

Occasionally one can read a Democratic paper that is not so completely wedded to its principles but that it can do justice to the Republican party and what it has done for the country, and we quote the following to demonstrate the fact that the East Oregonians do not believe the party was "born in sin and shapened in iniquity."

Many Republicans now seem to think that the Democratic victory was due to the McKinley bill, Bill McKinley and the Force bill. These three Williams did have something to do with it, but are not mainly responsible for the defeat, it being largely due to the insincerity, incompetency and general carelessness of Republican leaders of the present, who are mostly recruits from the ranks of shyster lawyers, political tricksters and corporation servants. The people took faith, temporarily at least, in the Republican party because these "pampered" politicians had complete control of it. With new leaders and a return to sound Republican principles, the party will once more renew its old-time enthusiasm and assume its old-time grandeur.

The masses of the E. politicians party, with the exception of those who are purchased by undesired pension money, unearned profits through a high protective tariff, and the emoluments of office, are true as steel to the best interests of the country and defenders of good government, having a formed valuable devices for greater freedom and better conditions in the past. Many of these men voted the Democratic ticket this year, which is the reason of the great victory over which we rejoice.

When our cotemporary speaks about "political tricksters" we desire to remind the editor that Tammany managed the successful Democratic campaign this year, and we do not believe a more corrupt ring of politicians ever disgraced free institutions in any country. Speaking of "corporation servants and shyster lawyers," there is no doubt that our friend, the enemy, is not entirely clear of their contaminating influence.

There was another outbreak at Homestead Saturday, and bullets flew freely for a while. Some non-union negroes were assaulted by strikers, and they defended themselves as white men would under the same circumstances. Of course now that the force bill has been voted down our colored citizens must learn the many art of self-defense. In other countries, under monarchical forms of government, they are allowed the privilege of working at any employment at which they can earn a living; but it is doubtful whether they have this right in the United States, without they are members of the union. They were freed in 1863 and given the ballot some years later; but "an Ethiopian change his spots or a Chian his color" and their inability to do the latter appears to be a crime at Homestead, and in other portions of the country.

We received Monday from Mr. Albert A. Pope, of Boston, Mass., copies of a petition to congress for the establishment of a road department, an institute of road engineering and permanent road exhibit in the city of Washington. The object of this is to secure better roads in the country, and the needs of Eastern Oregon in this regard are apparent to every resident. We hope our people will favorably consider this petition, and that it will receive the signature of every one interested in the development of this portion of the state. The routes by which farmers are forced to haul their produce to markets are of sufficient importance to warrant the establishment of a department at the seat of government devoted to that purpose, and the institute of road engineering would furnish intelligent men who would be competent to construct highways.

Hon. D. P. Thompson has received and accepted the appointment as minister to Turkey, and will leave Oregon for Constantinople about December 1st. He has been a very successful business man in this state, and was at one time governor of Idaho, and will no doubt fill the position with credit to himself and the nation. Hon. Sol Hirsch resigned the portfolio some time since, and on the recommendation of Senators Dolph and Mitchell President Harrison tendered the office to Mr. Thompson. Our relations with the Ottoman empire are of the most friendly character, and this gentleman, who will represent the country at that court, is a sufficient diplomat not to impair these.

We hope the Democratic party will pursue the same liberal policy towards public improvements that Republicans have done. The rivers and harbors of the northwest need government aid and improvements, and money expended in this way is not wasted. Every dollar spent to open rivers is a benefit to the producer, and stimulates the development of the country, besides opening avenues of employment to laborers. It is not economy to hoard unnecessary millions in the public treasury when the demands of business and the necessities of the country require money.

A Bad Accident. Friday night about 9:30 the word was rapidly sent down Main street in Baker City from the fire station that a man was killed by a runaway team. A Democrat reporter hurried to the scene and found a stranger lying in the driveway of the stable bleeding profusely from the head and his general appearance indicating that he was badly injured. When a crowd congregated none knew him and no one seemed inclined to offer any assistance to the unfortunate. At this juncture a good Samaritan appeared in the person of P. Nische, who had the man conveyed to his room, where shortly after Dr. Doxon attended him. After a careful examination the physician found no bones broken, the man's injuries being an abrasion of the head, scalp and shoulder, and no bad results likely to follow. The man was soon identified as Professor Dominick Morrell, a piano tuner and

musicalian. The cause of the accident was the result of drunkenness and the man in that state falling from the seat in his buggy heading between the front wheel and bed, his limbs becoming entangled in the undercarriage of the vehicle. He was dragged nearly the whole length of Main street, the single horse he was driving owned by Mr. Grier, making direct to the stables and entering the driveway at a rapid gait, when he was stopped by an employe of the barn.

