

SCHOOL SYSTEM

Denounced by W. A. Wann Democratic Candidate.

(Journal Special Service.)

GRANTS PASS, May 2.—Wednesday night was most distinctly Democratic in this city, the event being the presence of George Chamberlain, candidate for Governor, and other leaders of the state Democratic party. A grand rally was held at the Opera house and the first gun of the Democratic campaign in this city was fired. The distinguished guests were royally received by their followers here and were accorded a most enthusiastic reception. The speeches were heartily applauded and thoroughly democratic.

W. A. Wann, candidate for Superintendent of Public Instruction, was first introduced and made a brief address. Mr. Wann spoke of the deplorable public school system of the state. "Cramming," he said, is the main idea carried forth in our public schools at the present time. Pupils are rushed through to graduation and "crammed" with a vast amount of stuff that is of no use to them. "All that most graduates of our public schools possess when they leave the school house," said Mr. Wann, "is the marks on their diplomas, and a shattered, nervous system." His idea is to reduce the studies of the public schools to an elementary and practical basis.

Mr. Chamberlain was introduced amidst a tumult of applause from the many assembled. He said he was not out making political speeches but plain, business talks; he was not representing any party in particular, but was a representative of the whole people; he was not out as a partisan, but as a citizen. He said that the office of Governor of the state was not a political office, but was a business office; it contains but a very few political functions that are necessary to perform. Mr. Chamberlain pictured plainly the extravagant manner in which the office holders of the state are appropriating the state funds as a compensation for their services. He said that chief of all of them, in this respect, is the office of State Printer. This office costs the taxpayers \$25,000 annually and the manner in which its business is conducted is a disgrace to the state. Tons of stuff are printed there that the people never see, nor would they be able to understand it if they did see it. Mr. Chamberlain reviewed his record as a legislator and as attorney-general in this state, and compared it with the record of Mr. Furrish. He also touched the Philippine tariff question, the initiative and referendum, Chinese and Japanese exclusion, and other matters contained in the state Democratic platform.

At the conclusion of Mr. Chamberlain's speech, Henry Blackburn, candidate for State Treasurer, was introduced and made a brief address.

LITTLE VISITOR AT WHITE HOUSE

Addition to President's Family Expected in October.

(Journal Special Service.)

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Were this nation a monarchy, or did it really affect imperial customs, the prayers of the people would be required publicly for the welfare of a traveler whose advent at the White House is expected in October.

Mrs. Roosevelt will remain in Washington until Congress adjourns, which is expected to be not later than the end of June. She will go to her home at Oyster Bay, to remain during the summer. The preparations are made to welcome this little traveler, however, in the White House.

Among the numerous womanly accomplishments of the President's wife is that of being an exquisite needlewoman. All the dainty baby clothes of her five children have been fashioned by her deft fingers, and even since coming to the White House she has found time and opportunity to make little garments for her loved ones.

MURDER JURY DISCHARGED.

(Journal Special Service.)

GRANTS PASS, May 2.—After being confined to the jury room for 20 hours, the 12 men selected to render a verdict in the criminal case of the State vs. Thomas Jefferson Gibson, agreed to disagree and were dismissed by Judge Hanna. The jury was out all night and till evening the following day, but could not agree. The case will be carried over to the next term of the Josephine County Court. The jury voter 10 for murder in the first degree and two for manslaughter.

OREGON CITY.

(Journal Special Service.)

OREGON CITY, May 2.—As Postmaster George H. Horton's term of office will soon expire, probable successors are being mentioned. It is said that Mr. Horton is in a good way to succeed himself. He was appointed about four years ago as an anti-Mitchell man, and for a number of years was an open enemy to State Senator George C. Brownell, but more recently has been partial to the Mitchell forces. The names of Joint Representatives A. S. Dresser and Eli Maddock have been mentioned in connection with the local postmasterhip, but it is not likely that the matter will be discussed to any considerable extent until after the June election.

The following local delegates have been elected to attend the state labor meeting to be held in Portland next Monday: Painters' Union—J. H. Howard. Textile Workers' Union—S. J. Burford, E. E. Howell, J. M. Miller.

Ash Camp, Woodmen of the World, of Milwaukie, will dedicate their new hall

Tuesday night. Head Banker C. V. Cooper will deliver the principal address, and the Women of Woodcraft will assist in the festivities. The committee in charge of the dedication consists of Postmaster O. Wisinger, John H. Gibson and F. H. Lechler.

