

READY FOR THE CITIZENS' TICKET

Democratic Caucus Advocates Fusion—Nominations Wednesday Night.

The citizens' ticket is now an assured fact. The caucus of Democratic delegates to the county convention decided that way Saturday night by the decisive vote of 130 to 40. The minority gracefully acquiesced in the opinion of the majority and a motion to make the decision unanimous was enthusiastically adopted.

There was little or no debate on the subject of fusion, but the report of the stormy discussion. The report of the caucus was the topic of a four-hour stormy discussion. The report of the committee as was outlined in The Journal Saturday was adopted with one important and two or three minor changes.

The important change was giving the office of County Auditor, which under the proposed new charter is a powerful one, to the Democrats instead of to the Republicans, and giving in lieu thereof to the Republicans the office of County Treasurer.

The County Judge was then allotted to the Republicans and the County Commissioner to the Democrats.

In regard to the office of City Councilmen the report of the steering committee was changed in a few of the words. The Republicans are willing to concede to the Democrats the office of Sheriff, and this question is left to a committee of five to be appointed by Chairman John Van Zante, with power to act. This virtually gives Mr. Van Zante the naming of the candidate for the most lucrative office in the county.

While at times there was turmoil and confusion in the caucus, such as is wont to be displayed at Democratic gatherings, there was no ill feeling, and the meeting may be said to have been a harmonious one. The county chairman had no control over the delegates and the caucus at most times pursued the even tenor of its way.

After the apportionment was agreed upon, it was decided to hold another caucus Wednesday evening, when the Democratic candidates will be selected. After this is done the caucus will resolve itself into the county convention and a minor

officer will be nominated in order to meet the requirements of the law. No other candidates will be named by the convention proper, as they will be brought out by petition as citizen nominees.

The apportionment agreed upon is as follows:

State Senator, Democrat; Joint Senator, Republican; Legislative ticket—Six Democrats, two of whom it is agreed shall belong to labor unions, and one to the "Good Government Association," and six Republicans, two of whom it is agreed shall belong to labor unions, and one to the "Good Government Association"; Joint Representative, Democrat; Sheriff, left to a committee, with power to act; County Judge, Republican; County Commissioner, Democrat; County Treasurer, Republican; County Clerk, Republican; County Assessor, Republican; County Coroner, Republican; County Auditor, Democrat; East and West Side Justices of the Peace, Democrats; East and West Side Constables, Republicans; Mount Tabor and Multnomah District Justices, Democrats; Mount Tabor and Multnomah District Constables, Democrats.

City offices—Mayor, Democrat; City Auditor, Republican; City Treasurer, Republican; City Attorney, Democrat; Municipal Judge, Democrat; City Engineer, Democrat; Councilmen—First Ward, Democrat; Second Ward, Democrat; Third Ward, Republican; Fourth Ward, Republican; Fifth Ward, Republican; Sixth Ward, Republican; Seventh Ward, Democrat; Eighth Ward, Democrat; Ninth Ward, Democrat; Tenth Ward, Democrat; Eleventh Ward, Republican.

Road Supervisors—District 58, Democrat; District 59, Republican; District 60, Republican; District 61, Republican; District 62, Democrat; District 63, Democrat; District 64, Republican; District 65, Republican; District 66, Republican; District 67, Republican; District 68, Republican; District 69, Republican; City Road Supervisor, Republican.

HANDS IT OUT TO MILLIONAIRES

(Journal Special Service.)
NEW YORK, April 12.—Warner Van Norden, president of the Bank of North America, whose two daughters deserted the circles of the 400 to become Salvation army lassies, appeals to the churches to save the souls of the millionaires.

He chided modern preachers at a meeting of the Presbyterian Union and he is quoted in the same strain in an afternoon paper. He is reported as saying: "Whoever has heard of a sinner being converted in one of our big churches? I mean a real sinner—some big millionaire, a pure-proud and hard-hearted, or some crime-tainted, hardened criminal? Not one of you."

"What we ought to strive for is to convert millionaires and take them out of their wretched, selfish lives and the women, those foolish butterflies who are wasting their lives. We speak of sin in the abstract and Russell Sage smiles and rubs his hands and says: "That's right."

"It has become nothing less than a scandal that so many millionaires leave their work for three or four months of the year. There are many of the rich lads who take a vacation from church activities, not merely for three months, but for the whole year.

"If poor people come to a fashionable church, among wealthy persons, they are made to feel uncomfortable, and so they stay away. Creed is not the all important question confronting the Presbyterian church.

"The problem is to find a way to cure the rich of their coldness and indifference."

UP IN ARMS

Mass Meeting to Oppose License to Beer Garden.

