HANDS OUT TO PULL COFFEY OFF FENCE

Members of Union Republican Club Adopt Resolution Denouncing Candidates for Nomination Who Refuse to Pledge Support to the Ticket, Come What May.

Union Republican club orators had no respect for the cloth or the beverage last night at the meeting of the club, but they burst Mr. Parsons and boiled Mr. Coffey with hot and scalding words and left them practically outside the pale accurst with the weight of condemnatory resolutions attacking their consistency and Republicanism.

Teh only factor of peaceful inclination during the whole course of the meeting was J. M. Toomey, but his voice was too doleful and was drowned by the war song of W. Pike Davis et al. Mr. Toomey lost his chance for fame by butting into the inharmonious chorus of discord with a request to know. He desired to be informed how much ice it would cut with Mr. Coffey and Mr. Parsons if the Union Republican club did fail to indorse them or did condemn them by resolution. This was an unkind thrust on the part of Mr. Toomey when the organization was on the eve of signing up its fortieth active member.

That Forgotten Speech.

After J. F. Boothe had corrected the minutes by reminding President John Gill that he had made a speech the week before which had not been noted by the secretary, Mr. Davis suggested it would be a good time to hear the report of the city central committee regarding those candidates who had pledged themselves to support the slate.

Mr. Cake said that all the candidates had signed up and were entitled to health certificates except John B. Coffey and H. G. Parsons.

Pike Davis began to uncork the vial of wrath which he has been carrying about with him for a couple of weeks, but put the stopper back while Senator S. C. Beach introduced a long resolution which began by outlining the provisions of the platform and ended with a denunciation directed toward Mr. Coffey and Mr. Parsons and the following:

"Resolved, That the Union Republican club does hereby express its emphatic disapproval of such candidates and that their action does not entitle them to the support or confidence of Republicans."

Mr. Davis then began his remarks with a gentle suggestion. He stated that he had read in the papers where Judge Cameron had fined a negro $40 for attempting to flirt with a white girl and he suggested that it was about time to fine Mr. Coffey for flirting with the Republican party. He said that if Coffey or Parsons had intended to run as labor candidates they should have climbed upon the labor platform at first and not started to run in the Republican race with the intention of bolting the ticket should they not receive the nomination. "Coffey is placing himself above the Republican party," Mr. Davis said.

Mr. Toomey pleaded for peace. "I think the people will express their wishes and I don't think we will do ourselves any good by favoring one candidate above another," he argued. "I would like to know just what proportion of the voters of the city this club represents, anyway," he queried.

Smoke Out Ashamed Men.

S. C. Beach said the resolution was intended to make Republicans out of those who ran on the Republican platform and to smoke out men who were ashamed to stand on the Republican platform.

A. J. Fanno, George Hyland, George F. Boothe, Max Cohen, Judge L. R. Webster and Dudley Evans all added their mite to the flow of oratory after which the resolution was adopted unanimously.

Mr. Davis then moved that when the club adjourned it be to Monday night for the purpose of meeting with the city central committee and planning ways and means for the home stretch of the city campaign. Mr. Cake announced that the central committee would organize Monday evening.

Baker Defends "Solid Six."

George L. Baker defended himself from the attacks made against his candidacy for election to the council from the fourth ward. He said that at the time the council of 1900 granted the franchise on Fifth street to the Portland Street Railway company the action had been petitioned for by a large number of residents. The company was struggling in competition with the City & Suburban company and the council had been unanimous in granting the franchise. He also defended the "solid six" as a faction of the Republican party which would not be dictated to from the outside. Speaking of his bankruptcy proceedings he said that he was now paying his obligations dollar for dollar and his paper was at par.

