

COUNTY POLITICS DISCUSSED

By An Editorial in the Jefferson Review of Saturday

The time for county convention is drawing near and candidates are getting more numerous. It has in the past been a sort of an unwritten law in this county that a good official who was elected for but two years should be given a second term, but it is evident this rule will not be observed by the Republicans at the coming convention, for the renomination of J. C. Sigmund for recorder and John W. Boland for clerk is to be contested by other aspirants for the positions. So far as we are able to judge the present incumbents have been competent and accommodating officials and it will be no easy matter to defeat them in the convention. W. J. Culver is likely to be the Republican nominee for sheriff, while the Democrats will renominate the present incumbent, B. B. Colbath. The two state senators and the joint senator are holdovers. A successor to Blinger Hermann is to be elected, but we have heard of few aspirants as yet. J. N. Hart, Republican, wants to succeed himself as district attorney. For circuit judge are mentioned J. R. Wyatt and H. H. Hewitt, of Linn, G. H. Burnett, of Marion, and J. S. McCain, of Yamhill, Republican, W. R. Bilyeu, of Linn, Democrat. For the legislature in Marion county there does not seem to be any candidates, but time will remedy this. Of course, County Judge Scott wants to succeed himself—ride in on the steam road roller, as it were.

Call for Bids.

The Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, does hereby call for bids for supplying the said city with Fifty Thousand (50,000) feet of bridge and crosswalk lumber, the same to be delivered at some designated point within the said city, either in bulk or in segregated lots as the same may be needed and ordered by the city, all within and during the year 1904. The council reserves the right to reject any and all bids made in this relation, and all bids filed must be accompanied by the certified check of the bidder, or by cash, in the sum of 10 per cent of the bid offered. All bids must be filed at the office of the City Recorder on or before the hour of 5 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday February 2, 1904.

Done by order of the common council. N. J. JUDAH, City Recorder, Salem, Oregon. 1-27-04-td

LAWYERS GOING EAST

To Grow up With the Country and Sway Jurors

D. R. Parker, for the past year deputy in the office of the attorney-general, has resigned that position and gone to Condon, Gilliam county, where he will engage in the practice of his profession. He has formed a co-partnership with G. W. Farman, and the new firm starts out with splendid prospects for success. Attorney-General Crawford has filled the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Parker by the appointment of Attorney Van Winkle, of this city.

Call for Bids.

The Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, does hereby call for bids for the doing of the public printing of the said city for and during the year 1904. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids filed in this behalf; and all bids filed in response to this call must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of 10 per cent of the amount of said bids, provided the same are offered in a gross sum. All bids must be filed at the office of the City Recorder on or before the hour of 5 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, February 2, 1904.

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Notice

We have sold our entire stock of groceries to the firm of C. J. Atwood & D. W. Fisher.

We assume all liabilities and collect all accounts. We desire to thank our patrons for their generous and liberal patronage in the past. We will be found with the new firm for some time to aid them, and to settle accounts.

We would commend to our patrons and to the public the members of the new firm, Mr. Atwood and Mr. Fisher; they are both men of the strictest integrity, and we unhesitatingly say any business entrusted to them will be very promptly and conscientiously cared for.

Branson & Ragan

A NEW GROCERY FIRM

Two Popular Young Men Succeed Branson & Ragan

Today witnessed the entrance of a new firm in Salem's business circles. The old grocery house of Branson & Ragan has been purchased by Messrs. Atwood & Fisher. J. C. Atwood, of the new firm is not unknown in Salem. For six years he has filled a responsible position with the Salem Woolen Mills Store, as manager and salesman, where he has gained a wide acquaintance, not only in Salem, but throughout the adjacent country. D. W. Fisher, the other member of the firm, brings with him the experience of 15 years of business life in Illinois and Nebraska. Mr. Fisher has a son and daughter who have been in attendance upon Willamette University for nearly two years, but has only recently removed with his family to this city from Yamhill county, where he has resided for the past three years. The Journal bespeaks for the new firm as liberal a patronage as this popular grocery store has enjoyed for so many years by their popular, accommodating and good looking predecessors.

Arrested for Rape.

Bert Divine, a young man of Waterloo, was arrested yesterday by Sheriff Huston on a charge of rape and is now in the county jail. The victim is Miss Iva Powell, daughter of Calvin Powell, also of near Waterloo.

A child was born to Miss Powell last October. The mother alleges that Divine is the father of the child, he having had improper relations with her, according to her story, under the promise of marriage. Divine has admitted the improper relations, but at the same time declares that others besides himself are implicated in the affair.

There are several very sensational features in connection with the case, but the Herald gives only the plain facts, obtained from reliable sources. A Herald representative attempted to interview Divine at the jail last night, but the young prisoner refused to talk.—Albany Herald.