The new home of Father A. Hillebrand, now being constructed on the lot adjoining St. John's Catholic Church, is being pushed toward completion. Rev. Hillebrand has prepared plans for building an addition to the front of the church, which will double the seating capacity of the auditorium. It is expected the latter improvement will cost about \$1200.

HARRIMAN'S GUESTS.

President E. H. Harriman of the Southern Pacific, Oregon Short Line and the O. R. & N. Company gave a banquet at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, last night, at which a number of Portland railroad men were guests. Those who attended the feast were:

Southern Pacific lines in Oregon—R. Koehler, manager; R. B. Miller, general freight and passenger agent; L. R. Fields, superintendent; W. D. Fenton, counsel, all of Portland.

O. R. & N. Co.—A. L. Mohler, president; C. C. Cotton, general counsel; A. L. Craig, general passenger agent; W. E. Coman, assistant general freight agent; E. S. Benson, auditor, all of Portland.

Union Pacific—Horace G. Burt, president; E. Dickinson, general manager; E. G. Berry, chief engineer; J. G. Kelly, general solicitor; E. L. Lomax, general passenger and ticket agent; J. A. Munroe, freight traffic agent, all of Omaha.

Oregon Short Line—W. H. Bancroft, vice president and general manager; D. E. Burley, general passenger and ticket agent; Thomas Schumacher, acting traffic manager, all of Salt Lake City.

FORMALLY INSTALLED

Rev. George C. Cressy Pastor of Unitarians.

Rev. George Cressy, Ph. D., D. D., was formally recognized as pastor of the First Unitarian Society at a meeting held at the church last night. The audience was composed of a large number of members and friends of the society.

The sermon of the evening was delivered by the Rev. William R. Lord of Boston, a former minister of the society in this city.

The greetings of the parish were extended by George G. Gamman, moderator, and William P. Olds spoke of the progress made by the organization during recent months, especially in improving the church. The building was redecorated on the outside some time ago by a member of the society, and the remainder have now made extensive improvements on the inside, including the purchase of modern windows.

Rabbi Stephen L. Wise spoke of the common fellowship existing between the church he represents and the society.

Welcome was also extended by Rev. Joseph H. Wilson, D. D. The charge to pastor and people was delivered by the Rev. Thomas Lamb Elliot, who has been in active service as pastor of the society for 35 years.

Rev. William G. Elliot Jr. of Salem also took part in the service, and several musical numbers were rendered by the choir, also a solo by Mrs. Albert Sheldon, entitled "With Verdure Clad."

Dr. Cressy came to Portland last November, having been invited to act as pastor until July. His position being made permanent is a source of great satisfaction to the parish.

ANOTHER TORNADO

(Journal Special Service.)

BAYAND, Iowa, May 2.—A destructive tornado struck this town last night at 7:30 p. m.

Two elevators, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul station and a number of dwelling-houses were destroyed. The agent of the St. Paul is missing, and is supposed to be killed.

Telegraphic communication is prostrated, and details of the storm are difficult to obtain.

At Van Wert a funnel-shaped cloud dropped down on the town.

The high wind blew down houses and barns and uprooted large trees. Several people were reported injured, but none killed.

At Weldon a farmhouse was blown down and three children injured. The tornado was seen from the town of Leroy, but that town was not in its path. All the towns mentioned are in Decatur County.

BIRTHS.

To Mrs. Anato Calogero, North Twentieth street, a girl.

To Mrs. Anna Basilico, Carlton hotel, a boy.

To Mrs. Thomas Rutherford, 555 Milwaukee street, a girl.

To Mrs. Paul Bruckman, 579 Milwaukee street, a girl.

To Mrs. Charles C. Nove, 375 Stark street, a boy.

To Mrs. Nat. Paulson, 508 Tillamook street, a boy.

To Mrs. George F. Callus, East Twenty-seventh and Taggart, a boy.

To Mrs. John R. Tomlinson, Kenilworth, a boy.

To Mrs. Guy W. Wisdom, 327 East Ninth street, a girl.

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COMPLETE

Citizens' Ticket Fully Made Up.

Velguth, Smith and Werlein New Candidates.

The Citizens' ticket is now complete. The executive committee met last night at the headquarters at the Worcester building and discussed the situation, and this afternoon at 2 o'clock another meeting was held and all the vacancies were filled.

The new candidates on the ticket to fill the vacancies caused by resignations are: For the Legislature—A. F. Velguth, Sidney Smith. City Treasurer—Ed Werlein. Mount Tabor District Justice—P. H. Rook.

