

JUDGES RE AS GOOD AS ELECTED

Nomination Under Washington Law Makes Voting Later Formality.

METHOD IS NON-PARTISAN

Candidates Chosen at Direct Primary Can Be Defeated Only by Use of "Stickers"—Democrats Well Recognized.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Now that the Supreme Court has upheld the constitutionality of the direct primary law in providing for a "non-partisan" judiciary, the election of 24 Superior Judges and three Supreme Court Judges in this state can be said to be practically accomplished.

Under the provisions of the law, the ballot will be put in the hands of the electors and three candidates for Supreme Judge, who will be entitled to have their names printed on the general election ballots, or a number equaling the places to be filled.

Of the 24 Superior Judges elected, 25 will be Republicans and nine Democrats. Of the three Supreme Judges, two will be Republicans and one a Democrat. It will thus be seen that the Democrats will have members of their party occupying more than one-fourth of the judicial positions in a state in which every county has a Republican majority.

It might be inferred from this that the non-partisan judiciary plan has given Democratic members of the bar an advantage in seeking judicial positions that they did not enjoy before. As a matter of fact, the majority of the candidates for the judicial positions has been slighted.

Of the nine elected to the Superior bench, five are either re-elected or will succeed Democrats, and a sixth resumes the bench after having given way for four years to a Republican.

The elective members of the Supreme bench have been Republicans for a good many years. The last Democratic member was Judge W. H. White, of Seattle, who was appointed to the bench by Governor John R. Rogers for a short term in 1901, after the Legislature had authorized an increase in the number of judges.

This year, Judge S. J. Chadwick, of Whitman County, a Democrat, is one of three elected, and he received the highest vote cast for any candidate for the Supreme bench in the primary election.

The vote for Supreme bench under the non-partisan system this year was in marked contrast to the vote of four years ago, when Democrats in effect appealed for a non-partisan Supreme Court. At that time, although there were two positions to fill, the Democrats nominated but one candidate, while the Republicans nominated two.

Given Huge Majority. Under the non-partisan system of voting, Judge Chadwick received 11,000 more votes than the highest Republican candidate.

Democrats have been elected to the Superior bench this year as follows: H. W. Canfield, Wineman County; C. H. Neal, Lincoln County; S. S. Steiner, Douglas County; E. R. Preble, Yakima County; G. R. Holcomb, joint district, composed of Adams, Franklin and Benton Counties; E. E. Hardin, Whatcom County; W. W. Blinn, Snohomish County; J. B. Mitchell, joint district, composed of Thurston and Mason Counties; C. M. Easterday, Pierce County.

PLANS FOR BOOM MEETING

Roseburg to Entertain Development Congress October 23-24.

ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Preparations to entertain the visitors expected to attend the meeting of the Oregon-Dakota Development Congress and Good Roads meeting, to be held in this city, October 23 and 24, have been made by the Roseburg Commercial Club. Arrangements have been made on a large scale to make this meeting the banner one of any development meeting ever held in Southern Oregon.

All the Road Supervisors in the county are expected to attend the good roads meeting. A musical and literary program for the entertainment of the visitors will be arranged for one of the evenings. Some of the speakers and the subjects they will talk on are as follows: Call to order, by President, Stephen A. Lowell, of Pendleton; J. W. Bennett, Marshall, "How Can We Persuade Harrison to Come Through to Good Roads?" F. C. Eber, North Bend, "The Shortest Line for a Trail Between Roseburg and Coos Bay"; Judge L. R. Webster, Portland, "A State Highway From Roseburg to Astoria"; Andrew C. Smith, Portland, "The Automobile as a Developer of Good Roads"; John H. Scott, Salem, "The State Good Roads Program for Oregon"; J. H. Collins, "Improvement of Coos Bay as a Military and Coaling Station in Time of War"; Eugene E. Holcomb, "The Battle for Opening the Willamette River."

The Southern Pacific Company has announced a rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip from any point in Oregon to Roseburg and return on those dates.

written man offering their services to the speakers during the coming campaign. So many have written and so many have been the offers that I, perhaps, an overwhelming victory for the party in November. There was party harmony in the Republican party it is at the present time.

FEW NORMAL GRADUATES

Majority of Oregon Teachers, However, Have Had Long Training.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Although it was ascertained at the recent meeting of the Normal School Board of Regents that only 16 per cent of the teachers of the state are normal school graduates, it does not follow that the other 84 per cent are without the special training or experience necessary to qualify them for efficient work.

