

BAKER ASSEMBLY NAMES ITS TICKET

Resolutions Pledge Support of Republicans to Nominees Indorsed.

AYRE NAMED FOR SENATOR

Henry McKinney Has No Opposition for Second Term as Representative—Full Delegation to Attend State Meeting.

BAKER CITY, Or., July 15.—(Special).—A rousing county assembly of Republicans was held in this city today and great enthusiasm prevailed among the delegates. Leading Republicans are lined up in support of the assembly candidates.

P. J. Bauman, of Sumpter, was elected permanent chairman, and L. L. Foster, of Baker City, secretary. The convention adopted resolutions indorsing the Taft Administration and pledging support to the Republican candidates.

Er. Carl G. Patterson, of Baker City, was nominated for Coroner without opposition; Ira L. Huffman received unanimous indorsement for Surveyor; D. L. Mooney, ex-postmaster of Baker City, was nominated for County Treasurer over Robert Palmer, of this city, by one vote; C. M. Foster was nominated for County Clerk; Peter Basche declining to enter the race; R. L. Lahrgeil, of Baker, received 59 votes for Sheriff to 46 for Al Case, also of Baker; W. F. Cropp, County Commissioner, had no opposition for re-nomination; Peter Basche was the only man in the race for Judge; Henry McKinney was nominated for Governor without opposition without opposition, and Colonel W. G. Ayre, of Baker City, was the unanimous choice for State Senator.

The following delegates were elected to the state assembly in Portland, and nearly every man will be present: A. V. Baur, J. N. Davis, W. E. Cropp, Richard H. K. Fisher, H. W. Wilson, E. McCullough, W. J. Welch, Haines, P. J. Bauman, F. S. Baille, Frank Gardiner, Sumpter; Charles B. Oral, Halfway, A. C. Dezel, Huntington, Henry McKinney, Erwin; F. A. Bennett, Miles; Cecil Sturgill, Wingville.

No action was taken in regard to indorsing candidates for state offices.

CLACKAMAS ASSEMBLY TO MEET

County Ticket May Be Named After State Convention.

OREGON CITY, Or., July 15.—(Special).—Two hundred delegates are expected in Oregon City tomorrow from every part of Clackamas County to attend the Republican county assembly, which will be called to order at 10 o'clock in the afternoon by the County Central Committee, in Woodmen of the World hall. The sentiment for assembly is so well developed among a majority of the delegates that there is no doubt that the 55 delegates to which Clackamas County is entitled the state assembly, will be chosen, and it is probable that the Clackamas assembly will recommend a candidate for joint Senator with Multnomah.

Clyde G. Bentley has been mentioned for this office, and W. E. Cropp, an Oregon City attorney, has been working hard for several weeks to secure the recommendation. This county has never had a joint Senator with Multnomah since the district was created by the Legislature. E. W. Bartlett, an attorney of Astoria, may try to secure the assembly indorsement for joint Representative.

What is agitating the minds of the politicians and delegates is the prospect for the election of a county ticket, and it has been suggested during the last day or two that the county assembly select delegates to the state meeting and then adjourn until after the state assembly is held, when a county ticket will be recommended. Whether this idea will be carried out or not is not known, but it is known that there are a large number of delegates coming in from Clackamas who are strongly in favor of recommending a county ticket, and some of them are bearing definite instructions from their respective precincts.

No little interest is being taken in tomorrow's assembly, for every precinct except two or three have elected delegates, and it will probably all be here in person, ready to support any movement that will assist the Republican organization and provide concerted and harmonious action.

OPPOSITION SLATE REVEALED

Assembly Enemies Plan to Indorse "Direct Primary" Candidates.

SALEM, Or., July 15.—(Special).—Calling of meetings for the first time known as the "Direct Primary" Republican in many parts of Marion County and a grand meeting to be held in Salem in the near future has created considerable comment here. Assembly supporters are to detect a difference in the legal status of these meetings and the meetings of the assembly, which the primary election has frequently denounced as unlawful.

It is the understanding that in the few precinct gatherings which have been held by the "direct primary" men a lively agitation has developed to cut down the number of unindorsed names on the ballot to one for every office. The argument is set forth that every "direct primary" man who enters the race against the assembly candidate will strengthen the position of the assembly man because of a division of the voters. In consequence, it is understood, that the "direct primary" meetings will be held for the purpose of whipping those voters into line and centering their attention on a slate which is being framed to enter the field of nominations.

Colonel E. H. Hays, one of the most active opponents to the assembly and a candidate for Governor, has been among the foremost in agitating these meetings of the men who have supposed themselves opposed to any discussion of candidates or platforms, and has issued a call through the columns of his paper for the Salem meeting, which will be held July 22.

WOODEN STABLES BAD

Needless Danger to Horses by Use of Such Buildings.

PORTLAND, July 15.—(To the Editor).—About two years ago, a communi-

cation written by me calling attention to the urgent need for the proper protection of horses against firetraps was published in The Oregonian. I then made reference to the old Exposition building, the burning of which in that building of 150 horses in the fire that destroyed it fulfilled a prediction made over and over again, and now the time is surely at hand when something definite should be done for the protection of horses that necessarily must be placed in city stables.

