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A SCARECROW.

The Gazette objects to threshing over old straw, when the last grain of wheat has been garnered. It is not sensible nor is it a paying proposition.

That is what many newspapers of the second district are now doing. The Portland Telegram opened up the ball, then the little, one-horse papers began to bowl, but all they have said or done has not changed the opinion of the people on the candidacy of W. R. Ellis, that he will be elected June 6th next.

There are accusations that he is this, that or the other thing, but where in the name of common sense is their argument? Not one single paper has offered the least particle of solid substance to back up its assertions, and bare statements without some reasonable semblance of backing, fall flat. The Record, of Heppner, is singing the same "song of expense" that was so popular with the Telegram a few weeks ago. These "editorials" are fearfully and wonderfully made, being fathered by a democrat and built up by a good republican. The republican is a graceful writer on any subject, and is worthy of his hire. But he, no doubt, prefers to relish old, worn-out claptrap rather than invent any new "thunder," as it is easier and not at all dangerous.

Our neighbor causes the subject of the Cascade locks to be handled from the time Granny Slater begged for a six-bit appropriation, up to the present time, and it would appear that the Record considered the Columbia river about all of the river and harbor work of the United States. The Oregon senators and representative are assailed, (on suspicion) of keeping the river blockaded in the interests of monopoly, and then moans, "vote for Slater." It is this campaign had occurred one year ago, there would have been a shower of chestnuts in the shape of "billion dollar congress," and then a sharp injunction, "vote for Slater." But the present session having appropriated \$23,000,000 more than the first half of the "billion dollar congress," not including the very needful amount for river and harbors, it is not good policy to say anything. The whole thing is a move to call attention from Slater's acknowledged stand on the wool question. It is a political ruse. The Record well knows that there was never a more faithful servant of the people in the lower house than Hermann, and with Ellis to assist him, there would be a strong delegation in the matter of an open river. It knows better than all that there is not an iota of reason in its opposition to Ellis, but as an organ, it must fall into line. It wears the collar, pure and undiluted. It does not own its own soul. Therefore it must rant about what it does not offer, nor can the least proof. This is but a scarecrow to attract the attention of the voters from the result of the wool industry in Eastern Oregon, should our congress be made up of such men as Granny Slater. Why don't its boss get the hired man to show the magnificent results of free wool but with a duty on imported goods? Why don't it stop threshing over "old straw" and explain what a magnificent showing our sheepmen could make by selling their wool in Boston for 7 cents per pound, less commissions and freight, with all woolen clothing at the same old price? That is Slater's plan, and why not strike something new? Ring us up a good, lively change, and stop chewing the same old cud.

It concludes with "It will be well for the voters of Eastern Oregon to look after their own interests and not be deceived by false signs or misled by wolves in sheep's clothing." You can rest assured that the voters will remember that. Your free wool candidate is the wolf, masquerading as the sheepman's friend. That was well said. Keep it up. The sheepmen know that you are not free to stand by your own convictions, and therefore make a grain of allowance for your rehused scarecrow. "Vote an open river."

Too flogger of destiny points steadily away from La Grande, the home of the apostle of free wool and taxed woolens. The political weather bureau predicts a cyclone in that region on the 6th of June and the vortex of the storm will gather its fiercest whirl for the landing of the Slater craft high upon the head waters of Salt Creek. General G. W. Bell visited La Grande the other night. His coming had been heralded by the usual flaming announcements, audent the eloquent, silver-tongued expounder of Simon pure tariff reform. He came, but the faithful refused to be enthused and the audience was so small and insignificant that the great man absolutely refused to speak. If this thing is done in La Grande what may be expected elsewhere? It is the handwriting on the wall and its interpretation is "James H., you have been weighed in the balance and found to be a back number."—Chronicle.

Our attention has been called to a wide-spread misunderstanding relative to the action of Senator Dolph upon The Dalles boat railway project. He has made no attempt whatever to overland the river and harbor appropriation bill, as his bill for The Dalles is strictly a separate measure. The efforts of the democracy to defeat it, because, as they claim, the democracy of Oregon is opposed to it, is a matter for the politicians themselves to settle among themselves.—Chronicle.

The likelihood is that the story circulated about Judge F. A. Moore, republican candidate for the Supreme bench of this state, will develop a genuine boom-erang against the man whom it was intended to help. Such methods are hurtful to the cause in the interest of which they are employed and generally helpful to the person against whom they are used.—Portland Mercury.

