GOVERNOR'S CHAIR MAGNET FOR MANY

Indications Are That Idaho Faces Free-for-All Fight for Principal Office.

LINCOLN DAY CELEBRATED

Delegates to National Convention Will Be Borah Men of Assured Faith — Illness of Senator Brady Regarded as Serious.

BOISE, Idaho, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Within the Republican ranks the gubernatorial race is developing into a free-for-all, with the possibility of a dark-horse candidate entering in the last lap.

Already two Southern Idaho candidates are in the race, Captain E. D. Davis and D. W. Davis, and two others are prospective candidates, E. H. Dewey and Fred Gooding, while Northern Idaho has Lieutenant-Governor Herman H. Taylor and George Crum on the verge of entering, make six in all announced and prospective.

Several Banquets Held.

The Lincoln banquets held Saturday night should clear the situation somewhat. Coeur d'Alene, Lewiston, Boise, Weiser, Pocatello and other cities entertained prominent Republicans at banquets on the anniversary of the birth of the emancipator. The Boise banquet was the largest of them all, and there was not a little political medicine mixed.

The entire Congressional delegation from Idaho sent greetings. All predicted party success both Nationally and in the state this year. Senator Borah dropped no hint as to his prospects regarding the Presidential nomination, but his friends were active here and the prediction was freely heard among party leaders that no true Borah men will be sent to the National convention.

Republicans in this state generally regret the present illness of United States Senator Brady and are not a little worried over his condition. He is believed by those close to him to be a sicker man than is generally known. Senator Brady's illness has its political significance. He has been a factor in Idaho politics and one of the strongest party leaders.

Ex-Governor Haines Factor.

It is considered an important fact here that the friends of John M. Haines, ex-Governor, have been active the past few weeks, due, it is said, to the activity displayed by the friend of E. H. Dewey, of Nampa. It has been said that should Mr. Dewey run Mr. Haines would not enter the primary race. They are close personal friends, but the backers of Mr. Haines declare he has right of way to the gubnerstorial nomination and until he reaches a definite decision Mr. Dewey must remain in the background.

Another important incident in political circles the past week was the calling off of the Idaho State Bar Association meeting scheduled to be held this week, for the purpose it generally became known, of endeavoring to have resolutions adopted protesting confirmation of the nomination of Louis F. Brandeis to the Supreme Court of the United States. Republican and Democratic attorneys were in open opposition to the nomination of Brandeis, but he was not without friends. Some of the older attorneys counseled against taking any action of this kind, as even the State Bar Association would have no influence in the confirmation of a nominee for Justice of the Supreme Court, and it was not within the province of the association to register either approval or protest in a matter of this kind.

CRATER ROAD AID WON

MR. WITHYCOMBE AND TREASURER KAY HELP MEDFORD CLUB.

Support Pledged for Effort to Obtain $5000 From Vawter Fund for Jackson Paving.

MEDFORD, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Governor Withycombe and State Treasurer Tom Kay today pledged their support to the effort of the Medford Commercial Club to obtain a paved highway from this city to Crater Lake. A meeting with the state officials, the directors of the Commercial Club and prominent citizens was held and the situation was explained by Will G. Steele, superintendent of Crater Lake Park; C. B. Gates, former president of the Commercial Club, and H. L. Walther, vice-president of the club.

It is asked that $5000 of the regular appropriation provided for Jackson County by the Vawter bill be diverted from the Siskiyou Highway grade to preliminary work on the Crater Lake road. If this money is obtained, the Government will supply the engineers and also will aid in constructing a section of the highway.

Governor Withycombe said he appreciated what Jackson County had done for good roads in the state, and while he could make no absolute promise at present, he would do everything in his power to see that the $5000 was granted. Governor Withycombe will be guest of honor at the Lincoln day banquet tonight. After inspecting the poultry show he, with a party of prominent Republicans, was taken on a motor trip through the valley.

JUDGE TERM RULING MADE

Mr. Brown Declares Length of Time in County Office Is Six Years.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—County Judges who have been chosen at any general election since November 1912, hold office for six years, Attorney-General Brown declared today in reply to an inquiry from District Attorney Johnson, of Curry County. Although the statute apparently is specific as to the length of time which County Judges shall serve, Attorney-General Brown says he has received many inquiries from persons throughout the state.

Article 7 of the state constitution, the Attorney-General points out, plainly states the length of office of judges, reading that "Judges of the Supreme Court and other courts shall be elected . . . for a term of six years."

Yoncalla Husband Brought Back.

ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Sheriff Quine has returned from Santa Cruz, Cal., with R. H. Jennings, of Yoncalla, who is wanted here on a charge of non-support. Mr. Jennings was accompanied to Santa Cruz by his two daughters.

