

A POLITICAL BATTLE IS ON

Conditions Everywhere, As Reported at Headquarters

OF THE REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

ARE VERY ENCOURAGING AND POINT TO BIG GAINS FOR THE PARTY.

The State and County Ticket Meets with General Approval, and Less Fault Is Found Than Usual During Early Part of the Campaign—Many New Members Enrolled.

Politics is beginning to warm up a little, and the friends and followers of the respective candidates are exerting themselves to secure support for their respective tickets. Especially is this true of the State ticket, and local leaders are actively engaged in doing missionary work, and two classes of citizens are worked upon; first, the members of their own parties who are believed to be somewhat weak in the faith, and second, the members of the opposite party who are believed to be sufficiently disgruntled to be easy victims to the zealous worker. And this work in the city and county has developed an interesting state of affairs. There are less disgruntled Republican voters than are usually found immediately after the conventions are held, and what few there are have less complaint to make at the ticket named by the party convention than usual; in fact, the general excellence of the ticket is not only conceded by all, but there is a general belief among the Republicans that the full party strength at the election than any named by Republicans in Oregon or in Marion county in 20 years. Of course there was disappointment at some of the nominations, when the work of the State Convention was closed—there always is—but as the issues were made, and the personnel of the ticket compared with that placed in the field by the Democrats, Republicans generally found room for congratulation at the excellent work done by their own party, and the feeling is constantly growing, until there is now a point of enthusiasm that will break loose as the active campaign work begins. And for this feeling the excellence of the Marion county Republican ticket is to a certain extent responsible here, for it is generally conceded, even by the Democrats, that never in the history of this county has a better and cleaner ticket been placed in the field than was named by the Republican county convention.

The headquarters of the Marion county central committee is daily visited by people from all sections of the county, and the reports brought in, as is always the case, from some localities there are a few grumblers reported, men who are dissatisfied with this or that man on the ticket, but these men, while honestly dissatisfied, are not setting themselves up as bigger or wiser than the party, and the reports are very satisfactory.

One very satisfactory condition of affairs is noted this year, and it is a matter of congratulation to Republicans. It is the great interest taken in the Republican campaign by the young men in the party. The young men are

coming to the front in my state," says Senator Bailey, of Texas, in an interview with a Washington newspaperman, and this is proving to be the case in Oregon, as well as in faraway Texas. The entire State ticket named by the Republicans is composed of young men, in the very vigor of youthful manhood, and this is attracting the young voters here in Marion county.

Not only are the young men who were raised as Republicans putting their shoulders to the wheel, but sons of Democratic families, who have constantly been taught to train only with Democrats and vote for Democrats, are deserting the faith of their fathers and are becoming active supporters of the Republican ticket, and to such an extent is this carried, according to reports received at Republican headquarters, that there is the certainty of a considerable increase of the Republican majority in Marion county at the June election from this source alone.

Still another factor to increase the Republican vote, and one that has been largely overlooked in the few months when political forecasts were being made, but which is now becoming very apparent to the political leaders, is the immigration from the East, during the last few years. This in Marion county, is said to aggregate 350 voters, and 90 per cent of these arrivals, coming as they do, from the Northern states, are Republicans, and they, having no acquaintance in the State, vote their party tickets without complaint. Added to all this is the partial disintegration of the Populist party. During the past few elections, the vote was allied to the Democratic vote, and cast, largely, for Democratic candidates. Since the last election the Populists have, to a certain extent, disbanded their organizations, and it is generally stated by those who have studied the matter, and conceded by Democratic leaders, that the Populist vote has divided about equally between the Republicans and the Democrats. This will make a vast difference in the results of the election, as it will decrease the Democratic vote of two years ago, and increase in the same ratio the Republican support. In view of the various elements thus added to the Republican strength, it is impossible for any fair-minded man to longer argue that the Democrats can hope to carry any part of their ticket through in Marion county; in fact it is unreasonable to expect it, and there will be no danger to any one on the Republican county ticket. And the conditions in this county, with very few exceptions, be found in every part of the State. However, the Republicans do not expect to lay down and wait for the election, but will make a vigorous campaign to the day of the election.

