

Republican State Ticket.

For Representative in Congress. M. C. GEORGE. For Presidential Electors. GEO. B. CURRY, E. L. APPLE GATE, C. B. WATSON. For Supreme Judges. W. P. LORD, J. B. WALDO, E. B. WATSON. For State Printer. W. H. ODELL. For Circuit Judge. C. W. KAHLER. For District Attorney. A. P. HAMMOND.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The "ring" is so completely organized, and so exclusive, that in this precinct there are only a few men thought fit to be delegates, even to a county convention. We observe nearly all the same delegates elected that have done duty for six years past and they don't have the slightest objection to a "third term."

The splenic attacks of the "Times" on Judge Watson show a malignant animosity and are evidently the work of an individual who vainly hopes to wreak a little revenge. If the "assistant" editor is amused or gratified by his performances it is well; as the trifles that make weak minds happy have but little effect on the generality of mankind.

The sage advice of our young friends up the street, to the gray-haired veterans of the Democratic party, reminds us of our own boyish days and excites a slight smile, when we think of the exuberant presumption of youth. Sporting a ten cent cane and a two dollar plug hat we felt competent to advise a "Webster" in matters of State policy and it is quite apparent that youth is about the same as it always was, only a little more so, and its unseemly attempts at premature wisdom should be pardoned.

The "Times" is sorely troubled at the lack of "gray hairs" among the Republican State candidates. It is, perhaps, a proper subject of lamentation; but, when we observe that men of years and experience, like General Mingus, Louis Scheidler and David Linn are thought less fit to represent the Democratic party, at county convention, than Messrs. Miller, Nickell and Little, one of whom has not yet cast a vote at a general election, we conclude that the "Times" is giving the old men "juvenile taffy."

Our Democratic neighbor lifts his eyebrows in surprise and asks, why was not the charge of bribery against Congressman Whiteaker made two years ago! The reason is plain. The information was in possession of a few leading Democrats, J. M. Thompson, John White and Mr. Cochran, and until they discovered the contrary by the stock books of the Lock & Dam Co., they supposed the bribe had been rejected, as "Honest John" had made a pretense of returning it to deceive Mr. Thompson. These gentlemen have seen fit to expose the transaction and, as they belong to Whiteaker's party, the exposure can hardly be called a partisan falsehood.

The "Times" says that the M. C. in George's name stands for Mitchell's candidate. What the "Times" says or what the "Times" thinks is a matter of small consequence, as it has a knack of guessing wrong nearly every time. It vilified Mr. Beekman two years ago and Mr. Beekman was beaten only 31 votes in a county with 300 Democratic majority. It slandered and abused Mr. Bybee predicting his utter defeat and he was elected by a large majority. It stooped lower than common decency in its virulent attacks on Mr. Watson, making him an especial mark declaring that the majority against him would be overwhelming and the result was, 196 majority in his favor. As the champion guesser the "Times" is immense.

The assertion by the "Democratic Times" that Congressman Whiteaker has introduced a bill to compel the O. & C. R. R. Co. to complete its road is a fair sample of the juvenile trash usually found in that paper. In the first place no such bill has been introduced in Congress, but one has, proposing to take away the franchise of the Astoria and Winnemucca road, which has nothing to do with the projected line through this valley. Secondly: How, in the name of common sense, can Congress compel anybody to build a railroad or build anything if they don't want to! And lastly, if the people of this county wait until they receive any substantial assistance from Mr. Whiteaker they will wait long, as there is every indication that he will soon retire from public life.

THE PRESIDENTIAL STRUGGLE.

It is becoming more and more apparent, every hour, that the prominent candidates for the Presidential nomination at Chicago are wasting their strength through the zeal of their partisans. Neither Grant nor Blaine will have an assured majority on the first ballot, 378 votes being required to nominate. Sherman holds a respectable vote without holding the key to the nomination for himself. Already, Mr. Washburne, who has some positive strength in the convention, that no declarations of his own can suppress, is widely spoken of by the Republican press as the compromise candidate. Blaine's vote, so bitter is the antagonism can never go for Grant, and failing to nominate their chief, his friends will cast about for a candidate that will bring success to the party and they certainly can find no candidate with such positive elements of strength as Mr. Washburne. On the other hand, should it be certain that Grant cannot win, it would only be a graceful act on his part to throw all the votes within his control to the man who stood by him, in evil and in good repute, until he had triumphed over all obstacles and reached his zenith. The struggle has been so fierce and violent that it is more than doubtful if any portion of Grant's vote will be thrown for Blaine and we believe he is, in reality, not a single vote stronger than he was in 1876. Therefore the necessity of a compromise candidate, and we know of none, prominent in public affairs, whose course has been so pure and honorable, and who, as a Presidential candidate, will command such universal respect and confidence as E. B. Washburne. We regard the arguments against the "third term" as without force, the charges of corruption against Mr. Blaine as without foundation. We would support Grant or Blaine if nominated but do not hesitate to say that we would wheel into line for Mr. Washburne with a far stronger hope of success and a solid assurance of an easy triumph. We may mistake the signs of the times but there are things more impossible than the offer of the Presidential nomination to Mr. Washburne, and we earnestly hope it may be tendered to him.

REMNANT OF "RING BILL."

