

TRIBUTE TO SELLING PAID BY JOURNAL

Portland Newspaper Says He is a Friend of the People.

Stood for Statement No. One When Many Republicans Refused to do so.

Proving that a long career of consistent fighting for measures that bring the state government closer to the people, and also sends the name of Oregon to the top of the column in advanced legislation, the following extract from the Portland Daily Journal of Friday, February 22, 1912, not only endorses the progressive policies of Ben Selling which are now laws on the statute books of Oregon, but it also shows beyond question the standing of this man among the people and press of the state:

MR. SELLING

Senator Ben Selling has announced his intention to contest for the Republican nomination for United States senator. For a number of years the political course of Mr. Selling and The Journal have run along much the same lines. Support of progressive methods of government in Oregon when they were badly in need of support, brought Mr. Selling and The Journal on common ground.

When there was need of Statement One candidates for the legislature, they were not always easy to find. There was a time when most of the higher-ups of the Republican party in Oregon were, and some of them still are, against Statement One. It was in such a time that Mr. Selling was a welcome addition to the forces that were striving for direct election of senator, and for elimination of disgraceful deadlocks at Salem.

Without at all entering into the support of Mr. Selling's present candidacy, it is as little as The Journal can do to thus acknowledge the aid Mr. Selling has been to the cause of popular government in Oregon, an acknowledgment that, in fairness, is also due to Senator Bourne.

SELLING IS THE PROPER MAN

"Naturally, Ben Selling would be my choice for the United States senate," said a prominent Portland German to a reporter for the Zeitung. "He knows the people of Oregon, and his interests are here in the state. He knows what the people of Oregon need, and I don't believe there is a man alive better able to supply those needs."

Right in line with that sentiment is another, very generally expressed, to the effect that while Mr. Selling has always been one of the most progressive of citizens, insistent upon the development of the state and the utilization of all its resources, he is the implacable foe of graft in all its forms. Recognizing the fact that all public expenses must be met from the pockets of the people, he stands firmly against the waste of public money.



BEN SELLING

Oregon has gone forward amazingly in the past twenty years, and in every step of its progress Ben Selling has been in the front rank of Oregon's citizens. He has done his part. He has borne his share of the burden, and discharged his share of the duties. He has asked no man to perform his tasks.

The men who own homes, and the men who pay in industry for the good things of life, want to intrust their public interests to a man who has always stood shoulder to shoulder with them, who knows them and their problems, and whose citizenship is of the sturdy character which asks no special favors from any one.

Our people know Ben Selling. They have dealt with him for many years. He has been fair with them, and they can confidently trust him.—Nachtlicht, a Portland German Newspaper.

Three lots, 7-room house, 12 8-year-old fruit trees, gas in house, wired for electricity, street improved, on most prominent street; \$2000, \$500 cash, balance on time. See K. C. Couch.

For Sale—Six lots, all extra size, between Tyler and Polk streets. Improvements in, can sell cheap. Terms, \$10 cash, balance \$10 per month, 7 per cent interest. Best residence district.—McKinney & Davis.

BEN SELLING SAVED PEOPLE FROM PANIC

When Bank Failed He Promptly Offered Par for Pass Books.

Lean Sharks and Brokers Thwarted By Him—Saved People Large Sums.

"Help promptly is of double value," says the proverb. Oregon people, and Portland people in particular, will remember the failure of the Title Guarantee and Trust company, of Portland, in October, 1907. The embarrassment of that institution was had enough of itself. But it came at a time when the breaking of one bank came perilously near producing a panic in which many banks and business houses must go down—to the measureless damage of thousands.

It was a time for men to help each other; a time for business interests to stand together in order to save depositors from a heavy loss. Disastrous as a settlement of material discount would have been, it was feared for a time that it was the best settlement that could be made. And if made, it certainly would have resulted in widespread and ruinous loss to thousands all over Oregon.

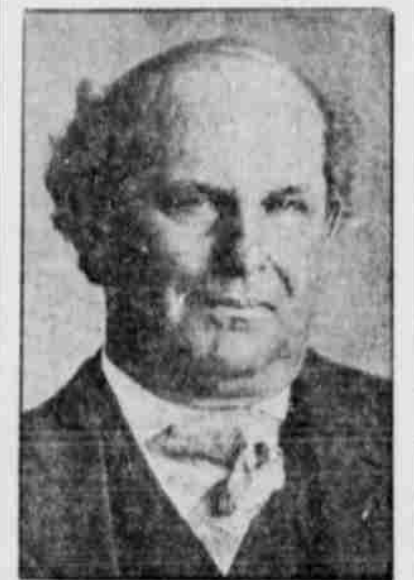
In that crisis Ben Selling promptly came forward with a better offer. He proposed to take over the claims of the depositors at seventy-five cents on the dollar in good, solid cash, and an additional twenty-five cents in merchandise. It was absolutely equivalent to a hundred cents on the dollar—every penny that was involved.

