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Official Paper for the Farmers Society of Equity of Clackamas Co M. J. BROWN, EDITOR

Hollister looks like a sure thing. Friday is the day that makes them or does for them.

There are a bunch of men in Oregon who are not sleeping very well just now.

If every legislator abolishes up to his promise, there won't be much left for the boys to quarrel over.

Should the primaries nominate two "wet" candidates, there won't be much to it—making U'Ren governor.

If that man Hollister is nominated for Congress Friday, western Oregon is going to have representation in congress.

A live Democratic nominee for congress will give Hawley just about what Taft got in the last election, and Hollister of North Bend is a live one.

When a newspaperman spreads himself on an article in support of some candidate, does it freely and then later on sees some other newspaper down the line run it over "Paid Adv."—well, you know.

The first number of the Salem Gazette, a paper that has an ambition to become a state paper, has reached this office, and if following numbers are as bright as No. 1, it will soon be getting outside of Marion county. D. H. Upjohn is editor, and he has the goods. The Gazette is independent in both name and material.

The action of the business men, the Commercial Club and the City Council in taking hold of the matter of better accommodations for farmers and teams, is the real thing, and you are going to see something besides talk now. For three straight years this matter has been brought up and talked, and last week a bunch of real earnest ones did more in thirty minutes than has been done in thirty months.

"This talk about the farmers having it in for Oregon City is all nonsense," said one of the farmers to the Courier the other day. "And I wish you would so state. It's simply a business proposition. If your city provides markets our stuff will come there. If you do not, it will go some where else. If you provide posts or sheds for our teams, where our wives know teams will be safe, you will get our trade. If you will not we will not drive in any more than is absolutely necessary. We don't want any coaxing, petting or babying. If the city wants our produce and trade, let it be enough to go after it you will get it, if not you want. It's a business proposition, and business will win for more than brass bands and auto parades."

OPPORTUNITY

If Fred Hollister is nominated by the Democrats for congress Friday, Mr. Hawley can fold his official hands for the home term—for Hollister will beat him. Hawley has not served eight years in congress because he has made good, but because the Democrats HAVEN'T MADE GOOD. It is pretty clear circumstantial evidence that the Democrats who steer things have heretofore played Hawley's game—nominated candidates against him who were easy picking—the last one under indictment at the time of his nomination. But this week we have a man who can take Mr. Hawley's order, and all the Democrats have to do is to put Hollister up where Democrats and Republicans can vote for him in November.

For the first time in years the Democrats have a candidate who can clean up for our stand-pat representative, and it seems inconceivable they will throw away the chance.

Republican odds are nothing to the right sized man. Party bridges will be slipped when a candidate of strength is nominated.

A level-headed, broad-gaged, and brainy man is Hollister. He is a live one, a progressive, a worker, a doer.

If nominated, he will sure get Mr. Hawley.

Clackamas county has probably registered more protests against Hawley's big business representation in Congress than any other county.

Friday this county can make those protests good.

Hollister's nomination means his election, and that Chamberlain and Lane will have a standfast friend from Oregon.

Play to beat Hawley Friday. Vote to nominate Hollister.

Opportunity Insurance

Many a man has lost good business opportunities by not being prepared financially to grasp them. In an Eastern city a skilled machinist, 50 years old, who had always earned a good salary, sold a valuable invention for a small amount because he had not saved any money and had not capital to float it. He said that if he had even a small amount of capital, he could have made a fortune out of the device. Now past middle life, he must keep on working, when he might have retired in comfort. Insure your opportunities by means of a Savings Account. In this kind of insurance you are paid dividends instead of having to pay premiums. At this bank your dividend comes in the form of 3 per cent, semi-annually compounded interest.

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ABOLISH HIM

If a company sent a representative from Oregon to Washington on a business matter his actual car fare would be about \$120 for the return trip, or two cents per mile.

Oregon sends its representative, Congressman Hawley, to Washington on business and he gets 20 cents per mile or \$1200 car fare. In other words he has \$1180 to put down in his jeans over the \$7,500 salary paid him by the government.

The Courier has had considerable to say about this mileage take-off, because we consider it just a plain steal. That a public representative should make \$1180 while he is riding across the country to and from a \$7500 job isn't anywhere near moral honesty, even if it is legal, for he is getting something for nothing, something he doesn't earn, something he is not entitled to.

Recently this steal was abolished, or rather modified so the congressman couldn't get so much of it. But there came an amendment to restore the 20 cents mileage, and continue the graft for the congressman.

