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OREGON CITY, OREGON, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1908.

MACKSBURG AND BOOZE

MANY VOTERS JOIN IN MOVE MENT TO ESTABLISH A SALOON THERE.

SENTIMENT IS STRONG

Moral Aspect Gets Little Consideration-Precinct Voted Heavily Wet at Last June Election.

Is of them have signed a petition asking the county court to grant a rescaum pipe and a magnifying glass tall liquor license to Williasm & Wil. She had given him the pipe, which lians. There are exactly 98 names on the petition, which will come before the court for asion November 5. There is little probability that an attempt will be made by the small. Saturday she visited the spot where minority to block the movement for her father's body was discovered, and the establishment of a saloon within in among the dead leaves was found the boundaries of the precinct, though his watch, in the back of which was there are a few people who have no her picture, and a paper, with these desire to see a liquor house in Macks words:

timent there is so strong against pro-hibition that in a forecast of the vote made by Rev. John M. Linden a few death of his wife he has been roaming days before election, he gave the entire voting strength of the precinct in the wet column. Mr. Linden talked at Macksburg the Sunday preceding election day, and was advised to stay away from Macksburg, as some of the voters and the sunday from Macksburg, as some of the voters and rats. Williamson was subvoters had their pockets filled with odorous eggs for his benefit. Mr. Linden, however, was game, and does not have the physical appearance of the average lecturer, so the eggs, if there were any, were not thrown.

Judge Gordon E. Hayes is attorney for the petitioners, and he has dis-played legal smoothness in publishing his notice in the Estacada Prog.ess. which has a limited circulation in the part of Clackamas County where the precinct of Macksburg is located, and probably does not send to exceed two papers in Macksburg precinct. The newspaper that is nearest the precinct is the Canby Tribune, and both of the Oregon City newspapers have a cousiderable subscription list in the pre-

In defense of the moral aspect of the situation, there is a probability that objections will be made against the granting of the petition, though it must be confessed with little hope In defense of the moral aspect of it must be confessed, with little hope of success.

I will be interesting reading to note the names of the 98 men who have sell 35,000 pounds at 4 cents, but as asked the County Court to grant a 11-cense to Williams & Williams to start she was compelled to buy in the open but such an overwhelming majority She asks for \$2,000 damages in adof the voters have joined in the move-ment for a retail liquor establishment in their precinct that there are only 15 registered voters who did not get into the band wagon and request that Sunday School Class Will Emulate the the license be granted. The 28 men

August Wilbroad, J. Etzel, Fred Lamour, L. Matshek, F. Fenske, J. R. of a club that has been organized in Damm, Gottleb Kam, Fred Yohann, this city, and is composed of twelve Damm, Gettlob Ram, Fred Yohanb,

Sen Dreier, Christ Jost, John Gosrg,
Ch. Gelbrich, Wm. Gebert, P. Hagen,
D. Nordhouses, John F. Northouser,
James F. Wglesby, U. H. Armstrong,
Edward Kobel, P. J. Scheer, P. Norts,
Henry Guriler, Chas. Ball, F. Pritzel
I. M. Morris, F. J. Odekirk, L. F.
Watch Gee, K. Odeser, C. H. Ges. Walch, Geo. E. Oglesby, C. H. Goe-bel, F. Hilton, Franz Bush, Michael the home of Richard Friedricks, and Balch, E. E. Mott, C. Wolfer, J. C. after a short business meeting a so-Roth, J. Carbleher, A. Wilson, M. Blaske, E. A. Klar, Will Heinz, G. Stuller, John Heinz, Henry Stier, Cari King Arthur; Richard Friedricks, Her-Grieptner, Wm. Kieling, A. Bolland, ald of the Cross, Clyde Green, Herald M. H. Johnson, Geo. Rueck, Edward of the Flag; Mrs. Matheson, Lady of Watch, John Egger, Geo. Sutherland. Betzel, Andrew Koerner, Albeht Fried-F. P. Brush, Chas. E. Oglesby, R. D. ricks, Richard Friedricks, John Math-Harms, J. E. Wels, R. Klaus, P. J. Bennett, F. Farmer, B. Luebben, G. Graves, W. Wilson, J. Fenske, A. H. Reynolds, Joe. Wilson, Mathes Noach. Samson Badley, John Damm, D. Wolfer, Joe Gibson, Wm. Eckert, Ole uol land, P. Bolland, John Noack, J. H. Graus, N. Anderson, F. M. Mathews, A. G. Harnack, Geo. Scheer, Fred Wolch, Ch. Zimmer, F. W. Gortler, S. N. Strubhar, P. M. Graves, Wm. Brusch, H. F. Walch, Fred Peter, John Brusch, W. H. Lamour, E. Harnak, J. R. Potce.

