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REMOVE JONATHAN RECORDS

5 VOL. TO PORTLAND

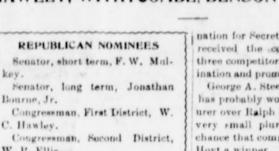
Citizens Indignant at Or- Receives the Nomination for United Mother Stanslaus Secures Fire Is Now Out and Work of Clear- Other Candidates Named der of Bristol to Take Records from County.

Officials and taxpavers of Klamath county are deeply indignant at the actrict Atterney at Portland, in subpeonaing County Clerk Chastain to appear before the Federal grand jury at Portland, and to take with him five volumes of the original deed and mortgage records of the county. Mr. Chastain sent a telegram to Bristol, protesting against removing the records from the county and asking if certified coples of the instruments required would not serve. He received in reply a peremptory com mand to bring the books, and being in doubt as to his duty under the circumstances, he started yesterday morning for Portland with the records.

Were the taking of these records neeeseary, there would have been no protest from anyone, dangerous as the precedent is, but there is no such necessity. for the statutes of Oregon and of the United States provide that certified copies of public records shall be given full credance as evidence. To may the government three or four dollars expense for certified copies, and to save some government officials a little work, the evidence of title to several hundred thousand dollars of property is placed in jeopardy, and much business of the county is tied up.

These volumes, to reach Portland, have to make a journey of 450 miles by boat, mountain stage road and two railroad lines, and have to be taken out of the State. They are in constant jeopardy from the time they leave the Court lows money. In the meantime abstractors have to wait, and real estate deals depending upon abstracts, are tied up. Mortgages recorded in any of the books taken cannot be satisfied on the margin, and if the instrument itself be lost or misplaced, cannot be satisfied at all.

Local attorneys have been delving into statutes, reports and digests, but closest competior. find nothing bearing on this matter. they conclude that the law-makers



W. R. Ellis. Governor, James Withycombe. Secretary of State, F. W. Benson.

State Treasurer, G. A. Steel. Supreme Judge, Robert Eakin. Superintendent Public Instruction, J. H. Ackerman. State Printer, W. S. Duniway. Attorney-General, A. M. Crawford.

Labor Commissioner, O. P. Hoff. State Representatives, George H. Merryman and H. P. Belknap. County Judge, R. A. Emmitt. Sheriff, Silas Obenchain. Clerk, George Chastain. Treasurer, L. Alva Lewis. Surveyor, M. D. Williams, Coroner, William Martin. Commissioner, Jacob Rueck.

(Special to The Republican.) Salem-Thursday 12:30-Returns now

LIBERALLY

Send Help to Sufferers

in Ruined City.

was received the car was loaded and

ready for shipment, and went forward S. C. Hamaker, P. M.

was ordered from Sacramento, but as Fred E Stahlman

ley Saturday morning. The shipment Bloomingcamp Bros.....

boxes of clothing were sent to the city, Mrs Phoebe Wells

besides private contributions to friends | W W Finley

will receive the nomination for Senator He received 16 more votes than both of by a majority of 426 over 11. M. Cake. his competitors together. This imhouse, and if destroyed or mutilated The majority for the others are as fol- mense vote was due to his personal ef-

Hawley 1000; Withycombe 500; Benson 1000; Steel 1000; Crawford 1000; out protest his defeat, yet he feels that Duniway 10,000.

E. J. MURRAY. Willis C. Hawley has received the polls at 12 o'clock. He claims to have nomination for Congressman in the had 40 men in line waiting to vote for May. First District over Walter L. Tooze, his him. As it was nearly one o'clock before

James Withycombe has been nomi- ceive the votes, most of these men were and Saturday. nated for Governor with T. T. Geer, a compelled to return to work without ir dinners and many of them with-

The people of Klamath County have R W Buffun..... shown their generous spirit by their re- Joe Labin

KLAMATH FALLS, KLAMATH COUNTY, OREGON, APRIL 26, 1906.

REPUBLICAN.

RUINED CITY

TO REBUILD

ing away Commenced Prepara-

tory to Rebuilding.

PLACES AFFECTFD BY THE EARTHQUAKE

San Jose-Badly damaged. Loss, \$3,000,000. Killed, 19.

Los Angeies-Not even a window broken. Killed, none.

Santa Rosa-Total wreck. Loss, unknown. Killed, 45.

Petaluma-This town is in splendid condition.

Sebastopol-The Knowles hotel here is a wreck.

no water ever appeared before.

ridges are made

thousands of dollars.

