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City Politics

be Elected December First

Only one Announced Candidate For Mayor to This Date, Several For Councilman.

Up to this date there has not been very much interest manifested in the city election which will be held in Ore-gon City on Monday December 1st., next. As foreshadow in these columns some several weeks ago there will prob-ably be only one candidate for mayor. Hon. Grant B. Dimick who for the past three years has been the mayor of Ore-gon City will be a candidate to succeed himself. Mayor Dimick did not expect to become a candidate for mayor at this time as he had been elected and re-electthat he had all of the honor and glory that the office could give, and in addition he expects to be a candidate two years hence for the office of county judge on the Republican ticket to succeed ludge. There are no succeed ludge. There are no succeed ludge There are no succeed ludges There are no succeed ludg ceed Judge Thomas F. Ryan. Recently Mr. Dimick was presented with a peti-tion asking him to make the race for mayor this year. The petition was signed by about two-thirds of the voters of

signed the mayor's reelection is certain.

Mayor Dimick has made a good mayor
His atministration has been free from any taint of corruption or fraud and has been what might be called a business administration. He has not sought to be the keeper of the town's morais but has aimed to build up the town by opening streets, constructing roads in and out of the city, putting in sewers and generally improving the physical appearance and conditions of the town. He is nopular with the business element and with the society and young men of the town. Mayor Dimick is a lower of the town. the town. Mayor Dimick is a lawyer of good ability with much promise for the future. He came to Oregon City less than ten years ago, a poor boy from his father's farm near Hubbard and unas-isted has built himself up to his present position of responsibility, holding the confidence of the people of this little

There has been some talk during the Get one today.

past few days that Pat Finneucean, one of the most popular working ment in of the most popular working ment in Oregon Cily might decide to enter he as yet made up his mind and has not declared whether he would run or not. Pat is a red hot Democrat and a splendid

For many years past there has been no politics in the election in Oregon City Democrats vote for Republican and Republican vote for Democrets and it is not at all likely that there will be any politics in this election.

If Mayor Dimick is elected to succeed himself, he will be the first mayor of Oregon City who has ever held the office for four terms.

Mayor Dimick has filed with theproper authorities his petition of nomination, signed by about 100 prominent citizens. It he is reelected, he says he will do in the future as he has in the past, divide the appointive offices equally, as far as he has power, between the Democrats and the Republicans. This means that Chief of Police, Chas. Burns will con-tinue to be the chief of police of Oregon City and that popular Ed Shaw will con-Mayor and Councilman Will tinue as assistant chief of police and night watch. Mr. Burns is a Republican and Mr. Shaw a Democrat.

F. J. Myers, the popular cashier of the Commercial Bank, will be the only candidate for City Treasurer. His petition of nomination numerously signed has been filled. He is deservidly popu-lier and makes as good a City Treasurer as could well be found.

In the first ward there are two councilman to be elected. M. P Chapman. the painter, and Albert Knapp, the sa-loonist, are candidates for these two places and petitions of nomination are being circulated in their behalf and will be filed in due time. They are competent and worthy citizens and would no doubt fill the office of councilmn to the satisfaction of their constituents.

candidate for councilman and a petition is being circulated for his nomination. The Doctor is one of most deserving and oregon City and if theyvote as they have signed the mayor's reelection is certain.

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It is understood that Hon. Bruce C.

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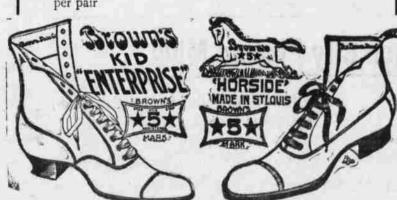
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MEN OF OREGON CITY

Oregon Cily might decide to enter ne mayoralty race. A petition asking him to run has been circulated among the mill hands and some of his friends and www. A. and C. G. Huntley---Two Young Men Who Have **Built their Own Fortunes**

good fellow and his many friends would be delighted to honor him.

