

OREGON CITY ENTERPRISE

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OREGON CITY, OREGON. FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1908.

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LIVY STIPP IS CHAIRMAN

ELECTED UNANIMOUSLY TO HEAD REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE FOR CAMPAIGN.

CANDIDATES ON STUMP

State Convention Will Be Held in Oregon City, Saturday, May 9, to Elect Delegates to State Convention.

Judge Livy Stipp was Monday elected chairman of the new Republican County Central Committee, which was chosen by the Republican voters of Clackamas County at the primary nominating election April 17. There was no opposition to Judge Stipp, who was authorized to appoint his own secretary. The committee met in the county courtroom and elected C. G. Huntley state committeeman and James U. Campbell congressional committeeman. The central committee extended the time for electing delegates to the county convention until next Saturday. The date for the county convention was set for Saturday, May 9, in Oregon City.

The following returns have been received from precincts that have elected delegates to the county convention:

- Milk Creek—J. J. Mallett, C. T. Howard.
- Cascade—W. A. Proctor, G. Barnstead, John Nelson, Paul Melning.
- Beaver Creek—G. A. Schuebel, William Griesenthwaite, W. E. Jones, Dan Spatz.
- Abernethy—L. C. Clyde, Sam Jones, C. W. Parrish, O. E. Jones, John E. Smith.
- Estacada—J. W. Reed, George Estes, J. K. Ely, W. W. Davis, Sr.
- Springwater—A. M. Shibley, W. H. Kandle.
- West Oregon City—C. A. Miller, T. J. Gary, John F. Clark, Charles Baker.
- Oswego—C. N. Haines, G. W. Prosser, J. W. Thomas, J. P. Cook.
- Oregon City—L. Stipp, C. G. Huntley, J. U. Campbell, E. E. Brodie, C. Schuebel, G. B. Dimick, Ed. Sheehan, Chauncey E. Ramsby, E. H. Cooper, Ed. Rechner, Henry Gilbert, Elmer Lankins.

CONVENTION MAY 9.

Republicans to the Number of 123 Will Gather in Oregon City. Republicans will have 123 delegates to a county convention that will be held in this city May 9, to select delegates to the state convention in Portland next month. The apportionment of delegates is based on the vote cast for Supreme Judge two years ago, and each precinct will be allowed one delegate at large and one for every 30 votes or major fraction thereof. The apportionment follows:

Abernethy	5
Barlow	3
Beaver Creek	4
Boring	2
Bullrun	2
Canyon Creek	2
Clackamas	4
Cherryville	2
Canemah	3
Canby	4
Cascade	4
Damascus	3
Eagle Creek	3
Estacada	4
George	2
Harmony	2
Highland	2
Killlin	2
Macksburg	3
Molalla	3
Milwaukee	3
Marquam	3
Maple Lane	3
Milk Creek	2
New Era	3
Needy	3
Oak Grove	3
Oregon City No. 1	7
Oregon City No. 2	7
Oregon City No. 3	5
Oswego	4
Pleasant Hill	3
Soda Springs	2
Springwater	2
Tualatin	3
Union	2
Viola	2
West Oregon City	4
Total	123

Several well known horsemen of Clackamas County attended the horse sale at the Lewis & Clark Fair grounds in Portland Tuesday, and Levi Stehman, of Liberal, purchased the bay mare, Occamy. The price was \$112.50.

SOMMER SUES RAILWAY.

Well Known Physician Wants Damages Resulting From Collision. Dr. E. A. Sommer has filed a suit against the Portland Railway Light & Power Company to recover \$1925 damages, alleged to have been sustained by a collision with an electric car while he was driving along Canemah walk last February. The doc-

tor met the car in a place where it was impossible to pass, and he reined in his horse, turning the buggy as far as possible away from the track. It is stated in the complaint that the motorman might easily have stopped the car, but did not do so and crashed into the light buggy, throwing Dr. Sommer to the ground, causing him to sustain serious bruises and a badly strained back, from which he has suffered injury to the extent of \$1400. The physician says that his horse was struck and permanently disabled and that since the collision he has been unable to drive the animal at night. His damages from this cause are placed at \$250, and the damage to his buggy and harness at \$200, and his clothing was damaged to the extent of \$75, making a total of \$1925. Attorney J. U. Campbell appears for Dr. Sommer.

FRAKES TOO SWIFT FOR PAPERMAKERS

WEST PORTLAND PLAYERS TAKE LOCALS INTO CAMP—GAME AT SALEM SUNDAY.