Neponset.

all the buildings in Monterey street are down.

Hollister-Severely damaged. Loss, \$100,000. Killed, I.

Santa Cruz-Serious damage. Loss, unknown. Killed, none.

Keno, Nev .- This place is safe. The earthquake was not felt here.

Glen Ellen-The Home for Feeble Minded here was terribly damaged by the

Wrights-The big narrow-gague tunnel is caved in. Large fissures and

San Francisco-Destroyed. Loss, \$1,000,000,000. Killed, 1000.

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MARTIN, WILLITS

NOMINATED For MAYOR

at the City and Ward Conventions.

Nominating conventions were held in this city on Monday and Tuesday for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the offices of Mayor, Treasurer, Police Judge and councilmen, to be voted upon at the city election to be held on Monday May 7.

The convention for city offices was held Monday afternoon at the Court house. Considerable interest was taken by the citizens generally, 83 votes being Portland-This city scarcely felt the shock of the earthquake. No damage cast. Ward nominations were held on Tuesday afternoon. According to the new charter the names of the two persons receiving the highest number of votes at the conventions for each office are placed on the official ballot as "con-

Sacramento-This city is in first-class condition and was scarcely damaged by vention candidates." The vote was as follows: San Luis Obispo-Reports no serious damage there nor south of there. Day

For Mayor-Alex Martin Jr. 58. L. very hot. Reports a lake of hot water covering 12 to 15 acres near Salinas where F. Willits, 25.

For Treasurer-J. W. Siemns, 81. P. Gilroy-Suffered in about the same proportion to its size as San Jose. Nearly L. Fountain, 1.

For Police Judge-Roy Hamaker, 31. C. C. Brower, 27. A. L. Leavitt, 25. First Ward. Councilman 1 year. C.

Monterey-Earthquake not so bad here. No damage at Monterey outside of I. Roberts, 25, Chas. Martin, 2. Counwashing out railroad tracks at Seaside and track covered with six feet of water at cilman 2 years. Frank Armstrong, 22

Geo. H. Woodbury, 5. Second Ward-Councilman, 1 year, Boulder Creek-Not a chimney is left standing, while the destruction to property cannot be estimated at this writing, but will undoubtedly run into the Frank Ward 16, Wm. North 6. Coun-

cilman, 2 years. Fred Schallock 16. C. Del Monte-All chimneys crashed through roofs. Not many guests in hotel (C. Chitwood 7. at time. The chimney that fell into Rouzers' room drove their bed from third

Third Ward-Councilman 1 year, G. through to first floor. Mrs. Rouzer was still alive at 10 o'clock, but doctors say W. Maston 10, M. L. Burns 7. Counonly matter of few hours till death occurs. Couple came from Benson, Arizona, cilman 2 years, Jasper Bennett 23. T. T. Sanderson 3, C. R. DeLap 3. Napa-A letter received by D. L. Haas, of this city, states that the opera

Died.

Plevna precinct, April 19th. Alice Connolly, dearly beloved wife of John Connolly in 43rd year of her age. The deceased leaves a husband and nine children to mourn their loss. Jackson county papers please copy.

The Politicians Ward.

An examination of the registration smallest ward in Klamath Falls, developes some interesting facts. This ward contains four unsucessful candidates for County Judge, Judge Baldwin, B. St. Geo. Bishop, A. L. Leavitt and O. A. Stearns. The Sheriff, County and City Treasurers, the only candidate for Coroner and the Republican candidate for surveyor live in the First and the newly elected county chairman of both the Republican and Democratic parties were selected from the First ward.

It is now an assured fact that the tion of W. C. Bristol, United States Dis- HAWLEY, WITHYCOMBE, BENSON AND STEELE Catholics will build a magnificent hospital and school in Klamath Falls. Rev. Mother Staneslaus, provincial

> received the congratulations of his ination and promise their hearty support. George A. Steel, of Clackamas county, very small plurality. There is some than grow less.

KLAMATH

BOURNEJR.

States Senator by Majority of

426 Over H. M. Cake.

Willis S. Duniway, of Portland had a walkover for State Printer. Geo, H. Merryman and H. P. Belknap had no opposition for State Representative for this district, on either the Kepublican or Democratic tickets, and are the

same as elected. In the county the Republicans nominated R. A. Emmitt for Judge by a majority of 56 over A. L. Leavitt. This was the only contested office on the Republican county ballot. John B. Griffith received the Demois not known whether Mr. Griffith is superstitious or not but many republicans predict that 13 will be an unlucky

of the election was the immense vote received show that Jonathan Bourne polled by Mr. Bishop in Klamath Falls.

