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STATE REPUBLICAN TICKET.
CONGRESSMAN, FIRST DISTRICT
Thos. H. Tongue, Washington
SUPREME JUDGE
R. S. Bean, Lane County
GOVERNOR
W. J. Furnish, Umatilla
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COUNTY REPUBLICAN TICKET.
JOINT REPRESENTATIVE
Douglas and Jackson
J. M. Hanchbrough, Roseburg
FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Ira B. Bidwell, Klamath
Frank M. Rogers, Harney
FOR SHERIFF
E. L. Parrott, Roseburg
FOR CLERK
David R. Shambrook, Clatsop Ferry
FOR TREASURER
George W. Dimmock, Klamath
FOR COUNTY JUDGE
M. D. Thompson, Scottsburg
FOR COMMISSIONERS
A. E. Nichols (four year term), Astoria
J. C. Young (two year term), Oakland
FOR ASSESSOR
G. W. Staley, Yoncalla
FOR SURVEYOR
Chas. E. Roberts, Canyonville
FOR CORONER
Dr. J. C. Twitchell, Roseburg
Roseburg Precinct Officers.
J. A. Buchanan, Justice of the Peace
H. C. Simpson, Constable

FACTS TO BE CONSIDERED

Only a few days more than a week remains until the campaign closes and the voters will go to the polls to select the men they want to represent us in the next legislature and the men they believe are best adapted to handle the affairs of the county and state in the various offices to be filled. We believe the judgment of the Douglas county voters can be depended upon. They possess the faculty of discrimination necessary to give us the best men for all these offices, as well as the state offices. That the republican party stands for progress and prosperity none will deny, while the opposition party has more than once demonstrated the fact clearly to all that it stands for the opposite, hence, admitting that the men on the state and county ticket are about equal as far as qualifications and fitness goes, is it not a good policy for the voter to cast his ballot for the candidates who stand for the party which has more than once won the country from the ruin wrought through the follies and incompetency of the opposing party?

The republicans of this county, contrary to the democrats, have conducted a clean, straightforward campaign, wholly on party principles and the splendid record of the present republican county officials, who have filled every requirement of their respective offices and served the public faithfully and well, at the same time carefully guarding the county's best interests while keeping up its improvements. The present county clerk has also done its full share toward keeping Douglas county up with the steady march of progress along with the other progressive counties of the state. The voters and taxpayers should therefore be content and let well enough alone, unless they think as we do, that the condition could yet be somewhat improved by placing an unbiased, impartial and straightforward business man in the assessor's office; a man who will equalize the county's assessment, show no favoritism and conduct his office in the same non-partisan manner which the other county offices are conducted and G. W. Staley, of Yoncalla is a man who would fill this requirement and long felt want to a dot.

Now let the voters ponder well and come fully to the realization that they are about to cast their ballots for weal or woe, for a set of men tried and true or for a mere "experiment in official" who promise to be no more efficient and progressive than those whose "false economy" caused the county to retrograde under the incompetent "union" regime.

WILL BE RIGHT FOR ONCE.

An old line democrat was in town yesterday and while discussing the political situation, said: "I have voted the democratic ticket since

1868. My father was a democrat before me and I voted the ticket straight. I followed democracy when the party platform said that the reconstruction policy of the republican party was wrong, but democratic speakers and leaders now tell me that we were wrong. I voted for Horace Greely on that issue. I voted with democracy against resumption of specie payment, but modern democracy has chided and abused me for it ever since. I followed W. J. Bryan and free silver through two campaigns and contributed my mite for his success, and now democracy says I was wrong again. I am sick and tired of this rambling, wandering system of politics, and I have quit. During these many years I have noticed that republican platforms demanded certain measures, and when the party was in power it passed them. I made up my mind several months ago that if the democratic party continued in its course toward the Philippines, denouncing the government in its policy I would not vote with the party that is always wrong. I am going to cast a straight republican ballot and be for the government June the 2nd. There are others!

BEWARE OF CAMPAIGN LIES.

It behooves the honest voter to look out for the campaign liar from now until June 2nd. Hon. A. M. Crawford seems to be a favorite mark just now for the unscrupulous and envious politicians in this county, but he is so well known by all that a campaign roarback like the one headed "Censured Mr. Crawford" in today's Review, purporting to have come from Empire City, requires no attention whatever. Such things are intended to catch the unwary, but few people are influenced by such fakes springing on the eye of election. The Plaindealer makes no unconfirmed assertions, but backs up its statements with facts and figures.

