

SLATE WON.

Candidates Named By Acclamation.

Convention Then Adjourned Until Next Week.

STATE SENATOR—Henry E. McGinn.
REPRESENTATIVES—A. A. Courtney, Sanderson Reed, W. U. Banks, John Gill, W. R. Hudson, C. W. Hudson, A. J. Bailey, T. S. Hutchinson, Dan J. Malarkey, George M. Orton, B. F. Colby, Henry J. Fisher.

DELEGATES TO THE STATE CONVENTION—George H. Williams, H. L. Pittcock, W. B. Ayer, Ad. Hirschardt, Phil Metcalf, E. W. Spencer, F. A. Bancroft, Charles Monell, A. J. Capron, W. T. Muir, W. L. Boise, George H. Howell, D. Kellaher, J. E. Hunt, M. M. Carter, H. Van Auker, J. N. Sutton, J. J. Fitzgerald, A. N. Willis, W. N. Jones, Charles Squires, Joseph Buchtel, Leander Lewis, S. B. Schwab, Charles Wilson, P. L. Willis, Watt Daniels, W. F. Matthews, C. H. Carey, Sol Hirsch, John F. Logan, H. H. Newhall, W. H. Patterson, T. J. Clifton, C. E. Frazier, T. S. Potter, F. P. Mays, George G. Mayer, C. E. Smith, J. W. Beveridge, S. B. Lincoln, Andrew C. Smith, L. H. Adams, E. H. Kelly, D. B. Dunbar, T. C. Powell, H. W. Goddard, C. C. Newcastle, F. J. McKenna, F. Kiernan, J. W. Matheuz, C. W. Sherman, James W. Blain, D. I. Williams, Sanford Whiting, W. H. Carney, C. E. Rumelin, R. L. Durham, Alex. Donaldson, W. H. Jones, J. L. Hartman, Thomas D. Honeyman, T. H. Edmunds, L. Christensen, T. K. Muir, W. W. Howitt, D. J. Quimby.

After nominating the above slate, the Multnomah county convention yesterday afternoon adjourned until next Thursday, at 10 o'clock, when the candidates for the city and county offices will be named. It was nearly 3 o'clock yesterday, when the afternoon session was called to order.

Judge C. H. Carey moved that the temporary officers of the convention be made permanent. Mr. Boise put the motion, and it was adopted. Clarence J. Gilbert was nominated for the additional secretary, and elected by acclamation. Judge H. H. Northup moved that the roll of the convention be called at any time at the request of five delegates. This was adopted. Dan J. Malarkey nominated A. L. Willis for teller; Wallace McCannott, Edward Holman; and A. J. Capron was nominated. These three were elected by acclamation.

A. L. Mills offered a resolution to the effect that if the proposed city charter should be approved by the people at the June election, the candidates for the legislature named by this convention are pledged to work for the enactment of a measure making this charter bill a law. Furthermore, the hold-over senators were asked to work for the passage of the bill. W. L. Boise and Dan J. Malarkey spoke in favor of the resolution, which was adopted by acclamation.

The secretary read a communication from the Federal Trades asking the convention to endorse the Mitchell-Kuhn Chinese bill. This occasion for the perpetration of more oratory. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

F. P. Mays moved that a committee of seven delegates to the State and Congressional conventions. M. L. Pipes moved to amend by giving the ward delegates the power to select the State convention delegation.

This precipitated the first real contest in the convention. A lively discussion followed by Judge Richard Williams, Wallace McCannott and Mr. Stapleton in favor of the amendment, and by Dan J. Malarkey and W. L. Boise in favor of the original motion. The amendment was lost. Judge Williams raised the point of order that the new election law stated expressly that the committee shall be appointed by ballots. The chair overruled the point of order, and selected the following committee: W. T. Muir, C. C. Newcastle, George H. Howell, W. J. Mathews, W. F. Smith, J. W. Beveridge, L. Zimmerman.

At this point Mr. Stapleton got hold of a printed list of delegates to the state convention, and after some pointed remarks on close corporations and ring rule moved to elect them without going through the formality of appointing a committee. His motion was adopted.

The cause of harmony received quite a jar. Judge Richard Williams, Judge Pipes and T. S. Stapleton made some telling speeches in favor of fair play, and their logic seemed unanswerable. They spoke for the "regulars," and reminded the "independents" of several things that the latter gentlemen seemed about to forget. Olive branches and rights of the people and primary verdicts and other terms were freely used and ably handled. Judge Williams was particularly pointed, and made strong remarks regarding the rights of minorities.

But when the matter was shown up from the other view-point, and the eloquence of D. J. Malarkey ran through the hall, it roused a storm of applause. And after Whitney Boise and Judge Carey had had their say, it seemed as though the "regulars" had been invited to take back seats. Not only were they thus invited, but the invitation was rather strongly insisted upon.

