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T. R. AND CLARK CARRY MARYLAND

INCOMPLETE RETURNS GIVE COL-
ONEL SLIGHT ADVANTAGE
OVER PRESIDENT

SPEAKER HAS BIG LEAD OVER WILSON

Missourian Defeats New Jersey Gov-
ernor By Three To One—
Harmon Is Poor
Third

BALTIMORE, Md., May 6.—Roosevelt and Clark were well ahead in the early returns from the Maryland Presidential preference primaries, but later the contest between Taft and Roosevelt became close, although the latest figures virtually assure Roosevelt of victory.

The Democratic fight showed that Clark and Wilson were far ahead of Harmon.

The indicated vote at 12:15 A. M. gave Roosevelt 68; Taft, 63; Clark, 69; Wilson, 33; Harmon, 46 uncertain, 23.

Clarke and Roosevelt leaped into the lead early with complete delegations from Baltimore city, which gave them each 28 delegates. Clark's preferential vote in this city was greater than that of Harmon and Wilson combined. He defeated Wilson by nearly 3 to 1 and the New Jersey Governor was ahead of Governor Harmon by 2 to 1.

The sweeping Clark success in Baltimore was a victory for the Democratic organization. In the Republican primary here the Roosevelt organization downed the regular Republican organization, led by Collector of the Port William F. Stone.

The baseball in Oregon Prison—at the Grand Wednesday and Thursday, day and Thursday.

DEMOCRATS TO NAME OFFICERS SATURDAY

O. D. Eby, Chairman of the Democratic County Central Committee, has called a meeting of the committee in Williams Hall next Saturday morning. The committee members, who were elected at the recent primary, will elect a secretary and chairman, and a state central committee. H. G. Starkweather, present state committee member, is being urged to again accept the office. The Republican committee at a meeting Saturday elected Frank Jaggard chairman, William Hammond secretary, Lvy Stipp state central committee member, A. Dimm congressional committee member, E. P. DeFman, of Clackamas, was elected to fill the vacancy on the Republican ticket for county recorder, due to the disappearance of Lloyd E. Williams, who was nominated in the primary, despite his absence from the city.

EBY AND FREYTAG START WORK FOR FAIR

O. D. Eby and O. E. Freytag, through whose efforts the Clackamas County Exhibit at the State fair last year was such a success, have started making selections for the exhibit at the coming fair. A 26-pound sturgeon, caught by George Brown, has been preserved in a large glass jar. It is also their intention to have a collection of salmon. The county court has provided \$450 for the exhibit this year and Messrs Eby and Freytag are confident the county will win first prize. The appropriation last year was only \$250 and the premiums amounted to almost that much. The exhibit won second prize.

Only a short time left in which to show your worth in the auto contest.

PROFESSOR ELLNER ENTERTAINS CHOIR

Following a custom established nineteen years ago by Professor Ellner of entertaining the members of his choir at a celebration of the birthday of his mother, the members of the Methodist Episcopal church of this city were guests at a delightful gathering at the Falls Restaurant Monday evening. The following were present: Messrs. Miller, Stafford, Gault, Goodwin, Stone, VanWay, Swafford, Professor Ellner, Mesdames Johnston, Hickman, Hagemann, Misses Bailey, Ford, Miller, Blanchard, Meyers, Morse, Henderson, Swafford, Iva Ford Bridgman, Walling.

Interesting talker here—showing pictures of the Oregon Prison at the Grand Wednesday and Thursday.

Grange To Give Ball
A grand ball will be given by Sandy Grange No. 392 at Meining's next Saturday, the music to be furnished by Richard's orchestra. Supper will be served at the Sandy Hotel.

Don't wait for some one to give you votes go after them.

TROUBLE IN THE MEXICAN AVIARY.



