

## COUNT COMPLETE ON RESULTS OF COUNTY PRIMARY

Compilation of the results of Friday's primary election is practically complete. The canvassing board is now checking over the results of its labors for errors and discrepancies and expects to have a report of the Klamath county balloting prepared for mailing to the secretary of state tomorrow.

Lloyd Low ran away from his opponent, John Farnell, in the race for Republican nomination for sheriff. Judge C. C. Brower of Klamath Falls captured the Republican nomination for district attorney by a lead of 89 votes over William Marx of Merrill.

L. L. Gagaghen secured both Republican and Democratic nominations for justice of the peace of Linkville township, receiving 129 Republican and 29 Democratic votes.

C. R. De Lap, county clerk, who was unopposed on the printed ballot, led the Republican ticket in the complimentary vote with 1114. C. T. Darley, for surveyor, came next with 972.

George L. Humphrey for sheriff led the Democratic ticket as the gatherer of complimentary votes, securing 499. G. K. Van Riper for treasurer was a close second with 398. W. A. Duncan, for district attorney, received 392 votes.

George Chastain, Democratic candidate for county judge, unopposed on his own ticket, not only received the stamped approval of his own party but 192 Republican voters took the trouble to write his name in on their ballots.

R. H. Bunnell, Republican incumbent, received 29 written in Democratic votes.

Burrell Short, Democratic candidate for commissioner, received 28 written-in votes from Republicans. Fred Peterson, the Republican regular candidate came back with a Democratic written-in vote of 39.

All measures on the general ballot carried. With the exception of the bill restoring capital punishment the affirmative majorities were large. Votes for capital punishment were 889; against 725.

The higher educational tax bill got the largest majority 1437 to 296. With the exception of central committees for various precincts and candidates for justice of the peace and constable in several townships, the list below is complete. The votes for the offices excepted were small, in many instances there are several ties with one vote each, and it will take a little adjustment to find out just who's who on the party county committees.

Following is the count:  
**Republican**  
Delegates at large—Boyd 480, Butler 273, Cameron 194, Carey 274, Compton 139, Harrison 368, Kollock 204, Macdonald 509, MacLean 245, Maris 322, McCamant 373, Olson,

## JOHNSON AHEAD AS COUNT PROGRESSES

PORTLAND, May 26.—Complete official returns from 29 counties, unofficial complete returns from 11 counties and incomplete returns from five counties of the state, compiled at noon give Johnson a plurality over Wood of 1061 votes.  
The vote totals:  
Johnson 45,349.  
Wood 43,288.

## GRASSHOPPERS MENACE TULE LAKE CROPS

Grasshoppers may take thousands of dollars worth of crops in the Tule lake region if prompt action is not taken to check them, says County Agent Thomas. The first trouble in this region was reported last Thursday. A supply of arsenic and molasses was sent down at once and work started towards poisoning. Further examination showed that the grasshoppers were hatching out in many places.

Yesterday the county agent, accompanied by D. M. Smith, made a trip over a large part of the district. A 200-pound barrel of arsenic and a barrel of molasses was sent to Malin from the farm bureau office Monday. A large supply was ordered by wire and will be here in the next day or two. As yet the grasshoppers are confined to small areas, varying from an eighth of an acre to two or three acres in some cases. Around these hatching beds, the ground is literally covered by grasshoppers. Within a few days, they will spread over hundreds of acres of crops if prompt action is not taken.

Everyone having crops in that region should join in the fighting, even if the grasshoppers are not on their land at present, as they travel fast and if allowed to go unchecked until they are ready to fly they scatter over the entire lake region.

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260, Rand 471, Stewart 284, Hickey 230.

Delegates second district—Brooke 805, Cooper 576, Curl 179, Donnell 424.

President—Hoover 125, Johnson 911, Lowden 216, Wood 229.

Vice president—Lodge 569, Washington 275, Webster 216.

Senator—Abraham 519, Stanfield 269.

Representative—Jones 347, Sinnott 897.

Secretary of state—Coburn 238, Jones 177, Koser 237, Lockley 123, Parsons 260, Schulderman 109, Wood 92.

Public service commissioner—Corey 308, Luper 268.