After the independent slate, as printed at the head of the column, was nominated, and unanimously elected by acclamation, on motion of Dan J. Malarkey, the convention adjourned to meet on the date mentioned.

SPORTING PREACHER

(Journal Special Service.)
 CHICAGO, Ill., March 20.—Rev. Raker P. Lee, of Lexington, Ky., who has received a call to Grace Episcopal church of this city, departed for home today without announcing his decision. Members of the church, discussing the fact that Rev. Mr. Lee had donated to the Kentucky Racing Association, said that it did not lessen their regard for him, as they understood the feeling of a Kentucky man for a good horse race, and rather admired the minister for his attitude.

WILL EXTEND MAINS

City Will Lay a Mile of New Pipe.

The Water Committee met Tuesday and decided on the construction of a 20-inch main from Division street, north, along Marguerite avenue, to East Stark, at East Thirty-fifth, a distance of over a mile, at a cost of \$19,300. This main will ultimately be extended to Russell and other streets in Albina, at an aggregate cost of \$68,000.

It was decided to lay a 14-inch main from the Albina station to connect with the 18-inch main in Knott street and the main on delay street. Proposals for material and work will be advertised for.

The two redwood tanks will be removed from Russell street to the Highland district.

The following receipts and disbursements for February were reported:

Cash receipts for water.....	\$26,180 20
Disbursements.....	3,633 24
Balance paid to treasurer.....	\$22,546 96

THE RAILROADS.

J. C. Lidsey, traveling freight and passenger agent of the Illinois Central took a flying trip to Salem yesterday.

M. J. Roche, traveling passenger agent of the Rio Grande system, has received a letter from a soldier who went over that line recently, and who is now at Springfield, Ill. The writer says: "I was treated by the railroad employes of the D. & R. G. as though I was Prince Henry."

James Clark Pond, general passenger agent of the Wisconsin Central, and all-around home missionary, has been heard from. His railroad friends in Portland will be pleased to know that he has united with the Hoo-Hoo.

It is the firm conviction of E. H. Libbey, of Lewiston, Idaho, that the wheat raising possibilities of the Clear Water region cannot be overestimated. He looks to see 2,000,000 bushels of wheat produced there in the future. The present railroad facilities are inadequate, and he prophesies that a new road other than the Northern Pacific will be built within a few years.

It is probable that within six weeks the Central Navigation & Construction Company will be publicly sold at auction at Goldendale, Wash. This is the Paul Mohr line which will, if completed, connect Portland with Eastern Washington. The sale will take place under judgment of \$35,000, in favor of contractors Winters and Chapman.

A party of surveyors will start up the north fork of the Clearwater river, in Idaho, April 1. These are supposed to be working in the service of the Northern Pacific. It is an open secret that the company is desirous of tapping the center of the big timber belt in the Clearwater region. Such a line as that to be followed by the surveyors would accomplish the end in view.

C. F. Warren, general agent of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, with headquarters at Salt Lake, was in the city today, renewing his acquaintance with the several members of the local board of directors. Mr. Warren visits Portland several times yearly. His passenger territory covers all the intermediate territory between Salt Lake and Portland. At one time his company had a representative in Portland—a Mr. Devereux—who was afterwards transferred to Mr. Warren's office in Salt Lake, where he now is. Mr. Warren says if he had anything to say about the matter, his company would again open an office here.

Mr. Warren considers Portland a good point for railroad business, and would like to see his company get more of it than is now possible.

General Passenger Agent Craig, of the O. R. & N., is in receipt of an even dozen pictures, known as photo-prints, in the most beautiful colors. These came from Jay Haynes, the official photographer of the Northern Pacific, and cover scenes in the famous Yellowstone Park. It is Mr. Craig's intention to frame these in a series in his office. He will seek to convert his office into an art bureau to gladden the eye.

BIDS ON SEWERS.

At the weekly meeting of the Board of Public Works held Tuesday afternoon, City Auditor Devin reported that he had examined the bids presented at the last meeting and had found the lowest bidders to be the following:

For sewer in East Twenty-first street, from the north line of East Stark to the sewer on East Pine, the Jacobsen-Bade Company, \$202.07.

For sewer in East Twenty-second street, north of East Stark street, to the Pine-street sewer, John Bays, \$305.77.

For sewer in Sacramento street, from East Seventh to sewer in Union avenue, John Hays, \$393.39.

For sewer in Mississippi avenue, from Skidmore to sewer in Shaver street, John Bays, \$512.50.

For the improvement of Russell street, from the west line of block 2, Brendle's Addition, to the west line of block 1, Probstel's Addition, Rilly & Stevens, \$333.74.