AMERICAN GIRLS NOT PERFECT, SAYS ACTRESS

Miss Adele Rolland, Who Will Appear at Heilig in "It Pays to Advertise," Declares Physical and Mental Training Is Needed.

THAT the American girl has not yet attained a state of perfection is the belief of Miss Adele Rolland, the vivacious leading woman of Cohan & Harris' "It Pays to Advertise" company, which will present that Rol Cooper Megrue and Walter Hackett farcical comedy at the Heilig Theater for three nights and two matinees, commencing Monday evening, February 21.

To prove her contention, Miss Rolland cites two unpleasant characteristics.

"One is purely physical and the other is a mental defect, but while either of these predominates the American girl of today can never be wholly charming.

"Can anything be more unpleasant to witness than the absolutely vacant young miss who invades the circles of the younger set and who is actually offered us as the type of American girl? She may be seen in any of the tearooms in company with more of her kind, or with the hectic youth who flourishes in polite society as the American man, and who is most proficient in spending father's hard-earned cash.

If you will observe the aforesaid young woman you will notice that she seems bored with life. She is one of the type too lax to realize that through a little willpower she might become an individual. Bored? Of course she is bored, and why should she be otherwise? She is perfectly conscious of the fact that she is boring other people, too.

"Get out of the rut, girls, and go into life with the idea that whatever you give of yourself will come back to you. Forget the fact that you are one of a type. Forget yourself and give your thoughts to other things and other people. Be an individual."

POLK CANDIDATES MANY

NEW CROP KEEPS SPRINGING UP FOR VARIOUS OFFICES.

W. V. Fuller and Conrad Stafrin for Legislative Posts and W. A. Himes and S. B. Taylor for Surveyor.

DALLAS, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Each day brings out a new assortment of candidates for the respective public offices to be filled at the next election. The latest entries include W. V. Fuller, ex-president of the Dallas Commercial Club, for the Republican nomination for Joint Representative for Polk and Lincoln Counties; Conrad Stafrin, Captain of Company L, Third Infantry, Oregon National Guard, of Dallas, for the Republican nomination for Representative for Polk County; W. A. Himes for the Republican nomination for County Surveyor; S. B. Taylor, for the Democratic nomination for County Surveyor; J. H. Brown for the Republican nomination for Treasurer; J. L. Hanna and W. W. Percival, of Independence, and George A. Wells, of Buena Vista, for County Commissioner; Frank Meyer, present Assessor, for the Democratic nomination for re-election; Fred J. Holman for the Republican nomination for County Clerk, and John W. Orr for the Republican nomination for Sheriff. Up to date there are candidates for all the offices, and in some cases two or three candidates for the same office.

W. J. Clarke, editor of the Independence Enterprise, is expected to test his strength with Captain Stafrin for the Republican nomination for Representative. Ben W. Jones, erstwhile candidate for Congress, is expected soon to announce his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Joint Representative. The Democrats are expected to nominate for County Clerk Asa B. Robinson, Jr., of Independence, elected four years ago upon the Democratic ticket.

MAGPIES ARE VAMPIRES

Birds Peck Livestock for Blood to Subsist in Storm.

PENDLETON, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—To save themselves from starvation during the recent snow storm many magpies perched themselves upon the backs of cattle and horses and pecked at the brand scars on the animals until they were raw and bleeding. The story is vouched for by a number of reliable witnesses. One stockman reported having seen five magpies upon one cow's back.

Another stockman told of having seen five horses with blood running down their legs from the brands which had been opened with sharp beaks. The animals were unable to protect themselves from their feathered tormentors.

Nine Reinstated at University.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Nine of the 25 students who "flunked" the first semester at the university have been reinstated by the faculty. Twenty appealed to the advisory board for readmittance into class work, but only the appeals of those who were handicapped physically or on account of too much outside work to earn expenses were acted upon favorably.

Grange Master Speaks at Shedd.

SHEILD, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—C. E. Spence, State Grange master, spoke to a large audience in the Grange Hall here Thursday evening. He chose for his subject "Grange Work and Its Benefits to the Farmer." Mr. Spence is making a tour of the Linn County Granges.

WEBFOOT CAMP NO. 65, WOODMEN, IN CONTEST

Campaign Starts to Make Membership Third Largest in Jurisdiction—Each Who Brings in Initiate to Get Ticket for Motor Trip on Highway.

J. C. Abbett — Fred W. German, Chairman — H. L. Barbur

A CAMPAIGN to make Webfoot Camp, No. 65, Woodmen of the World, the third largest in the jurisdiction has been inaugurated by the campaign committee of that organization, and the work of securing members is to be started immediately.