Joint state senator—Upton 368, Wiley 998.

State representative—Brattain, 554, Burdick 481, Overturf 949.

Electors for president—George 650, Hendee 436, Hotchkiss 743, Haine 769, Ivonhoe 508, Lockwood 570, Richardson 730, Robb 736.

Justices of the supreme court—Henry J. Bean 849, Henry L. Benson, 1088, Lawrence T. Harris 851, Thomas A. McBride 853.

Dairy and food commissioner—C. L. Hawley 952.

District attorney—C. C. Brower 664, William Marx 575.

County Offices  
For sheriff—John Farnell 359, Lloyd Low 917.

Uncontested Places  
County judge, R. H. Bunnell 927; county commissioner, Fred Peterson 972; county clerk, C. R. DeLap 1114; surveyor, C. T. Darley 972.

Written in Republican  
Treasurer, G. K. Van Riper 87; assessor, J. P. Lee 117; county judge, George Chastain 102; district attorney, William Marx 7; coroner, Earl

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## BURNS LECTURE FASCINATES BIG TENT AUDIENCE

The big brown tent at Chautauqua was well filled yesterday afternoon and evening and patrons of the assembly received two programs of genuine interest and value along musical and lecture lines.

Perhaps the outstanding event of the day was the lecture in the evening, "Remaking the Kentucky Mountaineer," by President James A. Burns of Onseida institute, more familiarly known as "Burns of the Mountains."

Burns makes no pretensions at being an orator. He is one of the few men in the country who discourages applause. Yet it is doubtful if any lecturer ever appearing in this city has received closer attention or attracted deeper admiration.

With no money or influence this man built a school in the heart of the Cumberland mountains which has now become one of the best known educational institutions in the south. Burns solved the feud problem by bringing education to the mountain children. His story was fascinating and gripping from beginning to end.

The New York artists' trio made many friends here yesterday on their two concert preludes. Lowell Patton, pianist, Ruth Beverly Cumming, soprano, and May Elizabeth Rees comprised this company. As a soloist and accompanist Patton is certainly one of the best young artists ever heard here. Miss Cumming, who has been starred lately in Charles Wakefield Cadman's new opera, exhibited a voice of rare beauty with rich fresh tones. Her rendition of "One Fine Day" from "Madame Butterfly" was exquisitely presented. Miss Rees, who has just returned from entertainment work overseas, made a decided hit with Klamath Falls folks.

In the afternoon Sam Grathwell demonstrated clearly his right to be called a "peptimist." He gave a strong inspirational lecture packed with life and action.

Tonight the Morrison girls, a company produced and coached by Boss Gearhart Morrison, will present a prelude of musical entertainment. This will be followed by one of the feature lectures of the week, "China's Problems, National and International," by Dr. Ng Poon Chew, the prominent Chinese orator, humorist and statesman.

## AUTO HITS BUGGY; LOCAL WOMAN HURT

Mrs. P. E. Hannon is confined to her home at the Enterprise Ranch by injuries received late Monday night when the buggy in which she was riding with her son, Murray Hannon, was run down by an automobile owned by McKendree & Call and reported to have been driven by Scott McKendree.

The accident occurred on Sixth street while Mrs. Hannon was driving home from town. She asserts that she was on the proper side of the road and that the machine, approaching from the other direction, was on the wrong side when it smashed headlong into her rig.

The horse was thrown down and Mrs. Hannon was thrown from the buggy beneath the struggling animal. Between the fall and the struggles of the horse she was badly bruised and lacerated but, considering the nature of the accident, is fortunate to have escaped without serious or even fatal injuries.

The driver of the automobile stopped but, in the excitement, either gave a wrong name or his name was misunderstood, and officers were busy yesterday before finally succeeding in locating and identifying the auto.

## LOGGER INJURED

Tom Collins, employee of the Lamm Lumber company at Modoc Point is in the Blackburn hospital suffering from a broken wrist and bruises received when he got in the path of a rolling log. His injuries are not serious and he will be absent in a few days.

