

NAME OF TICKETS

Linn Republican Aspirants for Office Are Many.

DEMOCRATS AGREE ON PLAN

In Almost Every Instance but One Candidate Has Been Agreed Upon and Put Forward to Represent the Party.

ALBANY, Or., March 25.—(Special.)—With the final time for filing petitions for nomination to office but two weeks distant, Linn County had a full quota of candidates for every county office...

Republicans have an abundance of candidates for most of the offices, seeming to have more faith in their prospects of success, or not having the system of manipulating the direct primary law so well in hand...

It is possible that this feeling has something to do with the scarcity of candidates in the Democratic ranks, the various men who were willing to make the race having gotten together and agreed upon who should be the candidate...

For the Legislature there will certainly be a hard fight, the primaries of C. E. Rex and George W. Wright, of Albany, have both filed their notices of candidacy...

The complete list of men who have filed for nominations for county offices in Linn thus far follows: Sheriff—R. L. White, Rep.; J. R. Coughlin, Rep.; John F. Barr, Dem.; L. A. Munkers, Dem.; D. E. Smith, Dem. County Clerk—B. M. Payne, Dem.; J. W. Miller, Rep.

County Recorder—Grant Prosser, Rep.; A. A. Bodine, Rep.; Ira A. Phelps, Dem.; James A. Swank, Dem. County Commissioner—R. B. Miller, Dem.; M. H. Powell, Dem.; James Carothers, Rep.; C. H. Russell, Rep. Treasurer—James Elkins, Rep.; A. J. Caldwell, Dem.

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Representative—Sam S. Gilbert, Rep.; R. T. Lyman, Rep.; A. M. Smith, Rep. (takes Statement No. 1); James A. Stephens, Rep.; J. E. Richardson, Rep. (takes Statement No. 2); F. M. M. Smith, Rep. (takes Statement No. 3); John R. Smith, Rep. (takes Statement No. 4); Matt Miller, Dem.; Fielding J. Deane, Dem.

MEETING AT INDEPENDENCE

State and County Candidates Invited by Republican Club.

INDEPENDENCE, March 25.—The Polk County Republican Club of Independence, is arranging for a mass meeting and every candidate before the people has been invited to attend the auditorium. The demand for a mass meeting had its origin in the individual, go-it-alone campaign method that is being pursued by the various candidates...

The G. A. R. Auditorium, said to be the second in size of any hall in the state, is located here and the mass meeting which is to be held on Thursday, April 5, will be in this auditorium. The banquet will be spread, but a brass band has been employed and a programme of addresses by such candidates as care to speak is being prepared.

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ORIGON CITY, Or., March 25.—(Special.)—Nina M. Zivney of this county, in a divorce suit filed recently, charged W. H. Zivney, to whom she was married in November, 1902, with compelling her to perform manual labor in the field, in addition to attending to her household duties. Besides, the wife complains that the husband is insolent and abusive. Plaintiff seeks to resume her maiden name, Nina M. Wanker, a one-third interest in 60 acres of land and \$100 alimony.

SOME OF THE EDITORS OF WHITMAN COUNTY



AS THEY APPEAR TO GARFIELD CARTOONIST. GARFIELD, Wash., March 24.—Last Saturday the editors of Whitman County held their first association at this place and organized permanently. In the evening they were banqueted at the Hotel Carter by the Garfield Commercial Club...

BAKER STEPS OUT

Resigns Chairmanship of Republican Central Committee.

Report That He Is About to Succeed Isaac L. Patterson as Collector of Customs Is Denied by Him.

CORVALLIS, Or., March 25.—(Special.)—Frank C. Baker has resigned as chairman of the Republican State Central Committee of Oregon. His letter of resignation reached E. R. Bryson, secretary of the committee today. The letter is as follows: Office of Chairman Republican State Committee, Portland, Or., March 24.—My Dear Mr. Bryson: I herewith have you my resignation as chairman of the Republican State Central Committee...

