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JACKSON COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that the Republican County Convention for Jackson County, Oregon, will meet at Jacksonville, Oregon, at 10 o'clock, a. m., Saturday, March 29, 1902, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices to be filled at the ensuing June election and also to elect delegates to the Congressional and State Conventions.

Primaries will be held in the various precincts at the usual polling places, on Saturday, March 22d, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of delegates to said County Convention, which will consist of 124 members, apportioned to the several precincts as follows:

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| East Ashland | 9 | West Medford | 6 |
| West Ashland | 9 | Mound | 3 |
| South Ashland | 3 | Phoenix | 3 |
| Barron | 3 | Pleasant Creek | 3 |
| Dunn | 3 | Poolah | 4 |
| Applegate | 4 | Rock Point | 3 |
| Big Butte | 4 | Roxy | 3 |
| Central Point | 4 | Sams Valley | 3 |
| Climax | 4 | Stirling | 3 |
| Eagle Point | 5 | Table Rock | 3 |
| Foots Creek | 5 | Talent | 3 |
| Gold Hill | 5 | Trail | 3 |
| Jacksonville | 5 | Union | 3 |
| Lake Creek | 5 | Wakama | 3 |
| Meadows | 5 | Willow Springs | 3 |
| East Medford | 7 | Woodville | 3 |
| Total | 124 | | |

The same being two delegates at large for each precinct and one for each twenty-five voters or major fraction thereof cast in the different precincts in 1900 for William McKinley for president; and by order of the County Committee proxies in said precincts will be confined to residents of the precincts represented.

By Order of the Republican County Central Committee of Jackson County.
H. D. KUBBLI, Chairman,
A. E. Kellogg, Secretary.
Dated at Gold Hill, Or., March 10, 1902.

LORD METHUEN has one consolation during his captivity. He doesn't have to "regret to report" any more British defeats.

The United States government decreased its debt \$1,370,848 last month, besides adding \$2,060,449 to the treasury surplus. That's the Republican idea of running the government.

A BILL has been introduced in the Virginia legislature giving women the right to carry firearms for their defense. The "deadly bat pin" is considered sufficient protection in most communities to say nothing of the historic rolling pin and the broomstick.

PRINCE HENRY, of Prussia, was not allowed to rest very long at a time while on his recent visit to this country, and it is safe to say that he heaved a big sigh of relief when once more at sea and out of the clutches of his entertainers. He will always have a lively idea of the rapidity of American life after this.

CANADA is waking up to the danger of Chinese immigration, and it is probable that a law will be passed by the Dominion Parliament excluding the celestials. With such a law in force in the dominions of our northern neighbor the problem of keeping the Chinese out of the United States would be greatly simplified, as a majority of those illegally entering this country are smuggled over the border.

THAT our factories are especially prosperous is shown by our heavy importations of raw materials. Under the heading, "Articles in a Crude Condition which enter into the Various Processes of Domestic Industry," the Treasury Department gives the imports for January, 1902, as \$30,445,623, an increase over January of last year of over \$7,000,000. For the seven months ending January, 1902, the figures for importations of such raw materials are \$182,500,000, which is an increase of \$40,000,000 over the corresponding months of last year.

It is understood that the Democratic leaders are further planning to take advantage of the proposed Cuban legislation to institute a general attack upon the protective system, and are already advocating a

general revision of the tariff. In view of the still vivid picture of the Democratic low-tariff disaster of the second Cleveland administration, it might seem that the Democrats would let the tariff question alone for a considerable period. Such does not appear to be the case, however. "Tariff reform" is still kept ready at hand, to be brought out at the first favorable opportunity. The Republican leaders, however, will not be caught in any trap of this kind.