ASTOR MILLIONS ARE LEFT TO SON

YOUNG WIDOW PROVIDED FOR
AS LONG AS SHE REMAINS
SINGLE

DAUGHTER IS TO GET \$3,000,000

Rich Victim Of Titanic Disaster Created Several Trust Funds—
First Wife Is Left
Nothing

NEW YORK, May 6.—Counsel for the family made public today the will of John Jacob Astor, as drawn in this city in September last, only a few days after his marriage to Miss Madeline Talmage Force and approximately seven months before he perished with the sinking of "Titanic."

Vincent Astor, a son, who will come to age within the year, is made the principal beneficiary and residuary legatee. No hint as to the value of the great estate is given, and by the creation of trust funds the testator has followed, as far as possible, the custom of his forebears in keeping the vast Astor holdings intact.

WILLIAMS' TEAM TOYS WITH VICTORIA

PORTLAND, May 6, (Special).—Nick Williams' men had a walkover this afternoon. They beat Victoria 6 to 0. Each team made 8 hits but the visitors made 3 errors. Easterly had a shade on Concannon.

The results Monday follow:
At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 9, Oakland 2.
No other games scheduled.

National League
Chicago 5, Boston 3.
New York 6, St. Louis 1.

Standing of the Clubs

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	22	9	.710
Vernon	15	13	.552
San Francisco	15	15	.500
Los Angeles	14	17	.453
Sacramento	14	17	.453
Portland	8	18	.308

UREY WOODSON, Of Kentucky, Secretary of the Democratic National Committee.



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POSTAL DEPOSITORS MAY INVEST IN BONDS

Postmaster Randall Monday gave out the following information for the benefit of depositors in the postal savings bank:

"By applying on or before June 1, 1912, depositors of the Postal Savings System may exchange the whole or a part of their deposits for United States registered or coupon bonds in denominations of \$20, \$100, and \$500, bearing interest from July 1, 1912, at the rate 2 1/2 per cent per annum, payable semiannually, and redeemable at the pleasure of the United States after one year from the date of issue, both principal and interest payable 20 years from that date in United States gold coin.

"Postal savings bonds are exempt from all taxes or duties of the United States as well as from taxation in any form by or under State, municipal, or local authority."

"On application of any holder the Board of Trustees will purchase postal-savings bonds at par. Registered bonds sent to the board for purchase must be assigned to the Board of Trustees, Postal Savings System."

Prison Life in this State—Clearly, cleanly and interestingly shown Wednesday and Thursday at the Grand.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD
MOTHERS' MEETING

The W. C. T. U. will hold a mothers' meetings at the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. F. J. S. Toose will read a paper on "The Training of Children Along Practical Lines." Miss Bessie Pickthorn will give a reading "Mary Elizabeth," and there will be several other numbers on the program. Refreshments will be served.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS TO
GIVE ANNUAL BALL

The Catholic Knights of America have issued invitations to a ball to be given at Busch's hall on the evening of May 15. It will be the first annual ball of the knights, and will be one of the society events of the season. Music will start at 8:30 o'clock.

BITHIAHS PLAN CONCERT

Plans have been perfected by the Bithiahs for a concert to be given Wednesday evening, May 15, and a fine program has been prepared. Besides local talent, the following well known Portland soloists have been engaged: Stuart McGuire, baritone; Zeta M. Hollister, soprano; Miss Ford will direct the musicale.

The Original "Oregon Boot"—at the Grand Wednesday and Thursday in "The Oregon Prison."

FORD COMPANY TO HAVE LOCAL PLANT

PLANS OF AUTO MANUFACTUR-
ERS SHOULD INTEREST
CONTESTANTS

CAR UNDER HEAD, "MADE IN OREGON"

Commercial Worth Of Northwest
Appreciated By Managers Of
Industry—Plant To Cost
\$250,000

- STANDING OF CANDIDATES
- Ruby McCord149,200
 - Joseph Sheahan47,200
 - Kent Wilson32,500
 - John Brown15,000
 - John Weber6,800
 - John Haleston6,000
 - A. G. Kinder7,200

Confirming the report published in this paper several weeks ago, the Ford Motor Car Company, of Detroit, has definitely decided to build its Northwest assembling plant in Portland. To this end a site has been purchased on the East Side, at an approximate cost of \$250,000.

