

REGISTERED VOTE OF COUNTY 33,265

Tabulated Statement by Precincts Issued From Office of County Clerk.

MAJORITY ON EAST SIDE

West Side City Precincts Give 3693 Fewer Votes Than Those Across the River - Country Produces 10 Per Cent of the Whole.

In a tabulated statement of the registered voters of Multnomah County, issued yesterday by Deputy County Clerk Schneider, the distribution of voters among the ten wards and 114 precincts is shown. The report shows that in the entire county there are 33,265 registered voters. Of this number 12,811 are residents of the West Side and 16,184 of the East Side.

Of the total number 25,871 are Republicans, with only 5574 who confess to being Democrats. The miscellaneous, including Socialists, Anarchists, Prohibitionists and those who decline to divulge their political faith, reaches a total of 1834.

The statement of voters and their politics as announced at the registration office is shown in detail in the table which follows:

Table with columns for Precinct, Republican, Democrat, Miscellaneous, and Total. It lists data for 114 precincts across ten wards (First to Tenth) and provides totals for West Side, East Side, and Country.

hold a social entertainment at the Kenilworth Church, East Thirty-fourth street and Gladstone avenue, tomorrow night. An elaborate programme will be rendered. Mayor Lane and Whitney L. Boise will deliver addresses, and there will be songs, recitations and music. The public is cordially invited, and admission will be free.

FIRST PUSH CLUB BANQUET

Informal Dinner and Programme of Toasts May 26.

Next Tuesday night, May 26, at 8 P. M., the United East Side push clubs will hold their first banquet at the Sargent Hotel, corner Grand and Hawthorne avenues. At a meeting of the general committee on arrangements yesterday afternoon it was decided to make the banquet an informal affair, a reunion of the delegates of the civic organizations first in the clubrooms on the top floor and then dinner at the banquet tables below at 8 P. M. The attendance promises to be over 100. The following will be the programme at the banquet:

Remarks, toastmaster and chairman, Whitney L. Boise, president Federated Clubs; "Portland's Future," Mayor Lane; "Improvement of Streets by Disposal of River," East Side Business Men's Club; "The Rise of Montavilla," Dr. William Deveny, Montavilla Board of Trade; "Fire Protection - What Portland Needs," Chief Campbell, Portland Fire Department; "Annexation of Mount St. Helens," New Green C. Love, Mount Scott Annexation Club; "Keep Your Eye on Sellwood," A. N. Wills, Sellwood Board of Trade; "Second Bull Run Pipe Line," Dr. C. H. Rafferty, water committee; "Country Club and Livestock Show," Lewis M. Mead, Rose City Park Improvement League; "That Rock-Crusher Problem," J. H. Norris, North Albina Improvement Association; "Need of Better Streets," L. E. Rice, Waverly-Richmond Improvement Association; "The Peninsula," L. C. Fones, Williamette Improvement Association; and S. C. Beach, Arbor Lodge Improvement Club; remarks, Dr. Hamilton Meade, South Mount Labor Improvement Association; University of Oregon Appropriation; C. N. McArthur, remarks, Tom Richardson, Portland Commercial Club; music by the Rose City Quartet; light artillery firing; "Auld Lang Syne."

BIG BOND ISSUE FLOATED

North Bank Road Formally Files Large Mortgage.

One of the largest mortgages ever recorded at the Multnomah County Courthouse was filed with the County Clerk's office yesterday afternoon by the Spokane, Portland & Seattle Railway Company. It was to secure a bond issue, the amount of which was indicated as being not to exceed \$1,000,000. The mortgage is in favor of the Central Trust Company of New York, and applies to all rolling-stock, equipment, lines and property of the company, including the branch from Lyle to Goldendale and the uncompleted line between Spokane, Kennewick and Vancouver.

Court Dismisses Sawmill Suit.

Suit of W. E. Gilbert against H. G. Colton to have a sawmill contract reformed, was denied by Circuit Judge O'Day yesterday. Both parties to the suit hinted fraud. Gilbert said he entered into a contract with Colton to operate a sawmill at Middleton, Or., on a percentage basis. By the terms of the contract, he said he was to pay employees of the mill the first month's salary and that Colton was to take up that burden thereafter. By crossing out a section of the contract, Gilbert avers that Colton threw the paying of workmen entirely on his shoulders. Colton replied that the section of the contract in question was crossed out with Gilbert's full knowledge and that Gilbert was trying to saddle claims of workmen for wages on him. The court ordered that the plaintiff's complaint be dismissed, thus ending the suit.

