

CONVENTION SET FOR OCTOBER 15.

Republican City Committee Decides on a Short, Business-like Campaign.

APPORTIONMENT OF DELEGATES

Fixed on Basis of One For Each Sixteen Votes Cast For Mayor Thompson Two Years Ago.

At a meeting of the Republican city committee held at the Knutsford last night, it was decided that the city campaign should be a short, sharp one, and to this end the committee voted that the primaries, ward conventions and city convention be held Oct. 12, 14 and 15 respectively, this being deemed sufficient time in which to wage war with the enemy, if any such have in sight.

The meeting was presided over by Chairman Elchorn and the first business taken up was that pertaining to the actual residence of Alma D. Katz, for whom Fred C. Looftbourgh held a proxy. It seemed to be the general opinion that Mr. Katz was a non-resident so a vacancy was declared in the fifth ward and Mr. Looftbourgh was elected to fill it, the vote being 5 to 4.

Resolving itself into a committee of the whole, the matter of the city convention and apportionment was taken up. J. J. Meyers moved that the general convention be on the basis of one delegate for each 16 votes cast for Mayor Thompson, giving a total of 511 delegates. An amendment was proposed fixing the number at one for each 20, or 411 in all, and this was followed by an amendment to the amendment for a basis of one to 18. The vote on the last proposition being 12 to 10 in favor of the amendment.

It was then proposed by Mr. Looftbourgh that the primaries be held Sept. 23, the precinct conventions Oct. 1, and the city convention Oct. 5. T. L. Irvine moved as an amendment that the date be Oct. 12, 14 and 15. J. U. Eldredge, who held the proxy of J. H. Preece from the second ward, advocated Oct. 13, 14 and 15, and M. L. Ritchie wanted the 9th, 10th and 12th. All the motions were voted down and the committee of the whole rose. Mr. Callister moved that Oct. 12, 14 and 15 be selected as the respective dates for the primaries, ward conventions and city convention, and the motion was carried by a vote of 7 to 3. Those opposing were Messrs. Ritchie, Wilson as proxy for Lawson, and Looftbourgh.

A committee consisting of Messrs. Looftbourgh, Meyers and Irvine was appointed to select a place for holding the convention, and Chairman Elchorn and Secy. Meeker were instructed to begin the canvass.

Those present at the meeting in addition to the officers, were J. J. Meyers, T. L. Irvine, T. A. Callister, Arthur Pratt, M. L. Ritchie, Fred Looftbourgh, George Wilson as proxy for J. H. Lawson, J. U. Eldredge as proxy for J. H. Preece, and S. C. Wing as proxy for J. H. Preece. The apportionment of delegates is as follows:

Precinct.	Dele.	Vote.	gates.
First.....	176	11	7
Second.....	197	12	8
Third.....	172	11	7
Fourth.....	241	15	10
Fifth.....	235	15	10
Sixth.....	165	10	7
Seventh.....	190	12	8
Eighth.....	202	13	9
Ninth.....	164	10	7
Tenth.....	138	9	6
Eleventh.....	111	7	5
Twelfth.....	113	7	5
Thirteenth.....	188	12	8
Fourteenth.....	130	8	6
Fifteenth.....	89	6	4
Sixteenth.....	158	10	7
Seventeenth.....	113	7	5
Eighteenth.....	149	9	6
Nineteenth.....	144	9	6
Twentieth.....	151	9	6
Twenty-first.....	175	11	7
Twenty-second.....	175	11	7
Twenty-third.....	141	9	6
Twenty-fourth.....	113	7	5
Twenty-fifth.....	136	8	6
Twenty-sixth.....	142	9	6
Twenty-seventh.....	132	8	6
Twenty-eighth.....	149	9	6
Twenty-ninth.....	121	7	5
Thirtieth.....	121	7	5
Thirty-first.....	169	10	7
Thirty-second.....	141	9	6
Thirty-third.....	157	10	7
Thirty-fourth.....	137	8	6
Thirty-fifth.....	83	5	4
Thirty-sixth.....	131	8	6
Thirty-seventh.....	126	8	6
Thirty-eighth.....	218	14	10
Forty-first.....	166	10	7
Forty-second.....	175	11	7
Forty-third.....	197	12	8
Forty-fourth.....	137	8	6
Forty-fifth.....	134	8	6
Forty-sixth.....	182	10	7
Forty-seventh.....	143	9	6
Forty-eighth.....	182	10	7
Forty-ninth.....	142	9	6
Fiftieth.....	147	9	6
Fifty-first.....	234	15	10
Fifty-second.....	205	13	9
Total.....	511		

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Dickson's dinner, given in honor of her bridal party last night at the Knutsford was a delightful affair, the appointments being the most elaborate. Eleven guests enjoyed the function.

