

CAMPAIGN WAKING UP SOME

County Canvass Is Beginning to Wake up—Democrats Are Active and Making Still Hunt Fight of It

The Democrats in Marion county are making a still hunt campaign, and will not spend any money on newspapers or redfire, but Chairman Vaughn expresses great confidence in the outcome, claiming the election of the county judge, and two members of the legislature. A meeting was held by the Democrats last night in the Democratic stronghold at the Crosston school house. August Huckestein is making a vigorous fight for the legislature, and admits that he is after Tom Kay's scalp, especially, and is not trying to beat anyone else. Some of the Democrats say Chairman Vaughn is not making a winning fight, and is not the right man in the place. But indications that come to this city from several precincts are that Vaughn is liable to prove a singed-cat campaigner, and will surprise the kickers, even in his own party. At Silverton, where he is best known, he has been working the street corners and back alleys in a way that is waking up the Republicans there to a realization that they have got a wildcat to deal with.

The Republican Meetings.
So far as heard from the Republicans have the best meetings, and the outlook is favorable to electing their whole ticket, if they can keep tab on the storm center, and avoid a landslide on any office. The biggest meeting of the whole campaign promises to be at Pratum, where there will be a basket picnic, baseball, bowery dance, and speakers afternoon and evening. There is a whole lot of hard work ahead of the Republicans, and they have not much room for somnambulists on the ticket or among the spellbinders. Some of the best work in the history of the party should be done to roll up a landslide that will awaken the Rooseveltian echoes of the whole country.

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PERSONALS

Waldo Finn, of McCoy, was a Salem visitor today.

William Eagles, the Albany cigar maker, is in the city.

Prof. Albert R. Sweetzer, state biologist, of Eugene, is spending a few days with Dr. E. A. Pierce.

Governor Chamberlain, Secretary Dunbar and Treasurer Moore are in Portland today, attending a meeting of the portage road delegates from Eastern Oregon.

Jas. M. Kyle, secretary of the Marion county Fruit Growers' Union, returned last night from a trip to the markets on the Sound and to the Portland commission houses and canneries. He has some interesting reports to make to the Union Saturday, at 2 p. m.

South Salem Personals.

Mrs. F. B. Cuiver, of Fruitland, is visiting her father, Mr. N. Hansen.

Mrs. Mary Nye, of Sidney, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Penland, also her son, G. A. Nye, for a few days.

John A. Carson spent the day in Portland yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vass have been spending week at Astoria, attending the I. O. O. F. grand lodge meeting, and will return today. Mr. Vass has received the appointment of district deputy grand master for Salem, Turner, Jefferson and Stayton.

New Circuit Court Cases.

Two new circuit court cases are: J. B. Payree vs. P. H. Marley, to quiet title. Defendant bought land at tax sale, and plaintiff seeks to cancel his deed.

James R. Currier has brought suit against his wife, Elizabeth Currier, for a divorce. The couple were married in Illinois in 1858, but plaintiff alleges that the defendant deserted him in Nebraska in 1895.

Present the Bills.

All persons having bills against the Willamette Valley Choral Union are requested to present them at once to J. Frank Hughes, and they will be audited and paid.

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FATHER DOMINIC GREETED

With an Ovation After Rendition of His Cantata Beautiful Willamette

Onward ever, lovely river, Softly calling to the sea, Time that scars us, maims and mars us.

Leave us no track or trench on thee.

When Sam L. Simpson wrote "Beautiful Willamette" little did he think that a master hand would, a few short years afterward, set the stirring and pathetic words to music, as sweet and grand as seems to be within the power of mortal man to conceive. Yet last night's Simpson's poem was presented for the first time to an audience as a cantata, and the storm of applause that greeted its initial rendition was most certainly gratifying to Father Benedict, the composer of the touching and melodious strains.

The cantata is one of the strongest pieces of music now before the public. The words are well known to all Oregonians, and appeal to their sensibilities and tenderness. They strike a responsive chord in the heart of every person who, either through personal acquaintance or local lore, knew Simpson, and his many noble characteristics.

"The music is a counterpart of the words. You can almost hear the stringed instruments say: Always hurried to be buried, In the bitter moon mad sea.

The work of the soloists and chorus last night was above criticism. Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, soprano; Etta Squier-Seley, contralto; J. W. Belcher, tenor, and I. M. Glen, bass, were equally good in solo or quartet. Prof. Glen captivated the audience with his solo, "Aim Your Lightnings at the Oaken, Massive, Iron-studded Portals."

The chorus, under the able supervision of Prof. Seley, was better than on the previous evening.

The orchestra was strong, and responded to every movement of the director.

At the close of the "Beautiful Willamette" Father Dominic was called for, and while the large auditorium resounded with almost deafening applause, which was continued for many minutes, the renowned musician was escorted to the stage. Here his words failed him, and he simply thanked the Choral Union and the audience for their tribute. He greeted the soloists and Prof. Seley for their splendid interpretation of the cantata.

The symphonic cantata, "Golden Legend," by Longfellow, gave the soloists, chorus and orchestra to be heard to good advantage. Longfellow described the imaginary, while Simpson wrote of the real.

The third concert was certainly one of the best ever held by the Willamette Valley Choral Union since its organization, and was highly appreciated.

The members and singers from out of town points return to their homes today, with many pleasant memories of the sixth festival.

Salem Bird Lovers.

The annual meeting of the Salem Bird Study club holds its annual meeting at the Unitarian church this evening at 8 o'clock. All members and all interested in birds are urged to be present. Old and young take an interest in birds, and the meetings of this club are intended to be educational for children, possibly more for adults. There will be mounted birds and photographs exhibited this evening, and a good program is promised.