The following announcement was read in the several churches of the Eighth ward yesterday:

"All good citizens of the Eighth ward are invited to attend a mass meeting to be held at 609 Milwaukee street, at 8 P. M., on Tuesday evening, April 15, 1902, for the purpose of remonstrating against the establishment of a beer garden, dance hall and gambling den, which is about to be located near the foot of Beason street, on the river bank. It is earnestly urged upon all people, especially fathers and mothers of young boys and girls, that they assemble to lawfully protest against the issuance of a license to this resort, to be opened at the very doors of respectable citizens of a respectable neighborhood."

"Up to a couple of years ago," a citizen of the Eighth ward yesterday remarked, "there was located on Ross Island one of the most notoriously vile resorts on the Pacific Coast. It was the breeding place of more vice and crime than half the other similar dens in the city. When it was burned the hearts of decency rejoiced and it was hoped that the place would not be re-established."

"The distance between the river bank on the east side and Ross Island, is about 100 to 150 feet, and the bank at that point is so steep it is almost impossible to scale it. Then, John Kiernan, owner of Ross Island, it is understood, refuses to lease it again for the purpose it was used for before. For these reasons, and the further one that the City & Suburban's Brooklyn branch passes near by the proposed resort, it is contemplated to re-establish the old Ross Island den right on the border of a community of homes of respectability. We propose to combat this attempt at luring indecency before our doors, and shall appeal to the City Council to refuse a license for the saloon, or garden, or whatever it may be called."

any offered elsewhere in Portland. In addition to this, the enterprising company, to test the value of The Journal as an advertising medium, has offered these further reductions, represented by the printed coupons.

This experiment, made by one of the foremost citizens of Portland, the manager of the Meyer Clothing Company, and carried out by means of The Journal, Portland's newest and brightest newspaper, has already proved itself a success. In this way in the neighborhood of 100 people have saved the subscription price of The Journal for nearly two months in advance.

The advertisement will appear three times this week; today, Wednesday and Friday, and the coupons may be used any and all days during the present week. The number of people taking advantage of this offer will undoubtedly be large, and the old rule of first come, first served, is always in force. A word to the wise is sufficient.

HAIR-NECKERS.

"Recital" of the New Order of Sprout-Growers.

When the members of the No-Shave Neck Club held their weekly recital Saturday night in the barn of the president, Whiskers McCarty, it was plain to be seen that something out of the ordinary had happened. The old man, after anointing his thatch with bay rum, by way of refreshment, arose.

"It has come to my knowledge," said he, "that one of the members of this organization has weakly crawled and went and gone and had his neck shaved under the schedule fixed by the Barber's Union. I refer to Rufus Schneider—Rufus, the red-headed member, who keeps his aerie on the verdant apex of Mt. Tabor. I caught him in the act. He said he had to do it because his wife kicked so much about his red sprouts growing out on his neck. What shall we do with the offender?"

Pompadour Olson, after taking a drink of water from the president's shaving mug, which stood on the table, took the floor. He contended that while Rufus had undoubtedly violated his obligation, there was nothing in the rules of the order that provided for a case like this. "When a man's wife—especially one like Schneider's—insists upon a thing being done it has to be done, and that is all there is about it," said he.

Then he adverted to the fact that there couldn't be anything in the rules of the order to forbid anything, because the organization was too new, and there wasn't any rules, or constitution or by-laws or anything to govern it. It was decided to pigeon-hole the complaint and to inform Rufus that he was forgiven, but that if he ever did a thing like that again, he should be fired from the club.

An altercation arose between two of the members as to the length of hair on their respective necks since all had subscribed to the No-Shave Neck Club movement. Actual measurement showed that the hair on one neck was equally as long as that upon the other, betokening equality of growth. The remarkable discovery was made that the hairy growth on the neck of Whiskers McCarty was longer than that which Pompadour Olson sported. The beautiful convolutions in the skin of McCarty's neck resemble those of a Cotswold ram. Why this should be so, why McCarty's mane was longer than that of any one else, was happily solved by Lather-Brush Thompson. He forced the admission that McCarty had not washed his neck since the beginning of Lent, so that the hair had a richer and more fertile soil to grow in. The club adjourned to meet at any old place the president should see fit to select.

And the 5-cent shave on the neck still holds good, by the order of the Barbers' Union.

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Custom Made Ladies' Silk Under Garments, Wraps, Waists, Etc.

333 Morrison St., Marquam Bldg.

TICKET TROUBLES.

Action by Local Line Concerning Signatures.

An Eastern court recently decided that a passenger has the right to delegate to a broker or other person authority to sign the passenger's name to a railroad ticket. The question was brought up in a case of this nature:

A ticket was allowed to leave the office of a ticket agent without being signed. The broker, with the passenger's consent, signed the latter's name to the ticket. On the train the conductor requested the passenger to write his name. He did so. Inasmuch as handwriting differed from that on the ticket, he was unable to identify himself with it, so he was ejected from the train and his ticket taken up. In the action for damages which followed the court held as has been stated.

