

DEMOCRATS PREDICT WILSON-BRYAN FIGHT

Telegram Said to Presage Convention Contest. EXECUTIVE IS SUSPECTED That Third Term May Be Sought Is Believed Likely—Nebraska Has Large Following.

That there will be a fight for control of the democratic national convention at San Francisco between President Wilson and William Jennings Bryan is the belief of a number of leading democrats in Oregon. They argue that this fight is presaged by Mr. Wilson's telegram to County Chairman Hamaker declaring that the Versailles version of the league of nations should be adopted.

Among Oregon democrats there is a large and loyal following of Mr. Bryan. The following is believed to be considerably larger than the democrats who prefer Mr. Wilson's ideas.

Until about two years ago, Mr. Wilson's administration was never questioned by local democrats, but of late there are democrats who are bold enough to think that the president has made some mistakes.

Since the celebrated dinner at Washington a few months ago, when Mr. Bryan declared that the league of nations should be ratified, even by compromise, by the senate, and at the very time when Mr. Wilson wrote a letter holding out for his own version of the covenant, there has been predicted a struggle between these two leaders for supremacy at San Francisco.

According to Mr. Bryan's advice, Senator Chamberlain voted in a manner satisfactory when he supported the Lodge reservation, but according to Mr. Wilson's telegram to Mr. Hamaker, Senator Chamberlain voted entirely wrong.

Because of Mr. Bryan's attitude and because of his many followers in Oregon, Mr. Wilson's telegram to Mr. Hamaker may not prove as effective against Senator Chamberlain as Mr. Hamaker and his associate enemies of Chamberlain hope for.

And another thing, among the candidates for delegates to the national convention there is a preponderance of democrats who are old-time Bryan supporters, and if it comes to a showdown between Mr. Wilson and Mr. Bryan, they are likely to throw their weight to the Nebraska.

The politicians of both parties are awaiting to the fact that the Hamaker message forecasts Mr. Wilson's determination to make the league of nations the party leader. Mr. Bryan has the top hand at San Francisco there will be other paramount issues than the league.

JOHNSON DROPS DIRECTOR Albert Abraham Gets Cold Shoulder After Race Announcement.

Albert Abraham of Roseburg has been given the cold shoulder by the Johnson management in Oregon, and in California, too, since he announced himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for United States senator on an anti-league of nations platform.

Up to the time Mr. Abraham filed his name with the Douglas county director of the Johnson campaign, and he had been asked to introduce Senator Johnson when the latter was expected to campaign personally in Oregon.

Now it is all over between the Johnson management and Mr. Abraham, and although Mr. Abraham doesn't like the league of nations any more than does Senator Johnson, the management of the latter declines, firmly but positively, to have Mr. Abraham hooked up with the senator.

Four years ago, Mr. Abraham forced the name of C. E. Hughes on the republican primary ballot in Oregon which was the opening wedge in bringing about the nomination of Mr. Hughes at Chicago.

"SLACKERS" ARE DENOUNCED Members of Both Parties Scooped by Leon B. Baketel.

"Every slacker member of the congress of the United States should be ousted from his seat, no matter whether he be republican or democrat," declared Leon B. Baketel in an address delivered last night at a political rally in Southern Oregon.

Taft returns to Portland on May 30, being here until the 11:30 P. M. train for the north.

PRINTERS ACCEPT SCALE

Boise Union Agrees to Wage Fixed by Judge as Arbitrator.

BOISE, Idaho, May 11.—(Special.)—The Boise Typographical union has voted to accept the scale of wages fixed by Charles P. McCarthy, judge of the 2d judicial district court, arbitrator, agreed upon by representatives of the publishers and the union to settle the wage dispute that has been pending between them here for three months.

The union demanded \$8 for 7 1/2 hours day work and \$8.50 for the same number of hours, night work. The publishers offered to pay them \$6 for day work and \$6.50 for night work.

Judge McCarthy struck an average from the wages paid in 12 western cities—Anacosta, Billings, Butte, Spokane, Walla Walla, Everett, Olympia, Seattle, Portland, Great Falls, Missoula and Ogden and allowed a scale of \$7 per day for 7 1/2 hours day work and \$7.50 per day for night work.

