

SATURDAY APRIL 26, 1902.



Republican State Ticket, Governor, W. J. FURNISH, of Pendleton. Supreme Judge, R. S. BEAN, of Lane County. Secretary of State, F. I. DUNBAR, of Astoria. Treasurer, CHAS. E. MOORE, of Klamath. Attorney General, A. M. CRAWFORD, of Douglas. Supt. Public Instruction, J. H. ACKERMAN, of Multnomah. State Printer, J. B. WHITNEY, of Linn. Congress, 2nd District, J. N. WILLIAMSON, of Prineville. Joint Senator, Baker, Malheur and Harney Co., J. L. RAND, of Baker City. Joint Representative, Malheur and Harney Counties, FRED. J. PALMER, Malheur Co.

Republican County Ticket. County Judge, H. C. LEVENS, of Burns. Sheriff, THOMAS ALLEN, of Narrows. Clerk, R. T. HUGHET, of Narrows. Treasurer, R. A. MILLER, of Burns. Assessor, JOHN E. LOGGAN, of Harney. Commissioner, C. T. MILLER, of Lawen. Surveyor, J. H. NEAL, of Burns. Coroner, DR. W. L. MARSDEN, of Burns. Justice of the Peace, Burns Precinct, DYKE JAMESON.

Notwithstanding all that has been said regarding the differences in the republican ranks in this county, the party is as near a unit as it ever was, or ever will be, and the usual republican vote will be polled.

The voter before casting his ballot in June, should acquaint himself with the character and reputation and fitness for office of the various nominees for county positions.

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In the coming Oregon election the Republicans expect to roll up a very handsome majority for their ticket of two Congressmen and State officers. Oregon is the first State to hold her election, which will be in June. On many previous occasions the Oregon election has encouraged and enthused the Republican party of the country. The State is now safely Republican, although it went for fusion in 1892, and in 1896 as the result of the silver craze, McKinley had only 2000 plurality. The Republicans have this year put up a good ticket and stand upon a platform which comes out strongly in favor of the retention of the Philippines, attacks the trusts, advocates protection of domestic industries which need it, declares for Chinese exclusion and favors irrigation. The Democratic platform, on the other hand, demands the withdrawal of the United States from the Philippines. The country will watch with considerable interest as to how the two propositions are received by the people of the Pacific coast commonwealth.

The proposed Initiative and Referendum amendment to the Constitution of Oregon will appear on the official ballot as "Initiative and Referendum amendment" with the words "Yes" and "No". In order that the people may be familiar with this form before election day, it may be better for friends of the measure to refer to it always as the Initiative and Referendum amendment, and in using the term Direct Legislation, to explain that it refers to this amendment in Oregon. Direct Legislation is a general term, meaning all forms of direct voting by the people including candidates as well as measures. Initiative and Referendum are the names of that limited part of Direct Legislation that refers to the proposing and making of laws by direct vote by the people.

David B. Hill, of New York, made a long speech at the Jefferson birthday anniversary celebration in New York on April 14th. Mr. Hill urgently plead for harmony among Democrats. These Democratic harmony speeches are all right so long as they are general. It is noticed, however, that Mr. Hill did not mention either Mr. Bryan or silver. Oil and water will not mix without a great deal of boiling. The Democratic party is certainly at present in a very uncooked state. On every question, silver, expansion, and even Cuban reciprocity, the party is badly split.

The largest pair of steer horns ever seen, measuring ten feet from tip to tip, were sent recently to a Chicago dealer from South America. The large horned cattle of America are fast disappearing, owing to the use of pure bred sires, having small or no horns and whose progeny can be shipped more easily and safely.

The real cause of the present rise in the price of beef is said to be the drought that prevailed through the West last summer which has made feed high. Cattle on the hoof have brought \$7.50 a hundred pounds in Chicago lately, the highest price since April, 1892.

