

PHOTOGRAPHS READY TO SERVE

Plenty of Candidates Offer Services in Offices That Pay Well.

SOME ASPIRANTS RETICENT

Republicans Realize That Strongest Candidates May Be Men Not Intensely Partisan in Past, Especially to Lead.

REPUBLICAN ASPIRANTS.

Republican candidates and eligibles for nomination for state offices next year. GOVERNOR—Dr. Andrew C. Smith, Portland; Dr. James Withycombe, Corvallis; W. A. Howe, Carlton; Henry E. Ankeny, Eugene; C. A. Johns, Baker City; L. B. Webster, Portland; T. E. Geer, Salem; Robert Eakin, La Grande; H. L. Benson, Klamath Falls; S. A. Lowell, Pendleton; W. P. Lord, The Dalles. SECRETARY OF STATE—Claud Gatch, Salem; F. S. Malcolm, Portland; Lot Pierce, Salem; Frank Wrightman, Salem; F. S. Fields, Mount Tabor. STATE TREASURER—Thomas F. Ryan, Oregon City; E. V. Carter, Ashland; E. W. Haines, Forest Grove; W. T. Wright, Union; R. Alexander, Pendleton; W. H. Hobson, Astoria; J. H. Austin, Huntington; Ralph W. Hoyt, Portland; John M. Lewis, Portland. STATE PRINTER—J. R. Whitney, Albany; Willis S. Dunaway, Portland; C. W. Hodson, Portland; A. A. Bailey, Portland. REPRESENTATIVES IN CONGRESS—First District: E. B. Huston, Hillsboro; W. I. Sawyer, Medford; Walter Toose, Woodburn; G. W. Wright, Albany; I. H. Bingham, Eugene; C. E. Mouring, Salem; W. C. Hawley, Astoria; E. Hefer, Salem; B. F. Mulkey, Ashland; L. J. Simpson, Marshfield; Blinger Hermann, Roseburg. Second District: Malcolm A. Moody, The Dalles; Dan J. Malaker, Portland; John L. Egan, Baker City. Other offices to be filled are those of one Supreme Judge, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Labor Commissioner.

Dodging behind trees in the political woods are patriots who have fox eyes on some office or other, which the people of Oregon will parcel out to the faithful next year. The Republican aspirants are almost as the sands of the seashore for multitude while the Democratic aspirants are as the dwellers at a deserted summer resort for fewness. In fact, only two or three of the untried have yet come over the mountain—such as George E. Chamberlain, who will be recommended for Governor, and Robert C. Smith, of Grand Rapids, who will probably run for Congress in the First district.

The fattest plums to be plucked are the offices of State Treasurer and State Printer. For the treasury job, a lot of candidates have blossomed forth, while the candidates for printer are inclined to keep in the shadows yet awhile. Since the job of Secretary of State has been stripped of its princely fees and perquisites, the scramble for the place is not so fierce as in years ago. Many of the stalwarts are legging a sharp race for Governor, or more correctly, they are limbering up for the preliminary heat, yet only two of them have proclaimed their candidacies. Dr. James Withycombe, Director of the Experiment Station at Corvallis, and C. A. Johns, Mayor of Baker City. Another bright cluster of first magnitude stars are legging the job of Representative in Congress in the First district, the aforesaid plum now being in the possession of Blinger Hermann. In the Second district, however, the catalogue of avowed aspirants for Representative is scant.

Aspirants Reluctant to Talk.

It is rather early for the patriots to be getting busy; that's what most of them say when cross-examined on the subject of their heart throb. For example, T. E. Geer has been asked to give his opinion on the question whether he is going to run for Governor or United States Senator; Dr. Andrew C. Smith doesn't know whether he would like to be Governor or not; Henry Withycombe doesn't know whether he would either; and as for Robert Eakin and H. L. Benson, Judges of the Circuit Court, theirs are shy booms, sprung on their own accord. W. A. Howe, State Senator for Yamhill County, has been in Portland several days looking after his boom and getting his friends to send out feelers over the state.

