

Sullivan, the pugilist, has joined a circus and will make a tour of the United States this season.

May 20th, there landed at Castle Garded 2007 immigrants, and it was not a big day for immigrants either.

The Brazilian Chamber of Deputies has passed a bill for the immediate abolition of slavery. The Brazilian Senate has also passed the bill abolishing slavery.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union has presented Mrs. Cleveland with a valuable gift, in recognition of her temperance views. This is the first that we knew she had any temperance views.

A constitutional amendment has been offered in the House of Representatives, proposing to extend the term of President and Vice-President to six years and to make the President ineligible for a second term.

Reports from California indicate that things have fallen flat there. The prospects for a wheat crop are very poor and many of the farmers are discouraged. A man traveling through the state saw many teams headed for Oregon.

Immigration to the Argentine Republic is greater than to any other country in the world except the United States. The Immigration Bureau of Argentina, in the official report for last year, has placed the number of immigrants arrived in that republic for the period at 120,812.

The Government of New Zealand has proclaimed all Chinese ports to be infected, in order to put a stop to the entrance into the colony of Chinese immigrants. The Government of South Australia has proposed that an inter-colonial conference be held for the purpose of arranging for united measures to exclude immigrants from China.

The only counties in the state that have not made remittances of some kind of the taxes of 1887 to the state treasurer are Multnomah, Umatilla and Walla Walla, says the Salem Statesman. In Multnomah a settlement, Walla Walla county has an excuse for her non-payment, because her sheriff died a month or so ago, and the question arises, what is the matter with Umatilla?

The dispute between the United States and Morocco has been settled. A despatch from Gibraltar to the Exchange Telegraph Company, London, concerning the settlement, says: "After the withdrawal of the claims for a money indemnity an apology was tendered to the American Consul, and orders given for the immediate release of the persons whose arrest gave rise to the trouble."

A recent circular from the general land office gives the following new ruling in reference to making final proofs: "Heretofore final proofs in homestead, pre-emption and commuted homesteads were taken before the judge, or in his absence, the clerk of any district court. Hereafter only final homestead proofs will be allowed to be taken before such judge or clerk, and the notices of intention to make such proof must specify whether such proof is commuted homestead or otherwise." Walla Walla Statesman.

This week the last wad of political mush will be thrown, and newspapers and people and things will have some other theme upon which to argue. We predict for many of the officers elect of this county, a very close vote, but some of them will be elected, all the same. Both tickets are composed of good men, and voters who are not governed by party lines will find it difficult to choose between. The News has refrained from advising its readers to cast their ballot for any particular candidate, believing in the intelligence and good judgment of the average voter. You have no doubt seen all the candidates and made their acquaintance, and the advice of the NEWS is, to vote—vote early and well.

REPUBLICAN COLUMN.

The spirit of our column, more or less, has been used to the Republic of Grant County for campaign purposes, and they run it as best suits them.

THE LEGITIMATE ISSUE.

Appeals are made for election of Gearin, on the claim that he would serve the State more efficiently than Hermann. No body believes it, not even those who assert it. Hermann has served two terms. He is not a great man, but he is an active and energetic man. He has done fairly well in Congress and has acquired position and experience which would make his services more valuable than heretofore. Gearin might in time acquire equal position and experience in the work of a representative, but it is not probable he would. His habits of life and habits of labor are not equal to the demands which the duties of Representative in Congress would make upon him. It is a position of labor; it requires constant attention; the man to whom it is entrusted should be a worker by temperament and by habit. Good fellowship with "the boys" is not a necessary qualification. It is not wise on the part of those who favor the election of Gearin on the plea that he would serve the State better than Mr. Hermann to challenge a comparison that would show why he would not. So that phase of the argument were better abandoned. The contest need not be a personal one. The main question is whether the people of Oregon are for the Democratic party or the Republican party. It is a National question. The administration at Washington has proclaimed its policy and appeals to the people of Oregon. The broad question, then, is whether that policy is to be approved or not; whether this history, traditions, tendencies and purposes of the Democratic party, or the Republican party, are to be approved by the people of our State. The census should be kept to this issue. There is no other legitimate one.—Oregonian.

VOTE FOR HIM.

Several Democratic papers are advocating the election of Gearin to Congress for the only reason that he belongs to the party that is in the majority of the lower House of Congress; for the same reason we might ask our voters to vote for Dr. G. W. Gilham for State Representative, as that body will undoubtedly have a Republican majority. But we do not ask the voters of Grant county to support Mr. Gilham for that reason alone, we ask them to vote for him because he is the best man for that position, because he is not controlled by any clique or set of men. He would represent all classes of men and kinds of business fairly, impartially and without prejudice. Gilham stands above railroad rings, sheep or cattle combinations, and would work exclusively for the good of the greatest number, and the interests of Grant county. He ought to receive the support of all classes of voters.

