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NATIONAL PRIMARY.

Representative Lafferty has introduced a national direct primary law for the nomination of candidates for president and vice president on the second Monday of July, 1916, and every four years thereafter. The candidate receiving a plurality of votes in any state is to be credited with a number of votes equal to the number of senators and representatives to which that state is entitled, thus preserving to each state the same relative strength it now has in national conventions. The returns from all of the states are to be canvassed by a national primary board, and the result officially declared. It is further provided that no candidate for nominations as president shall spend in excess of \$25,000, and no candidate for vice president to spend in excess of \$10,000, but the government shall print a primary publicity pamphlet in which each presidential candidate may take eight pages at \$1,000 per page, and each candidate for vice president may take four pages at \$1,000 per page. The pamphlets are to be mailed to each registered voter in the United States at least ten days prior to the presidential primaries. Another publicity pamphlet for the final election is to be mailed to each voter by the government in like manner, but space therein is to be furnished to the nominees of the different parties without charge.

INEXCUSABLE IGNORANCE.

It is a regrettable circumstance that the people of the country consider banking a matter of mystery which only the elect can understand. Business men often consider banking a matter which they are not obliged to understand, and understanding of which would be useless to them. Ignorance of banking as a factor in the business and economic scheme begets the lack of confidence manifested in panics. A good monetary system is founded on two things—gold and public confidence. There can be no confidence in anything without knowledge of it. England has more confidence than gold. The confidence is born of general understanding of the banking system. The most perfect banking and currency system in this country would be only partly successful if it were not understood. Every business man, every farmer and every wage-earner owes it to himself to study the question of currency reform, to learn the defects of the existing system, and why it is proposed to change it.

Mrs. J. J. Camp returned Tuesday from Portland where she has been for the past few months. She intends to reside in the future at her home north of the city, where she has lived for many years. The death of Mr. Camp, which occurred in Portland about ten days ago, will make the place quite lonesome, but Mrs. Camp expects to have someone stay with her, and prefers to live in Seaside above all other places.—Seaside Signal.

The Peninsula Herald has this to say of a former Gresham man who was for seven years the principal of the Gresham schools: "H. R. Winchel, traveling man for Lang & Co., the man for whom Winchel street was named, was seen on our streets the other day. It isn't everyone that enjoys this distinction, but somehow or other it doesn't seem to phase him in the least. He is just the same genial Winchel."

Dr. James B. Olmstead, supreme medical director of the United Artisans who was well known among the local Artisans, died recently from a stroke of apoplexy. He was a member of Rockwood grange, but withdrew shortly before his death.

LAND GRANT SETTLERS.

Judge Wolverton recently decided in favor of the United States and against the railroad company in the matter of the land grant cases being prosecuted in the federal courts.

There are probably 500 bona fide settlers on those railroad lands in Oregon, who are apprehensive that they have lost all rights through the decision. Representative Lafferty advises them to stick to their claims and await the decision of the supreme court or the future action of congress.

Writing to George A. Hall, of Monroe, Mr. Lafferty, says: "That if the decision of Judge Wolverton shall be affirmed by the supreme court, exception will undoubtedly be made by the court as to those particular tracts shown to have been settled upon in good faith prior to the decision."

Writing further, Mr. Lafferty says: "I think this will certainly be true if you carry up your appeal to the supreme court and show that you were a bona fide settler prior to that date."

"Furthermore, if the supreme court should fail to protect the bona fide settlers and should forfeit all of the grant to the United States, congress, in opening the lands to settlement, would undoubtedly protect all those who were bona fide settlers thereon prior to April 28, 1913, the date of Judge Wolverton's decision."

"Therefore, I strongly advise all those who were settlers prior to that date not to abandon their claims. They should band together and prosecute their appeal. If the case is prosecuted in good faith by the government, it will be decided in the supreme court within twelve months."