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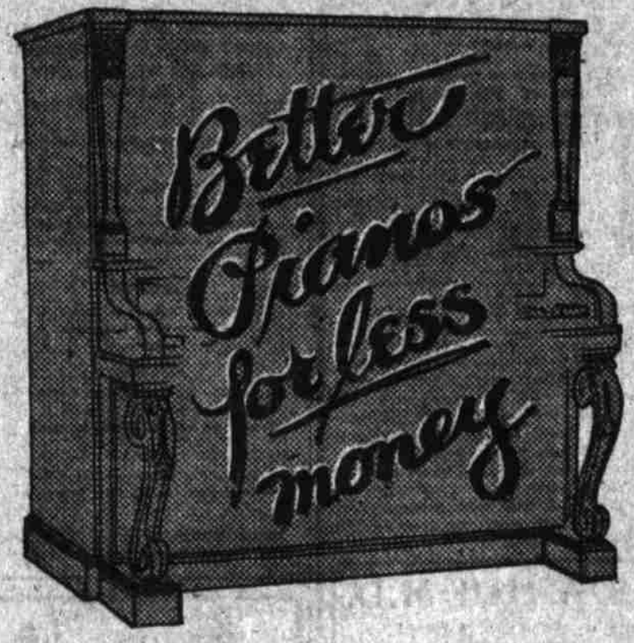

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CLAIM STRIKE IS BROKEN BEFORE BEING CALLED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Seattle, Wash., April 30.—Eighteen machinists from the east have arrived and have gone to work at the Moran ship yards. Almost as many from the east were accommodated at the Washington Iron works. The impending strike of workmen in the metal trades acted as a magnet to draw this skilled labor here, where the highest wages in the country are paid, with the possible exception of San Francisco. Very few machinists walked out at the Washington plant when the demand for increased wages, made two weeks ago, was refused.

The moulders, who threatened to walk out May 1, have taken no action. International President Valentine is at San Francisco and he must issue an order before the moulders can act.

J. V. Paterson, general manager of the Moran company, says the arrival of the eastern machinists has reduced the general strike move to an impossibility, as the men have seen with what facility skilled labor can be obtained in the east.

Notice.

To the Ice Trade of the City and the Northwest Territory:

Upon the return of summer weather we are compelled to cancel our winter rates and hope our effort to induce increased consumption of our product by continuing the low rates so long has been appreciated.

Owing to increase in the cost of the manufacture of ice and in order that the price shall not go above what you have previously enjoyed in recent years, we have arranged with the "Ice Delivery Co." a new corporation, for the delivery of our entire outputs.

Each plant will be interested in retaining all old customers and the procuring of new trade. Present arrangements will enable the Ice Delivery Co. to give much better service; drivers will appreciate greater responsibility; complaints can be better handled; expenses will be greatly lessened, which benefit will enure alike to the consumer and manufacturer.

Our individual interest and identity remain, and to patrons favoring the Ice Delivery Co. we are pleased to state that our combined capacity, energy and support will be at their command.

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PULLMAN TRAIN DITCHED AND NOBODY INJURED

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Nampa, Ida., April 30.—For years the Oregon Short Line has had an exceptionally clean record in disasters, but what was probably the most fortunate accident ever known on the line occurred six miles west of here yesterday, when a whole train of Pullman cars went into the ditch and not a person was injured.

While westbound train No. 5 was dashing along at a 60-mile clip it was wrecked. The engine struck a spread rail and the entire string of sleeping cars left the track. None of the cars was badly damaged and a delay of 12 hours was the only result.

NEZ PERCE RESERVATION IS TO BE SQUARED OUT

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Spokane, Wash., April 30.—The Nez Perce Indian reservation will have its boundaries shifted. This is the decision reached by Secretary Garfield and he has notified the land office at Lewiston to that effect. The secretary wants the borders to form a straight line, which will mean that white settlers will suffer the loss of much land, as the enlargement will include a triangular strip 24 miles long on either side. The dispute as to this boundary has been under consideration by the interior department since 1895.

BLOOM ON THE TREES SIMPLY FROZEN OFF

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Starbuck, Wash., April 30.—A heavy frost and freeze here Saturday night practically destroyed all prospects for a fruit crop this season. The peaches and cherries were all in bloom and the blooms were simply frozen off.

