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The La Grande business men did the right thing in deciding not to undertake the holding of the fair here in the city. This does not mean, however, that La Grande is not interested in the coming county fair and will not do its part in making it a success.

The dread of vacant buildings entertained by some prior to the June election, provided the local option law carried, seems to have all been a myth. There are not the number of vacant buildings in the city today that there was prior to the city going dry.

The results of the meeting of the state republican central committee, to be held in Portland on the 5th, will be watched with interest. There are a whole lot of republicans in the state who would like to see an active campaign inaugurated. There is plenty of time yet, but it is time that something was being outlined and that is the purpose of this meeting of the leaders of the party from all sections of the state.

The fall term of circuit court convenes next month. Attorneys are busy getting their cases ready for trial. It is early yet to forecast, but everything points to a light docket. There will be one murder case, that of the State vs. Moore, who shot and killed a colored shepherd by name of Richardson, near Teocasset. This session, under the new law, we will have a grand jury and what that body did up remains to be seen.

RELIGIOUS SQUABBLE.

England Has Trouble With Catholic and Protestant Churches.

London, Sept. 1.—Fearing an anti-Catholic demonstration, with a possibility of bloodshed as a result of the proposed grand procession of Catholic clergy and laity here at the opening of the Eucharistic congress September 9, churchmen have abandoned the parade at the urgent request of the police. The plans called for the greatest parade in the history of the church. It is understood the police were informed of a plot to interrupt the parade. Catholics blame the council of the Protestant alliance for the agitation. The alliance declares the arrangements for the congress is in violation of the constitution and the bill of rights is a "disgrace to England."

FOUR MEN SUFFOCATE.

Sailors on British Bark Working in the Forepeak, Succumb Today.

Boston, Sept. 2.—Four men are dead today as the result of the breaking of the fumes of burning pitch in the forepeak of the British bark Puritan here. The men were sent to the forepeak yesterday to store away the sail. In the meantime fire started from spontaneous combustion. The men never came out again.

Japanese Statesman Dying.

Tokio, Sept. 2.—General Marquis Inouye, one of the foremost Japanese statesmen, is dying today in the villa of Okitsu. He was stricken with heart failure.

Suicide Near Seattle.

Seattle, Sept. 2.—S. A. Kegley, proprietor of the Bee Hive store at Georgetown, committed suicide early today by shooting himself through the head. Family trouble is supposed to be the cause.

CONG. JENKENS THROWN DOWN

WAS CONGRESSMAN FOR MORE THAN 16 YEARS.

Primary Election in Wisconsin Yesterday Shows Defeat of Congressman J. J. Jenkins by Lenroot, a New Man in Politics—Davidson Re-elected—La Follette Element Wins and Loses as United States Senator Stephenson is Favored.

Milwaukee, Wis., Sept. 2.—Partially complete returns indicate that Congressman J. J. Jenkins of Chippewa Falls, chairman of the judiciary committee of the house of representatives, was defeated for renomination by Irvine Lenroot, former speaker of the state assembly. Returns confirm earlier figures that United States Senator Stephenson received the endorsement of the republican party for reelection over three opponents.

Governor Davidson received the nomination for re-election. Jenkins has served in the house of representatives for practically 16 years and has gained much prominence as a soloist. Lenroot has been identified with the anti-LaFollette machine for the past four years. Stephenson is a LaFollette leader, and Davidson was lieutenant governor to Robert M. LaFollette before the latter was elected United States senator.

MORE ROOSEVELT GIRLS.

Maniac Approaches the White House Claiming to Be a Relative.

Washington, Sept. 1.—Miss Katherine M. Roosevelt Cronin, who called at the White House last night and demanded admission because she was the long lost daughter of the president, was sent to the asylum today. The woman appeared at the big front door of the White House and told the watchman she wanted Mrs. Roosevelt to vacate her room immediately. The demented woman hails from San Francisco.

Choctaws Favor Taft.

Muskogee, Okla., Sept. 2.—It's all over but the shouting. Mr. Taft is sure to be elected. Mr. Bryan may as well retire from the race and save trouble and expense. Governor Green McCurtain, chief of the Choctaw nation, says so. And what Governor McCurtain says, goes—among Choctaws.

Big Musical Festival.

Richfield Springs, N. Y., Sept. 2.—A thousand singers from this state, Vermont, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Canada are entered in the competition for \$2000 in prizes offered at the musical festival opening here today. James S. Sherman, republican candidate for the vice-presidency, will preside at the opening session.

Assigning Republican Speakers.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—W. C. Cook of South Dakota, today held a conference with Chairman Hitchcock regarding the assignment of republican campaign speakers. Congressman Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the speakers' committee four years ago, will aid the work of assigning the speakers.

Returns From Michigan.

Detroit, Sept. 2.—With 300 districts missing at noon, results of yesterday's primaries indicate that Auditor General Bradley won the republican nomination over Governor Warner by a majority of 3000.

Cowboy Mayor Re-elected.

Omaha, Neb., Sept. 2.—Mayor Dahlman of this city, today claims a victory over his opponents, George W. Berg and former Congressman Schallenberger, in yesterday's primaries, with a plurality of 3000 in Douglas county.

Fir Street Market Opened.

The Grande Ronde Meat Company has reopened the Fir Street meat market, where they will be pleased to have their patrons call. Phone Main 48. 82-8

The harvest hands' baseball team, assisted by two league players, were defeated by the home team yesterday, the score being 11 to 7. George Bade umpired the game.

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