



COUNTY POLITICS.

Several Candidates Announced and Others Yet to Hear From.

Just what the wild waves are saying during these last days of the first month of the year we do not know, but it is an uncommon thing now, when you meet a friend, to be accosted with "Well how's politics?" which may be taken as evidence that he has something on his mind that he desires to impart to you, and if you are in a receptive mood you may hear something.

Along about this time in the season every two years, when there comes a few warm sunny days and the grouse begin to "hoot" from their perches in the tall fir trees, and the hens begin to cackle their spring lay, and the small boys collect on the streets with their pockets full of marbles, the political bee begins to buzz and take on new life as he scents the battle from afar. This is as it should be too for if somebody did not get busy what would we do for men to fill the various offices?

The real trouble all along the line has been that so few people have interested themselves in the early days of the opening of the campaign, to see to it that honest and efficient men are put forward. It is interesting to note that many are pricking up their ears this early in the season.

Of the republicans of this part of the county who will probably be candidates at the primary election, mention may be made of J. H. Rees of Springbrook who has announced himself as a candidate for Recorder and we hear that R. B. Linville of Newberg is also thinking of coming out for the same office. Prof. F. K. Jones is also being urged by his friends to enter the race for representative to the legislature and he will probably do so.

From other parts of the county we hear the names of F. A. Crawford, of Dayton, and John Bones, of McMinnville spoken of as probable candidates for reelection to the legislature, while it is understood that D. H. Turner, the present incumbent thinks some of entering the race again for Recorder, and that Frank Rogers, of McMinnville is also expecting to announce himself for the same place.

It is currently reported that all the county officials whose terms expire this year, with the exception of Sheriff Corrigan and Assessor Hubbard contemplate making the race again, but the Graphic does not speak advisedly on this point.

Martin Miller of Dayton, was in town two weeks ago looking after his interests as a candidate for assessor and other candidates will no doubt appear later.

The counties of Yamhill, Washington and Tillamook have a joint senator to elect this year and here is an opportunity for some competent man to get in and do some good work. Third rate men who aspire to this important position should be relegated to the rear and a man who will ably represent the people should be elected.

Go into almost any shop where toys and other Chinese wares are offered for sale and you will see on the shelves a small toy representing three large monkeys seated in a row, one with his paws held tightly over his mouth, the second with his paws holding his ears closed and the third with his paws held tightly over his eyes. We are told that these images which are linked together as one, were modeled by a heathen Chinese who took this

method of impressing on his countrymen the advisability of striving to attain to the Christian virtue of always closing their mouths that no evil might be spoken of their neighbors, of closing their ears that no evil might be heard spoken of others, and of closing their eyes that they might not see the faults of others.

The Oriental who modeled this little image was wise in his day and generation, and had reproductions of it not appeared until recently, we should have concluded that he got his inspiration while sojourning in Yamhill during the last political campaign, and while being compelled to listen to the tirade of vituperation and slanderous abuse that was peddled from mouth to mouth by men who must have been heartily ashamed of themselves after the heat of passion had passed away.

It is the duty of voters to acquaint themselves with the qualifications or the lack of qualifications of those who are candidates for office, and it is none too early to begin to look the field over, but the man who stoops to engage in personal abuse and vituperation in opposing a candidate for office lowers himself, not only in the estimation of his fellows, but in his own estimate of himself when he has time for more sane and sober reflection. Let us have none of it during the coming campaign.

Letter From Mrs. McKillop.

Lucena, Tayabas, P. I.
December 15, 1907.

An unusual rush of visitors and visiting prevented us from writing our usual letters last Sunday, though we thought of you many times. The Normal is in session now and that means a series of dances, receptions, entertainments, etc. Last night the Rizal Literary and Debating Society gave their program at the schoolhouse. There were the customary orations, recitations and songs, but the grand feature of the evening was a drama written by two of the schoolboys. It was really fine. At first the "Philippines," one of the schoolgirls, dressed in mourning, was lamenting the condition of her land and people. One of her sons was sympathizing with her. In the distance could be heard the bugle notes, the roar of cannon and Spanish war song. Later we heard the strains of the Star Spangled Banner and soon in came "America" and her sons. America consoles and comforts "Philippines," no longer in mourning. "Philippines" and her sons say, "Long Live America," while America and her sons reply, "Long Live the Philippines." The drama closes by all singing "Long Live America." They chose their costumes without any suggestions from the teachers. Six short boys dressed in white were the sons of Philippines, and four of the tallest boys in school were America's sons. They were dressed in dark woolen clothes and, funny to say, every one wore glasses.

Tuesday morning—I had rather a painful experience this morning. At about four o'clock I was awakened from a sound slumber by a feeling as if a needle was going right through my toe. It was the bite of a centipede. My foot pained dreadfully for about an hour and a half and swelled so that I am wearing my sandals to school today. It doesn't pain very much now and I suppose it will be quite well by tonight. Mr. McKillop got his nerves so worked up that when he saw his toe move he nearly jumped out

of bed, thinking a centipede was after him. We have seen so many of them it is a wonder that neither of us has been bitten before.

Real Estate Transfers.

Reported by the Yamhill County Abstract Company, McMinnville.

