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IS OPPOSED TO HOLDING PRIMARIES AND CONVENTION.

Republican Congressional Committee Should Name the Man Who Will Probably Succeed the Late Congressman Thos. H. Tongue.

primaries and a convention to nom- as soon as possible after the call of the inate a successor to the late Congressbe great saving of trouble and money. sional committee is made up of one would comprise a majority. He has received the following letter from Dr. Harris:

as possible to fix the place and date district we are the same as in Portfor the convention. I would like your land. advice as to the place to have the committee meeting, and as to the time, it will be governed by the call of the it to the majority of the committee.

to having the committee meet in Portland or any other place outside of the

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The Housefurhisher

MR. RYAN SAYS NO limits of the first district. He sees no RACEFORCONGRESS more reason why the committee should meet in Portland than for the second district committee to meet in a city sitnated in the first district. He advises TWC CLACKAMAS COUNTY MEN WOULD since that time conditions have the place of meeting to be in Oregon City and gives his reason in the follow-

ing letter, which he forwarded to Dr. Harris Your favor relative to calling the congressional committee together to take action regarding the nomination of a candidate to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of our lamented Congressional Committeeman T. F. friend received and I agree with you Ryan is opposed to the holding of that it is advisable to hold a meeting

governor is made. As there seems to be quite a differman Tongue and favors the committee ence of opinion, even among the few making the nomination. He takes members of the committee whom I this position on the ground that it will have met the last few weeks as to whether it is advisable or necessary to go to the expense and trouble of Judge Ryan says that five other com- holding precinct primaries and county mitteemen are with him and if three and district conventons to make this others are found to hold the same nomiation, I believe the sooner we views there will be no primaries or meet and decide upon our course of convention. The first district congres- procedure, the better it will be for all concerned. As to the place to have the committee meeting, in view of the member from each of the 16 counties rumors of deals made and foolish in the district and with Chairman things disseminated regarding com-Harris not voting eight committeemen pacts and agreements entered into in connection with this nomination with divers persons living outside the district, I feel that our meeting should not now exist, he would not decline be held within the congresisonal dist-

The governor will issue a call for ricts, and no more appropriate or conthe nomination. The colonel thinks the special congressional election to venient place could be selected than that a Democratic victory is possible elect a successor to Mr. Tongue within Oregon City. Street cars between and if George Chamberlain overturned a very few days and it is my desire to here and Portland run every half hour, a Republian majority in the state of meet the committee as soon thereafter and while we will still be within the

Secretary Leavens Resigns.

" I am not a candidate for congress, General Secretary Seth Leavens, of but believe the chances are more governor. The meeting last year was the Young Men's Christian Associa- than favorable for the election of a at Portland and that place would suit tion, has resigned his position and Democrat to congress from this disme this time as well as any that we will take an agency for the Pacific trict to be one of the representatives may agree upon. The only place that Mutual Life Insurance Co., working in congress from Oregon during the would suit me better would be Eugene, in the local fields. He will be suc- next two years to one born upon Oremy own town. I shall, however, leave ceeded by Physical Director William gon soil in the early 50's is more E. Beach, and the duties of general than a laudable ambition. It is more Judge Ryan is very much opposed secretary and physical director will be like a call to duty in the highest and cheap. J.Sugarman, Oregon City. best sense. I shall shrink no duty that combined.

looks to the upbuilding of Oregon, Clackamas County Record. \$1.75. politically or otherwise."

Senator Brownell attributes his defeat in the McMinnville convention to the activity of the federal brigade in Congressman Tongue's behalf, but

TAKE THE NOMINATION.

Miller Would Not Be Averse to Going to ell and he could probably land the Congress, Though the Latter Is Not Active.

changed. The federal brigade is headed by Senators Mitchell and Fulton and Congressman Williamson, all of State Senator Brownell and Colonel Robert A. whom are warm friends of Mr. Brown-

nomination were it not for the candidacy of Binger Hermann. Just what kind of a combination

Two Oregon City men are candidates has been made between Fulton and for congressional nominations, George Hermann is not known but it is cer-C. Brownell, Republican and Robert tain that a combination was made at A. Millier, Democrat. Senator Brown-Salem. Mr. Hermann would have ell has been a candidate for the nomliked to be United States senator but ination before, in the McMinnville he did not stand in Fulton's way and convetion of 1901, which re-nominated all of his support went to the gentle-Congressman Tongue. Colonel Miller man from Astoria. Naturally Mr. Hermade the race of congress in 1890 mann did not do this without an unagainst Binger Hermann, in the last derstanding that Fulton would do election that was held prior to the something for him in the congressiondivision of the state of Oregon into al line. Clackamas County deserves two congressional districts. He was something. It has no state officer. It besten, because of the large Repub- is a solid Republican county and gave lican majority in the state and did not Furnish a larger plurality for governor really expect to be elected. He is not than any other county in the state. It what may be termed an active cand- gave Congressman Tongue an enoridate for the Democratic nomination mous plurality last June. now but if conditions arise, which do

Grange Hall Incorporation.

The Garfield Grange Hall Co. was incorporated Tuesday and articles were filed in the office of the county clerk with F. M. Gill, E. F. Surfus, William W. Davis, T. Yocum and J. over 10,000, why should a Democrat not H. Palmateer as incorporators. The do the same thing in the first congres- duration of the company is unlimited and it is formed for the purpose of building, owning and operating a hall at Garfield. The capital stock is \$600 divided into 600 shares.

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Howard Osborn Talks To a Large Audience Saturday on the A. O. U, W.

Willamette Hall was well filled Saturday night with people to hear Friday evening, at Parkplace school, the address of Howard Osborn, who is was well attended, and netted \$20 for touring the coast in the interest of the the benefit of the school. Judge Caples United Workmen. The lecture was was United States Consul to Valparaiso held under the auspices of Falls City for four years, and kept his eyes and Lodge and was very interesting, being ears open while there. He became illustrated by stereoptician views. Mr. well verged in the customs and tradi-Osborn's talk was interspersed with tions of that South-American country, muise. Past Grand Master Feeney, and being a ready and cheerful speak-Capt. Devinney were also present and er, keeps his hearers' attention from made speeches. Falls City Lodge is start to finish. The lecture was given progressing rapidly and its member- under the auspices of the Mothers' ship is increasing fast, as is the mem- Club, of Gladstone and Parkplace.

bership of its auxiliary, Myrtle Lodge, Degree of Honor.

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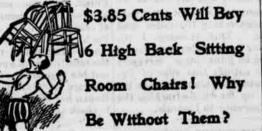
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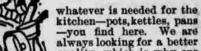
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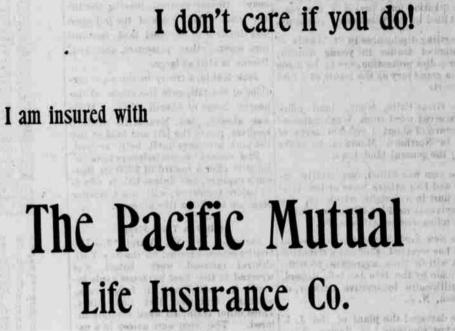


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