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HARMONY IS SEEN IN PARTY CAUCUS

DEMOCRATS SHOW HOW A PARTY CAUCUS CAN BE MADE REAL TAME.

ECONOMY THE ORDER OF THE DAY

House Will Save \$180,000 By Letting Out Useless Employees and Paying for Work Done Only.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(Special)—The Democratic party has held its caucus, which was noticeable for its harmony, and adopted without change the committee assignments and the new rules prepared for the government of the coming Congress. The legislative program is to confine the activities of the coming session to popular election of Senators, Canadian reciprocity, tariff revision, investigation of governmental departments, Congressional reapportionment, statehood for Arizona and New Mexico, general deficiency appropriations, District of Columbia legislation and publicity of campaign contributions. This means a general reorganization of the House and important changes in the procedure. The power of naming committees is to be lodged in the House itself. Committee members are also to be elected by the House and the filling of vacancies as well. This means that the House itself is to be in control. The cutting off of superfluous employees will mean a saving of \$180,000. Congressional positions must be asked for from a committee that will have all recommendations in its power. That there will be wailing and gnashing of teeth among the employees no longer needed is soon to be in evidence. But this Congress means to retrench and has gone about it in a way that promises real economy.

1000 Out in Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 1.—About 1000 Union carpenters failed to appear for work today at various local shops. They announced they would not return to work until a five cent an hour raise in wages had been agreed to by the contractors. The men now receive 50 cents an hour. Two large local firms signed up for the increase. Shops where nonunion men are employed were running as usual today.

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Invited to Write on Temperance Questions, For Cash Prizes.

CORVALLIS, Or., April 1.—Essays on temperance subjects to be submitted for the local, State and National W. C. T. U. prizes are to be written by the college students of Oregon. O. A. C. students have just been notified of this opportunity to win the \$100 offered by the national organization, or smaller local prizes, by writing on "The Relation of Individual Total Abstinence to the Prosperity of the Nation," or some such special theme as "The Public Schools and Scientific Temperance Instruction," "Alcohol and the Public Health," or "Personal Liberty vs. Public Obligation."

FALLS INTO CHIP BIN BUT FRIENDS SAVE HIM

ROBERT FOX COMES NEAR LOSING LIFE AT CROWN PAPER COMPANY'S MILL.

Robert Fox came near losing his life at the Crown Paper Mill one day last week. He was operating the chip bin, through which the shavings are conducted into the "digester," when his foot slipped and he fell into the bin and began to sink towards the "digester." This is a vat of chemicals into which the shavings are turned into pulp, and a few moments would end one's life. As he sank into the neck leading from the bin to the "digester" he called for help and was fished out by workmen, the machinery having been stopped to aid in his rescue. He was pulled out nearly suffocated but without injury. A few moments longer and he could not have been saved.

L System Clothes Stetson Hats

Too Busy

to write ads. Do you know that we sell 90 per cent of good dressers here their clothes? That's a fact and we can prove it. There's a reason. See our window displays and if you can spare the time come in. It will pay you.

W. L. Douglas Shoes Holeproof Hosiery

Price Brothers

EXCLUSIVE CLOTHING Not Like Others 8th and Main Sts.

BOURNE TO BE SIDETRACKED.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(Special)—Report today says that Senator Crane has agreed to yield to the wishes of President Taft and Postmaster General Hitchcock and will accept the chairmanship of the committee on postoffices and post roads. This will mean that Senator Bourne will be sidetracked and the President will not need to yield to the Oregon Senator in any way.

DRYEST MARCH EVER.

PORTLAND, Or., April 1.—(Special)—The past March is the driest March in the history of Portland—at least since authoritative figures have been taken. According to measurements here the rainfall in March was but .63 of an inch. Twenty-six years ago there was a March about like this one as to quantity of rainfall.

GREETINGS TO ROOSEVELT.

PORTLAND, Or., April 1.—(Special)—Arrangements for the reception to Ex-President Roosevelt on Wednesday are about complete. Committees for the various work have been named and it only remains to put on the finishing touches to have the program complete.

