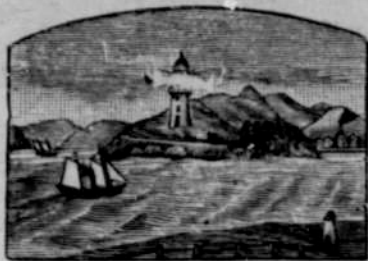


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IN THE FIELD OF POLITICS

THE INTEREST INCREAS- ING EVERY DAY.

Political matters have been quiet so far, but as the election is approaching and the candidates begin to move around, things are warming up a little. The following is self explanatory:

The J. P. CANDIDATES.

Ed. HEADLIGHT:—Once this precinct should have a good J. P. Electing men as a joke and for charity's sake has gone far enough. Motives of mercy only prevent me from referring to the record of Judge Mauley, and it would serve no purpose as there is no danger of his election again. The same motives would apply to Judge W. B. Smith, who was not elected through charity, but as a joke, and it is said he can't legally hold the office.

Uncle Ben Bunn would probably make a fairly good justice, but he will not be elected. G. W. Sappington and J. H. Bridgeford are both well qualified in every respect, but the indications are that Mr. Bridgeford will be only third in the race, and republicans, of course, should support Mr. Sappington. However the real fight is between Mr. Sappington and Mr. Smith, with the odds largely in Sappington's favor. A neat scheme is up to defeat him however. A large number of populists have gone to each Mauley and Bunn promising them support, but the object is to get them to run as it is thought that the few votes they get will hurt Sappington more than anyone else. But, don't be alarmed. Not a pop. will scratch his ticket this year, and Messrs. Mauley and Bunn needn't expect half a dozen votes from that source.

By all means let us have a respectable J. P. once. If any are in doubt as to what I mean, I will make it plainer in my next letter.

Respectfully,
VOTER.

Yamhill County Politics.

The following are from the Telephone Register, the only democratic paper in the county and refers to the action of the democratic convention of that county refusing to place a ticket in the field, excepting that one justice and constable were nominated:

"Two years ago the democrats elected a justice of the peace. That is all they ask this year. Vote for McPhillips."

"The political situation is perplexing. The democrats having grown tired of defeat will attempt to break the republican ring by affiliating with the union party. They saved some seed, however, and every democrat in this justice of the peace and constable district should vote for Arthur McPhillips and Wm. Arthur for justice of the peace and constable."

The Transcript, a republican paper says:

"Lost, Strayed or Stolen—In McMinnville, Yamhill county, Oregon, April 28, 1896—One Democratic Party. It is presumed to have been swallowed up, body and breeches, by a silver bubble that will burst after the June election. A good reward will be paid for the recovery of the lost party in the spring of 1898. For further information apply to the Hon. Wm. Ramsey, who appeared to have the lost party in charge when last seen."

"While in this city, Tuesday, Mr. George Cohn, the democratic nominee for joint representative of Tillamook and Yamhill counties, paid the Transcript a pleasant visit. Mr. Cohn is a merchant of Tillamook city, where he has been located for a number of years, and the people of that county, regardless of politics, speak of him highly as one of her representative sons in whom they have every confidence. Were it not for his politics we should feel inclined to give George a boost. But politics don't affect the man in some instances and we believe this to be one of them."

From the Reporter, gold bug republican:

"The republican legislative ticket stands for legislative economy. The nominees are backed up by records that commend them to the people in this respect. They are men of ability. The populist ticket represents nothing except a scramble for office, and what little record it has made condemns it."

"John A. Carson, republican candidate for prosecuting attorney of this district, was in the city last week, and was

a pleasant caller. He is a young man who has enjoyed seven years of successful law practice in Salem, and is an energetic and aggressive worker. The charge that he is an Englishman is erroneous. He was born in the north of Ireland at a very early period of his existence, and isn't ashamed of it."

The Sheridan Sun, Union-Bimetallic, say:

"A Polk county banker told a citizen of that county that he had made more money during the hard times of the last four years than he ever made in his life."

"In his last issue, Bro. Snyder, who has been ducking and dodging from both sides, like a scared monkey, fell off the fence with his pants full of slivers. He landed in the gold bug camp with a dull thud. We are glad Snyder has landed some where. The suspense has been agonizing his friends."

Washington County Politics.

Austin Craig, editor of the Forest Grove Hatchet was nominated by the republicans for school superintendent and Hon. S. Hughes, of the same place got the nomination for state senator.

The Hillsboro Independent says: Judge H. H. Northrup who has allowed his name to be put on the independent ticket for congress in the 2nd district will be a wiser man by June 2nd or 3rd than he is now. He may succeed nicely in defeating Ellis and putting a free trade, free silver populist or democrat in congress.

State Politics.

The Three Sisters, of Aurora, a democratic paper says:

There will be a senator to elect at the next session of the legislature and whether it is Mitchell or Dolph depends upon the men elected in June. The three nominees on the republican ticket in this county are all Mitchell men and can be depended upon to vote for Mitchell first, last and all the time. The election of any of the populist legislative nominees would only strengthen Dolph's chances by reducing the number of Mitchell supporters. Those who approve of Mitchell's action in the senate and wish to see him returned will vote for the republican legislative nominees.

