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COOS REPUBLICANS WILL MEET IN COQUILLE MAR. 24

Chairman Phelan Issues Call for County Convention for Party Conference.

DELEGATES FROM EVERY PRECINCT

List of Voting Precincts and Number of Delegates From Each.

P. L. Phelan, chairman of the Republican county central committee, has issued a call for a county convention to be held in the court house in Coquille, at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, March 24, 1908. The purpose of this convention, as stated in the official call, is to perpetuate party organization and confer as to candidates by which the party might indicate its choice and recommend candidates to the electors.

The following is a copy of the official call: **REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.**

The Republican electors of Coos county, state of Oregon, are advised that a Republican county convention will be held in the court house, Coquille City, at 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, March 24, 1908, for the following purposes: To perpetuate party organization; to discuss and recommend Republican candidates for county and state offices.

The representation by precincts will be one delegate for each ten votes or fraction thereof cast at the general election of June 4, 1906.

The following is a list of the delegates to which each precinct is entitled:

Bandon	16
Burton	2
Coaledo	3
Coos City	2
North Coos River	3
Coos River	3
East Coquille	10
West Coquille	9
Deer Park	1
Dora	3
Empire	4
Enchanted	3
Four Mile	2
Lake	2
Lee	2
North Marshfield	9
South Marshfield	18
Missouri	3
Myrtle Point	15
Newport	3
North Bend	18
Norway	6
Parkersburg	4
Prosper	3
Riverton	4
Rowland	1
South Slough	1
Sumner	3
Ten Mile	2

It is recommended that precinct caucuses be held not later than Saturday, March 21.

P. L. PHELAN, Chairman Rep. Co. Central Comm. **E. L. C. FARRIN,** Secretary.

GOOSE DINNER. Make arrangements for your Sunday dinner at Smith's Cafe. Nice young goose.

SATURDAY EVENING'S GUARANTEE SNAPS.

2 Nice lots in Eastside \$75 each. 2 Lots in East Marshfield, \$60 each. Special price on full block in Boise addition. Lots in Schetter addition, 50x100 \$175. 4 Lots in Bay View addition, facing County, 50x138 each \$825. Don't overlook this. 2 Good farms on tide water, \$7500 and \$15,750. 3 Ten acre lots, \$500 each. Terms one-half cash, bal. 5 years. 5 Acre lots near Marshfield, 100 each. Business lot on Front street 60x150, \$8500. See Title Guarantee & Abstract Co. Henry Sengstacken, Manager.

Ladies' short waists and muslin underwear at the Coos Bay Cash Store.

SMALL POX AT SUNSET BAY

A CASE REPORTED TO HEALTH OFFICER MINGUS—EXPOSED MAN ESCAPES.

Dr. Gale of North Bend, reported a case of small pox at Sunset Bay to Health Officer Mingus today. All exposed persons, except one man named Dean were placed under quarantine. This man got away and is supposed to be on his way to Marshfield or Beaver Hill. Officers have been notified and will be on the lookout for him. The case is not virulent and the prompt action of the physician is hoped to stamp it out promptly.

COOS MAN FROM GOLDFIELD

P. E. Larson Returns From Nevada to His Coos River Ranch.

P. E. Larson, wife and child returned this week from Goldfield, Nevada, and left at once for Allegan, where they expect to spend the summer. Mr. Larson owns a fine ranch on the Coos river, in addition to some mining property in Nevada, but at present finds the Coos Bay country the most inviting. He reports business very quiet in Goldfield because of the prolonged strike in the mines there. He says that contrary to the general understanding the struggle in the Nevada mines is not between the mine owners and the union men, but a certain radical element of the union that insist on running matters with a high hand. Only one of the large mines are in operation, and many union men are at work there. All the mines are under guard of United States soldiers, but these are to be withdrawn in a short time and a state constabulary substituted. It is feared that the change may cause further trouble. Mr. Larson states that the necessity of having every mine guarded prevents the small mines from running and tends to make the country very quiet. Mr. Larson expects to return, but says he is pleased to be home again in good old Coos.