There was time enough for everybody to talk politics in 1894 and 1896. There will be time enough again if the Democrats are restored to power. Is anybody so unthinking as to suppose that the present conditions of prosperity will maintain themselves if the political support that has made them be withdrawn? Can any be so credulous as to believe that a verdict here in Oregon for specie, restriction and income tariff will produce the same results as was secured for expended territory and commerce, sound money and conservation of trade and manufactures? If you want to get well enough alone to sit wise through regions to declare for a change!

At a "Bryan dinner" in Tennessee recently an impressionable reporter referred to their party's leader, who has done nothing to favor our love except to do for us, "reincarnated on a cross of gold." The same day Mr. Bryan moved into a \$3,000 brick barn while his \$8,000 house was being completed.

If you are opposed to trusts and want to support President Roosevelt in his war upon these institutions you can only act consistently by sending such men to Congress as will support his policy. A vote for Thos. H. Tongue will be an endorsement of President Roosevelt's actions in this matter.

Geno Parrott, Geo. W. Dimmock and David R. Shambrook comprise a trio of six men as you will find anywhere and they are going to receive astonishing majorities June 2nd. They are as true as steel and have made ideal officials. Give them another term voters, they deserve it.

No republican can afford, in this campaign, to be governed by spite or jealousy. Let him be as broad as the issues and principles of his party. There is too much at stake in this contest for any republican to hold personal grudge, real or imaginary, above party fealty.

Let every man who favors more direct legislation in Oregon be sure to vote for the Initiative and Referendum amendment and round his neighbors to mark their ballots. A blank ballot may be counted against it the same as though it was marked no.

Remember the labor candidate for the legislature when you make out your ticket on June 2nd. Jas. M. Hanchbrough will ably represent Douglas and Jackson counties in the Oregon legislature.

The registration is short. But the vote will not necessarily be so, if republicans will work from now on until the closing of the polls, June 21, for the largest majorities possible to give.

It is not often that Southern Oregon and Douglas county in particular, is honored by a place on the state ticket, hence we should show our appreciation of this recognition by giving Hon. A. M. Crawford a rousing vote for Attorney-General June 2nd.

If it is acceptable to be too busy to talk politics, is it not worth while to make some little exertion to perpetuate that condition? Then vote the Republican ticket June 2nd.

The republican nominees are meeting with encouragement in all their wanderings through the county, and the prospect is splendid for the election of the entire ticket.

Don't scuffle. And don't vote for scuffle. Stand up straight and be counted for loyalty to the flag. Not men, but principles, this year gentlemen.

Those who have not registered can vote just the same by securing the proper affidavit by six competent persons. No loyal citizen should fail to vote.

If you expect to see any improvement made in the county's roads and bridges vote for Judge M. D. Thompson, and Commissioners Young and Nichols.

A vote for Chas. E. Roberts is a vote for an expert surveyor and a most worthy and exonerating young man.

Dr. J. C. Twitchell has made a very good coroner and will receive a big vote June 2nd for re-election.

Furnish a Union Man.

The campaign liar is abroad in the land. He has put in rather an early appearance, which is that much better for the cause of truth and right in the matter. A report is being circulated among the friends of organized labor that W. J. Furnish, republican nominee for governor, is opposed to unionism, since the republican party has declared for

COLD FACTS FROM THE COUNTY RECORDS.

The Way Gillette Has Saved the County \$900 per Year.

H. B. Gillette has not only given the county the best and most equitable assessment it ever had, but has done so at an expense of nearly \$900 per year less to the taxpayers than was done by his immediate predecessors.—Roseburg Review. We have already shown, and it has not been disputed, that Gillette lowered the assessment of the Roseburg school district \$13,000 last year, principally in the interests of four or five large property holders, and at the same time raised the county's assessment \$55,430 outside of Roseburg. Now let us see about his saving the county \$900 per year. The county records show that during the last year 11,531 acres of assessable land, besides six town lots have been added to the tax rolls, which were entirely overlooked by Gillette and his deputies, or else they did not want to add this land to the rolls. The county clerk, feeling assured that a great deal of assessable land was being overlooked by Gillette and left off the rolls, secured the services of a local abstract company to look this matter up with the above result. From this 11,531 acres of land and six town lots, the county derives \$87.20 taxes annually, one-half of the taxes for the first year, or \$43.60 being added to the abstract company for its services in looking up, recording and placing this land on the tax rolls. Hence Gillette's recalculation and failure to list this land has COST THE COUNTY \$48.65 the past year, while the county clerk's actions in looking this matter up has added \$48.65 to the county's revenue this year and \$87.20 annually hereafter. Anyone desiring a verification of this statement may call at this office, or the sheriff's office and get the tax receipt numbers for this land and investigate for their own satisfaction.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

