THEY GET TOGETHER

Republican Lovefeasters Hold Council.

RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED

Eighteen of the Original Committee of Twenty-Four Take Action to Be Submitted to a Committee of Forty.

Like vaccine virus, the get-together policy of the Multnomah County Republicans is taking, and last night 18 of the committee of 24 lovefeasters appointed by F. E. Beach, president of the Republican Club of Portland, met at Alisky Hall and adopted a resolution which may yet bring together the factional members of the party. The committee was presided over by Mr. Beach, with Charles E. Lockwood as secretary, who when they opened the gathering of lovefeasters were only ex-officio officers. There was some confusion about the hall in which the meeting was to be held. The committee had engaged the main hall in the Alisky building, but through a mistake in dates the meeting was sidetracked into room 214. Many of the members of the committee found difficulty in locating this room, and this may have been the reason that the entire 24 were not present.

Outlines Purpose of Call.

After he had formally called the gathering to order, Mr. Beach again outlined the purpose of calling the meeting, the purport of which he stated was to have bygones be bygonest, to have the factions bury the hatchet, divest themselves of the knives they have been carrying for years past and come into the big council which was soon to be held and smoke the pipe of peace. Those present were of the same heart, and brotherly love and harmony was the watchword of the meeting. President Beach announced after he had outlined the purpose of the meeting that inasmuch as both he and Mr. Lockwood were only ex-officio officers of the committee, a chairman and secretary should be chosen for the meeting. The selection naturally fell upon the shoulders of Mr. Beach and Mr. Lockwood, C. M. Idleman naming Mr. Beach to be chairman and Dr. Emmett Drake naming Mr. Lockwood. Both were elected without opposing nominations.

To Map Out Reunion.

The object of this committee meeting was to map out a Republican reunion plan. To this end a resolution which Secretary Lockwood had typewritten, the purport of which was the forming of a Republican League of Multnomah County, was submitted to several of the lovefeasters before it was offered by G. W. Stapleton. Those who saw the typewritten sheet before it was offered agreed that it would be the proper thing. There was only one objection and that was made by C. M. Idleman after the resolution had been offered. The resolution as it was originally offered left the appointing power with the president. Mr. Idleman, after mildly intimating that he had none too much love for the direct-primary law, but declaring that in that it had become a law by the will and vote of the people, he was willing to give the law a full and impartial trial, suggested that the word president be stricken out and the words "by your committee" in serted. This was done after considerable debate. Now the resolution as passed by this committee will be offered for further consideration at the meeting of the 40 originals, with last night's committee added.

What the Resolution Says.

The resolution which may or may not be the means of reuniting the scattered Republicans of Multnomah County follows:

To the committee appointed under the auspices of the Republican Club of Portland, Or.:

We, the committee appointed by the president of the Republican Club of Portland, in pursuance of a motion adopted at your recent meeting at the Commercial Club, beg leave to report back for adoption the following recommendations to the Republicans of Multnomah County:

We believe that the factional strife that has existed within the Republican party in this county in the past should cease.

We favor giving the direct primary nominating elections law, recently enacted by vote of the people of this state, a free, full and complete trial at the next primaries, by observing its provisions and putting them in operation in every particular.

We favor giving our support to only those candidates for Republican nominations who shall, in their declaration to become candidates under the provisions of said primary law, pledge themselves to give their unqualified support to the successful nominee for the office to which they aspire.

We would recommend that an organization, to be known as the Republican League of Multnomah County, be formed; and that for the purpose of instituting such organization, the president of the Republican Club be authorized to invite the Republicans of each precinct in this county to suggest the names of two representative Republicans in each precinct for selection, who, together with 50 representative Republicans from the county at large, all to be selected by your committee, be invited to meet at a time and place certain, to perfect such organization, without regard to past factional differences.

Ghost of Primary Law.

This resolution may go far toward swinging into line the sadly shattered Republican forces. The cropper that such a plan is apt to meet up with is the direct primary law, which loomed up at last night's gathering, like Banquo's ghost—it would not down. It confronted the faithful 18 like a reef a shipwrecked mariner—the law was on the statute books so it had to stand, and as good Republicans, those present wanted it understood that until the law was tested to its fullest that they were for direct primaries. A. J. Capron had hidden away in the recesses of his inside coat pocket another resolution. When he rose to speak he announced at the outset that he did not offer what he was about to read as a counter proposition, nor did he want to have what he read considered. He thought it was good and wanted the rest to hear it. His paper advocated the appointment of 50 tried and true Republicans to pass upon all candidates that came up before the primaries. The 50 would be empowered to select only the "right" candidates and the objectionable or doubtful men who desired office would be cast out. There was no discussion on the contents of Mr. Capron's paper, so the voice of the committee was silent as to what was thought of his suggestions.

