

STATE CAPITAL NEWS

- Democratic Gains
License Plate Colors
Pension Funds

By A. L. LINDBECK

SALEM.—Registration figures released this week by Secretary of State Snell show that the Democrats made gains in every Oregon county except three over the pre-primary registrations of 1932.

The three counties in which the minority party lost ground were Gilliam, Harney and Wheeler. In some counties, notably Clackamas, Columbia, Josephine, Klamath and Lincoln, the democratic registration has doubled in the four-year period.

Whereas not a single Oregon county lined up in the Democratic column prior to the 1932 primary there are now four counties in this state which show Democratic majorities. These are Baker, Harney, Klamath and Union.

Republican registrations on the other hand, show losses in all but 12 counties—Clackamas, Benton, Crook, Hood River, Josephine, Klamath, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Marion, Sherman and Yamhill.

The democrats who registered only 122,500 voters in 1932 now number 198,322 followers in Oregon, representing a net gain of 100,000 over their republican opponents who lost nearly 24,000 adherents while the democrats were picking up 76,000 new ones.

The registration total of 487,186 is the highest for a primary campaign in the history of the state but lacks nearly 8000 of equaling the registration prior to the general election of 1932 when 486,146 Oregon citizens qualified for a right to vote.

A request addressed by Governor Martin to Attorney General Van Winkle this week as to his right to remove an appointive official has aroused the curiosity of capital circles as to who might be slated for the political skids.

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BEN R. LITFIN, Candidate for delegate, state at large, Republican national convention.

In the state the provisions of both federal and state agencies.

The verbal tilt between Governor Martin and Attorney General Van Winkle this week over the Clatsop county labor riot paroles is generally regarded here as presaging another attempt on the part of administration forces to make the attorney generalship an appointive office at the next legislative session.

Gov. Martin is known to hold the opinion that the attorney general should be appointed rather than elected.

The issue which came near disrupting the state capital commission at its meeting in Portland last week is understood to have been: Shall the new state house have two domes typifying the elongated ears of the Democratic donkey or a single dome glorifying the trunk of the familiar Republican pachyderm?

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT. In memory of Sister Rubina Crisman who died April 25. Again that unwelcome yet relentless visitor, Death, has entered the portals of our lodge room and summoned a Sister to the home beyond.

ELLA BENGGE, OPAL AYERS, EMMA JONES.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all the kind neighbors and friends for their help and expressions of sympathy in our bereavement.

Mrs. N. M. Johnson and children. O. E. Johnson and family. Mrs. Christina Anderson and family. Mrs. Hannah Lewis and family.

CARD OF THANKS. Our sincere appreciation is extended to the many kind friends for their help and sympathy in our bereavement.

Will M. Peterson, Pendleton attorney and veteran democratic warrior, was in the city Saturday, accompanied by Mrs. Peterson. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were recently married at the old home town of both, Burnsville, N. C.

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By MARGARET BLAKE

The May study meeting of the Women's Topic club met at the home of Mrs. Victor Rietmann last Saturday afternoon. Fourteen members were present.

George Tucker reviewed the book, "Honey in the Horn" by H. L. Davies. Mrs. George Tucker, Mrs. Louis Bergevin and Mrs. Carl Feldman were appointed to prepare the program for the six months from July to December inclusive.

Mrs. Walter Corley and Mrs. Elmer Griffith told of the meeting of librarians held at Heppner last Wednesday at which they were present.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Hostesses for the afternoon, Mrs. Victor Rietmann, Mrs. Lana Padberg, Mrs. Henry Gorgor and Mrs. Ed. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Peterson are spending several days in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. S. Wolfe and son John of Gresham visited their daughter, Miss Zella Wolfe the first of the week.

Miss Wolfe is teacher of the Rocky Bluff school. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ray went to Wendling on Sunday to see Mr. Ray's sister who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Pettys of Reith are parents of a son, Garry Arthur.

Mr. Wallace Mathews returned to her home at Seab, Wash., Saturday after a two weeks' visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely.

Mrs. Bert Mason and son Bert, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. R. W. Ljuaellen and Charles Christanson were Pendleton visitors Saturday afternoon.

Junior Mason was elected president of next year's student body at the recent student body election. Other officers chosen were Wallace Lundell, vice president; Charlotte McCabe, secretary-treasurer; Tommy Everson, athletic manager; Francis Bryson, transportation manager; and Helen Lundell, yell leader.