Imports into the United States for 1901, including Hawaiian and Porto Rican figures, were over \$900,000,000, the largest in the history of the country. Heavy importations do not generally indicate the best conditions. In this case, however, the increase has been in raw materials, which shows an increased activity among our manufacturers, and in tropical articles, such as coffee, sugar, rubber, tea, spices, etc., things which we do not raise ourselves. Such imports amount to \$350,000,000 a year, and afford a suggestion for the idea that all this money can be spent in our own tropical possessions, which are capable of furnishing this entire product.

THE passage of the Hansbrough-Newslands bill by a unanimous vote of the senate has stimulated the irrigation advocates in the house to vigorous efforts to pass the bill this spring. The bill provides that the money received from the sales of public lands in the arid region shall be used for the construction of irrigation works by the government, the land reclaimed thereby to be sold to settlers under the Homestead Act, with the cost of the reclamation added. Thus, if it cost the government \$1,000,000 to reclaim a tract of 100,000 acres the land would be sold for \$10 an acre. The house will insist upon an amendment providing that 50 per cent of the proceeds of sales of public lands shall be expended upon works in the states where sold.

IT WOULD be a rather difficult matter to find two men in the county who would be harder to beat in an election than the present incumbents of the sheriff's and county recorder's offices. From the way things are now pointing both of them will very likely be renominated. There is a reason for this, outside the personal popularity of both Mr. Orme and Mr. Applegate, and that lies in the manner in which they have discharged the duties of their respective offices. Accurate, accommodating and strictly honorable in their dealings with the county and the people they have made a record unsurpassed by any former incumbent of these offices, and that is the reason why their political opponents would rather go up against almost any one than "Alex" and "Pete."

Jurors—April Term of Court.
The following is the list of jurors for the April term of circuit court:
Ashland—A. S. Barnes, Geo. Hargadine, J. Shively, J. W. Hatcher, J. R. Wick, E. M. McIntyre.
Sams Valley—Martin Perry, Clarence Case.
Eagle Point—Jos. Rader, S. B. Holmes, Delbert Terrill, John Ashpole.
Phoenix—E. G. Coleman, Fred Furry, Barron—J. M. Wagner.
Applegate—Jas. O'Brien.
Central Point—O. R. Pankey, W. J. Freeman.
Mound—Wm. Gregory.
Medford—Ed. Wilkinson.
Big Butte—W. Beale.
Trail—W. R. Johnson.
Willow Springs—Ralph Dean.
Woodville—B. F. Carter.
Climax—Lane Wyland.
Rock Point—H. L. White, W. H. Newton.
Dunn—Wm. Addison.
Pleasant Creek—Robt. Wakeman.
Lake Creek—W. H. Bradshaw.
Jacksonville—Luke Bryan.

Among the Churches.
CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Rev. W. A. Coryea will preach at the Christian Church Sunday, March 23d, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.
METHODIST CHURCH.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Life of What Does It Consist?" Evening subject, "Regularity of Service." Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Sunday School 10 a. m. Business meeting of Epworth League Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.
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POLITICAL PRATTLE.
Saturday next is the day set for holding the Republican primaries in the various precincts of the county. There is a plentiful supply of candidates for all the offices and there are very few of them for which there are not two or more aspirants. It is understood that County Clerk Newbury and County Commissioner G. S. Butler are not candidates for renomination, but the balance of the county officials are supposed to be not averse to serving another term. The legislative ticket is attracting considerable attention for the reason that the next legislature will elect a U. S. senator. There are three very prominent candidates for the nomination for state senator in the persons of H. D. Kubbli, of Applegate, J. W. Morritt, of Central Point, and E. V. Carter, of Ashland. Both the latter have served the county in the lower house. H. Von der Hellen, of Wellen, is also spoken of for this nomination. For representative Chas. A. Dickison, of Table Rock, wants the nomination, and W. A. Carter, of Gold Hill, wouldn't object to another term. S. F. Morine, of Table Rock, would like to succeed Sheriff Orme, and Alex. will not refuse the nomination if it comes to him. For county clerk M. L. Alford, of Medford, seems to be about the only one in sight.

