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LA GRANDE OREGON

BRYAN AN ISSUE IN ALABAMA POLITICAL WAR

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 7.—Members of the Alabama democratic executive committee arrived in Montgomery today preliminary to the meeting to be held this afternoon to decide on the party primaries and convention. Exclusive of the chairman and secretary, there are 45 members of the executive committee of Alabama, four from each of the nine districts and nine from the state at large.

As stated in the official call, the purpose of the meeting is to arrange for the state primaries, and to set a date for a convention, at which delegates to the national democratic convention, to be held in Denver, will be selected. The state primaries will be called for the election of two supreme judges. While this is an off year in politics in Alabama, it is expected that there will be several prominent men asking for these positions on the supreme court bench. At the last convention, the precedent was set whereby the state officers were to be

nominated in primary, although they may be elected in convention, this election of course, being a matter of form. At the primaries, too, delegates to the state convention will be elected. The convention to be called by the executive committee.

From late developments it is indicated that there will be a warm fight in the convention as to whether or not the Alabama delegation shall be instructed for Mr. Bryan for the presidency. An anti-Bryan movement was set on foot some time ago in Birmingham by Walker Percy and other representative citizens. The gentlemen identified with this movement will work for anti-Bryan delegates to the state convention, and in case of their election these anti-Bryan delegates will work in the state convention for an Alabama delegation to the Denver convention instructed against Mr. Bryan.

However, there was another movement put on foot at the same time in the interest of Mr. Bryan and from

AT COST FOR CASH

On account of ill health we are compelled to dispose of our Marble and Granite business, and in order to dispose of the stock at once, we are offering our entire stock, set up in the cemetery, at actual cost. This offer is good until April first, and may be withdrawn at any time without notice. This means a direct saving of 25 to 50 per cent to purchasers. Largest stock of marble and granite in Eastern Oregon.

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reports gathered from nearby communities, Bryan is the prime favorite in Alabama.

Bryan men are free to predict that if the Alabama delegation to be elected in the state convention is not instructed for Bryan it will not be instructed for any other.

TWO TEAMS TAKE LEAVE

In charge of Chaperone Mrs. Jay Van Buren and Manager Lulu Gulling and accompanied by Coaches A. W. Nelson and George Bernie, the club girls' team left today noon for Pendleton where the clash with the Umattilla capital quintet takes place this evening. Confidence was written on every countenance. Many of the girls and their feminine friends who accompanied them as rooters, will return on tomorrow morning's train. A few, however, are planning on remaining until tomorrow night.

Boys' Team Goes.
The boys' team, supported by a strong delegation of rooters, left on the same train. The boys are not aware of the strength of the enemy, but will be better qualified to know possibilities of winning when the whistle has blown and the game is under way. Dopists, however, give the locals a splendid chance of winning the contest. For the boys the line-up will probably be: Childers and Caylor, forwards; McKennon, center; Scott and Young, guards.

ELEVEN MEN INITIATED

Eleven candidates, all from La Grande, were introduced to the mysteries of the Elks' lodge last evening, when the largest membership attendance of several months saw that number given the work.

The principal business matters to be transacted by the lodge of public interest, had to do with the lodge home building site. The purchase price for the parcel of land, 70x100, west of the Blue Mountain creamery, facing Washington avenue, was turned over to the former owners and the site is now in the name of the Elks' lodge.

GLOVE ARTIST HAS ARRIVED

Manager Butler of the Spokane athletic club arrived in La Grande last evening with Lou Daly, the boxing artist, and both have been spending today in absolute quiet, in anticipation of a hard 15-round mill tonight.

The visitor appears to be in the best of condition. He is an agile appearing youngster.

Both he and "Mickey" Williams will weigh in at 124 pounds at the ring-side. The bout is to be of 15 rounds' duration for a decision.

Williams has been doing hard training stunts and from all appearances will be in the game with both feet and both hands. Followers of boxing believe a grind of considerable interest is due this evening.