We are informed by the State Department that the bill of Jackson county for \$873.00, against the State of Oregon, for keeping State paupers at twenty-one dollars per week, each is disallowed. This action of the Secretary is partly for the reason that the appropriation is exhausted; mainly because the bill is outrageously extravagant and he points to the fact that in no county but "Jackson" is the State charged more than \$6.75 per week for keeping paupers. The bill is to be presented to the next Legislature with a recommendation that a reasonable amount be allowed. This means that the bill is to be cut down two-thirds, or that \$282 is to be taken out of the pockets of the tax-payers of this county and put into the pocket of an individual through the matchless administrative ability of the present County Judge. This person was left two years ago in power as the last official representative of the ring that assumed the right to kick men in, and kick men out of a party. He was left in his position simply because his term had not expired and the contract by which the treasury of this county loses a considerable sum was made by him, against all sense of moral or legal right, to cover the term of the Commissioners just elected by the people. Our neighbor will understand that this transaction is what we call jobbery, as he fully investigated the subject several months since, and what he failed to learn by his own efforts was taught him by this journal. It is true the county is loser, but, nevertheless, we approve the action of the Secretary of State in refusing to allow the extravagant demand just as much as we condemn the stupidity, or worse, that gave a contractor an advantage at the expense of the people at large.

THE NEW ORDINANCE.

We are glad to notice that the town authorities have enacted an ordinance, published in another column, forbidding the discharge of firearms within the city limits under a severe penalty. We wish they had gone father and prohibited the carrying of firearms entirely; as there is not the slightest necessity for any man in this community, without he has murder in his heart, making himself a walking arsenal. Boys and young men especially should be denied the unnecessary privilege of walking round the streets with pistols in their pockets. The practice is neither brave nor manly and generally indicates either a coward or a ruffian. The ordinance, however, will do much, if enforced, to stop the foolish practice of jerking out a pistol as an exhibition of false pluck; it meets with general approval and should be enforced to the very letter.

THE TENTH CENSUS.

In less than two weeks the work of taking the census will commence. Judging from circulars issued by Superintendent Walker, arrangements have been made for a most thorough enumeration of the population and industries of the American people, in fact, the statistical work to be done embraces a greater number of heads and promises to be more complete than the census of 1870. In order to credit our State and county with the full number and wealth of its people, every person should be willing and ready, when the census-taker calls, to give all the information in his or her possession. The questions to be asked are exhaustive and are calculated to draw out all the facts concerning the following topics: Population with race; nativity and nationality; school attendance and illiteracy; schools, libraries, newspapers and churches; pauperism and crime; areas, families and dwellings; sex and school, military and citizenship, ages; occupation; the blind, deaf and dumb, insane and idiotic; wealth, taxation and public indebtedness; mining; manufactures; fisheries; agriculture, etc. The "Agricultural schedule" contains a list of questions about farm work and crops, which all our farmers are called upon to answer. The crops are mentioned as they fall in the calendar year of 1879 or that of 1880, or to be returned for the twelve months beginning June 1, 1879, and closing May 31, 1880.

Crops of the calendar year 1879: Wheat, corn, rye, oats, barley, potatoes, buckwheat, number of acres and bushels; peas and beans, bushels of each; rice, tobacco, acres and pounds; cotton, acres and bales; orchards, vineyards, small fruits, number of acres and value of products in dollars; hay, acres and tons; clover seed, grass seed, bushels; hops, acres and pounds; hemp, acres and tons; flax, acres and pounds; flaxseed, bushels; bees, number of hives, pounds of wax and honey; sugar cane, acres, hogsheads of sugar and gallons of molasses; sorghum, acres, pounds of sugar and gallons of molasses.

Yield of the 12 months, June 1, 1879, to May 31, 1880: Butter, cheese, pounds; milk sold, gallons; value of animals slaughtered, dollars; market gardens, acres and value of products in dollars; value of forest products in dollars; value of home manufactures in dollars. The returns of wool will be of the clip of the Spring of 1880, except as to Texas and California, where the fall clip of 1879 will be included.

The enumerators begin their circuits June 1, and the census must be finished during the month. As this falls in the midst of the busiest season with many of our farmers, they could well employ a rainy day in drawing up a list of amounts of crops called for above and then they could save much time when the enumerator arrives.

"HONEST JOHN."

It looks rather suspicious that the whole Democratic press of Oregon is silent as the grave regarding the charge of bribery against John Whiteaker and the silence must be taken as an admission of his guilt. It is notable also, that the charge that Whiteaker accepted ten shares of stock for his services in behalf of the "Lock and Dam bill" was not made by Republicans but by very prominent Democrats. If this charge were not true and fully proved by John M. Thompson and by the books of the company the evidence of its falsity would have been published long ago, and we can only conclude that it cannot be produced and that John Whiteaker is really guilty of accepting and using the bribe. We would not willingly do Mr. Whiteaker any injustice. We voted for him two years ago, believing the stories of his extreme honesty, but when men of character and standing in his own party, drag the mask from him and show his stains, it is well enough for the people of Oregon to ask themselves if they desire to be represented by a man who will accept a bribe from a corporation for Legislative services.

Politics must be a very fascinating business. We know men who can kneel down and offer loud prayers for Godliness, morality and temperance, who would not cheat a neighbor, who give change scrupulously but who, when mixed in politics seem to forget every principle of decency, resort to the tricks of knaves, the practice of backbiters and forget temperance and morality in the scramble for office. Such are hypocrites who will find their "Nemesis" barring the gate of heaven, against them.

Governor Thayer has issued his proclamation for the election of a State Senator vice W. P. Lord resigned, a State Senator vice John Barnett, resigned, and a State Printer to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of W. B. Carter.

For County Assessor.

THE UNDERSIGNED HEREBY ANNOUNCES himself as an Independent candidate for the office of County Assessor, subject to the decision of the voters of this county at the ensuing June election. JESSE B. THOMAS. Table Rock, September 3d, 1879.

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