A considerable number of the teachers employed in the public schools have spent one or two years in a normal school, but have not graduated. They procured certificates by taking the usual county teachers' examination.

To secure a state diploma requires 60 months' teaching experience; to secure a state certificate, 30 months; to secure a first-grade county certificate, 12 months; and to secure a second-grade county certificate requires 3 months' experience. The forthcoming biennial report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction shows that 4343 teachers were employed in the public schools last year and that 22 per cent of them had normal school training.

Of those who held first, second and third-grade certificates had some normal training. The following statement shows the number of teachers employed holding the various grades of certificates:

Table with 2 columns: Certificate type and Number of teachers. Includes categories like 'Holding state certificate or diploma', 'Holding first-grade county certificate', etc.

RESUME FIGHT ON PINCHOT

Woolgrowers Hold Convention at Heppner Next Month.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—J. N. Burgess, president of the State Woolgrowers' Association, has issued a call for the annual convention, which is to be held at Heppner, November 11 and 12. It is believed here that at this meeting the fight on Chief Forester Pinchot will be resumed by a large number of the woolgrowers of this state who are opposed to the forestry policy inaugurated and being carried out by the "Czar of the West," as they call Pinchot.

In the call which has been sent out to the members of the association it is set forth that the meeting is to be a very important one this year and that a large and representative attendance is desired for that reason. Among the subjects to be discussed will be the range question, scrub eradication, forest reserve administration, wool warehouses, wool sales, tariff revision, sheep killing outrages, cheap salt supply, predatory wild animals, speed limit and a general improvement of sheep conditions.

GIVE SEATTLE FAIR AID

Portland Hotelmen Subscribe to Exposition Bonds.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Contrasted with the many interests in Seattle which will benefit from the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, and which have not subscribed a penny, are the subscriptions and offers of aid from Alaskans, concerns outside the state and boys and girls. Added to the list who have subscribed from outside the state is the subscription of O'Shea Bros., owners of the Snoqualmie Hotel, at Portland, who today took bonds for \$100. They also subscribed heavily for the stock of the fair.

Carl Chilberg, son of President Chilberg of the fair, this morning followed the lead of his brother Hugh, who yesterday subscribed \$300. Carl bought a \$100 bond. When he left he told Will H. Parry, chairman of the finance committee, that he had \$50 more in the bank and was going out to rustle another \$50 to buy another bond.

PLANS BIG RIFLE MATCH

North Yakima May Offer Cup for International Meet.

NORTH YAKIMA, Wash., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—A Yakima cup as a trophy for an international shoot between the teams of the Duke of Connaught's Own of Canada and the Second Washington is being considered by the Commercial Club. North Yakima has produced some of the best riflemen in the Northwest. Capt. J. M. Curry, of Company number one at the recent shoot at American Lake, carrying away the world's championship by making 241 out of a possible 250.

Shows Growth of Hermiston.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Nothing shows the remarkable growth of the town of Hermiston more than the statement of County School Superintendent Welles, that the town will be in imperative need of a new school building before one can be completed. When it is considered that last year one teacher did service for the entire town and surrounding country and that a new schoolhouse with five rooms and built of concrete blocks, was just completed last month, a picture of the rapid growth of the little irrigation town is obtained.

County Enjoins Millmen. BROWNVILLE, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Linn County has begun an injunction suit against the Calapooia Lumber Company, which operates a large saw-mill about five miles east of Brownsville, to restrain the company from operating its dam in the Calapooia River. The county alleges that because of the dam, which was built in 1903, the water during freshets overflows the county road doing much damage. The county asks for a perpetual injunction. The saw-mill is the largest in this part of the state.

HITS BRAIN HARD

Judge McGinn Shows Fallacy of Nebraskan's Claims.

OPENS ALBANY CAMPAIGN

Portland Lawyer in Forceful Speech Proves Taft, Not Bryan, Roosevelt's Logical Successor in White House.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—In a forceful and eloquent address, which was warmly received, Judge Henry E. McGinn, of Portland, opened the Republican campaign in Albany tonight. He spoke to a large crowd in the opera house and was introduced by Percy R. Kelly, president of the local Taft Republican Club. Bryan's claim that he is the heir of Roosevelt was emphatically attacked and repudiated by Judge McGinn, who showed that Taft is the logical man to carry out the great work inaugurated by the present Administration.

The speaker showed that many of Roosevelt's policies were advocated by Taft in public addresses, before they were brought into prominence by the President's forceful advocacy, and came to bear his name.

