

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

Congressman—R A Miller, of Jackson-ville.
Governor—Sylvester Penneyer, of Port-land.
Secretary of State—W M Townsend, of Lake Co.
Treasurer—G W Webb, of Pendleton.
Supreme Judge—B F Bonham, of Sa m.
Supt. of Public Instruction—A LeRoy, of Brownsville.
State Printer—J O'Brien, of Portland.
Prosecuting Attorney 3rd Dist—J J Whitney, of Albany.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR STATE SENATORS—Hon J K Weatherford and Hon Jeff Myers.
REPRESENTATIVES—C. J. Sheild, Hon F C Hansard and Dr J F Henry.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER—William Rumbough.
COUNTY RECORDER—E E Davis.
SHERIFF—Matt Scott.
COUNTY CLERK—N P Payne.
COUNTY TREASURER—W E Carl.
ASSESSOR—H S Williams.
SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT—G F Russell.
COUNTY SURVEYOR—E J O'Connor.
COUNTY CORONER—Frank Parrish.

A VERIFIABLE BOOMERANG.

The Herald, taking its cue from Thompson, talks of the school land swindle in which Governor Penneyer is implicated. We assume that the Herald knows no better, but Thompson knew as well as he knew the letters of the alphabet that his statement that the secretary of state has nothing to do with the sale of these lands was false. The law makes the governor, secretary of state, and state treasurer a board to sell school lands, and if there is any swindle in their sale the republican candidate for secretary of state is equally responsible. But Thompson in order to be elected is not only willing to spend \$100,000 to secure his election but is perfectly willing to sacrifice his own candidate for secretary of state. Let us see. In the act of congress admitting Oregon into the union it was provided that the state should be entitled to every 16th and 36th sections of public lands therein for school purposes, and in case congress had already disposed of any of these sections then the state should have other lands in lieu thereof. Under a decision of the commissioner of the general land office the state was allowed to select indemnity school lands for the 16th and 36th sections on the Warm Spring Reservation. Under the law of the state the governor is the land commissioner to select these lands. The law also provides that the state Board shall sell all school lands at the uniform price of \$1.25 per acre. Any citizen of the United States and a resident of this state may make application to have selected for the purpose of buying any tract of unoccupied public land not exceeding 320 acres in lieu of these 16th or 36th sections on the Warm Spring reservation. When this application is made the governor must select the land without any discretion in the matter. When the register of the local U S Land office accepts the selection the applicant is notified to pay within sixty days and he becomes the purchaser. Under this state of things some "business man" (D P Thompson tells the people everywhere that he is a "business" man and the people believe it,) looks around over the public lands and finds a valuable tract, and he goes to some man, ignorant of the law, and tell him he knows of a piece of land worth \$4 or \$5 per acre which he will get for him for \$3 or \$3.50 per acre. The man not knowing any thing better to do, and being anxious to get the land agrees to take it. This "business man" has the ignorant man to make the necessary affidavit to become a purchaser, sends the application and affidavit to the state land commissioner who under the law must select the land. It is done and in due time the ignorant man is notified, and the "business man" pays the Board \$1.25 per acre, has the deed made direct to the ignorant man, receives from him his \$3 or \$4 per acre and goes his way rejoicing. This "business man" is not known in the matter except as agent of the actual purchaser. In all this the state has lost nothing as Thompson attempts to make people believe as the state in any case must sell the lands at \$1.25 per acre, no more, no less. Now, then, who are these enterprising "business men" who have been "swindling" the state as Thompson says? Who is the "syndicate" that he hinted the governor belonged to? Why, McDonald the former Register of the land office at Dallas and whose letter Thompson reads from has told in the Oregonian who they were. Foremost among this syndicate of "business men" is Eugene McCormack, clerk of the school board under Moody, a bright light among republicans. Another one of the "syndicate" is Hon. Charles Hilton present republican senator from Wasco, Sherman and Gilliam counties. Another was Charlie Cartwright ex-joint republican senator from Crook, Klamath and Lake county.

