



# THEODORE E. BURTON

## of OHIO

### Canidate for President for the United States

Republican Ticket

Will Speak in La Grande

## Saturay Evening, April 22, 1916

AT 8:30 O'CLOCK

At Corner of Depot and Adams.

### Band Concert Precedes Speech

### Turn out and Hear the Political Issues of the day Discussed by one of the Leading Men of the Nation.

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## Sporting News

Ivor Simonson, manager of the Elgin ballteam, was a visitor in La Grande last night. When not fussing with the Indians he operates a bakery in Elgin. He predicts a winning season for the Elginites on the diamond this year.

Winning by a small margin the Juniors of the high school Saturday evening won the medley race with the first team pushing them hard. Several interesting races developed, but Conkey was not on the track to help the Juniors win by a wider margin.

Kenneda, a lad of 16 years of age, made the high score of 288 pins, on the Y. alleys, Saturday.

The Y. M. C. A. Cubs beat the Pinggetters last night on the Y. M. C. A. alleys. The score:

| Cubs        | 1   | 2   | 3   | T    |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Kenneda     | 136 | 152 | 160 | 448  |
| G. Pierson  | 157 | 148 | 87  | 392  |
| Bradley     | 137 | 167 | 138 | 442  |
| H. Pierson  | 166 | 131 | 156 | 453  |
| Ingle       | 103 | 173 | 99  | 375  |
|             | 699 | 771 | 640 | 2110 |
| Pinggetters | 1   | 2   | 3   | T    |
| Russell     | 138 | 94  | 84  | 316  |
| Barr        | 147 | 233 | 193 | 573  |
| Bunting     | 123 | 119 | 137 | 379  |
| Hunter      | 66  | 91  | 119 | 276  |
| Woods       | 87  | 73  | 60  | 220  |
|             | 561 | 610 | 593 | 1764 |

Our Want Ads bring results.

**Grazing Permits Issued.**  
The forest office has been busy the past month or more working on grazing allotments, notes the Wallowa Sun. There were 206 permits issued for 17,102 cattle, 1,602 horses and 81,575 sheep. With the heavy snow fall of the past winter the range the coming season will have an abundance of feed for the stock and when they are brought in this fall will be the fattest ever seen for several years, is the prediction of many.

**Elgin Mill Will Resume.**  
Blumenstein & Reed, which firm owns a small sawmill and a considerable tract of timber on the south fork of Clarks Creek, will resume operations this spring and will cut between 800,000 and 1,000,000 feet of lumber, says the Elgin Recorder. Logging operations are now under way in charge of Mr. Reed, but the mill will not be started until good weather becomes a permanent fixture.

**Construction Begun On \$24,000,000 Ohio Dam System**

Dayton, Ohio, April 17.—Construction work is under way today on the great engineering project for flood prevention in the Miami valley to prevent a repetition of the disastrous floods of 1913 which caused millions of dollars' damage and claimed several hundred lives.

Five mammoth detention basins, large enough to hold back the crest of a flood forty per cent greater than the devastating flood of three years ago, are being erected. The cost of materials will be about \$24,000,000.

There will be five large dams at crucial points. The highest, at Englewood, will rise 120 feet above the surrounding country; the lowest will be 65 feet high, and all 25 feet across at the top.

Towns between Piqua and Hamilton a distance of 100 miles will be protected when the project is completed.

The plan of the flood prevention system is to let the rivers carry off water at their maximum capacity without doing any damage. The retention basins are to take up excess water and then serve as feeders, allowing the run of a heavy rain to be distributed over several weeks instead of several days. The latter uncontrolled action is what caused so much damage in 1913.

It is expected that the work will be completed in three years. Enough steel will be used to build a 175 story skyscraper, enough concrete to build a column ten feet square and thirteen miles high, excavation enough for more than 2,000 miles of trenches, and enough embankment to fill a train of cars reaching from New York to San Francisco.

Leon Wedded.

New York, April 17.—Henry Morganthau, jr., came back to the United States from Turkey with his father, Ambassador Henry Morganthau, expressly to wed Miss Elmer Fatman, the girl who has been his sweetheart ever since he was old enough to have one.