The Papermakers were trimmed Sunday by the fast West Portland bunch, who are the Frakes of last year. The game was devoid of any striking features until the last inning when Oregon City took a little spurt and got in four runs. The visitors started off strong in the first with a single by Antoine and a double by Day, Antoine scoring. In the second they got four more on a base on balls, a single, a double and two errors. In the fifth West Portland added another on two hits, R. Parrott scoring on A. Parrott's long sacrifice. The Papermakers got their first tally in this time up. Sater rapped out a single, went to third on a wild throw by the catcher, and stole home.

The ex-Frakes added two more to their already big lead in the sixth, Johnson beating a bunt, Antoine getting to first on an unsuccessful attempt to force out, and both scoring on Day's single.

The run-getting was continued again in the eighth, the visitors scoring two on a double by Antoine, a single by Day, Day scoring on an error and a hit by A. Parrott. The Papermakers made on run in this inning, Kruger leading off with a single, stole second and going home on Hill's long drive. Hill was called out for cutting first.

Drennon hit for two sacks in the ninth, Johnson beat out a bunt, and both scored on Houston's single. Griffith reached first on an error, went to second and Sater got to first on a fumble by Schmeer. Griffith was retired at third on Kelt's hit to pitcher. Sater stole third, Van Northwick hit to Schmeer, who threw to Antoine, and Sater got home. A Parrott threw wild to Day and Kelt scored. Van got second, Robinson hit to right and scored. Van and came in on Hill's single. Hill stole second, was advanced to third by Chapin's hit, but was caught napping and the side was retired. Score Portland 12, Oregon City 6.

Antoine was the star hitter for the visitors, getting two doubles and a single in five time at bat, while Hill played a superb game at first and got four singles out of five times up.

The Papermakers go to Salem next Sunday, and there will be no Tri-City League game here.

DICKENSON AND SON GO TO PENITENTIARY FOR LIFE

Murderers of Hindu Sentenced—Sinclair Gets Six Years While Riley, Ransier and John Dickenson Are Paroled.

Judge McBride passed sentence Tuesday on J. M. Dickenson and his son William Dickenson, convicted last Saturday of murder in the second degree on a charge of killing Harnan Singh, a Hindu, near Boring, last October. The young man faced the crowded courtroom and protested his innocence, exclaiming "My conscience is clear, though my liberty is taken."

There was a dramatic scene in court when Walter Sinclair stood up to be sentenced. Sinclair pleaded guilty Monday and was not tried along with Dickenson and his two sons, and Earl Ransier and John Riley. Judge McBride stated that he was inclined to be lenient with Sinclair, though he had to take into consideration the fact that the man had been a troublesome prisoner and had assaulted his jailer, Peter Nehren. Sinclair was permitted to tell his own story of the assault, and he accused Nehren of having been drunk, but the jailer, after being sworn, told another tale of how Sinclair had struck him, unprovoked, giving him a wound on the face that will compel him to go through life with the scar. Sinclair was given six years in the penitentiary, while J. M. Dickenson and William Dickenson were sentenced to life imprisonment.

When Riley and Ransier and John Dickenson stood up to receive sentence, they were given a measure of good advice by Judge McBride, who sentenced them to three years in the penitentiary, but paroled them during good behavior. He admonished them, however, that if they strayed from the right path, sentence would be immediately enforced. Ransier and Riley were recommended to the mercy of the court by the jury, and young Dickenson's mother interceded for him. The three paroled prisoners are mere boys. Dickenson was charged to take care of his mother, who broke down and sobbed audibly when her husband and son William were sent to the penitentiary for life.

In passing sentence Judge McBride took occasion to say that Hindus are not wanted in this country, and are not a desirable class of citizens. He said that he hoped a law would be passed to keep them from coming here, but as long as they are permitted to come they are entitled to the protection of the law. He referred to a general disposition on the part of some people to impose upon the timid and nonresisting such as Hindus are, and he complimented the jury in returning what he considers a very discriminating verdict.

The case went to the jury Friday afternoon and court remained in session until 2 o'clock Saturday morning, but no agreement was reached until 5 o'clock when the jury returned a sealed verdict. The conviction of Dickenson and his son for murder in the second degree occasioned no sur-

prise, but the belief was general that the other men would be acquitted. The evidence was very conclusive, showing that the five men, with Walter Sinclair and Vernon Hawes, were angered because two Hindus had been employed in Jarl & Pugh Bros. Lumber mill. The Hindus were living in a little cabin near the mill at Boring and after they had been there two days, the seven men went to Sandy and drank more or less beer and then returned to the mill and in the darkness fired shot after shot into the cabin, one of the bullets from the rifle of William Dickenson hitting Harnan Singh, whose death resulted several days later in a Portland hospital. The crime was committed on the night of October 30 and the men were immediately arrested and have been in jail nearly six months, except Hawes, who offered to testify for the State and has been out on bail.

