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MAY 11, 1896.

Republican State and Congressional Ticket.

For Congressman 1st District, THOMAS H. TONGUE. For Supreme Judge, R. S. BEAN. For District Attorney, 2d District, W. E. YATES.

Republican County Ticket.

For State Senator, A. W. REED. For Representatives, J. T. BRIDGES, A. M. CRAWFORD, GEO. W. RIDDLE. For Clerk, J. H. SHUPE. For Sheriff, D. K. SHAMBROOK. For Treasurer, W. A. FRATER. For Assessor, W. S. BRITT.

For Commissioner, M. D. THOMPSON. For School Superintendent, O. C. BROWN. For Surveyor, W. P. HEYDON. For Coroner, K. L. MILLER.

For Justice, for the Four Roseburg Precincts, JOHN HAMLIN. For Constable, H. C. SLOCUM.

Senator Vandenberg, the populist candidate for congress, will speak at the courthouse tonight at 8 o'clock on political issues.

The populist head of the democratic tiger has been struck off, and the beast is slowly dying, but his republican tail is still wagging.

The Oregonian has been posing as a republican but it has bolted the regular nominee of the party and joined the independent side-show. It has mounted the band wagon and toots the b flat tub for Northrup and gold.

The rioting threatened by the Review a few days ago has commenced, and as stated by the PLAINEALER, it is by the Review crowd. The Wards, Archambault and Flournoy all Review men, assailed and beat Rudolph Jennie most unmercifully on Deer Creek bridge last Saturday. Where next the Anti-A. P. A. will indulge their rioting proclivities, we can't tell.

Judge Bennett, Democratic nominee for congress in the second district, says he is in favor of "a tariff for revenue only." Well that is what the Cleveland administration has given us. We have the "tariff for," but it don't give us the "revenue only." We are falling in that on an average of \$5,000,000 per month. Nothing but a reasonable protection will save us from ultimate bankruptcy.

The sixth article of the Constitution of the United States reads: "No religious test shall be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States." The first amendment reads: "Congress shall make no law respecting the establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof." All of which we most heartily and unreservedly endorse without any mental reservation.

From the Riddle South Douglas Star we learn that our candidates for the legislature acquitted themselves in the discussion at that place, Friday, with much credit. Though coming from a populist paper which tries to show that his candidates got the best of the fight, it shows that these champions of republicanism gave his Goliath a heavy blow between the eyes with their pebble stones (?) Solid argument, inflicting wounds that will cause them much pain, before they are healed.

OUR CANDIDATES.

From all quarters we get encouraging news of the progress of the campaign. A. W. Reed of Gardiner is forging ahead manfully and democrats are wheeling into line for him. Hon. A. W. Reed, it is conceded, will be our next state senator, on account of his acknowledged superior fitness for the office. Gardiner will give him almost a solid vote, and he will hold his party vote in every precinct.

J. T. Bridges, A. M. Crawford and G. W. Riddle, candidates for the lower house, are winning favor every day as the canvass progresses. They are in to win. They are able men in whom the people can confide and will support.

D. R. Shambrook is the strategic point of the enemy, but he is so well entrenched behind the bulwarks with a strong force in reserve, the regulars, that he can withstand the assault. He will hold the fort. Recruits are coming to his support every day. That democratic scare crow is shown to be a will-o'-the-wisp, and being understood to be harmless it is losing its terrors, and his cause is growing stronger every day. Dave will be our next sheriff in spite of his enemies, who are massing their cohorts for a final attack. The Roseburg ring is terror stricken already.

The balance of the ticket is growing in favor as time approaches election. The republicans perceive they have nothing to gain by bolting but much to lose that the intelligence to know that the claims of democracy are shams. "Tariff for revenue only" is a thing of the past. It has been tried and found wanting, and that every vote for a democrat now gives them encouragement to continue the fight against the republican party which has made this government the grandest on earth. Republicans perceive it is best to drop all minor questions and stand firm for protection now as next November.

ROSEBURG TAMMANY.

