The Times-Mountaineer

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ITEMS IN BRIEF.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. C. W. Haight, of Cow Canyon, gave us a pleasant call to-day.

Several of the successful candidates were serenaded by The Dalles city band last evening.

A gentle zephyr blew yesterday, and there was a decided movement in real estate in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. McCauley, father and mother of Mrs A. S. Bennett, are visiting their daughter in this city.

Bulletins have been arriving every hour during the day from Minneapolis, and these are eagerly scanned by those anxious to learn the news of the Republican convention.

Two Indians occupy a cell in the city jail. They were arrested yesterday for being drunk and disorderly, and are awaiting an examination before the U. S. commissioner.

Just as we go to press we learn that Smith carries Sherman county by 10 votes, and Wasco gives him 12 majority, with all in except Baldwin precinct, which is reported to give Smith 3 majority, making Smith's majority in the two counties 25.

The returns from every precinct in the county have been received; but those from Mosier and Baldwin were in the election box, sealed up, but no one took sufficient interest in the matter to keep out a sample ticket with the figures on it. For this reason the figures of these two precincts cannot be ascertained until the official canvass.

We have received a copy of *Justice*, published at Grass Valley, Sherman county. We presume it is printed elsewhere as we do not see a single local advertisement, or any matter relating to Sherman county. Being in favor of home production we do not wish it success, as we would if it were a factor of development of Grass Valley and vicinity.

A meeting of the fire department was held last evening at the council chambers, at which there was a full attendance, and a resolution was passed making the foreman of each company a committee of arrangements. Chief Fish spoke in favor of the tournament on the coming 4th of July, and after his speech the resolution carried. Mr. Ad. Keller acted as secretary and Mr. H. J. Maier stated the object of the meeting.

Eagle: Deputy Sheriff McRoberts, accompanied by the posse of men who went out for the purpose of capturing the band of Indians that took in C. E. Dustin's ranch last week, returned, all efforts to capture the redskins resulting fruitless. The Indians swam the river at Junction Bar, and pushed out for the Rock Creek country. The boys being at that time forty miles behind, decided it to be useless to push on farther.

The returns received from Wasco, complete except from Baldwin precinct, insures the election of Blakeley, Democratic candidate for county judge, Ward, Democratic sheriff, Darnielle commissioner, with the balance of the ticket in favor of the Republicans by majorities ranging from 15 to 200. Blakeley and Ward, Democrats, received very heavy majorities. If the figures for Baldwin had been given, the returns from Wasco would be complete.

Fred Vanderhoff, of Gray's river, while working for L. Hansen felling trees, was struck down and killed. Vanderhoff had been fully warned by Mr. Hansen, but replied "there was no danger." Even as the tree fell, Hansen called to him to get out of the way, but the man simply stood and watched its fall. It was only when the fir tree struck a sapling alder, sending the alder flying toward him that Vanderhoff attempted to save himself, but too late. A broken limb of the alder struck and penetrated the skull, killing him instantly.

Long Creek *Eagle:* Deputy Sheriff Cal. Gregsby passed through Long Creek Wednesday with Cal Smith, whom he arrested at Heppner on a charge of inhuman treatment to his family. Prior to Smith's going to Heppner he gave his wife a severe beating, notwithstanding she had recovered from a severe illness, holding a babe in her arms at the time of the assault. He also seriously injured his grown daughter by hitting her on the head with a rock, inflicting an injury, which by the late reports, will probably prove fatal. For such inhuman treatment Mr. Smith should be severely punished, and it is the opinion of every one that he will have occasion to retire from the race-horse business for a few years at least.

From Thursday's Daily.

The river is on a stand still.

Mr. R. J. Ginn, of Biggs, is in the city.

Mr. Ronald McDonald, of Antelope, is in the city.

Mr. Stanley Stowell, of Hood River, is in town to-day.

Dr. W. E. Rinehart returned to-day from a short trip to Salem.

Mr. Geo. Herbert, mine host of the Hood River hotel, is in the city.

Mrs. D. G. Leonard, the only woman lawyer in Oregon, is in the city.

Hon. M. P. Isenberg, of Hood River, came up on the noon train to-day.

Mr. Geo. Cochran, of Antelope, one of the sheep raisers in that region, is in town today.

Mr. Allen Grant, the sheep king of the Antelope empire, is visiting friends in the city.

A large number of sheepmen are in the city, and they all appear satisfied with the clip and prices received.

The Prineville stage arrived in the city last evening; but no news was received of the result of the election.

The *Regulator* made the usual excursion to the Cascade Locks this morning, and quite a number of our citizens availed themselves of the opportunity.

The excitement consequent on the election is dying out. It seems the Democrats are not desirous of crowing very loudly, and Republicans have nothing of which to boast.

The next matter of interest is the election of city officers which occurs a week from next Tuesday, and some excitement may be expected, as candidates are coming to the surface lively.

