

## AGAINST FURNISH

S. A. Lowell Answers Portland Oregonian's Editorial Reference.

## NOT SUPPORT HEAD OF REPUBLICAN TICKET.

Why He Will Not Do So Written Democratic Nominee Governor That He Will Vote for Will Support the Republican With the Exception of its Candidate for Governor.

Following an editorial paragraph from the Sunday edition of the Portland Oregonian: extracts from a letter written by Lowell of Pendleton, in which he shall vote and work for Chamberlain, as against Mr. Furnish, are printed in several places. The declaration by Judge Lowell is surprising. It has been known since the primaries in Umatilla how greatly Judge Lowell was disappointed by the expressed preference of the county for Furnish over himself, for the official governor. Judge Lowell was five to one. He is in many ways a worthy man, but always a noticeable one. For his own lack of popularity and support he ought to blame Mr. Furnish; but that, again, is characteristic.

When the above was shown Judge Lowell he made the following statement, which sets forth clearly his position in the governorship matter: "While I fully recognize the necessity of party organization and have been a loyal party man, there are some things more important than party politics and I believe that it is the duty of every thinking man to put himself at all times upon the side of political decency. I do not come to advise others as to their vote, but knowing the political conditions of the republican nominee governor, I cannot give him my vote. The remainder of the republican ticket, both state and county, receive my hearty support. The lack of the Portland Oregonian upon my political motives, my character and popularity in the community, is a notice from me. I will not leave those things to the consideration of my fellow citizens, who are familiar with my record here for the past decade. The foregoing is my letter to Mr. Chamberlain, the democratic nominee for governor, and it fully explains my position in this campaign."

April 22, 1902. George E. Chamberlain, Portland, Oregon. Dear Sir:—Permit me to extend congratulations upon your nomination as the position of chief executive of the state, and to express the hope you may triumph at the polls. As you know, a republican in the faith and in accord with the historic principles of that party, candidates, with the exception of the nominee for governor, will receive support and vote at the approaching election. Its platform I fully endorse.

The issue raised, however, upon the governorship is not political, but goes to the very existence of our popular government, the question to be settled at the ballot box is whether or not the office of governor of the commonwealth is an office of merchandise which can be bought by money, and attained by the use of the political freebooter. I propose to go on record for the negative, and shall vote for the assurance of high personal character.

Respectfully yours,  
STEPHEN A. LOWELL.  
The foregoing is the only letter of mine to which the Oregonian's editorial comment could possibly refer, except one of similar tenor written to the committee of the republican state convention. I do not think Mr. Chamberlain has published my letter to you, but if he desires to do so he must have my latest permission.

Respectfully yours,  
STEPHEN A. LOWELL.

Twenty-five Years in Service. Portland, April 22.—C. J. Eddy, for years the general agent in this city for the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Northern Pacific, has been 25 years with the company.

## THE STEAMER DISASTER

### MANY OF THE UNFORTUNATES ON VESSEL BURNED.

So Far Only Three Bodies Have Been Recovered; May be Several Days Before Attempt Will Be Made to Remove Corpses.

Carlo, Illinois, April 22.—As time passes and no more bodies from the burned steamer, the City of Pittsburgh are recovered, the belief is strengthened in the theory of the majority that those who perished were burned to death rather than drowned. Men who have been to the scene of the wreck say that bones can be seen buried beneath the network of iron rods, boilers and smoke-stacks and it may be several days before an attempt will be made to remove the corpses. Only three bodies have been recovered. Almost all of the survivors of the disaster have left this city.

## NEW YORK MARKET.

Reported by I. L. Ray & Co., Pendleton, Chicago Board of Trade and New York Stock Exchange Brokers. New York, April 22.—The wheat market was lower at the opening this morning on predictions of rains today, but the most of the decline was recovered at the close. Liverpool closed 1/2 lower—5-11%. New York opened at 81 and sold between 80% and 81% closing 80%. Chicago opened at 75 1/4; closing at 75 1/4. Close yesterday, 81%. Open today, 81%. Range today 80% @ 81%. Close today 80%. Sugar, 1.22 1/2. Steel, 42%. St. Paul, 1.68%. Union Pacific, 1.03%.

## Wheat in San Francisco.

San Francisco, April 22.—Wheat, \$1.11 1/2 @ \$1.11 1/2 per cental.

