

Daily Mountaineer.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 30, 1866.

Mr. ROBT. BROWN, residing in Linn county, had his right leg amputated above the knee last week.

THE fruit in Northern California and Southern Oregon has nearly all been killed by frost.

THE city election in Indianapolis, Ind., on April 8th, resulted in the election of the Union ticket by an average majority of nearly 4,000.

W. B. CARTER, of the *Corvallis Gazette*, is preparing to commence the publication of a monthly paper, to be devoted to the temperance cause, and to be the organ of the I. O. of Good Templars.

A FIZZLE.—L. Stout and Judge Wait tried hard to raise a crowd in Corvallis last week, to tell men how to vote; but the people did not appreciate being bored, and so would not attend, which caused the rally to fizzle.

WHAT has become of the *Index*? We have not seen its familiar face for about a month. We are inclined to the opinion that its Democratic boiler must have "busted" from an over-dose of bad whisky—but we are mistaken, for the editor of the *Index* belongs to the (in)temperance society.

FAY said in his speech at Eugene City that he would be in favor of admitting Jeff. Davis to a seat in the United States Senate if he should be elected by Mississippi or any other Southern State. Do the citizens of Wasco county desire to be represented in Congress by such a man as this? We think not, and will so decide on Monday next.

"THINGS have changed very much in the last four years. Four years ago we had a great war upon our hands"—Lane, in his speech at the Court House in Eugene City.

Shouldn't be surprised. Four years ago you would have gone South to fight with Davis & Co., if you could have got there. Your brethren were there—so the family were represented.

We learn that Lieut. W. I. Henderson has been transferred from the 12th U S Infantry to the 1st U. S. Cavalry, in the regular army.—*State Journal*.

Wonder if there are such things as examining boards in the regular army? If there are, we think Lieut. Henderson's chances of getting into any regiment are very slim.

We see it going the rounds of the press that the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. had an excursion to Celilo, while in session in this city, by invitation of the O. S. N. Company. This is a mistake. The invitation was extended by Columbia Lodge, of this city, who paid the Company for the trip. This, we believe, originated in the *Oregonian*, and should be corrected in justice to the members of Columbia Lodge.

EVERY citizen of this county who desires to see our local interests advanced must vote the whole Union ticket. The candidates are all honorable men, and are well known to every citizen. True, there are some good men, and some we personally respect on the other ticket, yet they are in bad company, and will have to be classed with the company they keep. The proof that some of the candidates on the Democratic State ticket are disloyal, and have taken treasonable oaths, is overwhelming. The standard bearers of the Democracy say they are for "principles" and "not for men." They are for the principles of their oath-bound, treasonable associations. The Union party are for men and principles. It is for the voter to choose between the black sheep and the white.

JOHN B. WELLS, whose name is notorious throughout the coast as a traitor to his country, an advocate of a Pacific Republic, and a plottor of treason, has his thumb-paper posters out to speak at the Court House on Saturday. We learn that he intends going with the Rev. Carvingfork Smith to Brownsville on next Tuesday. We would advise our Copperhead friends to endeavor to procure a piece of Mrs. Suratt's old dress or a lock of hair from the head of J. Wilkes Booth for their speakers to exhibit. Great enthusiasm could be raised among the faithful by exhibiting such precious Democratic relics.—*Albany Journal*.

A man of the same name is "posted" to speak here on Saturday night. The Rev. Carvingfork is not announced; but we have a natural curiosity from Polk here, who the Democrats exhibit occasionally.

SPEAKING LAST EVENING.—The candidates for the Legislature addressed the citizens at Chapin's Hall last evening. The Hall was well filled with anxious listeners to the speakers. Mr. Hogue opened the debate, and took the ground on national affairs as has all the candidates of the Union party. On local issues he showed, and we think to the satisfaction of all present, that in regard to the petition for the reduction of the salary of the County Judge, that it was gotten up through personal and political motives, and not for the benefit of the tax-payers of this county. He stated, on authority, that some of the names attached to the petition were forgeries, and, as good authority, he mentioned that of J. K. Kelly, who, he said, never signed nor authorized the signing of his name to the document by any one. We also noticed in the reading of the names that J. W. Blakely was not satisfied with his signature once, for his name appears three times on the petition. Thus it will be seen that the whole thing was gotten up through political and personal prejudice, as stated by Mr. Hogue. On the matter of county finances he showed that when the present county officers came into office that this county had a heavy debt hanging over it; and that now we are out debt and the county scrip is worth ninety-five cents—the value of scrip four years ago was forty cents on the dollar. His position on the Senatorial question is as we noticed a day or two since. He is thoroughly a friend of J. W. Nesmith for re-election—a friend that will be found when he is wanted; not bound up by party causes, but free to cast his vote for the man who is by far the choice of the people of this county.