TROOPS TAKE UP MARCH

REGULARS TO WALK 200 MILES TO AMERICAN LAKE

Military Problems of Actual Warfare Will Be Studied at Big Army Instruction Camp.

VANCOUVER BARRACKS, Wash., July 15.—(Special).—All the troops that are to march to the instruction camp at American Lake, and the First Infantry band, with their service uniforms and camp equipage, started on their 200-mile march at 7 o'clock this morning. They will reach their destination July 21 and will spend August in the instruction camp, drilling and studying such military problems as might arise in actual war.

The several companies to take part in the military tournament at Tacoma will not leave here until July 20 or 21, and will be there at least a day before July 24, when the tournament begins. It will continue for a week and ends July 31. Following the tournament the troops will march to the instruction camp.

Captain L. W. Jordan, First Infantry, who has been stationed here since the return of the troops from the Philippine Islands, has been detailed to the military academy at West Point. He is ordered to report there for duty August 22. He expects to be a teacher in the law department of the academy.

MORE LAND TO BE OPENED

Yakima and Colville Reservations Will Be Sold to Settlers.

SPokane, July 15.—Two remaining Indian reservations in this state, the Yakima and Colville, are expected to be opened to settlement next year, according to Judge James W. Witten, superintendent of land drawings for the Interior Department. Judge Witten is en route to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, where the drawings for lots in Plummer and other townships on the Coeur d'Alene Reserve will be held next Monday.

"All the lands that can be irrigated on the Yakima Reserve will be awarded to the Indians, leaving only grazing lands," said Judge Witten. "The land is opened next year no drawing will be needed. The Colville Reserve is expected to be opened in 1911 by a drawing after the manner of the Coeur d'Alene Reserve."

MAN BLOWN UP LOSES EYE

Sight of Other Will Be Saved to Injured Octogenarian.

VANCOUVER, Wash., July 15.—(Special).—An eye was removed yesterday from J. C. Loomis, the 84-year-old man who was injured by dynamite July 6. The sight of the other eye will be restored. Loomis was blasting stumps from his small farm a few miles from Vancouver and lighted a fuse to which was attached a stick of dynamite. It did not burn, so he went to light it again, when it exploded in his face.

Near-Beer Men Heavily Fined

OREGON CITY, Or., July 15.—The City of Estacada has come down hard on the dispensers of near-beer, and Recorder Womer yesterday imposed a fine of \$50 each on J. M. Foster and J. H. Altizer. The case of Foster, who represents the Mount Hood Brewing Company at Estacada, was made a test, and Altizer agreed to abide by the result.

Grange Hall Contract Let

VALE, Or., July 15.—(Special).—The contract has been let for a hall for Utopian Grange, about five miles south of Vale, in the Malheur Valley. The site, consisting of five acres, was donated to the grangers by the Road Land Company. The hall is to cost about \$4000.

PIONEERS HOLD REUNION AT ALBANY

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MORMONS GETTING BUSY

OVER 100 MISSIONARIES NOW OPERATING IN SCANDINAVIA.

400 Converts Baptized at Temple in Christiania—Sweden Less Hospitable to Preachers.

CHRISTIANIA, July 15.—(Special).—Mormon missionaries are at present working very hard in Scandinavia, especially in Norway, where there seems to be particular fertile soil for such movements.

The growth of a new Norwegian sect—related to this Mormon movement—has, in fact, of late caused much uneasiness in isolated Norwegian districts.

The Mormons, however, do not confine their energetic and successful efforts to out-of-the-way places. Without meeting any serious hindrance from the authorities or the clergy they have established their headquarters in the capitol and have built their temple in Osterhus street.

In Norway and Denmark there are at present 132 Mormon missionaries at work, most of whom are from the United States. Norway is divided by the Mormons into three districts, each with its central city. Christiania is the headquarters for the eastern part of the country, Bergen for the western and Dronheim for the northern section.

In Sweden, where they are working under less favorable conditions, there is only one center, but Denmark, like Norway, is divided into three districts.

In each of the three Norwegian centers there are conferences every Spring and Fall, at which the progress of the propaganda is blazoned forth. The Mormon congregation in Christiania comprises about 700 adults; there is a choir of some 50 singers and a Sunday school, divided into seven classes, with 200 scholars. Last year 400 converts were baptized in this central temple, and many more have been baptized this year.

The missionaries are propagating Mormonism with astounding fervor and energy, by meetings, distribution of tracts and the publication of a special journal, "The Star of Scandinavia," issued in Copenhagen. The missionaries each week send in a report to headquarters dealing with the work of each day; the schedule being divided into 24 sections—visits to unconverted families, distribution of

tracts, collecting subscriptions for "The Star of Scandinavia," and so forth. They are dealt with by the president of the Mormon church in Norway, Soren Jensen.

ALBANY GIVES FRANCHISE

Interurban Completes Two Surveys for Lines to Sweet Home.

