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The Salem Statesman says that Mr. Huston made a contemptible campaign. Of course! A representative of the Statesman made two trips to Hillsboro in an endeavor to get \$500 out of Mr. Huston for the Statesman. He declined to pay it. Naturally the Statesman thinks this was contemptible.

The Eugene Register says that Lane county is out of debt and has \$1,000 in the treasury. Commenting joyfully on the happy event, that paper says:

"This good showing is worth dwelling upon, and if any person has reason to write to eastern friends, he should not forget to state that Lane county has no debt."

And writers to friends in the East might add that Washington county has been out of debt for some years and has \$40,000 in the strong box.

CAKE BEATEN.

Mr. Cake, for senator, had lead over Bourne for two days, but late returns put Bourne more than 500 ahead. When the first side of The Independent was printed Mr. Cake was over 400 ahead of Bourne, and this accounts for the statement that Bourne had lost the nomination.

The Primary Election.

From first page.

WILBUR K. NEWELL, BRUCE F. PURDY.

For County Judge, J. WESLEY GOODIN.

For County Commissioner, W. J. BUTNER.

For County Clerk, E. J. GODMAN.

For Sheriff, J. W. CONNELL.

For Recorder, WILLIS IRELAND.

For Surveyor, L. C. WALKER.

For Coroner, E. C. BROWN.

Following are the committeemen, the others not given will be named by petition from the different precincts:

Beaverton.....E. E. Fisher
Buxton.....W. J. Staley
Columbia.....C. W. Louden
Dairy.....I. L. Kirs
Gales Creek.....John McClaren
Gaston.....C. W. Hudson
Mountain.....W. D. Wood
North Hillsboro.....R. H. Greer
North Forest Grove.....B. H. Laughlin
Reedville.....Sylvester P. Reeder
South Hillsboro.....T. H. Tongue
South Forest Grove.....Walter Hoge
South Tualatin.....Grant Mann

The vote on state and district officers, so far as received, is as follows:

Senator—Bourne 12,576, Cake 12,146, Lowell 6047, Smith 5254, Watson 3316.
Congressman, First District—Hawley 6595, Huston 3728, Tooe 5613.
Congressman, Second District—Ellis 6556, Lachner 4133, Rand 4053, Shepard 5470.
Governor—Brown 4031, Geer 11,086, Johns 6095, Sehlbrede 1505, Withycombe 12,271.
Secretary of State—Benson 13,973, Gatch 15,966, Pearce 3104, Wrightman 3388.

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State Treasurer—Atkin 5440, Carter 7248, Hoyt 7924, Jennings 2065, Ryan 4470, Steel 8032.
Attorney-General—Crawford 20,164, Durham 12,233.
Printer—Clarke 7538, Dunway, 18,639, Whitney 8397.

All returns at hand seem to indicate beyond further question that George A. Steel has defeated Ralph W. Hoyt for the republican nomination for state treasurer. Although his plurality is small, it does not seem likely that further returns will be sufficient to turn the tide.

Frank W. Benson has defeated Claude Gatch for the nomination for secretary of state. This contest was for awhile in doubt, but according to all returns at hand, Benson has run far ahead of Gatch.

The vote stands:
Steel, 8566; Hoyt, 8257. Steel's plurality, 310.
Benson, 15,242; Gatch, 14,481. Benson's plurality, 736.

The official count of Friday's primaries in Wasco county shows the following vote for republican nominees.

Senator, short term—Mulkey 1049.
Senator, long term—Bourne 328, Cake 339, Lowell 89, Smith 906, Watson 45.
Governor—Brown 223, Geer 488, Johns 455, Sehlbrede 67, Withycombe 439.
Congressman—Ellis 704, Lachner 358, Rand 250, Shepard 312.
Secretary of State—Benson 605, Gatch 655, Pearce 130, Wrightman 193.
Treasurer—Atkin 343, Carter 344, 251, Jennings 115, Ryan 200, Steel 341.
Supreme Judge—Eakin 1496.
Attorney-General—Crawford 1021, Durham 521.
Superintendent Public Instruction—Ackerman 1493.
State Printer—Clark 389, 389, Dunway 880, Whitney 291.
Commissioner of Labor—Hoff 1359.

