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"ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY" COUNTY OFFICIALS SPEAK AT MOLALLA

Before a gathering of some 2,500 members of the Clackamas County Verel, Grant H. Dimick, of Oregon City, Sunday announced himself as a candidate for the republican nomination for governor of the state at the forthcoming election.



GRANT B. DIMICK Who announces himself Republican candidate for governor

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This burden of taxation, which all farmers are feeling alike, Judge Dimick laid to the habit of the state legislature in creating commissions to handle the various affairs of the commonwealth, and to excessive appropriations.

UR'EN WILL MOVE FOR WOMEN'S LAW

With the decision of the supreme court that the Day bill, providing for a special referendum election on measures passed by the last session of the legislature, is constitutional, W. S. U'ren and other interested in the "woman wage-workers' eight-hour bill" will start mandamus proceedings to force the secretary of state to place this measure on the ballot at the special election to be held in this November.

The bill in question was offered for filing with the secretary of state on July 3, one day before the time limit on measures to be submitted to the people at the forthcoming election expired.

With the supreme court's action assuring the holding of an election on November 19, Mr. U'ren will at once start proceedings to get the bill before the people at the first opportunity.

STOVES FOR POOR PROVIDED IN WILL

BOSTON, Mass., July 23.—One of the oldest wills that has ever come before the Essex county probate court was brought up for hearing at Salem today. The will is that of Thomas W. Swestear, who died about sixty years ago. The unique feature of the will is a provision for furnishing the poor of Salem with cook stoves.

It is stipulated that \$10,000 be paid to the city of Salem, that this be put on interest at 6 per cent, forever, and that \$500 be spent annually in buying stoves and utensils for the poor.

JUDGE DIMICK'S BATTLE-CRY

At the last gubernatorial primary Mr. Dimick was a candidate for the nomination, and secured next to the largest number of votes cast. Previ-

ously elected county judge of Clackamas county.

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He commended the German people of the county upon their progress and their persistence in their work of betterment in spite of the obstacles placed in their way in clearing timber land through high taxation.

NORRIS REMOVED BY STATE BOARD

Members of the county court were notified Wednesday that the state board of health, at a special meeting held Tuesday, had determined to remove Dr. J. W. Norris from the post of county health officer. The letter in which notice of this action was received informed the court that it would be their duty to "appoint some other person to the office of health officer in his place to gather vital statistics and supervise epidemic and contagious diseases."

It was left optional with the county court to continue Dr. Norris as county physician in care of the indigent and county poor.

This action on the part of the state board of health is the first definite movement that body has taken in regard to complaints in regard to the manner in which Dr. Norris has conducted his office. The board has given several hearings to the subject but not until Tuesday did it reach any definite action on the matter.

The notification from the state board of health arrived one day after the adjournment of the July term of the county court, and no action towards appointing a successor to Dr. Norris will be taken until the court convenes for the August term.

JAGGER HAS \$100 TO NAIL FALSITY

Frank Jagger, whose integrity was attacked by a communication in a recent issue of The Courier, in which it was charged that he received payment from the county for the use of a steam roller on county roads, has offered \$100 to anybody who can produce any record or document showing that he profited in any way from the use of the roller. The facts, as given by Mr. Jagger, are as follows:

While road supervisor he desired the use of a steam roller, but was unable to get one of the county at that time. He therefore purchased one from the Buffalo-Platts company, one from the Buffalo-Platts company, one from the Buffalo-Platts company, and has the paying charged to prove it. After using the roller a year upon county work, he sold it to the county for \$3,150. During the year that he was using it, he expended \$200 for a shed, and also expended \$200 to keep the acre of ground on which the roller was used, and never asked the county to reimburse him for it.

STATE OFFICERS ENGINEER RAID

Sheriff Mass and Deputies TAKE SIX PRISONERS AT ISLAND FOR TOM KAY

Constable Frost has had a hard fight with four-inch knife objects briefly to being put under arrest—alleged parasites taken

A raid on a colony of alleged parasites, engineered by Tom Kay, special state deputy, and pulled off under management of Sheriff E. T. Mass and deputies, Tuesday night netted a total of six prisoners, two women and four men. The raid was upon four houses, all of which were well stocked with liquors and beer, and which have been objects of suspicion to residents of Island, a suburb of Milwaukee, for some weeks past.

County Clerk Mulvey spent considerable time Monday going over the recall petitions submitted by Ed. Olds and W. H. Hagemann, calling for the dragging down from office of County Judge R. B. Beattie and County Commissioner N. Blair.

Five days are allowed the county clerk for an examination of the petitions, and at the end of this time, any less than the number of signatures required by law. Whether or not all those signing the petitions are qualified voters or not the county clerk has no means of knowing; but he will rely upon the oaths of the circulators in this matter.

In checking over the requirements for the recall, County Clerk Mulvey has found that according to the statutes 1,540 signatures are needed on the petitions. As it is said that there are 1,748 names on the other, it is evident that there are enough names.

Those backing the recall movement, while admitting that there may be a rigid court inquiry and legal action in the matter, say that they believe that the result will be that the election will be held. They profess a willingness to have a test case made of the present movement, and say that they will gladly see it carried to the supreme court.