JOHN T. MILLER DEAD,

Pioneer of 1850 Passes Away at the Age of 73 Years.

John Francis Miller, one of the early residents of this city, died last Saturday at Good Samarltan Hospital in Portland. Mr. Miller had been I'll about a year. He was a native of Maryland, and his age was about 73 years. Mr. Miller came to Oregon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller, in 1850, crossing the plains to Oregon, and has resided in Oregon City and Portland ever since. Samuel Miller bought a farm at Summit, on the west side of the river, two miles from Oregon City, and John F. Miller lived there many years. He had three children; Miss Hattle, Lyrton, and Elmer Miller, all of Portland. Thomas Miller and Mrs. J. L. Barlow, of this city, Mrs. Margaret Pilsbury, of Port-land, and Mrs. Henriette Kelly, of

DAUGHTER IDENTIFIES REPUBLICANS

MRS. EFFIE B. ROBERTSON OF FIRLAND STATION FINDS HER FATHER.

The identity of the man who was the identity of the man who was found September 13 near Springbrook school nouse, three and a nair miles from Oswego, has been ascertained, ite was F. A. Williamson, and his home was with his daughter, Mrs. JUDGE LOWELL TOTALK

JUDGE LOWELL TOTALK

THEATRE TONIGHT.

Tender vocal numbers at the Shively during the meeting. The Republicans will spare nothing to make a monster demonstration for Taft and Sherman tonight. Eine B. Robertson, at Firnand, Lents Station, Multnomah County, Ever since she first read of the finding of the body, Mrs. Robertson has believed Monster Demonstration is Planned August Erickson for \$354.75. He says Number of Councilmen May Be Rethe man was her father, who was 68 years of age and a prospector, and Saturday morning, at her request, the body was exnumed.

In the precinct of Mack-burg there are 113 registered voters and all but pieces, \$2.85 in silver, an aluminum comb. a pair of eyegiasses, a meer

"This is my daughter's picture. Her There were 136 votes cast last June name is Effic B Robertson. She lives in this precinct on the question of at Firland Station, Oregon. I am F. prohibition, 108 men voting for a wet A. Williamson, her father. This wide precinct, and 28 voting dry. The sen-world is my home."

Williamson went over to Oswego to prospect at Sucker Lake, Since the was probably destroyed by the squir reis and rats. Williamson was sub ject to heart trouble, and suffered a fatal attack while out in the woods. He had been dead at least six weeks when his body was found.

SHERIFF STANDS A SUIT.

Mrs. L. E. Dose Sues Him for Dam-ages to Onion Sets.

Sheriff Beatle is defendant in a sult for damages instituted by Mrs. L. E. Dose, who states that on October 19, 1907, he levied an attachment on 45, 000 qoupnds of onion sets belonging to her on the farm of G. H. Koshme-der, 4 1-2 miles east of Woodburn in the Elliott Prairie section. The execution was against Oscar Mahler, who was supposed to have had the farm the onion sets, 10,000 pounds of which Mrs. Dose could have sold for 6 cents sound, and she had contr dition to this amount.

KING ARTHUR'S KNIGHTS. Creation of Scott.

