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FRIDAY, NOV. 17, 1899.

To Republican Clubs.

The following call has been issued to the republican clubs of Oregon:

In pursuance of the provisions of the constitution of the Republican League of Oregon, there will be held the regular biennial meeting on the first Tuesday of February next, and a certain amount of preparatory work must be done by each club in order to entitle it to be represented at the meeting.

Your attention is invited to Article 10 of the Constitution, which is an amendment thereto adopted February 1, 1898, and provides that no club shall be entitled to representation unless it has been organized at least four months prior to the meeting, and shall have filed a list of its members with the League Secretary at least thirty days prior thereto.

The importance of the double campaign next year, one in the spring and one in the fall, renders it especially desirable that every genuine Republican Club in the state be put into condition to participate in the League meeting, and thus enter with enthusiasm into the work of the campaign.

CLAUD GATCHE, President.

HARRY L. WELLS, Secretary.

A POLITICAL OSTRICH.

An ambitious but inconsequential contemporary sees nothing in the result of the recent elections that can be accepted as an endorsement of a rebuke to the policies of the administration, and says that only hidebound, partizan newspapers will claim to the contrary. It is because the democratic party is led by political ostriches like this fellow, who thrust their heads under their wings when hard pressed and deny all light, that it goes down to defeat when great issues come before the people.

The Brooklyn Eagle, considered an able democratic organ, deprecates the blind subservience of little democrats and urges them to cease chasing moonbeams, acknowledge the significance of the late elections, and avert further disaster. The New York World, democratic, says:

"The elections mean a victory for imperialism in a majority of the states voting. There is neither honesty nor profit in denying this. They mean also a triumph for Mr. McKinley—but a triumph that was made easy by Mr. Bryan and his friends in thrusting again to the front at the beginning of the campaign the futile and fatal fallacy of free silver and the thrice-condemned Chicago platform."

The New York Journal, surely not a partisan republican organ, under the caption "Face the Facts," cries out: "The Journal told the truth. It warned the democracy against a policy, which if persisted in would defeat the party."

Mr. Bryan, although afflicted with defective vision, sees "something in the result." "If the rebuke administered to the republicans had been more severe," he says, "the prospect of remedial legislation at the hands of the republicans would be brighter."

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Quite frequently articles are quoted from the UNION-GAZETTE by the press of the state, and credited to Mr. John Daly as editor. Mr. Daly is in no way connected with this paper.

Commissioners Court.

At the regular term of the commissioners court the following business was transacted: In the matter of the state of Ore-

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Umbrellas

For Ladies and Gentlemen. Our umbrella stock represents the best values the market offers. All made to our order, by the best workmen. Best Paragon frames and steel rods. Handles are in Princess style and natural crooks in boxwood, Congo and Olive bulbs, also in Horn, Pearl and Ivory, with silver or gold trimmings for 75c to \$5.00 each.

Ladies' Neckwear

See the latest arrivals. The Dewey, 50c, all silk. Fancy bows, 25c.

Veilings

Still they come! Novelties and varieties to please the most critical buyer. All silk La Tosca net, plain Russian net, fish net, and plain Brussels net with Chenille spots in black, white and colors from 14 1/2 to 25c per yard; also assorted colors in sewing silk veiling at 25c per yard.

Yours truly,

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gon vs. William Taylor, M. M. Waltz was allowed \$4.75 as justice of the peace fees, and Finley Fullerton, constable fees, \$19.10. E. R. Bryson was allowed \$15.90 as justice of the peace fees in the matter of the state of Oregon vs. C. A. Logsdon. M. M. Waltz, justice of the peace was allowed fees amounting to \$7 in the matter of the state of Oregon vs. C. B. Fleece, and constable fees were allowed amounting to \$31.50.

In the matter of removal of obstructions in Long Tom river, it was ordered that J. A. Buchanan county commissioner, be appointed to have full power to represent the court in said matter, and that if it became necessary to remove the bridges at Bundy's and Liverpool, he have full power to act. In the matter of bicycle tags for 1900, Sheriff Rickard was authorized to procure 700 tags and the necessary receipts, the same to be delivered before March 1st, 1900. It was ordered that the tax levy for the year 1900 should be for county 11 mills; school, 5 mills; state scalp bounty fund, .01 cent per head on all sheep, 1 mill on other property.

