

ALL CANDIDATES FIGHT POINDEXTER

Spokane Man Declared to Have No Logical Right to Aspire to Senatorship.

WILSON BUSY CAMPAIGNING

Plan Is to Formulate Principles of Republicanism so Strongly That Insurgent Cannot Subscribe.

East Side Already Has Jones.

SEATTLE, Wash., June 19.—(Special.)—On a solitary point the four senatorial candidates from Western Washington are being fought by Miles Poindexter, insurgent, of Spokane, should be eliminated. There are two grounds, one geographical and the other political. They contend that the East Side is not entitled to the Senator, because Senator Wesley Jones is resident there. North Yakima, and further they insist that Poindexter has no right to the Republican nomination, because he has renounced that.

There seems to be not the least sign of disagreement among John L. Wilson, John E. Humphries, Thomas Burke and James M. Ashton, that the platform to be adopted at the state convention which will name five candidates for the senate bench ought to define "Republicanism" in so marked a manner that Poindexter will not be able to subscribe to it. In Seattle there has been considerable discussion among the friends of the various candidates, covering an anti-convention plank satisfactory to all the regulars, but clearly repugnant to the insurgent. There is a sentiment also that senatorial politics should go no further than that with respect to the state convention—which it is urged, should be restricted to the nonpartisan duty of choosing candidates for judicial positions.

Mr. Gray Most Sanguine.

This is the position taken by L. H. Gray, president of the John L. Wilson Editorial Club, in reviewing the senatorial situation today. Mr. Gray touched on Senator Wilson's chances and strongly emphasized the propriety of keeping politics away from the senatorial field. The outlook for Senator Wilson, he said: "Hundreds of representative men are daily sending up promises of support for John L. Wilson, saying it is their firm opinion that Mr. Wilson is the logical candidate for the office of Senator, as he is fitted by training, experience and public service, and it is my opinion he is considered the most popular, the strongest and most desirable candidate that can be presented."

"It is encouraging to hear of the loyal, energetic work that Senator Wilson's former political enemies are now doing for him. His advice and opinion are sought by all classes, and the outlook is so encouraging that we wish the election might come off next week, for we have not the slightest doubt but that Senator Wilson will be elected to the primaries."

Pointdexter's Support Dwindling.

"In relation to Miles Poindexter's campaign it is my opinion his support is dwindling, for fair-minded people do not believe that Eastern Washington is not entitled to two Senators. This is one good reason why Miles Poindexter's support is absent from Western Washington. Senator Wilson, accompanied by Lucius G. McGuire, is in the southeast, while Judge Burke is spreading the week in the southeastern part of the state. Senator Wilson is concentrating his fire on Poindexter, and seems to consider his most dangerous opponent, while Judge Burke is most emphatically denying a report that he intends to withdraw."

The outlook for Ashton, the Pierce County candidate, was indicated by John A. Rea, of Tacoma, a regent of the State University, who was in Seattle during the week. Mr. Rea says there is harmony in Pierce and the southwest and that there is no reason to doubt the probability of a solid delegation from Pierce reinforced by an almost unanimous delegation from the Third Congressional District. In stating the Tacoma candidate's goods points Mr. Rea says:

"General Ashton has all the qualifications and none of the disqualifications of your King County candidate. He has never held office, but has always been in the limelight as the friend of the other fellow. He has been twice a delegate to the National Republican convention. He is of the Roosevelt school—which is not to his discredit. He might be called a "progressive regular," and is, I believe, on good terms with all the other candidates."

Frank Pierce, of Seattle, who has codified the laws of Washington and the Federal statutes, has announced his candidacy for Representative from the First District, subject to the Republican primary.

The King County Democratic Club announces meetings to be held in Evergreen Hall the first and third Fridays of each month. The organization of the party in city and county is being strengthened through luncheons each Saturday, at which speakers discuss political issues.