King Arthur's Knights is the name opper, J. J. Kopper, Cas. Lovey, the Lake. The members of the club. H. Hepler, C. Koch, J. W. Eby, are Ambrose Brownell, Clyde Grout, F. Zimmer, J. R. Ball, Geo. L. Glen Hankins, Darwin Betzel, Charles

McLOUGHLIN WINS GAME. Football Team Wins From Eastham

by Score of 5 to 0. In a closely contested football game on the Canemiah Park grounds Thursday the McLoughlin Institute team won from the Eastham School aggregation, with a score of 5 to 0. The man's punts and the swift running of Rotter was pushed over for a touch Rotter. During two 20-minute halves and near the close of the last half down. The line-up was as follows Peter Rotter Beatle .

MontgomeryLGR ... ROL. Johns .. Webber Hankins Moore GriffithREL Cordon StroymeyerLHR. ShawRHL...

Harry Clark, who is no stranger to the police, is in the county jall, charge from the Latin novem (nine).

It is policy in the county jall, charge from the Latin novem (nine).

It is possible for \$190 on a Sheridan, Yambill County, bank from Mrs. Victoria Howard, an Indian woman, who came here feative calf will indicate the zenith product from Grande Ronde reservation.

It is the county jall, charge from the Latin novem (nine).

The frisky colt will snift the air from the Postoffice at 10 o'clock on the Sth.

The moon will start in any in the quadrennial ass through land. The quadrennial ass through town on a wheelbarrow will start ing anything. The moon will start in the morning of the 4th, followed by 90 boys and the Foolkiller. The complete returns will be in by the 15th.

The Duke of the Abruzzi.

HOLD FORTH

GREAT MASS MEETING TO BE HELD IN THE SHIVELY

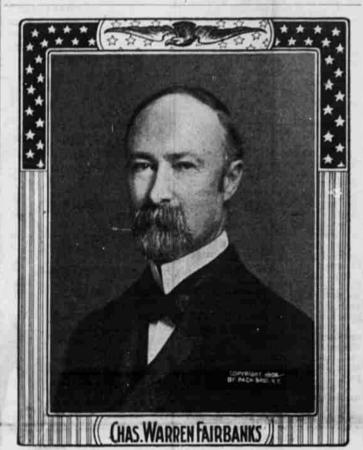
For the Only Taft Rally in Clackamas During This Campaign.

The arrangements are in the hands of Livy Stipp, chairman of the Repub-lican county central committee. John F. Clark, secretary of the committee. and Clyde G. Huntley, state commit-teeman. Mr. Huntley will look after the financial end of the rally, and will solicit contributions among the faithful to cover the necessary expenses. There will be a band that will play on the streets before the rally, and at the hall as well.

Mrs. Imogen Harding Brodie will render vocal numbers at the Shively during the meeting. The Republicans will spare nothing to make a monster

he sold electrical appliances for Clackamas Tavers, owned by Erick-son, and furnished automobile sup-plies and repairs to the value of Republicans have arranged for the only rally that will be held in Oregon City during the presidential control of the City during the presidential control of this amount, only \$250 has been paid. He also has a claim for \$90 from the City during the presidential control of this amount, only \$250 has been paid. He also has a claim for \$90 from the City during the presidential control of this amount, only \$250 has been paid. He also has a claim for \$90 from the City during the presidential control of this amount, only \$250 has been paid. He also has a claim for \$90 from the City during the presidential control of this amount, only \$250 has been paid.

will be Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of interest at 6 per cent. His claim is Pendleton, and he will talk at the that on May 30, 1908 in Oswego, he Shively Theatre on Friday evening, made an agreement to build a house October 30. Judge Lowell ranks high for Rossiter for \$1552.25, and though



OF INDIANA IN BEHALF OF THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CAN-DIDATES.

as a political speaker and no man in \$1277.25 was paid, a bill of extras ulated island in the world. It has constitute the property of the constitution of the constit a saloon in the precinct of Macks markets for 5 12 cents, thereby losing burk. Under ordinary conditions this would be a matter of little moment, would be a matter of little moment, attorneys' fees, costs of hauling, etc.

CITY IS NEXT

CHARTER COMMISSION FRAMING AMENDMENTS FOR VOTERS IN DECEMBER.

duced to Five, Choosing One From Each Ward and Two at Large.