His Republicanism Questioned.

That the original 40 in their attempt to bring together at this meeting Republicans of various party shades, were shy on the "know" cropped out. On the list was the name of B. P. Reynolds, of Columbia Slough. If the 40 were not wise to Reynolds' political complexion, there were those present who were and they did not hesitate to speak out in meeting. Reynolds had contributed $50 to Mayor Lane's campaign, so he was not considered a good Republican and could not reasonably have any interest in the lovefeasters, because in addition to giving $50 to Mayor Lane, he was a gold Democrat. Some one suggested that he was near enough to count, but there were others who thought otherwise. The Rev. Mr. Short, Republican species not designated, received notice for his activity in helping the doctor Mayor of Portland. So desirous was the feeling for brotherly love and forgiveness, however, that even Rev. Mr. Short was forgiven, provided he would again enter the Republican fold and be rebaptised.

The resolution adopted at the meeting will be submitted at a meeting which is called for on Wednesday night. The place of meeting has not been selected, but will have been by Monday when notices will be sent out.

DAILY CITY STATISTICS

Marriage Licenses.

BAUM-BAUER—Adam Baum, 45; Sophie Bauer, 34.

VAN DERSAL-MORRISON — William C. Van Dersal, 22, 665 East Alder street; Ella M. Morrison, 22.

FLEMING-STEPHENS—John E. Fleming, 22, Centralia; Blanche Stephens, 19.

FINK-HAWORTH—Lawrence F. Fink, 23, 204 East Eighth street; Zella Haworth, 18.

VAIL-SCHLEGEL—Gustaf E. Vail, 20, Lents; Della Schlegel, 16.

WOERNER-FEUCHT—Jacob Woerner, 28; Rosa Feucht, 21.

TIMM-DOWLING—Henry F. Timm, 23, 134 Grand avenue; Alice V. Dowling, 22.

Births.

LAWRENCE—At 712 Marshall street, December 9, to the wife of William C. Lawrence, a son.

SEGAL—At 185 Grant street, December 9, to the wife of Joseph Segal, a daughter.

GLICK—At 693 Second street, December 8, to the wife of Frank Glick, a daughter.

Deaths.

ASHTON—At Good Samaritan Hospital, December 6, Mrs. Margaret J. Ashton, a native of California, aged 33 years, 8 months and 19 days. Remains sent to Baker City, Or., for interment.

WALTERS—At the Northern Pacific Sanitarium, December 8, George Walters, aged about 60 years. Remains sent to Grant's Pass, Or., for interment.

BENNETT—At 328 Sixth street, December 9, Rev. George W. Bennett, a native of England, aged 88 years, 10 months and 21 days. Remains sent to Corvallis, Or., for interment.

RAYKOWSKI—At 616 Seventh street, December 8, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Raykowski, aged 2 days.

FORBES—In First Presbyterian Church, Twelfth and Alder streets, December 7, Mrs. Alice C. Forbes, a native of La Porte, Ind., aged 48 years, 6 months and 22 days.

TOBIAS—On Bedford street, near North Twelfth, December 9, Mrs. Anna Tobias, a native of Austria, aged 35 years.

TANIYAMA—At St. Vincent's Hospital, December 5, T. Taniyama, a native of Japan, aged 21 years.

SCHMITT—At 405 North Upshur street, December 8, Helena, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Schmitt, a native of Portland, aged 7 months.

HUGHES—At St. Vincent's Hospital, December 7, Frank Hughes, a native of Ireland, aged 57 years.

Building Permits.

VALENTINE KLOHE—Dwelling, Cook avenue, between Rodney and Williams avenues, $1000.

J. M. ARTHUR—Repair of store, First and Ash streets, $300.

JOHN L. PIKE—Shed, East Twenty-seventh street, between Mildred and Surman streets, $47.

MRS. ELIZABETH VAN ANDERSON—Store and tenement, East Burnside and East Twenty-eighth streets, $4400.

F. F. ANGELS—Repair of store, 242 Fifth street, $20.

Real Estate Transfers.