A mining prospector passed through the city this afternoon, driving a donkey packed with provisions and utensils. He was a great curiosity, being a novel sight to citizens of The Dalles.

Albert, 4-year-old son of our fellow citizen, Mr. Ad. Keller, was severely scalded this morning by spilling a bowl of boiling milk over his foot and ankle. Dr. Hollister was called, and the child is resting easily.

Gen. J. B. Gordon, president of the United Confederate veterans, has appointed a committee of one from each of the Southern states to present a memorial before the legislature of each state, asking them to vote a life pension to the widow of Jefferson Davis.

Baker *Democrat:* Snake river is overflowing its banks below the mouth of Connor creek, necessitating the farmers along the stream to hurry up their first cutting of alfalfa before their lands are completely covered with water. After the first cutting an overflow will do but little damage.

The tournament in this city on the 4th of July is a fixed fact. Committees have been appointed and the necessary funds subscribed. A programme of exercises is being drafted, and this will be carried out fully. A large number of people may be expected in the city on that day.

Seven carloads of cattle, 165 head, were shipped from Saltmarshe & Co's stockyards yesterday evening to Troutdale. They were in first-class condition, and will make as good beef as any ever placed in the Portland market. They were from our bunchgrass hills, and demonstrate the nutritious qualities of our native grasses.

News was received in the city to-day from Crook county giving Mr. Bradshaw, Democratic candidate for circuit judge 134 majority in Prineville, 5 in Hay Creek and 8 in Cross Keys. This gives him 147 majority, which is 14 more than necessary to overcome Mr. Watkins' majority in Wasco and Sherman. There are several precincts, the returns from which have not been received, and these will increase Mr. Bradshaw's majority.

Dayton *Inlander:* Dr. Pietrzycki was called to Pomeroy on Friday of last week to consult with Dr. Gose in a case of what proved to be a fatal injury. James Megginson, an old citizen of considerable property and a bachelor living on Alpowa ridge, was returning from the mountains to his place with a load of wood and in some way was thrown from the wagon. One arm was crushed and he was injured in the head. He was picked up in an unconscious condition. The arm was amputated, but the man died Saturday morning.

A large colony of a religious sect, known as the River Brethren have located at Phoenix, Arizona Ter. They are from Pennsylvania and have purchased a tract of land for fruit growing purposes. The settlement has been named Glendale, and will be conducted according to the rigid religious and temperance ideas. They will be joined in the fall by two hundred more families.

Hillsboro *Independent:* Two men named Tomkins and Johnson, were slashing timber on Joseph Hare's farm when a tree falling slipped backward from the stump and crushed Mr. Johnson's head, killing him instantly, and broke Mr. Tomkins' thigh. Mr. Tomkins lives three miles east of Glencoe. The man who was killed was a stranger, who had lately come to the neighborhood.

The latest news from Sherman county confirms the report of the defeat of Mr. K. J. Ginn, Republican candidate for county judge and the election of Mr. Leslie, Democrat, for sheriff. Mr. V. C. Brock, Democrat, for clerk, who was a candidate for re-election was defeated. Moro carried the county seat question by about 150 majority.

Our neighbor, the *Sun*, came out with the conventional rooster yesterday, to illustrate the feelings of Democrats over the recent victory. But, they must remember, in the language credited to Marc Antony.

'Twas no foeman's hand that felled us
'Twas our own that dealt the blow.

We acknowledge our defeat, but, with regret, we point to traitors in our own ranks that knifed our candidates in the back.

Albany *Herald:* News was received in this city last evening of another serious train wreck on the Southern Pacific railroad in Southern Oregon. A freight train, consisting of two engines and twenty-four cars, were ditched beyond Grant's Pass by train wreckers, who had piled up a lot of ties upon the track. The engines and cars were badly wrecked. No one was killed, but the bridge superintendent had his leg broken by jumping from the train. There is no clue as to who the fiends were who committed the dastardly deed.

Localizer: A second earthquake has occurred at Chelan in the last month. The first was experienced on the 1st inst., and lasted about a minute. The second was more severe, but did not last so long. It is nearly twenty years since a heavy earthquake happened in the same region. There were two shocks at that time, being about thirty seconds between them. Between that time, twenty years ago, and this quite a number of quakes have been felt, but much lighter and with much less rumble.

Baker City *Enquirer:* Reports from different parts of the country concerning the cold weather of the last few days are that the fruit crop has been severely damaged. At Clark's creek the entire fruit crop had been ruined as well as vegetables. At Express ice was frozen a quarter of an inch in thickness At Huntington the weather was very severe. Perhaps in Baker City the frost did the least damage of any place in Baker county. Here, although a few vegetables were frozen, no damage was done to the fruit.