Since it has been judicially determined that a passenger has the right to delegate authority to a broker to sign his name for him and that railroad companies are obliged to take cognizance of the same, passenger officials will be more than usually vigilant hereafter. Indeed, the general passenger agent of one line has already taken action to this effect. In a circular letter sent out to representatives of other lines it says, substantially: "As a courtesy to your company we have been permitting yourself and the other employees of your office to secure from our office tickets which have not been signed by the original purchaser, with the understanding that you would secure such signatures before allowing the tickets to go out of your possession. I want a record of this understanding in our office, and would be glad to receive from you an explicit agreement that, on any tickets which we allow you or your employees to take out of our office, without having the signature of the passenger, that you will, prior to permitting them to go out of your office, see that they are personally signed by the individual who is to be transported on them."

"This, of course, subject to the usual rules which permits the head of a fam-

ily to sign tickets for each of the members thereof, but under the same conditions which apply in such cases. Please also state that in the event of the failure of yourself or any of your employees to secure the required signatures, your company will assume and pay to this company or its connections any expense which the ——— or its connections may be compelled to bear on account of the failure to secure said signatures."

BIGGEST ON EARTH

(Journal Special Service.)
NEW YORK, April 12.—The consolidation of the great jobbing interests of the country, which has been pending for some time was completed today and it was decided that the capitalization of the combine should be \$120,000,000. It is expected that a vast number of houses which have not yet become members of the combine, awaiting the result of the consolidation, will join as soon as it is generally known that the consolidation has taken place.

This is stated by the Iron Age to be the largest mercantile house in the world and is a new feature of the combine idea which will be watched with close interest. The financing of the company is attended to by Moore & Schley of New York and George B. Hill & Co. of Pittsburgh.

It is intended to incorporate under the laws of New Jersey and the capital of \$120,000,000 will be divided into \$40,000,000 preferred and \$80,000,000 common stock. The preferred will be a 6 per cent cumulative stock. The general headquarters for buying and selling and transportation goods will be in St. Louis. The Eastern headquarters will be in New York.

Planning for Votes.

If you want his vote give him a good cigar—and you can always be sure to get a good one if you buy it at Sig Stichel & Co., 92 Third street.

LIKE FINDING MONEY.

The trading checks in the advertisements of The Journal are like finding money. Have you seen them?

SANDY LOST HIS CLOTHES.

"What's your business—what do you do for a living?"

"I am the general traveling agent of the American Book Company of Chicago."

This was the prelude to a very amusing scene in the police court Saturday. Fred Taylor had just pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing almost the entire wardrobe of a friend named Sandy Jackson, and the question asked him by Judge Cameron. The prisoner is a roughly-dressed colored boy, about 17, and the reply he made to the court was so ridiculous that no one who heard it could repress a smile. Judge Cameron, in his dignity, covered his neatly-groomed mustache with a handkerchief. Composing himself he asked:

"Representing such an important concern, why did you steal?"

"I was hungry and wanted to eat."

"Ever been in trouble before?"

"Oh yes, but I always got out of it."

"But how did you work it?"

"In different ways, but I always squared the cases before I was convicted."

Taylor answered all questions in a frank and smiling manner and did not seem to care much whether "school kept or not." He has been an inmate of the State Reform school.

OREGON CITY.

OREGON CITY, April 14.—County Commissioner John Lewellen and Deputy County Clerk O. D. Eby made an apportionment of the county road fund last Saturday for this year, the greater part of which has already been collected by the Sheriff along with the tax levy. The total amount raised by the tax levy will approximate \$55,246.45. Of this amount \$13,156.53 was set apart pro rata from each district as a general road fund to be used in the purchase of plank for roads, road graders, etc. This leaves \$32,112.92 to be distributed among the 37 road districts pro rata according to their taxation. The County Board of Commissioners was charged in the Citizens' convention platform with having made an unfair distribution of the road fund in order to aid the political machine to carry certain precincts in past years, but this apportionment will show the exact amount to which each district is entitled.

The Retail Merchants' Association, who have been agitating the matter of a local convention of the Fourth of July for several weeks past, had called a public meeting to be held next Monday night, when it is expected some permanent arrangements will be under way. The Oregon City Manufacturing Company has begun the manufacture of woolen and cassimere shirts and underclothing in connection with the woolen mill. Already a dozen girls are employed running sewing machines, and more help will be added.

Myrtle Lodge, Degree of Honor, entertained its members and friends with a pleasing program in its hall Saturday night. Among the numbers was an address by A. S. Dresser, vocal solos by Miss Mary Conyers and W. L. Little, instrumental selections by Miss Veda Williams and Mr. Dresser, recitations by Misses Lulu Albee and Ona Dowdy and Master Charles Robinson, and a comic farce.