NEW LIBRARY ASSURED.

FOREST GROVE, Or., April 1.—Efforts to raise the necessary endowment fund for the new library, for Pacific University, so as to secure the \$20,000 building fund promised by Andrew Carnegie, have been successful and the new edifice will be erected the coming Summer. An endowment of \$31,000 has been pledged.

WOULD GIVE SETTLERS LANDS.

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(Special)—Congressman Lafferty wants all lands—non-irrigable, in the State, thrown open to settlers. He wants to see the home seeker given an opportunity to get a home, and to that end will prepare a bill and introduce it in Congress at an opportune time.

BEWARE OF FIRES.

SALEM, Or., April 1.—(Special)—State Forester Elliott, who has assumed the duties of his new office, is out in a warning against starting forest fires except where needed, and then in safeguarding them until all danger is past. He thinks that too much care cannot be taken, both in the conservation of property and life.

RUNAWAY ON SEVENTH WITH THREE INJURED

E. L. MOORE, WIFE AND DAUGHTER THROWN FROM RIG—ALL BADLY SHAKEN UP.

There was a serious runaway accident on Seventh street hill Saturday, shortly after noon, in which three people were given a serious shaking up. The team was scared by a road roller that stood at the side of the street and breaking away threw the occupants from the rig and ran out Molalla avenue. E. L. Moore, who lives on Eighth street, hitched up his team for a short drive about 2 p. m. Mrs. Moore and the five year old daughter, Elizabeth, accompanied him. As they drove into Seventh street at Taylor the team took fright at a road roller and began to run. Before the team could be put under control the end of the wagon tongue was broken and the wagon ran into the ditch and Mr. Moore, wife and daughter were thrown out. At this the team broke loose from the wagon and ran out Molalla avenue, where they were captured and returned to the barn of Mr. Moore.

In the fall to the street Mr. Moore was severely bruised and his head was quite severely cut. Mrs. Moore had her left shoulder bruised and it is feared it was severely sprained. Elizabeth, the little girl, had her shoulder hurt but it is hoped not seriously. The occupants of the rig, realizing the powerful character of the team, are pleased that their injuries are no more serious than they are. About three hours earlier in the day a horse attached to a light buggy, and coming to town from the Molalla country, was frightened at the same roller and ran away at about the same point on Seventh street. The buggy was overturned by the horse, the thrills broken and the damage to the buggy was such that it had to be repaired before its owner could take it home. The name of the party could not be learned as he disappeared almost as soon as the accident occurred.

O. C. BOYS WIN GAME WITH CRESCENT TEAM

SCORE 17 TO 4 IN FAVOR OF THE LOCAL HIGH SCHOOL LADS.

The Oregon City High school base ball team was victorious over the Crescent nine at Crescent Saturday. The score was 17 to 4. Telford, Wilson, Baker, Alldredge and Michaels were the stars for Oregon City, while Jones and Parks played a good game for Crescent.

The lineup: Crescent Jones, Telford, Wilson, Baker, Alldredge, Michaels, Beattie, Patter, Alldredge, Barron, Andrews, Blood, Dambach, Gill. Umpire—Telix Jones.

LENTEN SEASON—FOR ALL BUT THE POLITICIANS.



Bates: "Believe me, you couldn't make that hunch hear you with a cannon."

YOUNG MARRIED FOLKS ENJOY THEMSELVES

PLEASANT EVENING AT THE HOME OF MR. AND MRS. M. D. LATOURETTE.

"The Newlyweds," a club recently organized in this city, and which is composed of some of the young married people, were entertained Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Latourette at their home on Fourteenth and Main streets. The affair was a very enjoyable one, the evening being devoted to Five Hundred. Mrs. W. R. Logus was awarded the lady's prize, and A. A. Price the gentleman's prize. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the club falling on Good Friday it was decided to have the meeting the Monday previous, which will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Price.