County Correspondence

We want a reporter in every town.

Sherwood.

Regular Correspondent.
Solomon Weckert paid a flying visit to San Francisco during the week in order to locate a shipment of onions shipped previous to the fire.

An itinerant piano-tuner became top-heavy in consequence of imbibing too much Sherwood booze, Saturday, and was locked up pending a settlement of infringement of city ordinances.

A 14-year-old son of Peter Heater accidentally thrust an awl under his finger nail about one month ago, and in consequence lost one joint of the finger, a doctor removing the same a few days ago.

Umbert Barracco, an Italian onion-raiser, met with a serious accident while in Portland a week ago. His team became frightened and ran away, throwing him to the pavement, resulting in a fractured rib and other contused wounds of the body and scalp.

F. V. Vincent, the saw-mill man, complains in regard to securing teams to haul railroad ties to the depot for shipment, and at last report will utilize a traction engine instead, should teamsters fail to show up in the next few days.

Mr. Bowman's new sawmill was started the first of the week and bids fair to become a paying investment, inasmuch as the local demand for the output is good in that locality, aside from more or less sawing for the railroad company.

George Schneller, of Dallas, formerly of this place was in town Saturday. He is engaged in the livery business there and is well pleased with the location and community.

Guy Hays, of this place will shortly become a United States mail carrier on rural delivery route—in case a deal is successful he is contemplating. A number of changes have occurred since free delivery was established. The road to wealth does not appear to lead in that direction.

Bob France and wife, the latter formerly Miss Cora Hall, of this place were residents of San Francisco at the time of the earthquake and fire. Relatives here have heard nothing from them since the city was so suddenly stricken from the map of the Pacific Coast.

Miss Frances Walling, "Pumpkin" Davidson and several other young people of Oswego came out to attend the dance Saturday night. Those attending report it an up-to-date affair with large attendance and good music, the latter contributed by the band.

There is a rumor going that a certain party proposes to put in an electric light system here, provided sufficient encouragement is manifested.

Jack Town.

Regular Correspondent.
Presiding Elder Hollingshead preached at the M. E. church last Sunday morning.

Next Wednesday evening the 25th, Rev. Smith will preach here on the local option law. It is thought that he will handle the subject as it should be and open the eyes of the voters here.

Mrs. S. E. Olson, son and daughter visited at Forest Grove Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Naomi Nicodemus came home from Portland on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Hibbard and family of Seattle, hope for Charlie Brooks.

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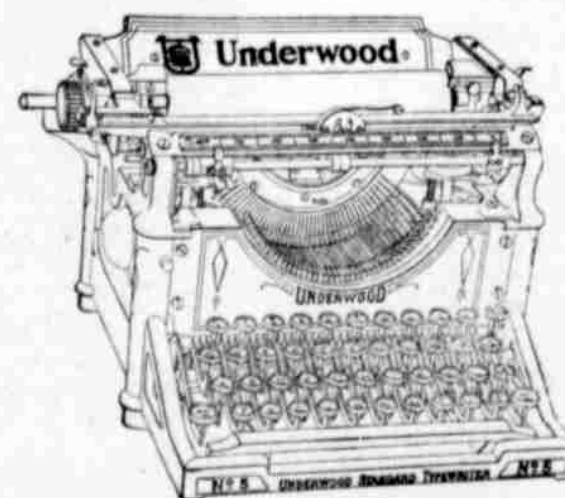
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Official Vote of Washington County for the Primary Election, HELD APRIL 20, 1906.

