# DEMOCRATS OF COUNTY CONDEMN METHODS OF ORGANIZATION

The delegates elected to the Pocatello state convention of the Democratic party at the primary election held in this county April 25, met in Caldwell Saturday for the purpose of deciding upon a course of action. Twenty-two of the 30 delegates elected were present in the city Saturday. The delegates elected a chairman of their delegation, passed resolutions condemning the actions of National Committeeman Elder and instructing the Canyon delegation to vote against the re-election of Mr. Elder as national committeeman.

The meeting of the delegates was presided over by Mr. M. A. Bates. Mr. George F. Lee acted as secretary of the meeting. Mr. Bates was elected chairman of the delegation. Mr. W. P. O'Conner was endorsed for member of the committee on credentials at the Pocatello convention, and Mr. Bates for member of the committee on resolutions.

**Resolutions Adopted.**

The resolutions adopted at the meeting Saturday vigorously condemn National Committeeman Elder and State Chairman Pence for their attitude toward the local committeemen, and for their failure to give heed to the recommendations of local Democrats for local federal appointments.

The resolutions adopted follow:

"We, the delegates elected from Canyon county to the Democratic state convention for the selection of delegates to the national convention at St. Louis, and for the election of a Democratic national committeeman,

"Resolve, that we indorse the administration of our president, Woodrow Wilson, and reiterate our pride in the achievements of his administration in bringing prosperity to our beloved country, and in keeping the nation free from the world-wide war now devastating all Europe.

"That we heartily indorse the administration of M. Alexander, governor of Idaho, in giving the state of Idaho a practical, successful business administration and establishing the same principles of economy in state and county affairs as in private affairs.

"We commend the efforts of the county officias of Canyon county to put Canyon county upon a cash basis and at the same time reduce the bonded debt upon the lowest tax levy in the history of Canyon county.

**Pie Distributors Rapped.**

"We condemn the practice of our present Democratic national committeemen and the Democratic state chairman for ignoring the recommendations of local committeemen and local Democrats in recommending persons for appointment for office over the protest of the local county and precinct committees and we therefore pledge our delegates to the Democratic convention at Pocatello, to be held on May 18, 1916, to use all honorable methods to defeat Robert H. Elder in his efforts for re-election to that position."

**Smith for Committeeman.**

The local Democrats expect the primary-elected delegates to be seated at the Pocatello convention. The Democrats of Canyon county will probably present Mr. P. E. Smith as their candidate for state committeeman for Canyon county. Mr. Smith has lead the anti-Elder-Pence fight in this county. He has been most successful and is the logical man for state committeeman.

### Politics in Both Parties.

(Salmon City Recorder, Dem.)

Both Democrats and Republicans ought to be happy now. Neither holds an invincible tariff hand. No matter what either holds, the other holds a hand that will take the logic pot. We have protection, notwithstanding a Democratic tariff, and it is the old ideal high protection, foreign competition being about out of business, but the result is no revenues worth mentioning. Duty on furniture was reduced and furniture goes up. Republicans point to it and Democrats point to the war. Republicans dare not say that if there were no war furniture would be down. Their theory now must be that a lower tariff results in higher prices. They are not satisfied with the high price and would kick against the low price and lambast free trade. Republicans hold up high prices to the view of the puzzled voter and cry aloud: "The Democratic tariff did it." Democrats shout back: "The war has given the most perfect system of protection this country ever had. How do you like it? Will you dare advocate a high tariff and high prices when the war is over?" In the coming campaign the orator who has the last say will rake in the pot.


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Sold in Caldwell and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Greenlund's Drug Store, and Botkin-Harmon Drug Co.


