

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

STATE	
For congress	R. G. Smith, of Josephine
For governor	Oswald West, of Marion
For secretary	Turner Oliver, of Union
For treasurer	No nomination
For supreme court	W. R. King, of Malheur
	W. T. Slater, of Marion
	No nomination
For attorney general	J. B. Horner, of Benton
For school superintendent	J. E. Godfrey, of Marion
For printer	D. L. Houston, of Washington
For labor commissioner	Hugh McLain, of Coos
For railroad commissioner	No nomination
For state engineer	No nomination

DISTRICT	
For circuit judge	John Bayne, of Marion
	Wm. Galloway, of Yamhill
For senator, Benton and Polk	P. Avery, of Benton
For representative, Lincoln and Polk	G. W. Myer, of Polk

COUNTY	
For representative	L. D. Brown, of Dallas
For sheriff	J. M. Grant, of Dallas
For commissioner	S. H. Petre, of Dallas
For treasurer	Tracy Staats, of Dallas

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Patronize One Another for the Uplifting of Town and County.

Come out next Saturday night and hear what the democratic candidate for governor has to say for himself. It will not hurt you, and it may be of everlasting benefit to you.

The other day a lady came into our office and asked us if we would publish a letter from her, taking the prohibition side of the present controversy. Time and again have we stated that this is the people's paper and that all have a right to their say on temperance, religion, politics, or anything else, through its columns. We will have our own opinions on these questions and will express them in the proper place, but that does not debar the other side from saying what they want to. This editor is not so egotistical as to think that he is always right and that his opinions are the only ones that shall go forth. Free speech is granted everybody in the Itemizer.

As our prohibition friends would not give us any instance of men who drank to excess having been reclaimed by the town being dry, we have been doing a little investigating ourselves. We find one man who has been reclaimed, that is, during the last two years he has quit the use of liquor, but whether from his own volition or because there are no saloons, we cannot say, but will give the drys the benefit of the doubt. As an offset to that we have found another man, who for many years had not touched liquor at all, who has again gone to boozing, owing to it being continually shoved under his nose in an illicit way, and made a crime to drink it. We find the young men of our town, who formerly could not get liquor on account of their being minors, continually sending off and getting it by the quantity, and getting full as ticks, and only two nights ago when some of them had neglected to send and get what they wanted, they committed the further crime of breaking into a private supply and getting gloriously full.

Just one instance that has come under our observation will we here give to refute the charge made by the prohibitionists that our officers of the law had not done their full duty in seeing to it that the local option law, the same as other laws, is enforced in this county. The other day Sheriff Grant received an unsigned letter from Independence claiming that a certain well known resident there had in his possession a stock of liquor, which he was dispensing to those who desired it. Now, if the sheriff had been a newspaper man, and full of experience as we are with that class of people who are prone to giving pointers, to shove an undesirable job onto some one else, and afraid to sign their name to their petty spite work, he would have thrown that letter in the wastebasket and thought no more about it. But in his anxiety to faithfully and fully perform the duties with which the people had entrusted him, he took the other course, and without saying a word to anyone of his mission, quietly took the motor and went to Independence. Walking in on the man who had been so maligned by this sneaking kind of evidence, he plainly told him what had been done and requested the keys to the room which had been named as the repository. The keys were handed him, and he at once entered the room, to find it filled with all kinds of fruit and preserves, and no evidence of intoxicants more than a half pint with maybe an inch of what was presumably whiskey in the bottom. Now was not that a nice wild goose chase for you? The sheriff lost a day's work from his business, was put to the expense of the trip to our neighboring city, and all because some extremist labored under the idea, probably from having heard someone say so, that the man in question was keeping liquor for sale. Such ways of taking up an officer's time for nothing should be against the law. We, as taxpayers, are paying for the services of the sheriff, and we should rebel against his time being frittered away in useless search for evidence that cannot be substantiated. Such a case has also happened right here in Dallas, investigation proving that there was not the least cause for the charge. The Itemizer wants the law observed as much as anyone, but we do not believe it the duty of our officers to spend their time in chasing down every rumor of violation that comes of street talk and surmise, in which case they would not be able to attend to any other of the duties of their offices.

TEMPERANCE.

As it draws near election day I am much pleased to know that public sentiment is fast growing in favor of state prohibition. We have often been told that a drowning man will catch at a straw. Now there appears not even a straw for the whiskey men to try to catch at. Our city papers too are left in about the same fix. These long editorials trying to make black white and white black had not their desired effect.