MONTAVILLA ROSE BUSH FULL OF BLOOM



At the residence of Dr. E. Warren, at Montavilla, is a climbing Gloire de Dijon rose bush which has been in bloom since April 11. The accompanying picture was taken on May 21 and shows the bush covered with well developed blossoms.

CHARGE BARRETT AS THE AUTHOR

Spiritualists Talking of Having Him Ousted From Their Ranks.

DRAFTS COTTEL ORDINANCE

"Regular" Organization Says He Is in Habit of Attempting to Injure It by Such Measures and Says It Now Has Proof.

Accused of having been the author of the now notorious ordinance introduced at last week's meeting of the City Council by Councilman Cotel and known as "An ordinance regulating fortune-telling, palmistry and cognate practices in the City of Portland," Harrison D. Barrett, a spiritualist lecturer and the alleged self-assumed pastor of the First Spiritualist Society of this city, is in immediate danger of being ousted from the ranks of the society in this state.

Prohibit Barrett From Preaching.

From the present attitude of those in charge at the state headquarters of the association in the Alhaly building, there is but little doubt but that a meeting of the board will be called in the immediate future to frame a resolution asking the National Association to prohibit Barrett from appearing as a spiritualist or from preaching the spiritualist belief. It is alleged by Mrs. Selp that Barrett in practically every city he has visited as a spiritualist lecturer has attempted to disrupt the organization by introducing, without knowledge of others, so she says, ordinances similar to the one which Dr. Cotel a week ago Wednesday afternoon offered to his colleagues in the City Council for passage.

Says Dr. Cotel Exposes Him.

Although suspected, according to the state president, of employing "underhand" methods against the interests of the association, it remained for Dr. Cotel fully to expose him by proclaiming him to be the man from whom the ordinance came. Following Barrett's visits to various cities, East and West, according to Mrs. Selp, ordinances exceedingly similar in local technicalities and phrasing to the Portland ordinance have been presented to the city legislative bodies for adoption. While the state president admits she is not assured that Barrett drafted the ordinance, the fact that such an ordinance was presented by him is enough to cause his expulsion from the National organization if the proper steps are taken. Whether or not proper steps will be taken is as yet undecided.

Giving as Barrett's motive for wishing to wipe out mediums, clairvoyants, fortune-tellers, second-sight artists, etc., Mrs. Selp says the lecturer is actuated by purely personal and selfish motives. "Professor Barrett's meetings are light attended," says the state president; "because he does not demonstrate, he only preaches."

Although no charges have been drafted

A LETTER OF IMPORTANCE TO COMMUNITIES AND ADVERTISERS

Advertisement for Medford Commercial Club, Medford, Oregon. Features a \$500 reward for proof of a city in America with a forty-mile radius as many diversified industries as Medford, Oregon. Also mentions a \$2250 an acre yield from a pear orchard near Medford in 1907.

MEDFORD, THE METROPOLIS OF THE ROGUE RIVER VALLEY

Situated midway between Sacramento and Portland. Center of the world's richest region, "Cream of Creation." "The Italy of America," states Joaquin Miller.

The gateway to Crater Lake, the world's greatest natural wonder. A sportsman's paradise - best hunting and fishing on earth.

Premier pear and apple section of America. Fruit excels in flavor and stands shipment. Over 22,000,000,000 feet of merchantable timber is tributary to Medford.

Rare metals and minerals abound in adjacent hills. Limitless quantities of the best building granite on the coast are here quarried and an immense coal mine is being developed within sight of the city.

Over \$20,000,000 in gold has been taken from Jackson County placer mines. One of the largest copper ore bodies yet discovered, the Blue Ledge, underlies the Siskiyou mountains, 30 miles away.

Two railroads, one to the sugar pine timber belt near Crater Lake, one to the coal mine, are under construction. Average rainfall, 96 inches; average mean temperature, 55 to 60. No snow, no ice, no blizzards, no violent thunderstorms. A climate that has never been equaled.

Mr. John H. Hartog, Mgr., Eugene Commercial Club, Eugene, Ore. Dear Sir:-

In answer to your inquiry of the 1st inst. will say that I shall be very glad to give you at any time, information regarding the results we get from advertising.

Our advertising campaign really began with the May (1907) issue of Sunset as we contracted at that time for a half page add to run one year. We have practically had the benefit of but eleven months of our year as the April number is just out. In this eleven months we received over 5200 inquiries and with few exceptions all from the Sunset.