ROOD RIVER ITEMS. The total vote in this precinct was 319, a gain of 26 since June, and this too with a large number of voters having moved with the mill to Glenwood. The vote represents a gain of at least 100 since June.

The Old barn, 25 tons of hay and 250 bushels of barley, were burned Wednesday evening. Mill Olell had gone into the barn to take care of his horses, when one of them kicked the lantern over and this flames spread so rapidly they could not be controlled. The loss is a serious one, as outside of the value destroyed which will amount to at least \$700, the hay is hard to replace.

Monday night home party or parties broke into Dal's place by prying up the back window. Whoever it was got away with 200 cigars, about ten gallons of whiskey and a lot of bottled beer. Besides this they took a lot of empty beer bottles filling them with whiskey from the barrels. Dal is anxious to have the demijohns, bottles and cigar boxes returned so that they can be filled again.

Jack the Indian, had a fight here Sunday, caused by too much bug-juice, and got the worst of it. Monday he went home to White Salmon and got even, just like some of his civilized white brethren would have done, by beating his wife. He knocked her down and jumped on her until he got tired, and thinking he had killed her skipped out, and up to date has not been caught. The squaw remained unconscious for nearly 24 hours, but will recover.

The Hero Returns. Major Joseph Magone, the veteran hero who left here on the morning of July 4th to walk to Chicago, accomplished his journey in less time than he allotted to himself to make the trip, and returned home last Saturday evening—just four months and one day from the time he started.

The old gentleman, who is over eighty years of age, walked every inch of the distance to the world's fair city, and was there in ample time to witness the dedicatory exercises on October 31. When he had his pedestrian garb and donned his best suit of clothes, he topped off by swallow-tail coat and high silk hat, his long flowing white beard and hair, gave Mr. Magone a venerable appearance, so marked that he must have resembled a senator or a bloated bondholder, judging from circumstances which followed.

Chicago is infested with a band of bomb-throwers and snuff-baggers, who are constantly howling for an equal distribution of wealth. They differ from some other classes of howlers, for they work as well as howl. One of them felted our major to the earth one night for the evident purpose of sharing his wealth. Major still carries the scar made by the would-be assassin's club, but his life was spared. He came home in a palaco car—the end of the E. V. R.—and is to-day the hero of the longest pleasure walk on record. He set out to walk against time, and conquered, with several weeks to spare. He returns home hale and hearty, and as spry as a schoolboy. Long live the major!

In Trouble Again. Heppner Case. J. L. Jones, the young lad who robbed the Douglas postoffice recently, is in trouble here. After getting out of the Douglas scrape he came to Heppner, and went to work for a while in the Douglas barber shop. He soon got handy with his fingers, and the neighboring towns suffered. He finally took a pair of boots, for which he was arrested Saturday evening, and put into the city jail. On Sunday morning he was found outside with one of the back windows open, and it is thought he had been in this. He did not try to get away, but complained of being cold, and said he wanted to get where it was warmer. He was put back into one of the cells, and Monday morning had his examination before Justice Hallcock, who sentenced him to two months in the county jail, but will endeavor to get Ira Powers to take him. He would have been sent to the reform school, but that institution is full to overflowing. Young Jones is only fifteen years of age, and claims to be of orphan boy. He is going the rapid road to ruin, and ought to be stopped.

Official Returns. The following are the returns from this county, as canvassed by the county clerk and Justices Schutz and A. S. Roberts: Republican—Caples, 1059; Daines, 1065; Irwin, 1067; Miller, 1068. Democrat—Bastler, 497; Colvig, 512; Noland, 512; Pierce, 527. Populist—Burleigh, 507; Galvanc, 499; Holt, 502. Prohibition—Black, 66; Norton, 65; Lucas, 67; Parker, 67.

Union Pacific System. The Democrats of Oregon having decided to hold their grand ratification meeting at Portland Thursday, November 17th, the U. P. railway will sell round trip tickets at the very low rate of \$3.45. Tickets good going, leaving The Dalles 4:22 p. m. Nov. 16th, and 3:05 a. m. Nov. 17th, returning from Portland on any regular train up and including Nov. 18th. E. E. LITTLE, Agent.