"It may yet turn out that the supreme court will decide in favor of compelling the railroad company to sell the land for \$2.50 an acre, rather than forfeit it to the United States. In this latter case, those who are bona fide settlers on the land will get the right to purchase the tracts by them settled upon. But in no event will those persons who have merely made application, or who may hereafter make application, unaccompanied by actual bona fide settlement, in a house, on the land, coupled with bona fide improvements thereof, acquire any rights whatever. The law did not say that the lands should be sold to 'actual applicants', but to actual settlers. Therefore, those who have parted with money merely to have their 'applications' filed have been swindled. I have taken this position for the last seven years and have urged the department of justice to prosecute, criminally, those persons who have obtained money for filing applications, but it has refused to do so."

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Mrs. Lizzie Zan, of Ridgefield, Wash., was called to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. A. C. Whilon, who was very sick. She is improving at this writing.

Willie, the son of Adolph Sester, had his hand badly crushed in a potato planter last Thursday.

Mrs. Edd Hamilton visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, at the Emanuel hospital in Portland last Wednesday.

Methew Rauw was doing business in Portland last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hill, of Gresham, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davies about a week. They were detained longer than they expected on account of the illness of their son.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hamilton made a business trip to Fairview last Tuesday and also visited at the home of J. B. Lent.

The Pacific International exposition, scheduled for Portland, next fall, promises to be one of the best stock shows ever held in the west. Great preparations are being made already to secure the entry of a very large number of blooded cattle, sheep and hogs. This is the third annual show and premiums amounting to \$10,000 have been arranged.

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MAGGIE MULLEN MAKES MENTION

Why a Woman Worries Over the Woes of Women Who Wonder Why It Is.

Portland, Ore., May 19, 1913
To the Editor:—We should worry. When I say we, I mean the women of this big, overgrown town. With an election coming within a few weeks and 25,000 of us in a position to vote for five bosses to rule us during the next four years, we have a worry coming.

We hold the balance of power and we have two candidates for commissioner, but I'll bet my last year's bustle that we don't elect either one of them. I'll bet my husband's new hat against the hole in a doughnut that we don't elect two representative men to either of the offices, for the simple reason that the best business men are not seeking them. We should worry.

It is a strange conglomeration of conditions that confront us. Here we are, ready to vote because the men gave us the ballot, and yet we haven't any idea of what it means to pick out the right person to vote for. Bill Jones did us a good turn once and we are very grateful; Tom Smith is a relative and we would like to see him prominent; Sam Brown is a good fellow and belongs to our lodge, so there we are. We are going to vote for all of them and one or two more because another dear friend has asked us to.

That is the way the women of Portland are going to help elect a mayor and four commissioners, provided enough of them take the trouble to vote at all.

We should worry. While the men are forming committees of 100 to sift out the qualifications of the candidates, what are we women doing? Why don't we get up a burrah and delve into the past of everyone of the light brigade that wants to be sacrificed for four times the salary he ever saw before? Why don't we do a few stunts along the smelling committee line and pick out a few candidates for our husbands and brothers to vote for? We should worry.

I'm afraid we haven't been "approached" in the right way. The men think we don't count for much in the election and that only about one-fourth of us will vote anyway; so what's the use?

Portland is confronting the biggest problem any city of its size ever went up against. It is the greatest city in the world that ever tackled the commission plan of government, and the women in it are not caring which way the election goes. In that respect they are on a level with the biggest and

brainiest men of the city, none of whom are on the ticket. It counts for something, don't it, to be the equal of the best men? But that is what we are. We should worry. Sincerely yours, MAGGIE MULLEN.

List of Letters.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the Gresham postoffice for the week ending May 19, 1913.

Letters—M. Collie, P. E. Blackman, R. E. Esson, James Stafford, Rosie Updike.

Foreign Letter—David Gray. Cards—Wm. Burke, Joe Dosen, E. Moran. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on June 1st, 1913, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say advertised, giving date of list. I. McCOLL, P. M.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by Gresham Drug Co., and Dealers everywhere.