The warring factions of the Suffragettes are reported to have reached an agreement and to be formulating a plan to secure the passage of laws at the next Legislature. The women have been in turmoil ever since the convention in Seattle last year, when the Washington Political Equality League, under the leadership of Mrs. May Arkwright Hutton, of Spokane, seceded from the Washington Equal Suffrage Association, of which Mrs. Emma Smith DeVoe, of Seattle, is president. To that Mrs. Hutton and Mrs. DeVoe had been seen drinking tea together in Spokane, Mrs. Pearl Kennedy Hilbert, of Seattle, says: "We are acting in the same way. The suffrage is in control at Spokane. Yes, Mrs. Hutton and Mrs. DeVoe may become friends again. There is no reason why the two organizations should not work in harmony."

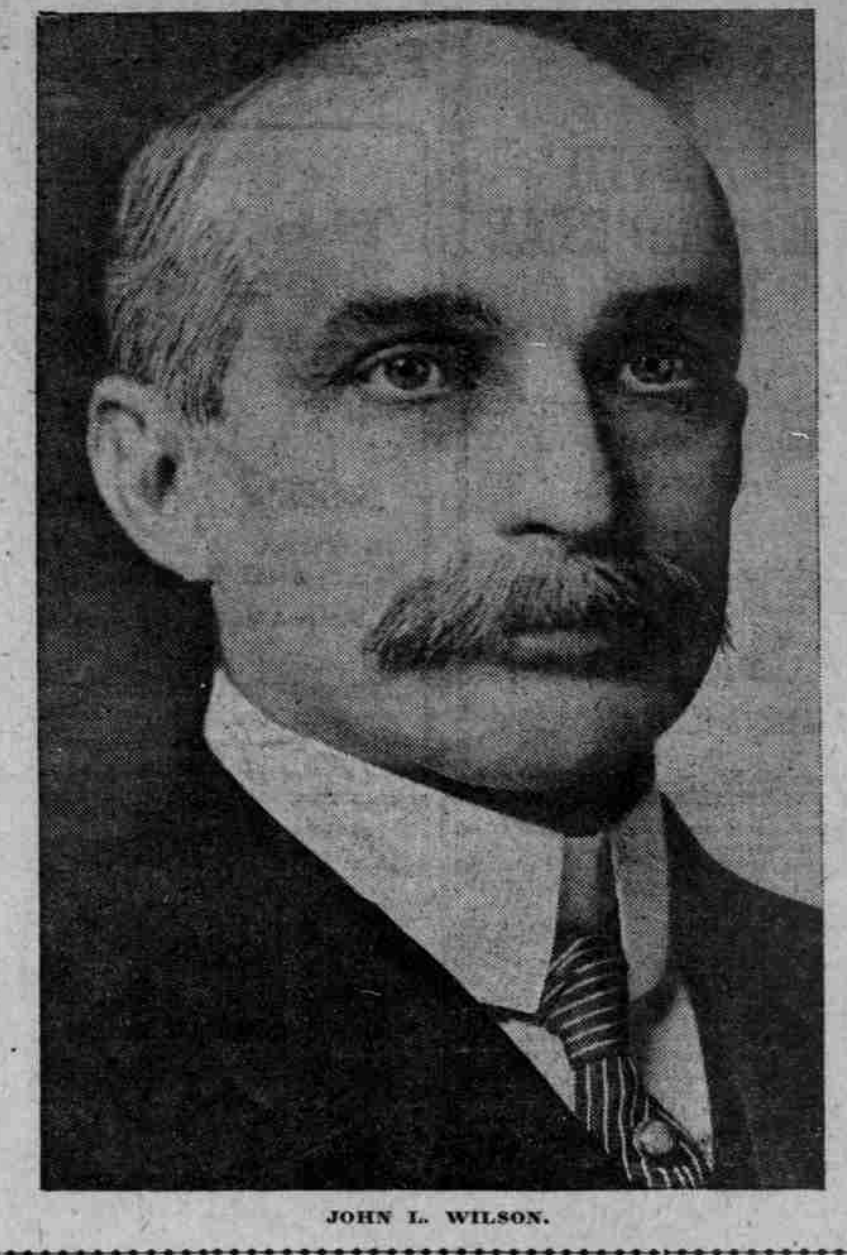
QUICK MAIL SERVICE DUE

Rural Carrier Needs Motorcycle, Is Belief of Patrons.

FOREST GROVE, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Because they believe that the carrier on their mail route is underpaid and that they desire a more efficient service, the patrons on R. F. No. 1, of this city, have started a fund to purchase Oliver Curtis, the carrier, a motorcycle.