With the approach of the Presiential election, residents of Oregon fell. Mayor Caril will no doubt succeed himself, providing he wants this unthankful job, and Treasurer Latourette is not likely to have any opposition. The terms of Councilmen Ansaition. The terms of Councilmen Ansaition. dresen and Jack in Ward No. 1, Lo-gus in Ward No. 2, and Michaels in Ward No. 3 expire and their suc cessors will be elected for three year terms. Councilman Jack has two years yet to serve, but has resigned to take effect January 1, 1909, when he assumes the duties of county as-

City Attorney Campbell, Councilman Andresen, Rudolph Koerner, Franklin r. Griffith and Joseph E. Hedges have en named as a commission to draft amendments to the city charter. It is stated that the objectionable features incorporated in the amendments last December will be eliminated. One change that was then advocated, that of giving publicity to proposed ordinances by posting them on bill boards instead of publishing them, was vigorously antagonized, as was the amendment to change the manner of making street assessments. It is understood that the new charter commission will present some plan, different from the one now in force, for

cost of improving streets. It has been suggested that the num-ber of councilmen be reduced from nine to five, electing two at large and one from each ward, instead of choosing three from each ward, as is done at present. This change will also be discussed by the members of the com-mission, and a copy of the proposed amendments, after being passed up-on by the council, will be placed in

steam or surface railways.

SH TAKE FRENCH LEAVE OF FRANK BUSCH AFTER A DRENCHING RAIN.

trout, measuring from 12 to 16 inches, have been providing excellent fishing in the Willamette River for the last few days, and thereby hangs a tale. CUT OUT BAD FEATURES few days, and thereby hangs a tale. Frank Busch has for several years been caring for and feeding trout in a pond adjoining his residence on the hill, but as the fish grew it was necessary to move some of the fish, as the Organization Means That at Least pond was overstocked. Mr. Busch \$6,000 Will Be Added to the took about 500 trout and placed them in a pond that he made on a lot near his store building on lower Main street. Twice a day he fed them and they were thriving and attracting much attention until last Monday with a capital of \$75,000 in sight, night, when copious showers of rain the organization of a lumber company

City during the presidential campaign.
Great enthusiasm was manifested and every effort will be made to bring out a record breaking crowd. The speaker will be Judge Stephen A. Lowell, of Pendleton, and he will talk at the that on May 30, 190s in Oswego, he will be taken up.

Money For Oswego Home.

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O. A. Ratliff has filed a suit against the coming municipal election, residents of Oregon City have nearly all forgotten about the coming municipal election, which occurs early in December, when a mayor, treasurer and four council-investigation showed that every last is in the hands of John W. Monett, for men will be chosen. It is apparent that little interest will be taken up.

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MAKE THEIR ESCAPE BIG MILL AT **OREGON CITY**

PLANT TO BE ESTABLISHED WILL CUT 75,000 FEET OF LUM-Five hundred fine Eastern brook BER DAILY.

\$6,000 Will Be Added to the Monthly Payroll of This City.

ARGUMENT FOUND RIGHT AT HOME.

HUBBARD, Or., Oct. 27,-(To the Editor).-It always seems to me that our local political speakers go a long way for their argument; what does the average voter of today care for the panic of 1837, '57 or '84? Why not come down to the time that even the youngest voter has not forgotten, the hard times from 1892 to 1897. The writer was then engaged in the lumber business, in a small way, in the southern part of Clackamas County, and well do I remember how little there was to do in the second. member how little there was to do in those years. I think it was in the summer of 1895 that one of my enterprising Plymouths made sher nest in the dust pit under the saw and laid a dozen eggs before she was disturbed. "Poor deluded victim," as Mr. Weller would say. "She didn't know that the fruits of her industry were only worth six cents, and payment threatened in a fifty-five cent dollar.

worth six cents, and payment threatened in a fifty-five cent dollar.

In those days we offered our lumber at \$4.50 and \$5.00 per thousand, and paid the men working in the mill 75 cents per day.