Where was our "No-Interests-to-Serve-but-the-People" Hawley? HE VOTED YES!

He voted to add this \$1200 to his pocket money he does not earn and which we all know he has no moral right to.

This vote of our congressman is a matter of record. You will find it in the roll call in the Congressional Record of April 17, 1914, pages 7389-70.

Don't you reckon we had better include Hawley as among the useless commissions and abolish him?

Did he vote for your interests when he voted to retain this \$1200 mileage graft FOR HAWLEY?

GEORGE M. MCBRIDE

Candidate for joint senator for Clackamas, Columbia and Multnomah counties, is an old Clackamas county boy, and was raised in Oregon City.

He is a son of Chief Justice McBride of the Supreme Court, is 37 years of age; is a taxpayer, has a family of his own, owns his own home and is familiar with the needs and conditions of the county and state.

Mr. McBride believes there is no logical reason why the taxpayer's money, so badly needed for the support of laws and summer months should be tied up and be idle in order to avoid a heavy penalty, and believes in the semi-annual payment of taxes.

He also believes that too many laws or hasty and ill-considered legislation tends to extravagance and disrespect for laws, and that many of our unnecessary boards and commissions could be abolished and others combined to save duplication of work in short in common sense legislation in the interest of taxpayers.

State Tax Commission, State Highway Commission, State Railroad Commission, State School Supervisor, State Naval Militia, State Fish Commission, and seven other commissions. Don't you believe you could worry along for a year or two if they were sent to the morgue?

We are not guessing on the nominees for governor—nobody dares guess—but if we were to predict, which we will not, we would guess that Mosier will be the Republican nominee, and that Smith will get Democratic perquisites. A week ago if we had guessed, which we did not, we would have said Manning, but since the Oregonian has begun abusing Smith it will help his chances and do much to nominate him. As to the other officials, we are too rash to take this week to forecast the tickets but come around Saturday and we will tell you all about it. The chances for Mr. Road Bond are about 2 to 1, against him.

Just put a pin here and see if our 1915 mind reader's license hasn't been applied for: One of the first bills to be introduced in the Portland (state) senate (if there is one left) will be an appropriation of \$250,000 more for an Oregon exhibit to the San Francisco Fair.

Yes, we appropriated \$150,000 for the fair at the last session, but the cost of commissions and building material is high and—well, you know. It's the same old scheme. Get your foot in it, then pay more to get your foot out.

Wonder how many of the Clackamas delegation will vote for the Portland raise back?

Should Reward Crawford May 9th, 1914. Editor Courier:—The voters of Oregon have it in their power to reward Attorney General A. M. Crawford for establishing the validity of the Initiative and Referendum before the State Courts and the United States Supreme Court, and incidentally collecting over \$60,000 disputed taxes in this case.

Mr. Crawford has shown himself to be on the side of the people and his advancement to the Governorship should follow as a matter of public approval for the good work he has done for the people of this state.

S. V. Lawelling. President Oregon Direct Legislation League.

Rev. E. J. Ware will begin a special meeting at Logan May 17th. He will assist Rev. E. A. Smith there. Mr. Ware is a Clackamas county man and is an energetic, forceful and sympathetic speaker. The meeting will last over two Sundays. Service every night but Saturday of the 23rd.

Rev. E. A. Smith will preach at Evergreen Sunday at 3 P. M. All cordially invited.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—One thoroughbred Poland China boar, five months old—H. A. Bates, Rt. 3, Box 72, Oregon City.

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THE MEADOWBROOK BRIDGE MATTER

Robert Schuebel Thinks it is One to Go Slow On Eldorado, Ore.

Editor Courier:—Trullinger and myself have been accused of making a fight against the building of the Meadowbrook bridge across the Molalla river from selfish motives, and that we are misrepresenting the facts to induce the people to sign the remonstrance. Now I can only speak for myself and will say it is not from a selfish motive. Neither am I misrepresenting the matter to induce the people to sign. I have said nothing but what I know, and absolutely believe to be true.

Only one person from Molalla signed my remonstrance, and I will say I have only asked three persons from Molalla so far. I met them in Oregon City and all three signed the remonstrance. I heard D. L. Trullinger ask one man from Molalla to sign and he refused, but intimated they could get along very well without the bridge.

I feel satisfied that if I were to go over in the Molalla territory to solicit names against the bridge I could muster as many names against the bridge as they have in favor of it.

Now if the Molalla people will petition the court to give them one half the cost of said bridge on their roads you will hear no kick from me and this would be a neat sum of money too and they could use it to their good advantage and benefit more people.

