POLITICAL CARD.

W. H. Wilson,

Regular Republican Nominee for

District Attorney

For the Seventh Judicial District.

Give your business to Heppner people, and therefore assist to build up Heppner. Patronize those who patronize you.

A BOOMERANG THAT WON'T RETURN.

If the young man of our lonesome contemporary who strains at a gnat and swallows a camel, had added a few more "grains of fact" to his bushel of fancy, his "Boomerang Charge" would have been less likely to have shattered the glass in his own straw residence.

"Gratiana's reasons are like two grains of wheat in a bushel of chaff. When you have found them you have found nothing."

The printed circular referred to was published at Judge Watkins' request, as a matter of personal protection to his own canvass, against counter claims, originated and put in circulation by Mr. Bradshaw and his friends, boastfully presuming to show that the latter's record of court work surpasses in point of alacrity the disposition of business by his political opponent. While it was not made a printed statement, in a verbal way, it was doing a hustling business in a mouth to mouth canvass. If the young man would take the trouble to find out who his neighbors and townsmen are, he would have learned that F. J. Hallock was deputy county clerk, and has been ever since Morrow county was organized, acting as court clerk during every term of court held by either Judge Watkins or Bradshaw, though not constantly in active service in the clerk's office. No one is better acquainted with the court records of Morrow county than Mr. Hallock, therefore he was asked to look the matter up, and did so, certifying to the same, signed "J. W. Morrow, county clerk, by F. J. Hallock, deputy." Had Mr. Morrow been requested in an official way, and in person, to have compared the records and to have certified as to the correctness of the same, whether for or against his choice of candidates for the office of judge, he would have been doing his whole duty, and nothing more, to have done so. Yet Mr. Hallock considered that there were some small souled people in this world, who are ever ready to make mountains out of mole hills; and as he did not wish to bring the clerk's name into the controversy, he detached the certificate and made an affidavit as to the facts in the case before the first notary public he could find, whose duty it was to attest the facts as sworn to by Mr. Hallock. This notary happened to be J. N. Brown. What does the young man mean by "Nullifiers of court calendars and published statements in papers that the whole public may read?"

Can it be possible he is so lost to modesty as to presume his own columns could carry anything to such a desired end?

Both judges have done themselves credit in expediting business, and there is little to be gained by these claims and counter claims. The comparative statement in all counties where made gives Watkins the better showing, however, and the letter from the Wasco county democratic central committee conceding it to be impartial and correct, yet gives the advantage of time to Mr. Watkins. The statement that Judge Bradshaw had much unfinished work from his predecessor's docket to dispose of, has little weight, since it in no way affects the average time devoted to each jury case tried.

The smallest part of this business is the attempt to injure F. J. Hallock and J. N. Brown. Mr. Hallock was asked as a deputy clerk, familiar with the court records to compare the work of Judges Bradshaw and Watkins, and he did his duty in the matter. Mr. Hallock made affidavit as to the correctness of the same before J. N. Brown, a notary public for Oregon, whose only duty in the matter was to put Mr. Hallock on oath as to the facts. Had Mr. Brown refused to have done so, he could have consistently expected at any time a revocation of his commission.

EXAMINE THIS.

There are complaints abroad that the board of equalization raised the assessment on cattle and lowered the same on sheep in this county, and that an injustice was done the cattlemen. Let us see. Morrow county's assessment on cattle was raised ten per cent., making the average value $11.90 per head. Malheur's is $12.05; Harney's, $12.07; Grant's, $12.44; Gilliam's, $12.21; Crook's $12.36. These are the cattle values per head as sent in by the assessors of the respective counties, and where cattle are raised under the same conditions as in Morrow county. Don't look like our cattlemen had been wronged, does it?

The board reduced the value placed on the sheep of Morrow county, five per cent., or to $1.74. It was the intention to make it as nearly $1.75 per head as possible. Malheur's sheep were placed at that figure as were those of Grant; Harney's, $1.77; Gilliam's $1.77; Crook, $1.76.

Morrow's cattle went to the state board assessed at $10.81 and her sheep at $1.83. As compared with other counties in Eastern Oregon adjoining us, cattle were assessed too low and sheep too high, hence the respective increase and reduction.

OUR friend, R. J. Hendricks, of the Salem Statesman, is a candidate for collector of customs at Portland. No better man could be chosen.