Mr. J. A. Fee, Republican candidate for Circuit Judge of this District, is not a carpet bagger, nor an importation by Railroad Corporations, but is a bona fide resident of Pendleton, a sound lawyer, a gentleman of unimpeachable character, and would make a most excellent Judge.

Before the next issue of this paper the die will have been cast, and the people of the State of Oregon will have decided by their votes who shall serve them during the ensuing two years. The result of this election is of the most vital importance to the future prosperity of the State. The success of the Democratic ticket at this election would be considered an endorsement of the administration of President Cleveland with all its shortcomings, its failure to fulfill its pledge to the country made for the sole purpose of gaining power or its legions pretensions of civil service reform, and its advocacy of free wood and lumber.

Mr. Gearin was nominated, and stands on the Democratic platform which endorses in unmistakable terms President Cleveland's recommendation to Congress; and the Democratic candidate for the Legislature of Oregon from Grant county, if elected, would without a doubt, cast his vote for U. S. Senator for a man who stands committed to the same doctrine. Are the people of Grant county prepared to aid by their votes in destroying their own industries and prosperity? The condition of the wool market at this time is a sufficient answer to this question: One year ago, and before the commencement of the agitation in Congress for free wool, the price thereof was from 16 to 24 cents per pound; to-day there is no market for it even at the low rate of ten cents per pound. It would seem that under these circumstances the choice would be an easy one, and that Grant

county's returns will show a rousing majority for Binger Hermann for Congress and for Dr. G. W. Gilham for the Legislature.

VOTER.

At present there are over 2,000,000 people out of employment in the United States. In New York alone there are 67,000 men and 50,000 women who are idle.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an Execution (deceit and order of sale) issued out of the Honorable Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Grant, on a Judgment of foreclosure rendered in said court, on the 23d day of April, 1888, in favor of F. C. Sels, Guardian of the estate of Lucinda Hann, an insane person, Plaintiff, and against Charles Crispel and Nellie Crispel Defendants, for the sum of Two Thousand, Nine Hundred, and Thirty-three Dollars and Thirty-three cents, and Thirty-One Dollars and Ninety-Eight cents costs, together with Ten per cent per annum interest and accruing costs, I have levied upon and will sell at Public Auction, on the 23d day of June, 1888, at Two o'clock P. M., at the court House door in canyon city Grant county and State of Oregon, all the right, title and interest which the said Charles Crispel and Nellie Crispel Defendants had on or after the 23d day of February, 1884, in or to the following described Real Property, to wit:

The South half of the North half, and the South West quarter of Section Twelve (12) in Township Thirteen (13) South of Range Thirty Three, (33) East of the Willamette Meridian, in Grant county, State of Oregon, together with all the tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Terms of sale cash. Dated at canyon city, Grant county, Oregon, this 23d day of May, 1888.

A. C. DORE, Sheriff of Grant Co., Or. By ROBERT LOCKWOOD, Deputy Sheriff.

NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Grant county. In the matter of the Estate of H. O. Jarrel, deceased.

Heirs, creditors, and all persons whomsoever interested in the above entitled estate will take Notice that the undersigned, the Administratrix thereof has filed her Final Account thereon, to-wit, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1888, and that the Hon. County court of the State of Oregon for Grant county, has by an order of the same date appointed Friday, the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1888, an adjourned term thereof, at the hour of 1 P. M. as the time, and the room of the court as the place for the hearing of objections to such Final Account, and the settlement thereof. All persons will, therefore, on or before said day, file any objections they may have in the premises according to law.

MARY A. JARRELL, Administratrix. 9-13

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of Grant county at Canyon City, Oregon, on the 23d day of June, 1888, to-wit: MARY C. STURGEON, to her claim for the NE 1/4 of Section 24, Township 13 S., Range 33 E., 1st Meridian, Grant county, Oregon, under Act of Congress of Sept. 22, 1850, for the NE 1/4 of Sec. 24, T. 13 S., R. 33 E., 1st Meridian.

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SUMMONS. In Justice Court, for Canyon City Precinct, Grant County, State of Oregon.

Adam Murray, Alex Murray and Wm. Murray, copartners as Murray Bros., Plaintiffs,

vs. Lester Greenwell, Defendant. To Lester Greenwell, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby commanded and required to appear before the Justice of the Peace of Canyon City Precinct, in said County and State on the 30th day of June, 1888, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at Canyon City in the said Precinct to answer the complaint of the above named plaintiffs founded on an account and wherein said plaintiffs demand judgment against you for the sum of One hundred and eighty-five Dollars, and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and you are further notified that if you fail to so answer said complaint said plaintiffs will take judgment against you for said sum of One hundred and eighty-five dollars and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and that this summons is published by virtue of an order by the undersigned Justice of the Peace made on the 11th day of May, 1888.

WM. MILLER, Justice of the Peace. 8-14

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