Mrs. Ferdinand Hickett has for her guest Mrs. A. B. Wallace.

Mrs. A. W. McCune Jr. has returned from her summer's stay in Montana.

No invitations have been issued for the wedding ceremony of Miss Winnie Welch and Frederick M. Earls, which takes place next Thursday, but the friends of the bride and groom are cordially invited to be present. The wedding will take place at 8 o'clock at St. Mark's cathedral, and afterward the members of the bridal party will be entertained at the home of Bishop and Mrs. Leonard.

Gov. and Mrs. Spaulding of Nevada are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Tuttle.

Mrs. Claud W. Freed has returned from Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Frank left Sunday for a short stay at Colorado Springs.

Miss Sinclair and Miss Burt have gone to St. Anthony, Ida., where they will visit with Mrs. W. M. Gray.

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Utah Club Members Think a Good Ticket Would Have a Good Chance.

CHURCH INFLUENCE CHARGED.

E. W. Wilson Essays to Solve the Problem of Defeat—Election of Officers.

The Utah Democratic club met in the office of Secretary George D. Alder last night and discussed the political situation with particular reference to the policy to be pursued with regard to the forthcoming city election and whether or not it would be advisable to place a ticket in the field. On this point there was a division of opinion and the meeting adjourned without arriving at any definite conclusion.

The principal business of the meeting, which was presided over by Hon. John T. Caine in the absence of President James H. Moyle, was the election of officers, the following being nominated and elected: J. H. Moyle, president; R. P. Morris and Mahon Spencer, vice-presidents; George H. Wood, treasurer; George D. Alder, secretary; board of trustees, H. Meeker, John T. Caine, R. P. Morris, John T. Caine, W. H. King, C. P. Overfield, J. H. Paul, S. R. Thurman, H. P. Henderson, J. R. Letcher, W. P. Jones, Moses Thatcher, C. M. Jackson, H. H. Holt and S. Fernstrom. The recommendation was also made and adopted that the club vote Secretary Alder a paid-up certificate in the club and receive a dues from him while he holds the office of secretary. A vote of thanks was also extended President Moyle for past services.

CAMPAIGN EXPRESSIONS.

The question of the city election was then taken up and expressions were made by most of those present. C. L. Olson advocated a campaign by saying "If, as has been said, we are afraid of church influence, that is no excuse for giving up the fight. This opposition should make us fight all the more."

F. B. Stephens thought a ticket should be put up, but that no campaign should be waged.

C. P. Overfield said that the party should remain alive because the action of Roosevelt in antagonizing labor and capital gave a good chance for Democratic success nationally, and the local party should be ready for any emergency that should arise.

W. H. Bywater said: "We read of the city cemetery scandal, and that is not the only city department that needs investigation and reconstruction. We need a Democratic administration to get the city government cleaned up. Look at the fire department. Insurance men say it is a 'two-story department,' and I tell you that we are spending money to maintain a horse purchasing bureau."

WILSON'S LITTLE TALK.

E. W. Wilson essayed to solve the problem of defeat at the last election by saying: "You talk of nominating a good ticket and leaving it to the people. In the last legislative election the Democratic party put up the best ticket that was possible to put up, and the Republicans put up as poor a legislative ticket as it could. Yet this ran ahead of the whole ticket, and as a result an Apollonian was running for Congress."

F. B. Stephens was asked if he would run for mayor if a ticket was named. He promptly declined.

Secretary Alder then paid his compliments to the city council by asking if such a council had ever been seen before. "That is the work of Bruce Johnson and the council," said he. "The council was gathered into a convention to nominate candidates," said he. "We should put up a good clean ticket and let the people elect it if they want a good government."

Other expressions of similar import were made, and just before adjournment it was moved that the club appoint a committee to wage a city campaign with a recommendation that something be done looking to the holding of a convention. It was learned, however, that the matter was not acted upon.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING.

Interesting and Well Attended Session Held in Barratt Hall Last Night.

ATTENDANCE AND PREPARATION

Attention to These Features Urged Upon the Superintendents—The New Record Book.

