

DEMOCRATS CALLED TO ELECT CHAIRMAN

WILSON ATTACKS FOUND

Record of "Usurper" Looked Into by Chamberlain Faction and Speeches Made Boomerangs.

Call has been issued for a special meeting of the democratic state committee for May 1, to elect a new state chairman.

Resignation Held Void. According to the line democrats, who may be considered as straight-out Chamberlain supporters, Mr. Starkweather is still state chairman.

Non-partisan League Aided. He left the democratic party and joined the new national party, which has apparently dropped from the race of the earth, leaving no trace.

When President Wilson made his appeal to the nation to elect democrats to congress, Mr. Starkweather opposed the democratic nominee from this congressional district.

Political Notes. O. C. Leiter, campaign manager for the Hoover republican club of Oregon, received the following telegram from John W. Hallowell.

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RIVER ABOUT STATIONARY. Rise in Columbia Expected When Warm Weather Begins.

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nomination, will be appointed. Mr. Hawley has no opposition.

ROSEBURG, Or., April 23.—(Special.)—Politics in Douglas county are taking on unusual interest this year.

RESIDENT OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY SINCE 1874, WHO DIED AT HOME NEAR GRESHAM.

Joseph Heiney, resident of Multnomah county since 1874, died at the family home near Gresham April 19 following a number of years of failing health.

He is survived by his widow, to whom he was married more than 42 years, and eight children, as follows: Franklin, Richard, Albert and Arthur Heiney, all of near Gresham; Rosa of East Highland; Mrs. Ella McCoy of Brooklyn; Mrs. Minnie Robinson and Mrs. Alice Robinson of Lewiston, Idaho.

judging from the number of office seekers. Attorney Hopkins is after the republican nomination for joint representative for Douglas and Jackson counties.

There is a field of six seeking nomination for county commissioner—Captain William Kretzer of Yoncalla; W. Grube, Elton; Arthur Walker; Redport; A. F. Stearns, Oakland; republicans; J. F. O'Mara, Southernline; and R. W. Long, Yoncalla democrats.

BOARDMAN HAS HOOVER CLUB. BOARDMAN, Or., April 23.—(Special.)—Politics began to simmer in Boardman with the organization of a Hoover club last night.

BARN STOLEN OFF RANCH. Chicken House Also Is Taken by Bold Thieves at Hermiston.

CHICKEN HOUSE ROBBED. Seven Hens and Rooster Stolen on East 74th Street North.

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VETERAN FIREMAN DIES

CAPTAIN MAY STRICKEN SUD- DENLY WITH PARALYSIS.

Volunteer With Engine Company 5 in 1881 Lived Half-Century in Oregon.

Captain Fred B. May, of fire engine No. 8, Williams avenue and Russell street, and a resident of Oregon for the past 50 years, died Thursday night as the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered while he was on duty at the engine house.

SUGAR GOES UP AGAIN. REFINERY ANNOUNCES RISE TO \$21.50 HUNDRED.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—A price of 20 1/2 cents a pound was set today for a new sugar allotment by the California-Hawaiian Sugar Refining company to supersede a price of 15.30 cents declared April 7.

CORPS PLAN MEMORIAL. Posts in Portland to Open Conferences Today.

RENT REGULATION FOUGHT. REALTY BOARD OPPOSED TO "ANTI-PROFITEERING" ACT.

RAW MILK WILL ADVANCE. Dairymen Make Price 16 Cents a Quart and 10 Cents a Pint.

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BATTERY A IS REFORMING. DETAILS BEING ARRANGED BY CAPTAIN J. S. GAY JR. Ex-Members of Battery B Also Sought as Recruits—French 75s Are Ordered.

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