## BEEF GOES UP AGAIN.

Retailers and Consumers Look for No Relief Until Grass-fed Cattle Come in.

Chicago, Illinois, April 22.—Beef advanced a quarter to a half-cent today. Retailers and consumers now fear that there will be no relief, until grass cattle come into the market during June. The daily arrival of a large number of this class of cattle will glut the market and force prices down.

## Oklahoma Democrats.

Enid, O. T., April 22.—The democratic caucus of Oklahoma are in territorial session here today with an attendance of nearly 500 delegates. The purpose of the convention is to name a candidate for congress to succeed Delegate Flynn. There are several aspirants for the honor, but the leader of the race, judging from present indications, is William Cross, of Oklahoma City. One populist also is in contention here today and it is expected they will endorse the democratic nominee.

## To Meet in Square Circle.

San Francisco, April 22.—Young Gibbs and Tom Tracy are to meet in a twenty-round go before the Acme Club at Oakland tonight and considerable interest is manifested in the result. Both men are fast and clean fighters and are expected to put up a good fight.

## Funding Issues at Springfield.

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—A special election is being held in Sangamon county today to decide the question of issuing bonds to fund the county's indebtedness. It is proposed to issue bonds to the amount of \$175,000, to run seven years at three and one-half per cent interest.

## Ten Million Dollar Fire in London.

London, April 22.—The fire which started on Barbican, E. C., last night and which, at one time, threatened to become the greatest fire London had ever seen was subdued early this morning after over fifty firms had suffered a loss of \$10,000,000.

## Improve City Water Service.

The Dallas, April 22.—The water commissioners today closed a deal to purchase 18 miles of flume to bring water from Miller creek to this city. The cost of the work will be about \$70,000.

Queen's Condition Improved. Het Loo Castle, Holland, April 22.—Queen Wilhelmina's condition is slightly improved, is the latest report this afternoon.

## Congressman Babcock Ill.

Washington, April 22.—Congressman Babcock's condition is still dangerous.

# TAKE THE TOWN

The Grand Jubilee of the Two Great Woodcraft Fraternal Orders the Greatest Kind of a Success, Say One and All.

## PROCESSION AND PARADE AT NIGHT WITNESSED BY THOUSANDS.

Visitors Surprised and Pleased at the Public Spirit and Enterprise Displayed by the Business men of Pendleton: Initiation of 310 Candidates While There are 317 More to be Taken Care Of.

Perhaps not in the history of Pendleton have there been more visitors in town at one time than are in attendance upon the big Woodmen and Women of Woodcraft jubilee and logging. People began to flock in on Sunday and on all regular trains on Monday, came many visitors from different points.

In addition to the regular trains coming into town from all directions, a special train arrived from Eastern Washington points at 12 o'clock, with eight coaches jammed full, and it was estimated that 720 were on this train. Then again in the evening, on the regular train which arrived at 5:20, 1000 more came from Dayton, as the visitors from there did not make connection with the special. This makes over 800 that came from Washington. About fifty came from the west yesterday, and up to and including this morning, 200 came from different points east as far as Boise City, so that all told more than 1000 visitors are in the city from other towns, almost all of whom are members of the different camps of Woodmen of the World or of Women of Woodcraft.

## One Surprising Thing.

One thing that was noticeable Monday and something that was a surprise to the managers of the jubilee, is the absence of the farming class and people living in the country tributary to Pendleton. This is something that cannot be accounted for as the country people were expected to turn out to almost every man and woman. The merchants and business men are feeling the effects of the crowd, and a great business is being done in all lines. People from smaller towns are buying goods that could not be obtained at home or at a smaller figure than is asked by their home merchants, and the stores are crowded from early morning until a late hour at night. A tremendous business was done on Monday, and it is safe to say that not less than \$5000 was spent with Pendleton business men that would never have reached them had it not been for this jubilee.

## The Jubilee a Success.

Universal praise is being heard on all sides, from the visitors particularly, for the public spirit of the business men who have taken so much pains and worked so hard to decorate and fix up their windows and the front of their places of business in a befitting manner for the occasion. Many of them have been overheard to say that the business men of their towns would not go to the expense and pains to decorate so lavishly and beautifully, and one lady from La Grande said she was going home and tell her husband she wanted to move to Pendleton to live, for she wanted to live where the people were so public spirited. Another Walla Wallan said that Walla Walla people would not make such a display, for they were asleep; and many other such remarks were heard about the streets yesterday and today.