In the autumn of 1896, when the returns from the September and October elections came in, business began to pick up, orders came in slowly, but on the day after McKinley was elected we loaded ten teams with lumber, more than we had done in twice ten weeks before. We are selling lumber now at \$8.00 per thousand and payment had \$1.75 per day. our help \$1.75 per day.

Do those men want us to put our product down to the old price

again and cut out the dollar on their wages? If so, let them help elect Bryan and his windy isms; time will do the rest.

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MISS GRAY ELECTED TEACHER. Company and consolidate with

Board of Directors Relieve Congested situated at Alspaugh, Clackamas County, and owned by W. G. Bohn. amendments, after being passed upon by the council, will be placed in the hands of every registered voter before the annual city election.

Every day in New York City there are on an average seven collisions of steam or surface railways.

Condition of Schools.

Miss Jeanle Gray, of Oak Grove, was elected a teacher in the Oregon City Schools. She is a graduate of the University of Oregon, class of '07, and a member of the Tau Pi Sorority. She will probably be assigned to severage seven more.

The Oregon City Mill & Lumber Company has a plant that is well rectors let a contract to F. M. Parsons to finish one of the upstairs rooms in the new addition to the Eastham building that is now approaching completion. The addition embraces four rooms, but it was originally planned to finish only the two rooms on the lower floor, and reserve the second story for an assembly hall, until such times as it might be required for study and recitation rooms.

> used for school rooms, after the East-ham addition is completed. and the payroll, instead of disappear-ing entirely, will be increased from "LAURIE" DRIGGS FOR CONGRESS. \$2,000 to about \$6,000 monthly.

Figure in New York.

runs from Washington Square, where be lives, up to Sixtleth street along the Hudson river, and has about 50-00 voters. The usual Democratic magical squares, and the constant an

ago. "Laurie," as he was popularly for the rest of the year, and the new known, was educated at the Portland High School and later attended the plan. There are immense bodies of University of Michigan at Ann Ar-bor. He went to New York City, with practically untouched and a logging his brother, Edward Driggs, about 12 railroad is one of the possibilities in years ago, and both are in the prac-connection with the project, running tice of law there.

Asks for a Writ of Review Over Division of School Property.

The directors of School District No. | Charles Black, a foreman on the

city, Mrs. Margaret Plabury of Portland, and Mrs. Henriette Kelly, of Seattle, are Mr. Miller's brothers and slaters.

The funeral was held at 3:50 o'clock. Sunday afternoon from Holman's Clergyman was Rev. John E. Simpson, of St. Mark's Church. Mrs. Inogen. Harding Brodle rendered vocal numbers. The interment was held in Oregon City Monday, in Mountain View cemetery.

Eastle are Mr. Miller's brothers and shelf and from Grande Ronde reservation. She spent Friday night at the forest with a deep and redder dye, the lired man will shuck corn. the forest with a deep and redder dye, the lired man will shuck corn. the pumpkin vine will ple, the politicians will be in by the 15th. The Duke of the Along about the 29th The Duke of the Along about the

Company has a plant that is well equipped to turn out finished products, with a sash and door factory, dry kilns, etc., but it has been haudicapped for the want of a sawmill, be ing compelled to purchase its sawed timber in the open markets, and there-by entering into competition with planing mills and factories with fa-

machinery for a saw mill that is now

cilities for handling the raw product. The plant was recently sold to the Northern California Lumber Company. or rather traded for stock in the Call The enrollment of the city schools, however, has reached a point where another teacher had to be engaged and space provided for the pupils. The gymnasium building will not be used for school round after the Fact. fornia concern, but the local men have

the employes of the Oregon City Mill Former Oregon City Boy a Political & Lumber Company have shown their faith in the new project by subscrib-ing for stock to the amount of \$2,000. Laurence L. Driggs, who was born and the present stockholders of the in Oregon City, and is the son of the company have taken about \$4,000. late L. C. Driggs and a nephew of Charles D. Latourette, is the Repubnew company will have \$25,000 for lican candidate for congress in the working capital. The stock is divided Eleventh New York district, which into 750 shares, and the Crown-Colum-

jority is about 9,000, but this year Mr. Moffett, who has gone into the Hearst has a candidate, who may re whole matter very carefully, and who duce the Democratic majority, and is known to be a practical man, says this gives Driggs a chance. The Tammany candidate is C. V. Fornes, and Alex. T. Porter is the Hearst nomi-Mr. Driggs spent his boyhood in Oregon City. His father was for years connected with the Portland postoffice and died about two years are all arries as he was nomitarly to the control of out of Oregon City and taking an easy grade up the Abernathy. This is PARKPLACE GETS INTO COURT. the route of the proposed Oregon City.