Mrs. Latourette was assisted by her sisters, the Misses Daulton. Those attending Friday night's affair were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wells, Mr. and Mrs. George Hankins, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Logus, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Price, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Meisner, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Latourette, Miss Helen Daulton, Miss Bess Daulton, "Snookums" Latourette.

DIES AGED 80 YEARS AFTER LONG ILLNESS

ELDER J. P. ALLISON PASSES AWAY AT MOUNTAIN VIEW HOME ON SATURDAY.

Death came to Elder J. P. Allison, living in Mountain View, at about 7:30 a. m. Saturday. He was aged 80 years and was for years a resident of Sherwood but had retired from active life and had lived for some time at his present home. He had been sick for a year, having been confined to his bed for several months.

Mr. Allison was born in Lawrence county, Ill., March 4, 1831, and came to Oregon a score of years ago. Until recently he had been an active man and was a good citizen and neighbor. In his death he leaves a wife and seven children, five boys and two girls. Those who survive him are his widow, living in Mountain View; Mrs. Mary Singer, Twin Falls, Idaho; Mrs. Nettie Mayfield, Wamic, Oregon; Nevada Allison, California; Gilbert, Nevada; Absalom and Reuben, residence not known; Robert, Sherwood. There are two sisters—Mrs. B. A. Harrison.

ONE TO FIVE ACRE TRACTS

Close To City

Cash and Installments

T. L. Charman

CITY DRUG STORE.

STRONG FLOW GAS STONE OIL WELLS

A SECOND STRATA OF BLACK OIL BEARING SAND PENETRATED BY DRILL.

DRILLERS BOUND THAT OIL IS NEAR

Gas Forces Its Way Through 800 Feet of Water, Burning Freely as It Issues From the Well.

STONE, Or., April 1.—(Special)—The drill has been going down gradually since the last report and has gone down several feet. It has passed through the shale formation which was encountered for several days and is now in black oil-bearing sand similar to that passed through several days ago. The first streak of this sand showed some oil, and it is a sand that always bears more or less oil. About 6 o'clock this evening, while the drill was making good headway in this black sand, a strong flow of gas was encountered at a depth of about 1225 feet. The gas flow was so strong that it forced its way through 800 feet of water in a volume sufficient to make a strong, hot blaze. The gas has been lit for several hours and makes a steady blaze, burning freely. The drillers are jubilant and feel certain that oil cannot be far away. As soon as a few additional preparations can be made the drill will be started downward again, with the hope of soon striking oil.

O. C. BESTS WILLAMETTE.

Game at Canemah Park Saturday Won By Home Boys.

There was a game of base ball at Canemah Park on Saturday between a club from Oregon City and a second from Willamette. Following is the lineup: Oregon City: G. Story, C. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story. Willamette: G. Story, C. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story, J. G. Story. The score stood 9 to 7, in favor of the Oregon City lads. It was a 10 inning game, indicating that it must have been pretty fast for an amateur aggregation.

JUNIOR SOCIETY ENTERTAINS.

Pleasant Evening at the Baptist Church Friday—Full House. The entertainment given on Friday evening at the Baptist church under

kell, Oregon City; Mrs. R. A. Brodger, Marshfield, Iowa.

Funeral has not been announced but an effort is being made to gather the friends so as to hold the funeral Monday at 9 a. m., with burial the same day at Sherwood, laying him to rest surrounded by his old neighbors and friends.

U. S. Buys Cranfield Spring.

E. P. Dedman, of Clackamas, was in Oregon City Saturday. Mr. Dedman has just sold to the United States six acres known as the Cranfield Spring, on which is located the hatchery belonging to the Government. This spring is in the Cranfield D. L. C. and has been owned by Mr. Dedman since 1881. It has been leased for the past six years by the government for hatchery purposes, and is considered to be valuable. The price paid for the spring was \$4000.

GRAND JURY DRAWN FOR THE APRIL TERM

LIST OF JURORS WHO WILL SIT IN JUDGMENT IN CRIMINAL COURT.