The plant will be located at East Eleventh and Division streets, and will cover about two acres. It will have a frontage on the Southern Pacific track and on the broad gauge Sellwood line.

Interesting thumbprint system—fully explained in "The Oregon Prison" Wednesday and Thursday at the Grand.

MISSSES DAULTON ENTERTAIN CLUB

Miss Helen Daulton and Miss Bess Daulton entertained the "Bachelor Girls" at their home on the West Side Friday evening. Cards were played, the prize being won by Miss Wynne Hanny. The decorations were very pretty being of dogwood, sweet briar and carnations. Refreshments were served.

NEWLY WEDS CELEBRATE
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Keith, the latter formerly being Miss Edith Cheney, of this city, celebrated their wedding anniversary at their home last week when the following were in attendance: Miss Helen Daulton, Miss Bessie Daulton, of this city, C. Bennett, A. Black, Mrs. T. Keith, Miss Ethel Cheney, Mr. and Mrs. T. Keith.

In addition to the regular show "The Oregon Prison" will be given Wednesday and Thursday at the Grand.

30 DROWN AS BIG LEEVE GIVES WAY

TORRENT RUSHES THROUGH
BREAK IN LOUISIANA FLOOD-
ING LARGE AREA

SITUATION MADE GRAVE BY RAINS

Entire Families Swept To Death
From Housetops And 1000
Are Imperiled—Slight
Fall at New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, May 6.—Thirty persons were drowned in Coupee parish early today when a flood of water from a break in the levee rushed suddenly into the district. Survivors reported that 12 bodies had been recovered and declared the death list probably would total 30.

Heavy rains in Louisiana and Mississippi today lent additional danger to scores of cities which have been threatened inundation by the floodwaters of the Mississippi river. With the water topping the levees at Baton Rouge, Morganza, Melville and Bayou Des Glaces, La., the situation was desperate. Motorboats have been sent to the scene to take off the refugees.

Thousands of women and children have left Bayou Des Glaces, Melville and other flooded sections. The property loss will exceed \$2,000,000.

The flood situation at Point Coupee is desperate. Motorboats have been sent to the scene to take off the refugees.

Survivors assert that whole families were swept to their death from housetops when the levee broke. Government officers here have been notified that at least 1000 persons are imperiled by being marooned in tree tops, houses and rafts.

Passengers on a train which passed through Morganza today state that people stood at the depot in waist deep, signalling for the train to take them aboard. The engineer and conductor would not stop the train because of the rapid rise of water.

The next train which passed was derailed and its passengers thrown into the flood.

MRS. CHARLES PRIEBE HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Charles Priebe was surprised at her home Saturday night by relatives and friends, the occasion being her fifty-third birthday. She was presented with several beautiful articles. The evening was merrily spent in music, games and dancing which were followed by refreshments, the latter including a birthday cake with fifty-three candles.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Priebe, Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Blum, C. Blum, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. M. Abt, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Noble, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. William Blum, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil May, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. David Scherrille, Mrs. John Holliday, Miss Bertha Priebe, Miss Mina Blum, Miss Edith Blum, Miss Tina Blum, Miss Edith Priebe, of Portland; Maxine and Raymond Abt, Norman and Andrew Noble, of Portland, Willie and Melvin Priebe.

Special at the Grand—"The Oregon Prison"—talk and pictures—Wednesday and Thursday.

MISS GROSSKOPP AND A. B. SCHWERIN WED

The marriage of Miss Anna B. Grosskopp and Mr. Albert B. Schwerin was solemnized Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the Zion Lutheran church, Rev. William Kraxberger, pastor, officiating. The bridesmaid was Miss Helen Engelbrecht, and the best man was Emil A. Schultz. After a short wedding trip the young couple will return to Oregon City to live.

