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Small, but Like the Acorn, Potent

ATTORNEY-GENERAL DUE HERE MONDAY

Attorney-General Crawford is due to arrive in Laidlaw Monday, July 13, to take testimony in the ditch case. He is coming by way of the mountains, he and his party being met at Detroit, on the western slope; by C. W. Allen, William G. Stiles, C. P. Becker and F. E. Dayton, who left here Wednesday with a double-seated carriage and pack horses for that purpose.

Seneca Smith will represent the Columbia Southern irrigating company at the inquiry. The action will then go to trial before Judge Wolverton, who it is believed can reach the case and render a decision this fall.

You Bet We'll Stay!

Because one man unaided, can not get out a quarto newspaper with any degree of satisfaction, or proper result, the Chronicle appears this week reduced in size but not in quality. The business won't stand a larger paper at present; as soon as it will, a large paper will again be published. The editor intends to stick it out. The news will be printed as always, although in more condensed form. While the Chronicle remains of small size, the price will be only \$1.00 a year! Those who have paid \$1.50 in advance subscriptions beyond July 4 will have their time extended pro rata.

AND NOW

Who is the most popular woman, of any age, in Crook county?
Who is the most popular man, of any age, in Crook county?
Prize, in each contest, a return trip from Shaniko to any place on the O. R. & N. railroad in Oregon.
Contest closes December 1, 1908. Prizes will be awarded December 15, in time for Christmas. There will also be second, third and fourth prizes, to be announced later. GET BUSY!

CHRONICLE BALLOT.

One vote for _____
of _____
as the most popular _____ in
Crook county. (man or woman.)
THIS VOTE VOID IF CAST AFTER JULY 28

VOTES COUNT AS FOLLOWS:

Ballots cut from paper	1
New subscriptions @ \$1 year	200
Now paid up and renewals	175
Five years in advance @ \$5	2,500
Paid advs. or job work; each cent	1
Other paper, Chronicle or other Mountain	



COLONEL W. F. STEWART.

Senator Rayner's defense of Colonel Stewart, the army officer who was sent into "exile" by order of President Roosevelt, has attracted no end of attention to the veteran artilleryist's case. The Maryland statesman in one of his speeches referred to Colonel Stewart as "the Dreyfus of America" and, demanding an inquiry into the reasons for his being transferred to an abandoned post in Arizona, declared that the order was one of the most arbitrary acts ever directed at an officer in the United States army.

LOCALS CORRALLED ON HOME ROUNDUP

- *E. W. Merrill is new postmaster at Bend.
- *Mrs. E. B. James, accompanied by George Couch as driver, left Monday for Shaniko to meet and escort her invalid mother, Mrs. Mary Platt of Portland, to Laidlaw.
- *G. W. Horner, Robert Horner and W. P. Myers, of Laidlaw; Charles Spangh and Jean Wheeler, of Fumalo; Mr. Cox, of Lamonta; and J. W. and Clement Turnidge, of Crabtree; are fishing above Bend.
- *J. M. and S. F. Patton are at Canyon City proving up.
- *A. E. Anderson is here from Sage flat for blacksmithing by M. S. Bullard.
- *W. D. Barnes and H. W. King have gone to the John Day for a month's camping.
- *Next grange meeting, with full paraphernalia, Saturday afternoon July 11, all come.
- *Next Friday night, July 10, at the church in Laidlaw, Prof. J. Alton Thompson will lecture on "Socialism; What It Has Accomplished."

Socialist Nominees.

NEW YORK, July 9—Socialists in convention named this ticket—
For President—Martin R. Preston, of Nevada.
For Vice-President—Donald Moore, of Virginia.

Democratic Nominees.

DENVER, July 7—Democrats in convention named this ticket—
For President—William Jennings Bryan, of Nebraska.
Vice-President not yet nominated.

LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE REWARD

In order that none may be ignorant of the provisions of the law regarding the disposition of liquor in prohibition territory, the Law and Order league authorize the publication of the following excerpts from the local option law: Sec. 2 provides that alcoholic stimulants may be sold as medicine in cases of actual sickness, "but such stimulants shall only be sold upon the written prescription of a regular practicing physician, dated and signed by him, and certified, on his honor, that he, the physician, has personally examined the applicant, naming him, and that he finds him actually sick and in need of the stimulant prescribed as medicine; provided, that a physician who does not follow the practice of medicine as a principal and usual calling shall not be authorized to give the prescription provided for in this section; and provided further, that no person shall be permitted to sell more than once on the prescription, nor shall any person be permitted to sell at all on the prescription of a physician not herein authorized to give it, nor on a prescription which is not dated, signed and certified as above required; provided, that every person selling such stimulants upon the prescriptions herein provided for shall cancel such prescription by endorsing thereon the word 'canceled' and the date of cancellation, and shall file same away."

Section 15 also provides that any person who shall "sell, exchange or give away, with a purpose of evading the provisions of this law, any intoxicating liquors whatsoever, or in any way violate the provisions of this law, shall be punished for such second and each subsequent violation of the law, by both such fine and imprisonment.

Realizing that, in order to obtain the benefits of prohibition, the law must be enforced, to further this end, the Law and Order League offers a standing reward of \$25 for evidence leading to each and every conviction.

Ray V. Constable, Sec'y.