Mount Tabor Constable—Clay Harris. Councilmen—Second Ward, Fourth Ward, R. J. MacKenzie; Ninth Ward, L. P. Hosford; Seventh Ward, L. Zimmerman.

No action had been taken up to the time of going to press in regard to the office of County Treasurer.

Mr. Velguth, who is filling the place of John A. Bushman, is a member of the Carpenters' Union and lives at 601 Tillamook street. He is a good and useful citizen, and has been a Republican.

Sidney Smith, the nominee to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Robert Krohn, is a member of the firm of Smith & Howard, contractors, and lives at 375 East Twelfth street. He also is a Republican in politics.

Ed Werlein, who is the nominee for the office of City Treasurer, is the present incumbent of the office, and has filled it with marked ability and to the entire satisfaction of all the taxpayers of the city.

The nominees for City Council are well and favorably known in their respective wards. The same may be said of the Mount Tabor district candidates.

These nominations will be filed this afternoon, in order to meet the requirements of the law.

VALLEY FOR CHAMBERLAIN

C. E. Redfield, an attorney of Heppner, arrived from a trip through the Willamette valley last evening, and spent the day in Portland. Mr. Redfield paid some attention to the political situation, especially at Albany, where he learned from Democrats and Republicans alike that the Chamberlain sentiment in Linn County is already such as to give a majority there, with the strength growing every day. One feature in particular he mentioned:

"I found that the belief in Mr. Chamberlain personally is so strong that all attempts to belittle him in newspaper matter really help rather than hinder his campaign. The people there know Mr. Chamberlain so well that biased statements made elsewhere have the effect of enraging his friends, who are numerous in both parties. Linn County and others in the valley may be depended upon to give him a magnificent vote."

"Another thing that was brought to my attention was the fact that Raley for Attorney General and Blackburn for Treasurer are very strong. And the other state candidates will receive votes that will run far in excess of any heretofore cast during past years. The outlook for the Democratic ticket is exceedingly bright throughout the valley. In Eastern Oregon the same may truthfully be said. While I am not prepared to give a close estimate of the probable majority, yet I am confident that, added to the majority the valley will give, will make it necessary for Multnomah only to stand even to elect Mr. Chamberlain and perhaps others on the ticket."

Good Cigars Given Away.

A bad cigar knocks your chances and a good cigar helps your chances. If you are a candidate you are likely to be giving away cigars, for it is a gentle and graceful means of introducing a conversation. Take good advice and always provide yourself with good quality cigars from Sig Sichel & Co., 92 Third street.

RAFFLE FOR CHARITY.

A raffle was held yesterday afternoon by the Ladies' Endeavor Society in the Foresters' hall, corner of Second and Yamhill streets. A candleabra and smoking set was raffled for charitable purposes. No. 55 won the candleabra and No. 210 the silver smoking set. If the holders of the lucky numbers will call at 347 Third street, the prizes will be awarded them. Before the raffle, Mrs. A. Fleishman, the president, declared that all tickets not paid for will not be considered eligible for winning. This society was organized some time ago for charitable purposes, its present officers being: President, Mrs. A. Fleishman; vice president, Mrs. Z. Rice; secretary, Mrs. Dr. N. Mossesohn; treasurer, Mrs. M. Ostron.

SLUMP IN STOCK.

(Scripps-McRae News Association.) NEW YORK, May 2.—The international power stock, which collapsed with a thud two days ago, continued to slump today.

It opened at par and a few seconds later fell 15 points to 55.

The market is not affected by the drop.

Do not delay trying the Peacock Flour; you will never regret it.

HORRIBLE DEPRAVITY PRODUCED BY CIGARETTES

CHICAGO, May 2.—"The boy or young man who has the cigarette habit is not responsible for his actions," said T. D. Hurley of the Visitation and Aid Society to the members of the League of Cook County Clubs, at a meeting in the Fine Arts building.

Mr. Hurley, Dr. Herbert Fisk of Northwestern University, who recently startled his male pupils by telling them they would better quit the university if they could not quit cigarettes, and Lucy Fage Gaston spoke to the club in order to draw its attention to the anti-cigarette campaign now being waged in Chicago.

Mr. Hurley told of the effects of the use of cigarettes as he had observed them among the young boys brought before the juvenile court, and Dr. Fisk gave the result of his observations among the students of Northwestern University.