Colfax Hotel in Receiver's Hands.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Colfax, Wash., April 30.—The Hotel Whitman of Colfax is in the hands of a receiver. Mr. Thompson, who has been running it for the past three months, has made an assignment, and the property has been turned over, with Mr. McVeigh of Tekoa in charge.

Candidate for Councilman Fifth Ward For Re-Election

J. F. BOOTHE

AT THE THEATRES

"The Magic Melody" at Heilig.

The attraction at the Heilig theatre, Fourteenth and Washington, tonight, Wednesday and Thursday nights, will be the eminent actor, Walter Whiteside, in the beautiful comedy-drama success, "The Magic Melody."

Special Matinee at Heilig Tomorrow.

A special price matinee will be given at the Heilig theatre tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon, when Walter Whiteside in "The Magic Melody" will be the attraction. Curtain at 2:15 o'clock.

Seat Sale for Murray and Mack.

The advance seat sale will open Thursday morning, May 2, at the box office of the Heilig theatre for the famous Irish comedians, Murray and Mack, who come Saturday and Sunday nights, May 4 and 5, in their latest musical farce-comedy "Around the Town."

Lillian Russell at Heilig Monday.

The new comedy in three acts, "The Butterfly," by Kellett Chambers, now serves to introduce Miss Lillian Russell as a comedienne. Under the direction of Joseph Brooks, Miss Russell will appear in "The Butterfly" at the Heilig theatre next Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday nights, May 6, 7, 8 and 9. The new piece is a comedy of essentially up-to-date manners, with scenes laid in New York City and Saratoga.

Going to "The Dictator"?

The name of Richard Harding Davis has drawn many occasional visitors to the Baker this week to see "The Dictator." But they have been forced to admit that the play was never in better hands than in those of the incomparable Baker company. So they are telling all their friends to see "The Dictator" this week. It's a straight tip.

"Beware of Men" Matinee.

A play that stirs every sympathy is "Beware of Men," this week's strong attraction at the Empire. The Morrison street playhouse is becoming more and more popular since the reign of the splendid Seaman Stock company began. There will be a matinee of "Beware of Men" tomorrow.

"Sealed Lips" at Lyric.

The bill at the Lyric this week is the famous melodrama "Sealed Lips" and local critics declare it one of the best offerings ever made by the Lyric. This is the farewell week of the present stock organization, and all the old favorites may be seen to advantage. There will be a matinee every day this week; seats for any performance may be reserved by telephone.

Verna Felton's Hit.

This week Verna Felton is playing the star part at the Star theatre in "For Mother's Sake." As the boy who makes a fortune with his mining inventions, Miss Felton gives a fine piece of acting which compares well with the work of Marie Heath, for whom the character was written. "For Mother's Sake" is a comedy-drama, the first act, especially, being novel and unique. Matinees Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Seats should be ordered in advance.

"Only a Joke."

"Only a Joke" is the title of a sketch at the Grand this week which is a three-act farce boiled down to a few minutes. Emonds, Emmerson and Emonds offer this and they have made one of the hits of the bill. Archie Boyd, the character actor who has played in all the rural dramas of importance, presents a playlet, "After Many Years," which is a classic. The Three Flying Valentines have something new in the way of casting and the act is dressed different from any other act in vaudeville.

MACARTHUR WAITING AT SEATTLE FOR KUROKI

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Seattle, April 30.—Arrangements have been completed for the reception of General Kuroki, imperial Japanese representative to the Jamestown exposition. The reception is in charge of Lieutenant-General Arthur MacArthur, who has arrived here to accompany Baron Kuroki across the continent. The imperial party, accompanied by General MacArthur and his staff, will probably leave Seattle on the Northern Pacific Friday morning for Jamestown. Should the Aki Maru not arrive until Friday the start eastward will be made Saturday.