"FOR RENT SIGN" IS ON COUNTY JAIL

For the first time in a year there are no prisoners in the Clackamas County Jail. The last one, Tony Yenowich, indicated for criminal attack, pleaded guilty Monday, and Judge Campbell gave him an indeterminate sentence, and paroled him.

Sheriff Mass, who has charge of the jail, does not think it will be many days before there are more prisoners. It is probable that a recommendation of the grand jury that the jail be improved will be acted upon during the summer, and it would be desirable to have any prisoners at that time.

Grown men learning A B C's in "The Oregon Prison" Wednesday and Thursday at the Grand.



Gov. Woodrow Wilson. Latest photo of Democrat, who is leading in Texas.

COUNTY ROADS ARE INSPECTED BY COURT

County Judge Beattie and Commissioners W. H. Mattoon and N. Blair went to Highland Saturday for the purpose of inspecting a proposed road. They were entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromgreen. The Judge and the Commissioners did justice to the spread. Judge Beattie said that he left home without partaking of any breakfast and traveled twenty miles before dinner. He will go tomorrow morning to Cedar Creek with Bridge Foreman Smith to arrange for the rebuilding of a bridge across Cedar Creek, the present structure being in a dilapidated condition.

BRUCE ZUMWALT IS HONORED BY ELKS

Bruce Zumwalt, who several days ago resigned a responsible position with the Hawley Pulp & Paper Company to become associated with the Powell River Paper Company in British Columbia, was tendered a banquet by the officers and members of the building committee of the Oregon City Lodge of Elks Monday evening. The banquet, although of an informal nature, was one of the most interesting ever given in this city.

Mr. Zumwalt has had an important part in raising the money for the new home of the Elks, and it is with regret that he will leave the city. He and his family will start for Powell River tomorrow. Among those who attended the banquet were Henry O'Malley, Exalted Ruler; Dr. Clyde Mount, Past Exalted Ruler; Theodore Osmand, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; John R. Humphrys, Esteemed Loaf Knight; James Carey, Exalted Lecturing Knight; W. R. Logus, Esquire, Harry Draper, M. D. Latourette and Henry Pusey.

ORCHESTRA BALL IS BIG SUCCESS

The ball given at Busch's hall Saturday night by the Falls City orchestra was a decided success. There were about 150 persons in attendance many of whom came to listen to the music furnished by the orchestra. Many of the latest selections, some of which were never before played at a dancing party in this city were on the program. Several of the members of the band, including Roy Baxter, Charles Schoenheinz and Chester Simonson will leave Sunday morning for Southern Oregon in company with the Arnold's Carnival Company to remain during the carnival season. Mr. Simonson and Mr. Schoenheinz spent last summer with carnival companies. They will resume their work in the orchestra upon their return in the fall at the close of the carnival season.

SCOTTISH SONG BIRD DELIGHTS AUDIENCE

A delightful entertainment was given Monday night at Williams Hall under the auspices of the Robble Burns Society, with Lena Duthie as the principal attraction. Miss Duthie is a lyric soprano, and is famous throughout the United States, England and Scotland. The entertainment was entitled, "An Evening in Scotland and Ireland." Among the songs rendered by her were "Annie Laurie," "There Grows a Bonnie Briar Bush," "Oh, Wally, Wally up the Bank," "The Barrin' o' the Door," "The Skye Boat Song" and many others. Miss Duthie proved that she can wear the green as well as the "Tartan," and in her Irish group she sang her way into the hearts of the audience. The blended sweetness and sadness of "Kathleen Mavourneen" and "The Last Rose of Summer" particularly delighted the audience.

Governor West's "Honor System" of handling convicts, and how it actually works; at the Grand Wednesday and Thursday.