There was a very interesting and well attended session of the Salt Lake Stake Sunday School Union in Barratt hall last evening. From a point of schools represented, the attendance has seldom, if ever, been better, the North Point being the one school to prevent a complete report. Twenty schools of the stake were represented by delegations ranging from 10 to 23 each, which was a very creditable feature and resulted in taxing the department quarters to the utmost.

The meeting was called to order by Supt. Burrows and commenced by singing "Song of Praise." Prayer was offered by Supt. F. B. Platt of the Thirtieth ward, followed by the congregational singing, "Kind and Gracious Father," after which roll was called and the "Beatitudes" recited.

Asst. Supt. Chas. B. Felt addressed the assembled workers on the subjects of attendance and preparation, speaking in substance as follows: He said he wished to reach the hearts of those present and impress them with the importance of these features of the work. As superintendents of the youthful flock entrusted to our care we should heed the words of the Master, "Feed my sheep," and if necessary be found leaving the flock to search for the lost one. The speaker said many steps had already gone astray that must be sought after and brought back to the fold.

Class teachers should observe their rolls and be convinced of the condition, and the precious souls saved. This we must do with the bread of life—the best we can find. Prepare the lessons and be prepared to teach them. The general board has provided a new record book, number of absentees—those who are straying away. No stone should be left unturned to do this. Superintendents should co-operate with the teachers in order that the percentage of attendance may be increased, that the scattered flock may be gathered, and the precious souls saved.

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Teachers of the respective classes, continued the speaker, should jointly consider the lessons before their presentation, in order to guard against omissions, or the treating of minor matters at the sacrifice of more important ones. The work of the class should be done as by so doing home preparation would become necessary and must be encouraged.

Supt. Felt then made special reference to the "Preparation test," to be made during November, as required by the general board, and outlined in the juvenile instruction book, making a most earnest appeal to the local superintendents to see to it that this feature, together with the attendance, be brought up to the highest possible standard.

STAKE BOARD COMMITTEES.

Supt. Josiah Burrows presented the name of Elder John H. Coombs as a candidate for the stake board and principal instructor in the second intermediate department of the union; also the name of Ezra T. Stevenson as assistant secretary, both of whom were unanimously sustained. He likewise presented the revised committees of the stake board, as follows:

Appointing, Conferences, Branch Schools and Missionary Work—Josiah Burrows, Willard C. Burton, Chas. B. Felt, Jos. V. Smith.

Lessons, Class, Grading and Discipline—Chas. B. Felt, R. P. Morris, Jno. H. Coombs, Phares W. Dunyon, Lena B. Davis, Kate McAllister.

Choristers, Music, Anniversaries and Special Features—Wm. A. Hanson, W. N. B. Shepherd, Jos. H. Parry, E. T. Stevenson, Edith E. Hunter, Rebecca V. Morris.

Secretaries, Librarians and Janitors—Jos. V. Smith, Alonzo Young, Jas. H. Garrett, Carl H. Carlquist.

THE RECENT CONFERENCE.

Supt. Burrows spoke briefly on the success of the recent Sunday school conference, thanking the various committees and others for their services. He said the stake board has specially appreciated the valuable services of the members of the orchestra and Sister Emma Ramsey for their sweet music, which added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion. There was marked improvement in punctuality over the preceding year, and to the Twenty-fifth and Thirtieth wards were due credit for being the first two schools to arrive at the Seventeenth and Nineteenth wards for their large attendance at the afternoon session.

The card played evil was referred to in a very earnest appeal to the teachers by the speaker, who desired their co-operation in an effort to suppress the same. He said it was time for Sunday school workers to take a firm stand against so evil and dangerous a practice.

DEPARTMENT WORK.

The time being short, a limited amount of business was transacted in the superintendents' department. Changes were reported as taking place in the Seventeenth and Twenty-eighth wards, Aug. 23, D. O. Willey, Jr., and Elias S. Woodruff being sustained as assistant superintendents in the former, and Jno. N. Taggart as second assistant in the latter school.

Supt. Burrows said that reports of children destroying the leaflets were being received, and asked that efforts be made to encourage their preservation and proper use. He also spoke of the necessity of suitable training for kindergarten teachers and the facilities for the same.

Oct. 28 was designated a nickel Sunday, and envelopes distributed. A quarterly meeting of the stake board was reported as having been held in the Seventeenth ward, and local superintendents were suggested, but left over for one month for consideration.