Burial of Explosion's Victims.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Black Diamond, Wash., April 30.—Work in the mines at this place and all business was suspended Sunday while almost the entire population turned out to attend the funerals of the three victims of Friday's explosion in the Morgan mine. The victims were Joe Belmonti, Philip Domenico and Albert Domini. The body of R. T. Reese was buried yesterday. No further developments have occurred relative to the disaster.

Troubles of Vision

often result from the coffee habit. Before consulting the optician, quit coffee and try

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Moonlight Mixtures—46 inches wide, strictly all wool, firm, hard twisted weave; very suitable for shirtwaist suits or jacket suits; $1.50 quality, Wed'day and Thursday. **$1.00**

Silk and Wool Novelties—42 inches wide, beautiful assortment of pretty shades, every one the newest coloring; very pretty for summer gowns; our $1.25 quality. Special Wednesday and Thursday. **$1.00**

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$1.50 Novelty Suitings $1.00—All our 54-inch Priestly and Jamestown in every late style, design and weave; all the fashionable color combinations in gray, tan, blue, green, brown; also pretty line of block checks. Specially priced at. **$1.00**

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36-Inch Black Taffeta—Warranted all silk, spot-proof, pretty Swiss finish; good $1.25 grade. Special Wednesday and Thursday, per yard. **98c**

27-Inch Black Taffeta—Fine rich lustrous finish, pure silk; well worth $1.00 yard. Our price, Wednesday and Thursday, per yard. **75c**

19-Inch Black Taffeta—Popular buckskin finish, warranted all silk, spotless black; good 75c grade. Special, Wednesday and Thursday. **59c**

Underwear and Hosiery

We have prepared to take care of your Underwear and Hosiery wants this season better than ever. Stocks are larger, assortments better, and the following interesting numbers at very interesting little prices will greet you for the first time tomorrow:

Women's Union Suits 89c

Women's fine white Union Suits, made of lisle thread, trimmed with fine Val. lace, silk tape, low neck, sleeveless, umbrella pants; one of the best wearing garments; usually sold at $1.50. Special tomorrow at. **89c**

Infants' Puritan Vests 25c

Large line of Infants' white mixed wool and cotton Vests (Puritan make), warranted the best and most durable garment made; our regular 35c and 40c garments. Special at. **25c**

Women's Summer Vests, 10¢.

300 dozen Women's white Swiss ribbed summer Vests, prettily trimmed with lace; have low neck, short sleeves; an exceptionally fine garment; sold elsewhere at 20c each. Our special price, each. **10c**

Women's Lisle Vests, 50¢.

Women's Imported Lisle Ribbed Vests with pretty hand-made lace yokes, low necks, no sleeves, silk tape—values up to 85c—only about 30 dozen in the lot. Specially priced for, each. **50c**

Boys' Stockings, 25¢.

Have just received a full line of boys' armor-clad and athletic Stockings, best stocking ever made for wear—have four-thread heel and toe, three-thread knee, are reenforced throughout—well worth 35c and 40c. Our price. **25c**

New Lace Stockings, 35¢.

An exceptionally pretty line of children's and misses' Lace Stockings; large variety of stylish designs, regular made, double sole, high spliced heel and toe; colors, white, pink, blue, and black—good 50c values—special, per pair. **35c**

Misses' Lisle Stockings, 17¢.

About 200 dozen misses' fine Lisle Ribbed Stockings in black and tan; made full fashioned; have high-spliced heel, extra heavy double sole, excellent wearing quality—well worth 25c—special tomorrow 17¢—3 pairs for. **50c**

Women's Fancy Hosiery.

An unequaled showing of women's fancy hosiery. Every desirable shade and pattern in lace, embroidered and polka dot styles. Colors, black, tan, pink, blue and white—prices range from $1 down to. **25c**

A Wonderful Sale of Embroideries and Laces

The best assortment of kinds and patterns ever shown in the city at prices that are unmatchable. Every woman who has home sewing to do requires a liberal supply of exactly these goods before the summer season starts. Every item here represents good, worthy embroideries and laces that you can depend upon, and when you consider how much of these goods you will use during the season it is well worth securing them now at these low prices.

