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BIG POLITICAL MEETING HELD HERE LAST SATURDAY PROVED TO BE A SPLENDID SUCCESS

CANDIDATES FOR VARIOUS OFFICES GIVE VIEWS ON VITAL QUESTIONS

Senator Patterson of Polk County Made Splendid Impression As Candidate for Republican Nomination for Governor—Senator Norblad, Out for Congressman, Also Makes Speech

The political meeting held here last Saturday was a complete success and proved to be the real opening gun in the campaign, following as it did immediately after the closing of the filing of candidates for office. Not only was the attendance on the part of local people most gratifying, but the candidates entered into the plans and speeches were made by a great many of them.

governor's salary, and said that three of his opponents voted in favor of that raise and that Governor Olcott, himself permitted the bill to become a law. Mr. Patterson opposed this bill. He pledged himself to a government without frills and said that with the item veto it is possible for the governor to curb extravagance and that he would use the veto power to the limit. He spoke of the power exerted by the ways and means committee of the legislature and said that he would ask to sit with this body and advise with them. He said that it is time to take a holiday on scenic highways and use whatever money we have for such purposes on roads to enable the farmers to get away from their farms. He stated that he is a granger and a member of the farm bureau. Upon being asked his opinion of the income tax he said that he was in favor of a reasonable graduated tax.

The morning session was given over to the local or county candidates and Peter Zimmerman and W. W. Lunger, both candidates for state senator from Yamhill county were heard as were also Fred Withee and Mr. Stevens, candidates for county commissioner. There was not so large an attendance at this morning session and owing to getting a late start it was impossible to hear all at this time.

Senator Pierce of LaGrande was the only democratic candidate present and Mr. Pierce gave much the same line of talk, urging economies, favoring an income tax, etc. He stated that it is sometimes necessary to compromise on issues where it is impossible to get just what one desires. He stated that he favored the retention of the millage tax and that he considered that money spent for schools was not wasted.

In the afternoon the hall was well filled and a very good meeting was held. John U. Smith was in the chair and he called upon Dr. Logan, who outlined some of the things which they expected from the candidates. W. S. Allan was then called upon and Mr. Allan also stated what he considered some of the needed things in political and government lines.

Other speakers were heard during the afternoon also. Among these were Attorney Frank B. Layman of Portland, who is a candidate for public service commissioner. He said that he proposed to be fair with the public utilities while protecting the public. He stated that as much damage may be done by an honest man who lacks ability as by a dishonest one. He urged his own candidacy on the grounds of his ability.

Louis E. Bean, speaker of the house during the last session of the legislature was the first candidate for governor to address the audience. Mr. Bean stated that taxation was the issue of the campaign and he showed that some causes for high taxes were to be found in the removal of large holdings of railroad lands from the tax rolls. He stated that the \$400,000,000 to \$500,000,000 of tax free bonds held in this state was another reason for high taxes. He urged retrenchment and stated that 70 or more boards, commissions and departments, maintained by the state government should be reduced. He told of a \$400 garage building which was visited by eleven different inspectors. Mr. Bean said that we ought to have less pavement and more macadam roads and went into the reasons for this to some extent. He was heartily applauded and made a very favorable impression upon the audience.

Senator Charles Hall of Marshfield followed Mr. Bean. Mr. Hall confined his talk very largely to a statement of his platform, which he divides into nine principles as follows: 1. I have made no pre-election promises and I will make none, except as herein stated. 2. Taxes on general property must be reduced. 3. Favor substituting not to exceed ten departments for the seventy or more existing state commissions. 4. Not only reduction of taxes, but improved marketing facilities and increased credit are essential to insure the prosperity of the farmer. 5. A more equitable adjustment of the automobile license tax with due regard to the actual value of the car. Gasoline tax for highways only. 6. As to my attitude on the labor question, I refer to my employes, and my legislative record. 7. Completion of the state highway system with special attention to market roads. 8. The public school is one of the fundamental factors in our system of government. I favor compulsory attendance in the primary grades. Teach pure American to all pupils, beginning at an early age. Continue to strengthen and build up this typical American institution. 9. Strict enforcement of all laws. 10. I am against Japanese land ownership or control.