The secretaries responded to roll call, received report blanks for October and passed upon the proposed local historical and minute record as revised by the special committee. There were but two negative votes. The department then adjourned to the superintendents' room, where the same matter was considered.

The record was explained by Stake Secy. Joseph V. Smith, discussed by the department, and on motion of Supt. Geo. H. Wallace adopted, subject to the approval of the general board. The vote stood 35 to 3, three schools not being represented. The record is designed to preserve the minutes of the school officers, the minutes of both school sessions and teachers' meetings, all under one binding, reducing the work of the local secretaries fully 50 per cent, and at the same time reserving all information necessary for stake and general board reports. It also includes quarterly and annual summaries making comparisons. The theological department indulged in a discussion of "The Sabbath," led by Brother Hyde of the Seventeenth ward.

The two intermediate departments discussed coming lessons, while in the primary and kindergarten departments the usual class exercises were engaged in.

DR. GUNN'S BLOOD AND NERVE TONIC

There is not a woman in this land but at sometime in her life would have been the better for the use of this Tonic. For diseases peculiar to women a better medicine has never made. It is composed of the ingredients from which the system has been deprived by disease, overwork, or dissipation. It enters at once into the circulation, building up the tissues that have been wasted, making pure rich blood in the most direct way. For weak, nervous, and unsteady people, it is a tonic, for the fleshless people, it will make strong, steady and give the complexion that wholesome look that indicates health, producing a solid flesh at the rate of 1 to 3 lbs per week. Druggists sell it for 75 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$2. It should be taken after meals, one or two tablets each time.

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A SUICIDE'S MESSAGE.

Dying Daughter Leaves a Mysterious Good-bye Note—Death a Mystery.

Because of poor health and despondency, Miss Mary N. Collins, about 20 years of age, whose home is at Bench, Idaho, committed suicide in her room at the Cullen hotel last evening by taking a large dose of strychnine.

There may have been other causes for her desperate deed, but if so she kept the facts to herself. Before taking the poison she wrote the following note which was found in her room:

"Dear Sisters and Papa and Brothers—Good-bye, I can't work any longer. I am about dead. Love to all forever, Mary Norrah Collins, from Bench, Idaho."

It appears from the above that she was in poor health and became despondent over it. She employed the hotel and she appeared to be perfectly well. She conducted in a quiet manner, and no one observed anything strange about her actions. She is supposed to have come to the city yesterday morning. She registered at the Cullen and took lunch there after which she remained in her room.

As soon as she breathed her last, Coroner Clark was notified and hastened to the scene. The case was plainly one of self-destruction. Just as Clark concluded that an inquest was unnecessary, the body was removed to O'Donnell's undertaking establishment, where it is being held for her relatives.

When the note written to her relatives was found, efforts were made to locate the father, but he could not be reached, but a telegram was sent to him this morning notifying him of the young woman's tragic death. It is expected he will reach Salt Lake on the first train and take the body home for burial.

She was in Logan about a week ago, and from letters and articles found in the trunk it is believed that she had been employed as a domestic.

JEWISH NEW YEAR.

Introduced Last Night by Special Services—Sermon by Rabbi Reynolds.

The Jewish New Year was introduced last night, by special services with the two Jewish congregations. At the Jewish temple, Rabbi Reynolds preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion, in which he said:

"The New Year's day, one of the most important festivals of the Jewish calendar, derives its sanctity and importance not from a historical source, but rather from a deep and supremely spiritual source, and it is the principle which dominates the psychological life of the Jew. Though the celebration of the festival is enjoined in the Old Testament, it is clear from the context that the observance is not original, but rather a reminder of an observance already hoary with age, and which the people must have held for centuries before that time. The chronology of the festival is based upon the mundane era and the lunar years, this being the year 5664.

The chief character of the day is an exceedingly beautiful and suggestive, expressing and emphasizing as it does the idea that the all importance of time and its natural divisions lies in the emphasis it gives to the value of life. It keeps on the proper fulfillment of our manifold duties.

"Thus the first day of the year instead of being a day of worldly pleasures and indulgences, is to the Jew a day of deep reflection and strict accounting. It is a memorial day whereof the past is not merely on the consideration of past mistakes, but also and more especially on good resolves for the new year. The services consist of prayers and Biblical selections which bring the foregoing ideas into bold relief. The 'Shofar' of the ram's horn is blown—a ceremony which is symbolical of a spiritual warning, calling and reminding the faithful of the importance and sanctity of the day."

