

Candidates' Announcements

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Morrow county, subject to the decision of the Morrow County Republican Convention. J. W. BECKET.

Having faithfully performed the duties of County Treasurer, I now announce myself a candidate for re-nomination to that office, subject to the decision of the Morrow County Republican Convention. MAY LICHTENTHAL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the will of the Republican County Convention. VANTER CRAWFORD.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. J. W. SHIPLEY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of county assessor of Morrow county, subject to the will of the republican county convention. A. C. PETTY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Sheriff of Morrow county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. A. S. BROWN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. A. G. BARTHOLOMEW.

J. M. Hager has been repeatedly requested to become a candidate for county judge, and has finally consented to allow his name to go before the Republican County Convention.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of Assessor of Morrow county subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. W. L. SALING.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the will and good judgment of the Republican County Convention. W. H. DOBYSN.

Loss, March 24, 1900. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Morrow county, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. D. A. HAMILTON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Assessor of Morrow county, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. W. S. CORNER.

The senate has passed the tariff bill for Porto Rica by 40 to 31. The Oregon members divided, McBride voting for and Simon against.

The Salem Independent is a bright paper and will become still brighter, for it has passed into the full control of Hon. H. G. Guild, who is one of Oregon's brightest churnalists.

Any man of common sense is apt to change his mind, especially his political mind, as conditions change. And thus it is that Admiral Dewey has authorized the N. Y. World and Heppner Gazette to announce that he has changed his mind and will run for the presidency if the people want him.

It seems that another census is about to be taken. The boss of the census in Oregon asks the Gazette and other newspapers to give him suggestions as to how best to do the work. An apt suggestion might be that he arrange to pay the newspapers for the acres of free advertising asked for. It seems that the census bureau appreciates the great value of advertising, and yet wants to get it for nothing.

VOTERS REGISTERED. The vote to be cast by Morrow county during the coming campaign will doubtless be a full one. The registration of voters is a new scheme and an experiment, but County Clerk Crawford is giving voters abundant notice of its provisions and requirements, and all who read or talk to those who do read ought to be fully posted in the matter, so that there is no necessity of any man losing his vote.

It is not necessary to come to the county seat to register. A man can do that before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace in the precinct in which he resides. Thus far a fair showing has been made, although there has been no rush of registration. There remains a space of nearly six weeks in which registering may be done.

Table with 2 columns: Name and Number of Voters. Includes Heppner (162), Mount Vernon (85), Gentry (60), etc.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Morrow County Republican Convention is hereby called to meet at the county court house, Heppner, at 10:30 a. m., on Saturday, April 7, 1900, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for county officers and to elect 5 delegates to represent Morrow county at the Republican State Convention to be held in Portland April 12. Also to elect 5 delegates to the Congressional Convention April 13.

The primaries of Morrow county will be held at 2 p. m., Saturday, March 31. The apportionment of delegates to the County Convention will be based on the vote for Governor Geer, one delegate at large for each precinct and one for every 15 voters or fraction over half.

Table listing precincts and delegates: Heppner (9), Mount Vernon (7), Gentry (3), etc.

Total 49. E. H. HUNLOCK, R. F. HYND, Secretary, Chairman.

NATIONAL NOTES.

Washington, March 31.—It is so near the Presidential election that Democracy is looking for campaign material, and willing to pick up anything to howl about, which accounts for the howl about the Puerto Rica Bill.

Nine of Senator McBride's bills passed the senate during March, and 16 during the session.

At Congressman Moody's request it will now be the duty of star route mail carriers to drop mail into boxes along the lines, which will be a great convenience to many settlers.

Senator Simon has pushed thro the senate a bill to allow Oregon miners to cut and use timber on public lands. S. A. C.

HEPPNER AHEAD. In McClure's Magazine are some gaudy pictures of streets of Nazareth. About all there is to them is there gaudiness, for they are not wide enough for a wheelbarrow, and such advertising will never sell a town lot there.

And the lake shown in the picture is impossible colors isn't a patch compared with the pretty Blue mountain lakes of Oregon. A lot of lifeless sheep are shown in another picture who are bowing their heads in despair while the ticks are eating them up.

SHEARING. The shearing of the sheep has begun in Morrow county, and the clip will be bigger and better than ever.

The different shearing crews are now starting out. Sheepmen say that they are going to pay going wages for shearing, and shearers say that means 7 cents a head, with 8 cents for some thorough bred ewes.

The Matteson crew started yesterday to tackle Sheriff Andrew's sheep. The crew comprises Edgar and Eugene Matteson, Allen McFarlan, John Ringway, Lute Watkins, R. Gaunt, Wm. Latrace, John Dickens and Jas. Lesch. Dickens and Ringway have records of 140 head a day each.

The Pearson crew will start Monday for Sand Hollow; it comprises Jack McKezie, the Thompson brothers, Henry Crow and Wm., Hat, Henry and Alfred Pearson.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT.

The wagon traffic between Heppner and the great interior is immense, and the large loads of general merchandise taken from here are a sight to see. Traffic has so increased that the main road leading through Wright canyon has become too narrow, and the Heppner city council, with its usual enterprise, has determined to widen and improve this great thoroughfare clear to the city limits.

Marshal Thornton and others have been advocating this progressive project for some time, and now its great benefits are very clearly seen.

