

STATE REPUBLICAN TICKET

For Supreme Judge, R. S. BEAN, of Lane County. For Presidential Electors, T. T. GEER, of Marion County. S. M. YORAN, of Lane. E. L. SMITH, of Wasco. J. F. CAPLES, of Multnomah. For Congressman First Congressional District, THOS. H. TONGUE, of Washington County. For District Attorney Third Judicial District, JOHN A. CARSON, of Marion County.

OUR FIRE SYSTEM.

The committee on fire and water are still considering the bettering of our fire protection. They may order a few new gates put into the worthless Perkins hydrants. It is to be hoped that an intelligent improvement may be ordered.

The city has now two first-class engines. They are now kept in good working order, manned with competent men. Fire Chief Hutton has shown his ability to perform his duties. The council should quite foolish with the engineers. They had a competent man at \$60 a month. They cut him down to \$50 and lost him. They put on a new man at \$75, which is not too much, though it is more than likely that a competent man could be secured at \$60.

Get down to business, gentlemen. It is a solemn fact that a fire sweeping over our city this summer would give our city a setback we could not recover from in twenty years.

A COMING MAN.

Andrew F. Burleigh, a junior office lawyer in the corporation law firm of Simon, Dolph, et al., of Portland, is to be elected delegate at large to the Republican national convention from Washington. He is to be pushed forward to an United States senatorship. Who is Burleigh? He is receiver of the Northern Pacific at \$15,000 a year, made so by the plundering horde of corporation lawyer politicians who misrepresent the people and plunder the corporations in the name of government.

Burleigh is a coming man. As receiver of the corporation and senator for the people he will in a few years become a millionaire. This is American politics as now practiced. It has its beginning in the rotten primaries. It will never stop until the people have a voice at the primaries and a voice in electing senators.

SUPPORT THE TICKET.

It is the duty of all Republicans to support all Republican candidates who are fairly nominated, especially if they have made a good record in the public service and are clean honorable men in their private lives.

What the people want is good men, good government, and good administration of public affairs. If what is reported is true, some men who have been honored with the most lucrative positions in this county, and whose conduct while in public office is not above reproach, or at least criticism, are fighting good men on the ticket. Such men are not worthy to be called Republicans.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

SCOTT ON MONEY.

The Oregonian editor devotes a column leader Thursday to a small paragraph from THE JOURNAL. Mr. Scott's article is well written and unusually clear for him. He is an able writer when he is not embittered or writing on one of his hobbies.

THE JOURNAL cannot take space to set him right on the money question, as he denies the theory of bimetalism in toto. The Republican platform of 1892 declared for bimetalism and the use of gold and silver as standard money. He opposes this, and hence is not a Republican on the money question.

He prostitutes his abilities and his newspaper and as far as he can the Republican party to eastern views—a money system, that is inadequate to the needs of the American people, and it is useless to argue with him about it.

THE BROOKS PRIMARY.

The controversy in Labish precinct shows how absolutely necessary it is that a proper primary law be enacted in this state.

The Jones faction at Brooks who have generally been successful in carrying the primary, were this year knocked out and now threaten to bolt the whole ticket.

All this shows the need of primary reform. The Jo. Simon law is only for cities over 2,500 and only for city elections. But it was never drawn for any other purpose but to legalize existing abuses.

A proper primary law would compel all parties to hold primary election on the same day and place with officers at the mercy of no faction, and where every voter in the party would express his choice of candidates from the lowest to the highest. That would stop the strife of factions.

WHITEHEAD'S APPOINTMENTS.

Late Lecturer of the National Grange-- Dates and Appointments.

- Following are the appointments of Hon. Mortimer Whitehead in Oregon: Albina, May 8th, evening. Gresham, May 9th, 1 p. m. New Era, May 11th, 1 p. m. Woodburn, May 12th, 7:30 p. m. Turner, May 13th, 1 p. m. Halsey May 14th, 1 p. m. Harrisburg, May 15th, 1 p. m. Cottage Grove, May 16th. Ashland, May 18th, 19th and 20th. Grants Pass, May 21st. Roseburg, May 22d. Oakland, Oregon, May 23d. Drain May 24th. Eugene, May 25th. Portland, May 26th, 1 p. m. Roseburg, May 27d. La Grande, May 29th and 30th.