There are no active candidates as yet for the nomination for county commissioner, but a number of prominent citizens are mentioned in connection with the office. Among them are J. G. Martin, of Beagle; E. B. Barron and J. M. Wagner, of Barron; J. Patterson, of Talent; Miles Wakeman, of Pleasant Creek; A. E. Kellogg, of Gold Hill. Peter Applegate seems to be pretty certain of renomination for county recorder. For joint representative J. M. Hansbrough, of Roseburg, is the leading candidate.

There is, as said before, a plentiful supply of good official timber in the field and there is no reason why the county convention will not be able to select a strong clean ticket, which will be victorious at the polls, and swing Jackson County into the line of solid Republican counties.

Notice—New Survey.
Notice is hereby given that the approved plats of survey of townships 37 S., R. 4 east, and 39 S., R. 6 west, have been received from the surveyor general for Oregon and on Tuesday, April 22, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., the said plats will be filed in this office and the land embraced therein will be open to entry on or after that date. Township 37 S., R. 4 east, being in the Cascade forest reserve, will be open to entry only for persons who made settlement prior to the creation of the reserve.
J. T. BRIDGES, Register.
J. H. Booth, Receiver.

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Circuit Court Docket.
CRIMINAL DOCKET.
State vs Bloomer; larceny; A. E. Reames.
State vs Ed Booth; defacing a building; A. E. Reames.
State vs Ed Booth; assault; A. E. Reames.
State vs Jonas Justus and T. M. Howard; larceny.
State vs John Doe; larceny.
State vs M. M. Reed and Thos. Featherstone; burglary.
State vs Riley Noah and Margaret Taylor.
State of Oregon vs E. E. Poley; forgery.
State vs H. C. Messenger; murder.
ACTIONS.
Honeyman, DeHart & Co vs Mitchell Denton & Co; action; W. I. Vawter, Chas. Prim for E. Denton.
Jas. M. Walters vs S. T. Sanders; review; S. S. Pentz.
John W. Prall vs Frank W. Wait; action; W. I. Vawter.
Hannah H. Hood vs Ben A. Lowell; action; W. I. Vawter.
Nancy Carter vs Miles Wakeman; action; E. B. Dufur and W. M. Colvig.
John Matson vs Montreal & Oregon Mines Limited; action; H. L. McWilliams and R. Montague.
E. J. Kubli vs Jesse Richardson; action; E. D. Briggs and E. B. Watson.
Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co vs W. K. Price; action; W. I. Vawter.
T. J. Kenney vs C. W. Turpin; action; W. I. Vawter.
W. J. King vs Ada and L. G. Porter; action; W. E. Phipps and Snell & Hartson.
J. W. Merritt, doing business as Field & Co, vs Geo. H. McDonald; action; J. L. Hammerly.
State Land Board vs J. R. Howard; action; W. I. Vawter and A. E. Reames.
EQUITY.
Clara May Kesterson vs S. P. Conger; suit; W. I. Vawter.
A. A. Davis vs P. H. Oviatt; suit; S. S. Pentz and A. S. Hammond.
T. M. Griffith vs Zella Griffith; divorce; Hammersly & Carter and A. N. Solis.
J. A. Freeman vs A. C. Pantou et al; suit; Milton W. Smith.
Sadie Bartholomew vs Sanford Bartholomew; divorce; Snell & Hartson.
Peter Britt et al vs C. D. Reed; injunction; W. M. Colvig and E. B. Dufur.
Wm. K. Reeves vs Cynthia Reeves; divorce; G. W. Trefren and W. M. Colvig.
Minerva Hilgar et al vs J. W. Miller; suit; Hammond & Narregan, Vawter, Snell & Hartson, Colvig and Prim.
Mary H. Hanley vs Ellen Jane Kubli; suit; A. E. Reames, Chas. Prim and E. B. Watson.
Emely E. Hills vs F. W. Sheffield; injunction; E. D. Briggs and W. M. Colvig.
Emil DeRobom vs Wm. Fox; suit; W. E. Phipps and A. S. Hammond and W. I. Vawter.
Rhoda Miller vs Emanuel Miller; divorce; C. B. Watson.