Beaver Creek & Molalia Railroad.

Scaffolding Gives Way.

Shew RHL. Busch Shew RHL. Busch Shew RHL. Busch Shew RHL. Busch Shew RHL. Freeman Refere—Mel Green. Lineamen Refere—Sagitarius people are the Archer. Sagitarius people are t 48, of Parkpiace, have asked for a construction of the addition to the writ of review on the question of the Eastham school building, and Frank

CANDIDATES DASH INTO STRETCH

Both Bills-o'-the-Wisp Have Only a Few Days Left to Make a Spirited Spurt.

(Copyright 1908, by C. H. Rieth.). A table and a pitcher

A tumbler and a stand, A man in double-breasted clothes,

And music by the band; A last appeal to reason,

A crowd with cheering daft-Some folks think it's Bryan, And others think it's Taft,

A speaker on a Pullman, A little pantomime A hasty diagnosis of

The perils of our time A farewell and a promise, A benediction aft-

Some folks think it's Bryan, And others think it's Taft. A man with twenty dollars,

Another man with ten, A swift exchange of challenges, And two excited men; A show-down and a wager,

A banknote and a draft-

Some folks think it's Bryan

And others think it's Taft. A homestretch and a tumult, A spyglass and a shout,

A feverish excitement while They try to make them out; A flying dust cloud leading, A second cloud abaft— Some folks think it's Bryan

And others think it's Taft. In the old Roman calendar Novem was the ninth month. Blessings Dick Rotter 700 B. C. the trusts left the people Who wen the seeming to see

arousers, and fan the dust up with the and two gas meters. slack downhauging from their trous-ers. They'll come in sight exhibiting The man who made election bets, a score of fancy paces, and only hit the trembling earth in four or five

high places. The air will darken with the hight of gravel, dirt and sods, and the crowd will sound its battle cries and give and offer odds. And 'ready meanwhile will wedge in quite close beside the track, with something that he has concealed within a paper sack, and when his entry charges down, hot-footing like the wind, T.

And then the presidential race Will hold its royal sway, And everyone will exercise His liver, anyway.

He'll bounce it up and down between His pancreas and gizzard, And waltz it through his inner works

From A around to Izzard, And even though his present race May prove to be in vain, He'll have the health and strength

Sometime, perhaps, again.

to run

And then there will be doings on This agitated sphere-The earth will pitch and buck to beat A frenzied Texas steer. sun will spin around and round And blow up once or twice, The moon will turn a very dark

Relying on his knowledge, Will write a sad note to his son, Withdrawing him from college. The football season will wind up. The class room claim its braves, And the faculty will order flowers

And decorate the graves.

A double fleece-lined coat of hair R. will hang a hornet nest upon him down behind, will come in style for dogs, and the farmer will put on the pot and bill farmer will put on the pot and kill his fattened hogs. The air will teem with shots and squeais and sundry flavors sweet, the good housewife will render lard and scrape and pickle feet, the spared old hens will get a note of terror in their cacklings, and the children will refresh their tums with good old-fashioned eracklings.

> Mr. Roosevelt's annual proclama tion advancing the price of turkey 10 cents a pound will be issued about the middle of the month. He will urge us to give thanks that 55,000,000 cubic feet of earth were excavated at Panama in October.

The sad-faced gobbier will address His young and tearful flock, And clip for memory's sweet sake A small and tear-stained lock, And then, with many sighs, will lay His head upon the block.

Until the 25th November will be under the zodiacical sign of Scorpio People born in Scorpio are cross at