The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:

THURSDAY.....JUNE 1, 1882

J. F. HALLORAN.....Editor.

A Common Duty.

On next Monday, the 5th inst., the voters of this state will decide who are to be our state officers for the next four years, and will also express their choice for county officials. There is a certain element in the ranks of American voters that never quite determines which way it will turn its vote till the eve of election. The ballots of these men count just as much on the day of election as their more thoughtful fellow-citizens, and sometimes constitute the unknown factor in the problem. It is a duty that every man owes to his country, whether he be native or naturalized, to vote on election day; it is his proudest privilege as an American sovereign; a privilege that should not be abused. Throughout the state there has been for the last month, the usual amount of campaign charges and political falsehood, to all of which our readers will give very little credence. We are not in the advice business, we have neither endorsed nor opposed any candidate, but say this much; that no man who is unfit for a public trust should be elected; no man whose interests and prosperity are not identified with the community or state should be elected; no man with one idea in his head, no man of narrow mind and bigoted education should be elected, and—here is the point—no man should be voted for simply because he is on this ticket or that ticket. We believe fully in party ties; it is necessary that there should be two parties, the one to watch the other; this is a government of checks and balances, and one great party looks sharply after the other, and both do good work as censors; but personal fitness, business qualification, integrity of character, and a good honest record, is what we shall look at in making up our ticket on election day. The time has gone by when men would vote for a dog or a devil if he were on their party ticket: now a-days men do their own thinking in matters of faith, politically as well as religiously, and refuse to swallow any dose that party managers concoct for them. Party success is subordinate to more material consideration; of course it is very important whether Brown or Jones or Robinson shall go to Salem to elect two United States Senators whose votes may turn the scale of national political supremacy should the senate be closely divided. But it is of more importance to us here in Clatsop county, in a business point of view, to put men in office who are faithful and honest and who will work for the advancement of our prosperity as a community.

Throughout this fight we have not admitted a single line charging individuals with any real or alleged misconduct, either publicly or privately, for this reason, and this only—that it is generally more a matter of personal spite than a love for the public that inspires such a communication. We have no one to recommend for office, but say in general that the posession of a vote makes it the duty of a man to cast his vote as his own intelligence and good sense suggests.

In general, a citizen's disposition of his vote is exactly in accordance with his value of it. If he doesn't care for it—if he considers it as being something that this government gives him that is directly convertible into coin, or indirectly convertible into influence—he will use it that way; if he have a true conception of the grand prerogative he enjoys, of being equal in political power to any other individual in the country, as far as his individual vote is concerned, he will use it in accordance with his direct conception of its value. Every man should go to the polls influencing his own vote and cast it just exactly as he himself thinks best. Political speeches and political editorials are very good, but they are often too much like the speeches and pleadings of a lawyer who is engaged by the payment of a fee to make his side appear as good and the other side as bad as it is possible to represent. The present campaign does not admit of much splurge. There is no great issue, and, taking men just as you meet them in the census returns, there is very little interest. The greatest pressure on the part of candidates is of the internal sort. There is nothing to get excited over. The "bloody shirt" is eliminated from one side and the cry of "fraud" from the other; in the state there is no attempt at any issue; in the county the question is simply one of personal consideration, and from present appearances, the matter seems to be a sort of "go-as-you-please." The clerks and judges of election will have their duties a little more onerous than usual by the free exercise on the part of the voters of the privilege of "scratching," and, we believe, to the sober sense and intelligent discrimination of the citizens the result can safely be left.

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W. E. DEMENT,
F. J. TAYLOR,
ROBT. CARRUTHERS.
Committee on Health and Police.

Astoria, May 27, 1882. my27 dtf

Notice.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the undersigned at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Astoria, until Wednesday, May 31, 1882, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the furnishing of coal oil, A, B & D chimneys and A, B & D wicks for the lamps of the city for one year from June 1, 1882. Bids must state the price per gallon for coal oil the price per dozen for A, B & D chimneys, and the price per dozen for A, B & D wicks. Each bid must also be accompanied with a guarantee signed by two responsible tax-payers to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, that he will within forty-eight hours after notice of such award, enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for the sum of $500, for the faithful performance of the contract. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

A. G. SPEXARTH.
F. J. TAYLOR,
I. W. CASE,
Committee on Public Property.

May 27, 1882. d 4t

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By order of the Board of Directors.

J. G. HUSTLER, Clerk.

Astoria, May 20, 1882. d tf

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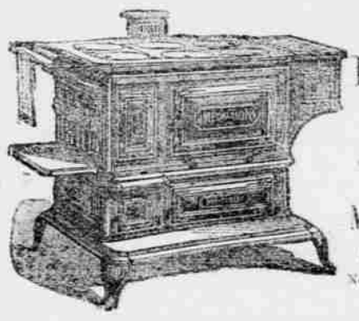

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