State Institution of Savings of Minneapolis to F. Crandall, parcel land J. B. Stephens' D. L. C.	$ 1
F. E. Crandall to G. Bielch, parcel land beginning 30 feet W. of S.W. cor. block 44, Stephens' Add.	4,600
Portland Lone Fir Cemetery Co. to W. L. Prink, S. ½ lot 188, block 35, Cemetery	25
R. V. Belford and wife to R. F. Wymore and wife, lots 9, 10, block 3, Kern Park	1
M. Murdoch and wife to G. Hoffman and wife, lot 12, block 32, Central Albina	1
D. C. McLellan and wife to L. Christensen, lot 1, block 75, Stephens' Add.	1,300
M. L. Holbrook and wife to J. McCheany, lots 9 to 16, block 3, Court Place	2,800
J. Carlyle and wife to E. G. Ausplund, lots 7, 8, block 2, Mount Tabor Central Tract	1
S. R. Forbes and husband to J. M. Pittenger, lot 7, block 6, Subdivision in Proebstel's Add.	400
J. M. Pittenger and wife to J. A. Zobie, lot 7, block 6, Subdivision Proebstel's Add.	475
W. M. Ladd et al. to A. F. Peterson, S. 33 feet lot 6, block 1, Strong's Add.	1,650
Sheriff to C. Werkheis, W. 25 feet lots 7, 8, block 318, Aiken's Add.	1,850
W. H. Everett and wife to N. F. Noren, lot 9, Avidson's Subdivision block 13, North St. Johns	250
M. J. Smith to I. A. Webb et al., lots 7, 8, block 3, P. T. Smith's Add.	2,500
D. McKeen and wife to C. H. Chambeau, 44x100 feet, beginning 100 feet S. of intersection S. line of E. Stark with E. line of E. 15th st.	8,000
C. P. Sargent to F. T. Griffith, trustee, lot 5, Lamargent Park No. 2	300
H. Lemke and wife to L. V. King and wife, lot 7, block 11, W. Piedmont	1,400
A. F. Neunert and wife to L. C. Shorno and wife, 5 feet off W. end lots 3, 4, block 60, Caruthers' Add.	1
C. I. Dillon to W. Jones, lot 10, block 3; lots 13, 14, block 4, Kenilworth	1
G. Noakes and wife to A. Mercer, lots 1, 2, 3, 10, block 7, Bertha	6,500
P. H. Blyth to C. K. Zilly, lots 5, 6, block 84, Carter's Add.	2,250
J. M. Healy to A. Collins, lot 5, block 3, Center Add. Annex	250
J. C. Ainsworth, trustee, to O. A. Simon and wife, lots 20, 21, block 1, Myrtle Park	315
C. M. Nelson and wife to S. Danielsen, lot 6, block 94, Stephens' Add.	1,600
A. Mercer and wife to G. Noakes, 11.05 acres, Sec. 17, T. 1 S., R. 1 E.	2,000
Sheriff to Melinda E. Morgan, lot 22, block 2, Willamette	1,027
C. Kelly and husband to G. W. Gordon, lot 7, block "A," Dunlway Subdivision River View Add.	4
L. Potts to B. C. Tweet, central 22 1-3 feet, lot 7, block 2, Mount Tabor Villa Annex	1
	800

Contractor R. Currier Is Wanted.

Contractor R. Currier, of St. Johns, is wanted, and wanted badly, by quite a number of persons in that city. He has lived and done business in St. Johns one year, but since Monday his house has been vacant, and nobody knows where he has gone. Since being in St. Johns he has built several houses, but never exactly fulfilled the contracts, so the owners say. W. R. McKeon, for whom he put up a dwelling, has paid $400 in liens on his home that were incurred by Contractor Currier. It is reported that there are many other victims of the same sort. Mr. Currier was a "high-life" financier, if some of his other transactions are correctly reported, that of selling the same piece of property to several different persons, giving each a little slice. A delegation from St. Johns will call upon District Attorney Manning, and ask that an effort be made to ascertain the whereabouts of Contractor Currier, and that he be brought back to face his accusers who are his victims.

Southern Pacific Buys Water Front.

It is no longer a secret that the purchaser who for some time has been showing great activity in securing property along the Portland water front is the Southern Pacific. Yesterday the Harriman interests delivered a check for $50,000 to the Willamette Iron & Steel Works for its water-front property, the sale of which was announced by The Oregonian some time ago. Another check for $75,000 was delivered to J. Couch Flanders.

Several large purchases have been made during the past month along the river, and in each case the name of the purchaser was withheld. Nevertheless it was the general belief that the Southern Pacific and O. R. & N. were behind the deals, although no official confirmation of the rumors to that effect could be obtained.