The following is the panel of jurors that has been drawn for the April term of the Circuit Court of Clackamas county: Emil Gelbricht, New Era; A. P. Todd, Pleasant Hill; D. C. Yoder, Killia; Richard Wright, Mackburg; Sam Warnock, New Era; L. G. Palmateer, Estacada; B. F. Weddle, Tualatin; J. J. Cooke, Oregon City; R. F. D. No. 1; H. S. Gibson, Eagle Creek; H. T. Shipley, West Oregon City; William Fine, Canemah; Michael Kroll, Maple Lane; W. H. Kandle, Springfield; John Kent, Abernethy; Robert Engle, Soda Springs; R. W. Zimmerman, Barlow; O. C. Whitten, Oswego; Chris Kocher, Barlow; Joseph Conrad, Marquam; John Aden, Tualatin; David Williams, Oregon City; S. P. Berg, Barlow; Charles Schockley, Highland; Charles A. Lakin, Milwaukie; John F. Jennings, Gladstone; W. E. Bonney, Canyon Creek; Adolph Aschoff, Bull Run; Charles Hatten, Harding; W. F. Hartnell, Maple Lane; E. F. Guenther, Beaver Creek; G. W. Atwood, Harmony.

THROWN FROM A CAR IN TRYING TO ALIGHT

WM. RADGATE FALLS TO PAVEMENT AND IS UNCONSCIOUS FOR A MOMENT.

A man named Wm. Radgate, who lives in Portland, came to Oregon City Saturday morning on business. While alighting from an O. W. P. car at Eleventh street he was thrown heavily to the street and severely injured. At first he was unconscious, so heavy was his fall and so rudely was he thrown to the rocky pavement.

It seems Radgate was anxious to get off the car at that point in the city. There are two parts to Eleventh street and because of this strangers are sometimes fooled as to whether or not the car intends to stop. In any event Radgate decided to get off the car, and attempted to do so before it stopped. In doing so he was thrown heavily to the ground, the force of the fall threw him up on his face, and falling on his right arm he bruised it severely.

When he was first picked up he was dazed—he lay there a minute or two before any one seeing the accident went to his assistance—and it was with an effort that he was taken to the office of Dr. W. E. Carll. Examination showed that he was severely bruised but with no bones broken. He was put aboard the car and returned to Portland.

Second Dance of Series. The second regular dancing party to be given by the Willamette Club will be given at the Bush hall on Wednesday evening, April 5. Parson's orchestra, of Portland, will furnish the music for the dancing.

Good consistent advertising in The Morning Enterprise pays. It has proven so with us.

Price Bros. A. A. Price, Mgr.

SALE!

Have brought out a big lot of post cards and will put them on the market at 1 cent each, and 3 for five regardless of cost. There are about 15,000 of these cards ranging from 1 cent up to 20c each and if you want big bargains in post cards do not miss this chance. Sale commences Monday April 3 and lasts until April 11.

Big values in other things also. One \$32 Victor Talking Machine for \$20. \$350 Piano for \$240. \$10 Guitar for \$5, and lots of other bargains.

