

Candidates' Announcements

I hereby announce to the public of Morrow county, that I will be a candidate before the next republican county convention for nomination to the office of county assessor.

THE Montgomery, one of the cruisers of the United States navy, is now anchored in Havana harbor.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY'S bearing is that of a statesman and a diplomat. He has won the confidence of the American people and the respect and admiration of the world.

THE fact that the republican party is responsible for all the benefits which the sugar-beet industry has ever received, and is known to be notoriously favorable to beet-sugar interests and to the production of American sugar for Americans, seems to be sufficient answer to those who assume that the administration's policy of Hawaiian annexation, if pursued, will result disastrously to beet-sugar interests.

THE prompt appropriation by congress of \$50,000,000 for defense and preparation for war, will doubtless have the effect of chilling Spain's desire for war.

IN Seattle's city election on Tuesday, the republicans were victorious, getting nearly every office in sight and obtaining complete control of that city's affairs again.

THE promptness and vigor with which the nation is rising to meet a threatened, or at least a possible emergency, is characteristic of a government ordered by a free people, instinct with patriotism and dominated by a spirit of independence.

THERE is a feature of war with Spain which deserves serious consideration, and that is the possible condition in which it would leave the starving people for whom we are now collecting such generous quantities of supplies.

IF you have coughed and couched until the lining membrane of your throat and lungs is inflamed, Scott's Emulsion is the remedy.

THREE car-loads of rare and valuable seeds and plants are now lying in the seed rooms of the department of agriculture at Washington, waiting to be distributed to the government experimenters

stations and to other experimenters among the farmers, for tests during the coming season. These seeds are the outcome of Secretary Wilson's determination to ransack the globe for seeds and plants which may prove of value to the American farmer.

Now is the Time To purify your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla. March, April, May are the trying months of the year.

DEMOCRATIC NOTICE In pursuance to a resolution of the Democratic County Central committee held in Heppner the 5th day of March, 1898, Wednesday the 16th day of March, 1898, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., was designated as the time for holding the democratic primaries and the following Saturday, the 19th day of March, for the convention, when convention will meet at the court house in Heppner at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Republican County Convention. In pursuance to a resolution of the Republican County Central Committee, held in Heppner on March 9, 1898, the date of holding the primaries in said county was set for Saturday, March 25, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., and the county convention for Saturday, April 2, 1898, at 2 o'clock p. m., said county convention to be held at the court house in Heppner, Oregon. Basis of representation will be one at large for each precinct and one for every fifteen votes cast for Robt. S. Bean, or fraction over half.

At the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. of Heppner, Wednesday afternoon, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Mary B. Thompson; corresponding and recording secretary, Mrs. H. F. Briggs; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Biebe.

Weak Lungs If you have coughed and couched until the lining membrane of your throat and lungs is inflamed, Scott's Emulsion is the remedy. It contains Cod-liver Oil which soothes, strengthens and probably cures.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

The memorial services, held at the M. E. church last Sunday morning, in honor of Miss Francis E. Willard, were well attended, and the program was of more than usual interest.

Doxology. Hymn No. 6. Prayer by Mrs. Biebe. Anthem by the choir. Responsive reading. Temperance doxology. Scripture reading by Mrs. Thompson. Reading, "Miss Willard's Conversion," by Mrs. Briggs. Essay by Mrs. Smead. Hymn No. 646. Essay, "Francis E. Willard," written by Mrs. May Thompson, read by Mrs. Smead. Address by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Fleisher. Hymn No. 93.

When the sad news of the death of Francis Willard was brought to me, I like many others felt that I had lost a personal friend, and looking upon her pictured face in a late copy of the Union Signal, I seemed to again see her as I saw her last in life nearly fourteen years ago. She had lectured during the evening at a grand mass meeting of the Sons of Temperance, of Rhode Island, in one of the large halls belonging to members of that order in Providence, Rhode Island.

A dear little boy, my eldest child, then nearly four years old, seemed to quite win her heart—that great, brave, loyal heart that, knowing nothing in itself of the joys of motherhood, yet was full of love for little children, and yearned over every mother's boy and strove to win them to perfect manhood.

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County court adjourned Wednesday. Considering the business transacted they must have put in full time while in session.

THE world will always be better for Francis Willard having lived in it. She was taken from us at a time apparently when she was most needed here, before her work had reached its full fruition. But the cause which she so loved and for which she willingly, cheerfully sacrificed, much that is dear to the hearts of all true women—the love of human life—has received an impetus which cannot fail to expand even yet more fully in the years to come.

WE, as Christian workers in the cause, feel that we have met with an irreparable loss. She, whom we all loved, is dead. The pure, true, loving heart is stilled forever. The tired hands are folded across the pulseless breast and the sweet, womanly face is hidden forever from our sight. But she is with God. After life's faithful fever she is indeed at rest. She has attained the glorious height of all Christian aspirants, a home in heaven. And to those of you who wear the white ribbon, and who meet today to do honor to the memory of your dead champion, I would say she has left you a good-by heritage. May the remembrance of her unselfish, consecrated life be ever an incentive to press steadily onward until the work she has left in your hands is finished and you can stand before your Savior as she stands today, blessed in the knowledge that you have indeed done your best; that you have improved to the uttermost the talents which He has given you.

IONE ITEMS.

Johnny Day is in town for a few days' lay off. These cold nights and bleak days are out of order.

O. H. Colvin and family, of Lexington, are visiting relatives here.

A new barber shop in town, with Nat Hale at the chair. He will soon put up a new shop. Bring on your old razors and have them fixed up, he's all right.

Grain and grass is not growing this kind of weather and it is feared the peach crop has been nearly all killed. The trees were beginning to blossom in this vicinity.