Some one recently asked Sir John A. McDonald if there was any truth in the democratic slogan that "the tariff is a

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tax," and the Canadian premier replied: "It is a tax, and I'll prove it to you in a sentence. Suppose I have 1000 bushels of barley on this (the Canadian) side which I desire to sell in the United States. Under the present law in America I must pay 15 cents per bushel, or \$150 in all upon my 1000 bushels, before I am permitted to cross the line with my barley, and when I do cross the line with it how much do I get for it? Why, I get American price, the same that American barley is selling for over there. I don't add to that price the 15 cents per bushel that I paid at the custom house. Therefore, the tariff is a tax, but unfortunately it is a tax upon our people who ship their produce to the United States."—T. M.

The Harney County News acknowledges a very agreeable call from W. R. Ellis on Monday, in company with Register J. B. Huntington, who was introducing the honorable gentleman as republican nominee for congress to the citizens of Harney. Mr. Ellis is a Kentuckian by birth, and a relative of Gen. Albert Sidney Johnston, killed at Pan Ridge, and is a favorite citizen of Heppner.—News (Dem.).

F. C. ST. CLAIR, of this county, objects to a certain settlement being called the "Ely settlement." The Gazette knows nothing about who first settled that section or why it should be called one name or the other. Our representative tackled on that name for convenience' sake only, and not for the purpose of slighting any one.

Hos. W. R. Ellis and H. B. Miller, delivered masterly addresses here last Wednesday on the political issues. The policy of the republican party—for protection and internal improvements—was ably delineated by these gentlemen. Mr. Ellis will certainly be Eastern Oregon's congressman, and he will be a good one.—Wasco Observer.

The republicans are being arraigned by some of the organs for their lack of unity on the silver question. What's the matter on the other side of the house? Some are free silver, more are against it and Oregon has straddled the fence, a kind of "injun" rubber plank.

No, the sheepmen don't deserve anything; they are not in earnest anyhow; only "masquerading." Will that be your verdict on June 6th? The Gazette will be a coonskin that it won't.

An open river is safe in the hands of Ellis. So is the sheepman's interests, but voters, you can't trust Slater. We all know where he stands.

IN THE INTEREST OF TAXPAYERS.

Editor of the Gazette: I am a farmer, and take the county papers. As a reader of the Gazette, I have something to say to the voters, which I hope you will publish.

It is to the interest of taxpayers to have men in office who will handle the reins with the idea that the taxpayers are the men who keep the machinery in motion. That is the business view of it, and I am against extravagance. I have noticed the official acts of W. H. Wilson, prosecuting attorney, during the past two years and am convinced that he has done his duty. From what I can learn he has saved this county many a dollar. I generally vote for the man more than party, and will be found supporting Wilson on election day. A good many of my friends who are as strong people's party men as myself will do the same. Our taxes should be lowered instead of being raised. The farmer is the man who will soon pay the most of the taxes, and if he don't look out for his best interests, who will do it for him?

Hoping you will find space in your columns for this, I am

Yours truly,
A. FARMER,
Heppner, Or., May 19, '92.

Some of the herbs in Hall's Hair Renewer, that wonderful preparation for restoring the color and thickening the growth of the hair, grow plentifully in New England.

The ladies' attention is turned to the fact that we are selling the genuine Foster Kid Glove and every pair guaranteed and fitted on the hand before leaving the store, at

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Parents and Minors, Take Notice. Minors on the streets after 9 p. m., will be run in and fined. Take notice and save unnecessary trouble and expense. J. W. RASSELL, Marshal.

Mr. Hornor wishes it known that he is still selling the machine-made harness at \$23 and good, "steel tree" saddles at \$25, each.

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BIOGRAPHIES.

GEORGE WATKINS.

Candidate for Judge on the Republican Ticket—Has Served the District Faithfully in that Position One Term.

Judge George Watkins, of The Dalles, republican nominee for judge of the seventh judicial district, was born in the state of Ohio in the year 1854, but when very small moved with his parents to Nebraska, who in 1862 took up their march westward with an ox team, settling in the Willamette valley near Silverton, Marion county. In '68 the family moved to Wasco county, young George accompanying them, where they have since resided, the elder Mr. Watkins following the occupation of a farmer.

In 1876 George began the study of law with Col. W. H. Gates, of The Dalles. Prior to this he had followed the occupation of a farmer. In 1880 he was admitted and commenced to practice at The Dalles in partnership with A. S. Bennett. In 1882 or 1883, Mr. Bennett was appointed circuit judge, and Mr. Watkins then went into partnership with J. H. Bird, remaining with him till 1886 when he was appointed judge of the seventh judicial district. In 1888 he was chosen state senator from Wasco county, introducing and with the assistance of others, passing the bill providing for the portage road now in operation at the Cascades, and inasmuch as this is proving such a boon to shippers, practically opening the river to Colho, Mr. Watkins' services in this particular should be, and no doubt are, appreciated. He very consistently takes pride in this piece of work.