Among the eccentric bets made before the recent election was one between Mr. C. J. Vanduyn and Mr. Wm. Cantrell, of Tygh valley, as follows: If Judge Thornbury was re-elected Vanduyn would dip Cantrell in Tygh creek five times, and, vice versa if Mr. Blakeley was elected, then Cantrell would do the same by Vanduyn. They propose to carry out the provisions of the bet, and have named June 18th as the date. It is proposed to give a picnic on that day, and to charge 25 cents admission to witness the performance. The receipts will go to the common school fund of Wasco county.

Father Andre, a distinguished French priest, while preaching against the too free indulgence in flirtation among the lady members of his congregation, threatened to divulge the name of one present as being the most culpable in this respect; but feigning to pity her dread of exposure by this means, gave out that in charity he would only throw his skull cap in that direction of the seat occupied by the lady for whom his special remarks were meant. As soon as the preacher raised his hat as though to throw it, every woman in the church is said to have ducked her head.

East Oregonian: Charles Jones, the man who stole a horse and saddle from the stable of J. L. Gulliford, by whom he was employed at Vinson, was seen and captured near Blue Mountain sawmill, Monday, by William Howard, and taken to Alba. He was brought down and lodged in jail Tuesday evening by Jack Tarpie. Jones, it will be remembered, was followed and chased into the brush by "Jap" Gulliford, and compelled to abandon the horse. Jap took a shot at him to frighten him into giving himself up, but he escaped, and had been in hiding until his capture. His brother, John Jones, who had also been employed by Gulliford, and was mixed up in the horse-stealing conspiracy, is also in jail, being brought down Saturday.

East Oregonian: Reports of a deplorable case of poisoning come from the Dry Creek neighborhood, Valley precinct, two little grandchildren of Samuel Johnson, a boy and girl, being the sufferers. Sunday night, their grandmother, Mrs. Johnson, had prepared a dish of sweet corn with "rough on rats" for the purpose of killing squirrels, and unthinkingly placed it in on a corner shelf of the cupboard. Early next morning the children arose, and being hungry, went in search of something to eat. They found the corn, which the boy took out and placed on the table, and were engaged in eating it when Mrs. Johnson came in and discovered the horrifying result of her thoughtlessness. Drs. Bialock and Stone were summoned as quickly as possible, but arrived too late to save the life of the boy, whose condition at last accounts was considered fatal. The girl will probably recover. The boy is a 4-year-old son of Guy Fruit, and the girl a daughter, hardly 2-years-old, of Henry Ramer.

The Eugene *Guard* relates that Sheriff Noland, arrested on a warrant issue by the prosecuting attorney, one L F. Revier, at his home four miles northwest of Eugene, on the river road, on the charge of polygamy. He was taken before Justice Henderson and waived the privilege of a preliminary examination, when he was bound over to appear before the grand jury in the sum of $500. Not having bondsmen he was lodged in the county jail. Revier, the gay lothario, is a man of about 40 years of age, while the second wife is probably 50 years old. The lady is the prosecuting witness herself. She was married to him in November, 1890, in Wisconsin, and was unaware of him having another wife, until a few days ago when wife No. 1, who resides in Minnesota, had divorce papers served on the gay deceiver. Then naturally she made trouble, although he tried to coerce her with all kinds of threats. When she married the scoundrel she was possessed of considerable property, but he has squandered the most of it.

From Friday's Daily.

The river is rising slowly.

The gentle zephyr bloweth.

Mr. R. Sigman, of Dufur, is in the city.

Rain has fallen in small quantities during the day.

Mr. Charles Durbin, of Antelope, is in the city.

The streets are crowded with people from the country.

The official board are canvassing the returns to-day.

Mr. W. Schraeder is lying very sick at his residence in the city.

A large quantity of hay was brought from Mosier last evening on the *Regulator*.

Little Tessie Schraeder, who has been sick with lung fever, is so far improved that she is considered out of danger.

No. 1, killed and injured several horses this morning near Fultonville. Some were so badly hurt that they were killed by a passenger on the train.

Mr. E. M. Shutt, the young man who is interested in the Antelope *Herald*, is in the city to-day. He intends to issue the first number of his paper about the 20th of the present month.

The whale blows water while at play;
Trees blow in every clime;
The sweetest flowers blow in May,
But wind blows all the time,
There's lots of blowing in The Dalles.

There was a rumor on the streets yesterday that the election in one or more of the precincts would be contested on account of irregularity; but we believe no action will be taken by either party in this regard.

The Moon, Paso Robles, Calif., says: Mrs. J. H. Phirman, of Eastern Oregon, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron of Creston, and Miss Edith Stanley of Petaluma, returned home last Tuesday after a few week's visit with friends and relatives at Creston.

In the Indian camp on the Grand Ronde river, says the Asotin, Wash., *Sentinel*, are seventeen marriageable Indian girls, some of whom want white men for husbands, and shun the idea of marrying one of their own race. The father of one of these girls offers an inducement of 200 head of good horses to some young white man that will marry his daughter. The old Indian states that not any hoodlum of a white fellow will do, but he must be a young man of good character and address, and able to provide his wife with a good home.