Rev. Hinkle will conduct services at the Christian church on Sunday at 11 a. m.

LEXINGTON

By BEULAH NICHOLS

The Lexington troop of Boy Scouts of America will hold a court of honor and public demonstrations next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

The next meeting of the Lexington Home Economics club will be at the home of Mrs. J. E. Gentry on Thursday afternoon, May 14.

The monthly business meeting of Lexington grange will be held at the grange hall Saturday evening. Don't forget the minstrel show to be given in the high school auditorium Friday evening, May 8, at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Miller returned home from Salem Wednesday evening. A large number of friends enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Henry Schriever at her home last Thursday afternoon.

The afternoon working on blocks for a friendship quilt for Mrs. Schriever. Several people of this community gathered at the Dan Way home Saturday evening to charivari Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vinson.

School was dismissed last Friday so that the students might attend the May Day activities at Heppner. The teachers and several of the parents attended also.

Several prizes in the track meet were won by the Lexington grade school students. Mr. and Mrs. Myles Martin and family have returned from Portland where they went to attend the funeral of Mr. Martin's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson were visitors in Pendleton Tuesday. Mrs. Etta C. Hunt of Portland is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Florence Beach has returned from California where she spent the winter with her sister. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allyn of Ione were calling on Lexington friends Sunday.

Miss Annie Hynd, who has been a patient at Heppner hospital, returned to her home in Sand Hollow Sunday. Patricia Emerit of Ione spent the week end with May and Fay Rauch.

Mrs. Ben Cox and children and Mrs. Lorna Borman of Heppner were guests of Mrs. Alex Hunt Sunday. Arnold Sprauer spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Helms of Pendleton spent the week end with relatives in this city. Bernice Martin, Kenneth Peck and Woodrow Tucker were absent from school last week.

Marvin Cox has returned to school after being absent for several weeks on account of illness. Several of the high school boys attended the high school track meet at Condon Saturday.

The seventh and eighth grades held a party in the gymnasium Monday evening. Everyone reported a good time. The P. T. A. executive board met at the school house Wednesday afternoon and appointed the following committees for next year: Hot lunch committee, Mrs. Lester White, Mrs. Carolyn Kuns and Mrs. Roy Johnson; program, Mrs. James Leach, Mrs. Lawrence Beach and Mrs. John Miller; hospitality, Mrs. Harvey Bauman, Mrs. Wm. D. Campbell and Mrs. Charles Marquardt; publicity, Beulah Nichols, Mrs. Wm. Van Winkle and Mrs. Arnold Pieper; child welfare, Mrs. Adolph Majeske, Mrs. Arthur Hunt and Mrs. Harvey Miller; membership, Lona Barnett, Frank Edmondson and Mrs. Frank Edmondson; finance, J. E. Gentry, Herbert Lewis and Mrs. J. E. Gentry; refreshment, Mrs. Ralph Scott, Mrs. Clarence Biddle and Mrs. George Peck.

booster committee, George Peck, Arnold Pieper, Harry Dinges, R. H. Lane and James Leach. The annual junior-senior banquet was held Wednesday evening at the Lucas Place in Heppner. Numbers on the program included the welcome to the seniors by Kenneth Peck, response by Alma Van Winkle, and a short talk by Bernice Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Norton of Mt. Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Duvall last week. Mr. Norton came over to attend a meeting of managers of Red & White stores in Heppner.

Old mirrors beautifully restored, 100% job guaranteed. Bring in your damaged mirrors. Here for limited time only. Geo. Viereck, at tent on S. Main St. 1p.

CHILDREN'S HAIRCUTS

CLARK'S BARBER SHOP COXEN & CHAPIN BARBER SHOP

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BAND CONCERT SET.

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weariness, and express their joy in dance and frolic. The fourth movement, grandioso: As the setting sun casts its lingering rays over the valley and rolling hills, bathing the scene in rosy hues, the settlers and their friends are overcome by the grandeur of the spectacle.

They kneel reverently, and in a mighty chorus intone the same song which welcomed them to their future home. It is their Oracle—a glorious promise of peace and happiness. The medley selection, Memories of Stephen Foster, is made up of the most loved folk songs of the beloved American composer, Stephen Foster. This composition contains parts of such folk songs as Old Black Joe, Old Kentucky Home, Massa's in de Cold, Cold Ground, Swanee River, Old Folks at Home, and others, in a very pleasing arrangement.