Since Judge Watkins left the bench he has been a member of the law firm of Dufur, Watkins & Menefee, of The Dalles, which has a large practice.

His early life was fraught with obstacles, apparently unsurmountable, but with a steady and fixed purpose in view, he passed from a farmer boy to the bench and then to the state senate. His public acts require no explanation, for they are highly creditable; his private life is unspotted and unblemished. Voters, you can stand by Geo. Watkins with a clean conscience.

W. H. WILSON.

Candidate for Prosecuting Attorney on the Republican Ticket—A Good Public Servant.

Hon. W. H. Wilson, of The Dalles, candidate for prosecuting attorney on the republican ticket, was born in Illinois in 1858. He spent his boyhood days on the farm, afterwards taught school, studying for his chosen profession at odd times from the money earned in the school room. After being admitted, he wended his way westward in search of a location, and like many of the young pioneers of the writer is personally acquainted with, was not very flush on reaching this coast. He located at The Dalles and was admitted to practice in the state on his certificate from Illinois.

At the time of his election to the office of prosecuting attorney in 1890, he was a partner of A. S. Bennett. His official life has been marked with a pure to mete out full justice to all, but with due regard for the interests of the tax-payer. This is a feature that the voter should take into consideration.

Gents do not forget to look at our stock of summer clothing before purchasing. The latest Eastern designs. Alpaca coat and vest, and light weight clothes, just the racket for the heated term, at 91-114.

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LOST. Between the Garrigues planing mill and the first bridge, a first-class feed yard with lodging accommodations connected. Finder will be handsomely rewarded. S. H. T.

Hon. Henry Blackman is on the sick list.

Perry Snyder was over yesterday from Gooseberry.

Henry Whitson left yesterday morning for California.

J. J. O'Brien, of the Union Pacific, was in Heppner over Sunday.

Wanted—Furnished rooms or house for three in family. Call at Gazette office.

Nels Jones got up from the Mann ranch Monday, having finished shearing and dipping his sheep.

Hon. Jack Waite, the Montana sheepman, returned from his visit to the Lone Rock county Saturday.

B. L. Akers and his father, W. C. Akers, of Gooseberry, made his office a pleasant call Monday evening.

Ben Leland, Van Duyn's solid man behind the counter, is a great success in fitting gloves for the ladies.

The Moreland crew are still slashing away on Wm. Penland's sheep. D. A. Herron's bands will be the next.

Wm. Driskell commenced this morning to lay the foundation for T. H. Bisbee's new house, near A. Wright's place.

H. A. Cupper, of John Day, arrived Sunday, remaining over till yesterday. Mr. Cupper says all is prosperous in his section.

J. D. Hunsinger and wife will shortly locate in Heppner, where Mr. Hunsinger will embark in the photo business with Theo. Danner.

Lena Matlock has added a new and approved style of peanut roaster, and fresh roasted fruit of this sort is available, and in big demand.

T. J. Carle, of Lons, rode the mystic goat of master masonry last Saturday evening, a large crowd of brethren being in attendance at that time.

Mrs. W. B. Hinkle, who lives on south Main street, is quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Hinkle only recently moved to Heppner from Little Butte creek.

J. H. Allen, one of Eight Mile's invincibles, was in town yesterday and made the most of the occasion by sending back East some of our descriptive editions.

Fossil Journal: Father LeMay, of Heppner, visited the brethren of the Roman Catholic faith in this section this week. He was accompanied by Mr. Couture of Condon.

Tom Barnett, N. A. Leach, J. M. White, Harvey L. McAlister, D. A. Porter, Chas. Stanfield, Lee Padburg and J. R. Hunsinger came up last evening to hear the address of Capt. Bell.

T. J. Allyn has returned from the Sound looking younger than when he departed. When a reporter asked Mr. Allyn if he enjoyed his visit, he just smiled knowingly and winked.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at The Dalles, Or., May 28, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Morrow county, Or., at Heppner, Or., on July 6, 1892, viz:

JAMES G. DOHERTY, D. S. No. 271, for the S. 31 SW 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 Sec. 28, T. 13 S., R. 2 E.

He intends the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

John Barton, M. Barton, James Leach and James Country, all of Heppner, Or.