J. D. Lee was the next gubernatorial candidate to address the meeting. Mr. Lee said that one of the evils of the past had been government by politics and that if elected governor he proposed to do away with this. He stated that it would be his intention to give the state a business like administration. He went into considerable detail in outlining some things which might be done to accomplish reforms at the state penitentiary of which institution he was head at one time.

The last speaker of the afternoon was Senator Vinton of McMinnville, who spoke in defense of his candidacy as state senator from Yamhill county. Mr. Vinton seemed to be getting along fairly well with his remarks until former county commissioner, W. S. Allan of Dundee, commenced interrogating him regarding certain highway laws and market road laws and the county budget system. The controversy which ensued was a little hard on the senator and showed that Mr. Allan is a man well versed in county affairs and some of the unfair methods which have prevailed in the past.

MAN KILLED AT SAWMILL THIS THURSDAY MORNING

Augustus Dantop, an employe of the C. K. Spaulding company at the local sawmill, was killed at about 10:30 a. m. today (Thursday) when a pile of heavy doors toppled over catching him and crushing his head and body against a truck. Mr. Dantop is a man about thirty or thirty-five years old and has a wife and two small children, about one and three years old. The Dantops lived on Church street east of the canyon. It is said that he was a member of the I. O. O. F. lodge of this place but as news of the sad accident comes just as we are going to press it was impossible to learn many of the details.

WOODWARD ON WEDNESDAY

Claude S. Woodward, who has been a resident of Newberg for the past five years and who during that time has been associated with W. W. Hollingsworth in the furniture and undertaking business, passed away very suddenly at his home in this city at 2:30 a. m. Wednesday, following a stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Woodward was a very fine type of citizen and one who will be missed in the community. He leaves a widow and five children, two sons being students at Pacific College. The funeral services were delayed awaiting the arrival of relatives from the east and will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday from the Friends church, Rev. Fred Carter officiating. A more extended obituary will be published next week.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED

The ladies of a neighborhood north of Newberg decided they would like to have a little club of their own, even though out in the country, so, after a few preliminary meetings, they formed a club with eight charter members, to be known as "The Stitch and Chatter Circle" of Mountainview Drive. Mrs. Cora Wadsworth was chosen as president, and Mrs. Carrie M. Johnson as secretary. The circle meets every first and third Thursdays of the month. The next meeting will be at the home of the president. Mrs. Carrie M. Johnson, secretary.

H. W. KENT WRITES OF HARDING INVITATIONS

TELLS OF BERRIAN FLOAT PICTURE

Mr. Kent Was Head of Rose Festival Parade Last Year and Gave Berrians Much Assistance

The Newberg Berrians have fully justified the statement that they are worth many times the cost of perfecting the organization. When the Berrians entered the float in the Rose Festival last year many said it was a useless expense but more people have heard of Newberg and its activities since they won two prizes last year than ever before in the history of that city.

As a result of the entry of this float with beautiful Queen Audrey and her attendants, the Rose Festival board of governors have chosen a picture of Newberg's entry as one of the group to be sent to Mrs. Warren G. Harding as a part of the invitation asking her presence in Portland on June 9th next to witness for herself the beauty of Oregon's annual event.

The story of this invitation and the two other invitations to President Harding will be told by the news agencies and in motion pictures all over the world. This invitation to Mrs. Harding is signed by about forty women's clubs and organizations of Portland and the Oregon country and is a work of art. This year the Rose Festival board of governors are making a great effort to secure the attendance of President Harding and Mrs. Harding on June 9th, to view the floral parade. Thirty-seven thousand five hundred school children have signed their names on 1400 sheets of paper that are bound in two volumes and together with the signatures of the official school life of Oregon and Portland, make an appeal that it is hard to believe President Harding can withstand. The third invitation that bears the signatures of the governor and secretary of state, 34 county chairmen, 170 mayors of cities in Oregon, 110 presidents of chambers of commerce and commercial clubs, the presidents of the state grange and federation of labor and farm bureau, the Portland city officials, directors of the chamber of commerce, Rosarians, Rose Festival board of governors and the various civic clubs who are members of the president's council, making in all a book of about 400 pages, will it is hoped, impress President Harding with the fact that all Oregon joins in inviting him and Mrs. Harding to come to Portland.