Such argument as Mrs. Armer, Mr. Glass and many others has produced, has had the desired effect. The base falsehoods that the great speakers of whiskey party have been so clearly and faithfully refuted. This great national fight has been entirely taken out of politics so that now each voter is left to judge between right and wrong, whiskey or no whiskey.

Personal liberty argument has been thoroughly exposed and the great home rule bill that they are so cunningly planned has been so exposed the wets have got even a straw of argument. A few of our voters claim they would quickly vote for prohibition if liquor was not allowed to be made, but as long as our Government allowed it to be made they would vote wet. This is about the poorest and weakest argument so far produced.

Our votes will do it and just as soon as we vote a majority vote in these U. S. Uncle Sam will stop the manufacture and the beauty of it is when Uncle Sam says so it is here. Who is Uncle Sam?

JAMES ELLIOTT.

REPUBLICAN PAPER SHOWS UP OREGONIAN CORRESPONDENT.

We take the following from the Corvallis Times, a Republican paper, showing how the Oregonian distorts facts in its accounts of Bowerman meetings:

A young man named White when introduced to the writer of this by Mr. Bowerman Saturday night made haste to put his hand behind him as though it were unclean, and he then turned and hid his face behind his back, since that time the editor of the G-T has been wondering as to what sort of crime the young man had committed that he felt so unworthy as to refuse to touch another's hand. As we go to press we learn that said White, whose name should be Black, was the Oregonian's special correspondent traveling with Bowerman for the specific purpose of distorting the facts about the various meetings. At the time of the incident referred to, Mr. White or Black probably had on his mind (?) the mess of falsification, misrepresentation and untruthfulness published in Sunday's Oregonian, so it is not to be wondered that he felt so unworthy to touch any man's hand.

GOING TO REST.

Pioneer Polk Physician Passes to the Beyond.

A week ago we attended the funeral of Uncle Dan Richardson. Among the aged Masons there turned out none who seemed in better health than T. V. B. Embree, and he mentioned the fact to several friends. A week later he had passed away, and the sad and arduous life of an old time country practitioner has come to an end; and he will soon be forgotten, except by a few, comparatively, grateful souls who will remember and think kindly of the times that he has aided them when sickness of some loved one was gripping their heart strings and the path of life looked terribly dark before them. His sickness came unexpected to his many friends, and was caused by uremic poison, his whole condition rapidly giving way before its ravages and yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock he passed away.

Dr. Embree was a man of undoubted honesty, and strong convictions, and the faculty of expressing them in terse and convincing language, and little did he care whether others coincided with his views or not. Sufficient that the arguments he used were satisfactory to himself. He was a man of generous impulses, and many are the old time families that can give testimony of needed assistance he has given them, both as a physician and as a man and brother.

He was made a Mason in 1858, joining Jennings lodge of Dallas, and has served as Master Mason. He was a practical exemplar of the sublime teachings of that order, and aimed to be in a Christian and fraternal manner (read the way). At the time of going to press, arrangements have not been definitely concluded as to the time of the funeral.

He was a son of the late Cary and Lucinda Embree, and was born August 14, 1836, near Fayette, Howard County, Missouri. He crossed the plains in 1844, arriving in Oregon City on December 24 of that year. He came with his parents to Polk County, Oregon, in the Spring of '45, and worked on his father's farm until 1858, when he began the study of medicine, reading with Dr. J. W. Hoyle, a well-known pioneer physician. He entered Cooper Medical Institute in San Francisco in 1859, and later practiced in Lafayette and Amity, locating in Dallas in 1874.

He was graduated from the medical department of Willamette University in 1881, and then practiced 3 1/2 years in Corvallis. Then moved to Burns, Harney County, where he practiced 8 years. Returned to Dallas, and later went to Portland, where he practiced about two years. About five years ago he located in Dallas again.

He was a veteran of the Yakima Indian War. Enlisted in 1855 in Co. G, Captain Ben Hayden commanding; afterwards re-enlisted in Co. B, Capt. B. F. Burch commanding.

Was a member of State Pioneer Association, and at the time of death was Grand Commander of Indian War Veterans of this state.

He married Annie E. Finley in Corvallis in 1868. Seven children were born—three surviving: Clyde and Van of Burns; Mrs. Armer Guthrie, Dallas.