## The Program Carried Out.

The program for yesterday was executed almost as printed, and went off without a hitch. Monday afternoon one feature of the entertainment that was not on the program was the entertaining of the school children by Professor Cardon at the Furnish warehouse with his stereopticon views. All the schools in the city gave the students a half holiday and nearly 200 children and young folks witnessed this part of the entertainment which was free of charge. The Woodmen and Circle are due much credit for their efforts to supply entertainment for the young folks.

## The Parade.

It is said by those who ought to know that the parade last night was one of the grandest affairs of the kind ever attempted in Pendleton,

there being nearly 1700 people in line, and it took 25 minutes for the line to pass a given point. One laughable, though somewhat unfortunate thing, that happened at the beginning of the parade, was the losing of the Milton band. It was lost for several minutes when it was wanted to line up in the parade and could not be found anywhere.

## Led by Six Horse Chariot.

The parade was headed by a six-horse chariot, decorated, which hauled the Pendleton Camp, band and flag. Then the carriages followed, in number, containing the distinguished guests. The first camp and circle, and the one honored with first place in the parade, following the carriages, was Fairview Camp No. 119, from Pomeroy, Wash. This camp and circle was represented by about 75. Sumpter came next and was represented with their contingent of Woodmen and Circle, with a gold nugget on display, valued at \$250, typical of the mining camp that Sumpter is. This was followed by the Milton band. The first float was Jesse Falling's drawn by two large, black horses, containing several sewing machines. Then came Huntington camp and circle, followed by the Umatilla Implement company's float. This was a new Haines Harvester, decorated to suit the occasion, drawn by four horses.

## The Best Float.

The next float, perhaps the best in the procession, was arranged by the Pendleton Commercial Association and was drawn by six horses, with a typical log cabin on the back end of the wagon. This had a chimney with smoke issuing therefrom and a woman in front of the door up to her elbows in a wash tub. Following this, was Athena's two floats. These were the most elaborate floats from any camp. The first wagon was drawn by six horses and had trees standing all over it representing a woodland scene and in the front was a man chopping wood. The second wagon represented a ship and had sails, with two girls dressed in white, standing in the center, beside a man holding a goat by the horns. This represented the goat of the camp. Following these were the circle, camp and uniform team.

Weston came next with their camp and circle, flag and ax. Baker City's float was a large ax drawn on a wagon, with the same of the camp on the handle, the team was in flowing robes. The next was Jim Spence sitting on the seat of a new vertical lift Jones mower, drawn by two horses. Behind him was a McCormack mower drawn by two men to show how lightly it ran, but the men got tired of the job and did not stay with the procession through.

## Captain Krause and His Girls.

Captain J. E. Krause and his 20 girls with white waists, red caps and green skirts, were next and they were followed by Pendleton circle's living American flag. This was a very beautiful scene and composed of 100 ladies dressed in red, white and blue, so arranged to represent the American flag. Pendleton's circle float followed them, and it was a wagon with a large circle on it, with the letters "W. of W." in the center, all covered with flowers. The circle, uniform team and the Pendleton camp followed. S. L. Wakefield was next with a piano on a wagon, being played by Elvin Lampkin. Then came A. Kunkel & Co's. float. This was a new Moline wagon with 500 sacks representing wheat on it, drawn by a traction engine. On the wagon was a banner saying, "When Reuben comes to town to sell a load of wheat—Umatilla county leads the world for wheat and Woodmen lead the world fraternally."

## Why There Was No Red Fire.

There was only one part of the program of the parade that was not as planned. Fifty pounds of red fire had been distributed along the route, to be burned during the march to give light and make the procession more impressive. This would not burn and consequently the streets were dark and the parade was not seen so well as it otherwise would have been. Those in charge of the parade regret this very much. As this failure was not understood by visitors the East Oregonian is asked to make this apology to them.

## Initiation of Candidates.

After the parade the candidates to be initiated went to the Furnish warehouse where the Bunch-grass camp was installed by General Organizer Geo. K. Rogers. Three hundred and ten candidates from the various camps represented were obligated. This number was all that were able to attend, out of the 627 applications that were sent in since the log rolling movement started. Only two of the candidates rode the goat to exemplify the work to the balance of the initiated. This created considerable amusement. One of the victims stuck to the goat all right, but the other was thrown. At the climax of this performance a roar went up from the audience, wherein were over 1000 Woodmen and candidates.

