

A LETTER TO THE COQUILLE VOTERS.

It is gratifying to me to know the Coquille Valley people appreciated the man who sees so clearly the great future of this county.

You may publish this statement both far and wide: Bandon and the Coquille Valley to Myrtle Point, is the backbone of Coos county, and Coos Bay is the heart and lungs. Myrtle Point some day will have one building, which will cost more for its construction than the whole townsite has cost to date.

As for Bandon, I have this to say: A seaport city of 25,000 will be on our map in a very few years. There is no Bandon man today who has so clear a conception of his city's future as I have.

As all things to be great in size and power, spread out fast, thus debilitating their strength, for concentrated action, Coos Bay city site is vast, and she has a number of controlling points, two of which can hold their grip a short time, but just long enough to confuse capital, and to be fatal to a small operator; in short, the changing of centers in Coos Bay will crush hundreds of men and blast the hopes of thousands of the small investors; but for the man of great foresight and heavy money power, Coos Bay's real estate is a hundred to one better than Bandon.

Many of our Coos Bay men would do better to sell out at once and go to Bandon. As one proof is worth 1,000 arguments, I will give you the proof of my assertion. Now, you must think carefully of what I say; do not idiotically yell hot air. My harshest criticism of the people of this country is their disposition to denounce any good expression which they do not understand as hot air.

It will be to your interest as well as mine that I get a good vote in your part of the country. My only pledge to you is that my conduct will always be consistent with the attitude expressed in this letter. Thanking you in advance for your earnest support, which will make me your next representative, I am sincerely yours, L. D. KINNEY.

A CARD. To the Republican voters of Coos County: I hereby announce myself as the regular Republican nominee for coroner of Coos County, subject to your approval, at the coming election, June 1, 1908. T. J. LEWIS.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR United States Land Office, Roseburg, Or., Apr. 27, 1908. Notice is hereby given that G. H. Plummer of Tacoma, county of Pierce, State of Washington, has filed in this office the application of the Northern Pacific Railway Company to select, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1898, as extended by Act of Congress approved May 17, 1900, the SE 1/4 of sec. 21, tp. 26 S., R. 10 W. Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 6th day of June, 1908. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

A LETTER TO THE LABORING MAN.

Fellow Citizens: Since the Republicans of Coos county so kindly nominated me, thus placing my name before the people as the Republican candidate for representative, I owe to them at least an effort to clear away any false impression which my opponents may give out.

As I have always believed the people should carefully and deliberately select their man, and tthnom H H select their man, and that no man should ever clamor for an office, I did not intend to say one word in my own behalf, that I might know the people of Coos county had in me just the man they wanted; I would then earnestly show them that they had made good use of their vote.

A strong effort is being made to impress the laboring man that I am his enemy. There is nothing more false against me than this statement. Not only false, but it is a shame to so abuse me. I can prove that I would have been a millionaire many times over had I turned down labor in favor of capital.

The hardships of my life have come from my generosity toward my employees. Some on Coos Bay know the truth of this statement.

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I need not say much more, as I know the labor vote is not looking for anything but a square deal. They know the man who has the ability to help their country in spite of all said and done against him.

As ninety-five per cent of the world's artificial wealth is labor, the man who works against it is a degenerate. Since my name is before you, I believe you will show to me your appreciation of the good work I have done for Coos county, thus strengthening my hand to do better and more effective work in the future. Yours most earnestly, L. D. KINNEY.

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