Bids for street and sewer improvements were opened as follows:

Patton avenue—Lind & Manning, \$4,250.19; N. H. Golden & Co., \$322.81; Debuhr & Bauer, \$2308.40; John Kiernan, \$2497.13; J. R. O'Neill, \$4480.42; Pacific Construction Company, \$3759.70.

Sixteenth street—Rilly & Stevens, \$330.53; N. B. Golden & Co., \$619.43.

Ivy street—Lind & Manning, \$715.35; John Jennings, \$601.23; Rilly & Stevens, \$603.00; Debuhr & Bauer, \$557.89; J. R. O'Neill, \$809.82; Gleibisch & Joplin, \$687.49.

Sewer in East Ninth street—Rilly & Stevens, \$298.40; Portland Asphalt Company, \$298.30; John Bays, \$292.94.

All the bids, which were far below the estimates of City Engineer Chase, were referred to for examination.

NOTHING TO WEAR.

The Portland girls who are attending Bryn Mawr—or Lawn Mower, as it is called when translated—are now realizing the full force of the old song about having nothing to wear, for the bulk of their wardrobes were burned up in the dormitory fire there. They telegraphed their folks in Portland that they had little clothing left, and funds have been sent to them. As the dormitory "and contents" were probably insured for full value, the girls ought to get a slice of the insurance money, but most likely will instead be tendered a vote of thanks by the faculty for their heroic work in trying to put out the fire while their wardrobes burned.

TUG FOR THE BAR.

In response to a request from the Chamber of Commerce, President Mohler, of the O. R. & N., has placed one of its big tugs at the disposal of the Government engineers to be used in sounding the depth, etc. of the Columbia river bar. This was done because of a rumor that the bar was shoaling.

A committee composed of W. B. Ayer and W. J. Burns was instructed to call on Mr. Mohler with the request for the use of a tug for the above named purpose. Mr. Mohler readily assented, and the Oregon bar pilots have been asked to co-operate in the work.

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HETTY'S HUSBAND DEAD.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
 BELLOVA FALLS, Vt., March 20.—Edward Green, husband of Hetty Green, the richest woman in the world, died here today.

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The reader will profit by observing the new idea interjected into the advertising of the Chase Oil & Paint Co. and J. N. Bristol in another column. It will pay to cut these coupons out.

BUCKSHOT!

Remedy Suggested for Rosebush Thieves.

The Journal is in receipt of a communication which says, among other matters: "We read a great deal about floral societies to educate the people in rose culture, so as to decorate our yards for the fair, etc., but what are we going to do to keep sneak thieves from stealing our plants and shrubs?"

It appears that the residents of Albina are suffering from depredations of this sort to no small degree. Several choice rose bushes, as well as other plants, have been taken from a number of yards there recently. One who suffered in this way last Sunday night, presumably, The Journal's correspondent, offers a remedial suggestion as follows:

"I would rig up a burglar alarm in the house and connect it by wires to each one of the choice plants, the wires to run underground to the bedroom. I would also keep a shotgun at hand loaded with buckshot. Since there will be plenty of light from the street lamps, it would be an easy matter to brand these vandals at a range of a block or less. I would aim to hit the mark. For all those not provided with a gun I would suggest that a revolver might do, and that it would be the proper thing to put in all one's spare time in practice shooting."

The Journal correspondent hardly needs to ask what remedy to adopt to prevent the pilfering of plants, inasmuch as her (or his) fertile mind has found a way out of the difficulty. It might be well to amend the suggestion of using buckshot by substituting rock salt. Before now this has been found an efficacious remedy for watermelon thieves, and it would probably answer equally as well for rosebush thieves.

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CINCHED HIM.

How One Passenger Agent Bested Another.

There are two hustlers for several railroad companies in the East who strike Portland their home. Among their multifarious duties they are expected to corral people who are intending to go East and to sell them tickets. Competition in this direction at times becomes quite fierce. Not long since these two rustlers for passengers got into an interesting mix-up. For purposes of identification, they may both be known as Smith, principally because that isn't their names, although the name of one is just the same as the other.

One of the Smiths met a prospective customer. He took him out to dinner, jollied him, invited him to the theater and did all he could to make things pleasant for him. The man appreciated the kindness, handed out to him his check like this, and when Smith No. 1 gently insinuated that he would like to ticket the man over his road to Chicago, the stranger agreed to patronize him next time he came to town. Smith No. 1 gave him his card and told him to be sure and call.

A week or two later the stranger put on his new boots and came up to Portland. He turned himself loose on Third street with Smith No. 1's card in his hand, and began walking up and down looking for the number of the office his railroad friend inhabited. While so doing, Smith No. 2, out browsing for "victims,"

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