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C. G. "CLYDE" HUNTLEY



W. A. "WILL" PUNTLRY

Oregon City is one of the most thriving, business an up to date little cities self at 20 as traveling saleman for a Cin-In the second ward there is only one councilman to be elected and Walter Little, a very popular young Democrat will likely be elected to that place. A petition of nomination is being circulated in his behalf and he will file same with the proper authorities in due season. It is not likely that he will have any opposition, at least none has materialized to this date.

In the Third Ward Dr. R. B. Beattie has been prevailed upon by numerous friends to allow the use of his name as a price of the coast of more contents. A peaking in the Willamette Valley A town is good or bad, moss back or proposition to the hustle and the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to this best of the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had primarently located in this valley he returned to the state of Michigan and persuaded one of the fair daughters of the "Wolverine state" to join her fortunes with his, in this New Eldorado on the banks of the beautiful river. To our readers this week a sketch of Hunt-located their the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the coast a number of times and was impressed with the opportunities offered to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had promised to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had promised to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had promised to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had promised to the state of his adoption as was his younger brother, as a few years after he had promised to the state of his upon the Pacific coast or more correctly cinnati drug house, a position he held

> City and took a look at the town. That on the islands of the sea when he was young man was C. G. Huntley better stricken down with fever and after many known to his many friends as "Ciyde." long and weary months he was returnthe wind swept plains of the state of ther military service was im possible. Michigan where the snow in the winter

where the wind sings a requium which carries death to every living thing that is exposed to its fury.

Mr. Huntley had been a druggist in prior to his coming to the coast was an employe of the state insane asylum in

is as pentiful as rain is in Oregon and

the capacity of druggist. He had at that time a friend in Portland who induced him to make a trip to the coast and it was to meet that friend and take a look over this part of the "Lord's vine-

When he came to Oregon City the first time he was much impressed with the possibliities of the city and decided that for a time at least he would make this town his home. He secured employment in the drug store of E. G. Caufield, now cashier of the Bank of Oregon City and between these two men there sprung up an abiding friendship. After working for Mr. Caufield a short time, he was admitted to a partnership in the business and later became sole propriopurposes has become a native Oregonian and is wedded to the soil. He met and married bis wife in this city. They have one child a little girl and live in comfortably style in one of the pleasant-est little homes "on the hill."

Mr. Huntley had not been in Oregon Mr. Huntley had not occur in the control of paper material, stationery, and fine began to take an interest in everything that made for the improvement and up that made for the improvement and up made a most efficient and business like member of that body. Being a Republican in politics he later entered into county politics or rather was inveigled into that game. While away from home on a visit and without his knowledge or consent he was named as a candidate for representatives on the Republican ticket and won his race with ease, in fact leading his ticket. He is one of the most popular young men in the county and we have no doubt that he will be heard last spring they put in and ice cream from later both in politics and in the sods water fountain that cost \$1,200,00.

business world.

"Clyde" Huntley had not long been in Oregon City until he was joined by his elder brother W. A. Huntley and by the way neither of the Huntley boys have yet turned the forty mark although prosper in the future as their merits so that mile post for the elder is almost in | well deserve.

our readers this week a sketch of Hunt-ley brothers and their elegant store we have only taken up a line of work which home.

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THE STORE OF HUNTLEY BROTHERS.

One of the most attractive features of Oregon City is the store of Huntley brothers. Any one who has been a ly eliminated him from consideration for reader of the Courier during recent years the Democratic nomination next year, have been made familiar with their busi
On the other hand Republican, opponhowever, that the United States will ness methods as they have been persist-ant advertiseres and do not believe in doing any thing half. If a thing is worth doing at all they believe itis worth doing well.

and it was to meet that friend and take a look over this part of the "Lord's vine-yard" that primarially induced him to and practically all in one room. They carry everything in the drug line and make a decided specialty of filling per-scriptions. All druggist sundries and novelties, paints and oils, and the thouand and one things that go to make up a first class drug store in this modern day can be found in their mammoth stock. Their business has assumed such proportions in recent years that they are compelled to keep four perscription clerks in order to keep up with their trade.