BUSINESS IS HIS REASON

WHEELER POLITICS STIRRING County Is Normally Republican, Though Some Democrats Are In.

SPRAY, Or., March 25.—(Special.)—The political pot in Wheeler County has passed the simmering stage and is now in a good hot boil. The saddle-bag candidate is on his cayuse scouring the sagebrush hills, giving the glad hand and incidentally cigars and other things to the shepherd, the rancher and the "buckaroo."

FIRM HAND FOR PARENTS

Judge Frazer Says Children Are Given Too Much Liberty.

At Grace Methodist Episcopal Church last night, Judge A. L. Frazer, of the Juvenile Court, spoke on "The Relation of Child-Training to the State." His observations were largely based upon his experience in dealing with the children brought before him in his court work.

WANT AND NEED.

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MISERY OF STARVING

Japanese Parents Compelled to Part With Children.

TOKIO, March 25.—The misery and suffering in the famine district has been slightly relieved by the prompt and liberal aid of the foreign sources and the abatement of the rigors of winter. The local authorities are trying to provide work for the able-bodied, but the extent of the work is inadequate and tens of thousands are still on the verge of starvation.

ADVANCE AGENT'S NOTES FOUND

Another man was noticed loitering about the corridors of a fashionable apartment-house on the Upper West Side. He tried to gain admission to several on various pleas and finally went away. The master of one apartment on returning home that evening chanced to notice some writing on the wall, just without the door. Looking at it closely, he discovered that the word "yes" had been scrawled on the wall-paper. This aroused his interest and he proceeded to make a careful examination of the walls. Near every door he found that the word "yes" or "had" had been traced in lead pencil. In some instances the writing was so faint it could hardly be deciphered.

INDIANS SHOT WHILE DRUNK

SEARCHLIGHT, Nev., March 25.—As a result of a drunken quarrel this morning Jim Monaghan, a Platte Indian, shot and fatally wounded Captain Mulvan and Joe Hobson, two other Indians. All three Indians own valuable mining property.

STEAMER SENATOR IN PORT

The steamer Senator arrived from San Francisco last evening and berthed at the Alameda dock. She carried the usual number of passengers for this city and much freight for the local market.

QUELLED IN CRIME

Latest Devices of Thieves at Criminal Center.

MAN AND WIFE PARTNERS

Rob Department Store of \$50,000 Before Girl Detects Them—Advance Agents of Burglars. Furniture Stolen.

NEW YORK, March 25.—(Special.)—New and improved methods are not only popular among business men, but are enthusiastically adopted by the crooks of New York, who evolve something novel every few days. The latest scheme cost a big department store nearly \$50,000 before the criminals, a man and his wife, were arrested.

The man, whose name was John Shaw, secured a position in the shipping department of the store at a salary of \$12 a week and attracted favorable comment because of his good habits and strict attention to business. After he had been installed, Mrs. Shaw made her appearance as a customer. She was refined in appearance, well dressed and wore diamonds and expensive furs. Mrs. Shaw visited some departments and looked at costly goods. Invariably, she selected articles and ordered them sent C. O. D. giving names and addresses in the fashionable sections of the city.

When the goods reached the shipping department, Shaw, who was on the lookout, would recognize his wife's purchases from the false name and address she had given. The goods were then mutually agreed upon between them. It was then comparatively easy for him to paste over the address and C. O. D. slip a check with the name of John Henderson and his other address.

Detected by Bright Girl. The woman with whom the couple boarded had been asked to receive the Henderson parcels, which she was told had been ordered by the woman's brother. And so the game progressed with great success for several months.

A bright salesgirl gave the clue that led to the couple's arrest. She remembered Mrs. Shaw as having given another name on a previous visit to the store and informed one of the private detectives. The woman's shadowy, her identity ascertained, and it did not take long to connect the husband with the case. "If we could only have fooled you for two weeks longer," declared Mrs. Shaw, "you never would have caught us. We had everything arranged to pass a pleasant Summer in Europe."