# The State Press Comment

### Hughes is the High Man.

(Wallace Miner)

As the date of the republican national convention draws near the drift of republican sentiment throughout the country becomes stronger toward the nomination of Justice Hughes. While there are radicals among the progressives who continue to shout for Roosevelt and insist that he isc the only pilot that can guide the ship of state from the perilous rocks and shoals which now threaten her, their appeals receive little response from the men in the ranks who are lining up in solid phalanx with the party of their first allegiance and are using their influence in support of the nomination of a man who will command the support of a united party. Progressives who have burned their bridges behind them and republicans who have proved false to the best traditions of the grand old party may continue to clamor for the colonel, but it will accomplish nothing. A republican will be nominated by the republican convention.

The most significant expression of the sentiment of republicans throughout the country was recently obtained by the Literary Digest. A poll of republican members of state legislatures was obtained, fifteen hundred replies having been received from thirty-one states. Three candidates received four-fifths of the votes in the following order:

Hughes, 758.
Roosevelt, 275.
Root, 138.

It will be observed from these figures that Hughes received a majority of the votes cast and that he received almost twice as many as Roosevelt and Root combined. Another significant fact is that among the 31 states represented in the poll, only Minnesota, New Mexico, Colorado and Wyoming gave Roosevelt more votes than Hughes. It certainly looks like Hughes would be the man, and if nominated he will be elected by an unprecedented majority.

### No Judas Wanted.

(Elk River Sentinel)

Republicans are urged daily by those who hunger for office to "unite (with the bull meese) to defeat an incompetent democracy," to "forgive and forget," to "save the country," to "restore American honor"—all by following the leadership and endorsing the platform of the Progressives.

Who put in the Wilson administration?

Who is responsible for the stupid follies of the democrats?

Who sacrificed their country to gratify a spite?

Who lied anr intrigued and bribed and bulldozed and conspired to overawe the real republicans in 1912?

The Progressive—the same people who now want to come back and use those they betrayed to help them misgovern the country they knowingly turned over to incompetents. The same leaders they now want to place in charge of the nation.

These progressives never thought they could win!

They boasted that all they wanted was to beat the republicans!

They knew what they were doing.

They and none others are the people who are responsible for the disgrace that has come upon the country, for the suffering and the money losses of our people until the war gave many industries a temporary life.

People who would do what these progressive leaders have done, who would betray their country to gratify a spite, cannot be trusted. A democrat is better by far.

And if it comes to a choice Wilson we will have!

### ARENA VALLEY.

Will Asp and Fritz Lund went to Wilder Wednesday.

John Lund is on the sick list.

John Prince started building a cow barn last Friday.

Arthur Lund was a Roswell visitor Saturday.

The Misses Olga and Cora Usadel of Roswell Heights were guests at the home of their parents Sunday.

Miss Velma Grisham is staying at the Redmond home in Owyhee county.

Mrs. Carl Case of Great Falls, Mont. was visiting at her home here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burton and son Mark autoed to Lake Lowell Sunday.

Louis ard James Johnson were Wilder visitors Sunday.

Theodore Johnson, Fritz Lund and Will Asp spent Sunday at the river.

Alfred Lund and John Egger of Wilder were guests at the homes of their parents here Sunday.

Mr. Olsen and son were week end visitors with John Olsen on the bench.

A horse belonging to H. Dunagan was seriousyl injured last week by being kicked by a horse having shoes on.

The ladies of the Circle met with Mrs. Egger last Wednesday afternoon and a pleasant time was reported. They will meet with Mrs. S. B. Peterman Wednesday, May 24.

There was a good attendance at the Mothers' Day services. Rev. Mr. Lawrence of Roswell gave a very instructive and interesting sermon besides a solo, which was much appreciated.

### BRIER ROSE

Last Thursady afternoon several of the ladies of the neighborhood gave Mrs. W. A. Douglass a surprise party at her home in honor of her birthday. A very pleasant afternoon was spent and Mrs. Douglass was the recipient of a remembrance. Those present were Mesdames Gurwell, Woodcock, Jessup, Jester, Armour and Miss Schreider.

The Crew family were dinner guests at the Bird home Sunday.