NAME AND OFFICE.	Beaverdam.*	Beaverton.	Buxton.	Columbia.	Corvallis.	Dillig.	Dairy.	East Butte.	Gales Creek.	Gaston.	Mountain.	North Hillsboro.	North Forest Grove	Reedville.	South Hillsboro.	So. Forest Grove.	South Tualatin.	Washington.	West Butte.	West Cedar.	Total.	
STATE.																						
SENATOR.																						
Mulkey, (short term).....	21	59	23	31	51	12	43	27	30	45	34	8	79	57	32	65	82	33	32	35	44	849
Bourne.....	9	25	14	10	19	2	22	9	18	29	3	2	11	12	12	19	11	14	13	9	18	272
Cake.....	9	43	4	12	33	2	8	20	7	30	23	7	49	32	11	48	37	6	18	8	18	425
Lowell.....	1	14	3	13	9	4	8	3	7	4	10	9	3	18	6	17	51	4	1	12	10	234
Smith.....	1	6	8	8	13	12	7	5	5	3	1	9	17	12	6	11	14	10	16	11	183	
Watson.....	2	7	2	3	2	2	14	4	1	1	1	2	33	1	2	3	2	1	2			
Gearin, dem.....	8	7	6	6	17	7	7	7	3	5	5	1	9	11	5	11	17	6	1	6	9	167
CONGRESS.																						
Hawley.....	2	15	4	6	17	9	7	8	2	21	2	2	7	32	4	13	63	7	7	5	16	240
Huston.....	19	47	28	37	44	9	41	26	9	25	30	6	65	50	35	56	51	24	39	15	31	688
Tooe.....	9	22	2	5	17	5	8	5	32	12	4	8	32	3	8	25	7	12	3	21	16	251
Cochran, dem.....	9	22	2	5	17	5	8	5	32	12	4	8	32	3	8	25	7	12	3	21	16	
Galloway, dem.....	9	22	2	5	17	5	8	5	32	12	4	8	32	3	8	25	7	12	3	21	16	
GOVERNOR.																						
Brown.....	5	7	1	8	5	1	4	2	6	5	3	4	9	4	8	10	5	1	19			102
Geer.....	4	38	11	0	18	7	14	7	13	28	2	4	10	24	7	9	41	13	11	11	3	303
Johns.....	2	3	0	2	7	1	3	2	7	4	1	1	10	3	1	8	4	2	3	2	7	74
Sehlbrede.....	9	1	5	21	2	2	1	4	9	1	1	1	2	3	1	3	8	2	0	9		50
Withycombe.....	20	34	15	13	45	12	30	25	13	15	24	5	80	48	30	67	64	19	27	27	25	646
Chamberlain.....	8	6	7	6	16	7	10	7	3	5	5	2	8	11	5	11	17	9	1	6	9	159
SECRETARY OF STATE.																						
Benson.....	14	36	2	13	31	9	30	4	12	28	11	7	59	31	22	48	31	13	16	9	21	462
Gatch.....	10	34	11	5	27	10	13	31	16	10	13	2	19	29	14	30	61	21	18	23	25	457
Pearce.....	1	8	5	15	6	1	8	1	8	1	2	1	3	13	3	0	11	5	1	4	1	74
Wrightman.....	2	5	2	16	1	4	2	12	14	6	1	21	10	6	6	10	2	9	3	7		145
P. H. Sroat, dem.....	2	5	2	16	1	4	2	12	14	6	1	21	10	6	6	10	2	9	3	7		
STATE TREASURER.																						
Atkin.....	9	8	1	8	21	1	12	5	6	14	2	4	21	16	2	13	18	2	15	9	7	195
Carter.....	4	8	10	2	6	3	7	5	6	12	4	9	11	4	6	26	5	4	4	6		144
Hoyt.....	4	33	29	7	4	5	9	10	7	9	6	3	11	25	13	8	44	10	4	15	11	243
Jennings.....	4	9	19	2	5	5	5	2	5	2	5	2	6	3	8	6	5	10	2	3	4	88
Ryan.....	5	8	10	5	6	2	7	13	5	14	4	8	13	9	24	8	13	13	3	3		190
Steel.....	5	18	8	23	31	8	15	4	11	16	9	4	29	17	13	34	19	5	12	7	24	313
Matlock, dem.....	5	18	8	23	31	8	15	4	11	16	9	4	29	17	13	34	19	5	12	7	24	
SUPREME JUDGE.																						
Eakin.....	26	26	26	59	18	51	37	52	87	75	8	79	101	36	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Halley, dem.....	26	26	26	59	18	51	37	52	87	75	8	79	101	36	39	...	...	...	...	...	...	
ATTORNEY GENERAL.																						
Crawford.....	18	49	19	19	41	14	30	26	17	26	15	11	69	34	28	49	50	24	23	26	36	681