If the carrier has a motorcycle it is said that the outgoing mail coming from his route would reach the Forest Grove office the same day and go on to Portland on the afternoon train. As it is now the mail remains in the local office over morning. Curtis has been carrier for more than seven years.

KING COUNTY MAN WHO IS BUSY CAMPAIGNING FOR UNITED STATES SENATORSHIP.



JOHN L. WILSON.

EACH HAS HIS GIFT

Dr. Dyott Preaches Scholarly Sermon at University.

MUSIC PROGRAMME FIRST

Baccalaureate Sunday of 34th Annual Commencement Week Productive of Strong Message to Graduates of U. of O.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Baccalaureate Sunday of the 34th annual commencement of the University of Oregon was attended by between 300 and 400 visiting alumni, and the large number of university people in the city filled old Villard Hall to the doors. Rev. Luther E. Dyott, D. D., of the First Congregational Church, of Portland, preached the baccalaureate sermon.

The services began this morning at 11 o'clock with a splendid musical programme by a specially drilled orchestra of 25 pieces, under the direction of Professor Irving M. Glen, dean of the university school of music. He was assisted by the University Choral Club, with 50 voices as a chorus. Miss Eye Stinson sang a soprano solo from Rossini's Stabat Mater.

Supreme Gift Emphasized.

Dr. Dyott took as his text two verses, one from Habakkuk, "There was the sifting of his power," and the other from First Timothy, "Neglect not the gifts which are given thee by God." He preached a powerful sermon on the need of developing natural powers. This idea was the keynote of his message and was repeatedly emphasized—that every one has one specific supreme gift, and whether it is in business, in trade, on a farm, or in a profession, it is his duty to make the most of it.

At the beginning of his sermon, Dr. Dyott took occasion to speak in flattering terms of the University of Oregon and the work it is doing for the people and for the state.

Tendency to Extremes Bad.

In the course of his remarks he also emphasized the need for God and religion, and denounced the agnostic, materialistic and other extreme tendencies of some modern people. All extremes, he said, were bad. Socialism, with a tendency toward anarchism, on the one hand, and abnormal capitalism on the other, each came in for its share of criticism, and even the well-meaning reformer, he said, was liable to become the iconoclast and do more harm than good.

"Man," said Dr. Dyott, "is naturally religious because he is religiously natured. It is not a luxury of another world, but a necessity of this world, and there is no real conflict between the making of a living and the making of life, between spirituality and reality. The graduate is prone to imagine that he is a materialist, but while the spiritual side is not everything, it should not be ignored."

Bent Should Be Followed.

"In every life," said Dr. Dyott, "there is a gift, a special gift, a supreme gift, not many gifts but one gift. If this supreme gift is not transmitted, the life is lost. If God has bestowed upon you the gift of making money, it would be a sin not to do it. You must, however, draw a line between money owning you and you owning money. Also, there must be danger when too much wealth is congested in a few hands."

man the body of an athlete, the mind of a sage and the soul of a Saviour."

Home Recommended to Women.

Dr. Dyott also spoke of the home as the highest profession and recommended it strongly to the university women. Today was the first day of commencement, which will close next Wednesday. Large numbers of visitors are arriving on every train, and the reunion of old students is expected to be the largest in the history of the varsity.

Tomorrow's programme will consist of a tennis tournament between students and alumni in the morning; the president's reception in the afternoon, and the faculty concert of the school of music in the evening.

The alumni representatives in the tennis tournament will be Charles M. Snow, of Portland, Northwest Intercollegiate champion two years ago; Paul Bond, of Eugene, and R. W. Prescott, of Baker City. The varsity will be represented by Ralph Newland and Harry Stine.

WATER LOST; FARMERS SUE

Burns Mill and Prominent Ranchers to Have Legal Battle.

BURNS, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Papers are in course of preparation in an action by property owners down the Silves River south of Burns against the Burns Flour Mills Company, claiming damages on account of the unlawful impounding of the water at the mill gates and the injury to crops. A few weeks ago the P. L. S. Company removed the gates from its dam farther up the river to let the water out so the dam could be repaired, and it is asserted the milling company was duly notified of the proceedings, but took no precautions to provide an open flow for the extra water thus sent down, and the great pressure swept out the mill gates and let the entire pond empty into the stream. The great rush also swept out the smaller dams down the river and the water was wasted.