The Yaquina Bay News, a gold bug paper that supported Dolph, sizes the situation up about right in the following:

"It is perfectly plain now, that if Hermann had been nominated at Albany the Oregonian would have favored an independent sound money man, as it is doing in the case of Mr. Ellis. * * * The Oregonian is now bent on another plan of ruin to the Republican party. It is not the first time either; it elected Penoyer over Cornelius, and Webb over Marston, for governor and treasurer."

To Voters.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for J. P. in the 2nd district. If elected I will endeavor to fill the office to the satisfaction of the public.

Respectfully,
B. H. BURN.

A report has been in circulation that D. T. Edmunds will be A. T. White's deputy in case Mr. White is elected county clerk. We are authorized by Mr. White to say that Mr. Edmunds will not be his deputy and that he has not yet selected a man for that place. We cheerfully make this correction.

It is rumored there are lots of potatoes on Nehalem. Those there who have them to sell in any quantity should correspond with Cohn & Co., who may have a steamer to go in after a cargo of the rare spuds, which seem much more delicious since they are scarce.

There has been an impression that in case Mr. A. T. White is elected clerk, he will have to resign the assessor's office before election. After investigation it is learned he will not need to resign until he qualified as county clerk.

Some people still report that Mr. Sappington will remain at Netarts if elected justice. He authorizes us to state he will move to the city if elected.

Coxey has come to Oregon to engage in the campaign, but the populists disown him, fearing his help will be of the damaging kind.

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The foregoing shows the style of the addresses. The large figure six at the right indicates the year, that is 1896. A large seven at the right would indicate 1897, or a five would indicate 1895. The other figures denote the day of the month, and the month is indicated in small type. A cross mark in blue pencil indicates that you are away behind and should pay up.

THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

THEIR GOOD QUALITIES SHOWN UP.

The presidential electors will be voted on next November, so we shall confine our efforts to the state and county ticket to be voted upon June 1st:

FOR CONGRESS

Hon. T. H. Tongue, one of the most able men in the state, deserves election. He will make himself heard in the halls of congress.

FOR SUPREME JUDGE

R. S. Bean, the present incumbent, is all right.

FOR DIST. ATTORNEY

J. A. Carson, of Salem, is one of the keenest and most energetic lawyers in the state. He is a rather young man yet, perhaps 35, and will be long be among the leaders of his profession.

JOINT SENATOR

G. W. Patterson, of Hillsboro, is spoken highly of by Washington county people, and by people here who know him.

JOINT REPRESENTATIVE

W. L. Brooks, of this county, is a young lawyer, who is thoroughly posted on all the leading questions of the day. Mr. Brooks is not tied to any faction and will carry this county by a handsome majority.

COMMISSIONER

C. H. Wheeler, of Nehalem, the candidate for commissioner, is a young, energetic business man and believes in good roads. He is doing much to develop the Nehalem country.

COUNTY CLERK

A. T. White, the present assessor, is thoroughly qualified, and we hear of no opposition to him. He is now industriously assessing the county.

SHERIFF

J. H. Jackson has held the office one term, giving entire satisfaction. Captain Jackson is an old Arizona miner, and was U. S. marshal of that territory in 1882. He was commander of the state militia and rangers, with the rank of captain, and did much defending the country against Indians and cleaning out lawless characters. He has the papers to show for his record.

TREASURER

John Barker who is now filling the office has given satisfaction. He keeps the books straight and always issues calls for warrants as fast as he receives money to pay them.

ASSESSOR

J. S. Stephens will be elected easily. The ridiculous attempt to take up a bad record for him was a dismal failure. It has helped him. There never was a more complete vindication. Any person who would circulate such base lies (regarding a man who has to earn his living with one arm) would kill sheep.

SURVEYOR

The opposition to A. M. Austin the present incumbent, will be insignificant. But his competitors are good citizens, but Mr. Austin is the only candidate who is educated and experienced as a surveyor. No complaints have been made against his work that we know of.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

G. W. Kiger is a teacher of ample experience, is well educated, and is a good business man. Mr. Kiger will endeavor to promote the interests of education in this county if elected, and we have no doubt but what he will be.

CORONER

C. E. Reynolds will be reelected coroner by a larger majority than last election. He has attended to the office as it should have been done.

FOR JUSTICE

G. W. Sappington is well informed in law and parliamentary usages, and will conduct the office with dignity, commanding the respect of the public, if elected.

FOR CONSTABLE

S. V. Anderson is well qualified for the office and will attend to his duties without fear or favor.

In the Nestucca district Jasper Smith for J. P., and A. D. Sanders for constable, seem to be the choice of all the republicans and some others in that part of the county.

W. Findley and H. Schollmeyer will be elected J. P. and constable, respectively, in Nehalem. They are all right.

Otto Heins will make a flash light photo of the Woodmen in the hall on the night of May 15.