What ever may have been the profits of these friends of D P Thompson in these land transactions the state lost nothing, for whatever lands may be selected the state receives only \$1.25 per acre any way. Thompson's attempts to make people believe the state suffered loss shows the true character of the man. The state's interests were made secure all the time by the board. Whatever swindling was done, if any was by these "business men" Eugene McCormack, Charles Hilton and Charlie Cartwright all ardent republicans and earnest supporters of David Thompson. This whole matter proves a veritable boomerang against David,

COURAGEOUS.

Vote for a man for governor who has the courage of his convictions, who will not allow bills to become laws without his signature, and then attempt to make political capital by denouncing them as extravagant. Vote for D P Thompson, who will either sign or veto every bill.—Statesman. David is a very courageous man. He, himself, claims that he voted for the non taxable bond bill six times, though he said all the time the bill was unconstitutional, and he tells publicly of working zealously against the bill though he voted for it. He is a very courageous man indeed! It is a matter of congratulation that so few men with this kind of courage are called to fill public offices.

COUNTY CANTANS.

The democratic candidates of Linn county will speak on the political issues of the day at the following times and places: Waterloo, Thursday, May 29th, at one o'clock, p m.
Lebanon, Friday, May 30th, at one o'clock p m.
Albany, Saturday, May 31st, at one o'clock p m.
Opposing candidates are respectfully invited to be present and participate in the discussion.
Geo E Chamberlala, Chairman Dem county Central Com.
T J Siles, Secretary.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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At Albany Opera House, Friday, evening, May 30, Miss Flora Batson, of New York, The Greatest Colored Singer in the World, Supported by Popular Talent.

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Her articulation is so perfect that her renditions seem like recitations set to music.—Kansas City Dispatch.
A better pleased audience never filled out of the theatre than that which listened to her last evening.—Los Angeles Tribune.
Never before was so select, so critical an audience, more moved, more enchanted, more electrified, than by this great colored mistress of song.—The San Diego, Cal.
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Possessing a voice of rare richness and wonderful range, she is undeniably the greatest singer among the 8,000,000 colored people in America, and deserves a high rank among the great singers of the world. Her progress through the country has been one continuous triumph.—Denver Rocky Mountain News.

TICKETS.—Floor 50 cents; Gallery 25 cents; Children 25 cents. Floor seats reserved without extra cost; at Blackman's drug store, on and after May 15th.

MONEY.—Home capital to loan on approved security. W E McPher-son, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Front street, opposite the Russ House.

LOST.—A dog wearing a chain and collar, with a glass or white eye. Return to R A Irvine, Albany, Or.

CITY TAXES.—Notice is hereby given that the tax roll of the city of Albany, O., for the year 1896, has been placed in my hands for a file, and that I will be at the Council chamber, said city, to receive and receipt for the taxes charged in said roll, for the period of 30 days from date of this notice. All taxes remaining unpaid at the expiration of thirty days thereafter will be retained by the Council of the city of Albany as a lien, and costs and expenses for collecting such taxes be added thereto. JOHN N HUFFMAN, City Marshal.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—Bids will be received by Mr H H Hewitt, of Albany, up to 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, May 31, for furnishing the material and labor to erect a two-story dwelling house. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of C W Ayers, architect, or at Mr Hewitt's office in the same building.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—Bids will be received by the Trustees of Lebanon School District, at Lebanon, up to 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, May 31, for furnishing all necessary material and labor to erect a school building. Plans and specifications can be seen at the store of C C Haack, man, at Lebanon, until Friday, May 28, and at the office of C W Ayers, Architect at Albany, until Saturday, May 31.
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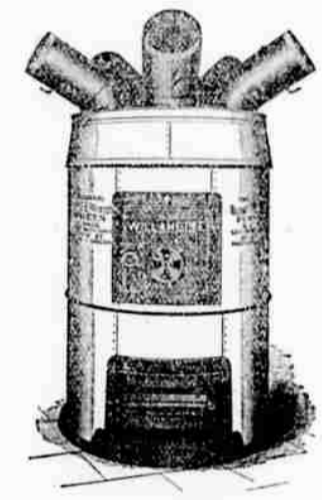
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