The tiger of the Roseburg Tammany is again rampant. He is whetting his fangs to pounce down upon the lambs to satiate his rapacious maw. The taxpayers of this city last October drove him into his den and as a result have saved the city at least \$100 per month by cutting down expenses, thus shutting off this tiger's government pap. He has grown hungry—is ravenous and is growling and making ready to spring upon the people again.

The taxpayers of Roseburg, without regard to party, threw off this Tammany beast which has been fattening upon them for years. The city taxpayers now appeal to the taxpayers of the county to assist them to hunt this voracious rascal from power.

The PLAINEALER played a conspicuous part in hunting this Tammany ring from control of the city government last fall by voicing public sentiment. It is now doing all it can do, for a like service for the county, and appeals to the taxpayers throughout the county, irrespective of party, to help burst this Roseburg ring, the Tammany of Roseburg, reaching out his tentacles like the devil fish to draw substance from the people to fill his maw.

DRAIN.

Hon. H. G. Brown of Elkton, a solid and staunch republican, was in town this week.

A. B. Haines, an energetic farmer of Elkton was in the city Thursday.

Elder Brown of Washington County preached in the Christian church Saturday night and Sunday.

Senator Vandenberg of Coos county, Populist nominee for congress, spoke here Saturday evening.

Chas. Drain went to Roseburg Thursday to attend the funeral of C. J. Lane.

G. W. Moore, formerly of the Drain hotel, has moved into the restaurant, where you now can get a first-class meal on short notice.

Mrs. G. W. Moore is very ill with erysipelas of the face. At the present writing she is somewhat better.

Hon. J. T. Bridges went to Portland Sunday on business.

Joe Lyons went to Springfield Monday.

What is the matter with Michael Liber, we don't hear any more of his croaking since his record was made known. Nice man, this Dr. Murphy, to comment on the morals of the people of Drain, or any other community. Why the "only newspaper" of Douglas county should print such rot from the pen of such a being is a puzzle.

Politically speaking, everything is very quiet here. The republicans seem to be certain of the county ticket being elected from first to last. We have no kickers here, and the defeated candidates are putting their shoulders to the wheel and moving right along.

Mrs. N. Singleton of Portland was visiting her many friends here last week. She went on to Roseburg last Monday to visit relatives.

County Court Proceedings.

John Grider resigned the supervisorship of road district No. 10 and Ben Huntington was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Trail from Decker's Point to county line, Wm. Richards, John Henderson, and Martin Andrews were appointed viewers to report June 10th.

The report of the assessors of damages on South Slough road; time continued.

In the matter of the road for public easement of Wm. Fisher, the viewers appointed were: H. Bentley, F. F. Wells, and S. W. Benedict; time to report May 25th.

In the matter of the road from Oakland to Rice settlement, R. E. Smiths, N. H. Rane and W. H. Leeper were appointed viewers to report June 6th.

The court appropriated \$25 to aid in the construction of a bridge across Rock creek above Tioga.

RICH BUT LONELY.

Apparently poor and neglected, suffering from neglect, his name unknown, a man was found dead at 1254 Howard street on Saturday, April 25th. He had been dead for two days when the body was discovered. The people at the place knew no more about him than that he paid his room rent regularly, but seemed to be poor. So the body was removed to the morgue and was destined, seemingly, to a pauper's grave. Some papers found in the cheerless room served to furnish a name for the corpse and the body is noted on the morgue records as that of "John Buckner."

When Public Administrator Froese applied to Judge Coffey yesterday for letters of administration on the estate of Johan Pruckner and stated the value of the estate at "\$10,000 and upward," he applied to be appointed administrator of the estate of this same man who died friendless and alone and whose body had been removed to the morgue.

The estate, the value of which is stated "\$10,000 and upward," is worth fully \$50,000—just how much more than "10,000" has not yet been discovered. Part of it is in Austria, part in realty here and \$11,900 is in cash in the bank.

