

Here and There.

T. W. Ayers, Jr., for drugs. 68-aw Gazette on Thornton's counters. Price 5 cents per roll.

Dan Zeller, the contractor, got in Wednesday.

Joe Keoney got over from Pendleton Wednesday.

Mr. Clinton and wife are down from Castle Rock.

J. W. Kern & Co. will hang paper at 10 cents per roll.

John W. Doak is back from Portland, feeling much better.

The Gazette shop is prepared to execute fine job printing.

A. H. Hooker, of Eight Mile, dropped in on us Wednesday.

Daily stage both ways between Monument and Long Creek.

Mrs. J. J. Roberts is prepared to do all kinds of plain sewing.

Swamp, a Leon 2-year-old, was down from the Matlock ranch yesterday.

Mrs. Tillie Crow and daughter left this morning for their Astoria home.

On the 26th inst., the I. O. O. F. boys, of Hardman, will have a grand supper.

Mrs. Margaret Von Cadow is in Portland, having gone below Saturday last.

Grandma Matlock is quite ill, but at last accounts was thought to be better.

Mrs. Chas. Kirk is over from Baker City visiting her friends and relatives here.

Bud Ingraham, Cliff Jones and Frank Vaughn were visitors from Eight Mile Wednesday.

Geo. Swagart says cattle are fully a month ahead in flesh this spring, as compared with last.

Gid Hatt's bird house in the barber shop window attracts some attention from the passerby.

Pap Simons & Son still shoe horses and do general blacksmithing at the old stand Matlock corner.

Gooseberry wants the Eight Mile mail route on to Lone Rock, to extend by the way of Gooseberry.

Miss Long, of Portland, will lecture here in the near future for the benefit of the Episcopal church.

"The Parlor," W. F. Ruark, prop., in the City hotel, west side of Main street. Neatest place in Heppner.

C. Ruhl has added a stock of oysters, canned and fresh fruits, all kinds of nuts, cigars, tobaccos, etc.

Pure as childhood and harmless as dew drops—Wisdom's famous Robertine—once tried always used.

John Hasmus, with the aid of crutches, was out on our streets Wednesday, for the first time since he was hurt.

How is your liver? Needs toning up of course. English Dandelion Tonic is a specific for all such troubles.

Ed. Coppner, of Lone Rock, was in town over Wednesday night, on his way to Portland to buy goods for his store.

Work will commence Monday on the Buttermilk canyon road, and will be completed by wool hauling time. Good!

G. C. Calviness, J. Hainey and E. Burrows, three representatives of the Ione county, called on the Gazette yesterday.

Hiya ketchum whiskers. Gid Hatt at the city barber shop—the place to get a first-class shave, hair-cut or shampoo. If

Towns Mathews, Andy Tillard and Mike Kenny have made the biggest landing this year of all their experience.

Call on Lisha Sperry, down at the Belvedere, when in town. Keeps on hand a fine stock of liquors and cigars.

Rev. Jas. Howerton, of Fossil, will commence a series of meetings at Gooseberry next Saturday evening. All are invited.

Jesse Smithman, of Austin, Mo., arrived on the 7th inst. He will locate at Fox after a month's visit in the Heppner neighborhood.

L. D. Boyd, the Heppner builder, has received the contract for erecting Henry Heppner's new building on the old Pioneer hotel site.

The Buchler beer, 5 cents per glass, at the Columbia Beer Hall, Omer & Hughes, props., next door to M. Lichtenhal & Co.'s shoe store.

Salem Statesman: Mrs. Z. M. Parvin went to Portland yesterday to meet her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Brown, of Heppner, who will spend the summer in this city.

Newer and neater quarters at the Palace Hotel's north business room. Charley Jones, the barber, wants to see his old friends there. Baths in connection.

James M. Hager and family have gone up to Pendleton to live on their reservation lands. Mr. Dundas and family will look after Mr. Hager's Willow creek ranch.

P. O. Borg has just received a \$1,000 stock of jewelry. As his stock is already too large, will sell at hand at greatly reduced prices for the next sixty days.

Dr. Grant's Syrup of Wild Grape is made from the Oregon wild grape root, now conceded by eminent physicians to be the most powerful alternative known. See ad. in this issue.

Now that Henry Heppner has decided to build another brick, he should add another story for an opera house. Mr. Heppner is just enterprising enough to carry such a project to consummation.