The County Canvass

Following are the appointments for speaking as decided upon by the county Republican candidates:

- Saturday, May 16th--Turner, 10 a. m.; Marion, 2 p. m.; Jefferson, 8 p. m. Monday, May 18th--Aumsville, 10 a. m.; Sublimity, 2 p. m.; Stayton, 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 19th--Detroit, 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 20th--Mill City 10 a. m.; Mehama, 8 p. m. Thursday, May 21st--Macleay, 2 p. m.; Silverton, 8 p. m. Friday, May 22d--Scott's Mills, 8 p. m. Saturday, May 23d--Woodburn, 8 p. m. Monday, May 25th--Mt. Angel, 2 p. m. Gervais, 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 26th--Hubbard, 2 p. m.; Aurora, 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 27th--St. Paul 10 a. m.; Champeog, 2 p. m.; Butteville, 8 p. m. Thursday, May 28th--Brooks, 10 a. m.; Howell Prairie, 2 p. m. Friday, May 29th--East Salem, 2 p. m.; Salem, 8 p. m.

MR. TONGUE'S DATES.

- Friday, May 8--Halsey at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 9--Junction at 2 and Eugene at 8 p. m. Monday, May 11--Cottage Grove at 8 p. m. Tuesday, May 12--Drain at 1 o'clock and Oakland at 8 p. m. Wednesday, May 13--Roseburg at 8 p. m. Thursday, May 14--Grant's Pass at 8 p. m. Friday, May 15--Central Point at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 16--Medford, 2 p. m. and Ashland at 8 p. m. Monday, May 18--Klamath Falls. Thursday and Friday, May 21 and 22--Coos and Curry counties. Monday, May 25--Lincoln county, Toledo in the afternoon and Newport at night if possible to so arrange it. Tuesday, May 26--Corvallis. Wednesday, May 27--Sheridan. Thursday and Friday, May 28 and 29--Tillamook county.

On the evening of Saturday, May 30, (Memorial day) Mr. Tongue will deliver an address at Hillsboro.

STATE NEWS.

A supply of Columbia river salmon spawn has been sent to Japan, by order of that government.

The evangelist Crittenton is at Pendleton drawing large audiences and making many converts.

A summer normal will be taught at Philomath college, beginning June 23, and lasting eight weeks.

Between 15,000 and 18,000 mutton sheep will be started on the trail for eastern points. They will be driven from Union to Nebraska.

The Southern Pacific Railroad company is now paying taxes on roadbed, rolling stock and lands in Lane county amounting to about \$12,000.

Messrs. Shear and Davit, of The Dalles, left for Hay Creek, where they have bought 12,000 head of mutton sheep for shipment east. They will be driven to Huntington.

At Prineville the city fathers are not very stylish as to furniture. The only articles in the room were two benches, one table, two pine boxes and a goods box with shelves in it, used for a secretary, and a good stove.

E. Parr, of the firm of Parr & Profit, that has the contract for carrying the mail on the re-established route from Ashland to Klamath Falls, seven times a week, expects to make arrangements for a permanent service at once.

The joint meetings in Lane county were begun at Coburg Tuesday, when speeches were made by Senatorial Candidates I. D. Driver and H. C. Baker, Representative Candidates Thomas Vaughn, Henry Mathews and others.

Erick Johnson walked off one of the walls at the lower end of the government works at the Cascades, fell into the canal and drowned. He had started out in the dark to go to his boat at the lower end of the canal for the purpose of crossing the river, and by some misstep fell off a wall that was 20 feet high, falling into 30 feet of water.

Three drunken Indians on the agency road, held up Mr. Thompson, a prize fighter. This so enraged Thompson that he immediately "let out" and, as the report was given, in less time than it takes a jackass to flop his ears, had the three stretched upon the ground with blood streaming from their faces.