Stockholders' Meeting.
On Monday, February 17, 1908, at the office of Oliver & Ramsey, the annual meeting of the La Grande Masonic Building association will be held for the purpose of electing a board of five directors and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
2-7-17 J. E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

Man has to court success just as he courts a woman.

Our Special Features For February

The special features of our store during February will be that of closing out all odd lots and broken lines left from the winter's selling.

The prices will be so low that they will appeal to everyone as phenomenal opportunities for saving. Each week and day during the entire month will be one of special offerings at much less than worth. In addition we shall inform you of the new advance spring styles arriving.

Already we have received hundreds of pieces of beautiful spring dress goods which are being opened up and placed on display as rapidly as possible. The lot includes Panamas, Voiles, Batistes, Novelty Suitings, Shimmer Silks, French and Scotch Cinghams, Madras Waistings, etc., etc.

To make your selections early means that you get the choice of all and have the spring sewing done when spring gets here.

The People's Store

LA GRANDE'S LEADING DRY GOODS EMPORIUM AND TEMPLE OF ECONOMY
THE OPERA HOUSE BLOCK

ROBBERY AT HILGARD

Hilgard, Feb. 7.—(Special.)—The Nils Holverson saloon was robbed Wednesday night, when about \$18 in currency was taken after the thief had broken through the windows.

The robbery was reported to La Grande officials the next morning, but no arrests have been made. The proprietor has well-grounded suspicions as to the identity of the robber. Calked shoes left their imprint on the sills and about the cash register where the money was kept over night.

MASONIC LECTURE.

Free Illustrated Lecture Exemplifying the Secret Work of Masonry.

M. A. Pottenger of Seattle, one of the most prominent teachers of Masonry in the northwest, will give an illustrated lecture at Masonic hall tomorrow (Saturday) at 7:30 p. m. All members of the home lodge and visiting brothers are cordially invited.

Mr. Pottenger is well versed in the secret work of the order and has made Masonic emblems a study for many years. He has written several books upon the subject, and has the reputation of giving new and surprising interpretations to the symbols. A highly enjoyable time is promised, and it is desirable that every member avail himself of this unusual opportunity.

Please notify others and let us have a full representation.

L. H. RUSSELL, W. M.

OFF FOR PENDLETON.

La Grande Basketball Teams Will Have Friends in Pendleton.

The following young ladies and young men accompanied the basketball teams to Pendleton this afternoon: Misses Avis Shirley, Alice Simpson, Irene Murphy; Messrs. Lot Snodgrass, John Bartmess, Harold Carpy, G. E. Warren, E. H. Hough, Archie Bacon, Arlie Bay, Willie Hamilton, Roy Goodnough and Leo Herring.

Tomorrow Night.

Dance at Harris hall tomorrow night. Dancing from 8 to 12 o'clock.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Wickens has been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Union county, administrator of the estate of William Wickens, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same with proper vouchers to the said administrator at his residence about eight miles northeasterly from Elgin, Oregon, or to R. H. Lloyd, attorney for said estate, at his office in Elgin, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 6th day of January, 1908.

JOHN H. WICKENS, Administrator.
R. H. LLOYD, Attorney for Said Estate.
6-13-20-27-5

The city marshal's report shows that there were 25 arrests made during the month of January; six cows were impounded; one sold for \$4, and one dog killed. The total receipts of the recorder's office from fines amounted to \$272.75.

A Notre Dame Lady's Appeal.

To all knowing sufferers of rheumatism, whether muscular or of the joints, sciatica, lumbagos, backache, pains in the kidneys or neuralgia pains, to write to her for a home treatment which has repeatedly cured all of these tortures. She feels it her duty to send it to all sufferers free. You cure yourself at home as thousands will testify—no change of climate being necessary. This simple discovery banishes uric acid from the

blood, loosens the stiffened joints, purifies the blood and brightens the eyes, giving elasticity and tone to the whole system. If the above interests you, for proof address Mrs. M. Summers, Box R, Notre Dame, Ind.

Croup

When a child wakes up in the middle of the night with a severe attack of croup as frequently happens, no time should be lost in experimenting with remedies of a doubtful value. Prompt action is often necessary to save life.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

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