

SOCIALIST'S CANDIDATES

S. M. SIMOLA—Candidate for United States senator for long term. He was born in Finland, January 8, 1873. He was in public schools. Came to United States in 1888. Was a sailor three years. Lived in San Francisco three years. Joined Socialist party in 1901 and came to Portland in 1902. He was a candidate for councilman in 1904, receiving a large vote.

J. D. STEVENS—Candidate for United States senator for the short term. He is an old soldier, serving three years. Was taken prisoner and held in Libby prison till March, '65. No voter should fail to give Mr. Stevens his support.

O. W. BARZEE—Candidate for governor. He is a farmer, of Scotch, English and German descent. Was educated in the common schools of Marion county, but now lives at The Dalles, owning and running a large farm in Sherman county, and is today the only candidate before the people representing the common people. Vote for men who represent your interests.

R. C. BROWN—Candidate for secretary of state, is of New England stock. Was born in Illinois, reared to manhood in Iowa, and at the age of 20 began to teach school, following it for 32 years. Sold his interests in Iowa and came to Oregon in 1896, and now resides at Roseburg, Oregon. He is now the secretary of the Socialist party of Oregon.

W. W. MYRES—Candidate for congress in the First district, is a substantial farmer of Clackamas county. Was a soldier and son of a Mexican soldier and a representative of the people.

A. M. PAUL—Candidate for congress from Second district, is a self made man. He started in his boyhood at New Orleans as a butcher, went thence to Cincinnati, Ohio, and crossed the plains two times with a team. He followed stock raising, farming and shipping stock.

He is an exceptional man to look after the interests of Oregon in its needs. He is also an old soldier and is a believer in freedom from the oppression of the great corporations.

GEO. R. COOK—Candidate for state treasurer. A resident of Astoria, is an old soldier—one of the boys who gave the best days of his life for the preservation of our country, and now seeks the emancipation of the wage slave system, and laboring men should cast their votes for him. All interest derived from state funds should and will be credited to the tax payers.

J. C. COOPER—Candidate for state printer. Served three years in the army. Crossed the plains in 1866. Was United States surveyor in 1881. Then he was postmaster at McMinnville from 1880 to 1894. He was the author of the bill creating I. W. V. pensions and a member of commission to Washington; also member of board of Lewis and Clark fair.

W. S. RICHARDS—Candidate for dairy, food and labor commissioner. Was born in Illinois. He is a first class

master mechanic and superintendent of the chair and furniture factory at Albany. He is just the man to fill the place. Be sure and vote for him.

MARCUS W. ROBBINS—For supreme judge. Was born in Iowa and came to Oregon in 1884. He is a graduate of the university at Forest Grove and also Valparaiso, Ind. He taught school several years and is now a resident of Grants Pass, and for five years has been a practicing attorney.

C. C. BRIX—Candidate for attorney general, was born in Denmark and came to the United States and settled in South Dakota in 1889. He was a farmer and in 1897 he graduated from Sioux Falls. He was a strong Populist when he came to Prineville, Oregon, in 1903. He is also an expert stenographer and attorney at law.

J. E. HOSMER—Candidate for state school superintendent. He is a graduate of the law schools, and was a former editor of the Silverton Appeal, and is now practicing law at Portland. He is a well qualified person for the place and will protect the school from grafts of book concerns, and voters will make no mistake in voting for him.

B. F. RAMP—Candidate for state senator, was born in Illinois and came to Oregon by ox team in '46. He taught school for several years. His home is in Brooks, where he has lived from the time he came to Oregon. He has always been identified with reform work, having been a candidate for congress before, receiving a large vote, and stands for the common people and their interests.

Z. T. BOGARD—Candidate for state senator. He is a man of sound judgment. Has been a farmer the best part of his life. Opposes grafts. Favor election of all officers by the people.

F. J. VON BEIHREN—Candidate for representative, is of German parentage and was born in Indiana. He came to Oregon in 1879, where he has followed the occupation of a farmer. Was identified with Prohibition and the old Populist party till they sold out, and then saw that the Socialist party was the party of the common people, and stands for the freedom of the masses from class legislation.