But for the vigilance of Sheriff Parrott and his assistants there would have been a wholesale jail break at this place recently. Four desperate characters in the county jail succeeded in breaking the heavy iron bars surrounding the stockpile over the corridor, through which opening they gained access to the outer walls of the jail which are composed of brick 16 inches thick. They had succeeded in working their way through a hole in the masonry to the outside, and at night effected a hole through which each of the seven inmates might escape. Their work was kept carefully covered with false work and it was only through the caution and vigilance of the sheriff that the well laid plans of the prisoners were frustrated.

FIRST CREAMERY BETTER.—The Editor of this paper was presented with one of the first two pound squares of butter today turned out of the new Roseburg creamery and needless to say it was par excellence.

Wood & Quick proprietors of the Candy Kitchen have had the paper hangers and painters at work in their place of business this week and now have one of the most attractive places in town.

S. Custer, of Philomath, is enjoying a few days visit with his daughter Mrs. Chas. Gardner of this city. Mr. Gardner is proprietor of the new Roseburg creamery.

Mrs. Drew and son E. P. Drew of Kellogg, made the Plaindealer a pleasant business call Wednesday. Mr. Drew is proprietor of the Umpqua nursery, at Kellogg.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. C. Marsters Friday, May 23rd, at 2:30 p. m. Important business; members requested to be present.

Mrs. E. A. Tuft and daughter Esther, left Tuesday for San Francisco to reside. Her elder son is employed in the Union Iron Works at that place.

Miss Lillie Kelly of The Dalles, daughter of Sheriff Kly of Wasco Co., is visiting her sister Mrs. Grace Norman of this city.

Two cottages on Pine street in charge of Mrs. M. Josephson at "The Big Store."

P. E. Pomeroy of Albany, was fined \$50 for keeping his saloon open last Sunday.

Cordon & Lewis the popular painters are now painting Washfords Mill. Engineer J. S. Montgomery, is again running out of Roseburg. Scott Landers the baggage-master at this station is laying off. Clocks, Clocks, Clocks, see the clocks at J. T. Bryan's.

REPUBLICANS AT GARDNER.

Grand Rally, Candidates Given a Rousing Reception.

On Saturday evening Messrs. A. M. Crawford, J. M. Hanchbrough, Frank H. Rogers, Dr. Twitchell and Mr. Moran, of Eugene, arrived in Gardner at a somewhat late hour.

On their arrival the republicans of the town, as well as many democrats, assembled at the I. O. O. F. hall where Dr. Alex. Patterson called the meeting to order. F. H. Rogers was first introduced and responded in a short speech. He made no attempt to enter into an extended discussion of the political issues of the hour, but gave us to understand that he was in harmony with the republican platform and principles.

J. M. Hanchbrough was next introduced and responded very briefly by stating that he represented the labor element of the party, as a candidate for joint representative for Douglas and Jackson.

Dr. Twitchell was presented and briefly addressed the audience. The doctor made a very neat address and left a good impression upon the audience. Dr. Twitchell is going to run ahead of his ticket here.

Hon. A. M. Crawford was next introduced and was received in a flattering manner. He spoke considerable length clearly bringing out the issues of the campaign. He had close attention to his able speech and made friends for both himself and the ticket, especially the state ticket.

The event of the evening was the introduction of, and response by Mr. E. W. Moran, of Eugene. Mr. Moran did himself proud by sustaining his high reputation as a political speaker. He had entire possession of his audience from the start, late as was the hour.

The history of the party was rapidly reviewed from 1840 to 1902, and its achievements were clearly, forcibly and eloquently set forth. Mr. Moran's host in his grasp of political questions and an orator of high order.