East Oregonian: The Indian mummies found by Dr. J. W. Morrow in a graveyard near Umatilla, which are remarkable curiosities in their way, were received by him Wednesday night from Kansas City where they had been kept for some time at a medical college. They may be seen by any one at the doctor's office.

The canvassing board in session to-day consists of County Clerk Crossen, Mr. D. E. Thomas, justice of the peace for Dufur precint, and Mr. E. Schutz, justice of the peace East Dalles, with Mr. Ed. Martin and Mr. John Dexter keeping tally. So far as the canvass has proceeded the result does not differ from the figures published in the TIMES-MOUNTAINEER.

The re-election of Hon. W. H. Wilson prosecuting attorney for this district by over 500 majority should be considered in the light of a compliment to that gentleman and a vindication of his capacity in the performance of the duties of the office during the past two years. He was elected the first time by a small majority; but this election has more than doubled the former figures.

Goldendale *Sentinel:* Peter Staack exhibited the finest piece of silver ore which he says he found on the Klickitat river that has ever been exhibited in this county. It is almost pure silver and is imbedded in slate. We do not understand that Mr. Staack discovered a ledge of that rich ore but the piece was picked up. It may have come from some distance up the stream but likely the ledge is very near where the specimen was found.

A deputy sheriff from Whitman county arrived in Pendleton on Tuesday evening's train from The Dalles with a man who is wanted for forgery. The prisoner was allowed to enter the train closet during the trip, and while there slipped off his handcuffs and threw them away. The officer had to subdue him at the point of a revolver afterward. He was kept in the Umatilla county jail Tuesday and taken to Whitman county the next morning.

Mr. William Frazier, of the firm of Godard & Frazier of Portland, will be in the The Dalles Monday and Tuesday, June 13th and 14th, for the purpose of purchasing 55 horses,—25 bay, 25 sorrel, and 5 grey,—all well broke and gentle to go under saddle; from 15 to 16 hands high, and weight from 1000 to 1100 pounds. This will be a rare opportunity for our farmers and horse-breeders to dispose of their animals. d&wje41wk

A fire alarm about 11 o'clock this morning called out the fire department of the city very quickly. The cause was found to be an incipient blaze under some of the outbuildings on the alley in the rear of the corner of Second and Court streets. The wind was blowing quite lively at the time, and if the flame had started there would undoubtedly have been a very disastrous conflagration.

Albany *Herald:* Information was received from Yaquina last evening that the second child of Mrs. Pruett, injured in the hand car accident on the Oregon Pacific Sunday, had died, making four deaths resulting from the collision. Mr. Pruett, it is said, is crazed over the shocking death of his entire family, and had attempted to take his own life. Mrs. Manning is also said to be in a critical condition from hemorrhage caused by injuries received.

Dr. Hugh Logan returned after a month's absence in the east this morning. While away he visited the Missouri State Medical Association at Pertle Spring, the National Association of Railway Surgeons at Old Point Comfort, Va., and spent several days in New York City visiting the various hospitals and attending the post-graduate clinics. The doctor reports having a very pleasant and profitable time, never missing an opportunity to note the advancement made in the profession of which he is an earnest and enthusiastic disciple; but was glad to return to his old home in The Dalles, which, he says, is more attractive than any place he has visited.

PURE FOOD IN CONGRESS.

Action Which has Resulted in the Official Determination of the Best Baking Powder.

The act of congress authorizing the examination of the baking powders has resulted in a most unprecedented compliment to the Royal Baking Powder. The tests were made in the government laboratory at Washington, and the official report shows that the Royal is superior to all others in leavening strength—being over thirty per cent. above the average. The report also shows the purity of the Royal Powder and the wholesomeness of its ingredients.

This is probably the highest compliment of an official character ever paid to a proprietary article, though no more than the great army of baking powder consumers would expect in behalf of their old friend and favorite.

The result of the official examination, as thus determined, will, of course, make the "Royal" the standard for government purchases.

Gilliam County.

The following is the official count of the vote:

Supreme Judge—A S Bennett, 508; F A Moore, 349; Will H Walker, 17; Benj P Welch, 11.

Attorney General—Geo E Chamberlain, 389; Lionel R Webster, 464.

Congress—C J Bright, 18; W R Ellis, 478; J C Luce, 34; J H Slater, 354.

Circuit Judge—W L Bradshaw, 465; Geo Watkins, 441.

District Attorney—J F Moore, 334; W H Wilson, 573.

State Board of Equalization—W Hughes, 451; J L Luckey, 450.

Joint Senator—G W Rinehart, 343; W W Steiwer, 564.

Representative—L J Goodrich, 472; J H Wood, 427.

Commissioner—P C Martin, 390; J R Ralston, 504.

Sheriff—R M Johnson, 281; W L Wilcox, 624.