J. E. MURPHY—Candidate for representative, was born in Indiana, but was raised on Howell Prairie and is now proprietor of the Salem Tile Works. Stands for equal rights to all classes and special privileges to none.

A. M. BLINSTON—For representative, is a sturdy farmer and fruit raiser of Rosedale, and is highly respected by his neighbors. He is a man to represent the common people and stands for economy and election of all officers by the people.

W. H. STEUNBACK—Candidate for representative, is a farmer of Howell. He is a reformer from principle, believing in the best laws and protection to all classes with special privileges to none, but to see that the laws are enforced to the letter.

H. B. MUNSON—For representative is a well known blacksmith of Salem representing the laboring class of people, of which he classes himself. He is one of them.

J. H. MACK—For sheriff, was born in England, where he learned the trade of painter and paper hanging. He came to Chicago in 1883 and to Portland in 1886; to Woodburn in 1892, where he carried on a furniture store and paper business. He has always been identified with labor and its needs, including the labor problems of the day.

MELVIN BURDICK—Candidate for county clerk, is a fine business man, and is at present an employe in the Weller Bros. store. He favors election of all officers by the common people and is opposed to grafts in all lines.

T. J. CLARK—Candidate for recorder, is well and favorably known in Salem and Marion county. He is a large fruit grower and shipper. He has always been identified with the reform work in all its meanings.

O. C. HUTCHINSON—For surveyor, came from Kansas 15 years ago. Was a farmer and came here and farmed for several years. He is also a carpenter and is now working in a sawmill.

T. H. BLACKMAN—For county commissioner, is a master mechanic, builder and designer, lives at Woodburn,

and is a man that will look after the interests of the taxpayers; is in favor of improving all county property and keeping everything in proper order, but curtail all needless expenses in all county matters, as he would in his private affairs.

G. F. SHERWOOD—Candidate for county treasurer, is well known to the most of the taxpayers of Marion county and needs no recommendation as to his ability and integrity. Laboring men of all classes should see that their votes are cast for one of their own class.

M. M. WHITE—For coroner. Mr. White is a local minister, also a first class shoe maker. He is a man of excellent habits and a good judge of humanity. He has also had a great many years of experience in life.

R. R. RYAN—Candidate for justice of the peace on the Socialist ticket. Mr. Ryan has lived here for 15 years, coming from Nebraska in 1891, and has been engaged in business in Salem ever since. He is a strong leader in reform work and if elected to the office will see that no grafts are saddled on the tax payers of the county for petty quarrels, but prosecutors must show good grounds in bringing suits or put up cost price to protect the county from bills for costs.

Socialist Platform.

The entire ticket believes in the public ownership of all public utilities and taxing all corporations on their gross earnings. Exemption of improvements on the homes to the amount of \$500, and thus encourage the improvement and beautifying of all our homes. Equal rights to all classes, equal pay for same service. Giving our wives, mothers and sisters an equal voice in making of the laws.

To all voters believing in these principles we ask your support at the coming election. Respectfully submitted,

THE SOCIALIST PARTY OF OREGON, R. R. Ryan, County and State Chairman.

Two Great Poets Compared.

In an old number of Notes and Queries enumeration is made of certain alleged points of resemblance—in circumstances, character, conduct and experience—between Shakespeare and Moliere. These are the specifications:

1. The father of each was in trade, and apparently destined his son to follow his occupation.
2. The early education of both was neglected, and we know nothing in their after training that conferred on them their perfect knowledge of good breeding and distinguished manners.
3. Neither of them was happily married.
4. Each became manager, author actor.
5. Each produced a considerable number of authenticated dramatic works.
6. Each was careless about publishing his works; or, rather, objected to do so, lest they should be acted by rival dramatic companies.
7. The plays of each were collected by actors and first published in a complete form after the death of the author.
8. Each touched up produced plays that are lost or of doubtful origin.
9. Each disregarded novelty or plot, borrowing from various sources.
10. Each disliked his profession.
11. The personal character of each was gentle, kind, generous.
12. Each had a profound knowledge of human nature.
13. Each preferred the idea or matter to the comparative disregard of the manner.
14. Each had a remarkable fecundity and fertility of production.
15. Each died at the age of 52.