Mr. Hurley outlined the degrees by which a majority of young boys are drawn into the juvenile court or into crime as follows:

"The first step is truancy, then comes the cigarette habit, and that quickly leads to the juvenile court. If, however, they are not brought under the reforming influences of the court they quickly develop

from the cigarette stage into delinquents, then to criminals.

"When we find a boy who is addicted to the use of cigarettes, we treat him as we would an inebriate," continued Mr. Hurley. "He is sent to the John Worthington school, is separated from the other boys there, given a special diet, and every effort made to cleanse his system of the poison of the cigarette. We do not regard him as responsible for what he has done if he is a user of cigarettes."

Dr. Fisk gave some statistics showing the standing of students at Northwestern University who use tobacco, compared with that of nonusers. He said that none of the students using tobacco stood in the first rank of scholarship this year, and the only case in recent years was one student out of 33 in the first rank, and that student was barely included in the first class.

Dr. Fisk said the clipping of newspapers commenting on his recent advice to his students which he had received all took his remarks to refer especially to cigarettes, but he said he wished it to be distinctly understood he meant not only the use of tobacco in cigarettes, but also in every other form.

Hay—Timothy, \$12@13; clover, \$7.50@8. BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY.

Butter—Creamery, 13½¢; dairy, 15¢; store, 12½¢@13¢.

Eggs—Large, shipping orders, 15¢; Cheese—Full cream, twins, 13¢@13½¢; Young America, 14¢.

Poultry—Chickens, mixed, \$5.50@5.75; hens, \$5.00@5.25; broilers, \$5.25@5.50; fryers, \$4.50@4.75; ducks, \$3.50@3.75; turkeys, live, 12¢@13¢; dressed, 14¢@15¢ per lb; geese, \$6@7 per doz.

VEGETABLES AND FRUIT.

Potatoes—Best Burbanks, \$1.25@1.50 per cental; Early Rose, \$1.25@1.50 per cental. Onions—\$2@2.75.

Tomatoes—\$1.75@2 per crate for California; turnips, \$5@6; carrots, \$5@6; beets, \$1.00@1.25 per sack; cauliflower, 75¢@80¢ per dozen; celery, 50¢@75¢ per dozen; peas, 5¢@6¢ per lb; asparagus, 15¢@20¢ box; radishes, 10¢@15¢; green onions, per doz, 15¢@20¢; cabbage, per cwt, \$10.15; straw-berrles, \$2.50@3.25 crate; Oregon rhubarb, 2¢ lb; artichokes, per doz, \$6@7; lettuce, head, per doz, 25¢; lettuce, nothouse, per box, \$1.75@2.

Green fruit—Lemons, \$2@2.50; oranges, \$3@3.50 per box; bananas, \$2.25@2.50; pineapples, \$5 per doz; apples, \$1.50@2 per box; dried fruits, sun-dried, sack or boxes, per pound, 4¢@5¢; apricots, 11¢@12¢; peaches, 5¢@6¢; pears, 6¢@8¢; prunes, Italian, 3¢@4¢; figs, California blacks, 3¢@4¢; do white, 5¢; plums, platted, 5¢@6¢.

GROCERIES, NUTS, ETC.

Sugar—Cube, \$1.00; crushed, \$1.00; powdered, \$1.45; dry granulated, \$1.35; extra C, \$3.85; golden C, \$3.75; best, granulated, \$4.30 per 100 lbs.; sack basis; cornmeal, 10¢; half barrels, 25¢; boxes, 50¢ per 100 lbs.; above basis; maple, 15¢@16¢ per pound.

Coffee—Mocha, 23¢@24¢; Java, fancy, 20¢@22¢; Java, good, 22¢@24¢; Java, ordinary, 18¢@20¢; Costa Rica, fancy, 10¢@12¢; Costa Rica, good, 10¢@12¢; Costa Rica, ordinary, 10¢@12¢; per pound; Columbia roast, 11¢; Arbuckle's, \$1.15 list; Lion, \$1.15 list; Cordova, \$1.15; Yosemite, \$1.15; Salt—Fine table and dairy, 30¢ per sack, 74¢; Liverpool, 77¢; Worcester, 80¢; Barrels, Worcester, bulk, 320 lbs., \$5.75; 250 lbs., 50¢ per ton, \$20.50.

Hops—Fancy white, 14¢@15¢; light amber, 12¢@14¢; dark amber, 10¢@12¢. Grain—Wheat, \$1.25@1.50 per 100 for July-August.