Clerk—J P Lucas, 556; C A Shurte, 351.

Assessor—H C Dodson, 417; V Wheeler, 480.

Treasurer—H Halstead, 496; G L Neale, 396.

School Superintendent—W W Kennedy, 450; L Parker, 455.

Surveyor—T L Stewart, 741.

Letters Advertised.

The following is the list of letters remaining in The Dalles postoffice uncalled for Saturday, June 11, 1892. Persons calling for these letters will please give the date on which they were advertised.

Beayis, Geo A	Bentley, L
Brown, "Shingle Mill"	Browiss, Josie
Claterbos, W J	Connoway, J M (2)
Determing, G E	Fuller, J M & Co
Fulful, Mrs Mary	Gaff, Frank
Geslund, Fred	Guber, Anton
Haskell, G A	Ingham, Fred
Jansen, Abertt	Larzl, John & Co
Lovejoy, John	Smith, Mrs Kate
Smith, U P R R	Wehmer, A W
	Wells, G T

M. T. NOLAN, P. M.

Crook County.

Returns from ten precincts give Bright 7, Ellis 226, Luce 19, Slater 289, Bennett 388, Moore 161, Walker 19, Welch 3, Chamberlain 293, Webster 173. Eleven precincts give Bradshaw 457, Watkins 189, J. F. Moore 397, Wilson 244. There are nine precincts yet to hear from, and only one of these is Republican. Judge Brodshaw's majority will reach fully 300.

Notice.

On and after Sunday, June 12th, I will open the Neptune Shaving and Bathing Parlors from 7 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays, and close on Saturday nights at 9 P. M.

CHAS. FRAZER,
No. 110 Front Street, The Dalles.

Scranton *Republic:* The public debt statement for April, notwithstanding the prating of the Democratic organs about a deficiency, shows a cash balance of $126,000,000 in the Treasury. The only comfort the Democrats can extract from the statement is that there is $4,000,000 less cash than there was a month ago. Bankruptcy does not yet stare Uncle Sam in the face.

A Terrible Accident.

Albany Democrat.

Yesterday morning Wm. M. Hoag, of the Oregon Pacific, was taken to Yaquina Bay on a special train. E. W. Beeman had charge of the train, with C. H. Laughead in charge of the engine, and Jud Ross as fireman. As the train rounded the curve at bridge 11 about 4½ miles this side of Yaquina City the engineer was horrified to see a hand car load of people just in front of the train. He reversed the engine and turned the sand box on to the rails; but it was too late, the engine struck the loaded car amid the screeches and cries of the occupants. The car was carrying Mr. Pruett, the section boss, his wife and several little children, Mr. Manning, the blacksmith, wife and children, and Mr. Jake Devine, eleven in all. They were on an excursion trip up the road, and did not hear the usual whistle of the engine as it approached. Mr. Pruett instantly put on the brakes. This act instantly threw Mrs. Pruett, who was sitting on the front of the car, directly off under the approaching train. The rest were raised from the track and thrown to one side. Mrs. Pruett's head was cut off, also both legs, and her body was rolled in a ball under the engine, presenting a horrible spectacle. Mr. Pruett and Mr. Devine were practically uninjured; but it was feared the former might go insane from grief. A 5-year-old boy of Mr. Pruett had one leg broken and a foot mashed, so badly as to require amputation, and may die. He is said to have stood the pains in a very heroic manner. A 2-year-old child had a terrible hole made in the head, and died to day. Mr. Manning had one leg broken, and his wife an arm broken, was injured internally, and had one side paralyzed. A little girl of theirs was killed, making at least three fatalities, and probably four by the accident. Surgeons were sent for—Drs. Rich, Davis and Smith responding—and all done that was possible for the unfortunate people. The accident is the worst in the history of the road, as terrible as often occurs. No blame was attached to those in charge of the train. It is strange that it was not known that a special was coming. The accident cast a deep gloom over the bay country.

Baldwin Precinct.

From Thursday's Daily.

The vote of Baldwin precinct, which we received to-day through the courtesy of Mr. John Cradlebaugh, editor of the *Glacier*, is as follows:

Supreme Judge—A S Bennett, 16; F A Moore, 6; Will H Walker, 1; Benjamin P Welch, 1.

Attorney General—Geo E Chamberlain, 14; Lionel R Webster, 10.

Congress—W R Ellis, 12; James H Slater, 12.

Circuit Judge—W L Bradshaw, 14; Geo Watkins, 10.

Prosecuting Attorney—J F Moore, 12; W H Wilson, 12.

State Board of Equalization—W Hughes 10; J L Luckey, 14.

State Senator, 18th district—G W Rinehart, 15; W W Steiwer, 9.

State Senator, 17th district—Hibbard S McDanel, 10; J A Smith, 14.

Joint Representatives—S F Blythe, 12; E N Chandler, 10; Thos R Coon, 13; H E Moore, 8.

