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CITIZEN'S TICKET

Big vote and Overwhelming Majority for Citizen's Ticket Features of Election

Decisive Vote Cast For Progressive, Representative Men to Manage City Affairs

For Mayor
W. A. MESSNER

Councilmen
J. R. CRAVEN,
AUGUST SPERLING
W. W. PERCIVAL
W. H. WALKER
C. D. CALBREATH

Recorder
W. G. SHARMAN

Marshal
C. D. WALKER

The Independence city election was held yesterday with the result herewith shown. Every man of the citizen's ticket was elected in a walk.

There was an effort to organize opposition for the offices of mayor and marshal but W. A. Messner led his opponent for mayor by more than three to one, and C. D. Walker also, was elected marshal by three to one. There was an attempt to carry the opposition to August Sperling and W. W. Percival, nominees for councilmen, but the effort was futile. Percival received all but 13 and Sperling all but 23 of the votes cast.

There was a total of 223 votes cast. The vote for the different candidates follow:

Mayor—W. A. Messner, 170; J. M. Stark 52.

Councilmen—J. R. Craven, 222; August Sperling 200; W. W. Percival 210; W. H. Walker 220; C. D. Calbreath, 221; E. E. Paddock 18; J. W. Richardson 1; Colonel May 1; S. B. Walker 1; A. S. Locke 3; J. M. Stark 1.

Recorder—W. G. Shorman, 221; Marshal—C. D. Walker, 168; J. W. Ball, 53.

Though all did not turn out, yesterday was the heaviest vote that has been polled in Independence at a city election. A year ago the vote was 144 against 223 this year. The ticket just elected is generally conceded to be the strongest ticket ever put up and elected in the town. Progress was the platform. Every man elected stands for good streets, good sanitary conditions, morality and progress generally. Let everybody fall in line.

A LITTER OF CALVES

Turned Out by George Murphy's Cow Near Monmouth Last Friday

On last Friday, a cow belonging to George Murphy, gave birth to four calves on the Morrison place two miles west of Monmouth. Two of the calves were born alive and two dead. One died since birth and one is still living.

No one knowing of the quadruplet birth, has heard of a parallel case. Twins are not uncommon, and triplets are rare occurrences, but it remained for a Blue Ribbon county cow to produce a litter of four.

Any one knowing of a match for Murphy's cow will please speak up.

What Some Men Fail To See.
That they have left their newspapers scattered over the floor.
That cigar ashes have to be cleaned up.
That the soiled linen has to be put in the laundry bag.
That yesterday's clothing has to be hung up.
That wives grow uninteresting

because they have no time for reading or society.

That there are hundreds of little things which husbands could do to lighten the work of the home.

That by so doing husband and wife would be happier.

That to find out what these little things are needs but two open eyes and one generous, thoughtful heart

In the Lewis and Clark year, and in every year, it is not too often to speak every day of the needs of better streets, better roads, civic improvements and neater towns, if the people who are to come to Oregon shall receive the impression hoped for by this people.—Albany Herald.

Package of Patents

The Oregon City land office was swamped Saturday, with patents received from Washington. A package of 176 patents was received, some of which had been held for years pending investigation. Among those of this county receiving final papers were:

Joseph E. Sibley, B. F. Mulkey, Lilla Smith, Anna Wirput, Julius N. Hart, Claude Hubbard, H. G. Campbell.

Hop Litigation.

H. J. Ottenheimer has brought suit in the federal court against H. Hirschberg and Dave Dove on a hop contract. Damage is asked to the amount of \$6800. Teal and Minor of Portland are retained as attorneys for plaintiff and Carson, Adams and Cannon for defendants. In point of amount involved, this is one of the largest suits that has come up on the enforcement of a hop contract.

REPLIES TO OBSERVER

D. W. Sears Takes Issue With Logic Advanced by Polk County Observer

Editor West Side Enterprise:

Because I predicted various troubles during Republican rule the next four years and that the Democrats would likely rally under some new name, the Dallas editor asserts: I was a ringleader in inducing the Democratic party of Oregon to adopt Populism and that I am ready to adopt Socialism or any other "ism" of discontent to defeat Republicans. Now I plead guilty to favoring some Populist principles, but does that prove that I am ready to adopt all other "isms"? We refused to adopt Trustism and Parkerism, hence you see we do draw the line. But as to Populism I remember that the Initiative and Referendum plank was the one that was so bitterly opposed by the Republicans and they made all kinds of fun of it. But what ringleaders had them adopt it and even give us the law? Would they not adopt all other "isms" too according to this logic? Now as to the Democratic name I will say that I will be found fighting for Democratic principles and if the Plutocrats steal the name and still refuse the principles then a new name will do me. There would be no treason as I see it so long as I stand for the principles. I am in favor of Tariff Revision.
D. W. Sears.

House Burned

The residence of A. J. Shipley two miles west of Monmouth burned yesterday. Mr. Shipley was one of the jurors drawn for the December term of court and was in Dallas attending court when notified of his misfortune. He carried no insurance. The fire visited Mr. Shipley at a very unfortunate time as he is a teacher of the district school and the roads are in such condition that lumber cannot be hauled at this time.

AT COUNTY SEAT

Circuit Court In Session With Judge George H. Burnett On The Bench

List of Cases Docketed For Trial. Young Gets One Year. Real Estate Transfers

Circuit court was convened Monday with Judge Burnett on the bench. There are seventeen cases on the docket.

J. L. Young held for larceny in a store at Rickreall plead guilty and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. T. S. Garrison was arraigned and entered plea of not guilty.

