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Democratic State Ticket.

For Presidential Electors, W. H. EFFISCER, of Multhomah, W. R. BILYOU, of Linn, E. R. SKIPWORTH, of Umatilla. For Congress, - - - Jons M. GEARIN.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

For Prosecuting Attorney, T. H. CRAWFORD

COUNTY TICKET.

For Joint Senator with Wallowa. 3. RINEHART, of Union. L. B. RINEHART. For Joint Senator with Umatilla. · · of Umatilla, For Representatives. of Union, W. H. HUFFMAN. - of Union, TUBNER OLIVER. - of Summerville, W. H. HUPFMAN. For Sheriff, D. A. MCALISTER, of La Grande. For Clerk, of La Grande A. T. NEILL, For Treasurer, of Union. E. C. BRAINARD, For Assessor, N. B. BOWMAN, -- of North Powder. For Commissioners, J. K. P. Hannis, - of Summerville, S. T. SENOR, - - of Cornucopia. For Superintendent of Schools, OLIVER, of Summerville. C. E. OLIVER,

For Coroner, A. C. CRAIG, of Union. For Surveyor, of Union. EUGENE CHASE.

Republican State Ticket,

For Presidential Electors, C. W. FULTON, of Clatsop, WM. KAPUS, of Multhomah, ROBERT MCLEAN, of Josephine.

For Congress, - - - BINGER HERMANN. For Supreme Judge, - - - W. P. LORD.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

For Judge, JAMES A. FEE. For Prosecuting Attorney, - J. L. RAND.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Joint Senator with Wallows, of Summerville. J. W. NORVAL, For Joint Senator with Umatilla, A. R. MATTOON, - Of La Grande, For Representatives, CHAS. GOODNOUCH, of Island City, J. L. ROE, - of Summerville. For Sheriff, of Summerville. A. N. HAMILTON, For Clerk. J. T. WILLIAMSON. of Union. For Commissioners, JOHN MCDONALD, - of Summerville, GRORDE BENNEHOFF, - of Eagle,

For Superintendent of Schools, of Island City J. L. CARTER, For Surveyor, of North Powder, J. W. KIMBRELL, -

For Assessor, of Indian Valley, J. D. GUILD, For Coroner, of Sammerville. B. D. HUBERS.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The truth about the tariff business is that a few manufacturers and monop-EDITOR, olists are benefitted and every body else injured by it. These protected cently closed a series of meetings in noblemen want to strut about the this city, is not such as will commend streets of our cities, dressed in fine itself to the more thoughtful of our English suits, making twenty-five per people. A resolve made under press-Friday, May 18th, 1888, cent on their invested capital, while use brought to bear by importuning other people go dressed in rags and friends, is rarely lasting, and a pledge are starving for the necessrries of taken while under a state of excitelife,

and Wallowa counties, will be elected For Supreme Jduge, - . Joux BEANETT, in spite of the severe opposition and detestable methods made to defeat him. He is honest and capable, and For Judge, - - - - W. M. RAMSEY. by serving a second term will be better able to work more effectively for his constituents than his opponent who has been before the people so many times and always been defeated .- Wallowa Signal.

> frage has come up in the Methodist general conference and after a long and carnest discussion women delegates have been denied an opportunity to participate in the proceedings of the conference. Insistuch as nine-tenths of the members of that church are women, an ardent friend suggests that whole church hereafter.

> The publication of dates for public speakers in "The Only," of Portland, so far as the interior counties are concerned, is time and money wasted. town, Wednesday, and was surprised Verily "The Only" is a great advertis-"influence" in political matters is equally as great.

WHY IS IT?

In discussing the merits of the various candidates now in the field for county offices, why is it that the aspirants for the office of clerk and sheriff receive the greatest amount of attention, when, really, they are of less consequence to the people than almost any of the others? The clerk and sheriff have certain duties laid down for them, and are under bonds to faithfully perform the same, and the people have nothing to lose or gain thereby. Notwithstanding this is true, as every one must know who will reflect a moment, the strife is centered on these two, while the far more important offices of commissioner and as-

TEMPERANCE REFORMS.