Since the mill company repaired its dam the river below has gone to a very low stage and the farms which have depended on irrigation for successful crops are now facing a failure. The owners allege, it is understood, that so long as the mill retains its water supply through its own fault it has no right to impound it to the detriment of those below who have adjudicated water rights.

This suit will bring into conflict some of the most prominent and powerful men in Harney County.

CRESCENT IS BUSY TOWN

Railroad Work Is Being Pushed and Realty Is Active.

CRESCENT, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—Charles Johnson, a sub-contractor on the Oregon Trunk, is expected to arrive here soon with a large amount of equipment for clearing right of way and grading a part of the contract recently let to the Henry Construction Company, of Seattle. Twenty men are already clearing right of way out of Crescent north.

With the right of way men, graders and clearers here and people coming in to build and to buy property, Crescent is now a busy place. A hospital has been established for the treatment of the men of the railroad already clearing right of the Illinois Central, with headquarters at Dubuque, Iowa, has bought a large amount of property. He expects to build some business houses and to interest himself in the establishment of a telephone line from here to Fort Klamath at the end of the telephone line out of Klamath Falls.

Chief Engineer Hood made a trip of inspection over the proposed route last week. A road is now being built from Lake Odell to Hazel Dell. The Southern Pacific has secured permission from the United States to change its line through the forest reserve to run from these lakes to the Oregon Trunk at Crescent.

Silverton Man Asks Weighing Probe.

SALLEM, Or., June 19.—(Special.)—W. E. Loughmiller, of Silverton, Marion County, has written the Railroad Commission that he recently made a shipment of 10,000 common bricks, which were billed at 40,000 pounds, but which appear in the expense bill at 50,000 pounds. Mr. Loughmiller states that the bricks weigh four and one-eighth pounds each, but that the railroad is in the habit of estimating them at five pounds each. He desires information as to whether the company has the right to guess at the weight of merchandise in this manner.

2,000 Acres Oregon's Choicest Fruit Farms Now Opened and Placed on Sale June 24 to 27th, Inclusive

Special Rate of One and One-Third Fare From All Points for Round Trip Over O. R. & N. to Vale, then on the Willow River Branch of the Oregon Short Line to Jameson or BROGAN. An All-Rail Trip 17 Hours from Portland. Train Leaves Portland at 8 P. M.

This land is located in the famous Willow River Valley, Malheur County, and is under the irrigation ditch of Willow River Land & Irrigation Company. It is one of the most fertile spots in a state celebrated for the fertility of its soil. The land will be sold in tracts ranging in size from five to one hundred and sixty acres, all of which is situated within one mile from depot. Price, \$200 to \$300 per acre, including water payments to cover a period of ten years.

The climate is better than at Yakima or Hood River, and we firmly believe that the soil is superior to either of these localities. With industry failure is an impossibility and the largest and surest crops are a certainty.

On land adjoining these tracts apples, peaches and pears have been successfully raised during the past 25 years, the crop always being abundant and very best quality.

Forty families who have located in the valley during the past year have planted about 2000 acres. Hundreds of other families will locate here and become wealthy in a very short time, as in no other section of the state can equally as good land be purchased for twice the sum we ask.

Beautiful crops of apples, peaches, pears, apricots, plums, plums, almonds, walnuts and berries can be and have been raised in this favored valley, which only awaited the advent of the iron horse to make it the most productive land in Oregon. Get busy and secure some of it while the best awaits your selection.

AUCTION SALE OF LOTS IN THE NEW TOWN "BROGAN." ALSO ACRE TRACTS

The town of Brogan is an infant, only six months old, but it is one of the most lusty and energetic infants of its age in the United States. It already contains a bank with \$50,000.00 capital, a warehouse, large store building, two good hotels, electric lighting system and a \$10,000.00 school in course of construction.

Brogan is the center for hundreds of miles of the finest agricultural and horticultural lands in Oregon. Lots purchased now will advance in value with leaps and bounds, as Brogan is destined to be one of the largest inland cities in the Northwest.