Settlers who filed timber-entire or pre-emption claims on railroad land in 1883 or 1887 can recover their fees by applying to Frank H. Snow, U. S. Commissioner, at Lexington. Bring your filing receipt.

The murderers of Wm. Humbert, Wm. and John Bailey, of Bully creek, Malheur, at last accounts were in serious danger of lynching, requiring the sheriff of that county, assisted by company F, of Baker City, to keep the peace.

Those about Heppner who are fond of spearing salmon will be pleased to learn that the barrier at Lexington has been removed, and the silvery beauties of the Columbia can now push forward even to the Blue mountains.

E. O. Persons sending mail to Foster, the discontinued postoffice near Echo, in this county, may be interested to know that an office by that name has lately been established in Linn county. All mail addressed simply "Foster, Oregon," will be sent to the latter place.

Yesterday's "chitnook" stirred up a good many carloads of dust and other rubbish from the top of Cunningham hill, leaving some of it in our streets and the remainder in the eyes of pedestrians. It was a regular "Washoe zephyr," as the world call it down in Nevada.

Artists' MATERIALS.—For all kinds of artists' materials, etc., go to Smith & Williamson, May street. The only full line in town.

DEMOCRATS CONVENE.

With But Few Exceptions the Candidates

WENT IN BY ACCLAMATION.

Not a Ripple Disturbed Their Peaceful Course—Instructed for Judge Bradshaw—The Ratification Last Night—Notes.

The democratic hosts of Morrow county met in the court house yesterday morning at 10:15 and were called to order by Frank Kellogg, chairman of the county central committee.

The chairman then appointed the following committees: Credentials, E. L. Akers, Dry Fork; W. A. Johnson, Gentry; Towns Mathews, Alpine; Luther Huston, Eight Mile; W. C. Owens, Lexington. Order of business, C. A. Rhea, Mount Vernon; J. J. McGee, Hardman; John Hughes, Mount Vernon. Resolutions, Henry Blackman, Mount Vernon; Hiram Tash, Hardman; J. C. Thompson, Lexington. Organization, G. O. Muir, Lexington; Frank Gentry, Gentry; W. P. Snyder, Dry Fork.

The convention then adjourned till 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Chairman Sloan rapped the convention to order at about the appointed time. In the absence of Ed. Holloway, temporary secretary, D. A. Herren was asked to act in that capacity.

The committee on credentials reported the precincts represented as follows: Heppner—Wm. Hughes, D. A. Herren, W. J. McAtee, N. McBee and Thos. Quaid. Mount Vernon—C. A. Rhea, E. L. Matlock, H. Blackman, John Hughes and J. A. Thompson, the last named absent.

Gentry—E. G. Sloan, W. A. Johnston, J. J. Roberts, Frank Gentry and W. G. McCarty. Lexington—J. C. Thomson, W. C. Owens and N. J. Hale, the last named absent.

Eight Mile—Luther Huston, James Inskeep and Perry Snyder. Dairy—J. J. McGee, Ben Luelling, H. Tash and Sam Meadows.

Alpine—G. P. Muir and Allen Evans. Pine City—Towns Mathews and R. L. Shaw. Lena—Jas. Pearson, Andy Tillard and Towns Mathews.

Cecil—Robt. Sayer and Ed. Holloway. Ione—Thos. Carl, Dave Lipscomb and Reub Sperry. Dry Fork—J. W. McGonigall and B. L. Akers.

Matteson—Chas. S. Kirk and Ben Matteson. Wells Springs—J. O. Warmoth and J. F. Deos.

Castle Rock—T. J. Teeters. J. C. Thomson asked that W. C. Owens be allowed to cast the vote for N. J. Hale, and C. A. Rhea allowed J. A. Thomson's proxy.

E. G. Sloan was chosen permanent chairman, but about that time some one suggested that the report of the committee on permanent organization might better settle the question of permanent officers, so it was read. It recommended that E. G. Sloan be the permanent chairman and D. A. Herren permanent secretary, which was adopted. W. A. Johnston was chosen as assistant secretary.

Mr. Sloan, in a few well chosen words, thanked the convention for the honor conferred upon him. Mr. Herren also made a few remarks of like nature.

The report of the committee on order of business was read, which suggested that it be taken up in the following order: Representative, county judge, sheriff, clerk, treasurer, commissioner (four-year term), commissioner (two-year term), school superintendent, assessor, surveyor, coroner and five delegates to the democratic state convention. The report was adopted and committee discharged.