The wedding ceremony was performed in the presence of Ambassador and Mrs. Morganthau, Mr. and Mrs. Fatman and near relatives of both families, today at the Fatman home here.

Miss Fatman has long been known in New York society circles for her share in amateur theatricals. Miss Fatman bears a striking resemblance to the Emperor Napoleon and has interpreted the character of that monarch for the edification of her friends more than once.

Miss Fatman's father is a New York millionaire, chairman of the Raritan Woolen mills and the Somerset manufacturing company of New York. Young Morganthau was appointed a special representative of the Department of State to assist his father as Ambassador to Turkey and was with the Ambassador at Constantinople throughout his stay there.

**Reconstruction Of Serbia Begun**  
Athens, April 17.—Germany has begun reconstructing Serbia. Austria-Hungary has charge of the work but at the top Germans are directing it. If the people will agree to become Germans—insofar as it is possible to make them over—a point has now been reached where the conquerors evidently are disposed to treat them humanely.

Men are being invited to return to their homes on condition that they cultivate the land in the Austro-Germans' interests. Russian prisoners are even being loaned to help with farm work.

Mills are being refitted with modern machinery, expert engineers have assumed management of the mines and every effort is being made to find workers in both from the native population.

A similar policy is being adopted in Montenegro. At the same time these industrial and agricultural improvements are in progress, both countries are being turned practically into huge fortifications.

Schools also are being opened. In Belgrade two are running, with a total attendance of 3,000. Instruction, however, is solely in German. Serbian children are compelled to learn it whether they wish to or not.

**Oklahoma City, Okla., April 17.**—The state started today on the last leg of its fight to uphold the two-cent railroad passenger fare law in Oklahoma. After months of litigation, counsel for both sides is ready to proceed with the case.

**To Vote On Prohibition**

Bemidji Minn., April 17.—Although the whole county is dry as a bone and under the Indian treaty of 1885, always has been and probably will stay that way indefinitely, great preparations are being made today for vote on prohibition here August 14. The wets are going to try to "bust" the treaty.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Paid Advertisement.)

**For County Superintendent.**  
I wish to place my candidacy for nomination in the hands of Union County Republicans and ask that a thorough investigation of my record as superintendent shall be made before they render their decision. My entire time is given to the school work and I sincerely believe that the schools of Union County have continued to strengthen during my administration.

MRS. A. E. IVANHOE.

**For Representative.**  
Direct vote of People is law with me. Republican primaries May 19th.

PAT FOLEY.

**Fair and Equal Assessment.**  
Upon the platform named above, I hereby announce my candidacy for assessor of Union county, on the Democratic ticket. The vote of the Democratic party at the coming primaries, is respectfully solicited.

W. A. MAXWELL.

**For County Clerk**  
To Republicans of Union county: I hereby ask your support for the nomination to the office of county clerk and pledge you the best that is in me should I be nominated and elected.—"A dollar's worth of service for every dollar spent."

CASS M. HUMPHREYS.

**For Sheriff**  
Candidate for Republican nomination for sheriff of Union county.

H. C. (HAL) REES.

**For Sheriff**  
Democratic candidate for sheriff of Union county, Ore., subject to primary election, May 19, 1916.—"For the people."

LEE WARNICK.

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**For County Clerk**  
I ask the Republicans of Union county to consider my candidacy for county clerk favorably at the coming primaries. I have been deputy county clerk under Mr. Wright for some time and am familiar with the work of the office.

KENNETH McCORMICK.

**For Public Service Commissioner**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for Republican nomination to the office of Public Service Commissioner for Eastern Oregon district, asking the support of all Republicans.

ED. WRIGHT.

**For Sheriff**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for sheriff, subject to the primaries to be held on May 19, 1916—"Competent and faithful service."

T. H. WILLIAMSON.

**D. H. Procter**  
Republican candidate for county clerk desires the aid of the voters for that office. If nominated and elected will continue to give best services to the county as he has in the past as County Recorder.

**For Representative**  
In complying with the wishes of my friends I announce myself a candidate for the nomination for Joint Representative of Wallowa and Union counties. I solicit your support.