MOLALLA AVENUE WORK IS ORDERED

SIXTEEN FEET OF ROADBED WILL
BE BUILT AND THOROUGH-
FARE WILL BE DRAINED

MAIN STREET GRADE TO BE FIXED

Library Ordinance Locating Building
In Center of City Park Pass-
ed—Council Adjourns
"On Time"

At the special meeting of the council Monday night a resolution was adopted providing for a drainage system of Molalla Avenue and the improvement of the present roadbed. Recognizing Molalla Avenue to be the busiest thoroughfare leading into the rural districts, this street will be re-newed by the council its entire length and made fit for the heavy traffic to Oregon City. To provide a proper drainage system an open drain will be built parallel to the walks ten feet from the property lines and approximately sixteen feet of roadbed will be built with crushed rock using the old roadbed as a foundation.

The question of a sewerage system to cover certain portions of Kansas City received considerable discussion. An area covering between six and seven hundred lots has no sewerage system and it was recognized that this should receive immediate attention. The council as a whole was appointed to investigate existing conditions. The City Engineer was instructed to establish a grade on Main Street between Twelfth and Thirteenth Streets. As the railroad company is preparing to track this street it was deemed advisable to establish the grade as soon as possible.

A petition from property owners requesting a change of grade on J. Q. Adams Street between Thirteenth and Fourteenth Streets was read at the meeting and was laid over till next Friday. The ordinance providing for the site of the Carnegie library was passed. The location designated is the center of the City Park on Seventh Street. One clause of this ordinance provides that the library fund which is now raised by city tax and at the disposal of the Oregon City Library Association be given for the maintenance of this library and in case the library levy fails to provide \$12,500 a year the deficit shall be taken from the general fund of the city.

The ordinance with reference to the re-established grade of Fourth Street to Promenade Street was defeated. An ordinance providing for the establishment of the grade of J. Q. Adams Street between Eighth and Eleventh streets was ordered advertised and will come up for final passage at the special meeting of the council May 17.

The City Engineer reported that private sewers were being laid on certain parts of Monroe Street which would need to be removed in short time to conform to the city sewerage system.

Owners of property on Washington Street between Tenth and Eleventh streets will be ordered to remove the rocks and boulders which project above the walks in the cuts on these properties. These boulders are considered dangerous to pedestrians and in case the property holders refuse to remove them and the cost will be assessed to the property.

The Street committee was instructed to investigate the matter of oiling the streets with a view of having this work done at the earliest possible moment should it be decided to oil the streets this season.

The question of a hard surface pavement on Main Street from Twelfth to the Abernethy was discussed and it is probable that bids will be asked. The street sprinkling question also came up but no definite action was taken.

The bill of the contractors for work done on the Green Point Fire House was ordered paid.

It is possible that in event of the measures coming before the people at the next election, the Public Dock, Public Elevator and Public Play Ground questions will be balloted up on separately. Some of the councilmen feel that the elevator measure would be more easily carried in this manner than if all three measures were to come up under one head.

The resolution regarding adjournment at 10:30 o'clock was carried out for the first time, the meeting adjourning on the minute. Councilmen Beard, Burke, Pope, Toose and Roake were present and Albright, Hall, Holman and Meyer were absent.

At the annual meeting of St. Paul's Parish Monday evening, the following vestrymen were elected: John R. Humphrys, E. A. Chapman, Frank T. Barlow, Dr. L. A. Morris, Carl Joehnk, and C. W. Evans. After the election an informal reception was held in rectory. Rev. C. W. Robinson, rector, being in charge. The attendance was large, several of those present being members of other churches. Rev. Robinson and the women of the various guilds made the invitations general in order that the parishioners and the friends of the church might become better acquainted. The rector declared that he was highly gratified over the prospects for the church the coming year.

4 Couples Get Licenses
Licenses to marry have been issued to Jennie Marman and J. F. Haney; Catharine Tousey and Hugh W. Jones; Bessie Fitzgerald and Henry D. Ets and J. C. Smith and Robert M. Vanderhoof.