The waltz, Blue Danube, is one of the world's best loved waltzes and although it was perhaps never meant as a band number, it makes a very good selection. Other attractions on the concert program will be two short waltzes, by the junior band and one or two solo numbers.

French Burroughs, pioneer farmer of Rhea creek, was transacting business in the city Tuesday. He was pleased with progress of crops following the recent good rains.

Giles French, publisher of the Sherman County Observer and republican candidate for joint representative from the 22nd district, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

William Tibbles visited the first of the week at the home of Dr. L. B. Tibbles on the way to his home at Miles City, Mont., from California where he spent the winter.

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At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor. Bible school 9:45 a. m. Morning services 11 a. m. C. E. Society 6:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Widweek service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Mother's Day program in Bible School. Morning Church service honoring mothers. At 8:00 P. M., following our inspirational song service, Mrs. Byrlee, missionary to Africa, will speak.

METHODIST CHURCH. JOSEPH POPE, Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Public worship 11:00 a. m. Anthem, "Let Us Sing Unto the Lord." Jordan. Solo, Mrs. Edward Bloom. Sermon, "Behold Thy Mother." Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Evening worship 8:00. Sermon, "The Abiding Christ." Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30. The W. F. M. S. will meet at the home of Mrs. Albert Adkins next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Mothers' Day will be observed at our morning service. It is hoped families will attend and be seated together to pay tribute to our mothers.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many Heppner friends who sent flowers, plants and words of encouragement to the Heppner Hospital during the illness of our sister, Annie Hynd. Hynd Brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Staggs of Baker were visitors in the city Friday, Mrs. Staggs, state president, appearing before a meeting of the local woolgrowers' auxiliary. Mr. Staggs enjoyed meeting several old-time friends, among them L. Van Marter, a fraternity brother at the University of Oregon. He inquired at the Gazette Times office for Arthur R. Crawford, now located at San Rafael, another fraternity brother who attended the university at the same time.

Rev. and Mrs. Glen P. White and son David were visitors in the city the end of the week, coming to the county to look after property interests. Rev. Mr. White, former pastor of the Methodist church here, now has charge of the church at Dillard, near Roseburg.

3 BIG DAYS FRI. - SAT. - MON. CRACKERS Salted or plain PER LB. 15c CHEESE Brookfield loaf PER LB. 22c MILK Maximum or Federal 12 Tall Tins 83c SOAP P. & G. Laundry 10 BARS 35c PAR Gran. lg. pkg. 29c

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Fluffiest MARSHMALLOWS 8 OZ. CELLOPHANE BAG 9c 16 OZ. CELLOPHANE BAG 16c

SUGAR PURE CANE 100 LBS. \$5.59

RAISINS Thompson seedless 4 LB. 24c

PRODUCE Asparagus 29c 4 LBS. 12 LB. BOX 75c Green Onions and Radishes 10c 3 Bunches Lemons 25c DOZ.

SHORTENING EXTRA SPECIAL 8 LBS. 85c

COFFEE ROASTER TO CONSUMER AIRWAY 3 LBS. 50c NOB HILL 3 LBS. 65c Dependable 2 LBS. 45c

GALA NUMBER THE FAMILY CIRCLE

CLARK'S BARBER SHOP COXEN & CHAPIN BARBER SHOP

SYRUP and PANCAKE DEAL 1 pint jug Sleepy Hollow cane & maple syrup, and 1 regular 25c pkg. Maximum Pancake Flour—BOTH for 39c

LARD PURE HOG 4 LB. PAIL 65c 4 LB. CARTON 59c

MAYONNAISE and SALAD DRESSING SALE ARISTOCRAT BRAND—PRICES EFFECTIVE MAY 8TH TO 16TH MAYONNAISE Pints 25c :: Qts. 45c Salad Dressing Pints 23c :: Qts. 39c

FLOUR Oregon Maid \$1.59 49 LB. SACK Harvest Blossom 1.79 49 LB. SACK

CORN MEAL Yellow or white 9 LB. 35c COCOA Rockwood 2 LB. 18c BAKING POWDER Clabbor Girl 5 LB. 59c OATS Albers' quick or regular 9 LB. 41c

BROOM SALE CONTINUES 2 DAYS—FRIDAY and SATURDAY MONARCH 43c DOMESTIC 69c Dustless Jane 89c D ELUXE 98c