In the matter of amount due school district No. 9, for moneys collected and not paid, it was ordered that said district make showing as to the amount of its claim against Benton county. In the matter of the funds of road district No. 14, it appearing to the court that interested parties had subscribed in cash \$577, and in work \$42.21, a total of \$619.21, it was ordered that the county treasurer transfer from the "Benton county road fund" the amount now remaining on hand \$89.20, to a fund to be hereafter known as the "Road District No. 14 Road Fund," and it was further ordered that the treasurer be instructed to set apart out of the general fund and transfer to said road district fund, the sum of \$530, and that the sum of \$577, heretofore paid, to now be placed in said fund, and the said above sums be expended in repairing said road. It was further ordered that any unexpended balance of this fund, remaining after the payment of all bills allowed up to date, should remain as a separate fund to be expended under supervision of Commissioner Buchanan.

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Everybody's Wants Supplied

It will be time well spent if you will call and examine the New Goods that daily arrive at our store. The difficult part with us, is not what to announce, but how to do justice to all lines.

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We want to show you our Men's and Boys' stylish clothing for Fall and Winter wear. We offer perfect fitting clothing, thoroughly and honestly tailored and made of the best and most attractive fabrics at prices that cannot be duplicated in the valley. Special attention is called to the following lines:

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Young Men's Suits
Boy's Suits
Little Men's
Men's Oregon All-Wool Suits
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For Sale or Exchange. One hundred and eighteen lots, in half and whole blocks, in the original town of Newport, that beautiful and beautiful summer resort, in Lincoln county, Oregon; some business lots; residence lots near the principal churches, school house, and other real property; also, residence lots commanding beautiful views of ocean and bay. Five fractional blocks, south of and near the State Agricultural College; all completely tilled, streets laid up and graded; beautiful, convenient and healthful for residence. Large dwelling, barn and outhouses, centrally located on rocky and commanding grounds, in Corvallis; will exchange for farm near Corvallis. Twenty acres highly improved, all the drained, and the best state of agriculture; the best roomy buildings; about one-fourth mile from Agricultural College, in Corvallis, centrally located. Eight acre residence lots, thoroughly tillable, in Wilkes Addition to Corvallis. One 1/2 acre hotel, the "Student House, on Front street, in Corvallis, centrally located. Seventy-three acres of land, 18 in wheat, balance in grain, timber and pasture; stone wall, adjoining the Odd Fellows Cemetery, near Corvallis. Will exchange the town property owned for suitable farm or acreage property, or will exchange the acreage property described, for town property or other farm or acreage, or will sell any or all of said property on reasonable terms and time, at reasonable rates and prices. M. S. WOODCOCK, Corvallis, Oregon.

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Rents and Collections.

Houses to rent, rents to collect, 20 good farms and stock ranches to sell. THOMAS EGLIN & SON.

NOTICE.

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Notice of Administrator.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the Honorable County Court of Benton County, Oregon, Executor of the will annexed of the estate of Tolbert Carter, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me duly verified as required by law at my home two miles east of Corvallis, within six months from date of this notice.

Executor of the Estate of Tolbert Carter, deceased. Dated this 14th day of Oct. 1899. W. A. CARTER.

"Best on the market for coughs and colds and all bronchial troubles; for croup it has no equal," writes Henry E. Whitford, South Canaan, Conn., of One Minute Cough Cure. Graham & Wells.

NOTICE.

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7:00 P. M. Leave Portland Arrive 8:00 A. M. 12:15 P. M. Leave Albany Arrive 4:10 A. M. 7:45 A. M. Arrive & Francisco Leave 7:50 P. M.

5:40 P. M. Arrive Oregon Arrive 1:10 P. M. 6:30 A. M. Arrive Denver Arrive 8:30 A. M. 6:40 A. M. Arrive Chicago Arrive 1:30 P. M. 7:00 A. M. Arrive Los Angeles Arr. 1:25 A. M. 8:15 P. M. Arrive Ft. Worth Arrive 8:40 A. M. 7:45 A. M. Arrive St. Orleans Arrive 8:40 P. M.

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The only reliable beautifier of the complexion, skin and form known. In the direction for which they are intended, their effect is simply magical. The most astounding transformation in personal appearance is brought about by their steady use. Possessing the WIZARD'S TOUCH in producing and preserving beauty of form by surely developing a transparency and pellucid clearness of complexion, shapely contour of form, brilliant eyes, soft and smooth skin, where, by nature, the reverse exists. Even the COARSEST and MOST REPULSIVE Skin marred by FRECKLES, MOTH, BLACKHEADS, PIMPLES, and VULGAR REDNESS, YELLOW AND MUDDY skin, and other FACIAL DISFIGUREMENTS, are permanently removed and a deliciously clear and refined complexion assured, enhancing a lady's loveliness beyond her most extravagant expectations. Ladies, You Can Be Beautiful, no matter who you are or what your disfigurements may be; you can make yourself as handsome as any lady in the land by the use of Dr. Bourdon's French Arsenic Complexion Wafers.

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