The scale is retroactive and publishers will pay the difference to printers their wages since the expiration of the contract they had with the publishers.

FIR TRIED FOR VENEERING

New Factory Promised at Eugene if Experiment Successful.

EUGENE, Or., May 11.—(Special.)—The Alsea River Lumber company of this city today shipped a cargo of fir logs to a veneer factory in New York city.

The factory will conduct a series of experiments with Douglas fir for veneering purposes. Should it be found satisfactory they write that they will probably establish a factory in Eugene. Owners of the plant where the experiments will be tried are stockholders in the Alsea River Lumber company.

Two boilers for the big mill being erected by the Alsea company at Glenbrook have arrived and a 75-ton boiler for use in carrying messages to forest fire work in the Cascade national forest this summer. The pigeons have been kept in Eugene during the past winter and spring and W. E. Naylor, assistant supervisor of the forest, who has charge of them, says they are in fine fettle.

The pigeons are of varying ages. As they have not been trained to return to the Eugene station, it is believed they will easily be caught to return to their respective stations in the forest.

PIGEONS TO AID RANGERS

Messages to Be Carried in Forest Fire Patrol Work.

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ATMOSPHERE GETS SMOKY

Scores of Brush Fires Started by Farmers in Hills.

EUGENE, Or., May 11.—(Special.)—Scores of small fires in the hills and mountains on nearly all sides of Eugene during the past week have caused the atmosphere in this part of the valley to become somewhat smoky, but investigation reveals that they are merely piles of brush being burned by farmers.

There are no forest fires standing timber, say forest officials and fire wardens of the privately-owned timber tracts.

While the underbrush in the mountains is becoming dry, it is believed to be not dry enough to allow fire to spread.

Old Country Is Visited.

CENTRALIA, Wash., May 11.—(Special.)—Edward Enderlin, a resident of Tenino for 30 years, is on his way to visit his birthplace in Alsace-Lorraine. It is his second trip to the old country since coming to the United States.

Shoulders All Baking Cares

When CALUMET comes in, all baking troubles take quick leave. You go right ahead and mix up baking materials, for biscuits, cakes—anything without fear of uncertainty. Calumet makes you forget failure.

CALUMET BAKING POWDER is the most popular because it does give most perfect results. It has the biggest demand because it is the most dependable. The fact that it is the best seller proves that it is the best.

Double Stamps Given Today With Cash Purchases in All Departments of the Store

—Try Our Special Shoppers' Luncheon Served in the Basement, 11 to 2 Daily—Soda Fountain in the Basement Underprice Store



Best Butter \$1.22 Fourth Floor—No deliveries except with other grocery purchases. Glenwood Creamery \$1.22 Butter, 2 lbs.

The Standard Store of the Northwest Olds, Wortman & King Reliable Merchandise—Reliable Methods

Pongee Silk \$1.19 Yd. Basement—Imported Pongee Silk in good weight for dresses, waists, men's shirts, etc. 33 1/2 inches wide, yd. \$1.19

Great 4-Day Stock-Reducing Sale! —Basement Underprice Store—

—WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY the Basement Store will hold an extraordinary Stock Reducing Sale offering thousands of dollars' worth of dependable merchandise at the lowest prices of the year.

Boudoir Caps 25c

Basement—Women's Boudoir Caps specially priced for the 4 Days' Sale. Large number of dainty styles to select from. Trimmed with laces and ribbons. Shop early and get 25c first choice. While they last 25c

Handbags \$1

Basement—Assorted lot of Women's Handbags and Purses greatly underpriced for the 4 Days' Sale. Several different styles. Some with inside fittings. Worth far more \$1.00 than the sale price; now

Toilet Paper Special 10 Rolls \$1

Basement—Extra quality Toilet Paper—1000 sheets to the roll. Not more than 20 rolls sold to a customer, and no telephone, mail or C. O. D. orders accepted. \$1.00 Priced special, 10 rolls for

Sale of Undermuslins —\$1.19 and \$1.49

—ENVELOPE CHEMISE and SKIRTS in many pretty styles. The Skirts have lace and embroidery, trimmed flounces. Chemise are also trimmed with laces and embroidery. V or round neck styles. \$1.19 All sizes. Priced special

