

LA FOLLETTE CLUB NOW ORGANIZED

With the assurance that La Follette will speak in Medford and Ashland before the primaries, a nucleus of the La Follette Progressive Republican club of Jackson county was formed at a meeting in York & Co.'s real estate office Thursday evening. Another meeting will be held at the same place on Tuesday evening and at that time permanent officers will be chosen and an outline of work will be adopted.

Senator La Follette is expected to start his Oregon campaign within the next two weeks. His first stops will be in Portland and in the northern cities, bringing him here on the eve of the primaries. It is planned to have the club greet him and arrange all the details of the meeting. A club similar to the one organized here will in all probability be formed in Ashland and the two organizations will work together.

At the meeting Thursday evening J. E. Watt was elected temporary chairman and S. A. Nye was chosen secretary. Cards have been issued to members and efforts will be made to have all La Follette men join the organization. Secretary Nye, at York & Co.'s office will be glad to receive names of those desiring to join.

From expressions of those at the meeting Thursday evening it was made evident that La Follette sentiment is strong and is gaining strength throughout the county. Despite the fact that the meeting was hastily called a goodly number were present and word was received from many others by phone and mail.

NEW CARS CAUSE OF GREAT INTEREST

Frank L. Tou Velle's new 45-horsepower Apperson Jackrabbit automobile, the first to arrive in the valley, has been attracting great attention in motoring circles during the past few days. The new car is built for power and wear. It is very strongly braced throughout and it seems able to "stand the gaff." It is a four-cylinder car and has all the late wrinkles in automobiles.

Another car which is attracting much attention is V. J. Emerick's new six-cylinder Premier. It is a car of unusual length and of excellent lines.

LADIES WANT STREET CLEANED

The ladies of the Greater Medford club Friday called attention to the fact that the street through the city park was being used as a dumping ground and are taking steps to have it properly cleaned.

Mayor Canon stated today that the street was being used at present to collect all of the debris about the new Carnegie library and when it was all collected it would be hauled away and the street properly rounded up.

SENATOR GORE'S STATEMENT ROUSES TWO CANDIDATES

WASHINGTON, March 22.—A resolution given out by Senator Gore in Des Moines yesterday claiming to voice the demand of some of the democrats of Nebraska that Speaker Clark withdraw in favor of Woodrow Wilson in that state, so that Harmon might be prevented from carrying the Nebraska delegation to the national convention, provoked criticism and an attack from the national managers of both Clark and Harmon today.

NEGRO CONVICT TRIES ESCAPE: LYNCHED

COCHRAN, Ga., March 22.—A negro convict named Homer Howell was lynched this afternoon after he had killed Joseph Coady in the convict camp one mile from here. Howell and sixty others planned to escape. Howell killed Coady with a shovel and, escaping with the guard's revolver, he opened fire on the other guards, but was shot down. The news of the killing spread quickly. Howell was being taken to Hawkinsville, ten miles from here, when a mob of fifty armed men took the prisoner.

PORTLAND, Ore.—John Stubbs, slightly elevated, felt cold. So he built a fire in his bed. When rescued he was thoroughly warm.

TABLOID VIEW OF SOME OF THE MANY SCENES, FEATURES and PLAYERS IN THE NOVEL MUSICAL PLAY:

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Margaret Braun, the charming Mrs. Newlywed in "The Newlyweds and Their Baby," announced to play here at the Medford Theater tonight, has always been a Broadway favorite and no big musical success on the Great White Way was complete with-

out Miss Braun in the cast. Gifted with an excellent singing voice, a well-rounded figure and sweet face, she wins an audience from the start. Added to these favorable accomplishments, she is a clever comedienne and although still young she has made a name for herself from coast to coast. The part of Mrs. Newly-

wed gives her excellent opportunities to display her talents and in stage parlance she more than "makes good." "The Newlyweds" ran for nearly a half year in New York and is an up-to-date musical extravaganza full of dash, good music, and brisk dialogue. A large company of 60 1/2 persons is carried.

Our Correspondents

TABLE ROCK.

