

83 REPUBLICANS IN LEGISLATURE

Statement No. 1 Forces Are in Control in Senate, But May Not Hold House—Opposition May Gain—Lines Likely to Be Broken.

Of the 90 members-elect of the Oregon state legislature, 83 are republicans, giving the dominant party a majority of 70 on joint ballot. The membership of the two houses is completed with five democrats and two independents. On the question of Statement No. 1 the republican membership is quite equally divided, a preliminary classification showing 42 republicans favoring the Statement and 41 opposed to it. It will be largely on this issue that the organization of the two houses next winter will be fought out.

It is in the senate that the Statement forces are the stronger. Of the 26 republican members of that body, 15 are elected as Statement men, while the other 11 do not favor the principle. H. D. Norton, a holdover from Josephine county, was elected as an independent, but in politics is a democrat and an advocate of Statement No. 1. For that reason, then, Norton, together with the three democratic members—M. A. Miller of Linn, Turner Oliver of Union and Wallowa and Claud McCullough of Baker—may be included with the 15 Statement republicans in computing the statement strength of the senate membership. This would give a total of 19 members favoring the statement as against 11 opposed to it.

It is in the house that the anti-statement people have the better of the situation. There are 57 republicans in the lower branch of the legislature. Of that number 30 are reported to be anti-statement, giving these forces an even break in the organization. This calculation presumes that the statement people will hold their men together and at the same time receive the support of the other three non-republican members—Timothy Brownhill, independent, of Yamhill; C. L. Shaw of Linn and A. J. Derby of Hood River and Wasco, the last two being democrats. However, it is already reported that in the organization of the house the ranks of the anti-statement people may be increased by two and possibly three of the members who were elected as statement members.

From Coos county comes the report that Ed Rackliff, representative-elect, is not eligible to serve as a member of the legislature. While his family resides in Coos county, Rackliff is serving as postmaster at Langlois, Curry county. It is contended that he is not legally qualified because of non-residence in the county from which he was elected. However, it is not likely that any contest will be made to prevent his being seated by the legislature. Rackliff was elected as a republican without opposition, save from a socialist.

7000 TURKEYS SHIPPED OUT OF DOUGLAS

ROSEBURG, Or., Nov. 19.—According to local poultry dealers who consigned final shipments of turkeys to the coast markets late today, more than 7000 birds have been shipped from Douglas county during the past week. It is estimated that the birds weighed approximately 80,000 pounds and that the growers realized \$19,475.

An Oakland firm purchased in the neighborhood of 4500 turkeys, most of which were shipped to the San Francisco and Seattle markets. The firms paid an average of 24½ cents a pound.

One Roseburg firm purchased 2500 birds, for which it paid 24 cents a pound. These turkeys were shipped to the Portland and Seattle markets. Aside from these shipments it is estimated that about 5000 turkeys were purchased in small lots and sold to private concerns, which make a practice of presenting turkeys to their employes on Thanksgiving. The prices paid show a decided increase when compared with previous years.

As predicted early in the season, however, the supply shows a decrease and many more birds could have been disposed of in the northern markets. Buyers attribute the scarcity to the growers, who are said to be holding many of their birds for the Christmas trade, when they expect a demand at even higher prices than has been paid during the Thanksgiving season.

W. A. Sumner will leave in a few days for the south to spend the winter months.

FRONTIERSMAN PASSES AWAY

J. C. Emerick, Who Followed March of Civilization Westward Dies at His Home in This City—Always on Outskirts of Settlements.

J. C. Emerick died at his home at the corner of Eighth and Grand streets Saturday morning, aged 74 years, 8 months and 13 days.

Mr. Emerick was born at Lysander, Onondaga county, N. Y., in 1836, and when he was a small boy moved west to Wisconsin. In Wisconsin he was married to the first white school teacher who had opened a school in Eau Claire county. In 1880 he moved to Montana and later to Idaho. Mr. Emerick has been on the frontier all of his life and often made the remark after settling in Medford that this was the thickest settled community in which he had ever lived.

Up to the time when he was stricken with the illness which resulted in his death he had always been hale and hearty, hardly knowing a day's illness.

Three years ago in a hunt participated in by his sons, V. J. and M. J. Emerick, William Humphrey and himself, the old gentleman then 70 years of age, set the pace for the youngsters and incidentally made a record. He fired three shots on the trip and each shot accounted for a buck.

Mr. Emerick came to Medford five years ago and immediately commenced the erection of the Emerick building on Front street. He has been a progressive, hustling citizen ever since.

Short services will be held at the undertaking parlors of the Medford Furniture company at 2 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, after which the remains will be shipped to Boise, Idaho, for interment.

He leaves a wife, two sons, V. J. and M. J. Emerick, of Medford, and a daughter, Mrs. William Jones, of Ashland.

Notice.

All persons having accounts against the late M. Bellinger are requested to present them at once for payment. All persons indebted are requested to settle.

MRS. M. BELLINGER,
212½ Executive.

Harry Conser, the painter who fell from a scaffold in the Bid Bend Milling company's building Wednesday, is recovering and will be able to resume work in a short time.

Haskin's for health.

YALE-HARVARD, NO SCORE.

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delivered their admirers. With the team's great showing against Harvard thus far, it was apparent that Yale stood a good chance to win.

The odds jumped to 2 to 3 on Harvard, and in some instances the crimson bettors demanded even money, based on Yale's evident inclination to "come back."

