

And Now.

The election returns bring the gratifying news of the victory for local option.

As the local option movement concerns the home, and the newspaper endeavors to find its way into as many homes as possible, we believe that any comparison of the Herald's position with that of other papers will not be unfavorable to the Herald.

In the great state of Oregon, Coos county is not the most populous nor the richest in the state, but it has its own part to play in the affairs of the state.

Leading Events of Seventeenth Week of the War.

- June 1st.—A detachment of Japanese cavalry meets and defeats a mixed brigade of Russian infantry and Cossacks near Siu Yen pass. Japanese losses are 28 killed and wounded.

June 2nd.—Japanese consul at Gen San, eastern Korea, reports that 5,000 Cossacks are within 20 miles of the city and that their descent on the place is daily expected.

June 3rd.—More than half a dozen minor engagements are reported to have taken place North of Port Arthur, between Kuroki's and Kuropatkin's forces.

June 4th.—General Kuropatkin sends an army estimated at 30,000 men from Liao Yang and Mukden to Southward.

June 5th.—Russian gunboat "Giliak" which has played so prominent part as a guardship at the entrance of Port Arthur is torpedoed and sunk.

Abner McKinley Dead. McKeesport, Pa. June 11.—Abner McKinley, the only brother of the late President McKinley, died last night at his home in Somerset. His death was discovered by his wife this morning when she went to arouse him.

Official Election Returns.

Table with columns for position and candidates with vote counts. Includes categories: FOR CONGRESS, 1st dist., FOR JUSTICE SUPREME COURT, DAIRY AND FOOD COM., FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE, FOR JOINT SENATOR, FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY, FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE, FOR REPRESENTATIVE, FOR SHERIFF, FOR COUNTY CLERK, FOR TRESURER, FOR ASSESSOR, FOR SCHOOLSUPT., FOR SURVEYOR, FOR CORONER, COMMISSIONER, 4 years, COMMISSIONER, 2 years, JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, FOR CONSTABLE, STATE PRINTER AMENDMENT, LOCAL OPTION LAW, PRIMARY ELECTION LAW.

For Joint senator A. J. Sherwood, Democrat, received in Coos county 1277, and J. S. Coke Republican, 1208, and in Curry, Coke's majority was sufficient to over come Sherwood's Coos county vote and put him 9 ahead, thus giving the joint senatorship to Mr. Coke by that small margin.

There is some talk of a contest of North Bend precinct election as it is very evident that the saloons ran in violation of law, and it is said the election officers emboldened to freely, and that persons who had been there but a short time were allowed to vote.

Fight Will Be Bitter. Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination.

Notice. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the undersigned, are hereby notified that settlement must be made by the 10th of June or the accounts will be placed in the hands of a collector and interest added.

School Library Open During Vacation.

The school directors have arranged to keep the school library open during the vacation. As there was no fund for the purpose the Woman's Study Club has kindly consented to take charge of the work.

- The following rules will govern the library until school opens: 1. Any child of school age may draw books and magazines. 2. The library will be open in the office at the school building each Friday from 2 to 5 p. m., beginning this week.

Follow A Seismic Wave.

For a dozen years to come men of science propose to engage in a chase after earthquakes wherever they may manifest themselves throughout the world. The object is to learn something about earthquakes that may lead to a discovery of their causes.

Crisis is Now at Hand. The feeling prevails that a crisis in Port Arthur affairs is at rapidly approaching. Many persons spent the night in the churches on their knees, praying for the success of the Russian arms.

Paris, June 11.—The Journal has a report that this morning Port Arthur has fallen, and the Russian fleet has put to sea. There is no confirmation whatever.

Squads are out scouring the hills in search of certain men who are wanted in connection with the Independence assassinations. Telegrams have been sent to Sheriffs and Chiefs of Police at outside points, asking them to watch for these persons, whose names are not made public.

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No preaching until further notice as the pastor is taking a much-needed rest. But the Bible school still meets at 10 a. m. on Sunday and C. E. at 7 p. m.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the partnership estate of W. H. Erdice, deceased, and that persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, duly verified, to the undersigned at the Coquille City Creamery in Coos county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

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