Dr. Withycombe has been longest in the field, for he proclaimed his candidacy as long ago as last winter. Many young men, in all parts of the state, who have attended the State Agricultural College, are said to be organizing in his behalf a movement that will control several thousand votes. Some talk has been going the rounds for Robert Eakin, Circuit Judge of the judicial district comprising Union and Wasco Counties and for H. L. Benson, Circuit Judge of the district comprising Klamath, Lake, Jackson and Josephine Counties. The argument in their favor is that they would suffer less from factional discord than other candidates.

Intense Partisan Not Desired.

In order to elect a Republican to the Governorship it will be necessary to weld together the party factions, for Chamberlain will be hard to beat; this is conceded by the most sanguine chiefs of the party. Republican leaders agree that the safest nominee for Governor would be a man who has not been an intense partisan in any factional camp. Just now a search is on foot for such a man. It need not be said that the hunt is a long one and difficult.

Interest on Funds Still Perquisite.

For Secretary of State the leading candidates are F. S. Malcolm, of Portland, and Claud Gatch, of Salem. Hitherto, the office has been one of the three most lucrative of the state government, but the successor of the present incumbent is to receive only a flat salary of \$4500 a year, and fees and perquisites which heretofore have found their way into the pocket of the Secretary of State are to go into the state treasury.

Diagram of Pantry in Van Dran Home.

tells of the large delegations which are coming from all directions to "hit the trail." Among the illustrations are pictures of Governor George E. Chamberlain, Major Charles E. McDonnell, and other prominent Elks who will be in attendance. Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nervousness, constipation, pain in the side, guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pills.

COUNCIL CLAIMS FULL AUTHORITY

Ways and Means Committee Is Decided in Views on Power to Act.

EAGLES BY THOUSANDS.

Denver Decks Himself in Their Honor and Gives Them Snow.

WARFARE ON MAYOR OPENS

Reports Back Ordinance for Adoption Amended to Create Office of Plumbing Inspector, With Two Officials.

Open rebellion was proclaimed against Mayor Lane at the session of the ways and means committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon. Councilman Bennett sounded the keynote of warfare when the question came up relative to the adoption of the present charter, an ordinance referred to the committee at the regular meeting of the body two weeks ago, which provides for the appointment of Thomas E. Hulme to be plumbing inspector, with Harry Woodhouse for deputy.

The charter grants the Council privilege to "create the offices and define the duties of plumbing inspector and of boiler inspector." It is claimed that inasmuch as the present incumbent was appointed by Mayor Howe before the new charter went into effect, and has held office ever since, that in reality the position has never been created, at least by the Council. Hulme was appointed under the provisions of a state law, but with the adoption of the present charter, this statute was wiped out, hence the office has practically been up in the air ever since, to all intents and purposes.

Ex-Governor Francis on the Way.

JACOBA, Wash., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—David R. Francis, ex-Governor of Missouri and president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, accompanied by Mrs. Francis and their three sons—Charles H., Talton D. and Sidney R. Francis—left Tacoma tonight at 9 o'clock for Portland, where he will be the guest of the management of the Lewis and Clark Exposition until Thursday.

David R. Francis Delayed.

President David R. Francis, of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, was expected in Portland last night, but his train was delayed and it was announced would not arrive till this morning.

Jack Chesterfield a Maniac.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 14.—(Special.)—Jack Chesterfield, the prisoner in the King County Jail who exploded a charge of dynamite in his cell and attempted to

LIQUOR LICENSES COME UP

REICKER'S PERMIT REVOKED, BUT LOMBARD IS REFUSED. Many Transfers Are Made and the Committee Hears Arguments for and Against Petitions.

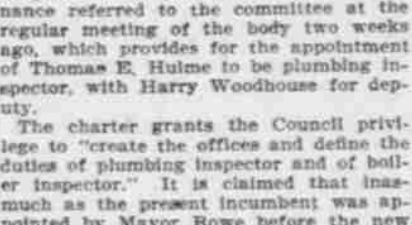
PLANS FOR HIGH SCHOOL READY.

At a meeting of the City Board of Education last night it was announced that the plans and specifications for the new East Side High School would be ready for submission to bidders early next week. Directly after the meeting, extra duties were over until the next meeting, although it is probable that it will prevail, a majority of the directors favoring the idea.