IN PROBATE COURT

ORDERS MADE BY COUNTY JUDGE SCOTT YESTERDAY—AN ADMINISTRATOR NAMED.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

Sophia Kurz yesterday petitioned the probate court to issue letters of administration to William Zosel upon the estate of John Kurz, who died on April 18, 1932, leaving an estate valued at \$1600. The court ordered that letters of administration be issued to William Zosel upon his filing a bond in the sum of \$1200. The administrator filed his bond in the sum of \$3200, which was approved by the court and the appraisers, A. H. Schaefer, Joe Baumgartner and R. R. Ryan filed their report, placing a valuation of \$2100 upon the estate.

Upon the petition of Jeannette Booth, administratrix of the estate of John C. Booth, deceased, the Marion county probate court yesterday ordered that, upon the conveyance to John L. Booth, Ansel Booth, Jeannette Booth and George Belle Booth, by deed and sufficient warranty deed, of a five acre tract of land situated in township 1 south, range 3 west, the administratrix be authorized to deliver to James A. and M. E. Roberts a promissory note, which she holds against them in the sum of \$1100 and interest, and that she credit her account with the amount of the note.

Why Take any Chances. With some new and untried medicine for such serious troubles as diarrhoea, cramps, dysentery, when you should know that for over half a century Pain-killer has cured millions of cases? Look out for imitations, there is only one genuine, "Perry Davis."

HIS CHOICE. "You say you were hungry," remarked the kind-hearted woman, reproachfully, "and yet when I gave you twenty-five cents a little while ago you went to a saloon instead of a restaurant."

WEATHER AND CROP BULLETIN

A Very Satisfactory Condition Throughout This State

REPORTED BY AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT FOR THE WEEK ENDING MONDAY NIGHT—FALL WHEAT IS VERY PROMISING, AND HOPS ARE DOING WELL.

The weekly crop bulletin, issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, Oregon section of the Weather Bureau, for the week ending Monday evening, April 21st, shows a very encouraging state of affairs throughout the state. In the general summary of the weather and crop conditions, the bulletin says:

Good rains have fallen during the past week in all portions of the state. Rather more rain than is needed has occurred in the western section, but in the eastern section it was welcomed. Notwithstanding the rains there has been considerable sunshine, and up to the last two days of the week the weather was mild and very favorable for advancing the growth of all vegetation. On Saturday it turned cooler, and frost was reported both Sunday morning and Monday morning in many places throughout the state.

The maximum, or day temperatures during the week in Western Oregon ranged between 53 degrees and 74 degrees, and the minimum temperatures between 36 degrees and 54 degrees. In Eastern Oregon the maximum temperatures ranged between 46 degrees and 72 degrees, and the minimum temperatures between 32 degrees and 48 degrees. No damage has been done by the frosts notwithstanding that the fruit trees are generally thick with bloom.

The wet weather has retarded spring seeding of oats and wheat in the Willamette valley and to a lesser extent in Southern Oregon, but the work is now fairly well advanced and with the advent of a few warm, dry days it will be quickly finished. In Eastern Oregon seeding is practically finished and the farmers are busily engaged in plowing. The rains have done great good in the sections of Umatilla county where the wheat was winter-killed, and the reseeded areas are now looking much better than they did a couple of weeks ago. Fall wheat has stood well and is in a healthy and thrifty condition in all sections of the state, except that its color is bad in some poorly drained localities in the Willamette.

Eastern Oregon the bulk of the wheat crop this year is fall sown, excluding the Grand Ronde valley and about half of Umatilla county, which is spring seeded in summer-fallow land.

Grass has made a splendid growth during the week and consequently stock has improved very much, and the flow of milk in the dairy sections has proportionately increased. Clover, alfalfa and timothy, although somewhat backward, are looking fine. The lambing season has begun in Eastern Oregon, and the outlook is favorable for a good increase in the size of the flocks. Hop vines have started well and the training of the vines will begin this week.

Fruit trees all over the state are now in bloom and the fruit outlook is most encouraging. Hood River strawberry vines are looking well and the prospect is favorable for a large crop of berries.

Coast District. Nestroon, Tillamook county, S. H. Phillips.—All crops growing nicely. Potatoes about planted. The flow of milk is increasing. Weather warm and mild. Plum trees are in bloom, and bees are working on the blossoms. The milk factories are busy.

Willamette Valley. Blooming, Washington county, C. Bailey.—The weather has been most unfavorable for farm work. There was some sunshine but most of the time it was raining; grain and peas are growing well. The prospects are good for fruit if the frost holds off.