PLACE CHILDREN ON A PERIOD OF PROBATION

The Hollenbeck Children of Bandon Are Placed in Coos County Homes—One in Marshfield. Judge Hall came over Monday on court business. In the juvenile court he heard the complaint against the Hollenbeck children and discharged the eldest boy from custody. He made an order placing the other three children in probation for six months. The youngest girl was taken by Mrs. R. O. Hoberg of this city and the eldest by L. R. Robertson, the telephone man of Marshfield; the boy was sent to Allen McLeod until a home can be found for him. All of the children are bright and intelligent, and all they need are proper homes in which to be brought up. The judge also heard the case of the Coquille Mill and Mercantile Company vs. J. N. Jacobson, deciding it in favor of the former. County Commissioner Lloyd Spires and E. A. Anderson arrived Wednesday and are holding the usual session of the county court. There is considerable work to be done at this session of court in regard to roads and bridges.—Coquille Sentinel.

FINE YOUNG GOOSE For Sunday dinner at Smith's Cafe. Don't miss it.

PHONE 111 for messenger boy to carry parcels or run errands.

ASK APOLOGY IMMEDIATELY

Japan Insists on Immediate Apology From Chinese Government.

OR ELSE WILL TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION

In Addition to Indemnity Japan Asks Apology for Hauling Down of the Japanese Flag.

(By Associated Press.) PEKIN, March 7.—Japan's ultimatum in the case of the Japanese steamship Tatsu Maru was presented to the head of the Chinese foreign board yesterday. The irreducible minimum of Japanese claims is the restoration of the steamer and cargo and payment of full indemnity. This action is demanded within reasonable time. In the case of default or postponement, Japan, according to the terms of the ultimatum, will take immediate action. Japan expects a reply tomorrow, and an apology for hauling down the Japanese flag.

AT THE CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.—Services will be held in the Masonic Temple Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Man." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

ST. MONICA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Services will be held in North Bend at 8 o'clock a. m., and in Marshfield at 10:30 a. m. Rev. Father Donnelly, Rector.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Services in Red Men's Hall Wm. F. Holl, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 11 a. m. Luther League devotional service, 6:45 p. m. Note—After this Sunday the time for Sunday school will change from 9:45 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. This is done by united request.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—10 a. m. Bible school, Claude Stutsman, superintendent. 11 a. m., sermon, "As and So." 3 p. m., Junior Union. 6:30 p. m., Young People's prayer service. At 7:30 the B. Y. P. U. will have charge of the evening service, when the following program will be rendered: Special music by the choir, C. J. Millis, director, and scripture lesson by Claude Stutsman; talk on the need of an increased interest in missions, Mrs. F. E. Wheeler; paper, Claude Stutsman; "Claims of India," Charles Rehfeld; address by Mrs. Black; "Missions in Japan," Anna Wheeler; Baptist Work in Japan," Alpha Mauze; address, C. J. Millis; "Our Missionary Box," Hattie Wheeler; short talk by the pastor. All who are interested in missions are cordially invited to attend the evening service. Come, and we will do thee good. D. W. Thurston, pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Announcement for Sunday March 8. 10 a. m. Sunday School session: J. D. McNeil, Supt. The Young Men's Bible Class conducted by M. C. Horton, and the Adult Bible Class conducted by the pastor, extend a special invitation to strangers to spend this hour with them. 11 a. m. Morning Worship, with sermon by the pastor on the theme: "At It, All At It, Always At It." Mrs. J. W. Ingram will sing at this service: "Jesus Lover of My Soul," by McDougall. 3 p. m. Special meeting for young men in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. Dr. Leslie presiding. 6 p. m. Christian Endeavor service. Topic: "The Wise Use of Time." Eph. 5:15-21. Hugh Smith, leader. 7:30 p. m. Evening Service with preaching by the pastor. Subject: "The Philistine of the Nonce, or What Shall We Do With the Iconoclast?" Miss Lillian Hall will sing at this service: "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," by Ambrose. A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend any or all of these services. H. H. Brown, Pastor.

Just received a fine line of fishing tackle. Coos Bay Cash store.

EAST TOLEDO FLOOD VICTIM

City of 50,000 Is Without Any Lights or Fire Protection.