The book side of the store is no less tor. He has been one of the leading attractive and ably managed as the drug druggist of Oregon City from that day department. Mr. W. A. Huntley gives to this. Mr. Huntley to all intents and this department his exclusive attention. Books by the thousands are bought and stored and sold out of this department every month in the year. The old masters, and the latest fiction, histories of world wide repute and cheap literature magazines and daily papers, novelties and sundries without name. All kinds

building of the city. He was elected and is now serving a second term as councilman of the Third ward and has made a most efficient and business like great stock and wander how one man customer wants without delay

Including their drug clerks, book department and general clerks, book keeper and newsboys and the two proprietors of the nim no less than sixteen people have permanent employment all the year around at Huntley's store.

Day.

round trip between all points on its Ore- Agent, on dates mentioned.

Reduced Rates on Thanksgiving gon lines, account Thanksgiving Day. Tickets will be sold on November 25th and 26th, and will be limited for return to the 27th. All who desire to take ad-The Southern Pacific Co. will sell vantage of this reduction can secure tickets at one and one-third fare for the tickets from nearest Southern Pacific

Eelections Results

Are Giving Many Republicans Heart Trouble.

Arizona.

Washington D. C., Nov. S.

Canal negotiations will no doubt be brought to a standstill by the news received by the State Department that Panama has just declared her independence of Colombia and a revolution on the isthmus is now in full progress. United States warships are being hur-ried to Panama and Colombia ried to Panama and Colon to protect American interests and to insure an open transit across the lethmus. All the political parties of Panama are united in their efforts to sever connections with Columbia and the Colombian troops have joined the resultivistic Transit name of the Panama republic. The seccession of the isthmus was not a surprise here, as such an event has been frequently discussed. Panama has a very loose geographical connection with Colombia and the interests of the two states conflict in pany sore. states conflict in many ways. Finally when the central government at Bogota rejected the canal treaty and thereny delayed the construction of the water route which the inhabitants of the isthmus so much desire, there was much talk of secession, and of treating there-after directly with the United States. No doubt this small republic will soon be clamoring for recognition by the United States and our State Department s somewhat embarrassed to know just how to receive the demand. This country cannot afford to encourage revolutions in South America, but at the same time, if Panama succeeds in maintaining her independence, we are bound sooner or later to take official cognizance of the fact. There seems little doubt that treating directly with Panama would very much expedite the building of the canal, and most people in this coun ry will symvathize with the little coun'ry will symyathize with the little republic, which declares its independence, because the central government wantonly disregarded its interests, in a matter in which we state will bring forth one of the most interesting debates of the regular season.

matter in which we our-selves are also interested. Furthermore it is within the bounds of possibility that have only taken up a line of work which we will continue from time to time as we desire to write of the many meritorious features of the life and activities and opportunities of the city by the falls.

Some fourteen years ago, a little later possibly in the season than the present, on a dark and dreary day with the rain sifting down in long winding and endless sheets, a young man arrived in Oregon City and took a look at the town. That young man was O. G. Huntley better known to his many friends as "Clyde."

home.

Mr. W. A. Huntley has no penchant for politics. Business is his "long suit," However when the Spanish American would appeal to the United States to guarantee it, or even to annex the territory. She is a small state, 9,000 people to exist by herself, and when once we boys in blue to the Phillipine Islands. It was not in the cards however that he was to make either name or fame as a soldier. He had hardly put his foot upon the islands of the sea when he was soldier, the had hardly put his foot upon the islands of the sea when he was soldier, and when once we be the Children of the cards however that he was to make either name or fame as a soldier. He had hardly put his foot upon the islands of the sea when he was soldier, was not in the cards however that he was to make either name or fame as a soldier. He had hardly put his foot upon the islands of the sea when he was soldier, was not in the cards however and after many be an american protectorate over Panama, once gaining her independence would appeal to the United States to guarantee it, or even to annex the territory. She is a small state, 9,000 people to exist by herself, and when once we bould appeal to the United States to guarantee it, or even to annex the territory. She is a small state, 9,000 people to exist by herself, and when once we bould appeal to the United States to guarantee it, or even to annex the territory. She is a small state, 9,000 people to exist by herself, and when once we bould appeal to the United States to guarantee it, or