Mrs. Collop's dighter, Mrs. Geo. Jacobs of Hailey and Mrs. J. C. Fox arrived at the Collop home Sunday evening. They are attending the meeting of Womens' Federated clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Douglass went to Fair Acres Sunday in the Woodcock car to hep Mr. Bassett, Mrs. Douglass' brother, celebrate his borthday.

Miss Joy Foote of Middleton spent part of Friday with Jennette Runciman.

Rev. and Mrs. D. A. Clemens attended the closing exercises of the Franklin school Thursday.

The Pons ranch will soon have a deep well.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Boise were callers at the Runciman ranch Saturday.

Dr. Nichter was a professional caller Tuesday.

The Home Culture club of Brier Rose will meet with Mrs. Joseph Robinson Thursday, May 25.

Miss Georgia Andrews of Speedway was a Sunday guest at the Meador home.

Miss Ardath Scarth of Deer Flat was a guest of Eva Robinson Monday.

### LAKE LOWELL

The Girls' Sewing club met with Mrs. S. C. White Friday afternoon. Almost all of the members were present. Each one of the girls is making an article to exhibit at the fair next fall. Dainty refreshments were served. No decision was made regarding the next meeting.

Several from this neighborhood attended the house warming party given at the J. T. Hitson home at North Deer Flat.

A physicians was summoned to the Wright home Saturday to attend little Clarabelle, who was quite sick. She is better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hurtt, who have been living at the U. S. R. S. camp, have moved to California for a short time.

Don't forget the ice cream social on the S. H. Peters lawn Saturday, May 27.

Rev. Mr. Lamb chaperoned a party of Appleton boys on a hike to Lake Lowell Saturday. They threw back all the fish caught, so that others might enjoy the same sport. Those in the party were Emerson and Carl Platt, Kenneth Greenfield, Harold Weeks and Maxwell Wright.

### FAIR ACRES

Fred E. Jackson's sister, from Boise, is visiting at his home.

J. C. Martin lost a valuable horse Monday.

Miss Addie Lewis of Greenleaf has proven herself an efficient nurse while staying at the B. C. Bradley home. She went home Saturday.

Wm. A. Douglass and wife, together with W. F. Woodcock and family and Louis Dougless, took birthday dinner at the G. M. Bassett home Sunday as a surprise for Mr. Bassett.

H. W. Barnes and famiy took Sunday dinner with the Rowan famiy on Deer Flat.

Rae Barnes spent Snuday evening at the home of his father, H. W. Barnes.

Nels Madsen is having his hay baled. He sold it for $10 per ton f. o. b. cars at Wilder.

The wind and freeze has been disastrous to fruit and crops. Much damage has been done to both.

Mr. and Mrs. Baird and Grace Bassett attended church at Greenleaf Sunday evening.

A. S. Gulley's daughter was taken to the hospital for an operation for aupendicitis. She is in a very critical condition and her recovery is said to be very doubtful.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ford, a daughter on May 11. All reported doing fine.

Grace and Walter Bassett attended a surprise party at the E. W. Rhoades home last Friday evening. The party was in honor of Ralph Hibbs.

### SPEEDWAY

Lee Biggs is remodeling the house of Mrs. Gibaney of Deer Flat this week.

Speedway was represented at the Founders' Day exercises at the College by Mrs. Joseph Bird, Misses Brenice Weymouth, Georgia Andrews and Annie Laurie Bird and Howard Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weymouth attended church in Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews of Speedway were visitors at the J. N. Meador home in Brier Rose Sunday.

Dr. Weymouth and daughter are spending this week in Caldwell and attending the high school festivities. Tuesday evening Dr. Weymouth attended a shower given by the Rebeccas for "Dad" Patton and his wife.

Mrs. B. S. Sower, president of the Crescent cub of Emmett, is visiting Mrs. Lee Biggs and attending the Fedeation sessions in Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kimbrough and son were out to their ranch Monday evening.

Sunday morning the young horse which George A. Smith is breaking became frightened and broke the shaft of the cart.