NOVELTY AMONG BURGLARS

Another novelty was introduced in Brooklyn. It requires at least two persons for its successful operation, one of whom obtains admittance to the basement door, and when the attention of the servant is distracted, lets his confederate in through the front door.

The plan was worked at the residence of Henry Barwood, an aristocratic Clinton-avenue section. The bell downstairs and the one in the basement rang simultaneously, and the girl went to the base-ment to open the door. A well-dressed young man, breathless with excitement, "Excuse me," he said, "but do you happen to know that one of your rear windows on the second floor is ablaze? Let me go up with you and assist in putting it out."

The girl let him in and proceeded him upstairs. As they passed the front door she managed to open the door, and his confederate slipped in. While the servant and the young man were hunting for the fire that did not exist, the other man made a rapid raid and escaped with a quantity of plunder.

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The case was reported to the police, who quickly decided that a gang of burglars had planned a raid on the house, and had sent a confederate ahead. A close watch was kept on the place, but the burglars apparently found out what was going on, for they never appeared.

KEY GAME AT HOTELS

Many hotel robberies take place in New York but are seldom reported to the police, the managers in most cases preferring to settle with the victims rather than to receive undesirable notoriety. One favorite method is the "key game." A crook waits in the office until some man arrives who outwardly appears to be worth robbing. In whose baggage is a prosperous look Mr. Vlettm is assigned to say room 545, and this fact can easily be ascertained by an inspection of the register.

When the guest leaves his room, he turns his key over to the key clerk, who is seldom able to remember all the guests. Then the first crook or a confederate walks up and demands the key of his room, No. 545, and if the clerk has any doubts the mention of

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Read these strong letters from grateful women who have been cured: Dear Mrs. Pinkham—(First Letter.) "In looking over your book I see that your medicine cures Tumors. I have been to a doctor and he tells me I have a tumor. I will be more than grateful if you can help me, as I do so dread an operation."—Fannie D. Fox, Bradford, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham—(Second Letter.) "I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine. Eighteen months ago my periods stopped. Shortly after I felt my body I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician, and was told that I had a tumor and would have to undergo an operation. I soon after read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After taking five bottles as directed, the tumor is entirely gone. I have again been examined. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a woman's remedy for women's ills.

Such unquestionable testimony proves the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and should give confidence and hope to every sick woman. Mrs. Pinkham invites all suffering women to write to her at Lynn, Mass., for advice.

taln does not care now; he has been retired on a pension. MARTINS MAKE KILLING Father and Two Sons Wipe Out a Party of Four.

PURSELL, Okla., March 25.—(Special.)—Ex-Navy Marshal Jim Martin, of Paul's Valley, and his two sons were brought to the Federal jail here this afternoon for a wholesale killing which occurred near Mayville this morning. As Martin and one other person, who is badly wounded, are the only witnesses to the tragedy, but few details can be learned.

Four men—Mullen, Ben, Henderson and Meeks—are said to have been driving across the country when they met Martin and his sons. One story is that the men had broken some of Martin's fences down, while another report is that an old feud existed between them. It is known, however, that a battle took place, in which Meeks, Mullen and Ben were killed and Henderson badly wounded. None of the Martins were injured.

Houseful of Furniture Stolen. Families which go to the country leaving their houses empty generally notify the police of the precinct chosen, so that their residences can be more carefully guarded. A family on the Upper West Side, however, was not notified, but ten days later the police were notified over the telephone by a man claiming to be the head of the household that he had returned and intended to put his belongings in storage. And thieves moved all the furniture out while the policeman on the beat never worried a bit. He had been told that the family had returned, and the bulk of the property was recovered by the police, and the police captain's friends made up a purse of \$2000 to keep the man from becoming public. They were also aided by the fact that the victim expected to be nominated for Alderman (this occurred nearly a year ago) and was told that "if you make any trouble for Tammany, you can't expect any favors from the organization."

So he subsided, was nominated and went to a critical disaster in the recent tidal wave. Lately he has been telling his troubles to friends, but the cap-

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