As an incentive to get every member to assist in the campaign a motor trip over the Columbia Highway to Hood River during the Strawberry Festival has been arranged. Every man securing one new member will get free tickets for himself and the member he secured.

The committee has taken up the project with County Commissioner Holman, a member of the camp, and he has promised to do what he can to have the unfinished portion of the highway in Hood River County in good shape for the trip.

A prize of $5 has been offered to the person submitting the best name and slogan for the campaign. The competition is open to members or those contemplating membership.

The committee in charge consists of Fred W. German, H. L. Barbur and J. C. Abbett. To assist in the work of securing members it has been decided to charge no initiation fee during the campaign.

Webfoot Camp has just completed a campaign by which 300 new members were secured.

ELMA ENTERTAINS RAILROAD'S PARTY

Northern Pacific Demonstrators of Rural Problems Overcome Bad Weather.

AUDIENCES ARE FAIR-SIZED

Motor Cars, Farm Wagons and Boats Utilized to Reach Gatherings Where Dairy Methods Are Discussed by Experts.

BY ADDISON BENNETT.

OAKVILLE, Wash., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The Northern Pacific Railway demonstration party was entertained royally by the citizens of Elma last night, the affair being in the form of a banquet at the splendid Imperial Hotel of that place. After the edibles had been disposed of and cigars lighted, one or two short and informal addresses were delivered, and then the party repaired to the great hall of Elma's High School building, which is one of the finest and most modern in southwestern Washington.

A large audience had assembled already, so that when our party entered the seats were nearly all taken. The usual addresses were delivered by Messrs. Willard, Price, Arney and Monroe, all of which were somewhat shortened by the departure of the train. The meeting was most interesting, for the reason that the speakers were plied with qustions by many of the farmers present, all of which seemed to be appropriately answered.

Porter Also Visited.

From there the party went to Porter, where a large number of farmers and townspeople were gathered in the hall, some of whom had come long distances through the mud and rain, and a number of these from the south had to finish the last lap of their journey by canoe across the Chehalis bottoms. The usual addresses were delivered and then several head of cows were examind and criticised in the adjacent yard. Nearly all remained to see this part of the programme.

Then we went to Oakville for dinner in the car, and promptly at 1 P. M. we were on the way to Garrard's Creek, where a meeting was held at 2 o'clock. To get there we had to relay, first to a canoe and then to farm wagons furnished by the citizens of that thriving section. The meeting was held in the schoolhouse, which was full in spite of the bad weather and worse roads. Then the return trip was made by the same conveyances to Oakville, where the citizens were out to meet us and escort us to the Glover Hotel, where a fine dinner was served, after which several speeches were made. Then we were escorted to the mammoth school building, in the assembly-room of which we found a large audience. The usual speakers held the attention of the audience until train time, when the party entrained for Centralia, there to break up.

The telegraph wires were out of commission for sending this dispatch, so I am mailing it, and will add that a more comprehensive account of the tour will appear in The Oregonian of Sunday, February 20, only saying here that of the 14 days the trip lasted today was the only one on which the sun shone for as much as half an hour at a time. This has been a fairly decent day, with but little rain and fog and considerable sunshine. Had all the days been as pleasant, the attendance would no doubt have been exceedingly large at every meeting.

Considering the state of the weather and roads, the lack of telephone and telegraph service, the meetings have been phenomenally large, the interest at every meeting intense, with the general expression on all sides that the Northern Pacific people are to be commended for the work, and that much good to the farmers and the sections passed through will be the result.

BUILDINGS WASHED AWAY

Many Residences at Florence Flooded and Town Cut Off.

FLORENCE, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Thursday evening brought the first mail since Saturday to the anxious citizens of Florence who had been cut off from the world by high water.

The Siuslaw River has fallen almost to its normal stage after the worst flood in 25 years.

At Mapleton the water rose to a depth of 12 inches in one of the general stores, and the river left a deposit of mud on the floors of several of the residences. Three buildings were carried downstream, and logs came from all the tributaries of the Siuslaw, forming an immense jam above the new Southern Pacific bridge at Cushman.

The most serious damage reported along the railroad is at the second crossing of the Siuslaw above Mapleton, where the gravel under the bridge pier has been washed away. The mails were brought by stage, but regular train service will be resumed at once. Telephone and telegraph wires have been repaired.

Lewis Grange Views State Affairs.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Feb. 12.—(Special.) — The Lewis County Pomona grange at its latest meeting adopted resolutions demanding that the office of State Highway Commissioner be abolished. The Torrens system is indorsed as a means of cutting abstract fees. Opposition to the proposed Federal farm loan act, which a Congressional committee had introduced as the result of much thought as calculated to help along the line of rural credit, is voiced by the grange.