JOHN W. LEWIS, Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION. Land Office at La Grande, Or., May 11, 1892. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before County Clerk of Morrow county, Or., at Heppner, Or., on June 29, 1892, viz:

ROBERT M. HART, D. S. No. 3035, for the E. 1/2 NW 1/4 and E. 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 17, T. 13 S., R. 2 E., W. 1/2.

He intends the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Oscar Minor, D. B. Slater, Louis Groshens and Wesley Marshall, all of Heppner, Oregon.

A. CLEAVER, Register.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS. A SPECIAL MEETING of the directors of the Heppner Park Association, Tuesday, May 17, 1892, at 10 o'clock, to assess on the stockholders to certify of stock. This amount can be paid at any time, but is due and collectible after June 17, 1892.

A. D. MATTEE, Secretary.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT. Wheat, bu. 60c Flour, bl. 5 00 Beaves, cows & two-year-olds, ewt. 2 00 " three " 2 50 Sheep, muttons, head 3 00 " stock 2 00 Hogs, on foot, ewt. 44 50 @ 50 00 Hogs, dressed 6 00 Horses, slow sale. 50 Butter, roll 16 1/2 Eggs, doz. 2 50 @ 2 75 Chickens, doz. 2 50 @ 2 75

CALIFORNIA MARKET. Wheat, ewt. 81 40 @ 1 45 Flour, bl. 3 00 @ 5 15 Beaves, stall fed. 7 00 @ 7 25 Muttons, ewt. 8 00 @ 10 00 Hogs, ewt. 3 50 @ 5 25 Wool—Eastern Oregon. 10 @ 17 Butter, lb. 15 @ 19 Eggs, doz. 18 @ 23 Chickens, doz. 5 50 @ 12 00 Turkeys, lb. 15 @ 20

PORTLAND MARKET. Wheat, ewt. 81 30 @ 1 35 Flour, bl. 3 00 @ 4 50 Beaves, ewt. 2 50 @ 4 00 " dressed. 6 00 @ 7 00 Muttons, live sheared. 4 50 @ 4 75 " dressed. 8 50 @ 9 00 Hogs, on foot. 5 50 @ 6 00 " dressed. 6 50 @ 7 00 Wool—Eastern Oregon. 9 @ 16 Butter. 15 @ 23 Eggs, doz. 15 @ 18 Chickens, doz. 5 00 @ 6 00 Turkeys, lb. 17

ADDITIONAL LOCALS. Rahl, the baker. Buy your bread and cakes and save money. Try it. See J. W. Cowins for Rock Springs coal. Leave orders at Gazette office. A Minor Bros. are now selling flour at bed rock prices. For cash only. See new ad. A fine lot of imported Shot Guns at Thompson & Co's at bargain prices, no jobbers profits. M. Lichtenthal & Co. have just received a fine lot of ladies' kid, button and tie shoes. At bottom prices, a H. Blackman & Co. have an exclusive General Merchandise store. Stockmen cannot do better than patronize H. Blackman & Co., of Heppner's Pioneer Brick. A specialty. Ladies' and children's shoes in endless varieties at bed rock prices, at 91-114

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Wanted in Heppner—More carpenters and day laborers. From what the Gazette can see there are not enough now to do the work.

SPRING MEETING

OF THE Heppner Park Association MAY 26, 27 and 28.

The encouragement given to this Association at their races last year is duly appreciated, and it will be their endeavor to offer a more attractive programme the coming meeting.

PROGRAMME

FIRST DAY—First race, free for all; two and three year-olds; half mile dash, purse \$125. Second race, free for all; three-eighths mile dash; purse \$125. SECOND DAY—Third race, free for all; quarter-mile dash; purse \$125. Fourth race, saddle horses; 600 yards; purse \$50. THIRD DAY—Fifth race, free for all; half-mile dash; purse \$200. Sixth race, consolation purse for defeated horses; 1000 yards; purse \$100. Five to enter, three to start; 10 per cent of purse for entrance fee. All purses will be divided as follows: Seventy per cent to the winner, twenty per cent to the second best and ten to the third.

These races will be governed by the rules of the Pacific Blood Horse Association. Will hand purses for horses that might come here who are not qualified to enter in any of the above races.

DIRECTORS: A. D. McAtee, president; Otis Patterson, secretary; J. N. Brown, E. G. Sperry and T. W. Ayers, Jr.

New Warehouse!

HENRY HEPPNER IS HAVING CONSTRUCTED AT Heppner a spacious warehouse and platform room. He will soon be ready to receive the spring clip, and attend to such other business as may be entrusted to him. Having been in this business at Arlington for some years, the public know what to expect of him, and he therefore asks for a continuance of patronage at his

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