Policeman Thrown Down Stairway.

While entering a Chinese opium joint at 86 Second street last night to make an arrest, Policeman John Price was thrown down the stairs by Ah Wah, who was himself carried down by the policeman. Price arrested Ah Wah on a charge of resisting an officer.

Policemen Ehmsen and Price have been detailed by Captain Slover, of the second night relief, as Chinatown policemen, that they might break up the places in the district where early hour opium smokers congregate.

A Few Suggestions

To those who contemplate buying Christmas presents for Gentlemen. This store carries the most select stock of any on the Coast of the following sensible articles, which will make nice presents:

FIRST—A HOUSECOAT, of which we show a choice selection, in fine cheviots, silks and camelshair. Priced $5.00 to $15.00.

SECOND—FINE DRESSING GOWNS and BATH-ROBES. Priced $5.00 and up to $20.00.

THIRD—A line of very fine TRAVELING BAGS, HAT and SUIT CASES. Priced $5.00 to $20.00.

FOURTH—An immense variety of fine CANES and UMBRELLAS. Priced $1.50 to $15.00.

FIFTH—A most beautiful line of SUSPENDERS in lisles, silks and satins, with silver and gold-plated buckles. Priced $2.00 to $5.00 a pair.

SIXTH—An endless variety of SILK and LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, plain white and latest designs in fancies. Priced 25¢ to $1.50.

SEVENTH—A gift always acceptable to a Gentleman—NECKWEAR—and such an array of beautiful and exclusive neckwear never shown in a Western city. Priced 50¢ to $3.50. FINE GLOVES—Dent's and Fowns' imported and the best domestic gloves. Priced $1.50 to $4.00 a pair. And a great many other items which we will be pleased to show you. Never any trouble to show goods here.

R. M. GRAY

269-271 Morrison Street

Just Style and Quality

Christmas Gifts

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks,

Silverware, Rings, Brooches, Pins, Chains, Cut Glass

If this list doesn't include what you want, we have it—all appropriate for Christmas remembrances.

A. N. WRIGHT, The Iowa Jeweler

293 MORRISON STREET, NEAR FIFTH.

IS GIVEN A FORTUNE

George Milo Is Bequeathed Large Sum.

IS PORTLAND SOLICITOR

Learns by Telegram That Uncle Has Willed Him a Hundred Thousand Dollars and a Gold Mine in Alaska.

Fortune has smiled upon a Portland man, and this expression of good will is unusually pleasant this time. George Milo, solicitor for the Union Meat Company, is the lucky person, and the smile of fortune comes to him in the way of a heritage of $100,000 and a gold mine in Alaska, both of which were left him by his uncle, Alex Bonie, one of the first discoverers of the famous Klondike. The information that he had been substantially remembered by his uncle came to him yesterday afternoon, in the form of a telegram from a sister who is in Northfield, Vt. Mr. Milo knows nothing of the particulars in the case, the telegram merely stating that his uncle had died and that his share of the fortune was $100,000 in property and cash and a valuable gold mine in Alaska.

Had Heard Nothing for Years.

Mr. Milo had not the slightest inkling that he was ever to fall heir to a fortune as he had not heard from his uncle for more than ten years. Yesterday afternoon a messenger boy brought him the telegram, and when he read the message which it contained he was dumfounded and acted like most people do when they suddenly find out that they have acquired a large sum of money. He could hardly believe he was in the right mind when he read the message, which brought him the welcome news that he was a rich man, when only a few minutes before he was poor, having nothing more than his wages.

Mr. Milo until yesterday might have been termed a victim of adversity, as one time he was well-to-do and was worth a considerable sum of money. He engaged in business in Seattle, where he lost practically all of his savings through litigation. Last March he came to Portland, and when he arrived in this city he had only 30 cents in his pocket. Since then he has had steady employment, but, like nearly all of those who work for a wage, he did not have the opportunity to save much above his living expenses.

Still Holds Position.

Mr. Milo did not lose his head when he received the news that no longer would he have to work for some one else, and still holds on to his position. He says he will not resign until he has something more than a telegram to assure him that the news is authentic.

Mr. Milo is well known in Seattle, where he was in business for several years. About two years ago his store was closed by the Carstens Packing Company over a disputed account. The case has been going the rounds of the courts until two weeks ago, when, Mr. Milo says, it was decided in his favor. Milo stated last night that, now that the case had been won, within a few days he would institute proceedings to recover from the company $30,000, which he says is due him for damages.

Right People Do Not Attend.