County Judge—George C Blakeley, 10; Caleb N Thornbury, 14,

Clerk—J B Crossen, 12; J M Huntington, 11.

Sheriff—C P Balch, 11; T A Ward, 12.

Treasurer—W K Corson, 12; W Michell, 11.

Commissioner—J M Darnielle, 15; H A Leavens, 8.

Assessor—J W Koontz, 7; George T Prather, 10.

School Superintendent—E P FitzGerald, 1; Troy Shelly, 21.

Coroner—N M Eastwood, 9; J W Moore, 14.

Surveyor—E F Sharp, 10; P P Underwood, 13.

The County.

The following is the total vote in this county, with the exception of those cast in Baldwin precinct:

Supreme Judge—Bennett, 1320; F A Moore, 650; Will H Walker, 58; Benj P Welch, 42.

Attorney General—G E Chamberlain, 1040; L R Webster, 1081.

Congress—C J Bright, 83; W R Ellis, 1073; J C Luce, 106; J H Slater, 692.

Circuit Judge—Bradshaw, 1017; Watkins, 1215.

Prosecuting Attorney—Moore, 884; Wilson, 1253.

State Board of Equalization—W Hughes, 925; J L Lucky, 1197.

State Senator, 18th district—G W Rinehart; 949; W W Stiewer, 1175.

State Senate, 7th district—H S McDanel, 1051; J A Smith, 1037.

Joint Representative—S F Blythe, 886; E N Chandler, 1145; T R Coon, 1002; H E Moore, 974.

County Judge—G C Blakeley, 1131; C N Thornbury, 870.

Clerk—J B Crossen, 1071; J M Huntington, 1061.

Sheriff—C P Balch, 938; T A Ward, 1177.

Treasurer—W K Corson, 1041; Wm Michell, 1065.

Commissioner—T M Darnielle, 1079; H A Leavens, 1007.

Assessor—J W Koontz, 1144; George T Prather, 956.

School Superintendent—E P Fitzgerald, 808; Troy Shelly, 1303.

Coroner—N N Eastwood, 1218; J W Moore, 939.

Surveyor—E F Sharp, 1214; P P Underwood, 1006.

The Election.

The latest returns from the state indicate the election of the Republican ticket by about the usual majority. In Multnomah county, some on the local Independent ticket were elected, but it gave about 2000 majority on state and district officials.

The latest news from Sherman point to the success of the Republican ticket by majorities ranging from 35 to 125. The legislative ticket has about 80 majority.

Gilliam county is slightly Republican; but Bradshaw, Democratic candidate for circuit judge, has a majority from 30 to 35.

By the most careful estimate, Watkins, Republican candidate for circuit judge, leaves Gilliam, Sherman and Wasco counties with 150 majority, and no word is heard from Crook, which must be received by stage. As Prineville, the county seat, is 125 miles distant, it will be impossible to receive the returns until this evening. In all counties heard from, Wilson, Republican candidate for prosecuting attorney, has received large majorities, which cannot be overcome by any majority which his opponent may receive in Crook.

Break A Horse.

W. W. Statesman.

Frank Singleton met with an accident Sunday about noon which nearly caused his death, and which may yet result fatally. Mr. Singleton had caught a wild horse for the purpose of breaking him. He tied a rope around the animal's neck, when the horse became unmanageable and Mr. Singleton placed the rope around a rail in the fence. This seemed to make the animal more furious and he began plunging in the air very wildly, and suddenly it made a rush towards Mr. Singleton, and endeavoring to get out of the way he was thrown against the fence, one end of the rail striking him on the left side of the head felling him to the ground. He was picked up in an unconscious condition and carried into the house. Dr. N. G. Bialock was called in and upon examination it was found that his skull was crushed in a frightful manner and his face and left ear bruised very badly. Mr. Singleton rested very easily last night and this morning regained consciousness and appeared to be slightly improved. It was a close call, and the physician says that it is impossible to state whether he will fully recover or not.

The State Analysis.

"For purity and care in preparation the Royal Baking Powder equals any in the market, and our test shows that it has greater leavening power than any of which we have any knowledge."

W. B. Rising

Prof. Chemistry, University of California, and State Analyst.

"From actual analysis made by me, I pronounce the Royal Baking Powder to be the strongest and purest baking powder before the public."

W. T. Wenzell M. D.,

Prof. Chemistry, Cal. College of Pharmacy of the University of California, Chemist State Board of Horticulture, etc.

OREGON WEATHER SERVICE,

In Co-operation With U. S Weather Bureau, of the Department of Agriculture.

Central Office Portland, Oregon. Crop-Weather Bulletin, No. 10, for week ending Tuesday, June 7, 1892:

Reports throughout the state indicate that the cereal crop will not be up to that of last year neither in quantity or quality, though the general prospects for this year's crop are above the average; this is due to the poor condition of the soil when summer fallowed in 1891, to the cool, wet and buckward spring.

