

ALL RECORDS ARE BROKEN.

Municipal Registration Foots a Grand Total of 10,940.

TWELVE HUNDRED ON LAST DAY

Corps of Clerks Finish the Count at 2 o'Clock This Morning—A Few Changes in Precinct Footings May Be Made, but They Will Not Affect Totals—At Midnight the Office Was Clear of Applicants.

The total registration of voters for the approaching municipal election is 10,940, an increase of ninety-nine over any previous municipal registration in the history of the city.

Table with columns: WARD, Precincts, Total. Rows for First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth wards.

There were two record-breaking days this year in the number of voters enrolled. Monday 93 names were recorded, and during the eighteen hours the office was open yesterday 1,200 were registered.

The first name recorded on the opening day of registration is M. B. Harmon, of first precinct, first ward.

The greatest rapid registration was done yesterday, when 102 names were recorded in thirty-eight minutes.

The old days when the notorious F rat ward held the deciding vote in most municipal elections are gone, which is given to account for the falling off in the registration of that locality of late years.

This is taken as the reason for the heavy registrations of 1892 and 1894, when the totals of names on the books was 10,540, there being a difference of only two names between them.

The following table is given showing the total number of voters registered at the four spring elections preceding this year:

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ELECTION OFFICERS NAMED

Council Selects Judges and Inspectors for the Election of March 6—All Parties Represented.

The city council at last night's meeting designated the following judges and inspectors of election to act at the municipal election of March 6:

- FIRST WARD. First precinct—Inspector, Fred Ferguson. Judges—C. L. Allison, W. E. Rea. Second precinct—Inspector, E. R. Schrack. Judges—John Ricker, J. H. Oiler. Third precinct—Inspector, Alexander Baile. Judges—Frank W. Bird, J. H. Plan. Fourth precinct—Inspector, Hugh Beahan. Judges—H. E. Stanley, Oldham Gates. Fifth precinct—Inspector, P. V. Davis. Judges—John Douglas, Douglas Monahan. Sixth precinct—Inspector, James Bogart. Judges—C. H. Davis, Thomas Russell. Seventh precinct—Inspector, Fred Dashiely. Judges—Henry Schram, Alexander Shaw. SECOND WARD. First precinct—Inspector, Fred Hincley. Judges—D. K. Sckles, R. Spahr. Second precinct—Inspector, F. M. Waldon. Judges—J. W. Grant, W. M. Wells. Third precinct—Inspector, I. E. Moses. Judges—Clark L. Gill, J. Kelly. Fourth precinct—Inspector, W. B. Sharp. Judges—R. Spofford, C. H. Sandahl. THIRD WARD. First precinct—Inspector, A. B. Ball. Judges—J. W. Thibault, J. A. God. Second precinct—Inspector, James Alexander. Judges—E. C. Belding, G. A. C. Rochester. Third precinct—Inspector—G. W. Water.

Come, See.

Handsome Premiums With Tea With Coffee With Spices With Baking Powder Come Just to See.

Great American Importing Tea Co.

300 Pike Street, Seattle, 803 Second Avenue, Seattle.

Advertisement for diamonds, watches, jewelry, sterling, and silver plated ware. Includes contact information for W. W. Houghton, Jeweler, 104 First Ave.

LITTLE CHANGE OF FUSION.

No Progress Is Made by Democrats and Nonpartisans.

MR. EMORY'S CANDIDACY.

His Friends Say That He Shall Not Be Forced Off the Ticket—S. S. Bailey, the Hotel Man, May Be Named for Mayor if Mr. Collins Withdraws—Nonpartisans Cannot Accept the Democratic Name.

No progress was made yesterday by the Democratic and nonpartisan committees in their attempt to bring about a combination of tickets.

The Democratic city committee met last night in the office of James P. McElroy, but no declaration was received from any of the candidates nominated by the Democratic convention.

The nonpartisan committee is planning a reception committee for the Philadelphians in an informal condition.

GEORGE K. BEEDE, PIONEER THEATRICAL MAN, EXPIRES VERY SUDDENLY AT HIS HOME.



The accompanying half-tone is from a photograph of Mr. Beede and Clay Clement, the well known actor. Mr. Beede and Mr. Clement were great friends, in the days when Mr. Clement made his home in the Northwest.

GEORGE K. BEEDE, a pioneer theatrical manager of the Pacific coast, died yesterday at his home, 1911 Yesler way, of cerebral hemorrhage.

Mr. Beede was born in Farmington, Me. At an early age he came to California with his family. His father was a cattleman, and Mr. Beede's early life was devoted to the business of cattle buying.

Eighteen years ago Mr. Beede came to Puget sound. His first local theatrical venture was the management of Fry's opera house. Later he built the present Third Avenue theater, that was immediately after the Seattle fire.

The panic of 1893 brought financial reverses to Mr. Beede, and he failed. In 1894 he went to San Francisco and opened a restaurant at the Midwinter fair.

Mr. Beede leaves a widow and three children. His daughter is Mrs. A. F. Withers, of this city, and his sons are George N. Beede and Sidney Beede, both of whom also live here.

RED CROSS CINCH PARTY.

Two Hundred Women Participate in an Enjoyable Afternoon at the Rainier-Grand Hotel.

The parlors of the Rainier-Grand hotel presented a pretty appearance yesterday afternoon. The occasion was a progressive cinch party given by the Red Cross Society.

In the main parlor was a large table containing the twelve prizes for which the women were competing.

The reception committee yesterday afternoon was composed of Mrs. J. S. Anderson, Mrs. John B. Allen, Mrs. Henry Furman, Mrs. Lyman Banks, Mrs. Erastus Brainerd, Mrs. L. M. May, Mrs. W. Sackman, Mrs. Porteous, Mrs. Harwood Morgan and Mrs. Francis Roteh.

Those in charge of clipping cards were Miss Drake, Miss Schoenfeld, Miss Sadie Morgan, Miss Adelaide Morgan, Misses Smith and Misses Healy.

First prizes, gold bear's tooth, Mrs. Rowland, and painting, Mount Rainier, Mrs. Schroeder; second prizes, white and gold Venetian glass vase, Mrs. C. E. Burdick, and ostrich fan, Mrs. Hamilton; third prizes, glove box, Miss Frauenthal, and Bismarck calendar, Mrs. C. S. Maxwell; fourth prize, silver-mounted calendar, Miss Rebecca Schoenfeld.

EXPOSITION SAVES A WAR.

French Visitor Says England's Star Is Setting—Loves America. M. Robineau, foreign correspondent of Le Matin, of Paris, who is touring America on matters appertaining to the exposition and other business, arrived here last night and registered at the Butler.

While the South African war is commanding a good share of our attention, we are much interested in the attitude of the United States in the same matter.

"England will eventually whip the Boers, but the powers of the world have had their eyes opened. They realize now that England has been resting on her past record. Brought to the attention of white men she has lost her prestige in official continental circles.

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Solid leather for good wear. See them in our windows on PIKE AND THIRD STREETS.

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