The committee on resolutions presented the following, which was adopted unanimously:

WHEREAS, The Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, of The Dalles, Wasco county, has ably presided as circuit judge for the past year in Morrow county and has ever been courteous, accommodating and affable in all his legal transactions with the people and members of his profession; therefore,

Resolved, That this county convention recommend that the seventh judicial district nominate him on the democratic ticket for circuit judge and the delegates to the state convention use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

Respectfully submitted, HENRY BLACKMAN, H. TASH, J. C. THOMPSON.

NOMINATIONS. The convention then got down to business. J. C. Thompson's name was presented for representative, and there being no other candidate in the field he was chosen by acclamation. Then followed the nominations of Julius Keith, county judge; Geo. Noble, sheriff; J. W. Morrow, clerk; J. W. Matlock, treasurer; J. M. Baker, commissioner, four years; Allen Evans, commissioner, two years.

For school superintendent, W. P. Snyder, Chas. Royle and R. W. Turner were placed in nomination. The vote stood, Snyder 7, Royle 7, Turner 30. Mr. Turner was declared the nominee for school superintendent.

The contest for the assessors'hip was opened up by placing in nomination J. J. Roberts, of Gentry, Bob Shaw, of Pine City, and T. J. Carl, of Ione. The vote stood: Roberts 8, Shaw 24, Carl 11. Mr. Shaw was declared the nominee.

D. H. Jenkins, of Dairy, was chosen by acclamation for surveyor, as was T. W. Ayers, Sr., for coroner.

THE DELEGATES To the democratic state convention were

the next to be disposed of. On motion, an informal ballot was taken, in place of direct nominations. The following was the result:

H. Blackman, 39; C. A. Rhea, 40; T. J. Matlock, 41; Wm. Hughes, 41; Thos. Quaid, 42; T. J. Carl, 1; Frank Kellogg, 1; W. P. Snyder, 1; E. L. Matlock, 1; D. A. Herren, 1; Gov. Rea, 1.

On motion the five having the highest number of votes were chosen. The delegates, therefore, will be H. Blackman, C. A. Rhea, T. J. Matlock, Wm. Hughes and Thos. Quaid.

J. W. Morrow then presented a form of acceptance under the new ballot law, for candidates to file with clerk.

PRECINCT NOMINATIONS. Heppner, Gentry and Mount Vernon: G. W. Rea and W. A. Kirk, justices; J. J. Roberts and Tom Morgan, constables. Eight Mile and Dry Fork: W. P. Snyder, justices; B. L. Akers, constable.

Ione, Cecil and Castle Rock: Robert Sayer, justice; Reub. Sperry, constable. Matteson and Dairy: C. M. Hogue, justice; Frank Cramer, constable.

Lexington and Wells Springs: W. C. Owens, justice; Frank Deos, constable. Pine City, Lena and Alpine: T. D. Mathews, justice; R. L. Beard, constable.

CENTRAL COMMITTEEMEN. Lena, Jas. Pearson; Alpine, G. P. Muir; Wells Springs, L. M. Hill; Dry Fork, J. D. Ball; Pine City, G. W. Vincent; Eight Mile, Jas. Inskeep; Lexington, J. C. Thomson; Mount Vernon, Tom Morgan; Gentry, J. W. Morrow; Heppner, T. W. Ayers, Sr.; Cecil, S. White; Ione, D. W. Lipscomb; Castle Rock, Wm. Mellis; Matteson, J. C. Kirk; Dairy, J. J. McGee. J. W. Morrow was chosen chairman of the committee. The convention then adjourned.

NOTES. The "little giant of Eastern Oregon," Senator Blackman, was "in it" up to his eyes.

The "tall sycamore" of the convention were John Hughes and Ed. Matlock, though the representatives were all more than average in height.

Considerable enthusiasm was exhibited after each selection was made, and the favored, without exception, expressed their appreciation.

The candidates all filed, immediately, the necessary papers of acceptance with the county clerk. Remember, republicans, if you don't do this before May 6th, it will invalidate your nominations. Blanks can be procured at the Gazette office.

J. J. Roberts and Chas. Royle were evidently not chosen as candidates for the offices, respectively, assessor and school superintendent, from the fact that it would waken the ticket by having too many candidates from Heppner.

T. W. Ayers, Sr., being selected as the candidate for coroner, settles one thing, that it will not go out of the family, as his son, T. W. Ayers, Jr. is the candidate for the same office on the republican ticket.