The fruit crop will be short in every portion of the state, due to the frosts and cold rains of April. The hop crop bids fair to be an average one, while the hop lice are making their appearance, indicating ravages by them as bad as last year, unless checked. The hay crop, grain, clover, timothy and alfalfa will be unusually large, due to the rains and temperature since March 1st. The lamb crop and wool clip are unusually large, while the latter is of excellent quality.

EASTERN OREGON.

Weather—Cooler temperature, with occasional showers or light sprinkles of rain and partly cloudy weather have prevailed. Frosts were general south of the Columbia River valley on the 2d, doing some damage to potatoes, fruit, corn and cereals. Ice formed in many localities. Brisk, dry winds have prevailed.

Crops—The cool weather has been very beneficial to wheat, allowing the fall wheat to head more fully, and assisting the spring wheat to a better stand and helping both to recoup from the effects of the hot weather of May 22d and 24th. Some of the wheat has been blighted, though a good general rain would do much to counteract the injury done. In the Grand Ronde valley there appears to have been no damage done and all prospects are good. The wheat crop will be short in Umatilla county and westward to the Cascades, unless more rain falls within two weeks. Royal Ann cherries are ripening at The Dalles. The general fruit interests are about an average, and with favorable weather a fair crop will be secured.

The cool weather has checked the melting of the snow in the mountains and all rivers have been falling, though slowly, for five days.

B. S. PAGUE,
Observer U. S. Weather-Bureau.

FROM MINNEAPOLIS.

Convention Effects Permanent Organization by the Election of Mr. Wm. McKinley, Jr., Chairman.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 8.—The chairman of committee on permanent organization, reported Wm. McKinley, jr., as permanent chairman.

McKinley took the platform in the convention amid the loudest cheering.

The convention adjourned to 11 A. M. to-morrow, for committee work.

McKinley's election is a victory for Harrison men, and may spoil McKinley's chances for office.

The Convention.

MINNEAPOLIS, June 9.—Convention Hall, 11:10 A. M. The convention is slowly assembling. It is said on good authority that the committee on credentials will be ready to report at 8 o'clock to-night. It is further said that an attempt will be made to retire the convention, and have contests decided on the floor of the convention, in order to get a test vote as to the strength of rival candidates.

Committee called to order at 11:12 A. M.

Chairman of committee on credentials, asks for further time, says they are still in session, and hopes to be able to report at 8 P. M.

At 11:17 A. M. convention took place.

Senator Cullom offered resolution that Columbia Exhibition be considered a great national undertaking, and that congress take such action as may be proper to carry this out.

11:39 A. M. recess taken to 8 o'clock this evening. More at 6 P. M.

London *Telegraph:* A retired diplomatist the Viscount de Grouchy, has discovered among the papers of a notary in Paris several highly interesting documents relating to the affairs of the poet Racine. Among them are his certificate of marriage and the inventory of his property and of his library. If is hoped that a careful examination of these papers will set at rest a long-standing dispute as to which of two houses that both claim the distinction was the scene of Racine's death. The documents completely refute the prevailing idea that Racine died poor, as among them is an acknowledgment of a debt of 20,000 francs from a prince. Curiously enough, the inventory of the library shows that at the time of his death Racine did not possess a single copy of any of his own works.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Sherman County.

GRANT, Or., June 7.—Complete returns for Sherman county, with the exception of Monkland and Kent precincts, are: Supreme judge, Bennet dem, 340, Moore, rep, 217; attorney-general, Chamberlain, dem, 276, Webster, rep, 375; congressman, Ellis, rep, 312, Slater, dem, 191, Luce, people's, 50; circuit judge seventh district, Bradshaw, dem, 314, Watkins, rep, 349; prosecuting attorney, Moore, dem, 252, Wilson, rep, 411; state board of equalization, Hughes, dem, 296, Lucky, rep, 355; state senator for Wasco, Gilliam and Sherman counties, Rhinehart, dem, 270; Steiwer, rep, 374; state senator Wasco and Sherman counties' McDanel, rep, 327, Smith, dem, 346. Joint representatives, Wasco and Sherman counties, Blythe, dem, 260, Moore, dem, 322, Chandler, rep, 319, Coon, rep, 333. The precincts not in from Sherman county are near the home of Mc Daniel, and will doubtless make good his shortage, and, with Mosier republican as anticipated, the entire resublican legislative ticket is safe. The Sherman county republican ticket is elected, with the exception of judge and clerk.

A Wife-Murderer Hanged.

WILKESBAKE, Pa., June 7.—Edward McMillian, a Scotch miner, aged 51, was hanged here to-day for murdering his wife on February 20, 1891, while both were drunk. He pierced the woman's body in many places with red hot tongs. He died penitent.

To Be Court-Martialed.