To Professor J. A. Wesco, supervisor of penmanship of Portland, belongs the full credit for the beautiful appearance of these three invitations as the title pages, over 600 in number, were the work of his pen.

FOUNDERS' DAY CELEBRATION TO BE HELD SATURDAY MAY 6

Founders' Day will be celebrated at Champeog on Saturday, May 6. This is the 79th anniversary of the event which decided the fate of the Oregon territory and the 22nd celebration of this event. The celebration is held under the auspices of the Oregon Pioneer association and the Oregon Historical society. Judge P. H. D'Arcy of Salem will be president of the day. There will be a basket dinner at noon and the formal program will commence at 1 p. m. The program will include singing and speeches. Founders' Day has always been a big day in this vicinity because of the proximity to the place where it is held. It is the occasion for the getting together of the old pioneers and old settlers and the renewing of old acquaintances among those who have become separated to various parts of the state. Large crowds go from hereabouts each year and it is probable that this year will be no exception in this respect. The splendid auditorium which has been erected at Champeog makes it more possible to handle the crowds which attend with comfort.

LECTURE ON ALASKA

Mrs. May C. Bliss, national field secretary for the woman's home missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, gave a very inspiring and instructive lecture on Alaska in the Dundee Methodist church last Sunday evening to a large and appreciative audience. Mrs. Bliss has but recently returned from a three month tour of southeastern Alaska and has a wonderful set of beautiful hand colored slides depicting every phase of the wondrous beauty and marvelous resources of that land.

CITY LOSES IN DEATH OF GEORGE L. KELTY

WAS HELD IN VERY HIGH ESTEEM

Was City Councilman and President of Newberg Commercial Club at Time of His Death

In the death of George L. Kelty, which occurred at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland last Sunday, Newberg lost one of her most prominent citizens, and a man who had done much for the city's upbuilding. Mr. Kelty, who has been suffering from ailment which was probably cancer for some months past and who had undergone operation after operation, was again taken to Portland a few weeks ago for another operation and following this seemed to be getting along nicely for a time, but a turn for the worse occurred, resulting in his death.

Mr. Kelty had been a resident of Newberg for about thirteen years and during that time he was very prominent in civic and fraternal organizations and affairs. At the time of his death he was serving as a member of the city council and he was also president of the Newberg Commercial club.

Funeral services were conducted from the Presbyterian church in this city on Tuesday, Rev. K. H. Sickafuse of the Christian church officiating, assisted by Rev. George H. Lee of the Presbyterian church. The services were under the auspices of the Newberg Lodge No. 104, A. F. & A. M., of which he was a member. He was also a member of the local I. O. O. F. lodge, many members of which were in attendance at the funeral. The city council also attended the funeral in a body. In compliance with a proclamation by the mayor, all business houses closed during the hour of the funeral. The remains were taken to Bethel cemetery in Polk county for interment.

Obituary

George L. Kelty, son of J. D. and Sarah Kelty, was born at Bethel, Polk county, Oregon, July 21, 1857. His father came to Oregon in 1857, and settled at Bethel. George was a graduate of Bethel Academy. He was united in marriage with Miss Ella Flankington on October 17, 1888. He departed this life at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland on April 16, 1922, aged 64 years, 8 months and 26 days. He is survived by his wife, three brothers and two sisters, Clyde of McMinnville, Frank of Bethel, and Dr. H. E. Kelty of Lakeview, Oregon. Mrs. Dr. Ethel K. Brown of Bethel and Mrs. R. C. Warriner of Portland.