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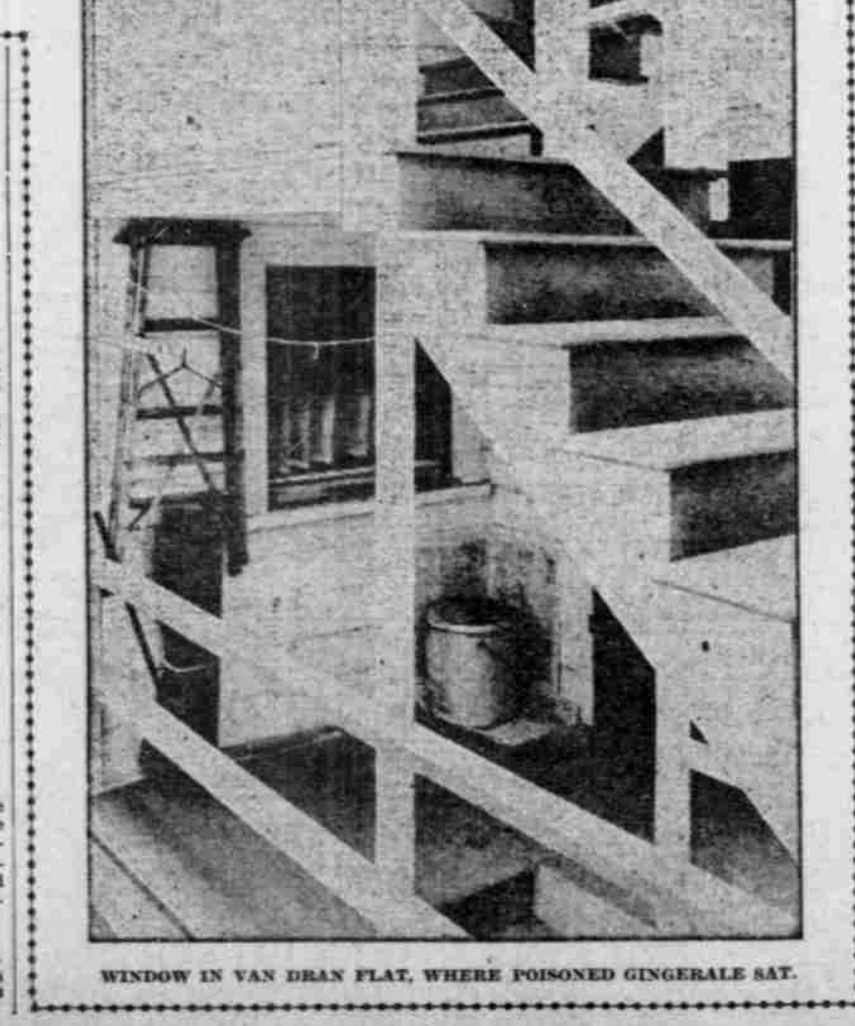
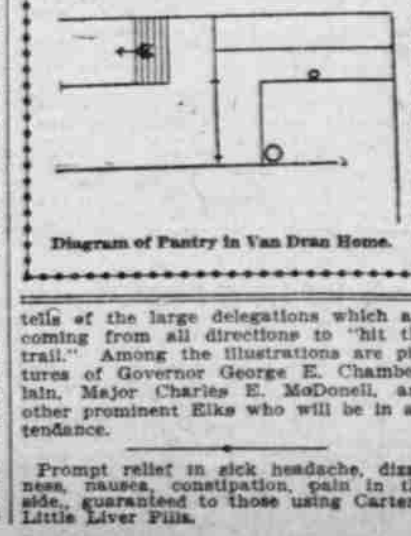
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right his way to liberty, then shot himself, is a ravine maniac. He is now strapped to his bed to prevent him from doing himself further injury. Before being fastened securely to the bed, Chesterfield beat his head against the iron frames and managed to tear off the bandages and reopen the wound.

Oregon Booster's Edition.