Highland, Clackamas county, Curtis Kandle.—Unfavorable weather has interrupted farm work during the greater part of the week, and while unseasonably low temperature has prevailed there has been no perceptible check to the growth of grass and other crops. Fruit prospects are good; some early vegetables have been planted.

Sellwood, Multnomah county, W. E. Willis.—Nearly all fruit trees are in full bloom and a full crop of fruit is expected, unless it is damaged by cold rains or frost.

Gobel, Columbia county, Frank Welter.—The week has been showery, Friday and Saturday were favorable for planting. The ground is drying very fast and plowing is well advanced. The grass is growing fine. Gardens good, but growing slowly. Strawberries are in bloom, and some of the early apple trees are ready to blossom. No frost this week. Early potatoes are growing nicely. Peas are four inches high.

Southern Oregon. Cole's Valley, Douglas county, J. S. Churchill.—Showers every day the past week; farmers are behind with their spring seeding; grass growing nicely. The prospect so far is good for a large fruit crop, except apples. No gardens made yet. Stock doing well.

Altitude. Josephine county, W. L. Babcock.—Weather warm. Fall sown grain looking well; spring sowing nearly done. Spring very late; little gardening done yet owing to the wet weather. Fruit trees just beginning to bloom.

Wells, Jackson county H. von der Hellen.—All crops are brightened up under the influence of the warmer weather during the past week, and feed on the range is also improving. Farmers are planting corn. There have been no frosts to hurt the fruit bloom.

Columbia River Valley. Wasco, Sherman county, A. V. Underwood.—Nice rain Thursday night. Fruit trees blooming; but little damage by frost. Seeding of grain mostly all done. Ground in fine condition for

summer following. The warm weather during the last few days has made the grain grow very fast.

Gooseberry, Morrow county, C. E. Lundell.—The past week has been very favorable to growing crops. Spring grain is coming up and is looking pretty well, but fall-sown grain is looking poorly. The crop outlook is the poorest in ten years. Summer following continues.

Helix, Umatilla county, S. T. Isaac.—Warmer weather, with occasional showers of rain, caused a decided improvement in growing crops. Fall-sown grain is looking fairly well, the spring sown more satisfactory. There was a heavy fall of rain Friday night.

Victor, Wasco county, C. L. Morris.—Weather very favorable; showery and warm. Wheat excellent. Fall barley looking well; but very little damage done during the winter. Apricots in bloom; no damage yet to fruit.

Plateau Region. Abadiah Malheur county, B. W. Graybill.—The weather this week has been favorable to all crops. Had a few cold mornings, but no harm done. We are having fine showers today (19th). The seeding about all done; considerable fruit now in bloom.

A FIELD ASSISTANT

IN FORESTRY TO BE CHOSEN AT A CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION TO BE HELD.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on May 6 and 7, 1932, an examination will be held at the places mentioned in the accompanying list for the position of field assistant in forestry. The examination will consist of the subjects mentioned below, which will be weighted as follows:

Subjects.	Weights.
Forestry	60
Botany	10
English composition	10
Training and experience	20

Total 100. Age limit, 20 years or over. From the eligibles resulting from this examination it is expected that certification will be made to the position of field assistant in forestry, Bureau of Forestry, Department of Agriculture, at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, and to other similar vacancies as they may occur.

This examination is open to all citizens of the United States who comply with the requirements. Competitors will be rated without regard to any consideration other than the qualifications shown in their examination papers, and eligibles will be certified strictly in accordance with the civil service law and rules.

Persons who desire to compete should at once apply to the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., or to Miss Zaldie Palmer, secretary of the local board of examiners, at the places mentioned in the accompanying list, for application forms 304 and 375, which should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington. Persons who are unable to file their applications, but whose requests are received at the Commission in sufficient time to ship examination papers to the places of examination selected, will be examined.

A YOUNG MAN DEAD

PASSING AWAY OF FRANK SWEETSER IN CALIFORNIA—FORMERLY OF THIS CITY.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

J. D. Sutherland yesterday received the sad news that his nephew, Frank Sweetser, a son of Mrs. Phil Meltsch, and stepson of ex-State Treasurer Meltsch, died at San Rafael, California, at 9 a. m. yesterday, after a few days' illness of spinal meningitis. The young man was a student at Heald's Business College at San Rafael, and was taking a course in electrical engineering. Mrs. Meltsch, when advised of the illness last Friday, with the dying boy during his last hours. Frank Sweetser was well known in this city, where he lived for several years with his mother, Mrs. Meltsch, and his many friends and the friends of the family will deeply regret his untimely demise.