BEYOND DOUBT.

These Facts Must Convince Every Salem Reader.

The statement which follows tells the experience of a resident of Salem. Incredulity cannot long exist about this testimony because it can easily be investigated.

Olof Johnson who is a gardner by occupation living at the corner of 15th and B streets, North Salem, says: "Kidney complaint is no new thing for me. I have been bothered off and on from a disordered condition of the kidneys for ten or twelve years. I did not suffer so much from backache as most people do who have kidney complaint but the principal annoyance was a weakening of the kidney secretions, which was both distressing and aggravating. There was a scalding sensation in passing and a heavy brick-dust like sediment appeared after standing in the vessel over night. I had attacks of dizziness in my head and oftentimes a blurring would appear before my eyes and I could scarcely see. I tried numerous remedies but all in vain until I saw Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended for just such troubles and procured them at Dr. Stone's drug store. Now I don't want to tell the people something that is not true but I will say that in all my experience with doctor's prescriptions and different kidney remedies nothing has given me the amount of relief that I have received from Doan's Kidney Pills.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name Doan's and take no substitute.

"Portland and Return Only \$2.20."

The Southern Pacific is now selling round trip tickets to Portland from Salem for \$2.20, good going Saturday or Sunday, returning Sunday and Monday, giving all day Sunday and Monday in Portland. The same arrangement applies from Portland, giving all Portland people a chance to visit valley points at greatly reduced rates.

W. B. COMAN, G. P. A.

Balled It Out.

Citizens of a Utah town put out a fire with snowballs. There is an opportunity for some inventive ice-works man to invent a new fire protection.

It is not generally known that for six months Governor Chamberlain was editor of an Albany newspaper.

CHIEF OF POLICE GIBSON

Attacked by a Man Arrested When Under Liquor

Chief of Police Gibson caught a Tartar Sunday afternoon, when he arrested a man giving his name as Geo. Herren, for being drunk. The officer was taking the man toward the city jail, to sober him, when the man attacked the chief, and a short, sharp struggle ensued. Mr. Gibson soon subdued his prisoner, and landed him in jail. Last evening the man was sufficiently sober to pay his fine of \$10, and he was allowed to leave, as he desired to go out of the city. Herren was from Coos county, and was acting as a special deputy sheriff in bringing to the asylum an insane patient. After delivering his patient to the officials at the asylum, he came downtown and proceeded to "bow up." As a matter of fact, the man was worn out by his five-days' trip with the patient, and when he took a few drinks the liquor went to his head. After his release last evening, he boarded the overland train on his way home, declaring he would never again place himself in the position in which he found himself here. Chief Gibson is nursing a sprained hand as the result of his encounter with Herren, who was a powerfully built man.

American Beef o'Ging.

Millions of pounds of beef are being sent to the Orient, and this is an indication that Russia and Japan have not yet made peace.

WANTED FOR A FELONY

Also Accused of the Crime of Breaking Out of Jail

Deputy Sheriff Skipton arrested a suspect this morning on a request from the sheriff of Santa Cruz, Cal., and, after examining the stranger, found he was not the man wanted, and allowed him to take his departure. The man gave his name as J. J. O'Neill, and claimed to be from Lebanon. He fitted the description of the man wanted almost exactly, and, as he was a stranger in Salem, and was intoxicated when found, while his entire description was in accordance of that given of the man wanted in California, Mr. Skipton thought himself justified in taking him in. O'Neill was allowed to go when he had satisfied the officers that he was not the California fugitive wanted. The man sought for is wanted on a felony charge, and recently broke jail at Hornbrook, while held awaiting the arrival of the sheriff of Santa Cruz county.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Marion county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county teachers' certificates at the court house, in Salem, Oregon, beginning at 9 o'clock, February 10, 1904, and continuing for four days.

E. T. MOORES, Superintendent. 2-1-04tdly

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Pay rent to yourself. It seems very unreasonable to keep on paying rent, and getting no further ahead when you might be paying for your home instead. You needn't pay all cash, when you buy from us, and so much more satisfaction. Now is your time to get out of the rent habit. A little down, and monthly installments of no more than your present rent will do it. Come and talk the matter of home owning over with us.

- House and lot, 5 rooms, hard finished, Oak St. University addition, on car line. Price \$1000, will sell on installments that will suit you.
- House, barn and two lots in Capital Park, lots improved, with fruit trees. Price \$400. Will sell on monthly installments; an investment that will make money.
- House and 2 large lots, 150x150, one corner, 6 rooms, closets and pantry, close in on Commercial street. Price \$1000, \$200 down, balance on monthly installments—a snap.
- House, lot and barn, two blocks from postoffice, one of the best residence locations in the city, 6 rooms. Price \$1500, \$500 down. Plenty of time on the balance.

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