

THE TELLER.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

GRAPES.—The culture of grapes in this section of country has been thought by some as an impracticable industry.

Louis Delsol, a farmer residing a little more than a mile from this city has this season been supplying our market with grapes raised upon his farm that cannot be excelled by any we have ever seen in the California market.

ASSAY OF TAILINGS.—We learn that assays have been made of the tailings of the Rescue mill and the different arastras in the Warrens camp, and the result shows a yield of from two and a half to six ounces of gold per ton.

FLAX YIELD.—We learn that parties in the linseed oil business at Salem Ogn., furnished flax seed to many of our farmers north of this place, for sowing last Spring.

TOO LARGE.—The attention of the Land Department at Washington was called by our delegate, to the fact that the N. Pacific R Road withdrawal of lands in North Idaho was much too far south, when an examination it was found that the southern line of the withdrawal was upwards of thirty miles too far south.

SOCIAL DANCE.—Company G 21st. Infantry and company F 1st. Cavalry gave an entertainment at Fort Lapwai on the night of the 18th inst., which was numerously attended by ladies and gentlemen from this city and the surrounding country.

DISTRICT COURT.—The District Court for the First District in and for Nez Perce county, Judge Clark presiding, was holden in this city during the first week of this month.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.—The Democratic county convention for Nez Perce county met at Lewiston on the 16th and 17th inst. and made the following nominations to wit:

Councilman—W. G. Langford. Representatives—Frank Pointe, S. B. Edwards. Probate Judge—A. Damas. Sheriff—Ezra Baird.

They chose Wm. Ewing. — Russel, E. W. Statton, W. G. Langford and Wesley Mulkey as a central committee for the ensuing two years.

THE CONVENTION pledged their support at the polls to the ticket nominated, and to Hon. S. S. Fenn for Delegate to Congress.

They restricted their Central Committee from appointing delegates to a Territorial Convention, and only gave them power to fill vacancies occurring after nominations made by a regularly called convention.

REPUBLICAN NOMINEES.—The Nez Perce County Republican convention met in this city on the 14th inst., and made the following nominations:

Councilman—J. B. Boice. Representatives—John Brearley, George A. Manning. Probate Judge—D. J. Warner. Sheriff—W. P. Hunt.

THE REPUBLICAN Central Committee for the ensuing year consists of C. P. Coburn, T. S. Billings, Geo. Glass, Geo. K. Pomeroy and Geo. Briggs, with power to fill vacancies.

R. J. Monroe, T. S. Billings and W. J. Hamilton were chosen a committee on the part of Nez Perce County, to meet like committees from Idaho and Shoshone to nominate a candidate for District Attorney.

PRECINCT NOMINATIONS for Lewiston precinct were: Road Supervisor—J. D. Martin. Justice of the Peace—J. K. Vincent. Paradise precinct, Road Supervisor—B. A. McGuire. Justice of the Peace—John Hall.

FAVORS.—Will parties in the different localities please report to us the character and yield of their crops the present season. By so doing we can the better show to the people abroad the advantages of our fine agricultural country, and thereby induce settlers to come among us and occupy the lands now open for settlement.

TO WOULD BE PATRONS.—We send copies of the first number of the TELLER to Postmasters and others for distribution as samples. We trust they will make a proper effort in our behalf to secure for us subscribers. No names of subscribers will be entered upon our books unless accompanied with the subscription price.

ON THE STUMP.—Hon. S. S. Fenn and Hon. John Clark, candidates of the Democratic and Republican parties respectively, have gone to South Idaho to present to the people there their respective claims to the voters of that section, leaving to their respective friends to care for their interests in the North.

RAIN.—During the present week we have had several showers of rain, which we regard as a precursor of approaching winter.

YIELD.—We were informed that C. Johnson Esq., of Warrens camp, has just completed the reduction of near 100 tons of Charity gold-ore with his arastra, from which he obtained nearly \$30 per ton of bullion. It is claimed by some that not more than fifty per cent of the fire assay of the ore was saved.

TO ADVERTISERS.—Our advertising patrons will please examine their ads as they appear in our first number together with our published rates, and if they desire any changes, they will please report them to the office early next week. Mistakes if any occur, should be corrected forthwith.

IMPORTANT.—A bill is now before Congress to throw open the western portion of the Nez Perce Indian Reservation for settlement. The move is a just and proper one and we hope it will prevail at the coming session.

LARGE YIELD.—Wm. A. Caldwell Esq., the present season, threshed 1164 bushels of oats produced from ten acres of ground on the hill about five miles north of this place. This crop cannot be excelled in any country.

FRUIT.—Wesley Mulkey has raised on his place near this city 150,000 lbs. of choice fruit the present year. No finer apples can be found in any country than he now offers for sale at his fruit cellar.

WORTHY OF ATTENTION.—Our readers will find it to their interest to carefully examine our advertising columns and see what inducements are offered by traders and business men of this place, for a liberal patronage.

WEIGHT OF WHEAT.—We learn that of the wheat which was accurately measured in bushels and delivered to Brearley's & Co's granary, much of it has also been weighed and found to overrun the measurement by, in some instances as high as ten or twelve pounds per bushel. This indicates the excellent character of our wheat.

IN TOWN.—Mr. J. A. McGowan, the gentlemanly agent for the Wheeler and Wilson Sewing Machine Company, was in town this week looking after the interests of the above company. Mr. McGowan is permanently located in Walla Walla, W. T.

THE NEW STEAMER.—Capt. Stump writes on the 17th, from Dayton, saying that he has secured nearly all the funds necessary to build his steamer, and that he will have it running by the first of March next.

SCHOOL.—The district school in this district will be commenced on first Monday of next month. J. H. Evans will be teacher.

ADMINISTRATORS SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of the order of the Probate Court of Nez Perce County, Idaho Territory, made on the 17th day of October 1876, in the matter of the estate of Seth S. Slater deceased, the undersigned administrator, of said estate, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to confirmation by said Probate Court, on Monday the 13th day of November 1876, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the late residence of the deceased in the city of Lewiston in said county, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said intestate at the time of his death and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than, or in addition to, that of the said estate at the time of his death in and to all that lot of land situated in the city of Lewiston in said county and described as lot (9) nine, in block (15) fifteen, on the official plat of said city, also that lot of land situated as aforesaid and described as lot (3) three in block (17) seventeen, on said plat, with the improvements on each, together with the following personal property, to wit: Clothing, books, household and kitchen furniture, surveyors instruments, pictures and small articles too numerous to mention. Terms, cash gold coin, on day of sale. Deeds at expense of purchaser. Dated Oct., 21, 1876. R. J. MONROE, Administrator.

NOTICE! To Delinquent Tax Payers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Delinquent Tax List of Nez Perce County I. T., for the year A. D., 1876 has this day been deposited with the District Attorney, and that if the delinquent taxes therein specified, are not paid to the County Treasurer within ten days from the date hereof, action will be commenced by said District Attorney for the collection of such taxes and costs. W. P. HUNT, Auditor Nez Perce County, I. T. Dated, Lewiston I. T., Oct., 18th 1876.

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