Flouncing and Shirtwaist Embroideries

A most beautiful and largest showing of finest Gall Embroideries to be found anywhere in the city. Thousands of yards of the most beautiful patterns in shadow, eyelet, padded and cut effects. Special attention is called to the neatness and perfection of each piece. The regular selling prices of these embroideries are $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75. All at one price Wednesday. (See window display) **63c**

Baby Irish All-Overs

The most wanted lace of the season is the Baby Irish allovers. By a fortunate underpriced purchase we have been enabled to offer at a greatly reduced price two beautiful values of this stylish lace. Beautiful assortment of designs regularly sold at prices from $3.00 to $5.00 per yard. Special Wednesday, per yard. **$1.49**

Another lot of $1.50 to $2.50 values. Reduced for Wednesday to, yard. **89c**

Pretty Dresden Ribbons

4-in Floral Ribbon, wide range of patterns; regularly sold at 25c. Special at. **18¢**

4½-in Dresden Ribbons, beautiful dainty colorings; our 30c grade. Special at. **23¢**

Beautiful All-Over Embr'deries

1,000 yards of Exquisite Embroideries, in over 50 different patterns; undoubtedly the best assortment ever placed on sale. Beautiful floral and open effects; others in stripe and lace designs; widths from 20 to 24 inches; not a piece in the lot worth less than $2.50 yard, and values up to $4.00. All at one price Wednesday. (See window display) **$1.69**

Torchon Lace 4c

10,000 yards of new fresh Torchon Laces, over 200 new exclusive patterns in the assortment; every edge has an inserting to match; widths from 1 to 3 inches; prices range from 8c to 15c yard. Special, per yard. **4c**

Platt Valenciennes 12½c

Another beautiful assortment of pretty Platt Val. Laces, used so much in trimming fine white underwear; 2 to 6 inches wide; regular 20c to 35c grades. On special sale. **12½c**

Mechlin Laces 11c

5,000 yards of very fine Mechlin Laces, including all the clever new novelty patterns, as well as every one of the staple designs; comes 1 to 2½ inches wide; sells regularly at prices ranging from 18 to 35c. The entire lot at one price, per yard. **11c**

Specials, Art Goods and Notions

If anything were needed to further demonstrate the saving advantages that accrue from buying in these popular sections, it's found in this sale tomorrow. A few of the many items follow—

Dress Shields

Specially Reduced—We have just received a special underpriced purchase of lightweight Dress Shields, suitable for use with shirtwaists and light dresses; every pair fully guaranteed; assorted sizes; specially priced as follows—

Size 2; 15c kind. **10¢** Size 3; 18c kind. **12¢**
Size 4; 20c kind. **14¢**

15c Tablets 10c

15 dozen best quality Irish Linen Tablets, ruled or unruled; full count; our best selling number at 15c. Specially priced tomorrow at. **10c**

35c Wash Belts 25c

White Duck Wash Belts in a large assortment of this season's best styles; neatly embroidered in the newest designs; finished with adjustable buckles; other stores ask 35c for this grade. Our special price. **25c**

75c Wash Belts 50c

White Linen Wash Belts, the newest styles; hand embroidered in pretty floral designs; finished with large pearl buckles; sold all over the city at 75c. Our special price. **50c**

Special Sale Hand Bags

$2.00 Values at $1.19—The price ought to attract attention, but the bags themselves will fix it and make it impossible for you not to buy one or more. A great assortment of all the newest styles to choose from in all the best leathers and colors; well made, with riveted frame, moire lining and coin purse; regular $1.50 to $2.00 values at one price. Choice. **$1.19**

35c Cushion Slips 25c

Tapestry Cushion Slips, in an extensive line of patterns and colorings; attractive and durable; just the thing for outing use; regular 35c kinds. Now. **25c**