The claim that Taft is unfriendly to labor was shattered by the speaker, who asserted that Taft's decisions as a labor lawyer were from the beginning. Judge McGinn quoted Taft as sharing Roosevelt's belief that next to the farmer the wage-earner is the man upon whom the welfare of the nation depends, and asserted that he would protect labor as the Nation's chief executive. If Bryan were elected the force of such a mistake would be demonstrated by the wage-earner, the speaker said.

Judge McGinn traced back Taft's record, showing his great capacity for administrative problems and appealed to voters to support him as one of the ablest men ever nominated for the Presidency of the United States.

M'CAMANT TALKS AT MEDFORD

Opens Republican Campaign in Southern Oregon Town.

MEDFORD, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The first public meeting of the present Presidential campaign was delivered tonight by Wallace McCamant, of Portland, and despite the fact that there were various other meetings in town, there was a large and very appreciative audience. Among the prominent Republicans seated on the stage with Mr. McCamant were J. Cameron, George Merriman, Fred Colvig and W. L. Vawter, the latter having introduced the speaker of the evening, saying by way of introduction that Mr. McCamant had rendered valuable aid to the Republican party in his orations ever since the campaign of 1896.

ORGANIZE CLUB AT LEBANON

Republicans Working Unitedly for Taft and Sherman.

LEBANON, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The Republicans of Lebanon met last night and organized a strong campaign club, with about 50 members. A strong feature of the club is the large number of business men who joined the organization. Men who have heretofore taken little interest in politics are enthusiastic members of the new club. The club is wholly non-factional, harmonious and working unitedly for the election of Taft and Sherman. Good speeches were made at the meeting by Dr. W. W. Kimball, Dr. J. C. Booth, Lawrence W. M. Brown, J. W. Arnhart and others.

The following officers were elected: President, N. M. Newport; secretary, A. I. Crandall; treasurer, J. W. Arnhart. Arrangements were made for a big meeting on next Wednesday night for the coming of R. H. Butler for his Lebanon speech. The indications are that Mr. Taft will carry Linn County against Bryan, and Lebanon, the home of Mill Miller, will give the Republican ticket a good majority.

Raise Money for Library.

NEWBERG, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The common-sense and the free public library in Newberg gave a musical in Duncan's hall last night. Mrs. Walter Reed, of Portland, sang several numbers, delighting the audience. Instrumental music was furnished by Mrs. Eva Hummer Hull, violinist, and Mr. Alexander Hull, cellist, teachers of music in the Pacific College, with Mrs. Myrtle Wilson, of Newberg, as accompanist. Much interest is being taken in the free library and the committee is raising money for the purchase of more books.

Hillboro Mill Reopened.

HILLBORO, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The Hillboro Lumber Company started its big mill yesterday, cutting an order for the Pacific Railway & Navigation Company, for the Tillamook line, on which Contractor McCabe is now putting through a 14-mile contract. The logs are hauled on the railway from a point 22 miles in the mountains. The Pacific Railway & Navigation Company will next week place a new engine on the Buxton end of the line, for use in tracklaying and hauling material to the front.

Plan Rally at Brownsville.

BROWNVILLE, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—A big Republican rally will be held here next Tuesday night, when R. H. Butler, of Condon, and Henry M. McKinnor, of Baker City, will address the people on the political issues of the present campaign. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the local Republican Club, which now numbers about 50, and a large crowd is expected.

Butler Speaks at Drain.

DRAIN, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—R. H. Butler, Republican candidate for Presidential elector, addressed a large and appreciative audience here last night. Mr. Butler completely exploded the arguments of Bryan and urged all young men to join the party of progress. His remarks were well received.

Fall in Line for Taft.

JACKSONVILLE, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The Taft-Sherman Republican Club held a meeting at the Courthouse last night with an attendance of 400. The noticeable

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Numerous Points Still Misunderstood by Many as Regards Piano Values and Piano-Buying Will Be Presented in a Striking and Novel Manner—Any Home Now Without Piano or Organ or Pianola Piano Will Be Intensely Interested and Should Order an Extra Copy of Next Tuesday Morning's Oregonian.

Very few men and women buy more than one piano or other musical instrument in a lifetime. This is the reason why there are not many who are posted upon piano values and piano-selling conditions. This is the reason, also, we may add, why so much mis-information in regard to this business is permitted to be circulated.

