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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1908

PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

REPUBLICANS.

F. J. Miller.....Albany
R. E. Butler.....Baker City
J. A. Lee.....Portland
A. C. Marsters.....Roseburg

DEMOCRATIC.

Sam White.....Baker City
E. J. S. McAllister.....Portland
Bernard Daly.....Portland
O. P. Coshov.....Roseburg

MORBID MENTALITY VS. BACILLUS.

When a man states his own theories of health and disease he is merely exercising one of the sacred and inalienable rights guaranteed by the constitution, the Declaration of Independence and all the other documents and faiths and principles that lie at the basis of our government. But when he says that his notions are universally accepted, then, unless he has worded his ideas in very careful guise, he is a candidate for full membership in the Ananias club, with dues all paid and no probation required. Elbert Hubbard, high priest of East Aurora, and most expert, self-advertiser in the universe, seems to be in the last named predicament—not that we imagine it to be a new situation for the frowsy Fra. One of his latest pronouncements reads:

"The whole scientific world now agrees that disease has its rise in morbid mentality."

Elbert Hubbard has an ignorance that, up till now, has stood even his enormous demands upon it without a shudder. But we doubt if even Elbert Hubbard can help knowing that the statement just quoted is a petty and brazen falsehood. "The whole scientific world" has agreed on nothing of the kind. On the contrary, pretty nearly the whole scientific world is committed to a directly opposite notion. The germ origin of infectious diseases is now admitted by all who have any claim to be heard on the matter—and by almost everyone else. The tubercle bacillus is known to be the cause of tuberculosis. The anthrax bacillus is known to be the cause of anthrax. The Klebs-Loeffler bacillus is known to be the cause of diphtheria. These things are not "morbid-mentalties" or any other high-sounding thing. They are simply forms of bacterial life which are inimical to man, just as other forms of bacterial life are of aid and use to him. If you can keep tubercle bacilli away from a man, even the "Little Journeys to the Encyclopedia" wouldn't make him unhappy enough to get consumption, says the Denver News.

After all, though, it is both unkind and unscientific to ask a man to step off his shadow. They say that "nature eternally poses at East Aurora," and it may be true; but she caught the bad habit from the Fra. When Elbert Hubbard

lays disease to "morbid mentality" he is simply blaming the thing with which he has the most intimate acquaintance.

Eugene surprised the people of this entire country last year by raising a great advertising fund and paying a salary of \$5,000 annually for an expert. Up to last Saturday night there had been subscribed for the coming year \$13,661, to which will be added \$1400, the total being more than a dollar and a half for every man, woman and child in the city, and this will be used in advertising the resources and advantages of Eugene and Lane county. Eugene is determined to go ahead and doesn't mind a little thing like a national election. What other town of 10,000 people in Oregon, Washington or California can match this record?

The city council could order the remaining old dilapidated board sidewalk on Main street, replaced with cement pavements and thereby manifest commendable enterprise and bring about an improvement of which the city might well feel proud. It would advance property interests, overcome all possibility of damages against the city from accidents and give our town a more attractive and substantial appearance. If we can't have paved streets, let's have "paved" sidewalks.

The farming demonstration train under the auspices of the Southern Pacific Railway will carry a corps of lecturers, every one of whom stands at the top in his particular line. This is not a new venture, but one that is more popular and which does more good each succeeding trip. Remember this train will be at Cottage Grove one hour and a half next Monday morning Nov. 9th from 8:30 to 10 o'clock.

There is a third Bill demanding more attention just now, and to some of us it looms up bigger than the other big Bills—we refer to the October bill.

Now let us get down to business for four years and boost Cottage Grove and south Lane county—or better still, "Calapooia county."

We can be doubly thankful—the presidential campaign is over for another four years.

Let everybody be ready to hurrah for the winner and have confidence in him.

Two big two story brick business houses are already in prospect for next year.

A mine must not be judged by its exceptional rich spots nor by the other extreme.

The voters have gone and done it. "Bill" is elected. We told you so!

Many acres of fruit trees will be set out hereabouts this fall and winter.

Now for a concrete sidewalk from the depot to the river.

The country will be glad of a rest.

Its all over but the shouting.

NEWSY SAGINAW NOTES.

Mill is Running—Says Cottage Grove Should Repair Road—Burglar Makes a Big haul.

Ben Jackson had the misfortune to lose his black driving horse.

It looks as though we were going to have a depot agent soon.

November 3rd John Wright went to the polls and voted for Debs.

It is rumored that there will be a wedding in our village Christmas.

Quite a number attended the dance at C. A. Smith's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Olson of Cottage Grove visited here over Sunday.

Mr. Olson scalded his foot while helping Ole Kayser to kill hogs a few days ago.

Miss Pearl Case gave a play party Friday night in honor of her guest Miss Ethel Colcord.

Miss Ethel Colcord of Springfield has been visiting her many friends here for the last week.

There has been seen a good sized fisher along the river near Mrs. Caser's house several times lately.

Saginaw is a busy place once more with the sawmill and planer running full blast. Supt. O. H. Jarett is having the mill yard cleaned up and is building new foundations for the lumber piles.

It looks like the Cottage Grove people would use some of that road tax money that the county refunded to them and fix the road along the railroad north of town so it would be passable. It is the worst piece of road between the Grove and Eugene.

Candidate for the Pen.

