

# RIVAL PARADES AND RALLIES WILL CLOSE CAMPAIGN TONIGHT

### Traveling Men's Tom Word Club Will Have Great Demonstration.

### REPUBLICANS ALSO WILL HAVE MUSIC AND ORATORY

### Rival Processions Will Be Upon Streets at Same Hour—Withycombe Will Speak at Empire—Word Rally Occurs on Seventh.

Tonight will see the end of the state and county political campaigns. Governor Chamberlain will deliver his last speech tonight at Astoria. He will then return to Portland to spend Sunday with his family. Monday morning he will go to Salem, he says, to work, whatever the result of the election may be.

Candidate Withycombe will also go back to his work on Monday morning, bright and early. He will spend Sunday in Portland, but will return to Corvallis to resume his duties as instructor in the agricultural college with the beginning of the week.

Tonight is the night for the transportation processions. The political parades have been exceedingly few this campaign, but tonight this will be made up in a measure by two rival processions, which will travel the streets at the same hour.

**Traveling Men to Parade.**  
At 7 o'clock the parade of the traveling men will start from Second street near the corner of Stark. All Tom Word men are urged to be present to swell the demonstration. The concourse will pass through the principal streets and finally to Seventh street, between Morrison and Alder streets, where the big Tom Word demonstration will take place. Edgar Allen will wield the gavel, while Stephen S. Wise, Henry

McGinn and the sheriff will be among the speakers. The Republican parade will start at the same hour from in front of the headquarters of Washington street. De Caprio's Administration band will furnish the music and the paraders will spend an hour in the streets previous to the final rally in the Empire theatre. Hon. George H. Williams will preside and will deliver the most extensive speech of the evening. He will introduce Mr. Withycombe, who will be followed by ex-Governor Geer, who will take occasion to explain more fully what he will call the inconsistencies of Mr. Chamberlain's claims. The Republican main quartet will furnish the music.

**Rally in Open Air.**  
The Democratic county central committee will conduct its final rally in the open air in Lowndale square, near the courthouse. Mayor Harry Lane and Hon. C. E. S. Wood will be the leading speakers. George L. Hushin, Isaac Sweet, John Van Zant and Oglesby Young, legislative and county candidates, will also be heard in short talks. The meeting of the Democrats at Fairview last night was largely attended and the orators were enthusiastically received. Hon. C. E. S. Wood delivered the principal address. Ed Cahalin, candidate for the legislature, also occupied the rostrum.

Another good meeting was held last night at St. John's. E. J. McAllister made a strong plea for the reelection of Tom Word, William Horan spoke on Democratic principles and Isaac Sweet dealt in particular with the legislative block as the men upon whom devolves the making or unmaking of the laws of the land.

The employees of the city departments, who are divided, especially as the election is near, are claimed to be attached to the Republican low-line. All, it is said, have promised to "vote 'er solid."

A Republican rally at Newburg tonight will be addressed by George R. Brown. There will be a meeting of the candidates and workers at the Democratic county headquarters tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The final details for election day will be arranged at that time.

# RURAL ROUTE MEN GEER IS SPOTTED IN IN CONVENTION MS REPRESENTATION

### Letter Carriers Meet in Annual Session in Knights of Pythias Hall.

### DELEGATES COME FROM ALL PARTS OF STATE

### Meeting Is Addressed by Mayor Lane and Judge Webster—Officers Will Be Elected This Afternoon and Routine Business Transacted.

Delegates from every section of Oregon are attending the fourth annual session of the Oregon Rural Letter Carriers' association which met this morning in Knights of Pythias hall, Eleventh and Alder streets.

The forenoon session today was devoted almost exclusively to the trans-



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action of routine business. At 2 o'clock this afternoon the session was opened by address of welcome by Mayor Harry Lane. He was succeeded by Judge Lionel R. Webster, who spoke on "Good Roads."

At the conclusion of the address the president of the association delivered his annual address. The election of officers for the ensuing year also took place this afternoon. Officers who have served during the past year are: A. E. Waldron, Oregon City; William A. Baysinger, Carlton; W. H. Boyd, Beaverton; E. B. Corbett, Albany; Charles H. Kelly, McMinnville; W. T. Eberhard, McMinnville; M. B. Grant, Dallas; J. C. Turner, Astoria; Archie Parker, Independence; Fred Spooner, Lents; R. G. Tweed, Lents; Lew Davies, Warren; S. A. Mills, Newburg.