ALBANY, Or., July 15.—(Special).—The Council has granted the Albany & Interurban Railway Company a franchise on several streets and the company now has adequate terminal facilities. A block for terminal grounds has been bought at Water and Hill streets, fronting on the Willamette River.

The survey of two routes for an electric line from Albany to Sweet Home was completed last night. One route is via Lebanon and the South Santiam Valley and the other is via Brownsville and the Calapooia Valley. The officers of the company say they expect to utilize both routes but have not determined which road will be constructed first.

MEDFORD SEEKS LIBRARY

Proposed Charter Amendment Would Authorize Tax for Maintenance.

MEDFORD, Or., July 15.—(Special).—At a special meeting of the City Council held this afternoon a resolution was adopted for the admission to the people at a special election called for August 2 on the question of amending the city charter, so as to authorize the levy of a special tax for the purpose of maintaining a Carnegie library.

This action is taken to comply with the requirement insisted on by Andrew Carnegie that the city raise a sum equal to 10 per cent of the cost of the library building for its support and maintenance. At the last general city election such an amendment was adopted, but errors in publication made it void.

The ladies of the Greater Medford Club are behind the movement to secure a library for Medford.

Mrs. Julia Coghlan Dies.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 15.—Mrs. Julia Barber Coghlan, widow of the late Rear-Admiral Joseph B. Coghlan, died last night at the home of a friend in this city. Mrs. Coghlan had been ill only two days.

MORTGAGES TO BE TAXED

STATE COMMISSION DIRECTS ASSESSORS AS TO COURSE.

Intangible Personalty to Be Put on Rolls—Equalization Between Counties Depends on Result.

SALEM, Or., July 15.—(Special).—The State Tax Commission will insist upon a complete assessment of intangible personalty provided under the statute and County Assessors are being directed to pay careful attention to mortgage notes. In a statement which is being sent out today to the various County Assessors of the state by Commissioner Charles V. Galloway and J. B. Eaton, the following directions are given as to this class of assessments:

"In reviewing the work of the several County Assessors it has become apparent that certain classes of property have not been duly considered by all of them. It appears that in some counties mortgage notes are practically not listed, or, if listed, only in instances where the taxpayer fairly insists that his mortgage notes should be assessed.

Some Assessors and County Boards holding that it is not good public policy to tax such notes. As a matter of course, the taxpayer quickly understands the attitude of the officers of his county and readily and willingly takes advantage of it, and, as a rule, carefully avoids the inclusion of his mortgage notes in the list of his property to three districts.

On the other hand, many Assessors are making a strong effort to get all classes of property subject to assessment and taxation upon the rolls and are checking up the record of mortgages in the several counties with that end in view. This course has been indorsed by the Board of State Tax Commissioners and we desire it to be distinctly understood that such diligence on the part of an Assessor is commended and approved.

"Section 1, chapter 268, laws 1907, provides that: 'All real property within the state, and all personal property situated or owned within this state, except such as may be specifically exempted by law, shall be subject to assessment and taxation in equal and ratable proportion.' Sections 4 and 5 of said chapter 268, which deal with property exempt from taxation; all other property should be assessed. Section 3 of the same law specifies as taxable property: 'All debts due or to become due from solvent debtors, whether on account, contract, note, mortgage or otherwise, either within or without this state.' Notes secured by mortgage, likewise unsecured notes, under the law are subject to taxation.

"The equalizing between the counties for the purpose of apportioning state tax and of assigning the valuations of public service companies which this board has recently determined that we take into consideration the extent to which the different Assessors shall have succeeded in listing intangible personalty on their rolls. Before making this equalization we shall undertake by investigation to prepare an estimate in this regard."

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CONVICT MAKES ESCAPE

Peter Hoops Walks Away From Penitentiary Hayfield.

SALEM, Or., July 15.—(Special).—Peter Hoops, sent to the Penitentiary from Malheur County for larceny, to serve a two years' sentence, escaped today after being sent to the hayfields to work. He took his pitchfork with him and quietly walked away. He is the third man to escape from the hayfields in this manner so far this year.

Last year, over 25 prisoners escaped from the School for the Feeble Minded, where they were working as trustees, and but five of them have been captured. Hoops had served seven months of his sentence.

SHIPPERS MAKE PROTEST

Albany Business Men Say Railroad Gives Poor Freight Service.

SALEM, Or., July 15.—(Special).—Business men and shippers of Albany object to the length of time required in securing freight from Portland, and in a petition signed by 24 prominent shippers of that city, received today by the State Railroad Commission, it is set forth that freight leaving Portland at 11 o'clock in the evening and arriving at Albany at 5 o'clock the next morning is not delivered from the depot until the afternoon, and often later.

The petition says that the company gets out freight for Lebanon and Brownsville and Corvallis & Eastern points ahead of the Albany freight. It is said the company does not keep a competent or sufficient force to handle the business at the Albany freight station and the business men ask that the Commission take some action so they may have freight delivered by 9 o'clock in the morning at the latest.

Pulp Company Sued

OREGON CITY, Or., July 15.—(Special).—John Kopcin this afternoon filed a suit against the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper Company for \$1899 damages said to have been sustained while working in the company's mill at Oregon City last May.

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