The style of temperance work adopted by Mr. Milo P. Ward, who rement, in nine cases out of ten, is broken as soon as the influence under Hon, L. B. Rinehart, the democratic which it was given is withdrawn, and nominee for joint senator for Union to those who thus backslide, the knowledge of broken promises and ontraged honor cannot but have a demoralizing effect, The hallelujah, campaneeting style of appealing to the emotions, rather than to the reason, in working for needed reforms is not to be commended, and that our people failed to enthuse under the exhortations of Mr. Ward, is much to their credit. We believe that Union is as moral a town, and contains as many The great question of woman suf- earnest temperance people, according to its size as can be found anywhere. The statement of Mr. Ward that Union was the most intemperate place he had ever encountered, is an injustice to us, and must lay him open to criticism. If the statement is true, then we must at once conclude that the evil of intemperance has not assumed such gigantic proportions as many believe they withdraw and let the men run the it has, and heroic measures for its suppression are not necessary at this time. A drunken man is rarely seen in Union, the city jail has been without a tenant for a long time and our city recorder has not been called upon to try a case for many months. Mr. Although the date on which Hon. A. Wards meetings were largely attended H. Tanner would speak in Union was and marked attention given to what advertised in that way, he came into he had to say. Because the converts were not so numerous, and the contrithat not a soul knew of his coming. butions not so large as expected, is no reason why he should let his choler ing medium in Union county, and its rise and speak unkindly of us. If the good people of Uaion were placed in one end of the scales and Mr. Ward in the other, we are constrained to believe that our end would not flop up with such rapidity as to throw us out, although Mr. Ward may have an idea. that such would be the result. NUMBER OF STREET, STRE

THEY HAVE CONFIDENCE.

The Milton Eagle, replying to accusations made by the La Giande Gazette, to the effect that J. H. Raley, our nomimee for joint senator, had made the people of Milton promises of some kind to secure their support, savs:

"No promises of any kind whatsoever regarding division were made by Mr. Raley while here, or at any other time. Upon being questioned, he merely said. 'I will do what is right by the people of Umatilla county, the sessor are rarely considered or thought minority as well as the majority.' of. This does not speak well for the Regarding this question of division we will say that with Mr. Raley in the senate we are just as confident of success as with Mr. Mattoon. Has the latter given any assurance that he will do more than a Umatilla man? No. And so, taking the two men, one a democrat, the other, a republican, the Eagle prefers the democrat first, last and all the time. We further believe that James H. Raley will do us justice in the legislature, simply because he has so promised." Thus it will be seen that Raley makes no rash promises for the purpose of securing votes, but his promise to do justice to all parties if relied upon implicitly by those who know him best. What better endorsement could any man have? The people of Union county look upon Raley in the same light that the people of Milton do, and their faith in his integrity will be demonstrated next June by a rousing majority.

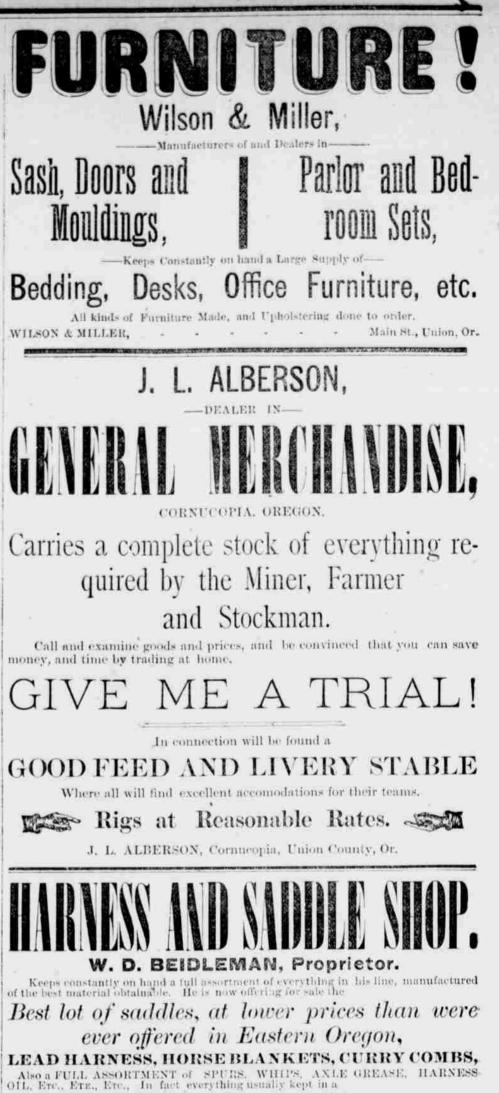
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ent month. Also he speaks about that oath. I can very easily say that the oath was never taken by any sheriff of Union county. If he is so anxious for me to take the oath I will say his Hon. settled with the former sheriff, why did he not make him take the oath he is howling so loud about. It will be seen by the above statement that that sheriff left uncollected over eight thousand and four hundred dollars which made most of Union county's delinquent tax.