Yours respectfully

H. B. DAVIDHIZER.

**For Representative.**  
To the voters of Union County: I hereby announce my candidacy for the Republican nomination for representative of this county. If nominated and elected I will stand squarely and openly for the rights of the common people. I am a defender of the Oregon system; I believe in the initiative, referendum and recall, and shall do all in my power to perfect these channels of popular rule and to prevent their discredit by abuse. I believe in liberal compensation to producer and in justice to labor; I shall gladly give my support to every just measure in the interest of organized workers and producers. I pledge opposition to legislative extravagance and will fight for lower taxes.

ALBERT SMALL.

**Prosecuting Attorney**  
To the voters of Union County: I hereby announce myself as candidate on Republican ticket for the office of Prosecuting Attorney for Union County, Oregon. If nominated and elected I will endeavor to enforce the laws without fear or favor and to prosecute the guilty as well as protect the innocent, ever mindful of the rights of the tax payers of this county. Your support is respectfully solicited.

RODNEY J. KITCHEN.

**For Sheriff**  
I wish to announce to the Democratic voters of Union county that I will appreciate their support for the nomination to the office of sheriff at the primaries on May 19, 1916. Being familiar with the work in that office and having a record of service to stand upon I ask favorable consideration.

TOM B. JOHNSON.

**For County Clerk**  
I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination for county clerk on the democratic ticket subject to the decision of the primary election on May 19, 1916.

J. A. CATES.

**For District Attorney**  
To the voters of the Republican party: If nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, conduct the affairs of prosecuting attorney with the very least possible expense and along business lines; ever ap-

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preciative of the majesty of the law and mindful of the rights of the people. "Conscientious and Intelligent service."

H. E. DIXON.

**For County Commissioner**  
In response to many requests to be a candidate for County Commissioner I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination to that office, subject to the primary on May 19th.

W. M. COUGHANOUR.

**For County Superintendent**  
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for School Superintendent of Union County, subject to the Republican primaries, May 19, 1916. If elected I will faithfully serve the best interests of Union County schools. Your support of my candidacy is earnestly solicited.

AUBREY G. SMITH.

**For County Representative**  
(Subject to Republican Primaries) State Government Is Not Politics; It is the People's Business. If elected I will work for simplification of legislative procedure, more efficient and responsible administration of state affairs, fewer and better laws, lower taxes, consolidation of related commissions, rural credits, protection of labor's rights, and a state highway through Union County.

Having always been a supporter of the Oregon System and of State Prohibition, I will labor to prevent any changes in these laws unless clearly in accord with their basic principles and for the general betterment of the people of Oregon. I favor no radical legislation, at this time, aiming either at new changes or a return to old conditions, and I will follow the advice so generally given to the public.

"When in Doubt, Vote No."

GEORGE HUNTINGTON CURREY

**For Joint Representative.**  
I wish to announce my candidacy for Joint Representative for Union and Wallowa counties subject to the will of Republicans of the two counties at the primaries on May 19. My reference are any reputable farmer or other business man in Wallowa county.

FRED S. ASHLEY.

**For County Assessor.**  
I am now serving my first term as county assessor. During that time I have endeavored to conduct the affairs of the office, as economical as consistent with good service with the especial view of assessing all property on an absolutely fair basis and believe the records of the office will bear out the claim. I ask for re-nomination at the hands of Republicans on May 19th and pledge continuation of my policies if nominated and elected.

U. G. COUCH.

**For County Commissioner.**  
Having served as County Commissioner by appointment to fill an unexpired term and become acquainted with the county business I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination to that office subject to the will of the Republicans of the county at the primaries on May 19th.

W. J. TOWNLEY.

**For State Senator Twenty-first District**  
I wish to announce my candidacy for re-nomination to the office of State Senator for the Twenty-first district comprising Union and Wallowa counties, subject to the will of Republican voters at the primaries May 19th. I stand firmly opposed to bonding either the state of Oregon or Union and Wallowa counties, and I ask that my record during the past term as senator be carefully investigated by all voters.

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