C F Wilson....

Frank Gravbael

W.F. Barrows.

R W Walker.....

Mrs F E Brown.....

Mrs John Rateliff

C O Pool.....

F M Fuller

G B Davedson.....

Hazel Burriss

Joe Grimes

Henry Cox ...

has probably won out for State Treas. ment Company five acres in the Hot urer over Ralph Hoyt, of Portland, by a Springs tract, upon which grounds will chance that complete returns may show pital built at a cost of probably \$50,000. Hoyt a winner, but the probability is The plans of the Sisters include a school

cratic nomination by the small majority | ed and Sisters will be sent here at once of 13 votes over B. St. Geo. Bishop. It to take charge.

number for him. One of the surprises

While Mr. Bishop has accepted withan injustice was done him in the failure day.

of the Judges of election to open the

M D Whitlatch..... 1.00

nation for Secretary of State, and has superioress of the Franciscian Sisters of the West, accompanied by Sister Kilian, three competitors, who concede his nom- arrived here last Thursday from Pendleton, Oregon. Mother Staneslaus has secured from the Hot Sbrings Improvebe laid out and a magnificient brick hos-

CATHOLIC

HOSPITAL

IN HOT SPRINGS TRACT

Property for Sisters'

School and Farm.

was done here. that Steel's lead will increase rather which will be built in the near future on their property near the Catholic earthquake. None of the inmates were injured. church. This decision of the Francis-

> Sisters never do anything by halves. While here Mother Staneslaus pur-

chased a tract of land in the Reames ranch, to be used as a farm for the hospital and school. The contract has been let for clearing and planting 80 acres of this tract and work commenced today. A temporary hospital will be opened here until the new building is construct-

BY BERYL BALLARD on bridal trip. Instead of the regular Monday morning chapel exercises a meeting of the student body was held. The subject of Athletics was taken up and extensively discussed. A field meet was decided upon and is to be held on Decoration

The High School entertainment will be given sometime in the later part of

no damage Our teachers report as having had an

the Judges and Clerks were ready to re- enjoyable trip to Bonanza last Friday Banos some damage. Salinas-The following report has been received as to the condition of the The twelfth grade had a physics expan-

railroad south to Salinas. The water tank at Soledad is a complete wreck. The warehouse at Graves is ination Friday forenoon. Excellent demolished. The Le Poncet bridge is in bad condition. The Jajaro bridge is

se of that city toppled over onto the Napa hotel and killed one man.

Oakland-Seriously damaged. Loss, \$1,000,000. Five killed.

Los Gatos-Slightly damaged. Loss, \$30,000. None killed.

Santa Clara-Badly wrecked. Loss, \$500,000. Killed, none.

Agnew Asylum destroyed. Loss,-----; Killed, 110.

Palo Alto-Stanford buildings in ruins. Loss unestimated, two killed.

Stockton, Modesto, Visalia, Fresno, Bakersfield, Turlock, Merced all report

San Joaquin valley and Sacramento untouched except Newman and Los

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

cian Sisters will mean an investment of something like \$100,000 and will be of the earthquake. lasting benefit to Klamath Falls, as the

never contemplated the removal of pub that such removal under protest has apparently won the Republican nomi- 50 votes. lic records from their proper place, and been never attempted, for else there

would have been citations. Mr. Bristol's SUBSCRIBE actions at best seem to be unauthorized. There is danger that if Mr. Bristol is allowed to establish this as a precedent, many of the public records of the county will be taken to Portland and retained there, possibly for months, in- Klamath County Citizens cluding the volumes of deeds and mort gages in which instruments are now being recorded. For this reason citizens of the county are taking steps to protest vigorously against the actions of Mr. Bristol.

Murray-Kingston

sponse to the call for assistance for the Joe Grimes San Francisco sufferers. About \$1200 | Mrs J D Grimes Mr. E. J. Murray, of Klamath Falls, was raised by the citizens of Klamath | Ben Faus..... and Miss R. W. Kingston were married Falls, through the Chamber of Com- Wayne Bassett Wednesday April 25, 1906 in Portland. The groom is the Editor and manager of the Klamath Republican and during the \$100 has been added to this sum by the Martin Orvenburg people of Merrill and Bly. short time he has been in Klamath | Upon advice, the original intention of HT Anderson..... Falls has won the hearty support and shipping beef was abandoned and in- Geo Offield confidence of the people through his successful management of the paper. Mr. and Mrs. Murray are expected to hour and 53 minutes after the order was

arrive here Sunday evening.

