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## OREGON'S REPUBLICAN LOVEFEAST CONCLUDED WITH GENERAL SATISFACTION

### VALLEY FORCES ON TOP

#### Morning Twitter and Farewell Song of Swan Shut Out by Business

#### Many Who Had Fed on the Dictionary Cut Out by the Statute of Limita- tion but Everybody Pleased

The Republican peace conference and harmony convention was a great success in many ways and a failure in a few that it can be written down that it was more than a satisfactory gathering from a party standpoint.

State Chairman Baker and the state central committee have great reason to be satisfied with the outcome of their labors in drawing together the Republican workers at a strenuous time in the history of the state.

With our delegation in congress practically destroyed, with our state appropriations suspended in the nebulous region of the initiative and referendum, with a new, untried and unknown method of making a party ticket on their hands, a serious situation stared the Oregon Republicans in the face.

Add to this the demoralization of leaders, the retirement of some of the most prominent politicians, and the

re-appearance of the old factional fights, the rotten condition of land administration, the progress of Democratic conquest, and the state committee faced a condition such as few political central committees have ever performed.

The Faithful Were There.

Still the Republicans, faithful to national principles, were there to the number of about three hundred. The fighters were there, the men who go out and do battle for protection and sound money, for good government at home and triumph of American principles abroad, were there.

It was a spellbinders' convention, from aged orators like Caples of Multnomah and Yoran of Lane to youthful stump orators from Eastern Oregon and the Valley counties. The committee made but one mistake—an oversight, perhaps, but it should have provided

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### DIAZ IS A DESPOT

St. Louis, Oct. 13.—The Mexican editors arrested are still in jail, but expect to give bond. They declare Diaz is a despot, but deny being a remnant of the Maximilian regime.

### NEW YORK WINS TODAY

New York, Oct. 13.—There was an enormous crowd at the fourth game and the players were cordially greeted. Rube Waddell warmed up with the other players and only threw a slow ball, and apparently with some effort. The batteries are Plank and Powers for Philadelphia and for New York Bresnahan and McGinnity.

The stands were filled and there were many people back of the ropes when the game began. The weather is fair, most too cool for the spectators.

Bender and Mathewson will likely oppose each other tomorrow. There is very little betting on today's game.

New York made one run in the fourth, and the final score was:  
New York, 1 run, 5 hits, 0 errors.  
Philadelphia, 0 runs, 5 hits, 1 error.

### THINK HE IS ONE

Billings, Mont., Oct. 13.—The police tonight arrested a man giving his name as Tom Jones, on suspicion of being one of the bandits who held up the Northern Pacific limited between Puyallup and Tacoma September 22. He was caught prowling around the railroad yards. He corresponds in every detail with the description of the robber.

### Plan Ohio-Lake Erie Canal.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 13.—President John E. Shaw and the board of directors of the Lake Erie & Ohio River Ship Canal Company, accompanied by number of engineers and other advisers, started from here today on a two-days trip to examine the two routes proposed for a ship canal connecting the Erie Lake with the Ohio River. At Ashtabula, O., the Pittsburg party will be joined by the officers of the Ohio & Pennsylvania Ship Canal Company, of which Joseph H. Cassidy, of Cleveland, is president, and the two organizations will continue the trip together. One of the two routes is from Ashtabula, O., to Pittsburg, the other from Erie to Pittsburg. Each route is about 105 miles long, and the cost of either would be about \$30,000,000. President Shaw is of the opinion that the work could be completed and the canal opened to traffic in the summer of 1911.

### Judge Resigns.

(Four O'clock Edition.)  
Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—The resignation of Judge Eugene A. Tucker, associate justice of the supreme court of Arizona, has been suspended. The attorney general announces that his successor will be Paul Jensen.

### The Taggart Divorce.

(Four O'clock Edition.)  
Wooster, Ohio, Oct. 13.—Taggart was today granted a divorce. Mrs. Taggart is prostrated.

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### INSURANCE MATTERS

New York, Oct. 13.—The trustees of the Equitable have elected John B. Kerman, of Utica, N. Y., and William Redfield, of Brooklyn, directors. They have prepared a circular and sent it to policy holders asking them to express their opinion as to the selection of men from their own number, to be voted upon by trustees, for directors in December.

### THE TOWN BURNED

(Four O'clock Edition.)  
Boulder, Col., Oct. 13.—Fire started in a general store at Nederland this morning and is spreading rapidly. The town is cut off and its destruction is feared. The telephone station is destroyed. Population 700.

Later—The fire was controlled by the liberal use of dynamite to blow up buildings in the path of the flames to save the remainder of the town and mine workings.

### Equitable Gets Light.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Attorney Edgar L. Masters, Clarence Darrow's partner, today filed a suit to recover \$1,000 from the Equitable company alleging the company refused to pay him \$246, the cash value of the \$2,000 policy, which had been running seven years. The company relies upon the technicality of the contract and offers to loan Masters \$256 at 5 per cent.

### Schoolmasters' Club Meets.

Bloomington, Ill., Oct. 13.—More than a hundred principals and teachers are here for the annual meeting of the Illinois Schoolmasters' Club, which opens with a banquet tonight in Cooper's Hall. The feature of the program is to be a discussion on "State Inspection of High Schools—Shall It Be Conducted By the State University or by

### THE RED TAPE PART

Washington, D. C., Oct. 13.—The ratification of the peace treaty between Russia and Japan takes place

### Fred E. Wright Presents York State Folks

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the State Department of Education? Prof. J. H. Barton, of the University of Illinois, has been assigned the university end of the proposition, and Principal J. Stanley Brown, of Joliet, will argue from the opposite standpoint.

Chicago Markets.  
Chicago, Oct. 13.—Wheat, 85%; corn 44%, oats 28%.

tomorrow. The treaty will be signed as ratified by the Mikado at Tokio and by the Czar at St. Petersburg, simultaneously. Notification will be communicated by telegraph to the respective governments by the American embassy at St. Petersburg and the French legation at Tokio.



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