Mr. Humason followed Mr. Hogue through his argument in national affairs. He said that the Democracy was always on the side of the Constitution and the laws; he did not want red handed traitors admitted to Congress until they were pardoned—then he was in favor of admitting them. This, he said, is the position of J. D. Fay and his party. Now, this sounded rather bad, coming from Judge Humason. Did he think two years ago that the Democratic party was on the side of the Constitution and the laws? We think not. If he did, he certainly acted wrong in his opposition to and denunciation of it at that time. Was not the Democratic party the same then that it is now? They say their principles never change. If they were opposed to the Constitution and the perpetuity of the Government two years ago, as then advocated by Mr. Humason, are they not still opposed to them? We cannot see by what presto change arrangement this party is brought to be the Union party of the country if we take their doctrine for it—that their principles never change. Mr. Humason grossly misrepresented J. D. Fay's position on the admission of Representatives to Congress. Mr. Fay has declared in every speech he has made that he is in favor of admitting everybody who presents credentials without questioning their loyalty; and we are compelled to take his as the doctrine of the party. We have not space to follow Mr. Humason through his entire speech. On our county affairs he dealt some time on his petition—he said he was the author of it; he drew it up and had it circulated, but he failed to explain how the name of the Democratic candidate for Governor—J. K. Kelly—came on it, and how it was that J. W. Blakely's name appeared on it three times. He thought the salary of the County Judge was too high; that \$600 a year was sufficient compensation; did not know why the salary had been increased to \$1,200; no persons petitioned or asked the Legislature to do it. We are cognizant of the facts in the case, having been Secretary of the Convention that put Judge Denby in nomination for the office. In that Convention he was solicited by Messrs. Newell, Logan, and others, then prominent men in the Union party in this county, to withdraw from the nomination for the Legislature and they would give him County Judge, and promised, in our presence, to have the salary increased to the present figures. These are the facts in the matter, and we were of the opinion that Mr. Humason knew all about it. He favored the re-election of J. W. Nesmith to the United States Senate, "first, last and all the time." Will he or Mr. Dodge refuse to go into and support the nominee of the Democratic caucus? Not much.

Mr. Kogel was next called for, and made a short speech. He had the utmost confidence in the integrity of President Johnson, and the final adjustment of the present questions by the party in power. He was sound on the Senatorial question; being a "brother chip" of Nesmith's, he would vote for him. Mr. Kogel made several good points in his speech, and at different times "brought down the house."

Mr. Dodge was also very brief, in fact he had nothing to say. He appeared much embarrassed, and without his mentioning it, any person could see that it was his "first appearance on any boards." He said he was a Democrat; always had been one; endorsed the platform of the Democratic State Convention; would favor the re-election of Mr. Nesmith; was in Washington last winter; saw the Senator; found him a fast friend of Eastern Oregon. He would work in the Legislature, if elected, for the interests of this county. Mr. Dodge did not enlighten us how he stood on any political question, nor on our county affairs further than is noticed. Being one of the "true blue," we suppose he swallows everything in the name of Democracy, even treason, when disguised in that shape. Mr. Hogue was replying to Mr. Humason's speech when we left the hall at 11 o'clock p. m.

TRY IT.—Hall's Sarsaparilla, Yellow Dock and Iodide Potass is the best blood purifier in the world, and is peculiarly adapted to the Pacific Coast.

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Wasco Lodge, No. 15, A. F. & A. M.—Holds its stated Communications on the First and Third Mondays of each month, at their hall, in Dalles City. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the W. M. SETH L. POPE, Sec'y.

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CATHOLIC CHURCH—Morning service: Mass, at 10 1/2 o'clock. Evening service: Vespers and Benediction, at 7 1/2 o'clock. Sunday School at 2 o'clock, p. m. a23dtf
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