RUBIES. In trade three classes of rubies are distinguished—rubies of the Orient, rubies of Siam and spinel rubies. The ruby of the Orient is the best of all colored stones in beauty, as in price. Its marvelous hue is that of the human blood as it jets from an open artery, that of the red ray of the old solar spectrum at its maximum intensity.

The ruby is one of the most exquisite products of nature, but it is becoming more and more rare to find it perfect. It even causes astonishment to find an Oriental ruby as large in size as the topazes and sapphires of the same countries. If it reaches a certain size it is almost always filled with defects. Rubies of all sizes are put to use. The smallest, down to twenty or thirty to the carat, are employed specially for delicate jewels, numbers, figures, etc. Many of the smallest are cabochons. When a ruby exceeds the weight of a carat it commands a high price. A ruby may fetch ten or twenty times the price of a diamond of the same weight if it is really really of a superior quality.

A SMART SALESMAN.

"Did you sell anything while I was out, Johnny?" asked the jeweler of the new boy.

"Yes, sir. I sold six plain gold rings."

"Good, my boy," said the jeweler, highly pleased. "We'll make a first-class salesman of you one of these days. You got the regular price, of course?"

"Oh, yes sir. The price was marked on the inside, sir, and the gentleman took all that was left, sir."—Life.

Every Healthy Boy

likes to get himself into places of danger. Hence, bruises, strains and sprains. Mother needs and brings out a bottle of Perry Davis' Painkiller and rubs it on the injured spots with an energy and frequency depending on the seriousness of the case. There is nothing like Painkiller to take out the soreness. There is but one Painkiller, Perry Davis'. Price 25c and 50c.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

The difference of cost between a good and a poor baking powder would not amount for a family's supply to one dollar a year. The poor powder would cause doctors' bills many times this.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is the most economical in the end, because it goes further in leavening and insures perfect, wholesome food.

Used always in making the biscuit and cake it saves both health and money. Made from pure, grape cream of tartar, most healthful of fruit acids.

NOTE.—You cannot, if you value good health, afford to use cheap, low-grade baking powders. They are mostly, in spite of the pure food laws, made from alum, which endangers the health. All physicians will tell you that such powders in food are injurious.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

THE YOUNGER REPUBLICANS

Have Organized a Strong Club for the Campaign

FIRST STEPS TAKEN LAST NIGHT TOWARD PERFECTING AN ORGANIZATION—A COMMITTEE TO MEET MR. FURNISH ON HIS VISIT TO SALEM.

There was quite a gathering of young men, ranging in age from 18 to 40 years, at the meeting held in the police court room of the city hall last evening for the purpose of forming an organization of the younger generation of the Republicans of this city. Much enthusiasm was manifested and the result was very gratifying. H. D. Patton was chosen as temporary chairman and Clare Baker as secretary, each of whom expressed their appreciation of the honor conferred upon them in a few well chosen words, and the meeting settled down to business.

The first action taken was the appointment of a committee of three, composed of C. L. McNary, C. E. Lenon and R. D. Gilbert to formulate an order of business and to select a name for the organization. After a few minutes of recess, during which time this committee completed its work, the meeting resumed session and adopted the report of the committee including the name of the club, which was the "Young Men's Republican Club." Upon motion a committee of three, composed of C. L. McNary, E. D. Horgan and L. E. Davis, was appointed to draft a set of by-laws and submit them to the club at its next meeting for consideration and adoption.

A motion was also offered and carried authorizing the chair to appoint a committee of five to solicit membership and the chair later appointed C. E. Lenon, H. W. Moir, W. E. Richardson and E. C. Patton upon this committee, and a committee of four, including the chairman of the club, was appointed to co-operate with the committee appointed by the Salem Republican Club, to meet and wait upon Hon. W. J. Furnish upon the occasion that gentleman's visit to this city. The chair appointed on this committee R. D. Gilbert, C. L. McNary and F. E. Dayton.