Quite a number of republicans were present to see the fun. When the alliance have selected their ticket, then the county campaign will have fairly opened. It convenes at Lexington on the 21st inst.

The delegation to the state convention are representative men of their party, and, no doubt, will capture a few of the "plums" while below.

The two local papers, as well as the Oregonian, were represented at the reporters' table.

A big jubilee was held last night at the court house, the candidates and others participating.

Very few delegates "went democratic," except by a small majority.

OUR SCHOOLS.—From Superintendent Saling's annual report we glean the following regarding Morrow's schools: The number of children of school age, between 4 and 20 years, are 1,486, about evenly divided, male and female; total enrollment of that age, 1,026; number not attending any school, 416; number attending school outside of their respective districts, 44; estimated value of school grounds, \$16,730; value of school furniture and apparatus, \$3,197; insurance on same, \$6,275; average salary paid male teachers, per month, \$48.46; average salary paid female teachers, per month, \$43.38; salary per month paid school superintendent, \$40; whole number of organized districts, 58; whole number reporting, 53; average number of months taught, 4 4/8ths; number of school houses, 43; number of schools having Webster's unabridged dictionaries, 12. It would be well for our people to compare the superintendent's salary with that of the teachers of the county. A superintendent should be a practical teacher, and isn't it a little inconsistent to expect him to work for \$40 per month?

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—The Gazette would deem it an especial favor if correspondents would not use our columns to "rake some person over the coals." Of course, when the thing is started, it is probable that the person or persons hurt will want to strike back. This is not pleasant for the proprietors of the paper, nor in no case does it do any good. It is our earnest endeavor to keep out all personalities, but as we do not always understand the conditions of the various neighborhoods, or the full import of every item written, it is difficult to call out what is not suitable for publication.

SOCIAL DRINKING.—Monday, a goodly number of the lady friends of Mrs. Thos. Danner, gathered at her home in Heppner, to indulge in the old-fashioned pastime of carpet rag sewing. One of the important features of the occasion was the elegant dinner. After dinner the ladies in a group tried to smash Mr. Danner's camera, but they were not successful, as it was a good machine and had been tried before. The ladies say they had a "barrel of fun," we all know that Mrs. Danner is a splendid entertainer.

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. W. Warren wishes to announce to the ladies of Heppner and vicinity that she is now prepared to do dressmaking and would be pleased to see her old customers at her new dressmaking parlors, over Spray Bros', butcher shop.

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WE ARE STILL SELLING OUT our stock of General merchandise, but to make it more complete, we have purchased a stock consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Hats, Furnishing Apparel, Etc., That will be sold at greatly reduced prices for cash only. Call and investigate and we will be pleased to wait on you. No trouble to show goods.

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The Clydesdale Stallion! Young Top Gallant Will Stand the Season at the Following Places: On Mondays and Tuesdays, Morrow Stable, Heppner; Wednesdays and Thursdays, Tom Barnett's Stable, Lexington; balance of time at my ranch, 5 1/2 miles southeast of Heppner.

TERMS: Season, \$10. Will insure the mare with foal and if not with foal this season, will breed the season of 1893 free of charge. In the mean time if I should sell my stallion and the mare be not with foal, I will refund the \$10. These breeding can have service of stallion till October 1, '92 by coming to my residence. Will wait till Oct. 1, '92 for the money if customers so desire.

PERCHERON STALLION! RIGOLOT. This Fine Stallion will make the ensuing Season, Commencing April 15th, at the Ranch of J. S. YOUNG, One and one-half miles west of Eight Mile Center.

DESCRIPTION: RIGOLOT is a black with black mane and tail, 17 hands high and weighs about 2,000 pounds; is of a kind, gentle disposition, and a good traveler. Was foaled May 19, 1886. PEDIGREE: RIGOLOT was sired by Caleb (3,796), he by Paul, belonging to M. Dubois; dam Cecote, (10,407), by Polydor, (7,731), he by Paul, belonging to M. Dubois. Has been duly entered for registry in Vol. V, of the Percheron Stud Book, of America, and his recorded number is 8,048. Was imported in 1887 by McNaught, Franklin & Co., of Lexington, Ills. TERMS: SEASON \$10, payable when such is known to be the case. Insurance of colt \$20, payable when colt stands and snuck. All Cows will be Taken to Prevent Accidents but will not be Responsible should any Occur. BROWN & YOUNG, EIGHT MILE, OREGON.

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