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## COLORADO NAMES TAFT DELEGATION

COMPROMISE SUGGESTED FOR MINORITY REPRESENTATION IS REJECTED

### 8 VOTES ADDED TO PRESIDENT'S LIST

Roosevelt Men Overwhelmingly Beat in Cheer Vociferously at Men-tion of Colonel's Name

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 27.—The state Republican convention here today selected eight delegates-at-large to the Chicago National convention, instructed for President Taft, adopted resolutions endorsing the Taft administration and chose United States Senator Guggenheim as National committeeman from Colorado.

The Taft instructions and endorsement were adopted by a viva voce vote and Senator Guggenheim was chosen National committeeman over Phillip B. Stewart, of Colorado Springs, by a vote of 657 to 241.

Never after the first test vote this morning on temporary chairman, when Thomas H. Devine, of Pueblo, the Taft candidate was elected over Ben Griffith, the Roosevelt candidate by a vote of 656 to 242 was there a doubt as to the adoption of the program agreed upon by the Taft leaders early today after an all-night conference.

Although the Taft forces controlled by almost 3 to 1 vote, there was no disposition to employ "steam roller" tactics at the opening session, and the Roosevelt minority contented itself with a vociferous cheering for its candidate. Its request for representation on the resolutions committee being granted, the minority supported the majority plan of organization.

## STEPHENSON RETAINS SEAT IN SENATE

WASHINGTON, March 27.—Senator Stephenson, of Wisconsin, octogenarian, millionaire banker and lumberman, retains his seat. By a vote of 40 to 24, the Senate today declared his election valid and rejected the charge that \$107,793, which the Senator admitted spending in the Wisconsin primaries, had been used corruptly.

Twenty-eight Republicans and 12 Democrats held Senator Stephenson's election valid; 18 Democrats and 15 Republicans voted to declare it corruptly obtained.

### TWO MEN ARE SLAIN IN BATTLE IN CHURCH

OAKLAND, Cal., March 27.—Adolph Goldman, recently released from San Quentin Penitentiary, is dead, and a former Mayor of Oakland, Boland W. Snow, is thought dying, as the result of a duel that was fought tonight in the assembly rooms of the First Congregational church. Only the sexton, Charles F. Lewis, and Mrs. F. Cassidy, were witnesses. The duel was the outcome of an emnity dating back to the time when Snow was elected Mayor, in 1899.

## ROAD TO BE BUILT TO LIBERAL THIS YEAR

M. J. Lee, of Canby, who is promoting the railroad to connect Canby and Molalla, said Wednesday that although Miles C. Moore, of Walla Walla, had been given credit for financing the enterprise, he had not made public the source from which the money will come. Mr. Lee said the road would be built from Canby to Liberal this summer, and if any trouble should be encountered in obtaining rights of way along that route a line would be surveyed along Milk Creek. The plan is to provide a road for hauling timber from the Molalla country and the route is not considered of paramount importance.

## TROUT FRY TO BE PLANTED IN LAKES

S. S. Mohler has contracted with the Fish and Game Commissioners to plant 80,000 trout fry in the lakes in the Cascade Forest Reserve. The commission has made plans to fry in each lake will be of the same species. Amateur anglers have agreed to plant 10,000 trout fry in each of the large lakes such as Lake Odell, Crescent and Davis Lake, without expense to the commission. It is the intention to stock all the lakes in the reserve no matter how isolated some of them may be.

### MRS WILLIAM SCHWARTZ'S SISTER DIES IN WISCONSIN

Mrs. William Schwartz of the West Side, Wednesday afternoon received a telegram from Lacross, Wis., giving the information that her sister, Mrs. Augusta Goeshke, of that city, had died. Mrs. Goeshke about five years ago visited this city where she made many friends. Her husband died about fifteen years ago. She is survived by a son, seventeen years of age.

## CONTEST TEACHES LIFE'S BIG LESSON

CANDIDATES ARE LEARNING OLD STORY OF HOW TO WIN SUCCESS

### DILIGENT EFFORT IS MAIN FACTOR

"Opportunity Knocks Wanat At Every Man's Dure And The Other Dames Kape Knockin' All The Time"

STANDING OF CANDIDATES  
Ruby McCord ..... 51,400  
Joseph Sheehan ..... 46,200  
Kent Wilson ..... 28,600  
John Brown ..... 13,000  
Charles Beattie ..... 6,800  
John Weber ..... 6,800  
John Haleston ..... 6,000 &  
Mable Marsh ..... 1,200  
Mable Chase ..... 1,000  
Edna Hutchinson ..... 1,000  
Edna Hutchinson ..... 1,000  
Royce Brown ..... 1,000  
Barnett Howard ..... 1,000  
Dellas Armstrong ..... 1,000  
Ethel Rief ..... 1,000  
Harry Miller ..... 1,000  
Frank Bruce ..... 1,000  
Leo Shaver ..... 1,600  
Mable Marsh ..... 1,200  
A. G. Kinder ..... 1,400

Ambition is everything in this world. Without it, no one succeeds. From our infancy we are taught to be ambitious for our wise parents realize after their struggles in the world that ambition is a valuable asset.