When the question of fixing an age limit for membership qualification arose it occasioned a somewhat spirited debate but it was finally agreed that anyone under the age of 40 years and over the age of 18 years, would be qualified and admitted to membership. About one hour was devoted toward the close of the meeting, to listening to some eloquent and enthusiastic addresses for the good of the club, and adjournment was taken until 8 o'clock, Friday evening, April 25th, when the organization will be perfected.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Seven deeds to Marion county real estate were filed with the county recorder yesterday, the aggregate consideration of which was \$4160, as were also two mortgages of realty for \$700 and \$650, respectively. The deeds followed:

John W. Bertram and wife to John Duffy, 75 acres in section 30, T 9 S, R 2 E, W. 4.	\$1400
Gust Heyden and wife to Stephen Huber, 20 acres in section 31, T 7 S, R 3 W, W. 4.	900
Martha J. Ferris and husband to Vinnie Simmons, 27½ acres in the d. l. c. of Thomas Dilley, W. 4.	500
Vinnie Simmons, et ux, to Martha J. Ferris, et ux, 23½ acres in the d. l. c. of Thomas Dilley, W. 4.	500
Harry W. Morris to Emma Morris, 35½ acres in section 7, T 9 S, R 2 E, W. 4.	200
John Kurz to Sophia Kurz, lot No. 8, block 15, in George H. Jones' addition to Salem, W. 4.	300
D. S. Bentley and wife to D. P. Wagner, lot No. 9, section 25, T 7 S, R 3 W, W. 4.	200
Total.	\$4100

Cattarrh of the Bladder.

Is a very common disease in both sexes, causes frequent urination which in time you lose control and ability to retain, causes irritation at the neck of the bladder; causes mucus in the urine; causes sediment in the urine resembling brick dust and thick whitish deposits. All of which can be removed by taking S. B. Cattarrh Cure, according to directions. For sale by all druggists. Book on Cattarrh free. Address Smith Bros., Fresno, Cal.

WILKES' STALLION, "JEROME"

NO. 29631

Will stand for Mares the coming season at Corner of Perry and Liberty streets. For Pedigree and particulars, call on

Dr. W. Long

Veterinary Surgeon. Salem, Oregon. Phone 2661.

Captain Jones 29666

Sire of Lady Jones 2:46 (in the mud). WINNER OF THE TWO-YEAR-OLD TROTTING STAKE AT THE STATE FAIR LAST YEAR.

Sire McKinney 2:11 1-4

Sire of 4 in the 2:10 list, 19 in the 2:15 list, 28 in the 2:20 list, at 14 years of age. Unequaled by any sire of his age.

First dam MIDDAY BELLE, by Gossiper 2:14, sire of Gazelle 2:11, Miss Jessie 2:42, and others.

Second dam BRIAR BELLE (dam of McBrier 2:14), by Don Wilkes 2:24, son of Alycane.

Third dam by Mambrino Pachen 58, the great brood mare sire.

Fourth dam by Almont 33, founder of the Almont family.

CAPTAIN JONES is a black stallion foaled in 1895, stands 15½ hands, weighs 1100 pounds, has perfect trotting action and promises to be a great sire of high class horses. He is McKinney's best son and a pronounced sire of uniform top colts. Captain Jones will make the season of 1932 as follows:

IRVINGTON PARK, PORTLAND, FEB. 1 TO APRIL 1. FAIR GROUNDS, SALEM, APRIL 1 TO JULY 1.

Terms, \$25.00 Season. \$10 payable at time of service, balance at end of season.

JOHN PENDER, Fair Grounds, Salem, Or.

BROADHEART

Reg. No. 35668. BLACK STALLION 15½ Hands High. Weight 1150 pounds. Six years old.

Sired by McLANAHAN 2347, on of Roy Wilkes 2:06½. First dam, MIRA GOLDDUST, by Pedro 3:04 2:35, son of Idol 44, sire Fido 2:04½, etc. Second dam FANNY GOLDDUST, by Guide 1:57, sire of 15 dams of 17 in the list. Third dam KIT, by Goldust 1:50, sire of Lucille Goldust 2:04, Fleetly Goldust 2:20, etc.

BROADHEART is one of the finest stallions in the state, and with but little handling shows himself to be a very promising trotter. He will be allowed to serve a few mares at—

\$20 BY THE SEASON, WITH USUAL RETURN PRIVILEGE.

I invite breeders to come and see this horse before breeding their mares elsewhere.

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