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Administratrix's Notice.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew G. Pullen, Deceased. The undersigned has been appointed, and is duly qualified as administratrix of said estate. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to the undersigned attorney for the administratrix, at his office, No. 392-3 Failing building, Portland, Oregon, duly verified in the manner required by law, within six (6) months from the date of this notice. Dated April 22, 1913. ADDIE LILLIAN PULLEN, Administratrix.

JOHN R. HUGHES, Attorney for the Administratrix. First publication, Apr. 22, 1913

Church Notices

Church Services at Gillis. Sunday school 10:30 a. m. B. L. Northup, superintendent. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Geo. H. Harrison, pastor. Midweek prayer meeting and bible study Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m.

LINNEMANN METHODIST, Gresham—Rev. Melville T. Wire, pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at 8 p. m.

CATHOLIC SERVICES—Mass every Sunday at 10:30 in Commercial Hall, Gresham, until church is built. After mass, instruction for the children.

MASS will be celebrated every second and fourth Sunday at 10:30 a. m., at St. Josephs church, Powell Valley road. Reverend Father Martin, O. S. B., pastor.

FAIRVIEW PRESBYTERIAN—Services every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school meets at 10 in charge of Mrs. D. W. McKay. Y. P. S. C. E. devotional meeting at 7 p. m. Rev. Thos. Robinson, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTISTS—Services in Grange hall, Gresham, Sunday at 11 a. m. and Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Public invited.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH Gresham—Edwin W. Hight, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting each Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Place announced.

GRESHAM BETHEL BAPTIST—Sunday services—Sabbath school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. F. M. Burtch, Pastor.

COURT GRESHAM, No. 81, Foresters of America—Meets the second and fourth Monday evening in each month at I. O. O. F., hall. E. L. Grubb, chief ranger; O. J. Trambly, secretary.

FAIRVIEW LODGE No. 92, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communications the first Saturday of each month. Sonic Temple, Troutdale.

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Stock for Sale.
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FOR SALE—A six-year old horse, sound and true, broken single or double. 1000 pounds. John Palmblad, Gresham, phone 38x1. tf
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FOR SALE—Light team and wagon. Lewis Shattuck, Gresham.
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FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 in. wagon, horse, 6 years old, broke; 2 set single harness and buggy, good as new. Foster Cooley. tf
REAL ESTATE AND RENTALS
FOR RENT—A. C. Whilon's farm four miles east of Gresham. Contains 65 acres; about 10 acres cleared and partly seeded. Cash rent \$125 for one year, or will make terms for a ten-year lease. A. C. Whilon, Gresham, Oregon, phone 357. tf
FOR SALE—20 acres, all clear 1/2 mile from Gresham. Price and terms reasonable. Box 161, Gresham. 21
STOCK WANTED—Good pasture with running water, well fenced. Charles Cleveland, Gresham. Phone 471. tf
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For Rent.
Seven room house on Main street, with city water and electric lights. \$8.00 per month. Charles Cleveland. tf
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MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—25,000 kale plants. Guy Read, Fifth street, 2nd house west of Main. P. O. box 244, Gresham. *22
Air Pressure Water System.
For sale. 2-horse power engine, 720 gallon tank, all in good condition. At a bargain. S. S. Thompson. Phone 61. tf
FOR SALE—For cash, 80 cords first-class live wood, cut one year. E. J. Gradin, phone 325. *24
Lady with child wishes position as housekeeper. Inquire Outlook office. *25
FOR SALE—First class, live and dead cord wood, delivered at Gresham. L. Walsh, phone 303.
HAY for sale at my farm near Pleasant Home. John Straus, Borling, R. 1. tf
FOR SALE—Cordwood, delivered any place in town. Telephone 591. Leland & Michel, Gresham. *31-
FOR SALE—Several second-hand 10-gal. milk cans. T. R. Howitt.
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