Yale had played an equally fast game with Harvard, and the famous Harvard defense had not showed to as good advantage as that of Yale. Yale's attack was not shown, although the punting ability of both teams gave Harvard a shade.

When the second quarter began Morris had succeeded Leslie as full-back for Harvard.

Second Quarter.

The ball rested on Harvard's 45-yard line when the quarter opened. Felton punted and Daly, with excellent interference, brought the leather back 25 yards. On the next play Kistler fumbled and Harvard recovered the ball. Wendell replaced Felton on the next play and plowed through Yale's left wing for eight yards. Smash, smash, smash! came the Harvard backs on Yale's left line, and Kilpatrick and Scully crumpled under the attack. Wendell gained six yards through right tackle, four yards around right end and five more through right tackle in quick succession.

The Harvard rooters were almost on their knees imploring the crimson huskies to smash their way to the Yale goal line, which gradually drew nearer. Harvard shifted, hitting the Yale line for a fifth time, going through Paul for 15 yards. They were penalized for off-side play and Wigglesworth then punted to Howe.

Pass Fails.

Harvard then attempted a forward pass, which failed, miserably, Yale getting the ball in mid-field. Howe punted and Fisher was thrown without gain. Wigglesworth then gained 20 yards through the latter Yale line on three plunges. Yale braced and Minnot punted to Field, who fumbled. Smith dropped on the ball, and Yale's goal was again in danger. Wendell hit Yale's center hard for seven

Thanksgiving Suggestions

Many Special Bargains



As you sit in that easy chair and think of the good time you are going to have on next Thursday, just remember that the "Medford Furniture Co." is well equipped to help you enjoy your Thanksgiving. Make the home more comfortable by placing therein the needed articles of furniture.

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yards. Wigglesworth was thrown back for a loss, and injured, Potter replacing him.

On a fake kick Corbett dodged three tacklers and carried the ball to Yale's 28-yard line. Wendell tried a fake kick, but Kilpatrick got through and threw him for a loss. Field caught Potter's one side kick and Howe, again behind the Yale goal posts, punted the ball to safety. Harvard's attempt at a forward pass failed, and Potter punted to Yale's 28-yard line, where Howe punted back to safety. Childs replaced Fuller just as the half ended.

Score—Yale 0, Harvard 0.

Harvard Punt Well.

The second quarter demonstrated that Harvard's punting and line bucking easily outclassed Yale's, but Yale's bulldog defense prevented the crimson kickers and rushers from passing over the blue's goal line.

The teams changed goals and Paul kicked off, Harvard returning the kick. Yale opened up its line plunges for the first time and the Yale stands went wild. Kistler, Daley and Field, in four plunges, carried the ball forward 28 yards, sweeping Harvard before them. Howe then punted and Harvard was penalized for holding.

Yale's ball on Harvard's 50-yard line. Here Daley fumbled and Corbett broke through. Corbett punted to Yale's 25-yard line. On the next play Yale smashed through the crimson line for 20 yards. Howe was then

thrown back for a loss of three yards and then punted to Corbett on Yale's 45-yard line. Wendell in three plunges gained 14 yards. Yale then braced and held Harvard without gain on Yale's 30-yard line. Howe captured Wigglesworth's forward pass, but was unable to gain in two line bucking attempts and punted. Lewis tried a drop kick, but missed.

Line Smashed.

Yale then began a series of smashes against the line that netted her 28 yards before Harvard braced and held for three downs. Yale then punted to mid-field and the third quarter ended.

Score—Yale 0, Harvard 0.

Yale began the final quarter with a stiff wind at her back. The rooters for the blue were cheering and singing, calling upon Captain Daly to hold Harvard for the remainder of the game. The Yale line appeared to be weakening, but buckled to the task of holding Harvard to the end.

Corbett again took his place in the crimson lineup and gained ten yards. He opened up the Yale line twice for Wendell, who gained five yards on each plunge. Wigglesworth punted and Howe was downed before he could move, on Yale's five-yard line. The crimson backs dropped back for Howe's punt. Howe, for the third time, back of his goal line, punted. Perkins caught the ball and was downed on Yale's 25-yard line. Harvard lost three yards for holding.

Harvard resorted to line smashes and Wendell in three plunges gained 15 yards, taking the ball to Yale's 13-yard line. With the ball in Harvard's possession, almost in the shadow of Yale's goal posts, it looked like a Harvard score. Wendell was again given the ball. Kilpatrick broke through and with a fierce tackle slammed the crimson halfback to the ground so hard that the ball was loosed from his arms. Paul fell on the ball and on the next play Howe punted out of danger to Harvard's 30-yard line.

Harvard continued line battering and Wendell gained 25 yards through Scully on a beautiful forward pass. Wigglesworth gained 25 yards. Brooks was replaced by Vaughn and Smith took Perkins' place.

Wigglesworth punted to Yale's 30-yard line and Howe kicked to mid-field, where Wigglesworth was downed by Kilpatrick for a loss of ten yards. Gardner replaced Wigglesworth.

Corbett punted to Yale's 40-yard line and an exchange of punts ended with the ball on Harvard's 35-yard line in Yale's possession.

Daly attempted a field goal, but the ball fell short. Gravestein was sent through for ten yards and as he was downed the final whistle blew, the game ending with the ball in Harvard's possession on her own 35-yard line.

Final score—Yale 0, Harvard 0.

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