—Women's Brassieres at 55c —Women's Corsets Only 89c

Basement—Pink Mesh Brassieres in the popular bandeau style with front or back fastenings, elastic insets. All sizes from 32 to 44 in the 55c sale. Priced very special at 55c —Women's Crepe Bloomers at 89c

Basement Housewares

"Majestic" Sweepers At \$3.48

Basement—Standard size Carpet Sweepers, oak or mahogany finish. Equipped with anti-tipping device, full size brush, braided furniture protector, nickel-plated ends, cap and bail. Priced special \$3.48 in the Basement Store

Butter Boxes 45c

—Glass Butter Boxes—as illustrated. Keeps the butter cool and sweet during the warm weather. Made with glass top. Large shipment just received in the Basement Store. —1-lb. size 45c—2-lb. size at 65c

New Jardinieres \$1.00 to \$3.00

—Flowers, plants or ferns in Jardinieres add an artistic note to the home. The Basement Store offers some very exceptional values in Jardinieres this week, ranging in price \$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$3 each.

House Brooms 59c and 75c

Basement—Oregon made Brooms with slight defects which in no way detract from serviceability and appearance. It will pay you to buy two or three of these good brooms on sale at 59c and 75c. Headquarters for Lawn Mowers, Garden Tools, Garden Hose, etc. —Double Stamps cash purchases.



Sale of Dresses and Coats

—Our entire Basement stock of Women's Coats and Dresses included in the Great 4 Days' Sale. Here is a splendid opportunity to choose from hundreds of desirable garments at notable savings. This season's best styles and materials are shown.

- \$17.95 Wool Jersey Dresses, priced special \$12.95
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—\$23.75 Silk Dresses, priced special \$12.95
—\$22.50 Wool Jersey Dresses, priced special \$16.95
—\$22.50 Wool Serge Dresses, priced special \$16.95
—\$35.00 Silk Dresses, priced special \$24.75
—\$52.50 Tricolette Dresses, priced special \$38.75
—Women's \$22.50 Spring Coats, priced at \$10.00
—Women's \$25.00 Spring Coats, priced at \$15.95
—Women's \$35.00 Spring Coats, priced at \$25.00

House Dresses \$1.98

—Basement Special Sale —Women's House Dresses of excellent quality percale in neat patterns. Pockets, sleeves and belts of contrasting materials. These are splendid styles and are well made in every particular. Some have embroidered fronts. Sizes up to 38 in the lot—\$1.98



Women's Shoes \$1 the Pair

Basement—Clean-up Sale of about 200 pairs of Women's Shoes. Black patent with white kid or canvas tops—Kid Shoes with gray cloth tops—Patent Kid and Gummetal Pumps. Samples—slightly soiled and imperfect. While \$1.00 any remain at the pair

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Basement—Odd lines Women's, Misses' and Children's Shoes at a sacrifice price. Black or Tan Laced and Buttoned Shoes, also a few pairs of Oxfords. Broken \$1.98 sizes. Special, the pair

Women's Crepe Waists At \$2.98

Basement—No woman need be without a dainty Georgette Waist when it is to be had for so little money. Several pretty styles in this lot. Flesh color and white. Specially priced for this great sale—at only \$2.98

—LOT 2—Waists of Georgette Crepe and Crepe de Chine. Special \$3.98

Voile Waists At \$1.48

Basement—Odd line of Voile Waists at a sacrifice price to close them out quickly. Many dainty styles but only a few of each. Basement sale \$1.48

Double Trading Stamps With Cash Purchases

Coverall Aprons Special \$1.29

Basement—Women's Coverall Aprons of good heavy quality percale. Front and side fastening styles with V or square necks. Attractive pattern. Priced very special at \$1.29

Kitchen Aprons at 45c

Basement—Women's Kitchen Aprons with or without bib. Made up in good quality checked or striped percale in various colors. Extra good values. Basement Store special 45c

Basement Sale of Home Needs —Great Savings!