Quite a little excitement was occasioned Monday when "Smudge" and her three babies were reported missing from the Witteborg ranch. Late in the day she was located at one of the neighboring homes and brought safely home. Neither she nor the kittens are the worse for the trip.

### MISS REDFIELD CANDIDATE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

On May 4 I announced my candidacy for the nomination for the office of State Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the wishes of the Republican electors of the state at the primaries, Sept. 5.

In announcing my candidacy I take the position of heartily endorsing resolutions recently adopted by the State Board of Education, favoring a constitutional amendment for the abolishment of the office, thus eliminating duplication in the State Department of Education.

If elected, I shall do what is in my power toward perfecting the organization of the unified plan of administration for the school system of the State, as well as to perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability. Adv. ETHEL E. REDFIELD.

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Miss Redfield was born at Kamiah, Idaho. She is a college graduate, and has had a number of years experience in rural, grade and high schools, much of which has been in Idaho. She has served two terms as county superintendent of Nez Perce county. The announcement of her candidacy for State Superintendent has brought forth expressions of endorsement from many prominent educators and business people of the state as well as from Miss McCoy, State Superintendent, who has announced that she will not be a candidate for the office for another term.


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No. 8225.

**Report of the Condition of the Western National Bank, at Caldwell, in the** state of Idaho, at the close of business on May 1, 1916.

**Resources.**

| | | |
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| 1. Loans and discounts | | $111,493.77 |
| 2. Overdrafts, unsecured | | 1.00 |
| **3. U. S. Bonds:** | | |
| a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value) | $50,000 | |
| b U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value) | 1,000 | |
| c U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits par value) | 5,000 | |
| Total U. S. bonds | | 56,000.00 |
| **4. Bonds, securities, etc.:** | | |
| b Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits | $ 4,000.00 | |
| e Securities other than U. S. Bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged | 10,569.98 | |
| Total bonds, securities, etc. | | 14,569.98 |
| 5. Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank | | 328.00 |
| 6. a Subscription to stock Federal Reserve Bank | $3,300.00 | |
| b Less amount unpaid | 1,650.00 | 1,650.00 |
| 7. Value of banking house (if unencumbered) | | 23,500.00 |
| 8. Furniture and fixtures | | 5,000.00 |
| 9. Real estate owned other than banking house | | 26,864.08 |
| 10. Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank | | 7,016.64 |
| 11. a Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis | 27,969.93 | |
| b Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities | 26,125.45 | 54,095.38 |
| 12. Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than incuded in 10 or 11) | | 34,590.19 |
| 14. Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank | | 1,429.86 |
| 15. a Outside checks and other cash items | 369.72 | |
| b Fractional currency, nickles, and cents | 183.90 | 553.62 |
| 16. Notes of other national banks | | 3,650.00 |
| 19. Coin and certificates | | 14,029.15 |
| 20. Legal-tender notes | | 2,690.00 |
| 21. Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | | 2,500.00 |
| Total | | $359,961.67 |

**Liabilities.**

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| 25. Capital stock paid in | $ 50,000.00 |
| 26. Surplus fund | 2,051.90 |
| 28. Circulating notes outstanding | 49,995.00 |
| 31. Netamount due to banks and bankers | 2,734.65 |
| **Demand deposits:** | |
| 33. Individual deposits subject to check | 177,038.68 |
| 34. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days | 10,137.18 |
| 35. Certified checks | 117.80 |
| 36. Cashier's checks outstanding | 169.94 |
| 37. United States deposits | 1,000.00 |
| 38. Postal savings deposits | 5,041.20 |
| Total demand deposits, Items 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, $193,504.80 | |
| **Time deposits:** | |
| 41. Certificates of deposit | 61,675.32 |
| Total | $359,961.67 |

State of Idaho, County of Canyon, ss:

I, F. R. Miller, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. R. MILLER, Cashier.

Correct—Attest: EDWARD HEDDEN
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L. S. DILLE, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of May, 1916.

(SEAL) KATE MORROW, Notary Public, Caldwell, Idaho


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