Quite a large crowd attended the Odd Fellows' ball here on Tuesday night and report a fine time. The music by Prof. Kneeland and Chas. Ingraham, of Heppner, was well received.

Geo. Warfield, of The Dalles, is here visiting relatives and old time friends, and will embark in the sheep shearing business as soon as it begins. Billy Brown, another Morrow county boy, but lately of Portland, is here awaiting shearing.

T. J. Carie, being a juror at the present term of circuit court, has partially stopped progress on the new livery barn but we note this morning that Mr. John Nelson, the city carpenter and contractor, has taken Mr. Carie's place and the building will be pushed right along.

Frank Engelman, of flat-iron fame, was in town yesterday. He will soon start men in the field rustling for this very useful household article, which, when lighted up is a hot iron, and don't you forget it. The writer will vouch for it. Buy one for your wife, mother or a sweet-heart.

The annual school meeting here Monday brought out nearly all the taxpayers in the district. C. T. Walker was chosen director and E. J. Keller, clerk. It was a very harmonious meeting, and it was decided to have a school at lone second to none in the county. The directors were instructed to negotiate for money and a site to build upon and report in four weeks at a call meeting which will be held at that time. It was decided that \$1250 will be ample to build a schoolhouse that will accommodate 120 pupils, and this will be all that is needed for awhile. The old school building will be sold and the proceeds applied on furniture for the new house. A very light tax will pay for the property.

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Hood's Pills Are gaining favor rapidly. Business men and ladies carry them in vest pockets, ladies carry them in purses, housekeepers keep them in medicine chests, friends recommend them to friends.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail, upon receipt of three two-cent stamps to cover cost of postage on the bottle. Mention the Heppner Gazette and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bangor, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

SHERIFF'S SALE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY virtue of an execution and order of sale duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Morrow, State of Oregon, dated the 23 day of March, 1898, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and state, wherein James Jones and James Jones, as administrators of the estate of Nelson Jones deceased, plaintiff, recovered judgment against Geo. W. Swagart, Mildred J. Swagart, E. K. Bishop, assignee of Geo. W. Swagart, (inactive debtor), J. W. Morrow, the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, a corporation, and Patrick Ireland, defendant, for the sum of Two Thousand and no/100ths Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 15th day of February, 1898, and the further sum of Two Hundred Forty Dollars, attorney's fees, and costs and disbursements taxed at Twenty-five dollars, on the 15th day of February, 1898.

Honesty is the Best Policy... We don't claim to be the "Only House," But we do claim to be the only firm in town that owns its own building and pays no rent.

Our Customers Get The Benefit of This! The above statements are facts, but this is not all we have to talk about. We are opening up one of the Largest and Best Selected Stocks of Dress Goods comprising all the latest styles, patterns and designs in Henriettas, Brocades and Plain Cashmeres. IN NOVELTY AND FANCY DRESS GOODS WE LEAD THEM ALL. Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, and Trimmings of all kinds, Look Out for our Summer Goods which will be in shortly. Bought direct from Factory in New York. In this Line we have some Wonderful Surprises, both in Styles and Prices. We are in a position to meet any competition and will do it. E. W. RHEA & CO. First National Bank Building, Heppner, Oregon

Notice of Intention. LAND OFFICE AT LA GRANDE, OREGON, March 10, 1898. 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 J. W. Morrow, County Clerk, Morrow county, Oregon, at Heppner, Oregon, on April 25, 1898, viz: WILLIAM H. CLARK, Pre-emption D 8104, for the NW 1/4, SW 1/4, NW 1/4, and NW 1/4, SW 1/4, Sec 13, Tp 4 S, R 20 E, W 1 M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andy J. Cook, Hezekiah Tippet, of Heppner, Oregon, Robert S. Clark, of Clatskanie, Oregon, and Abraham B. Chapman, of Vinson, Oregon. E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Morrow county, administrator of the estate of Nelson Jones, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, properly verified, to me, at the office of Ellis & Phelps, at Heppner, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 12th day of February, 1898. JAMES JONES, Administrator of the Estate of Nelson Jones, Deceased.

The Leader Of Course! The man that Leads is the one from whom people like to buy. The slow plodders all stand aside for him. That suggests a good reason why so many customers are being added to the list at T. R. HOWARD'S The Beginning of this New Year 1898. A good, clean stock, bought at reasonable figures, is a "joy forever." That's what you'll find at T. R. HOWARD'S Heppner, Oregon.

"When you hear dem bells!" YOU SHOULD KNOW THAT THE HEPPNER TRANSFER CO'S Belled express is coming. Does delivery work on short order, 10 cents and upwards. This wagon is No. 4, and leave your order with it, or at "Central" telephone office.

WE MOVE ANYTHING! MAT HALVORSEN, LEADING MERCHANT OF IONE. Keeps A General Stock of Merchandise Including all the Staples, Hardware, Tin-ware, Harness, Stockmen's Supplies, Wood and Willowware. First Class Goods and Low Prices is his motto. MAT HALVORSEN, IONE, OREGON.

A. ABRAHAMSICK, Merchant Tailoring! Has just secured the services of Mr. Chas. O'Malley, a practical cutter of New York City. He guarantees satisfaction. CALL AND SEE ME. ON MAY STREET THEY ARE THE "MUSTARD" MEADOWS & HATTEN, The Pioneer Blacksmiths. Have made some elegant improvements in their establishments and added a large stock of iron, horsehoes and other materials essential to the happiness of those who need quick repairs in their wagons, buggies or machinery. Their specialty is horsehoes. Meadows & Hatten are the Boys to do Your Work Right, and do it Quick, too.