DON'T MISS THIS

On June 24 to 27, inclusive, we will sell at auction to the highest bidders lots in the business and residence section of the city and acre to five-acre tracts adjoining the city. This is the opportunity that comes only once in a lifetime to make yourself independent for life on a small investment. Easy terms to those desiring it.

When you arrive at Vale the Oregon Fruit Farms Company will take you in charge. Secure your tickets at the O. R. & N. office, Third and Washington streets, and at all depots along the line.

Leave Portland Not Later Than 25th Inst., Sooner if Possible. Tickets Good for Return Trip Until June 30. YOU WON'T REGRET IT

BANQUET IS ORGANIZED

ATTENDANCE OF 1500 PIONEERS IS EXPECTED.

Donations of Further Food Supplies Are Requested—Committees Assigned to Work.

Details have been completed for the banquet to be given by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Oregon Pioneer Association to the members of the association next Wednesday at 4 P. M. at the Armory. Food supplies have been donated freely, yet there is a shortage of biscuit, cake, ham and tongue. All prospects are that more than 1500 will attend the banquet and the food supply must be large. All willing to donate biscuits and cakes have been asked to notify Miss Nannie E. Taylor, Home phone A 463, or Pacific phone 2587. Those willing to provide ham or tongue are requested to advise Mrs. John W. Minto, Pacific phone East 1459.

Resident pioneers and all who think of the members of the Oregon Pioneer Association are requested to call today and secure badges, in order to avoid a rush on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The banquet will be in charge of the following women:

- Table committees: Mrs. Benton Kilb, chairman; Mrs. D. P. Thompson, assistant.
- Table No. 1.—Miss Felling, Mrs. Elizabeth Hamlin, assistants; Miss May Felling, Mrs. H. C. Cabell, Mrs. M. Winch and Mrs. Henry Huffman.
- Table No. 2.—Mrs. Russell Sewall, Mrs. Fannie Kamm; assistants, Miss Ines Barrett, Mrs. M. M. Gillette, Miss Inez Moore, Mrs. W. F. McKinnon.
- Table No. 3.—Mrs. George H. Lamberson, Mrs. W. Gillette; assistants, Mrs. Grace Lamberson, Miss C. Lamberson, Miss Meuserdorter and Preston Gillette.
- Table No. 4.—Mrs. Julie McMillen Ordway, Mrs. E. W. Spencer; assistants, Mrs. E. C. Himes, Mrs. Martie Moffet, Mrs. Ella Brown and Mrs. W. L. Pratt.
- Table No. 5.—Mrs. L. W. Pratt, Mrs. C. George; assistants, Miss Gertrude Pratt, Mrs. Maud Upton Scott, Miss Jessie George and Mrs. H. G. Colton.
- Table No. 6.—Mrs. Milton W. Smith, Mrs. Grace Watt Ross; assistants, Miss Josephine Smith, Mrs. H. G. Colton, Mrs. Wait and Mrs. Jackson.
- Table No. 7.—Mrs. Frank M. Warren, Mrs. W. E. Robertson; assistants, Miss Frances Warren, Miss Grace Warren, Miss Nan Robertson and Miss Mary Robertson.
- Table No. 8.—Mrs. L. A. Lewis, Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd; assistants, Miss C. Planders, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. William Warren and Mrs. John E. Cronan.
- Table No. 9.—Mrs. F. L. Willis, Mrs. M. A. M. Ashley; assistants, Mrs. Maud Hughes, Miss Frances Jeffrey, Mrs. A. H. Morgan and Mrs. L. McKinnon.
- Table No. 10.—Mrs. H. H. Northrup, Mrs. Tyler Woodward; assistants, Miss Mal Hirsch, Mrs. Arthur Gay, Miss Edna Parrell and Mrs. Allison.
- Table No. 11.—Mrs. George H. Himes, Mrs. Edward E. McClure; assistants, Mrs. Harold G. Rice, Mrs. Margaret Himes, Mrs. W. D. Brown and Mrs. J. M. Himes.
- Table No. 12.—Mrs. A. Meier, Mrs. P. J. Mann; assistants, Mrs. Julius Meier, Mrs. Fred Seller, Miss Laura Northrup and Miss Louisa Rickett.
- Table No. 13.—Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. L. L. Patterson; assistants, Miss Blanche Catlin, Miss Mary A. Adair. (Two to be supplied.)
- Table No. 14.—Mrs. A. B. Croasman, Mrs. J. M. Mann; assistants, Mrs. Ben Gadeby and Mrs. L. G. Davison.
- Table No. 15.—Mrs. John Gill, Mrs. J. L. Hartman; assistants, Miss Ella Gill, Mrs. J. M. Mann and Miss Frances Gill and Miss Ethel Thompson.
- Table No. 16.—Mrs. James F. Felling, Mrs. A. M. Crane; assistants, Mrs. William M. Brewster, Miss Kate Felling, Mrs. W. M. Crane and Mrs. Edna Felling.
- Table No. 17.—Mrs. George W. Weidner, Mrs. John McCracken; assistants, Miss Charlotte Sherlock, Mrs. Weidner, Mrs. Hattie Pratt and Miss Hurley.
- Table No. 18.—Mrs. H. B. Nicholas, Miss Lavina Humason; assistants, Mrs. James Malarky, Mrs. I. C. Sandford, Miss Josephine Arnold. (One to be supplied.)
- Table No. 19.—Mrs. John Labbe, Mrs. Otto Metchan; assistants, Miss Clarissa