THE Alliance Herald is using language concerning the candidacy of Hon. W. R. Ellis, that shows the dirty, sneaking principle of the editors, plainer than daylight. Where the candidates for congress are all well known, Ellis shines as the peer of them all. As far as John C. Luce is concerned, he is in no way qualified for any responsible office, much less that of congressman. Between man and man, Mr. Luce may be a perfect gentleman.

THE speeches of Messrs. Ellis and Miller, last evening were calm and forcible. They dealt with the issues of the day. There was no attempt to arouse angry passions or prejudices. Mr. Miller made a good point in comparing the platforms of the two great parties on protection and free trade. Mr. Ellis impressed everyone as a broad-gauge man who will work with equal zeal for all parts of the large district which we are confident he will be elected to represent in congress. —Astorian.

WE ARE in receipt of a communication from Southern Oregon regarding the candidacy of L. R. Webster for attorney-general. We publish it herewith, but will say that it contains little to change public opinion. The Gazette is an independent paper, but it will be frank. All things being equal, it would favor the republican candidate for office in preference to that of any other party. As between Webster and Chamberlain, the latter undoubtedly has the best of it in the minds of the independent voter.

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HARDMAN COUNTRY.

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increase 100 per cent. Never have to feed more than one month. During the past winter sheep have lived on the range all right. Land is $10 per acre with moderate improvements."

Mr. Adams has a very quiet way about everything he does; but he keeps moving along and is never found wanting when weighed in the balance that tries men's souls. He has done well here and can cheerfully recommend the country. He is a man that would be good in any country, and it is not saying too much when all his acquaintances speak well of him.

JOHN F. ROYSE

Is a thoroughbred rustler. He came from the Willamette valley thirteen years since and settled on the bunch grass hills, where he now rests in peace and comfort. That he is the best farmer in this part of Morrow county is conceded by all, and what everybody says is generally true. Mr. Royse has 360 acres of land with 200 in cultivation. General average wheat crop given below argues that way.

1882	average	40	bushels per acre
1883	"	31	" "
1884	"	22	" "
1885	"	28	" "
1886	"	27	" "
1887	"	24	" "
1888	"	20	" "
1889	"	36	" "
1890	"	49	" "
1891	"	35	" "
General average		28.7	" "

This result is due to proper and thorough farming. While the majority of farmers give the cost of raising wheat at about $5 per acre, Mr. Royse figures it out at $7.11. No better equipped farm has been seen on the rounds; good horses, the most approved patterns of farm machinery, and every possible indication of thrift and good management. Mr. Royse settled on a farm for his health, at that time it is true his financial condition was somewhat strained, his entire capital amounting to six bits, and his credit would not buy a mutton, while today his word would be good for 10,000 sheep. It has often been asserted that city farmers were failures, or in other words, professional men could not make farming pay. It's all bosh! Mr. Royse secured a classical education and at the age of twenty-one began teaching. For twelve years he followed his chosen vocation; during that period he held many important positions, one being a professor at the Jefferson Institute, Jefferson, Oregon, afterward principal of public schools at Heppner, Oregon. His health failed and he was compelled to resort to open air treatment. The same principal applied to farming will make a success of it that wins in business, i. e. thoroughness and care as to small things. Mr. Royse has a pleasant home, an amiable wife, some bright, promising boys, and altogether the case presents about as fine a picture of farm life as it has been our pleasure to note. The boys are given to mental improvement, and Willie and Clyde are pretty handy with instrumental music. Ivan is too busy with some of the complex questions of mathematics to pay any attention to music just now.

DILLON ROSKINS

Has been chiefly engaged in stock raising. He thinks there would be some money in the finer grades of horses and cattle. There is a fair chance here for more settlers.

CHAS. EMERY.

"Engaged in stock raising, only farm enough to raise hay to protect stock in winter; did not feed stock during the past winter to exceed two weeks."

JAMES O. WILLIAMS

Drives a fine team, does a thriving business in farming and is not afraid to express his sentiments in "open meeting." This country needs more such nervy plain spoken, resolute fellows.

J. H. ROYSE

Is a practical farmer who works like a master builder and has a good word to say for the country in which he lives. Mr. Royse has a fine team, a good orchard, profitable farm, don't want to sell, "d'n't know where one would go to beat this country, good prospect for crop and values on real estate are advancing. Good day, call again."

O. E. FARNSWORTH

Located here seventeen years ago, and has been engaged in wool growing. Of the business he says: "Wool growing is fairly lucrative, still there is a chance to lose plenty of money if the greatest care is not exercised. I have 6000 sheep, average wool clip 8 pounds, average price of wool 12 cents, average per cent increase 70, fenced ranch consists of 2000 acres, pay herders $35 per month and board."