William Schulmerick, of Washington County, who attends and assists at farmers' institutes held under the direction of the Oregon Agricultural College, being a practical dairyman of more than 30 years' standing, says that the institutes were well attended, but did not always reach the people who needed them the most. "Why that class does not attend," said Mr. Schulmerick, "is more than I can tell. The people who do come are mostly the progressive class, but there is another class who think they can make no improvement, and scorn the results of scientific investigation. They never make a test of the milk of their herds. If we could get this class of farmers to come out to our institutes we could secure better results."

Washington-Street Sale.

Edgar W. Wright and James Watts have just sold to Clara E. Wolfe a property, 50x100 feet, on the north side of Washington street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets. The only improvement is one small frame building. The sale was made by E. J. Daly, who has sold the same piece four times since April of this year. It first brought $8500, then $9500, then $12,000, and now $15,000.

Burglars Rob House.

The residence of Dr. C. B. Brown, at 474 Salmon street, was entered by burglars last night while he and his wife were absent, and $7.50 and a recolver were taken. The house was left in charge of the servant girl. She left the place a few minutes, and during her absence the burglars broke in.

A BRAIN WORKER

Must Have the Kind of Food That Nourishes Brain.

"I am a literary man whose nervous energy is a great part of my stock in trade, and ordinarily I have little patience with breakfast foods and the extravagant claims made of them. But I cannot withhold my acknowledgment of the debt that I owe to Grape-Nuts food.

"I discovered long ago that the very bulkiness of the ordinary diet was not calculated to give one a clear head, the power of sustained, accurate thinking. I always felt heavy and sluggish in mind as well as body after eating the ordinary meal, which diverted the blood from the brain to the digestive apparatus.

"I tried foods easy of digestion, but found them usually deficient in nutriment. I experimented with many breakfast foods and they, too, proved unsatisfactory, till I reached Grape-Nuts. And then the problem was solved.

"Grape-Nuts agreed with me perfectly from the beginning, satisfying my hunger and supplying the nutriment that so many other prepared foods lack.

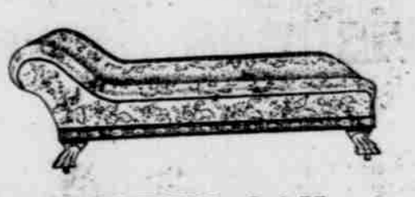
"I had not been using it very long before I found that I was turning out an unusual quantity and quality of work. Continued use has demonstrated to my entire satisfaction that Grape-Nuts food contains all the elements needed by the brain and nervous system of the hard working public writer." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

There's a reason. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

The Holiday Store

We'd like you to do your holiday trading with us this year. We've made preparations for you to shop in comfort and have on display a very large assortment of the newest and most attractive things for the home. Our store is brightly lighted and decorated for the season. We'll keep open every evening now until Christmas. Day or night, you'll find our store full of the holiday spirit. We've plenty of time to show you around and just as glad to see you whether you come to look around or to buy. Here are some suggestions that may appeal to you.

SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK



GOLDEN OAK COUCH

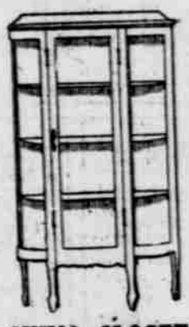
Substantial Couch with embossed golden oak frame and claw feet. Has guaranteed steel springs and honest filling, upholstered with rolled edge, in pretty figured velours. Regular price $15.00—

Special $12.50

MORRIS CHAIR

Handsome Morris Chair with polished golden oak frame and adjustable rod back. Loose cushions covered with fancy velour. Regular price $12.50—

Special $9.50



CHINA CLOSET

Handsome weathered oak cabinet with bent ends of plate glass and plate glass door. Has three wide, adjustable shelves. Regular price $27.50—

Special $21.00

CHIFFONIER

Five-drawer Chiffonier with or without hat-box. Golden oak, maple or mahoganized birch, oval mirror and solid brass mountings. Regular price $19.00—

Special $15.00

Dressing Table

A dainty present for a woman — Golden oak, maple or mahoganized birch, brass mounted. Drawer and oval mirror. Regular price $50.00—

Special $11.00

Special Terms--$1 Down, 50c a Week

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Tomorrow--We Issue Series No. 3 in Our $125 Furniture Contest

If you have not entered this contest come down to our store and get the preceding series. If you have already started come down and get the third card—it will be ready in the morning. Remember

$125 Gold--In Prizes--Gold $125

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