

SOUTHERN OREGON DOCTORS IN SESSION AT SPRINGS CITY

ASHLAND, May 12.—About 25 physicians gathered here yesterday to attend the 24th annual session of the Southern Oregon Medical Society.

Ashland: F. G. Swedenburg, A. W. Boslough, G. W. Gregg, A. W. Swedenburg; Medford: R. W. Stearns, R. W. Clancy, S. A. and Myrtle S. Lockwood, J. J. Emmens, E. B. Pickel, F. G. Thayer, E. H. Porter, H. P. Hargrave; Grants Pass: W. H. Flanagan, F. D. Stricker, J. P. Truax, L. O. Clement; Talent: John Hart; Roseburg: A. C. Soeley; Phoenix: F. J. Malgren; Eagle Point: W. P. Holt, R. E. Golden.

Program 11 a. m., Call to order by the president; business session, including election of officers; address by outgoing president, Dr. G. W. Gregg; luncheon at Hotel Oregon. "On the Relation Between Surgical Procedures and the General Asthenic State," Dr. Noble Wylie Jones, Portland, Oregon. "Preventable Deafness," Dr. L. O. Clement, Grants Pass, Oregon. Report of Cases, Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, Ashland, Oregon.

General discussion and presentation of cases. Dr. E. B. Stewart of Roseburg, was elected president; Dr. John Hart of Talent, vice president; Dr. C. A. Soeley, of Roseburg, secretary-treasurer. Dr. J. J. Emmens of Medford, Dr. G. W. Gregg, of Ashland, and Dr. F. D. Stricker of Grants Pass were chosen as delegates to state convention. The next meeting will be held at Roseburg.

DANCING TEACHERS PAY THE FIDDLER

ASHLAND, May 12.—As the outcome of participating in a recent dance at the armory, several local teachers may perhaps experience a change of environment. This dance was not a formal one, it being simply a pleasing accompaniment to a big May party given for the advancement of civic improvement projects. The entertainment was held on a Friday evening and in no wise interfered with urgent school duties. Nevertheless those teachers who danced were required to appear and show cause why they should not be disciplined. Those who plead guilty and threw themselves upon the mercy of the school board were retained and "paroled" on probation, while others resigned on the spot, to take effect at the end of the present term. A pleasing denouement, however, to what threatened to become an unpleasant complication, is that in the main the resignations were but perfunctory, inasmuch as Cupid had already perfected arrangements for a number of early weddings in this vicinity, with Ashland teachers in the role of happy brides. The "sympathy" of the entire community goes out to these instructors in this hour of their jubilation, and neither is Cupid's action in the premises considered to be "contempt of court."

ASHLAND WELCOMES BUCKEYE GROCERS

ASHLAND, May 12.—Retail grocers from Ohio now touring the Pacific and intermountain sections, will be here on Saturday, May 15, from 3 to 6 p. m. They will be welcomed by the local Ohio society with brief exercises in the park. There will be 123 in the party. The visitors will be taken to the springs and will also hit the high places on the several scenic drives. The excursionists will leave their train here and rejoin it later on, over thirty autos having been requisitioned to take the party on a joy ride over the Pacific highway to Medford, headed by the Ashland band in the big Stanley steamer. Another Ohio excursion party—the Cincinnati Retail Grocers' association—is scheduled to arrive here on Sunday, May 16.

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LAWYER ASSERTS ROOSEVELT SAID 1912 ISSUES DEAD

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 12.—Eliot R. Brown, republican leader in the state senate, swore on the witness stand here today that he considered Theodore Roosevelt was the leader of the party in the state from 1906 to 1910. Colonel Roosevelt was president of the United States during a part of that period.

The senator also swore that in 1911, when the state senate was deadlocked over the selection of a United States senator to succeed Chauncey M. Depew, William Barnes, who is suing Roosevelt for alleged libel, had in substance expressed a willingness to have the republican vote go to an independent democrat, who was unlikely to become identified with the dominant faction in the democratic party.

Witnesses for Colonel Roosevelt testified to an alleged agreement that they said Mr. Barnes had with Charles F. Murphy, to allow the Tammany leader to have a "free hand" in the selection of a United States senator.

