

FEW MEN DECIDE COUNTRY PAPERS FAVOR ASSEMBLY

State Editorial Association Indorses Plan of Machine Politics; Three Decline to Follow Suit.

Twenty-three men, representing the 100-odd country papers in Oregon, met at the Commercial club yesterday afternoon and decided that the country papers of the state were in favor of the "assembly" and indorsed that movement. This action, taken in the name of the Oregon State Editorial Association, resulted in the commencement of the division of that association, recently formed, as E. Hofer of Salem, B. E. Kennedy of Baker City and E. H. Flagg of St. Helens withdrew from the organization, refusing to have their papers bound to a policy of which they could not approve.

The meeting was led by J. S. Dellinger of Astoria, who is an assembly candidate for congress; W. G. Giletrap of Eugene, who is the editor of the organ of the old timers of Lane county; W. J. Clarke of Gervais, who is another candidate for assembly honors, seeking the nomination for state printer; Carl Abrams, a young man connected with the Salem Statesman, the paper of R. J. Hendricks, who has been for many years one of the Marion county wheel horses, and Addison Bennett of The Dalles.

Resolutions Turned Down.
Bennett, as chairman of the resolutions committee, drafted the resolutions presented to the gathering, but his ideas were so dynamic that the rest could not stand for them, and they were, for the most part, changed.

The first section of Bennett's resolutions provided that the editors of the state openly violate the corrupt practices act. This met with strenuous opposition, it being argued by different men there that the country editors of the state, who were supposed to represent law and order and mould the public opinion of their sections, could not afford to stand as open violators of the law of the state. Accordingly, that portion of the resolution was killed. Bruce Dennis of La Grande put the question up to the meeting in positive terms when he said:

"The Republican press is putting itself in a very bad light to say that it will band itself together to violate the law. Are you going to put us in as a bunch of criminals, we who are supposed to aid in the moulding of public opinion? Not for me."

Party Tries to Come Back.
E. H. Flagg said he was in favor of part of the Huntley law, but thought that it should be amended. He was in favor of amending it, not of violating it.

When the resolution to indorse the assembly plan came up for consideration, E. H. Flagg moved that it be indefinitely postponed. This led to a long discussion. A number of the men present did not believe that it was wise to try to find the papers of the state to support factional politics. Several of them argued that, while they were in favor of the assembly as a principle, they did not want to be bound to support its candidates, without knowing who these candidates were. They were willing to pledge themselves to support the Republican ticket, as nominated at the primaries, but did not want to go beyond that.

"Jeffries could have come back if he had not been trained by a lot of old wernouts and broken down pugilists," said J. P. McManus of Pilot Rock. "The Republican party is trying to come back, but it will never do it if it is trained by the old time gang. That is what it is trying to do. I won't be bound to support any ticket put up by them. I will support whom I please."

Various other speeches of similar import were made, but the final vote showed that a majority wanted to indorse the assembly. When the vote was announced Flagg, Hofer and Kennedy resigned from membership in the association.

The association also indorsed J. S. Dellinger for congress from the Second district and W. J. Clarke for state printer. The meeting adjourned to meet the first Monday in October.

Notarial Commissions.
(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)
Salem, Or., July 21.—Notarial commissions have been issued to C. H. Marsh, Marshfield, and Alvin Pinlay, Portland.

BOYS OF ALL SIZES ENJOY COOLING WATERS OF WILLAMETTE



Every afternoon and evening boys and young men can be seen leaping from docks, spring boards and every available place along the river front for miles. Some complaint has come from residents along the river of the careless manner in which the bathers dress, and Captain Speler, harbor master, has had a hard time convincing the youths that they must wear at least a modicum of clothing.

At the present there are no public swimming pools, or any places along the river reserved or prepared for boys. The practice of jumping into the water any place is a dangerous one, and sooner or later, say the river front men, drownings will result.

The past few days of hot weather, crowds of boys under 18 years have sought the river in droves. While many are good swimmers, there is much danger of the unforeseen accident, and there is no provision made for the small boys and the inept. The public swimming pool at the Sellwood park will not be completed for about three weeks yet, but that is at such a distance that the boys in the crowded business districts will not be accommodated.

BOY KILLED BY STEAM ROLLER

Fails to Heed Warning of Engineer; Arm and Leg Crushed.

John Klein, aged 5, son of William E. Klein, a real estate dealer of 453 East Thirteenth street north, fell before a steam roller on Bruce street yesterday and one arm and a leg were

SCRIBER MUST SERVE 7 YEARS

Court Sentences Cashier Who Wrecked National Bank in La Grande, Or.

Jefferson W. Scriber, ex-cashier of the Farmers & Traders National bank at LaGrande, was sentenced yesterday afternoon by Judge Robert B. Bean, of the United States circuit court, to serve seven years in the federal penitentiary at McNeill's Island, on a charge of wrecking the bank at LaGrande.

JAP STEAMSHIP LINE FORMS NEW ALLIANCE

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, July 21.—Judge R. S. Lovett, president of the Southern Pacific company, will be notified today in New York that the Toyo Kisen Kaisha has decided to form an alliance with the Western Pacific railroad and that connection with the Southern Pacific and the Pacific Mail Steamship company is no longer desired.

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(United Press Leased Wire.)
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Calhoun Case Up Monday.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, July 21.—A writ of habeas corpus, applied for by Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railways company, under indictment for bribery, by which he seeks a dismissal of the indictments against him, will be returnable Monday before the supreme court. The writ was applied for and issued by Justice Beatty yesterday.

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