In his younger life he engaged in farming and stockraising. He has been a citizen of Newberg for the past 13 years, during which time he has taken an active part in the social and material interests of Newberg. He has been an honored member of the I. O. O. F. for the past 43 years. Also a Royal Arch Mason. During his residence here he has served on the public school board; for four years a member of the Commercial club, and at the time of his death a member of the city council. He has led an active and useful life. Social in nature, generous in disposition, and loved by those who knew him intimately.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL WEDNESDAY EVENING

The city council held a special adjourned meeting on Wednesday evening at which time residents of River street were given an opportunity to appear in regard to the paving of that street. As there was no opposition, either verbal or otherwise, the council passed the resolutions calling for this improvement and bids are being called for on both concrete and bitulith pavement.

The new jitney franchise ordinance was brought up on first reading but nothing very definite was done on this as there were no representatives of the stage lines present. The ordinance as read makes some provisions regarding the regulation of stages as to routes through the city and terminal facilities, etc. This will come up for action at the next regular meeting of the council. Resolutions relating to the death of former Councilman George L. Kelty were passed and ordered published in the Graphic and appear elsewhere in this issue. Mrs. Fields gave the city two lots in the city park near the river in lieu of payments due thereon.

EASTER MUSICAL PROGRAMS DREW LARGE CROWDS TO ALL OF THE LOCAL CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN, FRIENDS AND METHODIST CHURCHES GAVE CANTATAS

Excellent Music Rendered Amid Beautiful Settings and Crowds Were Enthusiastic in Their Praise of the Work of the Local Soloists and Chorus

The Easter music at the various churches last Sunday was all that was promised and large audiences greeted every special effort. Newberg is peculiarly fortunate in a musical way for this city can boast of a larger number of musicians than almost any other city of similar size. This is particularly true of the various churches of the city, where excellent choirs are to be heard each Sunday and where large crowds always flock to any special offering of the various choirs.

F. D. Frost again sang a baritone solo and was joined by the chorus in "Thou Art Gone Up On High." "Joy in the Mansions of Light" introduced a ladies' trio including the Misses Miles and Hadley and Mrs. Bridenbecker. Miss Eva Miles was the soloist in the concluding number which was "Angels' Adoration." Certainly both the various soloists and the chorus as a whole are to be congratulated upon the splendid cantata and its rendition.

The membership of the Friends choir is as follows: Sopranos, Miss Evah Hadley, Miss Leona C. Jackson, Mrs. Mattie S. Hodson, Miss Mamie V. C. Cook, Mrs. Mabel T. Hoskins, Mrs. Helen Elliott, Mrs. Elma Perisho, Miss Anna Mills, Miss Katharine Pettigill, Mrs. Eula Kienle, and Mrs. F. D. Frost. Altos, Miss Pauline Terrell, Miss E. Deight Carter, Miss M. Eunice Lewis, Miss Muri Clarke, Miss June Whitlock, Miss Eva Miles, Mrs. Edith F. Bridenbecker.

Tenors, John T. Haworth, Fred G. Hutchen, Cecil R. Hinshaw, Alfred R. Haworth, Russell Lewis, C. W. Kienle, Cassius Carter, and Cecil Pearson. Basses, Hubert E. Armstrong, Ellis H. Beals, Paul S. Elliott, Zenas E. Perisho, Virgil V. Hinshaw, Cecil F. Hinshaw, Paul R. Elliott, and F. D. Frost. Organist, Miss Leota Howard.

Presbyterians Enjoy Special Music The services at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning were given over largely to the rendition of special Easter music by the choir. The church was filled for this service and everyone who was fortunate enough to be able to attend this service, seems to feel that it was well worth their while. In fact several, who have had a wide experience in music and choir work, state that it was the prettiest they have ever heard.

The service opened with the organ voluntary, "Unfold Ye Portals" by Gounod, played by Miss Jessie Britt, following which came the Doxology, invocation, Lord's Prayer and Gloria, and then the responsive reading. Then came the chorus number, "Thou Wilt Arise." This and the other chorus numbers were all taken from Ashford's cantata, "Our Risen Savior."

Mrs. C. A. Morris then sang, "Awake Thou" by Ward Stephens and those who heard this splendid number, say that Mrs. Morris was never in better voice than on this occasion. The number which is an exceedingly beautiful one, was rendered in Mrs. Morris' usually artistic manner.