Colwell-Pope.

Mr. John Colwell of Merrill and Miss Mary Pope, of Shasta valley, were naited in marriage at the Catholic were shipped from the Willamette val- W W Smith 5.00 Church in this city on Tuesday April 24, ley Saturday morning. Inston. Many John W Wells.

The young couple are well and favorably known in Klamath county. The groom being a successful rancher residing near Merrill.

Joe Howard Safe."

Friends of J. W. Howard, who have been unable to get any news of him, will be pleased to learn that he is safe. Word was received last evening from had seen Joe and that he was living in a by R. H. Anderson, Postmaster. tent not far from their residence. The Mrs T J Offield \$1.00 Momyers live about four miles from R H Anderson Market street. They lost their store al- J W Ask though their home was only slightly J S Hughey 1.00 Falls. damaged. With the Momyers are J. B. H A Katulhow Campbell and wife and Mrs. W. E. Cope Geo Wilson and children, formerly of Klamath L Gerber

Rev. W. G. Smith attended the regu-J S Davis.... F S Brandon, lar Spring meeting of the Prebytery of Southern Oregon, at Oakland, Ore., last E B Edsol. Treasurer. An adjourned meeting will Bert Davis...... 1.00 be held at Medford, May 2nd, to exam- J H Martin..... ine and ordain Geo. D. Byers, who grad- G W Brandon uates from the San Anselmo Seminary Wm Akins John G Patterson

Galarneau's Millinery Parlors.

who had lost everything and were in Amos Lundy 2.50 funds will be utilized as coflected for Fred Gillmore 1.00 similar distribution.

OP Hyde.....

the lodge in San Francisco to be used in Lillie Brown...... 1.00 assisting brothers there. Late contri- Martin Perry 1.00 butions received by the Chamber of Louis Pankey 1.00 Commerce are given below. Further Jas McFarren. 1.00

F R Moore..... 1.00 Harry Momyer saying that his father Subscriptions from Merrill, forwarded L Leonard..... C H Hughes..... 1.00

Total...... \$51.50 1.00 Additional subscriptions, Klamath 1.00 1.00 Dr H B Hargus..... \$5.00 1.00 Mrs J Scott Taylor..... 5.00 Receipts from steamer excursion, as 1.00 county. They were all living in tents. TA Balis. 2.00 per returns from Klamath Lake Navi-1.00 vertising for this excursion. Rebeckah Called Meeting. To the members of Prosperity Rebek 2.00 1.50

ah Lodge, No. 104: A meeting has 1.00 been called for seven o'clock, sharp, at and has already been assigned to the G W Jory 2.00 A. O. U. W. Hall, on Saturday evening, Foreign field. The Fall meeting will al- Sol Dewey..... 1.00 April 28, 1906, for the purpose of voting 1.00 relief to Rebeka's of the I. O. O. F. of Watch for those "Gage" hats at Mrs. A F Clubine 2.00 San Francisco. Jennie Hurp, N. G. 2.00 Attest C.C. Brower, Secretary pro tem.

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Frank W. Benson, of Roseburg, has out voting. He estimates that he lost grades were made

1.00

1.00

our most energetic and best students, as teachers. The students wish them two stories belonging to Ford and Stanford are reported down, as is also the postentire success.

1.00 made use of the Friday half holiday by terror. 1.00 taking a ride around Upper lake to Mc-1.00 Cornack's, where they were joined by 1.00

Miss Maud Nail. 1.00 Choice line of Cigars at Frank E. 1.00 Ankeny's.

We are sorry to say that Miss Mand gone. Castroville bridge is in a bad condition. There has been a very heavy Nail and Miss Florence Foster, two of slide at Newria, besides several other trifling damages. Every brick building in Salinas is damaged, some very seriously and others have left High school to fill positions only slightly. The new City hall escaped without any perceptible injury. The

office, the Odd Fellows' hall and Masonic Temple are badly shaken up, the The-A jolly crowd of Hich school students ater building is in a very dilapidated condition. One man killed himself in sheer

> At the Chittenden bridge the Southern Pacific Company has a large force of men employed and in very short time the road will again be in first-class shape. At San Luis Obispo the tremor was hardly felt and many of the people were not awakened by the shock.

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For Sale-Cheap, a 12 foot show case. Frank Ankeny.