On the evening of the 15th, Gardner had the pleasure of hearing Hon. J. L. Lee, of Salem. Mr. Lee proved himself an able exponent of republicanism. His ability as a speaker and his pleasing personality, made himself and the ticket many friends. M. D. Thompson, county judge, accompanied Mr. Lee. We are always glad to have the judge with us and are going to give him a rousing majority.

LATE NEWS SUMMARIZED.

Representative Tongue has secured the establishment of a rural free delivery route at Harrisburg, Linn county, and the promise of a similar service for the vicinity of Halsie, Linn county.

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Hurray for old Marion county. The demonstration there Saturday night in honor of W. J. Furnish, was the largest political occasion held in the capital city for years. Four bands, a flambeau club, a parade six blocks long, a packed armory, an overflowing meeting of 2000 people addressed by local candidates were some of the features of the occasion. Marion is alright.

At Portland, Professor Schaffer, who has occupied the position of head master at the Bishop Scott Academy for some time, committed suicide at his private rooms in the Academy Monday. Schaffer had been notified of his dismissal from the position he held, and this prompted the deed. A letter to his wife had been written and left on the table, then he put the muzzle of the pistol to his mouth and pulled the trigger. The bullet passed through the brain. Death was instantaneous.

Ninety-two dead and 103 injured is the result of the terrible fire of Sunday morning at Grohland, Texas. This historic little city was literally swept from end to end by the rushing winds, and 150 houses were razed to the ground by the shock. Of the hundred or more injured, it is believed that 20 will die. In response to the appeal of Governor Sayers, subscriptions have been raised in many of the larger cities, and food and other necessities are now on the way to Grohland. The Southern Pacific officials announce that the road will transport all supplies free of charge.

CUT TO THREE CENTS.

Mr. Harriman Reduces Passenger Fares in Oregon.

PORTLAND, May 21.—Mr. Harriman says that passenger fares on all his lines in Oregon will be reduced to a cent a mile. He also says that the arrangement made between him and President Mollen involves letting the Northern Pacific, as well as the O. R. & N., down the Snake River from Lewiston to Wallula, and it gives the O. R. & N. full benefit of the leaders of the Northern Pacific in the Clearwater Valley. Speaking of the Columbia Valley route to the sea, Mr. Harriman says the only grade in the whole route is the bar at the mouth of the river, and he recommends that Portland give its attention to the problem of removing that grade.

IMMENSELY RICH STRIKE.

Decomposed Quartz which Sparkles with Free Gold.

MYRTLE CREEK, May 22.—Elmer Jackson and Cloyd Chaney have opened a free gold lead 3 1/2 feet wide on the South Myrtle and Days Creek divide. The ledge runs north and south and pays from a good prospect to 25 cents to the pan of loose quartz and occurs not mottled nor crushed, the quartz afterward gives greater value than the first washing.

B. M. Armitage was so fortunate as to locate a cross lead running east and west at the north end of this rich find which showed from 5 to 100 cent on the pan from a single handful of the dirt rock which has been exposed to the elements for hundreds of years. This is a great strike for the already noted South Myrtle mining district.

Brown bread every Wednesday at Cloyd & Griffith Bakery Sheridan St. See the Title Guarantees & Loan Co. or blue prints and filing papers—G.

TRAGEDY AT JUNCTION CITY.

Ben Tracey a Saloon Keeper, Murdered and Robbed.

JUNCTION CITY, May 20.—Ben Tracey a partner of W. Waddle in the Monogram saloon of this city, was shot and instantly killed at 12:20 o'clock this morning while alone in his place of business. Motive for the crime was robbery as the dead man was supposed to have a large sum of money on the premises.

There was no other person in the saloon at the time, and it is generally believed that Tracey went into the back rooms to close the doors and windows for the night, and the murderer watched his chance and came in through the front door while Tracey was gone, and going around behind the bar, opened a drawer that contained about \$25, and taking that, then opened the cash register and took about \$60 in the till. It is thought that Tracey heard the cash register open, and came out to see what was wrong. When he arrived at the arch door between the barroom and the poolroom, the man was behind the bar and seeing that he could not come out without passing Tracey, he climbed over the middle of the bar and while on top of the bar he fired one shot, which hit Tracey about two inches above and to the right of the waist, ranging downward and coming out on the left side near the hip.