Durham.....	8	31	6	8	26	7	22	11	25	27	16	7	34	47	14	37	61	16	14	10	19	461
Miller, dem.....	8	31	6	8	26	7	22	11	25	27	16	7	34	47	14	37	61	16	14	10	19	
SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.																						
Ackerman.....	18	49	19	19	41	14	30	26	17	26	15	11	69	34	28	49	50	24	23	26	36	
STATE PRINTER.																						
Clarke.....	2	22	9	23	16	4	6	6	9	11	6	10	11	39	9	10	47	10	12	5	12	255
Dunway.....	13	49	20	15	47	14	31	27	32	30	2	2	38	35	23	35	54	27	28	27	13	609
Whitney.....	11	12	13	10	6	4	15	4	6	12	10	5	53	8	10	42	13	5	6	6		255
Taylor, dem.....	11	12	13	10	6	4	15	4	6	12	10	5	53	8	10	42	13	5	6	6		
LABOR COMMISSIONER.																						
Hoff.....																						
COUNTY.																						
REPRESENTATIVES.																						
Barnes.....	18	78	9	10	14	2	15	14	13	6	7	3	19	26	16	21	36	19	10	23	12	373
Barrett.....	24	40	20	32	54	12	46	34	19	45	23	4	91	52	28	75	62	17	35	29	33	782
DeLashmutt.....	12	17	13	5	15	10	14	2	6	3	8	2	1	30	9	23	24	10	9	11	2	225
Flint.....	5	22	15	8	17	8	7	7	6	8	2	16	20	13	15	37	28	9	21	15	284	
Meek.....	12	19	9	42	25	1	21	15	13	28	6	10	43	22	5	36	24	6	33	4	17	391
Newell.....	6	27	14	10	29	17	26	10	17	18	21	2	19	42	18	24	71	21	14	10	26	457
Purdy.....	3	19	7	17	26	16	17	19	14	39	31	3	56	48	11	41	60	12	13	13	11	476
Spencer.....	2	7	4	4	16	2	7	7	25	10	1	2	14	7	4	9	11	4	7	6	21	170
COUNTY JUDGE.																						
Goodin.....	12	21	3	31	15	13	47	5	12	26	3	8	32	37	21	24	45	21	42	10	18	454
Marsh.....	19	61	20	11	49	8	6	10	17	17	12	3	25	22	20	28	28	7	2	17	27	394
Wasoner.....	1	9	11	6	22	2	4	24	14	17	20	2	50	26	6	58	34	14	6	14	16	356
COMMISSIONER.																						
Butner.....	25	82	26	45	68	17	56	35	37	52	35	11	97	77	43	87	102	34	40	36	47	1052
SHERIFF.																						
Connell.....	29	84	32	44	76	19	57	35	40	50	37	11	102	84	47	87	115	37	44	39	55	1130
COUNTY CLERK.																						
Godman.....	30	79	30	47	74	19	56	37	43	57	35	11	105	84	43	91	118	39	48	40	57	1143
COUNTY RECORDER.																						
Willis Ireland.....	30	74	28	43	65	16	53	36	39	54	33	11	99	77	43	83	114	35	46	35	51	1064
TREASURER.																						
Jackson.....	23	54	24	37	51	15	28	24	11	34	25	6	78	32	30	72	60	25	35	31	12	691
Ohio.....	12	4	10	1	...	3	18	28	...	1	1	5	5	1	6	6	9	1	5	42	14	
Palmer.....	5	13	1	6	8	...	9	5	1	...	1	4	21	10	14	18	4	6	9	2	1	143
Weitzel.....	1	9	4	5	18	7	17	14	1	21	11	9	4	40	1	1	49	1	2	1	6	243
SURVEYOR.																						
Morrill.....	12	25	13	16	36	2	22	7	14	11	8	7	76	15	21	59	19	25	17	29	401	
Schiller.....	15	58	10	12	7	4	2	24	13	11	3	1	4	4	11	13	4	8	8	21	14	232
Walker.....	4	10	11	19	38	17	31	9	15	35	26	3	26	65	14	23	94	15	14	3	25	495
COBONER.																						
Brown.....	12	68	22	19	61	17	48	23	28	38	21	6	49	45	19	43	63	16	16	29	34	697
Donelson.....	16	19	17	27	23	17	1	8	14	10	16	10	4	59	36	27	50	47	26	31	10	222