Wiley, Miss Annie Shelby. (Two to be supplied.)

Table No. 20.—Mrs. H. S. Gile, Miss Kate Holman; assistants, Miss Gile, Miss Crellin, Mrs. E. D. Chamberlin and Miss Lura March.

The chairman of the table committee requests the women in charge of the tables to report at the Armory Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock sharp to set and decorate their tables. It is also requested that their assistants be at the Armory at 1:30 o'clock sharp. In addition, the women in charge of each table are asked to provide the necessary salt, pepper and napkins.

The supply committees are as follows:

- Booth No. 1, bread, biscuit and cake—Miss Nannie E. Taylor, chairman; assistants, Mrs. A. Cremen, Mrs. R. Porter, Mrs. T. T. Struble, Mrs. M. L. Myrick, Mrs. B. Frank, Mrs. M. Pieschner, Mrs. D. W. Taylor, Mrs. Bruce L. Carr, Miss Hildegard
- Booth No. 2, meat, fish and salads—Mrs. John W. Minto, chairman; assistants, Mrs. Herbert Holman, Mrs. A. Pease, Mrs. J. W. Morrow, Mrs. A. D. Charlton, Miss Gusie Marshall, Mrs. Norman Pease, Mrs. B. Trenkman, Mrs. Berry, Mrs. L. M. Irwin, Mrs. G. L. Campbell, Miss Matlock, Miss Morrow, Mrs. E. H. Birdsell, Mrs. D. J. Malarkey, Mrs. C. W. Fulton.
- Booth No. 3, ice cream, milk, cream and butter—Chairman, Mrs. Albert Brown, and Mrs. Van Wessenhove.
- Booth No. 4.—Mrs. Lillie Parrish Moffet, Mrs. E. A. Breyman, Miss Jackson.
- Booth No. 5.—Miss Weldier, Miss Clara Teal, Mrs. J. A. Newell.
- Booth No. 6.—Mrs. Clara Watt Morton, Miss Anna M. King.
- Booth No. 7.—Mrs. E. Brown, Mrs. J. F. Alex Mayer.
- Reserve Tables—Mrs. Charles Holman, Mrs. William Grooms, Miss Caroline Holman, Miss Lida Struble.

At the meeting of the Washington Pioneer Association in Seattle on June 7-8 a cordial reception was given to George H. Himes as a delegate from the Oregon Association. At the same time an invitation from President Holman of the Oregon association was read, extending an invitation to the Washington pioneers to meet in the 38th annual reunion in this city on June 22. This invitation was accepted and Thomas W. Prosch, ex-president of the Washington association, was appointed a delegate, and Secretary Himes has received information that Mr. Prosch will be present and probably will be accompanied by his wife, formerly Miss McCarver, who is a native daughter of Oregon City.

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