The lecture to be given at the M. E. church Friday evening, October 28, will be worth your while to attend. Rev. Geo. F. Hopkins, A. M., has been in this conference only a short time and comes to us very highly recommended from Aberdeen, S. Dakota. Below are some press comments. 027

HYMENEAL JOYS.

Popular Dallas Young People Are Married.

Yesterday as the town clock was striking the hour of mid day, Rev. George F. Hopkins, pastor of the Methodist Church of this city, was pronouncing the words that made one flesh of two of Dallas most popular young people. The occurrence was at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt McDaniel, and the contracting parties, Mr. Fred R. Elliott and Miss Iva McDaniel. The house was especially decorated for the occasion with a profusion of flowers and thronged with relatives and invited guests, happy to lend their presence to the occasion. The bride was given away by her father and the ceremony took place under a marriage bell suspended from the arch way between the parlors. The bride was charmingly arrayed in white silk, and carried a bouquet which was caught by her cousin, Miss McDaniel, of Portland.

At the conclusion of the ceremony and the offering of congratulations, a nice lunch was served, and at 2:30 Mr. and Mrs. Elliott took The Flyer for Portland and the Dallas, where they will spend a honeymoon of a couple of weeks, returning to settle down among us as staid old married folks.

A bevy of friends saw them off with all the accompaniments, and everything in the way of luggage was appropriately labeled: "Just married." Both are too well known to require any special laudation at our hands, having lived here all their lives; suffice it to say that they are highly esteemed, and will settle down in life with the best wishes of a host of friends.

Methodist Church Services.

Services of special order next Sunday at the M. E. Church, and every thing in the way of luggage was appropriately labeled: "Just married." Both are too well known to require any special laudation at our hands, having lived here all their lives; suffice it to say that they are highly esteemed, and will settle down in life with the best wishes of a host of friends.

11 a. m. Family Day. Sermon by pastor, "Light of the Family."
 2:30 p. m. Junior League.
 6:30 p. m. Epworth League.
 7:30 p. m. Pastor begins a series of sermons on "God and Man." Topic of first sermon, "Is There a God?"

All members, adherents, friends and strangers are cordially invited to be present at the Sunday School Rally, Family Day, and all services. Good music at these services.

GEORGE F. HOPKINS, Pastor.

Christian Church News.

Something doing at the Christian Church. A splendid orchestra leads a great chorus of voices. Every service a treat to music lovers. Prof. Caldwell is at the head of this department of the work.

Last Sunday there were 228 present at the Bible School. Increasing every Sunday.

Bible School 10 a. m.
 Sermon 11 a. m. Subject: "First Things." A discourse on the "Book of Acts." There will be baptizing at the close of the service. Two confessions last Sunday. We expect a great ingathering next Sunday.

Sermon 7:30. "The Laboring Man and a Square Deal."
 You are invited to attend these services.

Services at Presbyterian Church, Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning service 11 o'clock. Topic: "Sowing and Reaping." Christian Endeavor meeting 6:30. Evening service 7:30. Topic: "The Inner Voice." Midweek prayer-meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

You are cordially invited to attend our services.

Social Music. MORNING.
 Organ "Voluntary".....Sudlow
 Response "The Lord is in His Temple"
 Overture "Andante".....Beethoven
 Anthem "I will praise the Name of the Lord".....L. O. Emerson

EVENING
 Organ "Voluntary".....Kimball
 Response "He Thron Exalted".....
 Overture "The Star".....Crosby
 Anthem "Shadow of a mighty Rock".....Carrie B. Adams

W. W. Percival brought to this office one large potato with seven merchantable potatoes growing on the large one. Mr. Percival produced seven sacks of potatoes on four square rods of ground, which would be equal to 286 sacks per acre.—Independence Enterprise.

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Democratic Candidate for Representative from Polk County at the General Election Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1910

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Vote for I. H. Van Winkle, of Salem, Republican Candidate for Circuit Judge. Two to elect. 127 (Paid Advertisement.)

Med. at Independence, Saturday, October 22. Wayne Goode, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Goode, aged 21 months, of dysentery.

Lyman Damon and Claude Hubbard of Independence have been here the past week looking after their desert claim in Harney county.—Burns News.

F. H. Morrison of Dallas, the Architect who is supplying the plans for the new Aubrey hotel spent Saturday and Sunday in this city.—Newport News.

Mrs. G. F. Gibbs and son Cortland have returned from Dallas, where they have been putting in their fall grain for next year on their ranch.—Hood River Glacier.