Methodist Choir Gives Excellent Cantata At the M. E. church Sunday evening the beautiful cantata "The Easter King" was given by a choir of forty voices led by V. V. Gould as director. Here, too, the church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and as the accompanist, Miss Mabel Miller, played the voluntary, Gounod's "Unfold Ye Portals," the large choir stood in and took their places. The ladies appearing in white and the gentlemen in dark with uniform bouquets for the ladies and boutonhole sprays for the men offered a very pretty setting.

Following this, the chorus sang, "Ride on in Majesty." Perhaps one of the best numbers rendered was the trio, "Love Divine" as sung by Mrs. Morris, Mr. Morris and Mr. Craw. This was very heartily received. Then came the offertory, "Andante" by Batiste, following which Rev. Lee preached a short but pithy sermon on the subject, "From Weakness Made Strong," taking his text from Hebrews 11:34. Mrs. Georgia Babcock then sang the beautiful solo, "As It Began to Dawn," by Coombs.

A congregational hymn was sung and a prayer offered, following which the offering was taken. During this Miss Miller played "Caprice" by Lieurance. The cantata opened with the "King's Entry" which was an introductory march and chorus number. It might be proper to say that this cantata is one of the most difficult ever attempted by this choir and its beautiful rendition is a splendid tribute to Mr. Gould's ability in directing and handling such a cantata. The second number featured Mrs. Aggie Ginn Gould in a contralto solo in which the chorus joined. This was entitled "The King in the Temple."

The final number on the program was the chorus number, "Christ is Risen." The Presbyterian choir includes some of Newberg's best singers and their work last Sunday was just what you would expect from such an aggregation of musicians. The choir includes the following: Sopranos, Mrs. C. A. Morris and Mrs. Larkin; altos, Mrs. Babcock, Mrs. I. A. Haning and Mrs. W. H. Woodworth; tenors, Messrs. C. A. Morris and Reid and bass, Mr. Henry Craw; conductor, Mr. Lee.

Mr. James McWhannel sang a tenor solo in the third number, entitled "The King in Darkness" and the chorus also joined in on this number. "The King's Trial" opened with the ladies' voices in a very difficult fugue movement and at the very close the men's voices joined. The next number was a very pretty choral hymn, "The King Crowned with Thorns," sung by the entire chorus throughout.

Mrs. G. W. Dart then sang a soprano solo, "The King's Sacrifice," which was a complete number. James E. Martin led in a tenor solo in the next number which was "The King's Victory," and the chorus completed the number. "The King's Command" of "Go Ye and Teach All People" followed this in the form of a chorus number. "The King's Ascension" brought the real climax of the cantata and was opened with a tenor solo by Mr. Martin, followed by the chorus.

The final number of the cantata, "The King's Final Glory," opened with a very beautifully rendered baritone solo by Mr. Gould, at the close of which the chorus joined in, bringing the splendid cantata to a close. Following this the benediction was pronounced and Miss Miller played the Postlude in D by Sheppard. The attendance at this service was certainly most gratifying for every seat was filled and people stood all along the walls around the church and packed the vestibule. Besides this, quite a number were turned away who could not get in.

The choir is composed of the following: V. V. Gould, director; Miss Mabel Miller, pianist; sopranos, Misses Marie Krohn, Blanche McNay, Helen E. Scott, Effie M. Pinney, Muriel Yarnell, Clara Haymes, Velma McConkie, Anna Myrtle Deach and Mabel Miller, and the Mesdames Olive Curry, Mary E. Vandel, Clyde Stredy, Arthur Hodson, Fred Kennedy, J. McWhannel, Byron Brown and G. W. Dart. Altos, the Mesdames Chester A. Dimond, Aggie Ginn Gould, Verona

The offering was then taken and Rev. Carter gave a short Easter message. "The Angels of the Resurrection" opened with a tenor solo by Cecil Pierson and offered a short alto solo by Miss Eunice Lewis and some more chorus work. The next number was "The Victory Won" and proved to be a very effective and stirring chorus number.

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