Mr. Glenn, a mechanic at the Umattilla agency has a strange family in a corner of his woodshed. A few nights ago he captured a raccoon, with four young ones, but the mother escaped, leaving the babies behind. They were immediately adopted by a female cat that had been bereft of her own progeny. The little fellows take kindly to their foster mother, and she, on her part, appears to treat them with the greatest affection.

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PRIMARY POLITICS.—The new book on the reformation of the American primary system, is now on sale at Dearborn's book store. a17t

Notice to Taxpayers. The tax rolls of Marion county, Oregon, for the year 1895, will be closed on the 30th day of May, 1896. All taxes not paid by said date will be delinquent and costs added. Dated May 1, 1896.

JOHN KNIGHT, Sheriff and tax collector of Marion county, Oregon. 5-4 4d 1w

Children Cry for Fisher's Castoria.

SOME RURAL TALK.

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great deal more money than it did. And perhaps we are better off than we have any right to expect.

I was sorry for Mr. Moores. Just as he was coming to what my boy who goes to college the "free-oration" the whole thing tumbled to the ground and Moores crawled out from under the tent like a boy that had been caught stealing into a circus. I heard that THE JOURNAL man killed a mule at Macleay when he was showing up Pennoyer's record two years ago. But Moores brought down the house that time sure. One farmer said it would have been more interesting to give us the inside history of the legislature instead of the history of the Republican party. But I've known Charley ever since he was a boy and he was always modest about his own affairs. Preacher Belknap of Turner, who was at the county convention, and wanted on the legislature ticket, was at this camp-meeting where I attended. When he was at our county convention he was for Mitchell and silver. Now he's fighting the Mitchell candidates on the ticket like sixty.

He was elected from Benton county some years ago. My son lives up there and writes me that he was not a preacher there but traded off the whole ticket to get on himself and then conducted the prison investigation to which Pennoyer now refers. I like old man Pennoyer. He made the best governor we ever had except the present one, we don't know much about yet. But now Mr. Belknap has got religion I suppose he is more honest in his politics than to expend \$1,700 on an investigation that didn't investigate. R. R. Ryan, the Populist candidate for recorder, showed a friend of mine a paper they are asking all the candidates to sign. I asked Preacher Belknap about it. He said no man could be elected who didn't sign it, but he wouldn't tell me what it was. He said the only trouble was that so many were signing up that nobody knew who was sincere and who wasn't and I'd vote for no man who'd sign away his political freedom on any subject under the sun. We wanted free and independent men to represent us and I told him so and he sneaked off and said no more. He aint very broad in the beam no way. He's a good singer and exhorter and all that but he never could be elected again to anything up where he lived my boy tells me. It has rained so much this spring and weather is so cold and backward we are all feeling blue. There is no chance to do farm work. The roads are too bad to go to town at any distance. We just attend school house meetings and kick about the legislature and hurrah for McKinley. My remarks about the legislature candidates in Polk county caused a great roar and I got a letter from one man to let up or I'd beat the whole ticket. I know Hatch and the clerk Mulkey pretty well. They're pretty sharp and will make all there is in it out of the legislature which is pretty much what they all do when they get there and I about despair. But Hatch and Mulkey is both still hogs, the kind as gets the swill. Mulkey is county clerk and knows every man in the county personally and will be elected, no doubt. But them kind does us farmers no good because they use all they learn about public laws and administrations for their own benefit when they pretend to go to represent us. If Jack D'Arcy would tell what he knows about the Salem school land ring a whole lot of good facts would come out and a whole lot of us would vote for him. That was a pretty sharp letter of Harry Lane's about Pennoyer and the school land ring. Jack D'Arcy was at the Aumsville meeting and came pretty near being called out to speak but Ed Judd was too sharp for them. He's a master hand at that and no man can talk at a meeting he's presiding over unless he wants to let 'em. I'm going to the Aumsville picnic next Tuesday to hear General Weaver. I don't agree with his money views but I like to hear him talk. He's one man Harvey Scott is afraid of. If Weaver was a tariff man, I wouldn't be afraid of his silver views, because as Tom Tongue counts silver as a part of our hard money we're not afraid of silver if that's true.

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