## LEGION TO JOIN IN DECORATION DAY OBSERVANCE

Plans were laid last night at the meeting of Klamath post of the American Legion for participation with the Woman's Relief Corps in appropriate Decoration Day exercises here next Sunday, May 30. There are several soldiers' graves in the local cemetery, men who died during the great war and their comrades will pay the memory of the departed fitting tribute.

A non-uniformed parade will form in front of the city hall on Fifth street at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning and march to the cemetery. All men who served in any army of the Republic during any war are urged to march in the parade. G. A. R. men, veterans of any Indian war, Spanish American war veterans will be welcomed in the ranks of the younger veterans of the great war.

An effort is being made, and will probably be successful, to secure a band for the occasion.

**Dance Next Wednesday**  
The Legion will christen the new dancing pavilion that is being erected by C. F. Parker at Seventh and Pine streets next Wednesday evening, when a big open air dance will be held. Mr. Parker has promised to furnish the best music obtainable for the occasion.

**No Building Report**  
The building committee appointed at the last meeting of the post to secure data on sites and finances in connection with a proposed Legion club building was not ready to report last evening. A new committee was appointed.

**Visitor From Berkeley**  
S. O. Johnson, commander of the Berkeley post of the legion, who was with the forestry branch of the engineers in France, holding a major's commission, visited the local post.

Major Johnson will be remembered as head of one time of the Klamath Development company and vice-president of the Weed Lumber company. Because of his knowledge of lumbering operations in the advanced section during military operations in France and directed the efforts of some 3500 men engaged in getting out timber for the army. Major Johnson is here on a business visit.

## BACKED WOOD WITH HALF A MILLION

WASHINGTON, May 26.—William C. Proctor, of Cincinnati has advanced \$500,000 to the campaign fund of General Wood, he testified today at the Senate investigation of pre-convention presidential campaign financing.

Proctor said this advance was "more than all other contributions to Wood's campaign," and added that he had individually contributed \$10,000.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Contributions to the campaign of Attorney General Palmer for the Democratic presidential nomination were today placed at \$59,610, by former Representative C. C. Carline of Virginia, the campaign manager.

## BELIEVED INJURED LOGGER MAY LIVE

Fred Snyder, who was run over by a five-ton logging truck Monday afternoon at Puckett Bros. camp near Odessa and frightfully crushed, has a good chance for recovery was the report from the Warren Hunt hospital today. Besides internal injuries where the truck passed across his abdomen, Snyder received a fracture of the skull.

He is displaying marvelous vitality in the face of what would ordinarily seem fatal injuries is more than holding his own.

## BIG LAKES CO. BUYS RESERVATION TIMBER

The Big Lakes Box company has purchased from Captain J. W. Siemens between 40 and 50 million feet of timber on the Klamath Indian reservation. This is one of the biggest deals in timber reported this season.

## W. VA. "FAVORITE SON" LEADS WOOD

WHEELING, W. Va., May 26.—Returns from yesterday's primary in West Virginia showed early today that Senator Howard Sutherland continued to lead General Wood for the Republican presidential preference. Only 443 precincts out of 1860 are tabulated. The vote is: Wood, 6,841; Sutherland, 9,751. There were no Democratic candidates on the ballot.

## PURCHASE 2,500 ACRES OF MINT PLANTATION

A big step toward making Klamath county what those familiar with the industry and the conditions needed to make it a success boast that it will be in the near future—"The Mint Growing Center of the United States"—is announced today in the purchase by John N. Davis, pioneer mint grower of the Willamette valley, and Capt. J. W. Siemens of 2500 acres of the Caledonia marsh.

The land was sold by the McCormack heirs; Ruth and Arthur D. Addison, D. M. and Angeline W. Stevenson, Calvin and Agnes Hoston and George E. Stevenson.

The decision of Messrs. Davis and Siemens to plant the major portion of their newly acquired holdings to mint, follows investigations of Mr. Davis of conditions here and the success of the initial experiment of Capt. Siemens and associates with 80 acres of mint planted this spring at Eagle Ridge.

Capt. Siemens and Mr. Davis will start development of the Caledonia marsh tract at once and expect to plant 1660 acres to mint, both peppermint and spearmint. The balance of the 2500 acre tract is grazing land.