Attorney Dan J. Malarkey, of Portland was special prosecutor on behalf of the Hindus and he conducted the case for the State along with District Attorney Hedges.

SUICIDE OF WM. BERDINE.

Young Man Takes His Own Life Near Independence.

William Berdine, who lived about four miles south of Independence, committed suicide Saturday evening by taking carbolic acid. Mr. Berdine had been to town Saturday, spending most of the day, having met his father, who lives in Oregon City, and who was here on business. He left town late in the afternoon, and soon after returning to his home went into the woodshed and drank the acid.

Mr. Berdine was manager of the T. B. Taylor hop yard. No reason can be imagined for his rash act, as he was about 30 years of age, full of ambition and well liked by all who knew him. In his business dealings he was considered exact and honest. He leaves a widow, a little daughter and a father and other relations living in Oregon City. The remains were brought to Willamette for interment. The young man is a son of E. P. Berdine.

WARNER GRANGE.

Program for Old Folks Given Saturday at New Era.

Warner Grange held an interesting meeting last Saturday at New Era, and during the lecturer's hour an old folks program was rendered as follows: song, "Old Folks at Home," grange; "My School Days," Mr. Dodd; original poem, "Robert Burns," William Gardner; reading, "Women's Work Now and Twenty-Five Years Ago," Mrs. David McArthur; song, "Annie Laurie," Mrs. George Randall; "Why Old Folks Like the Grange,"

George Lazelle; reading, "The Pines That Are," Mrs. George Wilson; "Why Old People So Often Feel Obligated to Sell Their Farms and Move to Town," George Randall; reading, "Stay in Michigan," J. Hylton. Mr. Coulter, an associate from Portland talked in favor of the single tax amendment and Forest Dunton, a student of the State University, told the members of the grange the facts in relation to the referendum on the appropriation and said that the State school ought to be well supported. Much interest was taken at every phase of the meeting.

ROSE AND CARNATION SHOW IS UNDER WAY

SECOND ANNUAL FESTIVAL WILL BE HELD WHEN THE RICH BLOOMS MATERIALIZE.

The Oregon City Rose and Carnation Society has plans well in hand for the second annual Rose Show, which will be held in this city the latter part of May or early in June, the exact date depending upon the condition of the blooms. The society held a meeting in the county court room last Saturday afternoon, with a gratifying attendance, and committees were named to take charge of the several departments of the show. Mrs. J. H. Walker, Mrs. A. Warner and Miss M. L. Holmes comprise the committee on program. The soliciting committee, Mrs. G. B. Dimick and Mrs. Walker, reported they had collected \$31 in cash and a large number of premiums, the local business men responding liberally. The managers of the strawberry festival that was held last year, have turned over the profits, about \$26, to the Rose and Carnation Society, and the strawberry growers of Clackamas County will be asked to make exhibits of berries when the Rose Show is held. From present indications the berries will be ripe about the same time that the roses are in full bloom.

The Rose Show will be held Friday and Saturday in the Armory, and Mrs. F. T. Barlow and Mrs. Thomas Warner comprise the committee to engage the hall. The society adopted mission pink, with the green leaf, as its official color, the Mission Rose being the first ever brought to Oregon. During the Rose Show there will be a programme and it will be in charge of Mrs. John H. Walker, Mrs. Thomas Warner and Miss M. L. Holmes. The committee on badges is Mrs. T. A. Pope, Miss Nan Cochran and Miss Vera Caulfield, and Mrs. Rosina Fouts and Mrs. J. W. Norris will engage the judges of the exhibits. Mrs. Robert J. Goodfellow and Mrs. B. F. Linn will have charge of the refreshments, and the general superintendents of the Rose Show are Mrs. George A. Harding, Mrs. Rosina Fouts, Mrs. J. W. Norris, Mrs. F. T. Barlow and Mrs. Clara Morey. The committee on registration is Mrs. Pauline Schwartz and Mrs. J. L. Waldron, the latter being assistant secretary. Mrs. A. C. Warner, Miss M. L. Holmes and Mrs. J. B. Fairclough have charge of the wild flower exhibits, and the committee to arrange the display of roses is Mrs. G. B. Dimick, Mrs. Estes, Mrs. T. A. Pope, Mrs. J. W. Norris and Mrs. F. T. Barlow. A fee of 25 cents will be charged to non-members exhibiting and vases have been procured for the rose display. Everything points to a very successful show.