Charles W. Hutchinson, Jr., a New York lawyer, declared on the witness stand that in July, 1914, Theodore Roosevelt had told him that he had agreed that the issues of 1912 were dead and that he would go after President Wilson in his Pittsburg speech and "tear him to pieces." Mr. Hutchinson quoted Col. Roosevelt as saying, however, that after what had happened in Chicago in 1912, the republican party was not big enough for both him and William Barnes.

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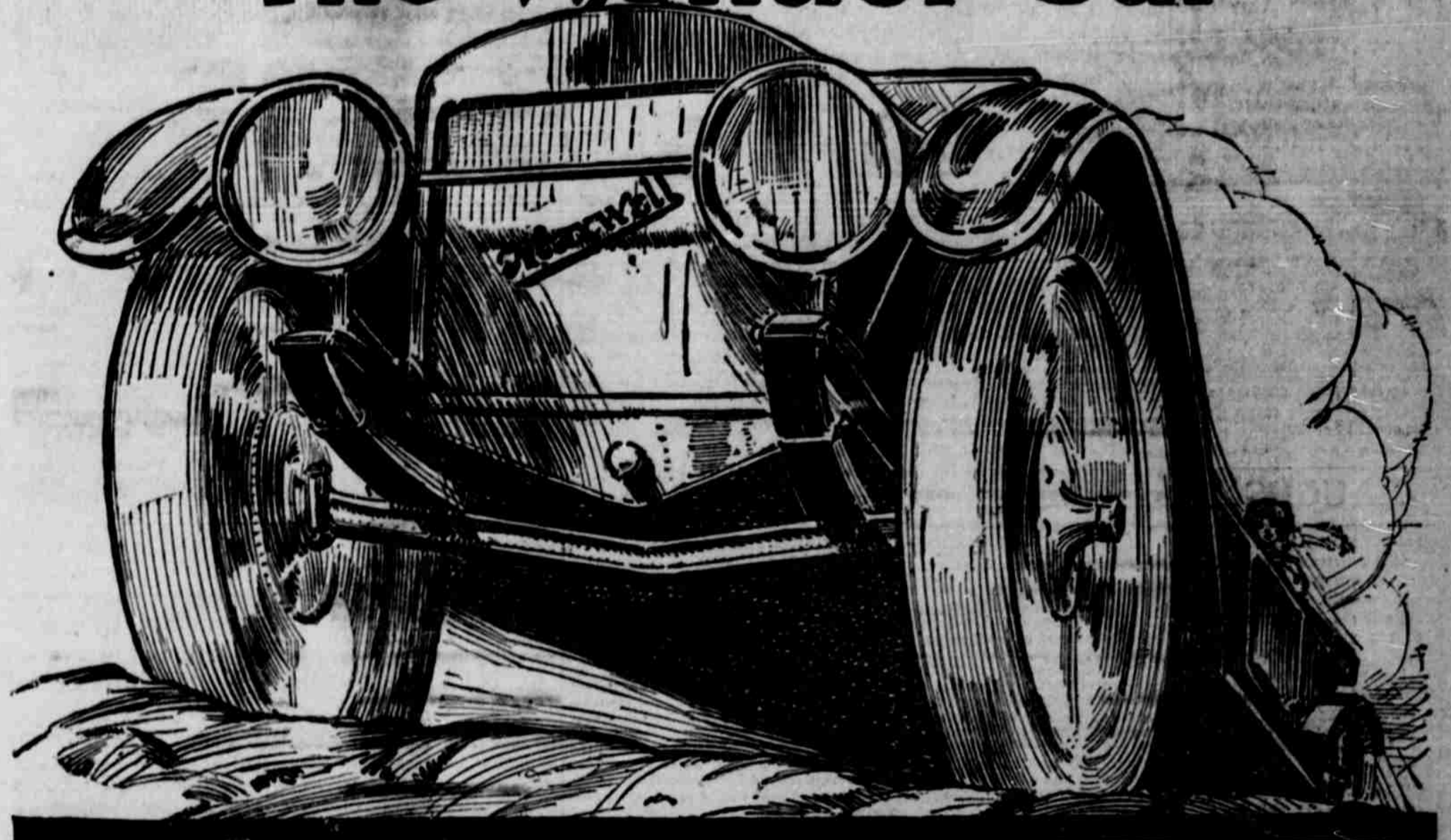
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