The contestants in the race for the Enterprise automobile show laudable ambition in their desire to win an automobile or the cash value which it represents. They are a plucky set of young people who know that they are made of the right stuff by entering the race and staying with it as they are.

It is a hard race for them because each is pitted against others of sterling worth and character. But while each is settled down for a good long hard run, they show signs of spirit as is manifest at the close of each special contest and when the 2,000 votes are given to the contestant who deposits the greatest number of votes on that particular day.

The fifteen day contests are attracting a good deal of well deserved attention. These contests are of practical value to the winners for the \$15 merchandise coupons, which are the prizes, are redeemable in Oregon City's best stores. They are good for anything from a collar button to a suit of clothes—or, in the case of the ladies, hair pin to an ermine cloak.

The ambitious young people who are fighting for first place in this contest are learning one of the most valuable lessons of their life. It is the old, old fact that comes home to all of us at times. It is that anything worth while in this life, can only be ours after a struggle. Sometimes the struggle is with ourselves instead of others, but that does not make it any easier for us. Somebody has said, "He who would master others, must first master self."

Another idea that is probably coming to each of the contestants, is the fact that in the race, they must sometimes oppose their friends. That is true in the economic struggle for existence that each of us is forced to enter—unless perhaps we are one of the favored few who happen to be living on an "unearned" increment. Although we may be pitted against friends in the contest it should not affect that friendship so long as all is above board and on the square. Petty spite and jealousies should not be allowed to rise. The are merely the outcroppings of a small and warped soul. Be a good sport. Play the game square. If you win, smile. If you lose, congratulate the winner—and mean it when you do it.

This excellent opportunity that is offered by the Enterprise for somebody to own a fine fore-door, five passenger Ford touring car, is being taken advantage of by only a few. Not many seem to realize that it is the chance of a life time. According to Mr. Dooley, "Opportunity knocks wanat at every man's dure; the other old dames kape knockin' all the time." How many times have we all wished for an automobile? Stop wishing—enter the contest and get one.

Sheshan by an early start and hard work, held first place in this race for a long time but was finally nosed out by Miss McCord. This young lady has shown from the first, a determination to win the car but if she does, she will have to keep up her hard work for Sheshan is doing his best to win back the coveted place at the head of the list. John Brown had things going his way for third place until that memorable Saturday when Kent Wilson bumped into the game with 20,000 votes. Wilson is now after the leaders, and is known to be a young man of determination so they will have to set a good pace to stay ahead of him.

### REV. E. A. SMITH TO PREACH IN WILLAMETTE

Rev. E. A. Smith, missionary pastor of Clackamas County will preach the first of a series of sermons at Willamette in the M. E. Church next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. Smith is a native of Oregon City. Many of his West Side friends will be glad of the opportunity of hearing him. The services are for the benefit of those who cannot attend the services at the churches on the East side. There will be good music. Mr. Smith since taking up his duties in Clackamas County the first of the year, has traveled more than 400 miles in getting around over his field.

Watch the automobile contest.

## THE OUTLET

PERPETRATED BY WALT McDOUGALL



## C. F. BOLLINGER BECOMES BENEDICT

MISS ANA ALDREDGE AND YOUNG BUSINESS MAN ARE MARRIED

### BRIDEGROOM'S FATHER OFFICIATES

Popular Couple Leave For Beach On Wedding Trip, And Will Go To Housekeeping on Return

The marriage of Miss Ana Marie Aldredge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Aldredge, and Mr. Charles F. Bollinger, son of Rev. E. S. Bollinger, of Portland, was solemnized Wednesday at 12 o'clock at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Rev. Bollinger, who is pastor of the Highland church of that city, performing the ceremony. The wedding was very quiet, only members of the families of the bride and bridegroom attending. A wedding breakfast was served, after which the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon, which will be spent at one of the Oregon beaches. Upon their return to this city, which will be the first of next week, Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger will make their home in the Sheshan bungalow near Seventh and Molalla Avenue. The bride was becomingly gowned in a dark blue traveling suit and wore a large picture hat. The bride is one of Oregon City's most popular young women. She was born in this city, where she has lived all of her life, and by her charming manner she has won many friends. For the past two years she has been cashier of the Huntley Bros. Company store.