A. H. STURGES

Seventh Street Oregon City

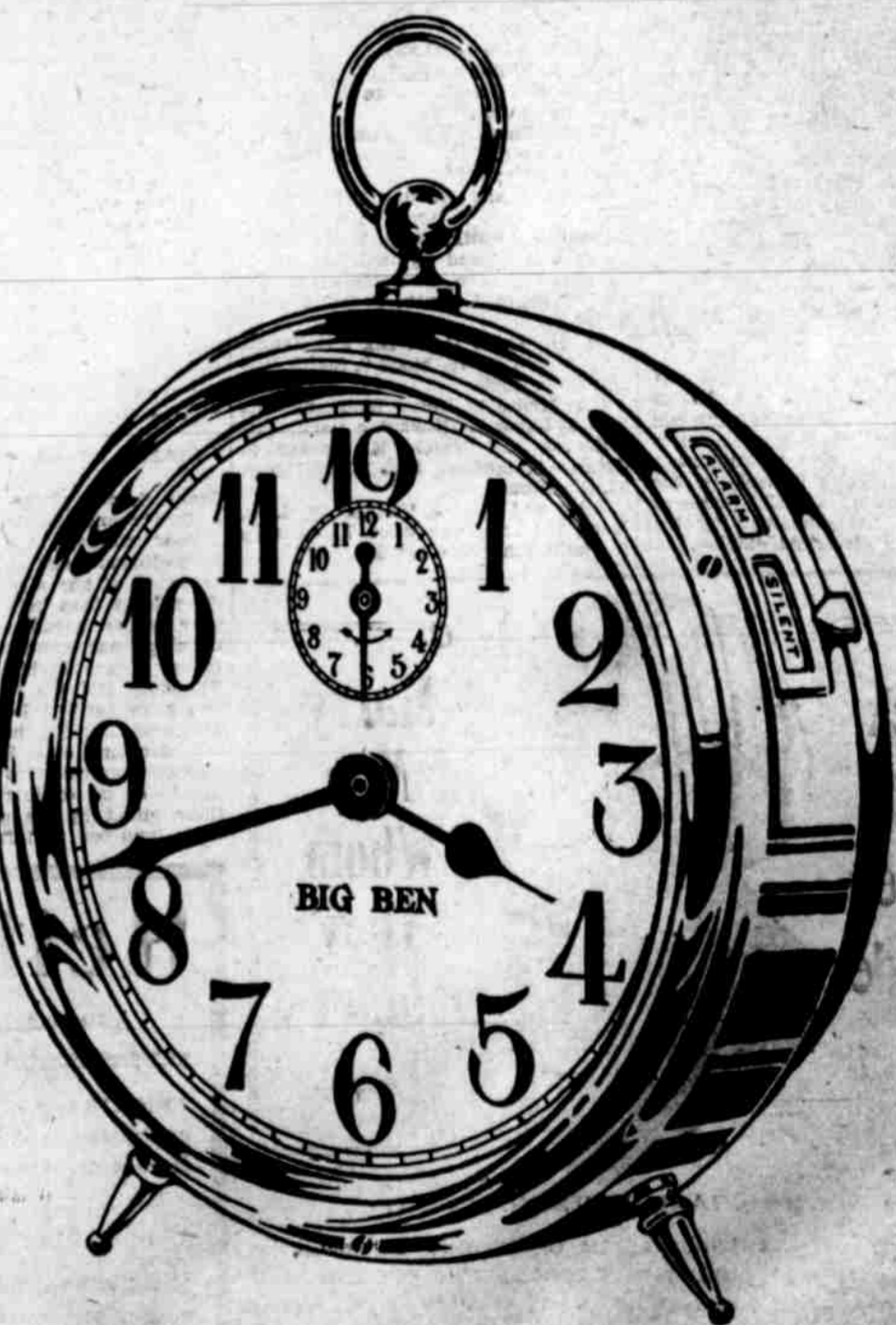
the auspices of the Junior Society of the Baptist church was a decided success. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Charles Oglesby and Miss Alice Thompson, and every number on the program received its share of encores. The church was filled to its capacity by an appreciative audience. The accompanist of the evening was Mrs. D. C. Latourette.

\$50.00 Given Away

This ad is worth \$50 in cash to the first six purchasers of Clairmont Acreage Tracts No. 3—2 1/2 acres; all in cultivation; close to school; macadam road, and on Clackamas Southern Electric R. R. now building. Price now only \$875 per tract; \$900 cash, balance \$10 per month. This price will soon double. Come today and close the deal.

W. F. SCHOOLEY & CO.

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Next time you walk by our store, we wish you'd stop a minute and take a look at Big Ben. He's the finest sleepmeter made—the best looking—the best built—the best running. You needn't take our word for it, we keep it in the window; you can see for yourself.

\$2.50

This is the clock they are advertising in the big magazines.

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