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Mr. Jacobs is a clear thinker, a ready talker; his illustrations are often quaint but uniformly apt. Though foreign born he speaks English entertainingly. He believes he has a great message and his earnestness impresses everyone of its importance from his view point. He is always interesting, at times truly eloquent, and often speaks with a tenderness that is absolutely restful. The large audiences, the continued attendance of some of our best thinkers, abundantly testify that the high expectations of the community have been delightfully realized. Every effort will be made to accommodate those who desire to hear him.
T. L. CRANDALL,
Pastor Baptist Church.

Board of Trade Meeting.
At a meeting of the Medford Board of Trade held in the City Hall on Wednesday of this week a permanent organization was effected by the adoption of constitution and by-laws and the election of officers.
There were three nominations for president, the same being Messrs H. H. Howard, E. J. De Hart, and W. I. Vawter. Mr. Vawter was elected.
H. H. Howard was nominated for vice president and was unanimously elected.
J. W. Lawton was nominated for secretary and was declared the unanimous choice of the meeting.
D. H. Miller was elected treasurer in a like manner as were also the following three gentlemen as members of the executive committee: J. E. Enyard, J. M. Keene and W. H. Meeker.
The committee on securing literature for circulation made a report and instructions were given to secure 10,000 printed folders for distribution.
Meeting adjourned until Wednesday night of next week.
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Martha E. Rowland vs Geo. W. Rowland; divorce; Chas. Prim.
Blanch Gow vs Alex. Gow; divorce; C. P. Snell.
T. T. Geer, governor; vs Jacob Edwards; suit; W. I. Vawter.
Andrew Erwin vs Fortuna Mining Co; foreclosure; W. C. Hale.
Eva A. Dewa vs Gus Newbury; mandamus; W. E. Phipps, Hammond and Vawter and A. E. Reames.
Lola Gardner vs E. H. Gardner; divorce; C. P. Snell.
Chas. A. Bolton vs Georgia Bolton; divorce; Geo. W. Trefren.

Bryn Mawr College Burned.
PHILADELPHIA, March 17.—The loss resulting from the fire at Bryn Mawr college last night will be much greater than was at first supposed. Denbeigh Hall the finest of the college buildings, which was erected at a cost of \$190,000, was entirely destroyed, and its contents valued at \$35,000 at least, were consumed. Several young women occupied chambers in Denbeigh Hall and their individual losses have not yet been learned. Miss Thomas, president of the college, said today that during the progress of the flames there had been some looting by strange men, but said that the thefts of the jewels, etc., were not expensive. Denbeigh Hall was erected in 1891.
Miss Adole Pikel, of this city, is a student at this college, but was not occupying rooms in the hall that was burned.

In Going Over the Famous "Shasta Route" of the Southern Pacific Co. the traveler ever finds something new to excite his admiration and interest. Starting at Portland, one traverses the whole length of the Willamette valley, the gem of the Northwest. Mt. Hood, Mt. Jefferson, and the Three Sisters and other snow-capped peaks are kept in sight for hours. The beautiful valleys of the Umpqua and Rogue river, with their orchards of pines, peaches, apples, and other fruits are a delight in themselves. The crossing of the great mountain barrier between Oregon and California reveals the grandest mountain scenery in the United States. The wonderful turnings, twistings, and doublings of the railroad bring into view a grand array of towering mountains and profound gorges into which we gaze from dizzy heights, forest clad mountain slopes stretching up to the line of perpetual snow, and the foaming mountain streams dashing fiercely down deep canyons, now and then stopping for a short rest in some quiet pool. After a day's enjoyment of old Mt. Shasta, the finest peak on the continent, we drop rapidly down the canyon of the Sacramento valley in California, and thence through vineyards and orchards to San Francisco.
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