An immigrant family by the name of Miller had a serious accident near the summit of the mountains Tuesday, says the La Grande Chronicle. The wagon was upset and Mrs. Miller and her daughter received serious injuries. They were both caught under the wagon, the young lady having her arm broken and an ankle dislocated. Mrs. Miller was badly bruised about the spine. The young lady was brought down to La Grande Wednesday by Dr. Bacon for medical treatment. A substantial purse of money was left by the railroad employes and others to assist her in their misfortune.

Executors Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that I have been appointed by the Honorable County Court of Wasco County, Oregon, as executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. M. B. Lewis, late said county and state. All persons having claims against the said estate are to present them to me, personally, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, which shall be published in The Dalles National Bank, in The Dalles, Oregon, on the 19th day of November, 1922. JOHN W. LEWIS, Executor of said estate.

A Foxy story. An eastern paper has the following: Jason Lunt of Kennebunkport, tells a foxy story worth hearing: A few years ago he caught a young fox, built a pen for him out of a hoghead and kept him tied up with a codline around his neck. He made quite a pet of the animal which became quite tame, but the mother fox used to come around every night and keep the household awake, barking for her young one. One morning he went out to look after his pet and found a good sized hound gnawed in the hoghead and the codline bitten off close to the young fox's neck, and the animal gone. Soon after there were stories in the neighborhood of a remarkably bold or tame fox which would come in a door yard in the day time and make off with chickens. Nearly two years afterward Mr. Lunt lost a number of chickens from foxes, and set a trap and one morning found that he had caught the chicken thief. It was a good sized fox and a remarkably fat one, and while Mr. Lunt was feeling around the animal's neck and admiring its condition his fingers came in contact with what seemed to be a collar on the left of the animal's neck. He had curiosity enough to find out what it was, and cut the double turn of a codline which proved it to be the same fox he had had for a pet two years before.

A connoisseur, who is desirous of accomplishing great reforms in various methods, perpetrates the following: "The perfect fish should be soundless. He should feel grow heavy in his arms and his eyelids should droop till the lashes half cover his eyes, his breaths coming in a sigh through his nostrils. First he should be beautiful to look upon before a love, and be grown the more luscious, the more powerful and the more beautiful his lips cover her. With the entrace his strength goes. When it is over she smiles a love and holds his head close in her arms. This is as a kiss should be. The man is seldom to blame if a kiss is given. She is not experienced, and, besides, she is a virgin. It is usually the girl who is experienced—well, that is not as it should be, either."

Instructions have been received at Arlington from Boston wool men to the effect that they will not make any more advances on account. The presence of free wool has knocked the bottom out of the market, and those who have made advances will be happy when they see their own gain. The Burlington Sheep & Lard Company are rejoicing that it disposed of the greater part of its clip before the trouble came, and is now saving on cutting down expenses and looking forward to marketing more cotton sheep. This company employs 30 or 40 herdsmen, and has one of the largest herds of sheep in the country. It believes it to grasp the situation by the wool.

The growing city of Heppner is without a night force of policemen, and, in consequence, thefts are quite frequent. This is what the Gazette says: "On Tuesday night someone entered the cellar of E. Minor, taking away two dozen cans of fruit. We are informed that nothing else is missing. Puffing is getting to be too common in Heppner. Heppner should have a regular night policeman, for it is too much to ask of the marshal to work night and day. There is need of this change, and the sooner that it is done the better."

The Princeton News is attempting to stir the baseballists of that town to some activity, and says: "Very little interest seems to be taken in the base ball game that is to be played here in the near future between the Antelope and Princeton clubs. Boys get more out of the visitors will carry off the purse for it is a known fact that they put up a great ball." Boys, these days, are too cool and disinterested for base ball. Postpone the game until next summer, and then it will be fun.

The Antelope Herald says: "A newspaper man in every instance like other people. He respects his friends, appreciates a kindness and is always willing to return a favor. In another respect he resembles his fellow men—he will not continue to put a man on the back, but let a good man be, he has much he has done for the town and give him a free business puff every week, when that man will not, through personal prejudice or otherwise, aid in supporting the paper. In other words he stands by the man who stands by him."

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County Treasurer's Notice. All county warrants registered prior to April 1, 1922, will be paid if presented at my office, corner Third and Washington streets, between 10 and 11 o'clock a. m. and after this date. The Dalles, Oct. 31, 1922. WILLIAM MICHELL, Treasurer Wasco County, Oregon.

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