—TURKISH TOWELS in medium size for general use. Full bleached. Limit 2 dozen to a customer. 3 Towels for 50c

—BATH TOWELS in good large size. These are full bleached and are wonderful values. Basement Store special sale, at 39c

—EANCY ART TICKING in blue, pink, green and yellow mixtures. 32 inches wide. On special sale in the Basement; yard 49c

—HUCK TOWELS—plain hemmed—good large size. Basement Store special 25c

—TWILLED TOWELING, with blue border. No phone orders. Special, yard 15c

Wash Goods —Fancy Batistes for dresses; special at 39c —Fancy Figured Lawns, special, a yard 20c —32-Inch Romper Cloth, special, a yard 39c

Odd Neckwear 19c

Basement—All broken lines and odds and ends of Women's Neckwear grouped into one lot and priced for quick clearance. Large assortment of different styles—mostly collars. Various materials. Very desirable for wash frocks; now

Beads at 39c

Basement—You will pay 50c for such beads elsewhere. Shown in every wanted color and in various shapes. Small lot of 200 39c strands in Basement Sale, at 39c

Sale of Silk Remnants

—Several hundred good useful lengths in Silk Remnants offered at low prices. Pieces suitable for dresses, waists, skirts, petticoats, etc.—lengths from 3 to 10 yards.

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Boys' Corduroy Suits at \$5.00

—Boys' Corduroy Suits of good quality material. Loose belt and straight pants. Sizes 3 to 8 years. Basement special \$5.00

—Boys' Khaki Suits—coat, pants, hat and leggings. Fine for vacation wear. Sizes 6 to 12 years. Basement Store special \$2.75

Basement Sale of \$2.59 and \$3.00 Shirts \$1.49

—SIZE 14 1/2 ONLY, but splendid \$2.50 and \$3.00 qualities. Made up in high-grade materials, cut full and nicely finished. Good assortment of striped patterns. \$1.49 Stiff cuff style. Priced special at

Other Specials for Men

—MEN'S Shirts and Drawers. \$1.00 White or ecru. All sizes. Special

—MEN'S SUSPENDERS—good grade elastic webbing; at the pair 49c

—MEN'S BANDANA Handkerchiefs in blue or red. 20-inch size; 2 for 25c

—MEN'S COTTON HOSE, black \$1.00 only. 12 pairs to customer; 6 for 49c

—MEN'S Leather Gloves with leatherette cuffs. Specially priced, pair 49c

—MEN'S Gauze Union Suits, special \$1.39

Basement Sale of Knit Underwear and Hosiery

—WOMEN'S HOSE of mercerized cotton in black and white. Double heel, sole and toe. Special, 3 pairs for \$1.00; pair 35c

—WOMEN'S BLACK Cotton Hose with reinforced heel and toe. Special, a pair 19c

—CHILDREN'S HOSE in good weight for summer wear. Black only. Double heel, sole and toe. Special—the pair 39c

—WOMEN'S Cotton Union Suits with tight or loose knee and plain or bodice top, in white and flesh color. Priced special at

—SLEEVELESS VESTS with plain yokes or dainty crochet edge. Ribbed white cotton. Priced special, 4 Vests for \$1.00

Basement Millinery —200 Trimmed Hats at \$5

—This group is composed of hats priced heretofore at \$5.98, \$6.98 and \$7.48. By all odds the best value in the Basement Millinery has offered this season. Large assortment of beautiful models to select from. Jaunty turbans—sailors—large hats—Joan D'Arc and many other styles. No matter how many hats you have, you cannot afford to overlook this opportunity. Black, white, navy, brown, sand, red, blue, rose. \$5.98 to \$7.48 Hats at \$5.00

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Notion Day Basement Circle Main Floor

—1/4-inch Lisle Elastic; the yard 5c —Shoe Laces; black tubular; pair 4c —Pearl Buttons, ass't. sizes; card 7c —Snap Fasteners—3-0-4-0 in black and 0 and 00 in white—the card 2c —Spool Silk for hand or machine use in wanted colors—50-yard spools 10c

—The "Only" Grand Skirt Gauge 19c —Melba All-Silk Biding Taffeta, in black only. On special sale today 10c —Boned Belting, white and black—2, 2 1/2 and 3-inch widths; the yard 17c

—Whisk Brooms, assorted styles 39c —Tooth Brushes, good grade 18-25c —Itsoeri Trouser Hangers, only 17c —Hair Pin Cabinets, assorted sizes 7c