There was an instance of needed help promptly given. It averted a threatened and imminent panic. It restored the general confidence in banks and business houses. It absolutely insured depositors against loss. It did more than any other one thing to embolden commercial Portland to ride the troubled seas of 1907—the most dangerous period since 1856.

And it was typical of Ben Selling. It required financial resources, splendid judgment of conditions, and a superb confidence in the essential stability of his city and his state, and the fairness of his fellow citizens.

WHAT BILL HANLEY THINKS OF BEN SELLING

"Oregon for Oregon" is the slogan of William Hanley, the picturesque representative of Central Oregon, who, because of his marked facial and physical resemblance to William Jennings Bryan, has many times been mistaken for the three-defeated candidate of the Democracy for the presidency. It is for the reason of "Oregon for Oregon" and because Hanley's views coincide closely with those of Ben Selling, candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator, that Hanley feels very friendly toward the candidacy of Selling.



WILLIAM HANLEY

Hanley came out of the Selling headquarters yesterday looking cheerful. Reflecting that Mr. Selling in his platform had definitely committed himself to securing for Oregon its just share of the reclamation fund for promoting various irrigation projects in this state, Mr. Hanley said it would be advisable for the voters of this state to elect a senator who could be depended upon to do all in his power to secure for the state all that belonged to it in the way of money for originating and completing irrigating enterprises.

"Up to the present time the state of Oregon is short about \$8,000,000 of its part of the reclamation fund, money that should have been used for the construction of irrigation projects in this state and which money was actually given to other states," said Mr. Hanley.

"Mr. Selling is pledged to the recovery of that money for use here, and if anybody can do it I am convinced that he will at least lend his best efforts in that direction. My acquaintance of several years with Mr. Selling has convinced me that he always has stood square-toed to the front for Oregon interests and it is about time we had such a representative at Washington."—From a Portland newspaper.

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North For Sheriff

Voters by the hundreds in all parts of the county are flocking to the support of William C. North, candidate on the republican ticket for the nomination for sheriff. His straightforward promises, his attitude toward strict law enforcement is making him friends on every hand and it now looks as if he will outdistance all other opponents in the race.

The past three weeks he has been going among the voters throughout the county, meeting them personally and speaking at their meetings held in his behalf, and scarcely a night passes that he does not make from two to three talks. His strength, especially in the districts outside of Portland is marked, and he is making great inroads into the strong-



holds of the other candidates.

At every meeting he is reiterating the promises he has made in his platform, that if elected he will strictly enforce all the laws all the time, without fear or favor; that he will do his utmost to prevent the insults being heaped on our flag and our nation by the anarchists and rabid socialists, who congregate on street corners and in public parks and deliver their tirades against public institutions, good government and decency, and that he will close the notorious dives and road houses, running in open violation of the law, with their nightly orgies of drunkenness and ribaldry.

North is the only candidate for office who has had the moral courage to openly attack lawlessness, and the decent, law-abiding citizens realizing this are going to cast their ballots for him in preference to men whose past records will not bear careful scrutiny.

For County Commissioner

Tom A. Sweeney has a clean record in private and business life. He has never been in politics. He is not endorsed by the city machine of Portland nor by the county gang. He is a contractor and road builder and understands public contracts, and can give the people more value for their money than any other candidate for county commissioner, because he has the experience. A vote for Tom A. Sweeney means a vote for clean business minus politics and less taxes.

(Paid Advt.)

To Exchange—Modern 5-room bungalow and lot 50x100 in St. Johns, for vacant lots or equity in same. Inquire of J. B. Fletcher, 506 Allegheny street. 23 2tc

Jacob Carr, father of Mrs. Rogers, is very ill at the home of Mrs. Stratton on Edison street.

REVIEW'S LEGAL BLANKS

The following list of legal blanks are kept for sale at this office and others will be added as the demand arises:

Warranty deeds, Quit Claim Deeds, Realty and Chattel Mortgages, Satisfaction of Mortgages, Contracts for Sale of Realty, Bills of Sale, Leases.

All these blanks at the uniform price of 30c per dozen.

NOTICE OF Proposed Assessment

Notice is hereby given that apportionment of the cost of improving South Gresham street from Buchanan street to Ida street, total cost is \$3,021.23, has been apportioned and is on file in the office of the undersigned, subject to examination.

Assessment district extends back to the center of lots, blocks or tracts of land abutting on said street as provided by the city charter and resolutions.

Remonstrances against said apportionment may be made in writing and filed with the undersigned until 5 o'clock P. M. April 29, 1912.