Nuts—Peanuts, 6¢@6½¢ per pound for raw, 8¢@9¢ for roasted; coconuts, 8¢@9¢ per dozen; medium nuts, 10¢@12¢; per pound; pine nuts, 10¢@12¢; hickory nuts, 7¢; chestnuts, \$3.50@5 per drum; Brazil nuts, 12¢; almonds, 15¢@16¢; fancy pecans, 14¢@15¢; almonds, 12¢@15¢.

Coal—Oil—Cases, 20¢ per gallon; barrels, 18¢; tanks, 18¢.

Rice, Imperial, Japan No. 1, 5¢; No. 2, 4¢; New Orleans, 5¢@7¢.

Salt—Coarse, half ground, 100¢ per ton, \$20.50; 50¢ per ton, \$20.50.

Beans—Small white, 3¢; large white, 3¢; pink, 2¢; bayou, 3¢; lima, 4¢.

HOPS, WOOL AND HIDES.

Hops—13¢@14¢ per pound; contract, 12¢@13¢.

Wool—Nominal; Valley, 12¢@12½¢; Eastern Oregon, 8¢@11¢.

Sheepskins—Shearings, 15¢@20¢; short wool, 25¢@35¢; medium wool, 30¢@40¢; long wool, 40¢@51¢ each.

Fallow—Prime, per pound, 4¢@4½¢; No. 2, 3¢@3½¢; No. 3, 2¢@2½¢.

Hides—Dry hides, No. 1, 16 pounds and up, 15¢@15½¢ per pound; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 pounds, 15¢; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 pounds, 15¢; dry-salted, bulls and stags, one-third less than dry salt; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 pounds and over, 8¢@9¢; 50 to 60 pounds, 7¢@8¢; under 50 pounds, 6¢@7¢; stags and bulls, sound, 6¢@7¢; kip, sound, 15 to 30 pounds, 7¢; veal, sound, 10 to 14 pounds, 7¢; calf, sound, under 10 pounds, 8¢; green (unsalted), 1¢ per pound less; culls 1¢ per pound less; horse hides, salted, each, \$1.00@2; dry, each, \$1.00@1.50; colts' hides, each, 25¢@50¢; goat skins, common, each, 10¢@15¢; Angora, with wool on, each, 25¢@35¢.

MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

Fresh Meats—Beef, 7¢@8¢; pork, 7¢@8¢; veal, 7¢@8¢; mutton, 3¢ per lb.; dressed, 7¢@7½¢ per lb.

Hams, bacon, etc.—Portland pack (Western) hams, 13¢; picnic, 10¢@11¢; breakfast bacon, 15¢@16¢; light sides, 12¢@13¢; backs, 12¢@13¢; dry salted, 12¢@13¢; 13¢; dried beef sets, 10¢@11¢; knuckles, 15¢ per lb.; Eastern packed hams, under 15 lbs, 13¢; over 15 lbs, 14¢; fancy, 14¢; picnic, 10¢; shoulder, 10¢; dry salted sides, unsmoked, 11¢; breakfast bacon, 15¢; bacon sides, 13¢; backs, unsmoked, 12¢; smoked, 13¢; butts, 11¢@12¢.

Salmon—Columbia River, one-pound tallow, \$1.35; two-pound tallow, \$2.50; one-pound flats, \$2; ½-pound fancy, \$1.25; Alaska tallow, 90¢; two-pound tallow, \$2.00.

Lard—Kettle leaf, 13¢; steam rendered, 12¢; three basis.

HEALTH REPORT.

May Ethel Gregory, 824 Corbett street, scarlet fever.

Clarence Jones, 300½ Fourth street, chickenpox.

Mrs. H. H. Schroeder, 252 Page street, diphtheria.

Harold Barchus, East Twenty-seventh and Taggart streets, chickenpox.

Conrad Lon, 627 Ellisworth street, chickenpox.

Louise Fauset, 643 East Twenty-sixth street, scarlet fever.

Lizzie Vann, St. Vincent's hospital, scarlet fever.

Baby Moffett, 175 Seventeenth street, measles.

Mrs. Bybee, 308 East Park, chickenpox.

Lela Nail, Portsmouth, scarlatina.

Clark Lyons, Portsmouth, scarlatina.

Eva Boscevitich, 553 Clay street, diphtheria.

Harrett Fotehemus, 615 East Pine, scarlatina.

BUILDING PERMITS.

August Wemme, repairs, First and Mill streets, \$2000.

E. E. Kleinsmith, 1-story dwelling, East Twenty-fourth street and Hawthorne avenue, \$150.

R. Gilman, alterations, Twenty-first and North streets, \$1000.

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