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## It Will Require Most Learned Men to Solve Nation's Future Problems.

By GEORGE W. WICKERSHAM, Attorney General of the United States.

It is only by the labors, the thought and the criticism of men who have found the living law as it has been actually developed by the real transactions of men that our government may be governed and guided on safe and progressive lines and our jurisprudence DEVELOPED ALONG PATHS OF NATURAL, SOUND AND WHOLESOME GROWTH.

THE WISE SOLUTIONS OF SUCH QUESTIONS AS THESE CAN ONLY BE REACHED BY MEN WHO ARE ABLE TO DEAL WITH FACTS AND PRINCIPLES AS COMPARED WITH INFORMATION ACQUIRED AND MEMORY.

Contentment with mediocrity is one of the greatest dangers which confront successful democracy everywhere. The hope of averting it rests largely with men of SOUND LEGAL EDUCATION.

For this same contentment with mediocrity breeds an impatience with any sort of superiority, a desire to belittle all excellence, a READINESS TO IMPUTE WRONG MOTIVES TO ANYTHING NOT EASILY UNDERSTOOD, to accept calumny as truth without inquiry and a gradual lessening for advancement, as it is perceived that peace, which is often mistaken for happiness, is alone to be found by accepting contentedly a place in the undistinguished multitude.

### J. W. Morton Declines to Be Candidate

Editor Hood River News:—Some reference having been made to my candidacy for the office of county judge of Hood River county, a few plain statements may now be in order.

I have been a resident of the state of Oregon for 35 years, and a resident of Hood River Valley for more than 29 years. I have a property interest in Riverside Farm three miles west of town, and an equity in about 90 town lots in the city of Hood River. I represented Sherman and Wasco counties in the House in 1898 and 1899 as a Republican, during special and regular sessions of the Legislature. Several bills were introduced by me and some of them became laws and remain on the statute books to this day. One is for the protection of the beautiful silver gray squirrel, often seen in the Hood River Valley. Also a general curative act, and the horticultural law. I believe a public office is a public trust. Not only so, I think the laborer is worthy of his hire, and in this connection let me ask if you think the small sum of three hundred dollars a year is sufficient salary for the county judge of Hood

River county, in which is located the most famous and fertile valley in the world; where grow the finest apples and strawberries, superb almost beyond description; where orchards sell for \$2,000 an acre, and an assessed valuation in the county of ten or twelve million dollars. Would it not seem just a little awkward if, per chance, the county seat should be located at some interior point far from the business center of the county, and the county judge should be compelled to strike camp in a tent and, with frying pan ever ready, cook and prepare his own meals. It is not likely he would be able to travel by auto to any great extent, and it is quite certain he would have no extended use for the modern flying machine, backed by this princely sum.

In my business career, covering nearly 25 years, I have done considerable contracting, and found it wise to become familiar with the terms of the contract before entering into its performance, so I deem it proper to say in this connection that I do not feel that I could afford to give my time and energy necessary to meet the demands of said office for less than \$1500 per year. So I am not a candidate.—J. W. Morton

## WILL DEVELOP 2,700 ACRE TRACT

A. P. Walker of North Yakima, Wash., B. M. Satterfield of Pocatello, Idaho, J. C. Porter, V. C. Brock and Roy C. Brock of Hood River, Oregon, are the incorporators of the D. H. Sears Orchard Company, a company recently formed under the laws of the state of Washington, for the purpose of electing officers and further perfecting the organization.

The officers elected are J. C. Porter, president, A. P. Walker, vice-president, V. C. Brock, secretary and treasurer, and Roy C. Brock, business manager.

The company holds a tract of fine, undeveloped orchard land in The Little White Salmon valley in Skamania county, Washington, 7 miles from Hood River. The tract consists of 2,700 acres lying on the east side of The Little White Salmon river and practically controlling the river from its mouth to a point five miles north of the S. P. & S. Ry., making it easily accessible to the Columbia river.

Originally the tract was purchased by the Oregon Lumber Company from residents and homesteaders, for the timber on it. After being logged off it was sold to John Leland Henderson, of Hood River, and later to the Portland Railway Light and Power Company, who purchased it with the intention of utilizing the water power in the river. But upon their acquiring sufficient power for their operations in the Clackamas and other streams much nearer Portland, they deemed it advisable to dispose of their holdings in Little White Salmon Valley.

J. C. Porter is of the Sears & Porter Orchards, and was a pioneer of the apple industry in the Hood River Valley, having, with his father-in-law, D. H. Sears, now deceased, grown the first commercial orchard in the valley and shipped the first carload of apples from Hood River to New York City. A. P. Walker was for many years chief dispatcher of the Northern Pacific lines at Spokane, Wash., which position he resigned to develop his orchard property in the Yakima Valley. He is now one of the most successful orchardists in that section. V. C. Brock is assistant cashier of the First National Bank at Hood River, and treasurer of the county of Hood

River. B. M. Satterfield was closely associated, as an official, with the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. in the east for many years, later serving with the Oregon Short Line R. R. in the same capacity. Roy C. Brock has been associated with the Sears & Porter interests in Hood River for a number of years and for several years filled the position of business manager for fruit organizations in Southern Idaho, Washington and British Columbia, later becoming identified with the large apple exporting firm of Rae & Hatfield, New York City, as their North Pacific coast representative.

It is the purpose of the company to develop the tract into commercial orchards and sell them to the many, in a developed state. Temporarily, the officers of the company will be at Hood River.

### PUBLIC VOICE

Thinks Amendment Against Prohibition

Pine Grove, Aug. 9, 1910.—Editor News:—Dear Sir:—Referring to an article in a recent issue of the News concerning the association that is being formed to check whatever influences may be exercised in favor of state wide prohibition, allow me through your pages to express a belief that an effort is to be made through the proposed amendment, originating with the liquor interests, to nullify the present local option law, on a similar plan as on former occasions. The assurances that no liquor men are to be admitted to the association, and that third party prohibitionists are going to enter very largely in the situation, is misleading to the average voter.

The issue for a dry Oregon in 1910 is strictly a non partisan issue. All reform societies are uniting to overthrow the saloon domination in our beautiful state. As workers in this great movement, we feel that the corruption in our large cities, caused principally by the legalized saloon, increases not only immorality, but taxation, when it comes to a financial proposition. Every life is injured by the saloon; then why should prohibition retard the progress of the state? We know it will not. Maine, North Dakota and Kansas will tell you of their prosperity. Maine has more bank deposits than any other state in the Union.

Our boasted civilization amounts to very little when it is so easily dominated by a power which seeks (for money) to overthrow every valuable institution of our country.

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