The Oregon Booster, in its latest edition offers a very creditable illustrated number, exploiting the Elks Lodge, with special reference to August 14, the day which has been assigned to their organization at the Lewis and Clark Fair. It is printed in purple on white, the lodge colors, gives the programme of the day, and

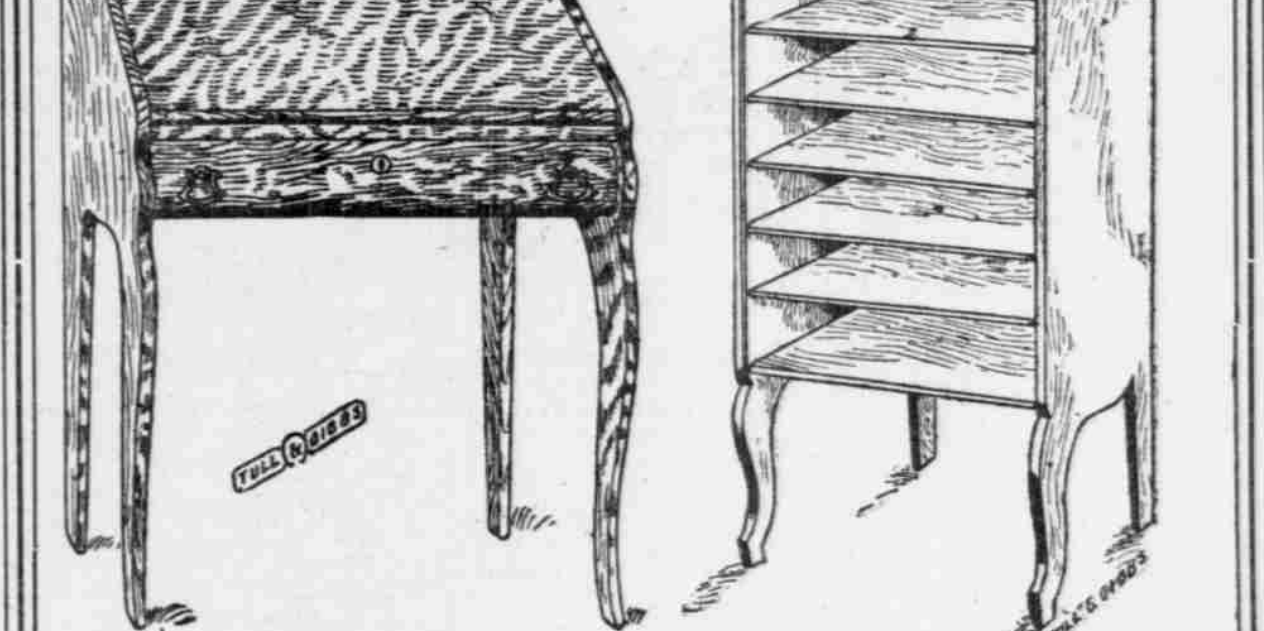
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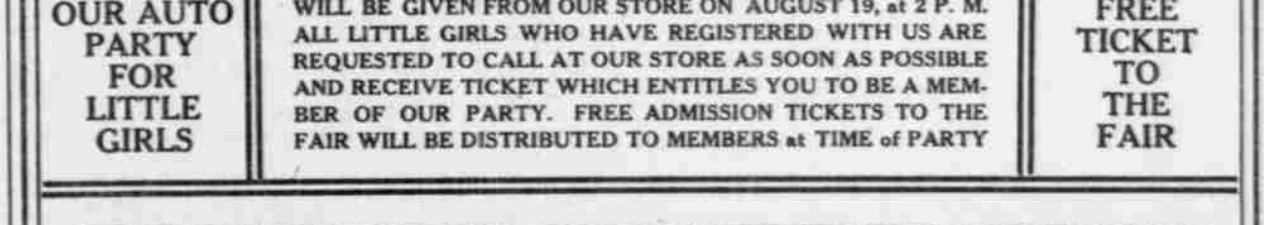
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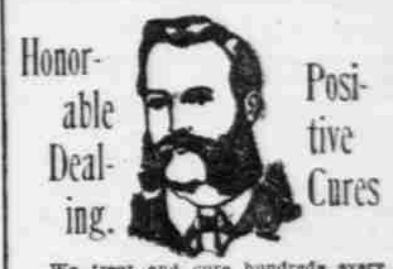
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