

W. A. Bell, Candidate for Republican Nomination for District Attorney at Primary Election, April 19, 1912



Mr. Bell is a native of Oregon, forty years old, and has resided twenty-eight years in Wasco and Crook counties; eighteen years of active court practice before Judge W. L. Bradshaw; sixteen years of experience in the prosecuting of criminal cases as deputy under District Attorneys A. A. Jayne, Frank Mendes and Fred W. Wilson. Judge of Crook county—1904-1908. He has always been a diligent and fearless prosecutor, and believes in upholding and enforcing the law against friend or foe. He stands on his record of service and experience, and will be a competent and efficient District Attorney, and will not need to be educated to the duties of the office as a new beginner in the work.

COLLEGE MEN ENJOY CAFETERIA LUNCH

Members of the University Club and a few invited guests turned out to the number of about fifty Saturday to attend the first of the weekly cafeteria lunches at the Commercial Club. J. E. Montgomery, A. L. Crocker and Joe D. Thomson acted as chefs for the occasion and a tasty lunch was served, followed by a short smoker. Several selections furnished by Messrs Crocker, L. A. Henderson, Murray Kay and J. C. Sklaner were much enjoyed. President Frank Deem of the club then made a few remarks expressing his pleasure at the number who were in attendance and his hope that the weekly lunches might be continued. Dr. Beaumont spoke in a similar vein, heartily endorsing the idea. He also announced that he is making arrangements in Portland so that members of the University Club here will be extended the privileges of the Portland Commercial club while in that city.

E. H. Shepard spoke of the advantages to be enjoyed if a similar arrangement can be made with the University Club of Portland.

Dr. Watt referred to the fund which is being raised by small contributions for the purchase of the large picture of Mt. Hood, painted by Edward Hill and at present hung in the Commercial Club rooms. Truman Butler reminded those present that they have the privilege of inviting guests to the weekly lunches. R. W. Kelly, chairman of the entertainment committee, was called upon for a few remarks and responded briefly. A vote was asked on the question of whether the lunches should become a regular thing and the vote in favor was unanimous.

Those who registered and their respective colleges were as follows: Hugo E. Birkenr, Nebraska; George S. Reeder, Nebraska; Albert P. Reed, Minnesota; Dr. John W. Beaumont, Cornell; L. W. Hyde, Minnesota; E. L. Smith, Lombard College; Arthur McCreery, Yale; E. R. Miller, Cornell; Charles Hall, Minnesota; W. M. Thurston, Nebraska; J. N. Copeland, Minnesota; A. W. Peters, Cornell; E. R. Pooley, Harvard; E. O. Dietro, Westminster (Mo.); R. B. Bennett, Yale; E. H. Shepard, California; F. P. Friday, Wisconsin; A. J. Miller, M. S. U.; J. W. Waugh, Oberlin; E. D. Kanga, U. of M.; L. A. Henderson, University of Oregon; Chas. C. Lemmon, Armour Tech; C. D. Thompson, O. A. C.; W. H. Lawrence, Cornell; F. E. Deem, Illinois; "Buck" Kelly, "Vassar," Phillip H. Carrol, West Point; D. Currier, Jr.; H. de Reding, Ecole Centrale; J. E. Montgomery, Stanford; Claude Thompson, O. A. C.; A. B. and E. W. Cutler, Illinois.

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Editor News: The long distance farmers living in Hood River and paying taxes in Hood River county are all very much pleased to note the progress and publicity which is now coming to the Hood River Portland Road project. Especially is this so, I think, to those, like myself, who are interested at Hood River on the west side.

I have made two trips recently to Hood River and have been very much interested in inspecting from the train the piece of road which Multnomah county graded last year from Bridal Veil to Multnomah Falls. While this has not all received a rock surface, it appears to be well laid out and graded and with every appearance of being the foundation of a fine road in time. When you have the opportunity, will you try to get and publish some information on the following points:

What is the length of road necessary to connect the town of Hood River with the Multnomah line? (Ans. 2 1/2 miles.)

How many miles of road now exist along the proposed route? This all refers to the Hood River part. In other words, how many miles of road must be built to connect up the present disconnected stretches of road, now existing, to make the road continuous from Hood River to the Multnomah line? (Ans. 1 1/2 miles exist; 6 1/2 must be built.)

The Multnomah commissioner, Mr. Ligatner, now makes the claim (I hope it is not all for political effect) that this end can be put through in two years. With the assistance of the ten thousand dollars which S. Benson has given, do the Hood River people expect, from the present outlook, to be able to connect up their end in two years? (Ans. Yes, if a sufficient appropriation can be secured here next year, or if state aid is obtained.)

What is the distance from Cascade Locks to the Multnomah line and is there any road there, that is, west of the town of Cascade Locks? (Ans. Distance is 2 1/2 miles. Road is built for 1/2 of a mile.)

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- "A Few Pages from the Monstrous Book of Sin."
- "Old Never Fail."
- "Christ's Reply to Failures."
- "Honest Doubters and the Dissolution of Their Hindrances."
- "A Great Gulf Fixed."
- "Research and Candid Reflection Led to a Speedy Return."
- "The Other Fellow's Religion."
- "Why Were Israel's Lepers Not Healed?"
- "The Unstable Unable."
- "The Duty of the Strong Toward the Weak."
- "The Story of Jonah an Abiding Sign."

These personal observations should serve as an index to the stand that will be taken in this revival:

No truth is trivial.
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No man can name a trend of sin in Hood River that I will not try to smite.

Anyone is privileged to bring questions to these meetings.

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Hood River's orchards, loaded down with blossoms, will be seen in the theatres throughout this country and perhaps abroad through the medium of moving pictures, following arrangements which have been made between Secretary Scott of the Commercial Club and a moving picture firm of Portland. Informed that Hood River is to have a blossom festival next month when the blooms are at their best, the moving picture people expressed their desire to take a few reels showing the orchards, the attractive farm-houses, the strings of autos which will be seen on the roads at that time and the festival crowds. In order to do this to the best advantage they will be furnished with an automobile into which the moving picture machine will be loaded and as the machine passes along the blossom-scented roads the reels will be run off. The same company secured some fine views of Sears and Porter's orchard two years ago and intend to make the reels this year much more comprehensive.

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