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Members in attendance at the session are: J. H. Schram, Clemer, J. E. Cutsforth, Gervais; Franz Kraxberger, Aurora; J. H. Klene, Graysville; J. F. McCrory, Holbrook; Arnold Dycie, Portland; John H. Van Low, Cornelius; H. A. Waldron, Oregon City; William A. Baysinger, Carlton; W. H. Boyd, Beaverton; E. B. Corbett, Albany; Charles H. Kelly, McMinnville; W. T. Eberhard, McMinnville; M. B. Grant, Dallas; J. C. Turner, Astoria; Archie Parker, Independence; Fred Spooner, Lents; R. G. Tweed, Lents; Lew Davies, Warren; S. A. Mills, Newburg.

### Former Governor T. T. Geer resorted to deliberate misrepresentation last night in his speech in East Portland when in mentioning the fact that W. E. Thomas, the law partner of Governor Chamberlain, is agent for the state land board in the lending of funds, he gave the impression that the state pays Mr. Thomas and that Governor Chamberlain is the partner of Mr. Thomas.

After giving this false impression, Mr. Geer cunningly said: "Of course, the partnership has nothing to do with the agency."

Mr. Geer knew the facts, but as they contained no point, concealed the truth. Today Mr. Thomas exposes his detractor in the following plain statement:

"I am the agent of the state land board in Linn county, and have been for 15 years continuously. My last notice of reappointment came before Mr. Chamberlain was elected. It was from the state land board of which Governor Geer was a member. During the 15 years I have served I have never drawn a cent from the state. I pass upon the value of the lands and give a personal guarantee that the title is perfect. My compensation comes from the borrower, and not from the state. The agency is my own private business, and Governor Chamberlain has never shared in what I have received. He did not appoint me. The state land board has an agent in each county, and can remove that agent whenever it sees fit. The governor is only a member of the board. Since Governor Chamberlain has been in office no one has been appointed in my place, and I have simply continued in the position."

### PUBLIC MAY KILL TAX BOARD TO-MORROW

### Commission's Work Will Be Abrogated If Initiative Acts Are Passed.

### MEASURES SHOULD BE VOTED DOWN AT POLLS

### Commission, After Year of Study, Better Qualified to Decide Issue Than Citizens Who Have Given Matter No Great Consideration.

Though the authors of the respective propositions may not know it, few of the people are required to vote upon next Monday will, if carried, practically abrogate the purpose for which the state tax commission was brought into existence. This is the opinion of the members of the tax commission themselves. The propositions referred to are entitled:

"For an act requiring sleeping car companies, refrigerator car companies and oil companies to pay an annual license upon gross earnings."

"For an act requiring express companies, telegraph companies and telephone companies to pay an annual license upon gross earnings."

Nothing is said relating to corporations. But everybody knows that there are no shortcomings of the tax laws as they relate to private citizens, that the difficulties are all in regard to the assessment and collection of taxes on corporations. It is generally understood that the state tax commission was brought into existence for the purpose of making a close study of conditions in the corporation system of the state with a view to compelling the corporations to bear their share of the burden of government.

Before the commission has finished its study, before the commissioners well-meaning citizens who propose to settle the whole question by two laws drawn without the benefit of the closer study made by the commissioners.

That this is the situation as viewed by the commissioners themselves is evidenced by the following significant statement made by F. W. Mulkey, chairman of the commission, in an interview today:

"If the propositions do pass, the tax commission will regard their passage as a revocation of their powers to that extent, and will therefore not submit any further proposed legislation for the taxation of the companies covered by the bills."

Mr. Mulkey declined to talk further upon the subject, since the commission had not made any official declaration on the matter. It was plain, nevertheless, that he considered the proposed acts an infringement upon the function of the commission, and believed that his passage would be rather a hindrance upon the movement to secure a just taxation of the corporations, especially corporations of a distinctly public nature.

To vote for these measures the voter will stamp a cross after the numbers 216 and 220. To vote against them he will stamp a cross after the numbers 219 and 221 on the official ballot.