Some of the points of resemblance specified by the Notes and Queries writer can be admitted, but not all.

It is not known that the early education of Shakespeare was neglected; neither is it known that he was unhappily married. There was an excellent school at Stratford-upon-Avon when he was a boy, and, as his father was first an alderman and afterward chief burgess (that is, mayor) of the borough, it is not likely that the lad was not sent to it to be taught; moreover, his plays contain indications that he did attend that school, for he quotes Lilly's English grammar—an excellent book that was customarily used there. The education of Moliere was not neglected, for during five years he was pupil at Claremont college, and he could, among other things, write Latin verses. Moliere's marriage, it is known, proved unfortunate, but the notion that Shakespeare made an unhappy marriage is absolutely conjectural—a notion founded on an apparent fact that he lived for many years in London, leaving his wife and child at Stratford, and on the absolute fact that, by his will, he bequeathed to his widow his "second-best bed." It was long ago pointed out that his widow was provided for by dower, and, under

the law, must have inherited her third of all his property; and that probably the bequest of the second-best bed was a special kindness. After he had gained his fortune, Shakespeare returned to Stratford, and he passed the latter years of his life there with his wife and family. And it is recorded that his widow and daughter "did mightily desire," when they should die, to be buried in the same grave with him. Shakespeare's writings show "no disregard of the manner," whether comparative or positive. His style is individual and superb, and his blank verse is perfect.—New York Tribune.

BURIED UNDER DEBRIS.

Narrow Escape of E. A. Tozier—Vivid Description of Fire at Santa Rosa.

Lester Tozier yesterday received a letter from his father, E. A. Tozier, who was at Santa Rosa at the time of the earthquake. His letter is a very vivid description of conditions there, and of his own narrow escape from death. We are permitted to print portions of the letter.

"Thank God, I am alive and not hurt, for you doubtless have heard of the terrible earthquake we had this morning at 5:30, completely destroying the whole business part of Santa Rosa and every brick building in it, and about one-third of the wooden buildings, killing at least 500 people, and lots of them yet buried beneath the ruins. I had just rented a room in a three-story hotel last night and the building was torn to atoms. I was in the second story, and was buried ten feet deep beneath the debris; all that saved me was the door of my room, when the walls caved in struck the head of the iron bed and commode and held the weight off of me. I had three feet of space to move, but could shout loud enough so they could hear me from the street. Twelve or 14 men worked two hours to get a hole cut to me, but I was so smothered with the plaster dust I couldn't have lasted but a few minutes longer. After being rescued I rested awhile and went to helping others. I helped get out 25 bodies. All were dead but three. Worked till noon without a bit to eat; then free lunch and coffee was brought around. The fire broke out in eight blocks and they were soon in flames, and two hotels were a perfect crematory. People fast beneath and burning alive, and the smell of the burning bodies was unbearable. Oh, my God, what a sight. Forbid I shall ever see such again. Thousands of people are still working, trying to rescue; I gave out and had to quit. Thank God, from the bottom of your heart I am alive. I never want to see such again.—Eugene Register.

Wilde-Di Frasso Wedding.

London, April 23.—Miss Wilde, daughter of Mrs. Henry Siegel, of New York, and Count Carlo Dantico di Frasso were married at the Brompton Oratory today. Father Bernard Vaughn, brother of the late cardinal, officiated and Signor Tittoni, Italian ambassador to England, was the best man. The wedding was one of the most brilliant social events of the season. The honeymoon will be spent on the continent and after that the young couple will divide their time between Rome and their Austrian estate at Krapski.

Everything Useful

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