NOBLE SAYERS,

The champion clipper of the Hardman country, sheared a sheep in 2¼ minutes. Pretty nimble work. Next! It has always been a mystery why farmers, good steady old rheumatic farmers, will leave their homes and go out to some obscure corner of the earth "to shear." The mystery is solved when in a secluded dell hard by, you find a village of dusky maidens, whose smiles can be only won by feats of daring and athletic sports. Yes, its all very well for you old codgers to go down over the hill and have wrestling matches and horse races with the Indians, but if your dear wives find it out, heaven help you.

Over the hill and down the steep grade we go to the green fields and pleasant groves that surround the artistic home of

REUBEN ALLEN,

who has carved success on the wall of every undertaking. He is a political enthusiast. Mr. Allen entertains royally, and is surrounded by an interesting family group. After three hours of rest and intellectual refreshment our march was resumed and night found us knocking at the gates of Ben Parker's place for admission.

Ben Parker and Peter Gleason came into the woods a few years ago and started a saw mill. They have manufactured and sold lumber to any one who would haul it away, regardless of whether the man had the money to pay for it or not. Ben says, "he has always made it a rule not to turn any one away that wished to stop over night, but that he was inclined to draw the line at politicians and newspaper correspondents." The firm owns a large tract of timber, some 3000 acres, a good mill, excellent farm buildings, fine stock of horses. Among the band is to be seen two thoroughbred registered Norman horses, a fine band of cattle, and everything else that is essential to a well ordered ranch. Ben Parker is known all over Oregon and anything said at this time and place would be only a repetition of what has been said. Our acquaintance with him, though brief, has been thorough, and the verdict is that "he is every inch a king."

In conclusion it may be proper to say to foreign readers that the statements made by farmers are not in the least extraordinary. The soil in this part of Oregon is capable of wonderful results when put to a true test. There is abundant room here for thorough practical farmers—men who are not afraid to do good work for good pay. Come and see for yourself, brother. If you have a family leave it in your quiet Eastern home until you have thoroughly convinced yourself of the actual merit our country possesses.

Once more we desire to publicly thank our many friends in all parts of the country for special favors.

THE RUSTLER.

Hardman, May 25, 1892.

DR. DARRIN'S CURES.

From the Oregonian.

Joseph Leader, Taylor postoffice, Or.; total deafness six years, cured. G. B. Matthews, Eagle Point, Or.; consumption and large tumor, cured. H. A. Tucker, president of the bank at Genesee, Idaho; catarrh 15 years cured. L. M. Commons, Russell street, Albina, Or.; sciatic rheumatism and lumbago, cured. B. F. Pope, Houlton, Or.; diabetes, Bright's disease and catarrh of the bladder, restored. W. H. Pettis, agent Manual Life Insurance Company, 33 Stark street, Portland; deafness, cured.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

About the last of September or the first of October in 1890, someone on Rock creek branded a colt that belonged to me. Cal Robison and Bob Veach were seen with the colt. Wm. Ingrum, Bob Warren and myself went down Rock creek and found the colt just above Veach's place on the creek. I took the the colt home. I brought the case before the grand jury but they ignored it, evidence not being sufficient. In the meantime, Veach skipped the country. Now comes certain parties and tell that I have compromised with Cal Robison. It's a malicious lie and the scrub knows it. As soon as I can see certain parties I will give him a show to prove it. I have not given up the case and will prosecute it as soon as I find certain witnesses. This is only spite work to injure me because I am a candidate.

ANDREW ROOD.

HARDMAN, June 2d, 1892.

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The following letters remain unclaimed at the Douglas Oregon: Alex. Graham, Louis Rensen, John Fry.

S. WHITE, P. M.

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Tickets returning via Shasta route or Union Pacific steamer between San Francisco and Portland will be $15.00 higher. Chicago tickets, if routed via Sioux City and St. Paul, in either direction, will be $7.00 higher than the direct route. For further information call on or address J. C. HART, Agent, W. H. HURLBURT, Heppner, Or. Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., 54 Wash. St., Portland, Or.

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By order of the directors.

J. B. SPERRY, Vice President.

T. E. FELL, Secretary. 494-504

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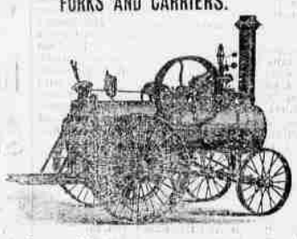

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