The true inwardness of this faultfinding Judge seems to be a desire of periodical changes in the sheriff's office, so that when his term of a ffice expires he may himself step into the sheriff's office. It is not because he loves McAllister so much, but that he loves Goodall a little bit more. He loves Goodall enough to issue script to himself to the amount of several dollars for viewing bridges and roads, also he loves his pet attorneys enough to give them several hundred dollars in county litigation, and deny it if you can or dare. Tax-payers may naturally ask themselves to what good is it to collect delinquent or any other taxes if the money is to be squandered in such a lavish fashion as the above facts which can be and are substantiated by the records. Let men be tried by their deeds and not by the theory of party politics in county offices. I also might ask the readers' pardon for noticing the tissue of falsehoods fabricated in the over-anxious mind of Mr. Goodall, in this open letter, but space forbids too long an apology. I cannot omit his erroneous, if not knowingly false, statement in regard to \$6,000 of the assessment of 1886 turned over to me, It is not true, it is a-whopper made out of whole cloth. It is shown by the records that not one cent of Wallowa county's delinquent tax was turned over to me for collection. "A considerable tax is lost to the county on mortgages owned by non-residents." (See Goodall's letter.) This eminent Judge says he "urged and threatened me." Yes, I admit he has annoyed, worried, provoked, and finally, not satisfied with pursuing me in private, he has now attacked and unjustly complains and accuses me in the public prints, but the record does not support him. Let us refer to the county statistics: Amt. of delinquent mootgage Paid. tax for 1883 \$892 06 4 1884 369 50 \$296 38 324 58

. 1885 525 00 \$1286 56 \$1133 99 Total It will be seen that \$152.57 was lost. I would not go to so much trouble to explain things were 1 not anxious to satisfy my friends, both in the democratic and republican parties, that I have used untiring dilligence in securing taxes on mortgages of absentces. In this connection I would suggest that the names of the mortgagors were not furnished by the assessor, nor were the descriptions of land given against each mortgagor. For each year the land was assessed to each mortgage company in bulk. "Delinquent taxpayers (misnomer) are continually leaving the county, whereby the tax is lost to the county through the neglect [DPCall and examine goods.

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The Star of Idaho, published at Moscow, I. T., is our latest exchange.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Portland Daily World is at hand. We wish it success.

Several counties in the state have placed full-that is, entire, prohibition tickets in the field.

The Summerville people say that Barney Hubers will make it mighty hot for Pap Craig before "dot election goomes oop."

The East Portland Star, a republican paper, advocates the election of John M. Gearin, and says "the best interests of the state would be subserved by his election."

in Wallowa county, for the purpose of putting an independent ticket in the has collapsed.

There seems to be a difficulty in the democratic camp of Baker county, which will result in the defeat of their legislative ticket, unless the matter is amicably adjusted.

The Walla Walla Wah-wah is the name of a new paper just started at Walla Walla. This kind of thing will continuc until the people can't stand it any louger and they will rise up en masse. After that there will be a few editors less, and a refreshing calm will brood over the intellectual world.

During the last month we have talked with many republicans who are in favor of low tariff. Such naturally belong to the opposite party and should vote the democratic ticket. Dolph, Mitchell and Hermann and the rest of the republican members of congress, with but few exceptions, vote for the retention of the present high protective tariff, while the democratic members, with few exceptions, are in favor of substantial reductions. A vote for Hermann or the republican legislative ticket is a vote for high tariff. No other upon this question.

good sense and discernment of the people at large. Would it not be a wiser course to let the clerk and sheriff care for themselves, and give attention to matters of more importance? We will venture to say that four-fifths of the delegates to the two conventions that placed the tickets in the field, do

not know any thing about the men. they nominated for assessor or commissioners. It is the general idea that after the all-important nominations for representatives, sheriff and clerk, are made, that it is necessary to "reconcile the different localities and harmonize the ticket, '' and to that end any kind of material, so that it is indigenious to the right locality, is made to do service,