At the adjournment of the meeting a great many went to the dance at Music hall, given by the Women of Woodcraft. The hall was already crowded to overflowing. The Pendleton camp drill team, under Captain Carden, executed their fancy military drill in the hall and their work was excellent and highly enjoyed.

## Officers Bunch Grass Circle.

The following are the officers of the Bunch Grass Circle who will be installed tonight by Grand Organizer Betha W. Sumner: Past Guardian Neighbor, Mrs. McSherry, Prescott, Wash.; guardian neighbor, Mrs. T. W. Murphy, La Grande, Ore.; Adviser, Mrs. Emma Boyd, Baker City, Ore.; clerk, George Mulky, Pomeroy, Wash.; banker, Mrs. Mary Foster, Athena, Ore.; attendant, Rose E. Gaylord, Union, Ore.; captain of guards, Mrs. E. L. Case, Sumpter, Ore.; inner sentinel, Mrs. Mollie Shaw, North Powder, Ore.; musician, Mrs. Mary Reynolds, Weston, Ore.; managers, A. F. Lew, Wingville; Mrs. K. McQuowen, Wash.; Mrs. Sarah McCarty, Arlington, Ore.; magazine, Mrs. Belle Mussen, Walla Walla.

## Today's Program.

The program for today is being carried out as published in the East Oregonian's Monday issue. At ten o'clock a band concert was given by the Pendleton camp brass band on Court street. At 10:30 the field sports began. These consisted of a woodchopping contest, and the first prize was won by W. R. Johnson, of Sumpter; second prize by Mr. Settle, of Baker City. Next was the log sawing contest. First prize was won by Mr. Lew, and Mr. Leonard, both of Wingville, camp, near Baker City; and the second prize by Arthur Renn and Mr. Edgar, of Pendleton camp. The man's 200-yard race, open for amateurs only, first prize was won by Ed Dupuis, second by John Gruehch, of Pendleton camp. The first prize in the fat man's race was won by N. O. Baldwin, of Pomeroy camp, and the second by W. R. Johnson, of Sumpter camp. The most amusing part of the field sports was the ladie's race this afternoon.

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## HANNA UP IN ARMS

Declares He Will Show the World that His Friend Rathbone is an Innocent Man.

## PERSECUTED BY GOVERNMENT THROUGH GENERAL WOOD.

Makes the Declaration That General Wood Influenced the Court That Convicted Rathbone of Postal Thefts and has Documentary Evidence to Prove It.

Washington, April 22.—Senator Hanna says he will now take steps to show the world that his friend E. G. Rathbone is an innocent man, deliberately persecuted by the government of General Wood. He says that he has documentary evidence to prove that Wood influenced the court that convicted Rathbone.

E. G. Rathbone was recently convicted in the Havana courts, with F. W. Neeley, of being guilty of robbing the postoffice department of a large sum of money, for which he was sentenced to a long term of imprisonment. He was formerly from Ohio and secured his appointment to the Cuban postal service through the influence of Senator Hanna, who has all along defended him.

Hanna's declaration of Rathbone's innocence at this time and his accusation against General Wood has created renewed interest in the case, as every one feels that Mark Hanna has not entered the fight with any other intention than seeing it through to the finish. On the other hand there is every reason for believing that General Wood is fortified with strong evidence for his action against Rathbone, for the crime for which he stands convicted.

## APPEALED TO THE KING

ASKED HIM TO INTERVENE AND SETTLE DISPUTE.

He Replies As One Would Expect a King to Do, in a Haughty and Impetuous Tone.

Brussels, April 22.—The chamber of commerce today addressed the King, asking for royal intervention in the suffrage dispute in the interests of trade. The king replied it is the duty of the government of the king, with its eyes fixed on the present and the future, to be loyally observant of constitutional rules and to follow the policy which it deems most useful for the well-being and the tranquility of the country.

## Roosevelt's Secretary.

Washington, April 22.—President Roosevelt today appointed Benjamin Barris of New Jersey, to succeed O. L. Pruden, as assistant secretary to the president, who has resigned.

## Fish for Oregon Streams.

Portland, Ore., April 22.—One hundred thousand brook trout will be placed in Oregon streams next week.

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