Joe Stowe has moved back to Dallas, having traded his Kings Valley farm to his father for his interest in the lively stable. The elder Stowe will not go out to live on the farm before spring, if then.

Mrs. Levi Allen and daughter Florence, of Tickrall, relatives of Mr. Jeff Boyer's arrived last week and are located in Olsson's cottage in Olssonville for the winter.—Newport Reporter.

I. H. Van Winkle, of Salem, for circuit judge will give equal justice to all and special favors to none. Qualifications based on experience and preparation. 127 (Paid Advertisement.)

Tracy Staats, Democratic candidate for County Treasurer, after completing his education, taught in some of our best schools for a number of years, served as deputy sheriff and deputy assessor, besides holding many other positions of responsibility in the county. In all of these positions he has made good, and if elected to the office to which he now aspires, he will continue to be courteous to all with whom he comes in contact, and his accounts and records will always be found neat and correct.

Charles Grant Lane, the subject of this sketch, is the 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Lane, Jr., of Dallas, and is considered a wonder for his age, because of the fact that he can say his letters. When quite young he showed a decided preference for books instead of toys, and at the age of 18 months is able to read letters wherever he sees them. When riding about the streets in his buggy past a billboard or signpost he commands his mother to stop until he reads the letters, and at church he passes the time by reading the letters in the hymn book.—Portland Telegram.

"Making Faces." The famous chalk talk, "Making faces," by the artist-lecturer Merritt Le Roy will be given at W. O. W. hall, Monday evening, October 21.

On that occasion the people of Dallas will have the privilege of seeing a finished artist at work, as he accompanies his lecture with cartoons and pictures of marvelous beauty, drawn before the audience.

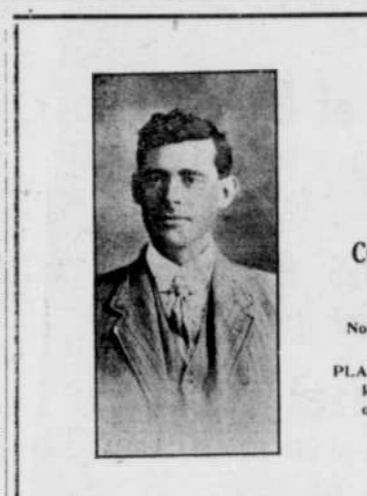
While the lecture partakes of the humorous it is also instructive teaching good, clean, moral truth.

Recently at Eugene, Oregon, an audience of 1800 persons gathered on two days' notice and was highly pleased with the evening thus spent. Commenting on the appearance of Mr. Le Roy in San Jose, Cal, the Mercury says:

"Mr. Le Roy's most impressive remarks are, tinged with a certain dry humor which is all his own and holds the undivided attention of his listeners. His pictures, which he draws, are highly artistic, true to life, and he is one of the most interesting speakers that ever faced a San Jose audience."

Mr. Le Roy's work is commended by Colleges, Y. M. C. A.'s Churches and the press. His appearance here will be under the auspices of the college Y. M. C. A.

Tickets at Starlin's Drug Store. The lecture to be given Friday evening, of this week, will be a treat to all. Everybody come and hear Rev. Hopkins in an American Tramp Abroad. Admission 15 and 25 cents.



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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

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- Congressman, WILLIS C. HAWLEY.
- Supreme Justices, HENRY J. BEAN, THOMAS A. MCBRIDE, GEORGE H. BURNETT, FRANK A. MOORE.
- Secretary of State, FRANK W. BENSON.
- State Treasurer, THOMAS B. KAY.
- School Superintendent, L. R. ALDERMAN.
- State Printer, WILLIS DUNIWAY.
- Labor Commissioner, O. P. HOFF.
- Railroad Commissioner, FRANK J. MILLER.
- State Engineer, JOHN H. LEWIS.
- Water Superintendent, JAMES T. CHINNOCK.
- Circuit Judges, I. H. VAN WINKLE, PERCY R. KELLY.
- Joint Senator, C. L. HAWLEY.
- Joint Representative, FRED W. CHAMBERS.
- Representative, IRA C. POWELL.
- Sheriff, W. L. BICE.
- County Commissioner, JOHN B. TEAL.
- County Clerk, E. M. SMITH.
- County Treasurer, JOHN L. CASTLE.
- County Surveyor, B. F. BEZLEY.
- Coroner, R. L. CHAPMAN.

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