

MR. SEELIG LEADS CHARITABLE PLAN

Senator Proposes That He and Nine Others Give \$5 Monthly to Safely Family.

SUBSCRIPTIONS POUR IN

Generous Portland Residents Help Bereaved Children of Veteran. Woman Would Adopt Girl. Work for Boy Is Sought.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Lists donors and their contributions to a fund for children of veterans.

Responding with many others to the appeal for aid for the children of James Seelig, a Grand Army veteran whose life was crushed out beneath the wheels of a freight engine in the O. W. R. & N. Company's yards a few weeks ago, Senator Seelig in a letter to The Oregonian...

One Wanted for Adoption. Mrs. D. J. McCreedy, of Beaverton, R. P. D. No. 1, has opened negotiations through The Oregonian with R. C. Hase, commander of Sumner Post of the G. A. R., of which the father of the helpless children was a member...

Position Sought for Boy. Mr. Markes is still looking for a steady position for Robert, the eldest boy, Hazel, older of the two sisters, who is ready to school tomorrow by Mrs. C. P. Rader, of East Forty-fourth and Earl streets...

DEMOCRATS ARE ACTIVE

Increasing Disposition Shown to Demand "Regularity" in Nomination—Effect on Dr. Lane's Prospects Discussed.

Greater interest in the Mayorality contest is being manifested among the Democrats. It now appears as though, regardless of whether Dr. Lane enters the race, the strife for the party nomination will be between George H. Thomas, county chairman, and Tom Word.

Stress Laid on Regularity. In the approaching contest the Democrats are determined to have in the field a candidate for Mayor who has been regularly nominated by the party voters.

SILENCE ON DEATH ASKED

Deputy Coroner Tells About Warning Mrs. Roberts' Friends Gave.

Deputy Coroner Dane, as one of the principal witnesses in the trial of Dr. C. H. Francis, indicted jointly with Dr. J. M. Logan, for the death of Mrs. Frances Roberts by a criminal operation, testified yesterday that unusual anxiety had been shown by the coroner and H. Bassett, alleged assassin of Mrs. Roberts, to keep the cause of the woman's death as quiet as possible.

Deputy Coroner Dane said that his suspicions were aroused at once and had been discovered irregularities which resulted in investigation later.

Mr. Meier Has Fair in View. Julius L. Meier, a member of the Oregon commission to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, is at San Francisco, and while there will look after interests of the state with regard to the fair.

POLITICAL NOTES

P. A. COCHRAN, a well-known Democratic politician of this city, has returned from a three months' visit in Southern Oregon. Mr. Cochran is being urged by some of his Democratic friends to become a candidate for his party's nomination for United States Senator four years hence.

ROADS TO BE REPAIRED FOR AUTOS. NEWPORT, Or., March 18.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the Newport Commercial Club, R. A. Bassett, S. G. Stein and T. F. Kershaw were appointed a committee to request the County Court to order the County Commissioners to improve all roads for the benefit of motoring parties.

WELL-KNOWN PORTLAND PIONEER CELEBRATES EIGHTY-FOURTH BIRTHDAY.



Joseph Blumauer, who crossed the plains to California in 1855 and came north to Oregon a short time later, celebrated his eighty-fourth birthday with a dinner, March 18, at his home in this city, at 679 Kearney street. Mr. Blumauer has the distinction of having owned and occupied the first brick building in Portland, which was situated on Front street, between Alder and Morrison streets.

WORD MAY ENTER

Ex-Sheriff Probable Contestant for Mayor.

W. C. Hasetline is the first candidate to file an announcement for the Republican nomination of Councilman from the Fourth Ward. Mr. Hasetline resides at 583 Madison street and is a member of the firm of Hasetline & Co.

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AN INVITATION

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FRANCIS JURY IS COMPLETE

Taking of Testimony in Physician's Trial to Begin Today.

The twelfth juror to sit on the jury to try the case of the state against Dr. C. H. Francis, charged with manslaughter, was accepted at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The actual trial will begin at 9:30 o'clock this morning before Judge Gates.

REWARD OFFERED FOR DOG POISONER

NEWPORT, Or., March 18.—(Special.)—Search is being made for a poisoner of dogs in this city and vicinity. A number of valuable dogs have been killed. Felix, a registered brindle bull terrier, owned by Frank Saitter, is the latest victim of poison. Felix won canine fame for having a gold tooth in place of a bad one which had been removed. A reward will be offered by Newport dog owners for the capture of the guilty person.

VEHICLE TAX TO WAIT

City Auditor Barbur addressed a letter to Chief of Police Cox yesterday afternoon saying that he believes there is no use trying to enforce collection of any vehicle tax until the litigation is settled. Mr. Barbur explained that, in collecting on three different ordinances, only the poorer classes have paid, the others holding out against payment, and that he does not propose to carry this on any longer, that he will let the subject alone until there is a vehicle law that will stand in the courts and then treat all alike.

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A. L. BARBUR, ANNOUNCEMENT



City Auditor Barbur is a candidate to succeed himself. He has conducted the office in the past in an upright, businesslike manner, and he desires to state to his many friends that the duties of the office devolving upon him are such that it will be impossible for him to take his time from the office in making a campaign and he, therefore, will be compelled to place his candidacy in the hands of the people. His slogan is, "Will continue to serve all the people faithfully and merit their confidence." (Paid Advertisement.)

How to Cure Rheumatism

Prominent Doctor's Best Prescription—It is Easily Mixed.

This is a very simple and harmless formula but it has worked wonders for all who have tried it, quickly curing chronic and acute rheumatism and back-ache. Get one ounce of syrup of Sarsaparilla compound and one ounce of Toris compound. Then get half a pint of good whiskey and put the other two ingredients into it. Take a tablespoonful of this mixture before each meal and at bed time. Shake the bottle before using. Results are felt the first day. Any druggist has these ingredients on hand or will quickly get them from his wholesale house. Any one can mix them.

This was previously published here and many of the worst cases of rheumatism and back-ache were cured by it in a short time. The tonic effect of this treatment is also very valuable. While eradicating rheumatism it also restores vitality.—Adv.