Johan Pruckner or "Buckner," as he was known to the people in this city with whom he was acquainted, was a peculiar character. He was secretive about his family affairs and posed among the few who knew him as a crusty, miserly old bachelor. Yet, according to the story told by Mrs. Susanna Haslage, who says she is his daughter, he was not only married but had a warm regard, characteristic of the German race, for his family. He was opposed to the writing of letters, however, and had not seen his daughter for seven years.

By an odd coincidence the married daughter of Pruckner, living in Roseburg, Or., had written, only six weeks before to the Consul, asking him for news of her father, from whom she had not heard for seven years, but who, she had been told, was alive in San Francisco. The Consul had been unable to learn anything about Pruckner and knew nothing about the case until Mr. Cluin told him. The Consul at once wrote to the daughter and she is now here. When seen last night she said:

My father left a will and I am satisfied that it will be found. The property consists of a great deal more than the \$11,600 found in the bank, as he had real estate here and in Austria which will ultimately be found. I have no doubt. He left me in Oregon seven years ago, and said: "Susie, when I am about to die I will send for you, but don't ever expect to get a letter from me." I've heard of him only once since, and that was from an Oregon merchant who said he had seen father in San Francisco and he had asked after me.—Examiner.

Misery in Havana.

New York, May 9.—A special to the Herald from Havana says:

The condition of Havana is deplorable. Important business houses are closing every week; others are threatening to close, reducing the forces, cutting down the salaries of those who remain, while the prices of living, always high here, are constantly increasing. Stories of want and misery are heard on every side and everybody looks forward to the worst summer in the history of the island.

The great cigar and cigarette houses—the main industry of the city—are holding down their orders as much as possible, as there is not enough leaf tobacco in sight to carry them through the summer.

Antonio Maceo's destructive campaign in the Vuella, will immediately compel many factories to suspend and deprive thousands of families of their means of subsistence.

Smallpox has increased in Havana recently and the authorities have been stirred to take action to isolate the patients, to some extent.

It is learned that the health of the soldiers, massed along the trocha, is very bad. The turning up of ground across the island, and the massing of men without sanitary arrangements result in innumerable cases of malarial fever. The insurgents say this is hardly a beginning. When the rains come the ditches will become muddy streams, the little foras along the edges will crumble and fall and fever will decimate the ranks.

Antonio Maceo's private secretary took advantage of General Weyler's recent offer of amnesty to rebels, in the Pinar del Rio district. He surrendered and was immediately released. He is quoted as saying that he became very tired in the mountains, in the camps where negroes live, and says that Maceo has a big army, in good condition and quite well armed. The general often remarked:

"Whenever I get ready to cross the trocha, I can cross it. The troops cannot stop me any more than they can defeat me where I am."

When Maceo was asked jokingly if he intended to surrender in order to escape, he replied:

"Spaniards may some day get my dead body. I would neither surrender, nor allow them to take me prisoner. I will kill myself first."

Fighters in "God's Regular Army."

The members of God's Regular Army, in Grants Pass, seem to be better at fighting each other than at fighting sin. The Courier says that last Monday night, between 9 and 10, there was quite a fracas on the sidewalk just outside the army barracks. It appears that several young men got together for the purpose of waylaying William Purley, and when that gentleman stepped out of the barracks with his two little girls, Pete Windom grabbed him by the collar and said: "You are the man I want to see." Mr. Purley reached for his pistol, a little 32, and attempted to shoot Pete in the side, but the chambers were not all loaded,

and the weapon refused to fire. Purley was kicked in the stomach by some one, while Windom said: "Keep away, boys, I don't want to hurt him," and in the scuffle Pete got the pistol. Windom then said, "I paid \$5 fine for you, and you must pay it back right here." Purley gave Windom his purse and said, "Pete, I have just that amount. I want to say right here that I will not take back a word I said about you; you can kill me if you want to; I don't care." The crowd yelled, "Kill him!" but Windom stood them off, and Purley was allowed to go to his rooms, a little way around the corner. During the excitement, Will Lempeke was struck by a soldier named Johnson, but was not hurt. An immense crowd collected, as people were on the streets waiting to hear the returns from the city election. The people of Grants Pass now demand that order shall be kept at these barracks, or there is liable to be wholesale trouble.