OLSON TRIAL ON TUESDAY

FORMER CLERK OF WILLAMETTE SCHOOL ENTERS A PLEA OF NOT GUILTY.

FACES TWO CHARGES

Forgery and Embezzlement Are Alleged in Indictments Returned by District Attorney Hedges—Carden and Haines Sentenced.

The trial of Otto F. Olson, who is charged with embezzling the funds of the Willamette school district, of which he was the trusted clerk for many years, has been set for Tuesday, May 5. Olson is also charged with forging the name of Rudolph Koerner to promissory note for \$250 dollars, which he obtained from H. C. Stevens. Indictments on both charges were returned Monday noon. He entered a plea of not guilty to both indictments when he appeared in Court, and while pale from his confinement in the county jail he does not appear to have lost any flesh. Olson was arrested February 14.

O. S. Haines was Monday sentenced to serve six months in the County jail for indecent exposure and Leroy Carden, a deaf mute, who pleaded guilty to a charge of criminal assault, was given a sentence of 2 1/2 years in the penitentiary. Dora Cheek, charged with assault with a dangerous weapon, was given until next Monday to plead. She is accused of firing a gun at Ralph McIntyre and Katie Swanson. The case of the State vs. Anton Anderson, Edward Anderson and Neils Nelson, charged with assault and battery, has been continued until the November term.

WHIPPING CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAMME IN SHAPE

SUMMER SCHOOL WORK FOR THE COMING SESSION HAS SOME ATTRACTIVE FEATURES.

Secretary Cross, of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Assembly, is rapidly whipping the programme into shape and has the Summer School work well mapped out. Miss Frances Gage, of Portland, representing the Young Women's Christian Association, was in the city this week conferring with Mr. Cross, and the following departments have already been provided for: Eloquution, W. Eugene Knox; music, Dr. R. A. Heritage; literature, B. J. Hoadley; bible study, Dr. Whitman, of Seattle; W. C. T. U. Institute, Mrs. Henrietta Brown, of Albany; Women's Club, Miss Anna L. Clark, of Missouri; biology, Prof. Sweetser, of the University of Oregon; domestic science, Y. W. C. A.; Sunday School institute, Rev. Charles A. Phipps; birds, William Lovell Finley; mission study, Rev. Paul Rader. The Forum under the direction of Mrs. Eva Emery Dye, which was such an attractive feature last year, has a large scope at the coming session, and the programme as partially arranged, giving the name of the leading speaker for each day is as follows:

- July 8—Morality and literature, President H. H. Crooks, of Albany College; July 9—Moral Treatment of Nervous Diseases, Dr. Luther B. Dyott, First Congregational Church, Portland; July 10—State University Day; July 11—"Being Brothers With Earth," Prof. R. F. Robinson, Superintendent of Multnomah County Schools; July 12—Japanese Program, 5 p. m.; July 13—State Agricultural College Day, President Kerr; July 14—Women's Press Day; July 15—Pacific University Day; July 16—Pioneer Day, Colonel McCracken, Judge Strong; July 17—National Bureau of Health; July 19—Chinese programme, 5 p. m.

The Forum will be held during the morning session, probably at 11 o'clock, save when the Japanese and Chinese programmes are given. The Round Table will be resumed this year, and will be held at 3:30 o'clock, and the programme so far as made up, follows:

- July 8—Settlement work, Mrs. S. M. Blumauer; July 9—Women in Reform Work, Ada Wallace Unruh; July 10—The Oregon Girl; July 11—The Boston Convention, Mrs. Frederic Egert; July 13—Christian Citizenship; July 14—Women's Unions; July 15—Public Health, Dr. Esther C. Pohl, Portland Health Officer; July 16—Old Glory, Mrs. Mary Sibbits, Kansas; July 17—Travelers Aid.

Students Return to School.

Miss Edna Caulfield, Miss Nieta Harding, Miss Julie Cross, Miss Clara Caulfield, Miss Pearl Wilbur, Charles Selvison, Norwood Charman, Charles Sullivan, Frank McAnulty and George Sullivan, students of the University of Oregon, who have been spending the Easter holidays in this city, left Sunday for Eugene to resume their studies. Miss Angelina Williams, who is a tutor in the University, and who has been visiting relatives here, returned to Eugene Sunday.

REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES



ROBERT M. LA FOLLETTE OF WISCONSIN.



WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN OF NEBRASKA.