CAUTION.

This is not a gentle word—but when you think how liable you are not to purchase the only remedy universally known and a remedy that has had the largest sale of any kind in the world for 183 years for the cure and treatment of Consumption, Throat and Lung troubles without regard to age, sex or condition, you will be thankful we called your attention to Roschke's German Syrup. There are many cheap imitations, but only Roschke's is made by druggists and others that are cheap and good for light colds, coughs, croup, whooping cough, etc., and especially for Consumption, where there is difficult expectoration and coughing. Roschke's German Syrup is nothing like German Syrup. The 5-cent size has just been introduced this week. Regular size 75 cents. At all druggists.

THE SHORT LINE GOING THROUGH.

Ordinance Passed One Reading Last Night and Will be Finally Disposed of Monday.

READING WAS WITHOUT DEBATE

Rio Grande Petition Goes Over for a Week—General Hope it Will be Favorably Considered.

The committees on municipal laws and streets submitted a report to the city council last evening recommending that the Oregon Short Line franchise, as amended by the committee, be passed. The report was adopted and the ordinance granting the franchise was read the first time and laid over until next meeting when it will be placed on its second and third readings and a vote taken on its final passage. City Recorder Nyström was instructed to furnish each member of the council with a copy of the amended ordinance by Wednesday evening. There was no discussion on the franchise last evening.

TWO PROTESTS.

There were two protests against the franchise received by the council and read. One was signed by Mary E. Glaucue and 200 others, mostly women who reside on the west side and who send their children to the Lincoln school. They protest against both franchises unless the railroad companies will amply guard their street crossings so as to protect the lives of the children who cross the tracks in passing to and from school. They urge that provisions be made for such protection in the franchise before it is granted, because, if left for the council to order it done in the future, they fear they will never get the desired safeguards. They contend that the lives of their children will be in much greater danger if the franchises are granted as asked and they, therefore, request that the tracks on Third and Fourth West streets be enclosed in a net fence, and that the crossings be guarded by gates.

CAUSTIC CLOSING.

In the closing paragraph the protesters denounce the railroad companies as follows:

"We denounce the action of the railroad company and its representatives in trying to induce our City Fathers to forget the claims of office and betray the public trust by means of back rides and wine suppers while at the same time expressing our belief that the honest city fathers will not be overcome by their blandishments."

OLSEN OPPOSES.

William Pickett, administrator of the estate of Sigmund Olsen, deceased, filed a protest against the granting of part of Fourth West street between South Temple and First South streets as proposed in the Oregon Short Line franchise. The vastness of any part of the street would be injurious to the property of the Olsen estate, and the administrator insisted upon the protection of the rights of said estate. Both protesters were laid over for a week with the consideration of the ordinance.

TO IMPROVE CROSSINGS.

E. H. Davis submitted a resolution providing that the Oregon Short Line Railroad company be instructed to proceed at once to put in good condition all of its street crossings on Third West street between First North and Eighth South streets. The resolution was referred to the committee on streets with the street supervisor associated.

THE RIO GRANDE PETITION.

The franchise of the Rio Grande Western Railway company was not considered by the council at all as the committees having it in hand are unable to agree upon the rights of the franchise. The committee met in the mayor's office yesterday afternoon and discussed the franchise with the Rio Grande officials for two hours. The matter of putting double tracks on Fourth West street is the cause of the disagreement.

GOES OVER A WEEK.

The matter was finally laid over by the committees until next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. In the meantime the property owners will be approached with a view to either selling out or accepting damages. The purchase price and damages are to be fixed by a board of arbitration, consisting of three persons, one selected by the railroad company, one by the property owners and the two to select the third. The railroad company will be bound to pay the amounts fixed by the board of arbitration in order to secure its franchise.

OTHER ROUTINE MATTERS.

The Consolidated Railway and Power company petitioned the council for an additional extension of one year's time in which to construct its street railway line from Third and U streets south on the latter street to South Temple street and thence south along Thirtieth East street to Fifth South street. The original franchise was passed on Oct. 2, 1900, and it was provided that the line should be completed by Oct. 2, 1901. On that date an extension of one year's time was granted and this one is the second extension. The petition was referred to the committees on municipal laws and streets.

HEADQUARTERS FOR SCHOOL SUPPLIES

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In regard to the above Mrs. Marshall's son says:

"I must say with all cand