## LOFGREN ADVOCATES REFORM OF COURTS



David E. Lofgren, candidate for the Republican nomination for representative from Clackamas and Multnomah counties is a lawyer and a progressive. He is interested in a colonizing company which has 12,000 acres in this county, and he also has a 200-acre ranch in the county. Mr. Lofgren is an advocate of Statehood No. 1, favors good roads, shortening litigation; prohibiting stock frauds, state inspection of scales and measures and public markets. He says that court procedure should be freed of technicalities as far as possible and appeals to the Supreme Court should be limited to cases involving more than \$250 to enable the court to catch up with its cases now eighteen months overdue without additional judges.

## Soprano Pleases Crowds at Grand



MISS BESSIE MORRISON Who is Singing To Large Crowds At The Grand This Week.

## MILL WORKER VICTIM OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT

Victor Mollie, one of the workmen at the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper Company's mill was seriously injured at the mill Wednesday morning. He was struck on the head by a rod which caused concussion of the brain. He was carried by some of his fellow workmen to the Oregon City Hospital, where Dr. C. H. Meissner, the company's physician, attended him. It is necessary to keep the young man under the influence of an opiate to relieve his sufferings and his condition is critical.

## IVORIES MEASURE FAME AND OBLOQUIV

BILLIARD TOURNAMENT AT COMMERCIAL CLUB STARTS IN BLAZE OF GLORY

### GILBERT L. HEDGES HERO OF HOUR

John Fairclough, H. A. Montgomery, Dr. G. L. Jenkins and T. P. Randall Among Leaders

Leaders in Tournament  
G. L. Jenkins ..... 45  
G. L. Hedges ..... 42  
John Fairclough ..... 42  
H. A. Montgomery ..... 42  
W. M. Wilson ..... 45  
T. P. Randall ..... 50  
William Stone ..... 37  
A. C. Warner ..... 37  
Theodore Osmund ..... 50

Never did the gladiators of ancient Rome enter the arena with more determination writ upon their brows than did 16 stalwart knights of the cue and ivories invade the billiard room of the Commercial Club Wednesday night. It was the beginning of the great billiard tournament that is destined to go down in history as one of the grandest displays of skill and courage ever recorded in this county. There was something doing every minute, for every contestant had Johns grit up for play with speed, be the possibility what it may, and the many marvelous shots furnish the exceptions that prove the rule.

G. L. Hedges, entered in Class A, warning that ineffable smile that won't come off, was easily the hero of the evening. He was back in Ozark Mountain form and kept the balls as if they had been trained in him. Time and again his worthy opponent, Willie Hoppe Parker, would leave the Canemah Hot Springs champion bottled up, but never once did Mr. Hedges flinch, and oftimes he made shots that seemed impossible. He shows the brightest green in the clouds were lowering, and the billiard millennium for him seemed near at hand. Willie Hoppe Parker was game in defeat and after shaking hands with his vanquisher said magnanimously, "Ozark, my friend, it is an honor to be defeated by such a foeman as you. May your path ever be strewn with roses and the ivories when you play have the same beautiful affinity for each other as they had tonight." The score was 45 to 42. Parker was the 1'nd rap man, the game being 100 for him and 90 for Hedges. It will be finished the latter part of the week and Parker may yet redeem himself.

R. L. Holman, one of the best players in the club suffered severely from stage fright, which accounts for his poor showing. Dr. R. L. Jenkins ran 45 to Holman's 34. Holman is to play 100 to Dr. Jenkins' 90, and the latter is now ruling as a 10 to 1 favorite.

John Fairclough, of Ogle Mountain Mine fame, who is entered in class B, seemed to have everything. In fact he was in such good form that his opponent stood no show whatever, and out of kindness to him, the Morning Enterprise has decided to suppress his name and score. It can be truthfully said, however, that he did his best. He was simply outclassed.

H. A. Montgomery in a Garrison finish nosed out W. B. Howell, the score being 42 to 41. Howell was given a handicap of 10 points.

Clarence Simmons went against a mighty big contract as he soon learned, when he tackled W. M. Wilson. The score was Wilson 45, Simmons 37. Simmons has a handicap of 10 points.