> mitted that the signal victory of the Re-publicans in Ohio, has ruined the politi-Senate Committee on Foreign relations cal prospects of Tom Johnson and entire- and it is believed they came to an agree. ents of President Roosevelt are quietly protect her rights in Manchuris and our discussing the chances of Senstor Hanna relations with Russia have always been whose personal victory, as well as the such as to warrant the assumption that fact that he is now in better health, make she will come to a satisfactory under-him an available candidate for the Restanding with us. Whatever her mopublicans. The Senstor from Ohio has tives may be, Russia, a desire to main-declared that he does not want the nomination, but those who talk of him a fact upon which our state department believe he could be forced to accept it. can always count. The present agree-However those who question the adment between Russis and Japan looks visability of renominating President as if all the blustering war talk on the Roosevelt are very cautions in expressing part of Japan was to end in a simple ditheir opinion, because they know that vision of spoils.

the President is very popular with the rank and file of the party, if not with some of its leaders, and he is likely to make an example of those in the party who oppose him. The Democratic victory in Maryland is of importance in regard to its effect upon Senator Gorman and the issue of the presidential cam-

THE REVOLUTION IN PANAMA AN
ALL ABSORBING THEME.

Hot Fight to Be Made For Statehead by New Mexico and

and the issue of the presidential campaign.

Gorman has new the prestige of defeating the Republicans in this state, in a contest in which President Roosevelt's attitude on the negro question was the main issue. The Southern was the main issue. The Southern was the main issue. states would gladly fight the present ad-ministration on this issue and if Sena-tor Gorman gets the Democratic nomination, the race question is certain to be one of the main issues. Representative William Randolph Hearst is another prominent candidate for the Democratic nomination, and he too aided his chance by the part he took in the elections. Of all the New York papers, his were the only ones which made a strong fight for Tammany, and all the successful candidates have furnished him with autograph letters expressing their appreciation of his immense help in the campaign, which gave Tammany such a majority that the Democrats have great with Columbia and the Colombian troops have joined the revolutionists. Two generals who have arrived from Bogota were arrested and imprisoned in the las also received assurances of Bryan's arrested the Pennsy arrest later the Pennsy are not the Bryan's support, while many think that "'he peerless leader' would bolt the ticket if Gorman is nominated. Hearst counts on the power of his great paper in New York, Chicago and San Francisco, as well as on his influence with the labor leaders. Gorman seems to count mostly on race prejudice. Owing to the Republican victory in Massachu-setts, Oiney's chances for the nomina-tion are very slight. As far as the elec-tions show, Hanna, Gorman and Hearst will be the correct. will be the personal powers in the cam-

> Delegate Rodney, of New Mexico, has come to Washington for the extra ses-sion and is prepared to commence a strenuous statehood campaign at the first opportunity. He is the first of the ter-ritorial delegates to arrive as neither Delegate Flynn, of Oklahoma, nor Delegate Mark Smith, of Arizona, have been returned to the Fifty-Eight Congress, he will have to bear the brunt of the state-hood fight. However, many senators and representatives will come to his assistance of the state-hood fight.

Advices have been received at the state department that Japan and Russia have come to an agreement regarding Manchuria and Corea, whereby Ruesia is to be unmolested in the possession of the former and Japan is not to be interfered with her plans in the latter. Such an agreement may have a serious effect on the interests of the United States, as we have commercial agree-ments with China which it will be difficult to realize while Russia is in control of Manchuria. The treaty grant-The elections last Tuesday are studied by politicians here principally in the light of their effect upon the greatest campaign nextfall. It is generally adscending that the light of their effect upon the greatest campaign nextfall. It is generally adscending that the light of their effect upon the greatest campaign nextfall. It is generally adscending that the light of the light

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