The fruit tree inspector has been looking over the Table Rock orchards the past few days. We understand there is very little blight. All the fruit trees in this locality are heavily loaded with blossom buds.

R. C. Washburn has a crew of men spraying his trees and putting his orchards in order.

W. E. Carlton sold the last of his big crop of potatoes today.

C. O. Dickey has several hundred young chickens, the product of his new incubator.

Many farmers and orchard men are hauling out trees, and replacing vacancies in their orchards.

Mr. Grimstead, who has been employed on the Walling ranch, has returned to Portland.

Norman Gage of Deblinger Gap was at Table Rock laying in a stock of groceries on Wednesday.

Oliver Peuland is contemplating starting a blacksmith shop at Table Rock.

Frank De Ford and Emmet Nealon are plowing for D. D. Sage.

J. H. Lydard is spraying his orchard.

All the young people in the community are contemplating a trip to the top of the lower rock on Sunday, March 24.

There will be union services at Table Rock on Easter Sunday. All are invited. Come and bring your lunch basket. Be here by 10 o'clock a. m. if possible.

Jap Kills Self and Wife—SEATTLE, Wash., March 22.—Because his white wife, Mrs. Natsuita, had threatened to leave him and return to her own people, George Natsuita, a Japanese, attacked and stabbed his wife in the throat and then cut his own throat here this morning. At the hospital it is stated that their recovery is doubtful.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS.

(By A. C. Howlett.)

One of the remarkable incidents that I heard of while on my recent trip to the Trail and Elk creek country that I had overlooked in making my report was that a lady teacher who had passed the necessary examination and secured her certificate applied for a position as teacher in the Trail school district and on receipt of her application one of the directors notified her that before the board would act on her application she would have to appear in person and be examined by him, which she did, at an additional expense of not less than \$5 or \$6, but she got the school all right.

Mrs. George Forg and her little daughter Velma came down from Grants Pass last Friday evening, where they had been to see Dr. Findley and have the little girl treated for deafness. They were met here the following day by her husband and went to their home on Rogue river below Trail.

George Wehman, a recent arrival from Portland, has opened a harness repair shop in the rear of the Eagle Point hardware store and taken a room at the Sunnyside. He expects to have a new stock in a few days and will do all kinds of harness work.

E. L. Putman of Ashland came in Saturday evening with a load of household goods for Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen. They have gone to house-keeping in a tent adjoining the Sunnyside. The same evening Miss Evans, a daughter of Mrs. Allen, came in and is visiting them for a few days.

Last Saturday, March 16, being my 80th birthday, was quite a noted day at the Sunnyside. For a few days prior invitations had been sent out to the following persons to come in and take dinner and help to celebrate that day: Mr. and Mrs. J. J.

Fryer and grandson, Austin Green, Mr. and Mrs. John Ashpole, Mr. and Mrs. D. Clinade, Mr. and Mrs. James Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knighton, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Florey, our postmaster; G. H. Wainstay, Mrs. A. W. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Doley and Mrs. E. Jones. They all came except Mr. and Mrs. Daley, Mr. Nichols and Mr. and Mrs. Florey. The first were detained on account of sickness and Mr. and Mrs. Florey on account of the postoffice business. Those who were invited were all old neighbors of advanced age except one and he was visiting his grandparents and a special friend and so the rule to invite none except the older ones was excepted in that one instance. Mrs. Howlett had prepared dinner expressly for the occasion and we all ate to our hearts' content. The average ages of the men present, not counting our regular boarders, was 71 years, and the average age of the women was 62 years, so you see that we had a regular old peoples' party. The old ladies could not entertain the thought of sitting and holding their hands, so they must be doing something, so they rustled a set of quilting frames, hunted around and found the necessary material to put in a quilt and went to work, at least some of them did. They could not find timbers enough for all nine of them but the rest amused themselves looking at the pictures, etc., and all voted that they had had a fine time and wished me many returns of the 16th day of March. Quite a number of the ladies remembered me with nice little tokens of friendship and two of them actually took hold of me—my wife said that they put their arms around my neck—and pinned a beautiful sicklepin in my necktie. And when we parted we all expressed the hope that we may all meet again on the 16th of March, 1915.

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