN—At Ashland, May 3, 1902, John F. Frulan; aged 63 years. THOMAS—At the family residence near Medford, May 1, 1902, Catherine, wife of L. W. Thomas; aged 57 years, 4 months and 10 days. BAKER—At Central Point, April 28, 1902, Perry Baker; aged 15 years. GILLELAND—At the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland, April 26, 1902, of pneumonia, James O. Gilleland; aged 65 years.

READ THIS CAREFULLY. H. M. COSS of the COSS PIANO HOUSE has just arrived from Portland, where he made his final arrangements with the Eiler's Piano House for the exclusive agency for the following pianos and organs: Weber, Vose & Sons, Whe'lock, Schumann, Stuyvesant, Victoria, Sherwood & Sons PIANOS. THE BUSDETT ORGAN. For the following Counties:— Josephine Jackson, Klamath and the Lower one-half of Lake. For lowest prices and best of terms, see H. M. COSS before buying. His motto is SMALL PROFITS, QUICK SALES, PERFECT SATISFACTION and QUALITY UNSURPASSED. DON'T FORGET THE PLACE. Head office, MEDFORD, OREGON. Correspondence Solicited.

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