The office of assessor, in particular, is a very important one, and but few men are fitted by education, experience and natural adaptability for per-The convention held last Saturday forming the duties of the office acceptably, and for the best interests of the county. He should be a wide-awake field, was a failure, and the movement | thorough business man , well posted in every thing, able at a glance to correctly estimate the value of lands, stock of all kinds, implements and machinery, mining and milling property etc. He should be able to go inother kind of a store and approximate | Kidneys, restore your vitality, and give reits value. He should be thoroughly acquainted with the banking system and able to enter institutions of this kind and assess them intelligently. In addition to having such knowledge he should be honest, decisive, firm, unyielding and impartial.

If such a man could be secured to assess this county, our taxes would be reduced from 21 mills to, probably, 8 mills on the dollar. The wealthy owners of large tracts of land, herds, money and shares in corporations, would be forced to pay more in proportion to what they own than has been the case, which would lighten the burdens of that class-the great majority-who own but a small amount of property, but are assessed at about what is is worth.

Whether the two aspirants for the office of assessor of this county are capable, and will fill the bill, or not, we cannot say, having been ubable to find out much about them. If they are deficient, those who know them - ly cures Files, or no pay required. It is issue is before the people and men should vote for the least objectionable. should be frank and honest in voting Politics should influence no one in deciding botween them.

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"Who the sheriff should interview." should interview." This is a speciman of the Judge's exploits in English Grammar. 1 imagine his logic is on a par with his distortions in logic and misrepresetations of facts. This hunter up of trifles seems to watch nameless and off-hand contributions from various points in the county about citizens going to other points. Let us

see. He speaks of the Cove correspondent to your paper and the departures from there. Be it known to you O. P. Goodall that these same Cove parties were detained on their way out of the state two days prior to your laborious, clumsy, unjust and vindictive contribution to the passing newspaper literature of the day, hatched up for the manifest purpose of injuring me and raising yourself in the estima-tion of your fellow citizens. Messrs. Editors Scour and the people of Union county, I ask your indulgence for directing your attention to this uncalled for attack, and I think you will agree with me that I have shown you by the public records as may be found in my hands, and that I neither exaggerate nor misrepresent. To attempt to meet all the insinuations and falsehoods deliberately coined by this unwise Judge would take too long and too much of your valuable space-and I do not beg any pardons.

A. N. HAMILTON.

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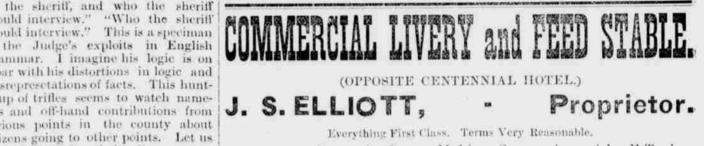
Why buy from imigrating agents of whom you know nothing, eitherof their responsibility or the charecter of their goods, when there are responsible dealers located near you, who carry full and complete lines of all farm and mill machinery and implements, and whose success it is for your best interests to support with yoar patronage? Frank Bro's. Implement Co, of Island City request your consideration of their claim, and refer you to your neighbors who have had dealings with them. 3

NOTICE FOR FUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON,

May 10, 1888. (Notice is hereby given that the following-named settlers have filed notice of their in-Nonce is hereby given that the following mained settlers have filed notice of their in-tention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on June 29, 488, viz; J. V. LEEP, Hd. No. 2119, for the W hlf. NE or., NW or, sE or, and NE or, NW or, Sec. 5, Tp. 88, R 46 E. JOHN S. CURRY, Hd. No. 2434, for the E hlf. SW or, and W hlf. SE or, Sec. 36, Tp. 7 S. R. 45 E. and EDWARD STEELMAN, Hd. No. 2485, for the E hlf. NE or, Sec. 6, Tp. 8 S. and E hlf. SE or, Sec. 31, Tp. 7 S, R. 46 E. They name the following witnesses to prove their con-tinuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz. Charley Stewart, John S. Curry, S. V. Leep, Thadeus Leep and E. Steerman, all of Pine Valley, Oregon. HEXEWERT. that it is the best washing machine now in use, and unhesitatingly recommend it to Chas. C. Coffinberry HENRY RINERART, 5-18-w0.

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