With the aid of manufacturers represented by Eilers Piano House, a most far-reaching campaign of piano advertising and piano selling will be inaugurated next Tuesday morning. It will pay to secure an extra copy of the Oregonian on that day. Many will be given opportunity to secure a piano or other musical instrument free, and the numerous points now so thoroughly misunderstood by the public will be carefully explained.

Competition in the piano trade is severe. The music of a deep pleasure in the purchase of pianos for the purpose of effecting sales will be presented and analyzed. A concern such as Eilers Piano House, and their inability to compete openly with the "wholesaling" of pianos to retail buyers will be exposed.

The system of selling through commission agents and parties who pose as experts and its cost to the buyer will be explained.

Some astonishing exposures of "conditional" (7) discounts of "holier-than-thou" houses, claiming for themselves a "one-price" policy (meaning in reality almost a double price) will be made.

It will be an interesting campaign, and we repeat, it will pay to read carefully next Tuesday morning's Oregonian and to order an extra copy. Eilers Piano House.

PENDLETON TAKES LEAD

Ships More Wool Than Any Other City in West.

PENDLETON, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—This city has suddenly leaped into prominence as a shipping point by the discovery made this evening, that more wool was shipped from Pendleton during the present season than from any other point west of the Mississippi. The Pendleton scoring plant, which this evening closed the most successful five months' run in the history of the plant, aided materially in making this record. During the present year the wool shipments of this city have amounted to over 7,500,000 pounds. This record is not equaled at any other point in the West, not even San Francisco or Great Falls, Mont. The latter was formerly the largest wool-shipping point.

Not all the wool shipped from this city can fairly be called Pendleton wool, as it includes the entire output of the Wallowa country, most of the Arlington wool and considerable from Heppner and Shaniko. During the season of five months, which was brought to a close today, the scouring mills have handled more wool than any concern in the West. During that time the mills have sorted and scoured 3,000,000 pounds of wool and graded and baled 4,000,000 pounds, the latter including all the product of the Wallowa country, which was shipped here for that purpose.

In addition to the 4,000,000 pounds shipped by the grading and scouring department, the 3,000,000 pounds shipped by the scouring department of the plant, about 500,000 pounds were handled by other warehouses in Pendleton.

HUSTON EDITOR OF ANNUAL

Portland Lad in Charge of Junior Year-Book at Oregon.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Oliver B. Huston, of Portland, has been elected editor-in-chief of the Junior Annual, to be published next Spring by the class of 1910. Cary V. Looney, yell leader for Oregon, was elected manager of the publication.

Huston is captain of this year's track team, and made a most enviable record as the university's 100-yard man last year. Besides his interest in athletics, he has always taken an active interest in literary pursuits, and at present is associate editor of the Oregon Weekly. He is a prominent member of the Sigma Nu Fraternity.

Rain Postpones Prize Fight.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 17.—The fight scheduled this afternoon between Ed Wolgast, of Milwaukee, and Fred Weeks, of Cripple Creek, was postponed on account of rain. The men, who were to have fought at 125 pounds, will fight Monday afternoon at catch weights.

Milton Couple Married 50 Years.

MILTON, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—Monday evening a merry company of comrades and friends of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rinker tendered them a surprise, the occasion being the 50th anniversary of their wedding. A. C. Rinker and Paulina Weir were married at Centerville, Ia., October 12, 1858, where they made their home until 1876, when they removed to Helena,

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Heavy Rain at Jacksonville. JACKSONVILLE, Or., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—The rainfall at Jacksonville the night of the 13th inst. was 2.80 inches, a greater precipitation than in any entire month of 1908. The total rainfall so far this month has been four and one-half inches.

New Carriers for Oregon. OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, Washington, Oct. 17.—Rural carriers appointed to Oregon routes—Laramie, route one; William Seals, carrier; Charles Seals, substitute; Medford, route one, John E. Dent, carrier; George E. Lindley, substitute.

Lewis County for Taft. CHEHALIS, Wash., Oct. 17.—(Special.)—H. H. Shively, candidate for State Insurance Commissioner, held three good meetings in Lewis County this week. Thursday night he spoke at Napavine, Friday night at Little Falls, and tonight at Dryad. The party of county candidates which has been campaigning in Eastern Lewis County returned. They had fairly good attendance at their meetings, and met many of the voters. The local campaign managers are pushing the campaign in all parts of the county for the

Republican ticket and expect Lewis to give its customary Republican majorities. Tomorrow and Tuesday, positively the last days for discount on East Side gas bills. Don't forget to read Gas Tips.

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