It is really surprising how far reaching the Sunset is. We have received, I believe, inquiries from every state in the Union which have mentioned Sunset. It seems every one who has any idea of coming West is taking the magazine and I do not believe that you can do better than to spend a good part of your money with them, both as to advertising and getting out booklets. They seem to reach just the class of people our localities are trying to get at. This year we had them get out another booklet, a copy of which I am mailing you, and have contracted for a full page add. We expect to receive twice the number of inquiries, at least, from the same source this season owing to the extra effort the Sunset people are making to enlarge their Eastern subscription and the extra effort they are making in many other ways.

I enclose a leaflet which we are sending out by the thousand.

As we expect to take up other lines of advertising soon, I will be very grateful if you will give me the benefit of your experience along other lines.

Very Truly Yours, Art Miller, Sec'y Medford Commercial Club.

SUNSET MAGAZINE

Is carrying on the most vigorous and successful campaign for subscriptions ever instituted by a Western periodical. This extraordinary campaign justifies us in predicting a circulation of 150,000 copies by next Winter. The present circulation of Sunset is larger than that of any other Western magazine. For rates and special information for hotels, communities, etc., address SUNSET MAGAZINE, WELLS-FARGO BUILDING, PORTLAND, OREGON

against Barrett, there is no little talk going on as to what will be done. Mrs. Selp said yesterday: "Barrett has been supported by spiritualist believers and mediums for 14 years. His very bread and butter has come from the mouths of the people he has been injuring. Yet he is so little that he will do everything he can to injure us and stop our means of livelihood."

Not Pastor of Portland Society.

If Barrett is pastor of the First Spiritualist Society of this city, the Oregon State Board of Spiritualists is yet to be officially informed of it. He is merely a lecturer on spiritualism, advocating its doctrines before his audience while trying to crush the association when their backs are turned. If Barrett had an ordinance which he wanted presented it was his business to take the matter up with the Oregon State Spiritualists' Association, as he has no authority to present any such measure on behalf of the society by himself.

"We want quacks suppressed. They should be. They have no right to deceive the public and give honest persons and societies a black eye. Yet there are police regulations, special provisions,

HIGH JINKS BY THE ELKS

"Merry Widower" Social to Be Held Thursday Night.

Did you ever hear of a "Merry Widower" social? Not a "Merry Widow," but a masculine affair; in other words, a "stag." The Portland Elks are going to hold a "jinks" of this sort as the closing social session of the present year. Nobody, save the committee, knows what a "Merry Widower Stag" is, and there is some doubt as to whether the committee itself knows, but it has pledged the

entire herd something entirely new for next Thursday night. Whether the "talent" will appear in the new-fangled "Merry Widow" regalia or whether it is some "stag" fixed up for the occasion, is not known, but three solid hours of entertainment, light and airy, with plenty of variety and change is the "dope" given out.

Some hint that a fireboat may be needed to help out the programme was dropped by one member of the committee last night, and in the interests of law and order a majority of the members of the lodge will be sworn in as deputy sheriffs early in the evening.

Joe Day, who hasn't appeared as an attraction at any of the recent sessions, will appear as "Little Egypt" and will do a fire dance. Jay Upton is down for a baritone solo and a number of other performers of high order will be on the bill.

In addition to the literary, musical and other parts of the programme, the guests will be allowed to "eat, drink and be merry widowers" just for the night. The "stag" is open to all members of the Elks' order, either local or members from other lodges.

Assignee for Fraternal Society.

Upon the petition of a number of the supreme officers of the Union Provident League, a fraternal beneficiary society with headquarters in this city, an assignee was appointed by the Circuit Court yesterday. The society began operations in October, 1906, and has confined its business largely in the issuance of small industrial certificates, covering limited death, sick and accident benefits. The recent industrial depression

has caused a steady decline in membership and loss of revenue, and an unusually heavy run of claims for weekly benefits induced the supreme officers to take this action. There are no outstanding unpaid claims for death benefits, and the liabilities of the society and its assets are said to be about equal. E. W. Pierce, the ex-secretary of the society, was appointed as the assignee.

Mezger's Six Glasses for \$1.00

Advertisement for Rheumatism treatment. Free booklet on diet and treatment of rheumatism and other uric acid troubles. Best book of its kind ever published. Read it, and you will understand your case fully, and how to relieve and cure yourself quickly. Uricol Chemical Co., Dept. 7, Los Angeles, Cal.

Kenilworth Club Will Entertain. The Kenilworth Improvement Club will