I have the best of reasons for believing that the site chosen for this bridge is not a good one. The river is even now apparently changing its course. Formerly it was farther east and seems to be shifting west. The people have had one experience near the same place on the river, where the river changed its course and left the bridge. Now we cannot afford to build expensive bridges in such dangerous places, besides the difference in the distance from Meadowbrook to Molalla and Meadowbrook to Liberal is so little that it will justify such an expensive bridge.

The time to kick against high taxes and money waste is before it takes place. If we go and dump big sums of money in places to especially benefit certain people financially, and so use up our road fund we must not find fault afterwards. If the court after thorough investigation and on the advice of its engineer, decides to build the bridge, well and good. I believe the court is honest in its intentions, and respect for the court. We should investigate the conditions before deciding on such expensive matters. Usually the mistakes are made by going ahead too fast. In small matters we can stand for mistakes but the amount this bridge will cost will improve several miles of road. One-third of the money would build a first class road down Milk Creek; a road which the Meadowbrook and Colton people would travel very often even if the bridge were built. Let us be fair and get at the merits of the case.

Robt. Schuebel. For County Treasurer Vote for James F. Nelson for County Treasurer. I have known him for a good many years and I consider him one of the most competent and best qualified men in the county for the office, and a man who will work for the interest of the taxpayers.

(Paid Adv.) EAGLE CREEK Mrs. Viola Douglas, who has been in Eastern Oregon for a few weeks, returned home last week.

Diek Gibson was an Estacada visitor Saturday. George Stowell made his sister, Mrs. Rose Suter, a short visit recently.

Last Thursday four or five of Mr. Shultz's neighbors went to work and helped him with his plowing and seeding.

Boy Douglass and wife attended the ball game at Estacada Sunday. James Gibson, H. S. Gibson and R. B. Gibson and wife attended the birthday dinner Sunday at H. F. Gibson's of Barton. The dinner was given in honor of Harvey and H. F. Gibson's 48th birthday. About 32 friends and relatives were present. All had a pleasant time and a very fine dinner was partaken of.

CLARKES W. H. Bottemiller has started to plant his potatoes. He started Monday. Clarkes school closed Friday, May 8th, 1914.

The Highland Grange Band had a grand social last Saturday, and about 200 people were there. Buol Brothers tore down their old barn and are now building a new one.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Durst and daughter Eldon, visited Mrs. Christa Kienensmith and family last Sunday.

Miss Emma and Tillie Bauer visited Miss Bertha and Ida Zwalhen last Saturday and Sunday.

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E. D. Olds, Republican Candidate for the Legislature

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I will support a good substantial and complete road law, which we have not a complete road law at present. The people of Clackamas county ought to know that E. D. Olds won't lay down to any particular class or clique.

Yours for a pure, clean and better government, E. D. Olds. (Paid Adv.) JOHN SCHULTZ

John Schultz, one of the well known residents of Oregon City, died at the family residence on Seventh and Jefferson Street Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock after an illness of stomach trouble of several months' duration.

Mr. Schultz, who was familiarly known as "Daddy," had a host of friends among the old and young, and had a pleasant word for all. He was born in Germany 75 years ago, coming to America when a young man. For the past 30 years he has made Oregon his home, residing for some time at Corvallis before moving to this city several years ago.

Decesed is survived by his wife, Mrs. Schultz; a daughter, Mrs. Lena Boesenweiler, and Charles Schultz both of Chicago, Illinois; a stepdaughter, Mrs. C. A. Troxel, of Corvallis; and stepson, William Anderson of this city.

Many friends attended the funeral services, which were conducted at the German Lutheran church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. W. R. Kraxberger, pastor, officiating. The interment was in Mountain View cemetery, many of the friends of the deceased attending the last sad rites at the grave. The floral tributes were beautiful.

The pallbearers were Harry Kellogg, Herbert L. Martin, R. D. Wilson, L. Rucenich, C. W. Fredricks, and J. W. Loder.

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There is another and a better way. You don't have to know the names of the alum powders. Use Royal Baking Powder only; that assures you a cream of tartar powder, and the purest and most healthful baking powder beyond question.

County Will Fight Suit

Following the lead of Gladstone, West Linn has brought suit against Treasurer Tufts for all the road tax money collected in that city up to April 28, 1914, under the provisions of the city charter that West Linn is a road district by itself and that the city is entitled to all the money.

County Attorney Hedges says the city will fight the suit to a finish. If West Linn wins it is said Milwaukie and Oregon City will bring similar suits.

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