WILMINGTON, Del., June 7.—Lieutenant James H. Hetherington, U. S. N., who shot and killed an English banker named Robinson on the streets of Yokohama, has been ordered to Washington to stand a court-martial trial.

Sidney Dillon Dead.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Sidney Dillon died at 11:10 o'clock this morning at his residence, 23 West Fifty-seventh street. He had been lying ill for several days.

For those desiring to attend Republican and Democratic conventions in Chicago and Minneapolis, the Union Pacific Railroad Company have placed on sale round trip tickets to either of the above named points at the very low rate of one fare for the round trip over any direct line in both directions. These tickets are to be sold only for trains arriving at Minneapolis on June 5th and 6th, at Chicago on June 19th and 20th. Return portion to be limited to 30 days from date of sale. For further information call on, or apply to E. E. Lytle, Agent. d&w16my-15jun

NEW TO-DAY.

1776 GRAND 1892

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

The people of The Dalles will suitably observe the 116th anniversary of American independence by a

GRAND PARADE

of all military and civic societies, including a Triumphal Liberty Car, Trades Procession, Indians in War Costume, Calathumpians, Pug Uglies, Etc.

The great feature of the day will be the

HOSE : TOURNAMENT!

In which six well-drilled companies will compete for prizes.

BAND CONTESTS AND COMPETITIVE DRILLS

By the Military Companies for medals.

Bicycle races, Base ball, Foot ball, and other sports which will make the day one full of enjoyment.

THE STEAMER REGULATOR.

Will give an excursion on the Columbia during the day, also one during the evening, from 7 to 9 o'clock, returning in time for the

FIREWORKS,

Which will be on a scale of magnificence grander than has ever before been witnessed in Eastern Oregon.

The people of The Dalles are putting forth every effort to make this occasion the grandest celebration of our Natal Day ever attempted in the Inland Empire, and they invite everybody to come and join with them in making it a grand success.

One of the leading orators of Portland has been engaged to deliver an oration, and all the best vocal and instrumental music of the city has been secured for literary exercises and procession.

TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
The Dalles, Or, June 3, 1892

Notice is hereby given that Charles C Cooper, of The Dalles, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make final proof before register and receiver at their office in The Dalles, Or, on Friday, the 22d day of July, 1892, on timber culture application No. 3141, for the s½ of section 28, tp 2 n, r 15 east.

He names as witnesses: John Dalrymple, William H Odell, James Fulton, Fred Wickman, all of The Dalles, Oregon.

JOHN W LEWIS,
June11 Register.

Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, on the 1st day of June, 1892, in the suit wherein H. H. Wakefield is plaintiff and L. S. Rive is defendant, to me directed, commanding me to satisfy said demands, and in obedience thereto I levied upon and will sell the following described land, subject to redemption, to-wit: the SW¼, Sec. 20, Tp. 1 north, Range 14 East W. M., in Wasco county, State of Oregon, on

Saturday, the 2d day of July, 1892,

At the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house door in Dalles City, in said county and state, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the defendant's right, title and interest to the above described lands, to satisfy the sum of $296.90, and $40 as attorney's fees; also the further sum of $24.10 costs, with interest on the said amounts since the 24th day of May, 1892, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, together with costs and accruing costs herein.

Dated this 3d day of June, 1892.

D. L. CATES,
June4-4d Sheriff of Wasco County, Or.

Everything Was All Right.

New York Sun.

The major had invited me to go out with him to his plantation, and we were skirting a field where a number of old stumps had been set on fire, when he suddenly stopped, sniffed the air, and inquired:

"Can't you smell something roasting yere?"

"Yes, there is a queer smell."

"Smells like a piece of old cowhide thrown into the fire?"

"Yes."

"Smells like that old piece of cowhide had got all frizzled up?"

"Yes. Is anything wrong?"

"Not just yet, but something will be sorter wrong if I don't find that onery nigger who's seeing after these fires. I reckon he's over by the dead trees."

We walked over to the place designated, and there on the ground, lying on the broad of his back, with his hands locked under his neck, was a negro fast asleep. Instead of boots he had rags on, and the rags on both feet were afire, and evidently had been for a long time.

"Boy! Boy! Oh, Boy!" called the major as he touched him with his boot.

"Wha—what's the rumpus, Mars Thompson?" stammered the negro as he sat up and looked around.

"Yo'r feet are on fire!"

"Come—stir around or yo'll be laid up."

"Yes, sah—yes sir—I'ze gwine ter be movin' right away, but deir's no cause fur to get excited, Mars Thompson. Dem ar feet must a got afiah dis mawnin', but de fiah hain't dun worked down frew de first layer o' chilblains yit! Plenty o' time if I doan do nuffin before evenin'."

Notice to Ice Consumers.

As manager of The Dalles Ice Co., I wish to contradict the statement made that I was only acting as agent for an outside company. I own one-half interest in the company, and will sell ice this year and for years to come, and should a crop of