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THURSDAY MARCH 15, 1906.

**THE CASE OF MYRTLE TIPTON.**

A three-cornered problem in sociology, in criminology and in environment is presented in the case of Myrtle Tipton, the girl horse thief, who is under sentence of two years' confinement in the state's prison at Walla Walla. Reckless, care free, apparently unable to realize the gravity of her position, the wild life that preceded her arrest, trial conviction and incarceration had, and still seems to have, a charm for her that does not promise well for her future. Her childhood was spent in the saddle and at the plow, and the free and open life, utterly destitute of responsibility, has attractions for her that it is hoped two years in prison will dissipate.

An attempt will be made to secure her release on parole, her mother standing sponsor for her good behavior. The wisdom of such a course may be doubted. Repentance must precede reform, and there are as yet no indications that the girl repents the steps that led up to her present abode. It is easy to conceive that much greater ill may befall a daring, unrestrained, irresponsible young woman who masquerades in man's attire and seeks the vocations of men than has yet befallen Myrtle Tipton. Prison discipline will probably be much more to her advantage than freedom on parole for the next two years—better for herself and

and better for the heartbroken mother who pleads for her release.—Oregonian.

If you cannot find what you want in the Drug line try Davidson Bros, of lone, they carry the largest stock of Drugs and Chemicals in Morrow Co. Mail and Telephone orders promptly attended to. 9tt

This section was visited by one of the most severe storms of the season the past week. On Saturday a light snow fell which soon melted and by night a strong North wind was blowing which continued until Monday. Considerable snow fell during the wind and on Monday about 6 inches of snow covered the wheatfields which protects the growing crops from the cold weather. Small fruit has been injured slightly, grain has not been injured but farmers say the snow has been a benefit to their crops.

**CHAFF FROM THE STRAW STACK**

Don't growl—the dogs in town do enough.

Some people know too much to believe anything.

The moth always looks on the bright side of the flame.

Nature leaves a lot of work for the dressmaker to finish.

The small boy has a great capacity for apoles and plums.

A mighty little whiskey sometimes makes a good man bad.

Lots of worthy people are not popular. There's your case for example.

The latest is the automobile hearse and people are just dying to ride in them.

Charity leaves enough sins uncovered to prevent gossips from acquiring lockjaw.

Nothing destroys the memory of a man like doing him a favor.

**NOTICE.**

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**COUNTY CLERK.**

I hereby announce myself as Republican candidate for County Clerk subject to the primaries to be held April 20th 1906.

LEWIS KINNEY.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Republican nomination for County Sheriff of Morrow county, subject to the action of the primaries to be held April 20th, 1906. If elected I promise to work for the best interest of the people of Morrow county and to perform the duties of the office faithfully and impartially.

A. K. FULLER.

**W. F. BARNETT & CO.**

Our Spring Goods have arrived and we will gladly show you our entire line, if you come whether you want to purchase or not.

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A hobo dentist is touring Ohio. His specialty is inserting teeth in pies.

There are circumstances under which the boldest bull dog will look sheepish.

**HENRY E. COLLIER FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Republican nomination for Circuit Judge for the sixth judicial district, comprising Umatilla and Morrow counties, subject to the action of the primaries to be held April 20th 1906.

HENRY E. COLLIER.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for clerk of Morrow county on the Republican ticket, subject to the will of the voters at the direct primaries on the 20th of April. If elected I shall endeavor to faithful fulfill the duties, of the office with the least expense to the people of the county.

T. W. MORGAN.

**FOR SHERIFF.**

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Sheriff of Morrow county on the Republican ticket, subject to the voters at the direct primaries on the 20th of April, 1906. If elected I shall enforce the laws and shall make war upon the horse-thieves and gamblers.

E. M. SHUTT.

**ANNOUNCEMENT.**

To the Republican voters of Morrow county.

I have secured the required number of names on my petition to entitle me to have my name printed on the official nominating ballot for the Republican party, as candidate for nomination as County Clerk of Morrow county I respectfully solicit the support of all members of the party at the primaries on April 20, 1906.

Yours faithfully,

W. O. HILL.

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