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### M. VERNON PARSONS TO SEEK NOMINATION FOR STATE SENATOR

Formal announcement that he will this year seek the republican nomination for the state senatorship from Lane county was made yesterday by Attorney M. Vernon Parsons, who represented the county in the lower house at the 1913 session of the legislature. In making known his decision, Mr. Parsons gave out the following statement:

"I expect to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for the state senate from Lane county, and I feel that my record as a representative at the last session of the legislature is sufficient evidence to the people that I stand for such legislation only as is calculated to be of benefit to the people.

"I worked and voted for the minimum wage bill for women and girls; introduced and secured the passage of the County Depository bill, which brings to the county revenue enough to cover the expense of the county treasurer's office. This I believe is the only revenue producing bill that passed the legislature.

"I prevented the railroads from grabbing the county roads for railroad purposes without first compensating the people for them.

"I have a few ideas on legislation which I believe the people want and should have, one being the state publication of text books, so that the great question of text book graft will be done away with, and I believe under such a measure the children will get their text books approximately 40 per cent cheaper than they do now. This has proved to be a fact in California at least. The state owns its printing plant and does its own printing, and why not print and furnish the text books to the districts at cost?

"Mortgage notes should be exempted from taxation; and I would like to see a loan fund created for the Agricultural College and the University, so that deserving young men and women, although poor, could borrow from this fund and repay it with interest after their education has been completed. This is a day and age of education, and in order for the young men and women to be equipped to compete with others in the future they must have an education, the opportunity of an education should be placed at the door of every boy and girl regardless of whether or not their parents are wealthy or poor.

"The workmen's compensation act should be amended so as to give proper protection to the employer as well as to the employe, and so as to apportion the cost of the risk according to the hazards of the particular business in which one might be engaged. As it is, the extreme hazards get their insurance too cheap and the lesser hazards, such as the lumber industry have to pay too much. In my opinion as the workmen's compensation act now stands it is drafted in favor of the extreme hazards, such as electric railroads, quarrymen, structural iron workers, persons employing electricians, etc., and operates in such a way that the cost to the logger and mill man is more than his proportionate hazard.

"The tax laws should be changed so that half of the taxes can be paid in the spring, when they are needed, and the remaining half paid in the fall; no penalty being placed on the last half of the taxes until the same become due, with a penalty on the first half if not paid when due. This penalty should not be more than 8 per cent annum, which would equal what the county has to pay for money plus two per cent which is the amount of interest it gets on county deposits as provided in my depository bill.

"I voted for every bill which I thought was just and right and

against every bill which I thought was unjust, and supported and voted for every bill calculated for the betterment of moral conditions; and I am proud of my record in the legislature.

"I favor the passage of a law placing the log boom companies under regulation by the State Railroad Commission, so that their charges and services may be regulated like other public utilities.

"The long distance telephone and telegraph companies will probably hear from me again if I am elected to the legislature. Partially through my efforts in the legislature the United States has commenced a suit against the principal telephone company in the northwest to prevent it from monopolizing all the telephone business in the northwest and thereby throttle all competition."

### BORN

In Florence, on Thursday, Jan. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Corum, a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tuttle, of Point Terrace, February 3d, a 12-pound daughter. The mother and baby are doing well, but Charley is still whistling.

### WHO IS WHO ON INDIAN CREEK

Ground hog day was celebrated with sunshine on Indian creek. Looks like six weeks more winter.

Fine weather the last few days and you can hear the farmers scouring their plows for spring plowing.

Cecil Kirby of the Kirby Bros. camp came over Thursday with a crew of men and went down the creek to roll in the remainder of their logs that was left on the back.

Mr. and Mrs. William Casterline visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor Sunday.

A new addition containing the tearing up of the side walk at Acme by county court has been added to Tompson road primer and Mr. W. A. Mead departed for Eugene to purchase one.

Mr. Clyde Mead left for Eugene Tuesday where he expects to purchase some music for the new dances he has recently introduced.

Miss Mabel Wilson was a visitor to the Tabor home Saturday evening and Sunday.

Dave Beers made a trip to J. J. Wilkinson place, so he claims, but was seen talking to a young lady by the way side. Don't believe he was there.

For sale one good second hand Moose. Inquire of Tead.

Mr. Gibb's cook was seen going up the road Saturday afternoon and Sunday evening. Wonder where he was going.

Mr. Babe Mead is very busy these days. He spends his Sundays in the black-smith shop learning the ferrier trade.

There was an old fashion spelling match at the Reed school house Friday night. There will be another in two weeks. Come every one and bring your primers.

Having seen an article in your paper conserving a mass meeting for county division. Will say the people of the upper county would be very much pleased if it would be held at Mapleton, and they were notified in time so all could attend.

Next week I will write an article on the Siuslaw National Forest look for it.

—SCOOP

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