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ELECTION DATES TO REMEMBER.

Registration books for primary election close April 10.
Primary election April 20.
Registration books again opened April 25 and close May 15.
Last day for filing names for state and district offices March 30.
Last day for filing names for county offices April 4.
Convening votes for nominating state and district candidates May 5.
Last day for filing nominating petitions for county offices May 19.
Last day for filing certificates of nomination May 5.
General election June 4.

THE OFFICIAL PRIMARY BALLOT.

The Journal presents its readers the Republican official primary ballot for Marion county. It happens to be Station precinct.

Ballots for each precinct will be the same, except as to the precinct officers and committeemen. **CUT THIS OUT AND STUDY IT WELL.**

This form of sample ballot will be printed in the daily several times and in the weekly also, and should be used to make out your ticket before you go to the polls on Friday, April 20th.

Study the names and numbers, and become familiar with it, so that you can vote rapidly and intelligently. Make arrangements to go to the primary election on Friday, April 20th, and **REMEMBER THE HOURS, FROM NOON TO 7 P. M.**

This is the first trial of the direct primary. If the people want to get control of political nominations, they must go and vote.

This power of nomination, from precinct committeemen to United States senator is now in the hands of the people, and they should use it.

The law should be given a full and fair trial, and even if it does not work perfectly the first time, the people will learn to correct its defects. If an improper nomination is made they have the same right they had under the convention system of setting it aside.

THE RACE FOR GOVERNOR.

Among the five candidates for the Republican nomination for governor, Dr. Jas. Withycombe, of Corvallis, will probably be nominated.

HE IS THE CHOICE OF THE COUNTRY VOTERS for this office and will receive the sturdy, independent rural vote almost solidly.

He will receive a large Republican vote in the cities among the people in the Republican party who are tired of factional strife.

Dr. Withycombe is a man perfectly clean in his private life, and in **ALL HIS CONNECTION WITH THE PUBLIC SERVICE.**

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lean ticket, and has never before been a candidate. But he is recognized as a vote-getter.

Many of the best posted Republicans and Democrats recognize him as the strongest man the Republicans could nominate.

They recognize that **ANY REPUBLICAN NOMINEE MUST BE CLEAN, STRONG AND ABLE** to make a good campaign before the people to win.

Dr. Withycombe is a man who has been before the people for the past ten years, not in a political, but in a professional capacity. He has made no mistakes, no errors of judgment, and he will make none if elected.

DEFENDING PROF. HAWLEY.

Had not Prof. Hawley become a candidate for congress the incident of his attack on John Brown might have been entirely forgotten.

A peculiar affection exists between the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and a wanton, careless or unfortunate **DENUNCIATION OF OLD JOHN BROWN AFFECTS THEM PECULIARLY.**

Why did two Grand Army Posts of Portland assemble last Sunday night to hear a Methodist minister eulogize John Brown?

Why did the veterans of the Grand Army attend in a body at Grace Methodist church and honor John Brown and his son, Salmon Brown?

Because every soldier who went forth to fight for his country was backing up the life work of old John Brown to destroy slavery.

BECAUSE JOHN BROWN WAS A MARTYR IN THE CAUSE OF HUMANITY AND LAID DOWN HIS LIFE FOR FREEDOM AND FOR LIBERTY ALONGSIDE OF THE REALLY GREAT.

John Brown was not a murderer and criminal, as depicted in the lecture of Prof. Hawley at Eugene in 1898. He was a man who gave up his life for a cause—the cause of humanity.

The only defense of Prof. Hawley possible is that he made a serious mistake, and has had the political sagacity to drop the subject, and the papers that defend him are only making matters worse.

GIVE SOMETHING TO EASTERN OREGON.

This paper has repeatedly warned the Republicans of Western Oregon to give at least one political office to Eastern Oregon.

Eastern Oregon has for the past twenty years had the office of state treasurer and Western Oregon should not take that nomination.

Let the Portland hag, the Willamette valley hag, or the Western Oregon, if you please, **BEWARE AND NOT TAKE EVERYTHING OFF THE PLATTER.**

With a divided front on governor, Eastern Oregon cannot hope to win that nomination. There is nothing to give Eastern Oregon but treasurer.

In the person of John H. Altkin, of Huntington, the Republicans of Eastern Oregon present an unobjectionable candidate.

If the Republicans want a **WELL-DISTRIBUTED TICKET THAT CAN BE ELECTED FROM TOP TO BOTTOM**, they should not take all the state political offices of Western Oregon.

Supreme judge has gone to Eastern Oregon, because Judge Halley was appointed from there, and without protest or any competition whatever.

The groundwork for defeat of part of the Republican state ticket cannot be more effectually laid than by hogging all the state offices in Western Oregon.

MAKE IT A WINNING TICKET BY NAMING ALTIN FOR TREASURER.

CREAM OF THE KURDS

Missionary Writes of a Wedding, Its Crowd, Smoke and Dancing

New York, April 11.—That the Kurds are not entirely given over to such blood thirsty pursuits as participation in the Armenian massacres, and other lawless enterprises with which the name has been associated, is proved by an account of a Kurdish wedding which has just reached here from E. W. McDowell, a missionary of the Foreign Mission board of the Presbyterian church, in western Persia. Mr. McDowell tells the incident thus:

"I have been attending a wedding Tamar Agha, a wealthy Kurd, has taken a bride for his son, Sia Mahomet, and along with the governor, city officials, Kurdish Aghas and Begg, I was invited to the festivities. In front of the house a band of 50 young Kurds in picturesque costume were dancing to the pounding of a drum. Entering the house, we were conducted to the guest room, where we were received by the old Agha Tamar.

The guest room was about 16x18 in size, well carpeted with Persian rugs. There were three modern windows, set with glass and capable of being opened. They were, however, sealed up air tight, and it was a warm day, and there was a stove in the room not quite red hot. Besides the stove there were 50 guests in the room, all of them, except the missionary, smoking. Perhaps you can imagine the atmosphere. The stove was finally carried out, not because of the heat, but to make room for the dancers.

These were young Kurds, handsome fellows, in flowing and highly colored garments. They danced, sometimes one alone, sometimes two or three together. Flirting bright colored kerchiefs with the tips of his fingers, the dancer first postures with the upper part of his body, and then, as the flute shrills louder, he keeps time to it in a slow measured tread of his feet, moving in a circle about the room. One young man gave a sword dance. He was a handsome fellow, with smiling lips, sparkling eyes, and a dare devil face marred by scars which suggested sword play of more serious sort. Then there were Kurdish songs, of war and of love.

These performances were kept up without intermission, for two hours. Then came dinner. Servants brought in large pewter trays which were set on low stools. The guests seated themselves on the floor around these trays, each one being supplied with a large Turkish towel and a spoon. There were ten courses, each brought in a handsome metal dish. Without exception the food was toothsome; meats and soups, vegetables preserves and sweetmeats, cooked after a manner unknown to us and differently served, but all delicious. There were also sheep curds cold, tart and delicious to the taste, and bread which is unsurpassed in the world. It is this as a wafer, thoroughly baked, crisp, and with a flavor all its own. Some one will introduce

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