After Tracey was shot he went behind the bar, and got his own revolver and went to the front door and fired two shots. He then returned to where he was found dead by Lee Southworth. The bullet went through Tracey and struck on the floor. It was about a 44-caliber.

THE SUSPECTED MURDERER.

Bart Ray, the man supposed to be the murderer, has been playing in bad luck, and several times Tracey has given him money to buy a meal, or get a bed. Ray is about 30 years old, 5 feet 10 inches high, weighs about 145 pounds, has dark eyes, dark hair, smooth face, high cheek bones and large nose. He seems to be near-sighted, holds paper close to his eyes while reading. He had on a dark coat and vest and light pants, stiff hat.

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Mr. Tracey was a married man about 32 years old. His wife was at Newport, Oregon. He has several brothers and sisters in Marion county.

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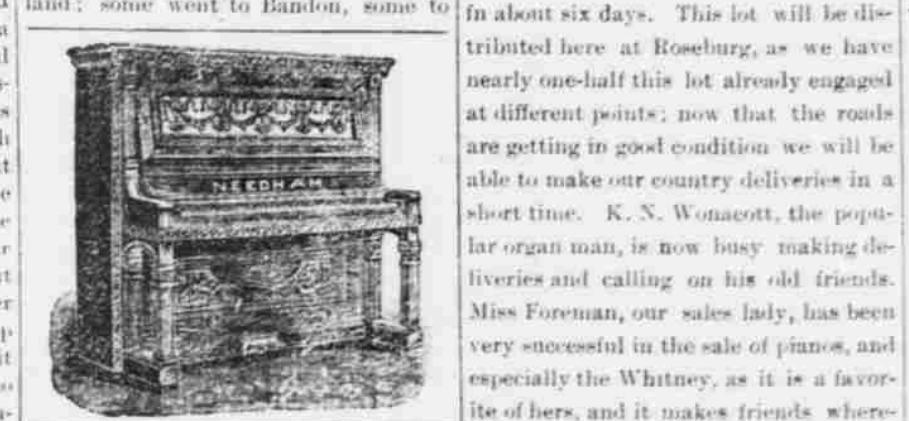
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ANOTHER BANNER MONTH

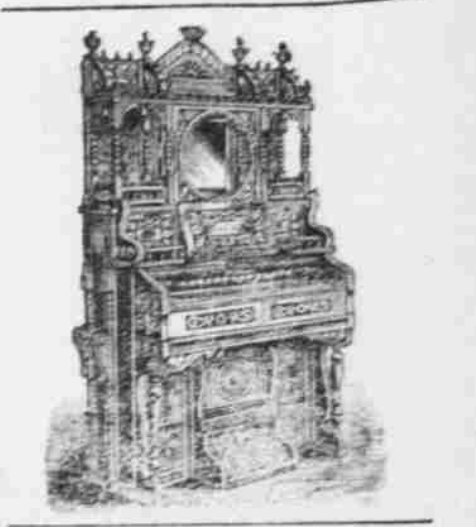
Over half a carload of PIANOS and ORGANS sold in April and Mostly all high grade instruments like Chickering and Kimball

Now that our business is spreading out and increasing, it is impossible for us to land a full carload of instruments at Roseburg at one time. Our last load was distributed, commencing at Portland; some went to Bend, some to



Jefferson, some to Roseburg, but the bulk of them we landed at Cottage Grove where we are doing an exceedingly fine business, disposing of eight instruments, including two fine Chickering's, three Kimball's, a fine Whitney and two cheaper makes. Cottage Grove is in a

very prosperous condition and the people are using good judgment in buying the very best pianos on the market, knowing that the best is always the cheapest. Our next carload will arrive in about six days. This lot will be distributed here at Roseburg, as we have nearly one-half lot already engaged at different points; now that the roads are getting in good condition we will be able to make our country deliveries in a short time. K. S. Wagoner, the popular organ man, is now busy making deliveries and calling on his old friends. Miss Foreman, our sales lady, has been very successful in the sale of pianos, and especially the Whitney, as it is a favorite of hers, and it makes friends wherever it goes. The stock we have on hands will be closed out in a very short time, as we have put the prices away down. We are also representatives of the Eiler's Music House, Portland, Ore. Don't fail to go see Eiler when you go to Portland.



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