SPRING FRESHETS SPREAD DISASTER

Northern Indiana Is Being Flooded and Pennsylvania Preparing for Onrush of Swirling Waters.

(By Associated Press.) TOLEDO, March 9.—The Maumee river flood has caused the destruction of the Cherry street bridge and deprived East Toledo, with a population of 50,000 of electric lights and fire protection last night. The street car service to the East Side will not be resumed for several weeks.

Pennsylvania Floods. (By Associated Press.) PITTSBURG, March 7.—The flood is expected to reach the lowlands tonight.

Floods in Indiana. (By Associated Press.) INDIANAPOLIS, March 7.—There are floods today throughout northern Indiana. The Wabash river is out of its banks for miles northeast of Lafayette. Many districts are under water.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

A series of unexpected complications have developed in the Times office the last few days, which have compelled the editor to impose on the readers by printing an unusual amount of advertising without an adequate amount of space devoted to reading matter and news. We kindly ask your indulgence for a short time, when we hope to repay your patience in full measure. The advertisements in tonight's paper will be found really interesting, and well worth reading. Several important articles, including the Chamber of Commerce report, are crowded out of this issue.

HUGHES FOR PRESIDENT.

New York State Committee Passes Resolution of Endorsement. (By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, March 7.—A resolution endorsing Hughes for president was unanimously passed today at a meeting of the State Republican committee.

PERSONAL MENTION.

MISS JENNIE DENTLY is a city visitor for a few days. W. J. ROHRER was on the streets today after a week's wrestle with the grip. MRS. BRAUGHTON has accepted a position as clerk in the A. M. Prentiss & Co. store. CHARLIE LEE is again able to be about after his illness and is busy enjoying the sunshine and greeting his friends. MR. GUY CHAMBERS, of Daniel's Creek, spent today in Marshfield with friends and incidentally attended to business affairs. MR. DAN SMITH, of Chicago, is a city visitor for an indefinite time. During his stay in Marshfield Mr. Smith will visit with friends and also attend to business affairs connected with an eastern wholesale establishment. E. E. MORRIS and wife and child left today on the Breakwater. Mrs. Morris goes to Spokane to visit her relatives while Mr. Morris makes a business trip in the Puget Sound country. They expect to return to Coos Bay about May 1. MISS ETTA LOSSERBY, of Wisconsin, is visiting with friends and relatives on Coos Bay for about two weeks. At the end of that time she will leave by way of Drain for Portland and the Sound cities, where she will enter a business college in Seattle and take a course in stenography.

SHEET MUSIC AND FOLIOS 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, now going for 5c, 10c, 15c, and 2 for 25c. Call early for selections. W. R. HAINES MUSIC CO.

ABE RUEF NOW SAYS THAT HE IS NOT GUILTY OF CRIME

DEATH LIST IS NOW 174

LAST LITTLE VICTIM OF THE COLLINWOOD FIRE PERISHES TODAY—TOTAL FATALITIES.

(By Associated Press.) CLEVELAND, March 7.—The last little victim of the Collinwood school fire to perish was Glen Barber, aged eight, who died of injuries received in jumping from the second story. In casting up the total pupils who were who were at the school the day of the fire it developed that six are still missing. The number of dead or missing is 174, including two teachers. There were over forty funerals today.

COOS COUNTY REGISTRATION

The Number Filed With the County Clerk From Different Precincts.

Up to last Thursday evening the following registrations from the different precincts had been filed with the county clerk:

Bandon	250
Burton	15
Coaledo	1
Coos City	3
North Coos River	6
East Coquille	86
West Coquille	93
Deer Park	1
Dora	21
Empire	1
Enchanted	6
Four Mile	16
Lake	15
Lee	12
Marshfield, North	56
Marshfield, South	119
Missouri	28
Myrtle Point	157
Newport	5
North Bend	81
Norway	24
Parkersburg	22
Prosper	41
Riverton	11
Rowland	3
South Slough	2
Sumner	6
Ten Mile	4
Total	1,097

Born.—Another of those welcome little leap year girls arrived Saturday March 7, at the home of Noel Pominville, at Flagstaff.