This mint plantation, large as it is and by far eclipsing anything in the mint producing line ever attempted in Oregon on one tract, is but the initial stage of the growth of the mint industry. Thousand and thousands of suitable acres remain for planting along Klamath county marshes and ultimately will no doubt be given over to mint production.

A distillery will probably be erected this fall by Capt. Siemens and others to take care of the crop from this year's planting.

## SUGAR MAGNATE SAYS PROBE IS POLITICAL

MEDFORD, Ore., May 26.—That the government investigation of the Utah-Idaho Sugar company is entirely political and merely a convenient shield to hide the efforts of the Democratic administration to defeat Senator Smoot, of Utah, for re-election, was the charge made here today by Alexander Nibley, of Portland, son of the presiding bishop of the Mormon church, and manager of the sugar company, who made public the text of several telegrams to prove his assertion.

## JACKSON COMMISSIONER DROPS DEAD, APOPLEXY

MEDFORD, May 26.—George Owen, county commissioner, and a well known farmer of southern Oregon, dropped dead today while seated in a chair at the regular session of the county court. Apoplexy was given as the cause.

## WEATHER REPORT

OREGON—Tonight, fair and warm; Thursday fair, except probably showers in the northwest.

## MARKET REPORT

PORTLAND, May 26.—Cattle weak, choice steers \$11.50 and \$12.25; hogs steady and unchanged; sheep lower, lambs \$13 and \$13.50; butter and eggs unchanged.

Fifty per cent of the hops grown in the United States are produced in Oregon.

## C. OF C. HOLDS MEETING; PLANS WORK OF FUTURE

The monthly meeting of the Klamath county chamber of commerce was held at the rooms of the chamber on Fifth street last evening. Although not largely attended on account of the Chautauqua program now in progress the gathering was optimistic and confident as to the future work of the organization, the unanimous expression being that with earnest and faithful effort through its 11 important committees, it will be made a power for improvement and development throughout the entire county.

The name of the eleventh committee was changed from "social" to "statistics and information" and this bureau under the direction of its efficient chairman, E. S. Vestch of the First National bank, has already begun its work in gathering the various facts in regard to the industries and potentialities of Klamath county.

All the people of the county were invited to furnish information to the bureau so that the facts will be at hand from every portion of the county, also from other portions of the Klamath basin beyond the county lines.

A meeting of the new finance committee, consisting of T. B. Watten, E. T. Ludden and Andrew Collins, treasurer, will be held at the chamber of commerce rooms this afternoon at 5 o'clock to confer as to the financial condition of the association and to formulate plans to gather up the "sinews of war" and to extend the personal of the organization. A campaign will be inaugurated immediately for this purpose and all subscribers are advised not even to swab the post office call of the chamber of commerce, to purchase receipts at the Fifth street office where the secretary or Mrs. Gunnong will be in attendance at all business hours of the day, and please to prepare the receipts.

The chamber is going to do great work for the county, but cannot function properly without the "dough."

## PREPARING FOR DECORATION DAY

Preparations are being worked out for the Decoration day exercises, and a full announcement will be made in The Herald within a day or two. It is certain that the plans maturing will make it the most notable observance of the kind which has ever occurred in this city.

As decided by the legion at their meeting last night a military division will be organized, comprising the veterans of all our wars as a single unit of the parade.

The headquarters for the arrangements for the entire observance will be at the rooms of the chamber of commerce where Capt. O. C. Applegate, who will, as usual, be grand marshal of the day, will be glad to confer in regard to the details of the program.

## LOCAL ELKS GOING TO LAKEVIEW, ALTURAS

The officers of the local Elks lodge will leave Friday morning by automobile for Lakeview and Alturas to initiate classes of candidates into the mysteries of Elkdom.

The Lakeview initiation is scheduled for Friday evening and Saturday morning the local Elks will go to Alturas where initiation ceremonies will be held Saturday evening. The party will return here Sunday evening.

All members of the lodge desiring to make the trip will be welcomed heartily to the caravan. Arrangements to join the tour may be made by calling H. E. Momyer, secretary of the local lodge at the Elks temple. Tomorrow night is the regular meeting night of the local lodge and a class of seven or eight candidates are scheduled for initiation. Refreshments and smokes will follow the ceremonies.