COW CREEK.

Colonel Taylor of the Victoria mines has returned to San Francisco.

F. E. Ortschild was at Roseburg a few days ago.

J. Ewing, an old timer of this place, thinks he has found a rich quartz ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Barton of Glendale have moved to Tunnel 5.

Chas. Parker is working on the Tunnel section at present.

Mrs. J. B. Ortschild, who has been visiting her son, F. E., for some time, returned to her home at Portland last week.

J. H. Nevils of Roseburg is stopping with Fred Ortschild at present.

Lewis Purly of the Invalid mines has gone to Dillard to attend school.

Mrs. F. E. Ortschild of the Big E mine was in Glendale one day last week.

Mrs. Parker of West Fork was visiting in the Canyon last week.

EVANGELINE.

CALAPOOIA.

Rain and sunshine the past week.

The sick are all reported as improving.

Joel Cole sold a fine lot of porkers last week.

Miss Ella Roadman was visiting Miss Lucy Black of Wilbur last Saturday and Sunday.

Coyotes are getting quite numerous again and they can be heard almost any night.

It is humiliating to ring politicians to know that the people are on to their job, and will cast a freeman's ballot for protection and prosperity next June.

The green aphids have made their appearance in our wheat fields, but not in sufficient numbers to do very much damage unless they increase between now and harvest.

Digger squirrels are destroying a good many young turkeys for some of our farmers. One day last week, Mr. Al Goodman followed one to its nest, where he found twenty of his young turkeys stored away for future use.

POLITICAL SPEAKING.

The republican nominees for state legislature: Messrs. A. M. Crawford and G. W. Riddle will address the people on the political issues at the following times and places:

Wilbur, Wednesday the 13th, at 1:30. Canas Valley, Thursday the 14th, at 1:30.

Ten Mile, Friday the 15th, at 1:30. Civil Bend, Friday evening the 15th, at 7:30.

Cleveland, Saturday the 16th, at 1:30. Coles Valley, Saturday evening the 16th, at 7:30.

Yoncalla, Monday the 18th, at 1:30.

HON. THOS. H. TONGUE, Republican nominee for congress from the first district, will address the citizens of Douglas county at the following times and places:

At Drain, Tuesday, May 12th, at 1 o'clock p. m.

At Oakland, Tuesday, May 12th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

At Roseburg, Wednesday, May 13th, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Tongue is an able debater and a fine orator. All, regardless of party affiliations, are invited to come and hear him.

SENATOR VANDENBERG

Will speak at the following times and places:

Roseburg, May 11th, at 8 p. m. Oakland, May 15th, at 8 p. m.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Douglas County.

Isabella C. Davenport, Plaintiff, vs. R. M. Simpson, Josephine Simpson, Adda Simpson, Elizabeth Simpson, Clara Simpson, Bird Simpson and John Simpson, Defendants.

To the above named defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit in the above named court on or before the 22nd day of June, 1896, that being the first day of the next term of said court. And you are notified that if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, which is the foreclosure of a certain mortgage given by R. M. Simpson and Isabella Simpson to plaintiff to secure the payment of the sum of \$125.00 and interest, and that the real property described in said mortgage, to-wit: beginning at a point north 89 degrees and 55 minutes west 11 chains, and thence north 89 degrees and 55 minutes west 11 chains; thence south 89 degrees and 55 minutes east 12 1/2 chains; and thence north 15 1/2 chains to the place of beginning, containing 15 1/2 acres. Also all that portion or strip of gravel bar and land that lies between the most westerly line of the above described premises and the South Umpqua river, being two acres more or less, be sold as provided by law to satisfy said mortgage, and interest and costs and the costs of suit, and that you and each of you be forever barred of all his great title, interest or claim of redemption in or to said real property or any part thereof.

This summons is published by order of Hon. J. C. Fullerton, judge of said court, made on the 9th day of May, 1896.

E. D. STRATFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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