Remember that you will never gain, but always lose, by being afraid to do the thing that seems to you right, by following the crowd without cultivating your own individuality.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

For the first time in many years there is no man from Ohio in the President's Cabinet, and none holding high diplomatic offices or on the bench of the Supreme Court. Iowa seems to have most plums at present.

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Arid Land Compact. The State Land Board and the attorneys for irrigation companies have at last agreed upon a form of contract which shall be used in agreements to be made for the reclamation of arid land under the Carey act and the Oregon arid land law. There were several points upon which the irrigation companies and the members of the State Land Board differed. Some of these were satisfactorily adjusted, and the others have been settled, presumably with satisfaction to all concerned.

Under the contract now to be given, the irrigation companies will be permitted to take possession of the arid land and reclaim it. In the case of large tracts they will have 10 years in which to complete the work, but in the case of small tracts a time that may be deemed reasonable will be designated. Work must be commenced within six months after the contract is signed and at least 10 per cent of it must be completed within the first year. All expenses of reclamation must be paid by the company accepting the contract, and for its reimbursement the company is given a lien upon the land for the cost of reclamation as estimated by the State Engineer.

It is provided that the annual charge for water for irrigation purposes shall be fixed by the State Land Board; that the company shall maintain the canals, laterals and works in good condition, and furnish water during the irrigation season, according to such reasonable rules and regulations as the company may adopt; provided, however, that the rules regarding the distribution shall be subject to the approval of the board.

Each subdivision of the land reclaimed must bear such proportion of the entire lien as its value bears to the value of the whole tract. The clause regarding sales to settlers is as follows:

It is further agreed between the parties hereto that from the date of the execution of the contract between the Secretary of the Interior and the State of Oregon any bona fide settler, who is a citizen of the United States, or who has declared his intention to become such, desiring to settle upon or become a purchaser of not more than 160 acres of any of the lands set out and described herein, shall sign an application in duplicate with the party of the first part (the irrigation company), one copy of which shall be filed with the State Land Board, and when such applicant shall file his release of lien for reclamation, the deed of conveyance to him from the state shall be issued without further payment.

State Engineer G. L. Dillman is now in Eastern Oregon, examining land for the reclamation of which application has been made. He will estimate the cost of reclamation and report to the board, whereupon contracts will be entered into with the irrigation companies.

The Bill Suits All.

Continued from First page. prevent important interstate enterprises from being carried out. It is, in fact, the most carefully guarded piece of public land legislation which has ever been presented to Congress, and it insures the occupancy of the lands irrigated under its provisions in small tracts by actual home-builders.

It is estimated that the proceeds from the sales of public lands which are to form a fund for the carrying out of the contemplated work will for the immediate future be from \$2,000,000 to \$2,500,000 per annum, and as the irrigated lands are sold the amount will increase so that ultimately a considerably larger sum per annum may be available. It is estimated, however, that the entire increase per annum in the cultivated area of the Nation by land irrigated under the provisions of this act and by private enterprise as well will not be more than 1,000,000 or 1,500,000 acres per annum after the system is well inaugurated, and even less for the first few years under the provisions of the act. This is con-

sidered a very small increase when for the last 30 years the average annual increase in the acreage devoted to wheat, corn and oats alone has been 3,500,000 acres, and this rate has fallen off considerably during the past few years, and will fall off more in the future, owing to the fact that the humid public lands are practically exhausted.

It is thought that the bill will be brought up in the House within a month, and with the favor of the Administration behind it there is no doubt but that Speaker Henderson will give the measure the consideration to which it is entitled. Conservative members familiar with legislative matters for many years seem to take it for granted that National irrigation will be represented by a law upon the statute books before the present session of Congress adjourns.

The Great Value of Saving Time.

Thrift of time is as necessary as thrift of money, and he who knows how to save time has learned the secret of accumulating educational opportunity. Men who regard it as sinful to waste money, waste time with a prodigal's lavishness because they do not understand the value of short periods of time; society is full of people who might enrich themselves an hundred fold and make their lives immensely more interesting if they learned this commonplace truth.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

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