At the council meeting the matter was referred to the street committee, Councilmen Garrigue, Simons and Roberts, with full power to act. That means that the good work will be gotten under way at once and pushed to completion, and freighters at a distance who start for Heppner may know that good roads will greet them and smooth their pathway.

HORSE SALES.

J. H. Piper of North Dakota was here this week and bought and shipped two carloads of horses. Three of them he bought wild from P. O. Borg for \$100. The balance were wild cayuses and colts bought from Wm. Penland at \$12 to \$25 a head.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down, she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion.

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES.

The Morrow County Republican primaries passed off quietly last Saturday, and resulted in the election of the following delegates to the county convention:

- Heppner Precinct—E. L. Freeland, Frank Natter, Will Cowins, B. F. Vaughan, I. N. Basy, Wayne Howard, Mat Hughes, Albert Osman, W. E. Pruyn. Gentry Precinct—Joe Rector, Jay Devin, G. W. Thompson, Ed R. Bishop, etc.

CHEAP PASTURE.

Anyone wanting pasturage for a bunch of cattle, horses or sheep, call on J. W. Redington, at Gazette office, Heppner.

DAYLIGHT RUNS.

At present the passenger who leaves Portland at 3:45 p. m. reaches Heppner at nearly midnight, thus missing a view of all the scenery this side of the Cascades.

Soon this will be all changed. A new train is to be added to the main line, and the change will go into effect about April 22. While the time-table has not yet been issued, it is thought that the new train will reach Heppner Junction about 3 p. m., leaving Portland early in the forenoon.

BEARDLESS BARLEY.

Seed beardless barley, wheat and rye for sale at Henry Heppner's warehouse.

KEEP UP YOUR COWS.

Notice is hereby given to the citizens of Heppner that on and after Tuesday, March 20, 1900, I will strictly and rigidly enforce Stock Ordinance No. 70, in relation to live stock running at large within the city limits between the hours of 7 p. m. and 7 a. m.

New Goods Daily Arriving. Bright, new novelties in Dress Goods just received. Already we have shown the latest in summer wash goods.

MINOR & CO. Agents for Butterick's Patterns. Bright, new novelties in Dress Goods just received. Already we have shown the latest in summer wash goods.

Slocum Drug Co. Kodak Supplies: Plates, Printing Paper, Blue Print, Platinum and Solio. Printing Frames, Developing Trays, Squeegee Rollers, Ferrotypes, Plates, Etc.

Hardman Mercantile Co. For Groceries, GENERAL MERCHANDISE, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes. Patent Medicines, Hardware, Tinware, Etc., at HARDMAN.

Rhea & Welch Shoes. We have the Finest Line of Men's Spring Chocolates and Tans at Surprisingly Low Prices. LADIES' BICYCLE SHOES, The latest thing out, at \$3.75. We have a general assortment of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes, all in the latest styles. Clothing. We have a New Stock of Fine Summer Clothing, Crash Suits, and Everything fit for Spring and Summer Wear.

THE MORROW COUNTY LAND AND TRUST COMPANY. Is always in the field for Business, and extends all modern advantages to the farmer and the stockman. Its warehouse is located right on the railroad at Heppner. It handles WOOL AND GRAIN and engages in Storage and Forwarding. The Wool Growers' Warehouse. Owned and operated by the Wool Growers of Morrow County. Highest Cash Price Paid for Hides and Pelts.

Remember. It will soon be time to kill squirrels. Go to Ed. R. Bishop's. And get a 22 rifle and set the kids to work. One killed now means a dozen later on. Stevens, Winchester, Remington, Marlin and Phoenix kept in stock.

Heppner Lumber Co. R. C. Wills and C. C. Patterson. Have organized the above Company with headquarters just North of The Fair store in Heppner, Oregon, and have their yard fully stocked with all kinds of Rough and Dressed LUMBER. Doors, Windows, Shingles, Screen Doors and Moulding of all kinds. And everything appertaining to a first-class Lumber Yard. They will offer March 1 deliver lumber to any point in the city limits free of charge.

HEPPNER MARKET PRICES. Wool per bushel... 11 to 16. Wheat per bushel... 42. Flour per bushel... 3.00. Oats per bushel... .40. Barley per 100 lbs... .50. Hay, alfalfa, per ton... 8.00. Hay, wheat (in stack at ranch)... 9.00. Hay, wheat (in stack at ranch)... 7.00. Bacon per lb... .12 1/2. Lard per lb... .12. Beef, best, on foot... .4. Beef, cut up... .7 to 15. Butter per lb... \$5 to 30. EGGS... .10. Potatoes, per sack... .75. Chickens, per doz... 4 to 5. Dry Hides, No. 1, per lb... 15. Sheep Pelts, per lb... .30 to 11. Gordon's Feed and Sale Stable. Has just been opened to the public and Mr. Gordon, the proprietor, kindly invites his friends to call and try his first-class accommodations. Plenty of Hay and Grain for Sale. Stable located on west side of Main street between Wm. Scribner's and A. M. Gunn's blacksmith shops. For the ladies—A fine horse and lady's saddle. PARKER'S HAIR BALM. Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never Falls Out. Keeps the Hair to its Youthful Color. Cleanses the scalp and keeps it cool and itchy. A. Abrahamsick Merchant Tailor. Pioneer Tailor of Heppner. His work first-class and satisfactory. Give him a call May Street. PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION. CURES WHERE ALL ELSE FAILS. Best Cough Syrup. Taste Good. Use in time. Don't delay. CONSUMPTION.