Bound Over to Circuit Court.

Harry Hathaway waived examination in Judge Judah's court this morning, and was bound over to await the action of the circuit court. He confessed to Chief of Police Gibson that he had committed the Ryan burglary, but claims he was on a big spree, and was not responsible for his actions. He is sure of a term in the penitentiary for his little frolic.

Strawberry Shortcake

At the White House Restaurant

George Bros. Props.

POST OFFICE ROBBERERS

Two Men Arrested for Blowing up Safe at Woodburn

P. Ranahan and William Powell were arrested last evening by Marshal Beach, of Woodburn, charged with the crime of robbing the postoffice at that place on April 27th. The prisoners were brought to this city and confined in the county jail, where they will be kept until tomorrow, when they will be taken to Woodburn for their preliminary examination.

Powell is an old man, perhaps 65 years of age, and is quite gray. He is almost literally covered with tattoo marks, his breast, neck and arms carrying India ink marks made in 1876. He was formerly a sailor, he claims, and later a fisherman at Astoria. He has been on a protracted spree for several days, and was in very poor condition to talk this morning. He has lived near Hubbard for about two years, and has worked for several farmers in that vicinity.

Ranahan has also been a sailor, and has a number of tattoo marks on his wrists and arms, but not to such an extent as Powell. He has only been in this county for a few weeks, and has worked for several farmers and hop men near Woodburn and Hubbard. When asked this morning whether he knew anything about the crime of which he was accused he said he did not.

"I did not know what they arrested me for last evening. We were at Powell's house, and were drinking a little. I was getting ready to go to work for another man, and, as I had a few dollars, having been paid off by one man, I was celebrating."

He first said that he had never heard of the Woodburn postoffice robbery until last night, but afterwards said that he was working for M. Bogart at the time the robbery was committed.

He denied having any partner, although the report is current that Powell and Ranahan were feeding one of the robbers in the woods, as a result of a wound inflicted by O. D. Henderson and John Zimmerman, the night the robbery occurred.

It is alleged that Gates Dawes, a neighbor of Powell's, has been suspicious of the outfit for several weeks, and has had his eye on them. Last evening he overheard a drunken conversation between the men, and they later admitted to him that they had committed the robbery and were planning to blow up the Mt. Angel office.

Sheriff Colbath will guard the pair very closely, as it is thought that Ranahan is an old-timer.

Great State Fair Races.

Arrangements are progressing favorably in every department, but especially in the racing department. All of the great events for which the large purses are offered, have filled their entries and been closed.

The Greater Salem Stake of \$2000 for a 2:15 pace, has 31 entries.

The Lewis and Clark 2:17 trot, for a purse of \$200, has 17 entries.

The Rural Spirit Stake of \$1000 for a 2:11 pace has 17 entries.

The Inland Empire stake of \$500 for a 3-year-old pacing race, has 10 entries.

The Capital City Stake of \$1000 for a 2:12 trot, and the Webfoot stake of \$500 for 3-year-old-trotters did not fill, and the stakes were declared off, and the same purses will be hung up and entries received for these and many other minor races, the entries to close some time in July.

Greeks Get Money.

The Greek gangs on the Southern Pacific received their pay today, and were clustered around the banks this afternoon cashing checks. The Greeks are displacing the Chinese and Japanese in section and repair work on the railroads, and seem to be very industrious and agreeable.

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SILVERTON CITY WAR SETTLED

The City Council to Be Organized Saturday Night

It is believed the Silverton deadlock and suspension of the city government will be settled, and a session of the council held on Saturday night which will put Mayor Cusiter and the reform city administration in power. It is stated that Alderman Bock, of the "regulars," will join the "insurgents" and help reorganize the city government.

Bock is one of the holdover aldermen, and a fair kind of a man, who will give and take, and not insist on having things his own way. It is stated that this will result in electing a marshal and resuming all the functions of the city government to the satisfaction of many, and especially of those who don't want the city dragged into expensive litigation.

FIRING IN DIRECTION OF PORT ARTHUR

(Continued from first page.)

on Monday, a fierce engagement occurred at Hsien Yen Cheng. Two thousand Russians were killed or wounded. The Russians retreated, and the Japanese occupied Kaiping and Kaichau.

The Chinese governor at Cheng Chow has received news that the Russians have destroyed the railway between Tashichou and Niu Chwang.

Another Story of Repulse.

Tokio, May 20.—The report received here today is that a force of Japanese reconnoitering in the direction of Shan Chusan, northwest of Fung Huang Cheng, was repulsed by a force of Russians. The Japanese lost five killed and the Russians 50.

Salem Won Again.

The Salem team defeated Roseburg yesterday at that city by a score of 11 to 9. At the end of the fourth inning the score was 8 to 2, in favor of Roseburg, but Loughheed was put in the box in place of Califf, and held the Mountaineers down to one hit during the remaining five innings. Salem batted hard, and the game was full of errors on both sides.

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RESULT OF POLICE RAID

They Broke up a Gang and Were Well Repaid

Albany, N. Y., May 20.—Thousands of dollars' worth of jewelry, stolen from the Livingston tomb and General DePeyster's mansion at Tivoli, recently, has been received by the police here as a result of a raid of the gang known as "the growlers." There were five arrests. When the Livingston tomb was broken open in April the bones of the dead were scattered about, in the search for jewels.

Fine Team Sold.

Sheriff Colbath has sold his fine team of driving horses to Charles Gray. It is understood that a good price was paid for the span.

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