The case of H. G. Campbell vs E. H. Hibbard, action for money, was settled out of court.

The bar docket follows:

John R. Dimick vs James Plant, action for money.

H. G. Campbell vs Marie E. Koennamann, action for money.

Martin & Blodgett vs Nixon & Dunn, action for money.

H. S. Smith vs J. S. Cooper, action at law.

E. Bement's Sons, a corporation, vs John Ebbe, action at law.

State of Oregon vs F. S. Garrison, transcript from Justice's Court.

State of Oregon vs J. L. DeYoung and Charles Forbes, transcript from Justice's Court.

H. G. Campbell vs E. H. Hibbard, action at law.

Thomas Burrows vs A. Heise, action for money.

Alhe R. Morgan vs Susie H. Best, action for money.

John Rickard vs A. Haldeman and F. Murrall, action for money.

L. E. Knapp vs M. J. Cunningham, action for money.

R. E. Williams vs T. A. Riggs, action for recovery of personal property.

A. C. Dimick, respondent, vs W. W. Johnson Lumber Co., appellant, appeal from Justice Court.

A. S. Newton, appellant, vs Wm. A. Scott, respondent, appeal from Justice Court.

H. B. Kelso vs T. J. Gilpin et al, action at law.

Real Estate Transfers.

Nancy Y Gibson to N O Clodfelter; lot in Independence; \$50.

H S Montgomery to Gideon Sowers; lot in Falls City; \$200.

Philip Heinrich to Harriett Orchard; lots in Ballston; \$200.

S Ward and wf to John F Watts; 163.63 acres in 7-6; \$550.

W E Wann and wf to J W Norwood; land in 7-3; \$1200.

United States to Edw. Horan; 160 acres in 7-8; patent.

Laure J Adkins and hd to Mary A Stine; lot in Monmouth; \$250.

Helen A Adkins to Mary A Stine; land in Monmouth; \$600.

J A Adkins to Mary A Stine; lot in Monmouth; \$150.

H S Montgomery to Geo B Masters; land in Falls City; \$80.

Same to Maggie B Masters; land in Falls City; \$280.

Gilbert Tyson to Annie Aurland; land in Falls City; \$60.

Peter P Friesen to Frank Friesen; 45 acres in 7-5; \$2050.

Peter P Friesen to David Nechtall; 40 acres in 7-5; \$1700.

Reception at State Normal

On Saturday evening the senior class at the State Normal gave a reception to invited friends in the Assembly room. The room was decorated in a manner evincing very great taste. Suspended from the center of the room was a large circle and from this hung streamers, while around the walls were festoons, all in the class colors of green and white. Among the festoons were tastefully arranged bunches of evergreen and Oregon

grape. The decorations were a pleasing blending with the shade of the room. On the stage was arranged a witehee cave with evergreens while about the room potted plants, ferns and palms lent added beauty. The reception committee from the class met their guests at the door and ushered them in, where they mingled in social groups with classmates and friends of former years.

The following programme was rendered: Overture by orchestra; tenor solo, Pres. E. D. Ressler; piano solo, Mrs. Babbitt, Miss Bowden; baritone solo, Opera Verdi, Senator W. Doughty; brass quartet, Messrs. Dalton, Butler, Petteys, Powell; prophecy by witehes. The president of the class, Mr. William Metzger made a pleasing opening address and announced the numbers. A noteworthy feature of the program was the baritone solo by Mr. Doughty. His resonant voice and dramatic style fit him admirably for the part and his many Monmouth friends confidently predict a brilliant future for him on the stage. Following the literary, musical part of the program came the prophecy of the witeches. This was one of the most unique performances in history of Normal class receptions. It was based on the scene in Macbeth. Several grand marches were enjoyed and some very pretty figures were executed on the floor. This reception was one of the most pleasant features of the year and the class deserves great credit.

Dynamiters Busy

J. M. Gentry, one of the dynamiters operating around Independence, used 200 caps with 500 pounds of powder on John Burton's place. This is equivalent to 2 1/2 pounds of powder to the stump. The greatest amount used is reported from the Krebs' ranch where 50 pounds were used on one stump.

Mr. Gentry has gone to Corvallis to dynamite stumps for D. B. Taylor who is clearing more hop land on the Lilly ranch recently purchased.

Wedding Bells

A quiet, pretty wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Byers of this city, on Saturday the 3rd of December, when their oldest daughter, Ora Mabel, was married to Mr. John P. Doughty of Monmouth. The ceremony was performed by Dr. E. J. Thompson and took place at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and was witnessed by the families of the contracting parties and a few invited guests. Both Mr. Doughty and Miss Byers are highly esteemed young people of Polk county. It was a delightful home event.

At the close of the ceremony the most hearty congratulations were extended and Senator Doughty, a brother of the groom, sang one of his charming songs. This was followed by an invitation to partake of a very bountiful and delicious wedding supper, which everyone greatly enjoyed. Then came a duet very sweetly rendered by Senator Doughty and his niece from Dallas, adding much to the pleasure of the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Doughty were the recipients of many beautiful and valuable presents. The happy couple will make their home in Monmouth, and the best wishes of many friends follow them to their new home.

I. O. O. F. Elect Officers

Valley Lodge I. O. O. F. elected officers for the ensuing year Thursday. The officers elected are G. A. Hurley noble grand; M. C. Williams vice grand; Dr. E. L. Ketchum secretary; A. S. Locke treasurer. One member was taken into the order and other initiation work will be taken up this week. Valley Lodge is in a flourishing condition.

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