On Sick List.—Mrs. E. W. Kammerer and son, William Belton, are both reported sick at their home.

See Big Trees.—A. H. Powers of the bay and A. E. Gagnon, of Minneapolis, Minn., were in the city last Friday. Mr. Gagnon is foreman of C. A. Smith's mill in Minneapolis, and came out here to help install the machinery in the Coos Bay mill. He spent the day in the woods, and was surprised at the largeness of the tree sin this section.—Coquille Sentinel.

Some physicians say there are grip germs on money. You bet, and there are grip marks left on money before you get it away from some people on Coos Bay.

LOOK AT THIS. A new six-room bungalow, 50x140 feet of ground, pleasantly located, only \$1,250. See this at once. I. S. KAUFMAN & CO.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK cockerels, Campbell strain, \$1.50 each. Eggs for hatching, 50c for 13; \$3.50 for 100. Mrs. S. J. DeFreese, North Coos River.

San Francisco Boodler Now Attempts to Dodge His Confession.

ATTORNEYS FILE WITHDRAWAL MOTION

Say Plea of Guilty Was Made Under False Promises of Prosecution.

(By Associated Press.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 7.—Attorneys for Abe Ruef have filed with Superior Judge Dunne a written motion for the withdrawal of Ruef's plea of guilty to the charge of extortion in the French restaurant cases, and asking permission to substitute a plea of "not guilty." The grounds for the motion are that the defendant is not guilty of the offense charged, and that the defendant was induced to plead guilty upon the promises of the prosecution with the consent of Judge Dunne that the plea would be withdrawn and the defendant would not be sentenced thereon. In support of the motion the attorneys filed an affidavit of 89 typewritten pages and charged that the prosecution used the utmost endeavors to get Ruef to testify falsely against Former Mayor Schmitz and the other defendants, and also charges that the prosecution endeavored to get him to testify that Governor Gillette, William F. Herrin and E. H. Harriman entered into a corrupt bargain with him and paid him money in connection with the nomination of Gillette for governor; that he refused so to testify before the grand jury "because there was no truth in it."

SOCIAL NOTES.

Bridge Whist.—Mrs. Will Merchant entertained at bridge whist on Tuesday last, the day before Lent. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. M. Byler of North Bend and Mrs. William Turpen of Marshfield. **Needle Workers Meet.**—The members of the A. N. U. club were entertained on Thursday by Miss Susie Eickworth. Delicious refreshments were served. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all who attended. **SOCIETY** **B. Y. P. U. Entertained.**—The B. Y. P. U. were pleasantly entertained Friday evening by Miss Marie Gulovsen, at her home in South Marshfield. A good time was enjoyed by all those participating. Refreshments were served at a late hour. **Progress Club Concert.**—The Progress club is making arrangements for a concert to be held soon after Easter. The proceeds will be devoted to the library fund. "The Messiah," Handel's oratorio, will be given under the direction of E. A. Todd. **The First Rat.**—Once more woman has demonstrated her leadership in human affairs and shattered a time-worn tradition that women are afraid of mice and rats. The first rat offered to Marshal Carter for redemption under the new provision of the city council came from a little girl, Miss Thelma Payne, who delivered his tail up to the marshal and collected her 5 cents this morning.

Tenth Wedding Anniversary.—Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sandberg celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedded life with a most enjoyable little social affair. It was an informal event, only a few intimate friends being present, but this only added to the spirit of the occasion and taken in conjunction with the genuine and hearty hospitality of the host and hostess made it memorable. The Swedish custom of hospitable greeting with abundance to eat and drink, together with Swedish dishes and methods of serving proved interesting to the American guests unfamiliar with these picturesque and fascinating old country customs. At the conclusion of this introductory luncheon, a delightful full course dinner was served, and a most enjoyable evening followed. The wishes that Mr. and Mrs. Sandberg might live to celebrate their diamond wedding came direct from the hearts of everyone who was present to participate in their tin wedding. Those present were: Dr. George E. Dix, Dr. E. E. Straw, J. M. Upton, A. G. Goss, Wm. Ford, J. A. Matson.