### OFFERS BIG REWARD FOR BOMB THROWERS

Madrid, June 2.—A reward of 25,000 pesetas is offered for the arrest or discovery of men who contemplate another bomb outrage.

How poor Mr. Bourne has been abused, to be sure. And how meek he is.

### Evening O. R. & N. Train Will Possibly Be Able to Pass Through Flood District.

### FIVE PILE DRIVERS ARE BEING UTILIZED IN WORK

### Construction Gangs Labor Night and Day to Repair Damage Caused by Water Between Echo and Meacham—Manager O'Brien Talks.

There is this afternoon a strong prospect that the main line of the O. R. & N. Co. from Portland east will be open to through traffic tomorrow and that train No. 4 from Portland tomorrow night will go through to Huntington. By strenuous work on the part of General Manager O'Brien, Chief Engineer Boschke, General Superintendent Buckley and Division Superintendent Campbell and a force of 500 men great progress has been made in the work of repairing the damage done by the floods between Echo and Meacham.

Mr. O'Brien arrived home at noon today from the flooded district. To the Journal he said:

"I cannot be positive, but in my opinion the line will be open tomorrow and train No. 6, leaving Portland tomorrow night, will get through. We have five pile drivers at work and 500 men along the line rushing repair work as fast as possible. The flood was very severe, and did great damage at points between Echo and Pendleton and from Cayuse to Meacham. On Wednesday the water came down from Meacham in a volume so heavy that it was running six feet deep through the Meacham tunnel."

Mr. O'Brien said he was expecting further advice late today from M. J. Buckley, general superintendent, who is still on the ground. If tomorrow evening's train from Portland does not get through, a train will be made up at Pendleton and sent east. A further statement from Mr. O'Brien on the situation will be forthcoming in Sunday morning's Journal.

### WARDS OF JUVENILE COURT REPORT TO JUDGE

### Bring Reports From Their Teachers Regarding Deportment and Scholarship.

Eighty-four boys, from 3 to 15 years of age, reported to Judge Fraser in the juvenile court this morning and brought with them reports from their school teachers on their deportment and scholarship during the last month.

The reports of the teachers show that the probation system of the juvenile court is helpful to many boys, and that 80 of the 84 are doing better work in school and behaving themselves better since they became wards of the court than they did before. Each boy's report is sent by the teacher in a sealed envelope and is opened by Judge Fraser in the presence of all the boys and read. None of the boys knows what his report is until he hears it read by the judge.

Before the reading of the reports, the boys were addressed by Mr. George Spencer Clapman, a lecturer from New Zealand, who gave them an interesting description of his home and of the natives there.

After all the reports were read, the boys were taken for a free ride on Hale's scenic railway by Clerk Marlow R. Johnson and Detective H. H. Hartley.

### FRANCHISE ORDINANCE AMENDED BY COUNCIL

The franchise ordinance of the United Railways company has been amended that the city may buy the front street line of the United Railways company at any time in the future without buying the entire system.

The council at the special meeting yesterday afternoon passed the amending ordinance for which the Initiative One Hundred has been pending, and the members of the committee of that organization express themselves as satisfied that the interests of the city are now protected.

Judge Seneca Smith drew up the ordinance amending the franchise ordinance passed at the last council meeting, and this was passed, under suspension of the rules, with only four dissenting votes, those of Gray, Kellahan, Preston and Shopher. This ordinance authorized the mayor to enter into a contract with the United Railways company which provides that the city may buy the front street line at any time it deems expedient. A resolution was also passed ordering a new franchise ordinance to be drawn which will embody the new contract.

### Plans for Florida.

Philadelphia capitalists are planning to make St. Petersburg, Florida, one of the most important seaports of the South Atlantic states. The town is located on Tampa bay, which has water 25 feet deep, sufficient for all coastwise vessels.

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# OVERINDULGENCE IN DRINK WRECKS MIND OF A BRILLIANT MAN

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)  
Phoenix, Ariz., June 2.—Police Judge Johnston has called Martin Ramsey, whom leading citizens declare to be Prof. Ramsey's son, one of the most brilliant of men of pedagogic ideas, formerly of Stanford university. Ramsey was given 24 hours to leave town.