Those arrested gave their names as: Adrean Lebeau, L. Lane, Julian Pelmsahas and G. Massit, alias "Andre Cabot." The two women gave their names as Almonde Sallence and Jeanie duPain. The latter said she was 27 years old, and gave her address as 91 Clay street, Portland.

At midnight all the prisoners were bailed out by Portland friends.

PARCEL POST RULE CHANGED BY ORDER

Postmaster Thomas Randall has notified patrons of the Oregon City post office that by a ruling of the postal authorities parcel post stamps hereafter will be received as "latter postage, and that ordinary stamps may be used on parcels sent by the new mail service.

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Philadelphia, Pa., July 17.—Patrons of the theater and members of the theatrical profession everywhere will learn with regret that the famous Walnut Street Theater in this city is to be sold to the city.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 21.—The National Leather and Shoe Finders' association began its annual convention in this city today with an attendance that includes many prominent representatives of the trade throughout the country.

MANY EYES TURNED TOWARD CLACKAMAS

Secretary Freytag, of the publicity department of the Commercial club is beginning to believe that Oregon City is known in many places, and that residents of other communities have been impressed with publicity matter sent out from here, and by the comments made upon the Clackamas county exhibit at various land shows.

Information in regard to opportunities in Clackamas county will be sent to all the inquirers, and as they have been filed just before closing time of the county clerk's office Tuesday afternoon, Edward Olds and W. H. Hagemann presenting the petitions.

OVER 1700 SIGN RECALL PETITION

1,748 Names On Appeal for Removal of Judge Beattie; 1,720 Against Commissioner N. Blair

Petitions for a recall election against County Judge R. B. Beattie and County Commissioner N. Blair were filed just before closing time of the county clerk's office Tuesday afternoon, Edward Olds and W. H. Hagemann presenting the petitions.

It is quite possible that before the five days have elapsed some sort of court action will be instituted to have the names on the petitions carefully examined and checked. Doubt as to whether, under the law, women voters can sign the petition, will probably be one of the questions taken up. There are the names of many women upon the petitions.

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It was at this juncture that one of the peculiar things of the meeting occurred. Chairman Olds left his place and whispered to W. H. Hagemann that "strangers" were within the convention. These "strangers," apparently, were Justice Slivers, B. N. Hicks, Edwin R. Brown and a reporter from The Enterprise.

A delegate not let into the secret hopped up and asked Mr. Hagemann to revoke his motion, saying that there were other matters to which he thought attention should be given.

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MAY TAKE NAMES FROM PETITIONS

Citizens in road district 53, often spoken of as Happy Hollow, are up in arms against the managers of the recall directed against County Judge Beattie and County Commissioner Blair, and many who have signed the recall petitions have asked that their names be removed.

Among those who formerly signed the petition, and who now declare that at that time facts were misrepresented to them, are Charles Rabstock, Lewis Becker, Frank Krause, George Brookman, Otto Brookman, Joseph Rusford and H. W. Kanne. These men have asked the circulators of petitions to remove their names, and others who have made the same request have been refused.

It is said that a number of these citizens will unite, and seek court action for the removal of their names from the petitions. As there are many throughout the county who are reported to feel the same way about it, it is possible that a wholesale cancellation of names on the petitions may follow after they have been filed with the county clerk.

MIDDLESBORO, Ky., July 18.—Nearly 2,300 soldiers of the Kentucky National Guard pitched tent here today at the opening of their annual state encampment. The encampment will continue an entire week.

ANDERSON AND SMITH OFFERED

RECALL CANDIDATES NAMED AT SLIMLY ATTENDED PRECINCT MEETING

Ed Olds, as Chairman, Dislikes to See "Strangers" Present and Adjourns Convention to Clear the Hall

BUT 18 DELEGATES COME TO VOTE

At the close of the nominations, the delegates named George Lantelle, William Gressenthwaite and H. W. Hagemann as financial committee; and H. S. Anderson, J. W. Smith, A. A. Allen, W. P. Kirchem, George Brown, P. W. Meredith, J. W. Reed and a Mr. Haines, of Oswego, as executive committee.

The meeting was not entirely harmonious. Ed Olds presided as chairman, and seemed impressed with the necessity of being unduly dignified. At other times he forgot this, as once when he rose to make a suggestion to the delegates, and ended his remarks by saying: "There, I've said something and now George C. can't say that I haven't said anything."

When candidates for county judge were being discussed, considerable rivalry between different sections of the county appeared. Many of the delegates stated that if one man or another were nominated residents of other parts of the county would not vote for him. This brought still other of the delegates to their feet with oratorical outbursts in favor of everybody supporting the nominee, regardless of community favoritism.

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Delegates looked around at the "strangers" and wanted to know how long it would be necessary to adjourn. The chairman looked at the strangers and figured that it would be about 20 minutes. The convention therefor adjourned. Immediately thereafter the "strangers" departed and then the convention reassembled, and selected its financial and executive committees. M. J. Brown acted as secretary of the convention, and later courteously gave out for publication the ticket and names of committees.

OMAHA, Neb., July 21.—Play in the fourth annual tournament for the clay court tennis championship of the United States began today on the courts of the Omaha Field Club.