While Will Abbott was at work in the mill yard last Thursday, a thief visited his cabin near the bridge and ransacked the cabin and not finding any money or jewelry took a gun, knife and some other trinkets and then took a hike to Cottage Grove. As soon as Will missed his property he started on the trail of the thief, went to the second hand store at Cottage Grove, found his gun, took it and went out on the street and soon located his man on one of the back streets trying to sneak out of town, but when Will pointed his gun toward him and asked him to halt, he turned and came back. The city marshal being near at hand, took the gentleman in hand and soon had him in the cooler. When they think they get away from Willie they get fooled.

TEMPORARY INJUNCTION GRANTED.

A temporary injunction was granted by Judge Harris yesterday in the case of Leslie L. Seals and Margaret A. Seals, vs. C. E. Stewart and Harry L. Bown, sheriff of Lane county, restraining the defendants from selling the southeast quarter of section 13, township 21 south of range 3 west, containing 40 acres, under an execution. Plaintiffs are required to give a bond of \$500 and the sale is postponed not exceeding one week after the day appointed for the sale and it may be postponed from week to week until further order of the court.—Register.

"The Virtue of Definiteness" is the prayer meeting subject at First Presbyterian church Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Different persons will discuss the subject as related to the temporal and spiritual work of the church each individual may accomplish. Come and enjoy this service.

Nov. 16 and to noon of 17, Dr. Lowe, the well known optician will be in Cottage Grove. Have him test your eyes for glasses.

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TAFT AND SHERMAN ARE THE WINNERS.

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Oregon 25,000 for Taft.

Taft's lead over Bryan in Oregon will be close to 25,000, of which Multnomah gives 9000.

At this early hour of the election returns, there is every reason to believe that Taft carries every county in the state, by pluralities ranging from 200 to 1,300 outside of Multnomah.

In many counties the vote is two to one for Taft. The big pluralities for Taft are Multnomah 9000, Marion 1,300, Lane 1,200, Washington 1,200, Umatilla 1000.

Up to this early hour of the count, returns from 19 out of the 34 counties indicate that Taft is ahead 20,000. The remaining 15 counties will increase that lead 5000.

Cottage Grove Vote.

	EAST SIDE	WEST SIDE	TOTAL
Taft.....	268	151	419
Bryan.....	136	83	219
Chafin.....	8	4	12
Debs.....	30	22	52
Taft's majority.....			200

SPECIAL TRAIN ON O. & S. E. MONDAY

In order to accommodate the many farmers living along the line of the O. & S. E. railroad, Manager A. B. Wood will run a train up to Disston early Monday morning returning to Cottage Grove at 8:15 o'clock a. m. in time to meet the Southern Pacific demonstrating train at the Cottage Grove depot at 8:30 a. m. where it will remain an hour and a half or until 10 o'clock a. m. The O. & S. E. train will make its regular run in afternoon, enabling the Row river farmers to return home.

INTERESTING SESSION OF CITY COUNCIL

Regular monthly session of the city council was held Monday evening, full board being present.

Petition of A. H. King, Chas. Teeter and others for a sidewalk on railroad street, east side was granted, and all property owners residing on this street will be ordered to build said sidewalk.

Civil Engineer Camp and Surveyor Taylor submitted reports on the sewer contract of Harry Hart which was completed, both reporting the work completed according to contract and complimenting Mr. Hart upon the painstaking care manifested in the execution of this work.

The apportionment of cost of the River street and Wall street sewer was submitted and read, and the report was submitted to the sewer committee. The average cost assessed to 60 foot lots was \$27.60 or 46 cents per foot but this may be slightly altered by the sewer committee.

A new street light was ordered put in on D street, McFarland addition.

Only one bid was submitted on the 3rd and Shepherd street sewer contract back of the Presbyterian church, which was that of Contractor Harry Hart, for the sum of \$315.52. This sewer covers a distance of 454 feet and the contract calls for 6 inch pipe. Mr. Hart was awarded the contract.

The mayor suggested that the thin coat of mud on Main street be raked up by the property owners along the street, when the city will pay for its be hauled away.

A motion was carried providing that the matter of grading and graveling Locust street be kept open for bids until the next regular meeting.

A new street light was ordered put in on Mill street between DeWald's store and the planing mill.

Mrs. Kate Perkins was granted permission to set her fence in a few feet on her property on the east extension of Main street in order to widen and straighten the street and move the sidewalk accordingly. This will make a valuable improvement to east Main street.

J. I. Jones' request was granted—nuf ced.

Adjourned to meet in special session Thursday evening Nov. 12.

Do not confuse Dr. Lowe with house to house spectacle peddlers. Glasses cannot be correctly fitted to the eyes that way. Consult him at Hotel Oregon Nov. 16 and to noon of 17, about your eyes.

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REGISTRATION OF LAND TITLE.

In the matter of the application of Eva C. Wheeler to register the title to lot No. 1 and the east 1/2 of lot 2 of block No. 1 of J. E. Young's addition to Cottage Grove, Lane county, Oregon.

All to whom it may concern:—Take notice that on the 27th day of October, 1908, an application was filed by the said Eva C. Wheeler, in the Circuit court for Lane county, Oregon, for initial registration of the title of the land above described.

Now, unless you appear on or before the 28th day of November, 1908, and show cause why such application should not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

E. U. LEE, County Clerk.
J. E. Young, Applicant's Attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Nathaniel Martin, deceased, has filed his final account in said estate in the county court for Lane county, Oregon and that Wednesday the 25th day of November, 1908, has been set by said court for the hearing of said final account and objections thereto. Published in the Cottage Grove Leader by order of the Judge of said court made this 27th day of October, 1908.

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