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GOVERNOR GEER'S DE-FEAT

Governor Geer's decisive delea for renomiation is a great disappointment to a large majority of the people of Coos county. Geer is personally popular in this section, aside from the fact that we had hoped to see his clean and business-like administration endorsed by the Republican party of the state.

It is one of the stumbling blocks in the way of good govgrament, that the official who detires to stay in public life is almost obliged to devote his energies while in office to the building up of a machine, rather than to giving the best possible service to the people. Had Governor Geer used the patronage and influence of his office with the sole object of securing his own renomination it is likely that he would have carried his point, and the people would have paid the freight.

ided with the sinews of war for the campaign. He was a Democrat until 1895, when he left his party on the silver issue.

It is said that Governor Geer will now turn his attention to the United States senatorship. It may be that history will repeat itself in his case. It will be remembered that his being turned down in his application for

the collectorship at Portland had the effect of landing him in the State House. If his present defeat should result in giving him the senatorship he will have no cause for regret.

THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET The ticket nominated by the Democratic convention on Wednesday is composed of gentlemen of good character and clean records, so far as the MAIL is intormed. It seems as though the campaign, so far as county officers are concerned at least, might be conducted without any mudslinging or personal abuse. Coos county campaigns have, in fact, been usually free from the objectionable features which prevail in some localities.

The Democrats seem to have hopes of electing several of their candidates, and it is a satisfactian to know that if they are partially successful it will not be a cause for intense alarm on the part of the taxpayers.

While, as a general proposition, . partisan politise should not cost much figure in county affairs, yet it seems that in this case there. will be little excuse for scratching which means that the Dem-

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If the Boers had been able to confine in a prison camp all the British soldiers they have captured during the last year the spectacle would be an unpleasant one for British pride.

Canada's military establishment, consisting of less than 40,-000 men, all told, will be increased to 150,000 if the British dea of colonial defense prevails. But the dominion as yet has not warmed to the expansive idea.

Reflections of a Bachelor

The poor man saves what the rich man squanders.

A woman who hasn't got a family doctor never feels that her social position is secure.

In modern households doctors are luxuries, dressmakers necessities.

The man who saves money bean yesterday; the man who dosen't is going to begin tomor ow,

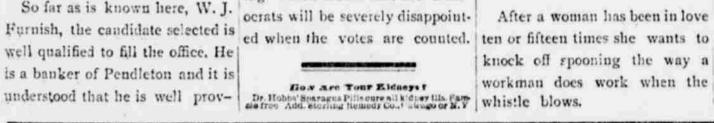
Speculating in Wall Street is easier than gambling with matrimony, but it isn't any more profitable.

You can get interested in some people without caring for them he way you can get interested in a mustard plaster without liking

The last argument of a woman is suddenly to veer around and take your side of it, declaring you have come around to he side a The man who always seems to be more hard up than the one who is trying to borrow money is the one he tries 'to borrow it írom.



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