F. A. RICE, Recorder.

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When in need of a Photograph go see

Graves
THE PICTURE MAN
FROM 1 inch TO 6 FEET.
302 S. Jersey St. St. Johns, Oregon

Council Proceedings

The first regular meeting of the new city council took place Tuesday evening. All were present except J. W. Davis, who is in California and has not yet taken the oath of office. The new mayor, A. A. Muck, presided. The late council had cleared up the business to such an extent that there was little to do, in great contrast to the amount of work left for the previous council to do at its first meeting.

A communication and request from the Commercial club that conveyances be provided by the city for transporting garbage to the crematory on Saturday was accepted.

The fire department asked for assistance in a Fourth of July celebration. Request filed for future reference.

Bills to the amount of \$218.14 were allowed on motion of Alderman Valentine; all yes.

It was decided that those interested in the hard surface movement of Fessenden street between Buchanan and Oswego meet with the street committee and engineer at the city hall Monday at 1 p. m. It is believed that the low price secured for hard surfacing will remove considerable objection to the improvement.

A report from the police department was read and accepted.

W. S. Gillmore complained of bicycle riding on the sidewalk in front of his residence and asked for abatement of the dangerous nuisance. Police ordered to investigate the matter.

Ex-Mayor Couch then suggested that G. L. Perrine make a socialist speech, since the hour was early and business all transacted. Mr. Perrine needed no second invitation, and among other things in an interesting manner told of the evolution of the woolen industry and other wonderful improvements that have taken place in a lifetime. His remarks were listened to attentively and heartily applauded.

Prof. W. C. Alderson

The name used as a caption for this article is familiar to most of our readers. Professor Alderson was for many years a teacher, and was in charge of the St. Johns schools, as principal, for some time; severing his connection with them about four years since.

The professor is now in the employ of the city of Portland, as head of the filing department in the office of the city engineer. He gained this position as the result of a series of promotions from the work first assigned to him by the city engineer. Having passed the civil service examination to establish his eligibility, and being regularly appointed soon thereafter, his position is one for life if he will have it so.

Professor Alderson is still a school man, and probably will be all his life. He was elected last October as principal of the night school conducted in the Lincoln High school building. His work was eminently successful. One of the teachers with him there, and of whom he is loud in his praise, is Professor A. P. Armstrong, a candidate for county school superintendent. A letter from Professor Alderson, printed in another column of this issue, sets forth the views of the latter concerning the special fitness of Professor Armstrong for the position mentioned.

The following is an extract from an editorial in the Evening Telegram of Portland concerning the night school work of Professor Alderson:

"No more interesting sight for an American could be imagined, for here was the future American still in the raw and in the making. And what better work could the school board do, or in what better way could public funds be expended, than in helping to equip these people so that they will be able to make an honest living, while at the same time instilling into them the principles which underlie the government they now recognize. Principal Alderson is one of those rare men who are suited to the work; a man to whom mere money is a secondary attraction and who, while well equipped as an educator, still finds his highest pleasure in helping in the work of making better citizens."

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon and county of Multnomah.

Elsie M. Brown, Plaintiff

Vs.

Barney E. Brown, Defendant.

To Barney E. Brown, above named defendant: In the name of the state of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and set within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer or otherwise plead to said suit that plaintiff above named will apply to the above named court for the relief demanded in her complaint to wit: For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and yourself and absolutely divorcing plaintiff from you, restoring her maiden name to her, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is published pursuant to the order of the Honorable J. P. Kavanaugh, Judge of the above entitled circuit court, made in open court in this cause, on April 12, 1912, which order provides that this summons shall be published in the St. Johns Review once a week for a period not less than six weeks. The first publication of this summons was made on April 12, 1912, the last publication thereof will be May 24, 1912.

A. M. EDWARDS, Atty. for Plaintiff.

Lane shoulder is nearly always due to rheumatism of the muscles, and quickly yields to the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

For County Assessor

I will give personal attention to the office. You will find me on the job all the time.

Expenses of the Assessor's office have increased 272 per cent since 1903. I will separate the office from politics, and that will save the taxpayers' money.

I will not permit deputy assessors to pass out election cards and campaign literature enclosed in assessment blanks.

I will conduct the Assessor's office according to law. No juggling with the assessment roll.

I will make the Assessor's office an open book to the taxpayers. No star-chamber proceedings go with me.

Multnomah County assessments have been increased at the rate of nearly 30 per cent a year since 1904. Assessments climb year after year, and the tax rate climbs with them. The tax burden falls heavily upon all classes of people, but heaviest upon the little home owner. I think the time has come to investigate these heavy increases and see what justifies them. What do you think?

I believe in economy in public expense, but not in parsimony. We cannot tax ourselves rich, but we can tax ourselves poor. Therefore, I am opposed to excessive increases in assessments and excessive taxes. If you believe as I do, vote for me in the primaries on April 19.

Multnomah County has been my home for forty-one years. I pay taxes on land as well as on personal property.

HENRY E. REED

Republican Candidate

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