Ramsey is the son of Rev. Samuel Ramsey, who began teaching him Sanscrit at the age of six years. Young Ramsey was educated at the Academy of Seville, Spain, and Gregorian college at Rome. He graduated from Columbia in 1894 and did his first work while taking post-graduate courses as teacher for the American conference at Washington and for the chief clerk in the secret service department.

For seven years Ramsey was professor of Roman languages in Columbia, beginning in 1894 and serving as director of the summer school in 1895 and 1896. In the meantime he married. He then taught at Johns Hopkins and at Leland Stanford universities, and because of hard work his strength gave away and he became addicted to stimulants.

The man destined to prominent positions that he was Professor Ramsey, and gave his career as stated. He fell from grace and was finally turned adrift. He told the judge he would go to Old Mexico, hoping to cure himself of his falling. It is said liquor and drugs caused his retirement from Stanford.

These reports find support in the fact that Fraulein Bertha Krupp, the world's richest woman, who owns the controlling interest in the concern, which in 1900 was capitalized at 160,000,000 marks (\$40,000,000), has announced her engagement, not to a technical man, as has long been anticipated, but to a

young diplomat and former military officer of no business experience.

Since her father's death it has been commonly understood that Emperor William has been her matrimonial adviser. Americans may not generally know the tradition that is current in Essen and believed by thousands, that Miss Krupp's father, who died in a hospital in November, 1902, did not die at all, but is alive and hiding in a distant clime to avoid disgrace incident to a scandal which, if he really did die, is popularly supposed to have led him to commit suicide.

held. Committees especially appointed for the purpose will go to the various cemeteries where Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors are buried after the services and decorate their graves in appropriate manner.

### CONSENT DENIED FOR HEARING IN SMOOT CASE

(Journal Special Service.)  
Washington, June 2.—Senator Burdick, chairman of the committee on privileges and elections, in making a verbal report of the committee's action regarding Senator Smoot, asked for unanimous consent that the case be considered June 11.

Senators Teller objected to fixing the time before the formal report is made, saying, "I don't propose to act in response to clamor."

Unanimous consent was refused for fixing the day, as requested and the discussion ended.

Commissioners Nellis and Reynolds today in their report on the Chicago packing-house conditions to the president. It contains 4,900 words.

### SON OF WEYLER, NOT SPANISH GENERAL, HURT

(Journal Special Service.)  
Madrid, June 2.—Four more deaths of victims of the dynamite bomb outrage occurred here today. The report that General Weyler was injured has proved untrue. It was a son of Weyler who was injured.

### TOURIST RELEASED—HE DID NOT THROW BOMB

(Journal Special Service.)  
Madrid, June 2.—Robert Hamilton, who was arrested on suspicion of being an accomplice of the anarchist bomb thrower, was released this morning. He proved to be a tourist. The general reception has been substituted for a state ball today.

### THOUSANDS ATTEND FUNERAL OF DAVITT

(Journal Special Service.)  
Dublin, June 2.—Michael Davitt's funeral was held today. The burial was at Stralade, County Mayo. Thousands came from all parts of the country to attend.

# SEE THE PAGE OF BEAUTIFUL BABIES

Pretty babies—nearly a page of them—are among the features of The Sunday Journal that will appeal to the mothers and fathers and grandparents of Oregon and Washington. The pictures of the boys and girls prove what has been said: That the Oregon country has the handsomest children in the world.

The babies are among those entered in The Sunday Journal's great prize contest. Hundreds of pictures of children in all parts of Oregon and Washington have been received, and many hundreds more will come in before the contest closes on June 30.

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### WHOLESALE DISTRICT THREATENED BY FIRE

By the explosion of a 5-gallon can of lacquer in the basement of Gillen-Chambers company's asbestos factory, 66 Front street, this morning, a blaze was started that for a time threatened to assume serious proportions. An alarm from box 51 brought a large portion of the department and the fireboat to the scene. Quick work prevented the spread of the flames and the damage to the basement is small, fully covered by insurance.

Voters.  
When you vote, remember that D. C. Burns, Republican candidate for the legislature, came to this country in 1881, became candidate for the legislature February 25, 1894, defeated a citizen February 27, 1895. Ought such a man to make our laws?

## Your Food

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