Lewis School Election Near.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—On March 4 every school district in Lewis County will hold an election, in the majority of the cases one director to be elected for a three-year term. John Saunders is the retiring Centralia director, but it is expected he will be a candidate. Mr. Saunders was recently appointed to succeed Mrs. I. S. Turner, chairman of the board, who was killed in an auto accident.

Lodges Will Install Jointly.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—On the night of February 18 the Centralia and Chehalis lodges of Knights of Pythias will hold a joint celebration in this city marking the 52d anniversary of the founding of the order. The programme was announced yesterday, a feature being an address by State Land Commissioner Clark V. Savidge. The entertainment part of the programme will be furnished by Centralia talent.

The inhabitants of China are counted every year in a curious manner. The eldest master of every 10 houses has to count the families and make a list, which is sent to the imperial tax house.

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BANKER GETS REPLIES

LETTERS INVITING TO OREGON ARE INTERESTING TO OUTSIDERS.

C. D. Rorer Finds Many Would Like to Visit for Vacation, and Tales of Fishing Are Attractive.

EUGENE, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—C. D. Rorer, president of the Eugene Chamber of Commerce and president of the Bank of Commerce, has received a reply to every letter written by him to bankers in all parts of the country Letter-Writing week. He invited these bankers to spend their vacations in Oregon.

One reply from a Kansas City banker says: "I do not know of any spot in the country where I would sooner spend my vacation than in the Pacific Northwest."

Another, from Tulsa, Okla., says: "I should enjoy a hunt up in your country some time and I think I could have a lot of fun."

A San Francisco banker wrote: "What are you trying to do with me? Make me leave my happy home? Letters like yours raise the mischief with a man who has his face in a desk."

Every letter expressed interest in Oregon. The last reply was received today.

Creamery Increases 30 Per Cent.

SANDY, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The Mount Hood Creamery, in comparing business of the past two months with the corresponding two months of last year reports an increase of 6138 pounds of butter made, or an increase of 30 per cent. The creamery management takes interest in presenting these figures, which show an increase in butterfat production in this community, and cash returns to the farmers of the Sandy Valley. Although the business is only about two years old, it has assisted the dairymen in extending their stock holding and securing high-grade cows.

Jackson County Wants Span.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Request was received today by the State Highway Department to furnish plans and specifications for a 160-foot reinforced concrete span over a railroad crossing at Tolo, Jackson County. The span will be constructed jointly by the County Court of Jackson County and the Southern Pacific Company.

Six at Eugene Complete Course.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Six seniors of the university have completed their courses and are numbered among the alumni. They are: Eva Brock, of Hood River; Harold Tominaga, of Portland; Chester Huggins, of Salem; Harold Humbert, of Eugene; Paul Baker, of Eugene, and Olin Hadley, of Newberg.

McCleary Loggers to Resume.

CHEHALIS, Wash., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Monday the logging crews in the big camps of the Henry McCleary Timber Company will be running full blast at McCleary. This will relieve the scarcity of logs, when all departments of the various industries at McCleary again will be enabled to run to full capacity. The door plant is running full blast both day and night, the company having an abundance of orders.

Wenatchee Republicans Gather.

WENATCHEE, Wash., Feb. 12.—Bygones were bygones at the Lincoln day banquet held tonight by Chelan County Republicans. Instead of indulging in retrospection, all attention was paid to a harmonious future. The meeting proved to be a rousing gathering of Republicans.

Roseburg Carnival to Be Planned.

ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—At a mass meeting to be he'd here next Tuesday a committee will be appointed to make arrangements for the strawberry carnival to be held in May.

YOU'RE BILIOUS! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS TONIGHT

Don't Stay Headachy, Sick or Have Bad Breath and Sour Stomach.

Wake Up Feeling Fine! Best Laxative for Men, Women and Children.

Enjoy life! Remove the liver and bowel poison, which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive and stomach sour. Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy, constipated and full of cold. Why don't you get a box of Cascarets from the drug store and eat one or two tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. You will wake up feeling fit and fine. Cascarets never gripe or sicken like salts, pills and calomel. They act so gently that you hardly realize you have taken a cathartic. Mothers should give cross, sick, bilious or feverish children a whole Cascaret anytime—they act thoroughly and are harmless.—Adv.

A SPOONFUL OF SALTS RELIEVES ACHING KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Much Meat, Which Clogs Kidneys, Says Noted Authority.

If Back Hurts or Bladder Bothers, Stop All Meat for a While.

When you wake up with headache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and logsy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you do your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have headache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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