Mrs. William Andresen entertained about 20 women at her home Saturday afternoon with an elaborate luncheon. Among those present from Portland were: Mrs. A. E. Graham, Mrs. Alden Graham, Mrs. W. H. Streever, Mrs. Herbert Thorpe, Mrs. J. M. Lawrence, Miss Alice Glasspool.

Mrs. C. R. Zumwalt of Perrydale, Polk County, who was visiting her son, ex-Councilman W. B. Zumwalt, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. Nellie Gustin, president of the Grand Lodge of Rebekahs, made Williams' Lodge an official visit Friday night, accompanied by several members of the order from Portland. A reception was given the visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Webb of Portland visited Sheriff J. J. Cooke and family yesterday.

LIVESTOCK SHIPMENTS.

C. J. Mills, livestock agent for the O. R. & N. Company, returned Saturday from Eastern Oregon, where he went Monday, to oversee the loading of cattle and sheep shipments for Chicago. He states that the company loaded out 29 cars of cattle and sheep from Echo and 32 of sheep from Elgin, all destined for Chicago. Later in the week 24 cars of sheep were shipped out from Echo for the ranges of Montana. These were purchased by John Towne for Vey Brothers and Joseph Cunha.

Speaking of the latter shipment, Mr. Mills said: "This was the finest bunch of sheep ever shipped out of Echo for range purposes. They were all in the wool—that is, unshorn. I do not think there will be any more sheep shipments of any considerable size until after the shearing season, because it is too warm."

Mr. Mills will leave Monday morning for Montana, where he will attend meetings of the Round-Up Association to be held at Miles City and at Helena.

HERE'S 75 CENTS.

Moyer Clothing Company is Distributing Money.

The large advertisement of the Moyer Clothing Company on page eight of today's Journal is well worth the attention of all readers.

Stop and analyze this advertisement for a moment. The effort will not be a waste of time, and it will do you good.

It is an immediate opportunity for a man to save money (and be positively sure of it) in purchasing a suit of clothes, and the same opportunity is placed in the hands of all mothers who purchase clothes for their children during this week.

The advertisement is as plain as the nose on your face. In the center of the advertising space is printed a large coupon good for 75 cents in money when taken to the Moyer Clothing Company, Third and Oak streets, and used as money in purchasing clothes. The same coupon was printed Wednesday and Friday of last week in The Journal, and dozens of people clipped out coupons and used them in the purchase of suits of the Moyer Clothing Company.

The prices charged by the Moyer Clothing Company, quality considered, are acknowledged to be as reasonably low as

WAR UPON THE BLACKMAILERS

(Journal Special Service.)
NEW YORK, April 14.—Banking syndicates representing the most important financial interests in the city have, at a meeting just held, formally agreed to conduct an active warfare on what Wall street terms "hold-up" schemes. It was determined that hereafter no more blackmail will be paid to those individuals who, when new enterprises are launched, attempt to hold up the consolidation or financial flotation by legal processes until a "settlement" is made.

It was agreed that henceforth no moneys will be paid for a peaceful and quiet settlement of any deal, but that as soon as any attempt at a "hold-up" is discovered, the matter shall be fought out to the end in the courts. It was also announced that a movement already has begun to unearth the leaders of the system of financial blackmail, who are declared to have been actively at work for the past two years or more.

Leading Wall street men who have been engaged in the promotion of consolidations repeatedly have stated that they were compelled to buy up "trouble promoters" as soon as the plans were nearing completion. They were too busy, they said, to take the chances of a delay in the completion of their plans, and so they were compelled to subsidize individuals in order to obtain peace. It is reported that as much as \$250,000 has been paid recently by a single banking interest in Wall street to avoid an aggressive litigation by one of the members of the clique.

CRIMES OF A DAY.

An unknown negro, who shot and killed Deputy Sheriff J. B. Thomas, near Victoria, La., was captured by a mob of 50 and shot to pieces.

J. S. Keel, ex-president of the Montana Society of Civil Engineers, and a prominent mining engineer of Helena,

CELEBRATED AUCTION.

(Journal Special Service.)
PARIS, April 14.—An auction sale was commenced at the Hotel Drouot today of the furniture, marbles and pictures collected by the Vicomtesse de Ranneville, the famous Royalist, who was conspicuous at the time of the presidency of Marshal MacMahon.

Have you tried Peacock hard wheat flour?

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A. A. Crane et ux to Faith Youmans, 5/8 of lot B, Washington add \$ 675.00
G. J. Wolfer and Othello Wolfer to C. M. Crittendon, lots 38, 37, 38, blk 1, lots 9, 10, blk 3, Frances add 625.00
Title Guarantee & Trust Company to Alice C. Hanna, lot 9, blk 10, "Elton's" add 675.00
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