In class C, T. P. Randall led Lly Stipp almost from the start, the score being 50 to 31; William Stone and A. C. Warner ran a dead heat, each making 37 and Theodore Osmund led F. Schooly by a score of 50 to 27. Osmund played a consistent game, and Schooly played only in spots.

The playlet will be put on again tonight with different characters, and Friday evening the players of Wednesday night will finish the game. The winners of the first series of games will play for the prizes which are two fine billiard cues and a membership to the club.

Messrs Babcock and Moody were the judges and not one of their decisions was questioned. They were heartily congratulated by the players for their efficient work. Dr. Clyde Mount kept a perfect score and he too was congratulated.

## LIVE WIRES PLAN ELEVATOR FOR HILL

A special committee of members of the Live Wires Association will consider this week the erection of an elevator from the business section of the city to the level of the residence section. This committee will prepare plans and submit the report with recommendations to the association at the meeting to be held next Tuesday evening.

It is concluded by many experts on property valuation that residence sites on the hill will increase in value immediately upon the commencement of construction. Everybody knows the need for such a device and while it will be a luxury, it is also a necessity and can be maintained at small expense to the city.

## COUNTY DIVISION TO BE DISCUSSED

ESTACADA AND OREGON CITY COMMERCIAL CLUBS TO CONFER

### MEETING IS CALLED FOR TUESDAY

Proposition To Cut County In Two Is Strenuously Opposed—Tax Distribution Main Issue

At the request of the Estacada Commercial Club a conference between a delegation of forty members of that organization and the Oregon City Commercial Club will be held in this city next Tuesday evening regarding the proposed division of Clackamas County. The Oregon City Club opposes the division and its members believe they will be able to prove to the visitors that it would be detrimental to the interest of the county. The plan is to make Estacada the county seat of the new county.

It is contended by the Estacada people that that section of the county has been discriminated against in the pro rating of the tax money for road and other purposes. This is strenuously denied by the county officials, who say that in many instances that district has received more money than the taxes on property there amounted to.

The following letter has been received by M. D. Latourette, Secretary of the Oregon City Commercial Club from R. M. Standish, Secretary of the Estacada Commercial Club:

"The writer has been requested by the above organization to write to you with a view of obtaining an audience for our Club with your Oregon City Commercial Club. A delegation from this club wish to meet your club in open meeting with a view to the discussion of the 'county division' which is being agitated here. We would greatly appreciate an early date about the first of next week, if convenient to you. On receipt of advices from you, we will arrange for a special car and about forty of us will make the trip.

"Hoping to have the pleasure to hear from you soon and trusting that our future relations may be cordial, I am, etc."

## TAXPAYERS VOTE FOR MILWAUKIE SCHOOL

By a vote of 4 to 1 the taxpayers of Milwaukie school district voted to authorize the directors to purchase a two-acre site in the Minthorn, the eastern part of the district and proceed at once to build an eight-room high school building. More than 200 citizens were present. The exact location was not indicated by the vote, and the directors were only instructed to locate the building east of the Southern Pacific Railway.

It was reported that two acres can be purchased for the site for about \$3500 in the McCann tract. Mr. Magie Johnson clerk, said yesterday that an eight-room building will cost between \$12,000 and \$15,000, and that the directors will have plans drawn for the building. The main portion she said, will be for the central high school, but several of the rooms will be for the lower grades. It has not been set whether the bonds will be issued or money borrowed. The district has no debt.

## JESSIE BUCKLES AND JOSEPH SLAN WED

Mrs. Nicolas Saraceno whose husband was accidentally killed in Los Angeles in November, was married Tuesday in Portland to Joseph Slan, foreman of the tailoring department of the Oregon City Woolen Mill. The couple will live in Portland. Mrs. Slan's license to marriage was issued in her maiden name, Jessie Buckles. Mr. and Mrs. Saraceno had lived in Los Angeles only a short time when he was killed. They were taking articles from a trunk when the gun fell and was accidentally discharged. Mrs. Slan was born and reared in this city where her mother and sisters still live. She met Mr. Saraceno about a year before his death. He was a musician and they frequently played together. After his death she returned to Oregon City, and has since lived with her mother.

The Enterprise automobile contest is the most popular thing ever pulled off in the Willamette Valley.

## SNAP

1½ acres in Gladstone, Oregon, fronts on Clackamas river, clear. Deep rich soil. Good fishing at the door. Price \$1,000. Terms, Cyrus Powell, Oregon City, Oregon. Stephens Building, room 10.

Two Couples Get Licenses  
Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday to the following: Maribret Thompson and W. A. Clyburn; Mildred E. Maxwell and Clarence Maxwell Copper.

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