I P Busbee et al to J W Hutchcroft 20 a sec 1 t 3 r 4 \$390.

CF Johnson to Christina Johnson lts 1-2-3 blk 3 H & L add to Newberg \$1.

Taylor Needham to Wm A Pickett about 52 a James Badley d l c t 3 s r 2 \$3600.

Andrew Kershaw and wf to J A Meeks lts 3, 8 Kershaws add Willamina \$200.

John Harris to Wm A Harris 79 132-160 a sec 9 t 2 s r 4 \$1.

R M Dooley (trustee) to W A Harris 24.72 a sec 10 t 2 s r 4 \$1.

W A Harris and wf to Geo W Sharp 11 a sec 9 t 2 s r 4 \$550.

BC Miles and wf to John Ingle lts 2 blk 2 City Park add Newberg \$100.

N F Allen and wf to R Dannels and wf 30.50 a Joel Perkins d l c t 4 s r 3 \$2800.

T C Buckingham and wf to J W Hutchcroft 9 a cl 54 t 2 s r 4 \$1.

F A Morris and wf to Mary A Jones lts 16, 18 Church add Newberg \$350.

Alfred Simpkins et al to John Simkins 80 a Polk and Yamhill counties \$1200.

Albert M Detmering to T H J Leckband 321.26 a in sec 10-11-14 and 15 t 4 r s \$9637.50.

Dwight Carl and wf to Albert Sage lts 9, 10, 11, 12 blk 52 Edwards add Newberg \$750.

Jesse Edwards and wf to Bernard Bumeister 2.50 a Blain st Newberg \$1000.

Floyd A Swan to Helen E Weed 3.36 a Yamhill county Oregon \$250.

J H Douglas, J H & J F Taylor to Helen E Weed 3.36 a Yamhill county \$250.

Sarah C Ford to Peter Riis 37 a cl 53 t 4 r 4 \$1300.

Abraham Braly et al to Clark Braly and 1/2 of 473.70 a cl 52 t 4 r 3 \$10.

O & CRR Co to Katy Kingery 40 a sec 5 t 4 r 6 \$120.

U S to Chas K Henry and W McCamatt sw 1/4 sec 15 t 5 r 8.

E J Lewis to B G Rosenkrans lts 1, 4 blk 2 Watts 2nd add Amity \$300.

Geo C Christenson and wf to Elizabeth A White 3.11 a J H Hess d l c t 3 r 2 \$1.

Olive Belton and hus to Elizabeth A White 3.11 a J H Hess d l c t 3 r 2 \$1.

Henry Parrett and wf to Geo C Parrott 80 a sec 13 t 2 r 3 \$1.

W E Robbins and wf to Sarah Hopfield lts 1 blk 19 Rowlands add McMinnville \$1200.

John Hopfield and wf to W E Robbins & Walter Pratt 280 a sec 8, 9 t 4 r 5 \$4200.

W E Robbins and wf to Walter L Pratt und 1/2 nw 1/4 sec 8 t 4 r 5 \$1000.

Josephine E Eberhard et al to Arthur A Cone 75.56 a cl 43 t 3 r 2 \$1.

To Fruit Growers.

Parties wanting spraying done may call on us.

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Lost.

Pair glasses between Friends Church and my home. Please leave at Graphic-office.

MRS. A. L. STEVENS.

Marriage Licenses.

Nettie B. Mutch age 20, to Palmer H. Stevenson age 22.

Rose Winslow age 19, to Paul Laferty age 20.

May Mussier age 32, to Edward Wilson age 31.

New Outfit.

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PETER JENSON,
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Sheriff's Sale Foreclosure.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon, for Yamhill.

WM. SCOTT, Plaintiff
vs
A. H. FRILLINGER and EVA FRILLINGER, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, judgment and order of sale, issued out of the above entitled Court, in the above entitled suit, to me directed and dated the 18th day of January, 1908, upon a judgment, decree and order of sale, rendered and entered in said Court on the 24th day of December, 1907, in favor of said plaintiff, Wm. Scott, and against said defendants, A. H. Frillinger and Eva Frillinger, for the sum of \$666.75 with interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent per annum from December 24th, 1907, and \$30 attorney fees, and also for the sum of \$25.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from December 24th, 1907, and \$40 attorney fees, and for the costs of said suit taxed at \$25.00 and for the costs of this writ, commanding me to sell the following described real property, to wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), in township 3, south of range 2, west of the Willamette meridian, in Yamhill county, Oregon. Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, decree and order of sale, and in compliance with said writ, I will on Saturday the 29th day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the west door of the court house, in McMinnville, Yamhill county, Oregon, sell at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all of the right, title and interest, which the above named defendants, A. H. Frillinger and Eva Frillinger, or either of them had on the 11th day of December 1907, or have since acquired in the above described property, to satisfy said execution, decree and order of sale and the costs of this writ. Date of first issue January 30, 1908. Date of last issue February 27th, 1908.

M. F. CORRIGAN,
Sheriff of Yamhill County, Oregon.
F. W. FENTON and CLARENCE BUTT,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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We want to buy good farms. If yours is that sort, and price and terms are right let us know about it and we will mail you blanks for detailed description. If it seems to be what we want we will look at it.

W. B. STREETER

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