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HOW TO VOTE ON PROPOSED LAWS.

The people of Oregon, having assumed the power of initiating and passing their own laws, are bound by the unescapable and correlative obligation to see to it that those laws are duly considered, weighed and disposed of at the polls.

There are several grave, and many important issues involved in the list and it is worth every man's while to study them closely and vote with the grace of good citizenship for, or against them.

Amendment increasing compensation of members of the legislature to \$400 for a regular session and \$10 a day for special sessions.

At present they get \$5 a month for two years—\$120. If the state does not pay, the corporations will. Vote in favor of this.

Amendment permitting the location of state institutions away from the capital.

Vote yes on this. It is better that the state institutions be located in various parts of Oregon than all located in one city.

Amendment increasing the number of judges to five and extending the jurisdiction of circuit courts to probate work; also requiring provision by law for district attorneys, county courts, etc.

This should be enacted into law. Our present methods are crude and cumbersome. Vote for it.

Amendment changing the time of holding general elections from June to November.

This bill should be sustained. Let us have elections all come at the same time. This has proven convenient and satisfactory in other states. Vote yes.

Act giving sheriff custody of prisoners.

As we understand it, the sheriff has custody of prisoners at present and there is nothing to be gained by adding another law to the statute books. Kill it.

Amendment exempting dwelling-houses, tools, furniture, etc., from taxation.

Vote yes. A premium should be placed on progress and improvement instead of inaction.

Amendment giving voters the power to recall public officers.

Yes. The people should have the right to "fire" a hired man just the same as the individual. If an officer after election proves false to his trust or ignores his promises to the people they should have the right to discharge him. Vote yes on this bill by all means.

Act instructing members of legislature to vote for people's choice for senator.

Yes; what sense in having people nominate and elect senators and

their representatives overthrow their choice?

Amendment providing for proportionate representation.

Sound in principle and should be sustained.

Act limiting expenditures for political campaign purposes.

While against newspapers, this bill is aimed at political corruption and should pass.

Act for protection of salmon on the lower Columbia.

Act to protect salmon on the upper Columbia.

Bills representing local conflicting interests should be killed. These matters should be regulated by the people who are immediately interested in them.

Act requiring granting of free railroad passes to certain officials.

This act is pernicious in practice and principle. Men who are elected to serve the people should be paid a good salary and then pay their way the same as others. The people should kill it unanimously.

An act appropriating \$100,000 for armories.

Cities and counties can now assist in maintaining armories and state aid is superfluous. Kill it.

Act increasing the University of Oregon appropriation to \$125,000 per annum.

This is one of the most important proposed enactments before the people. It is vital to civilization and progress that our educational institutions be sustained. The increase in tax is insignificant and the appropriation is necessary. Coos county should show where it stands on this matter by rolling up a big majority for the amendment. Don't overlook this amendment. Vote yes.

Equal suffrage amendment.

This is entirely a matter of individual preference. The ladies, God bless 'em, are entitled to anything they want. If they want to vote, let 'em.

Amendment giving cities exclusive control of liquor selling, gambling, etc.

It is dangerous to make the power of a small part of the state greater than the state itself. Kill it.

Amendment limiting the power of district attorney to file indictment.

This is the amendment to restore the old-fashioned grand jury. It should receive an unanimous support.

Act for creation of Hood River county.

Oregon needs new counties as fast as they can be organized and Hood River county should be created. Vote yes.

"OUR NEXT SENATOR."

Under the above heading the Gold Beach Globe prints the following in reference to W. C. Chase, Republican candidate for joint senator:

"In an interview with him we asked him if there were any special matters for legislation which he had in view. He said there were several and named the following:

"He favors changing the Registration law so that when a voter has once registered he need not do so again unless he changes his residence or his party affiliation. Our present law is an outrage—an act of legal tyranny, and because of its biennial annoyance thousands of men will neither register nor vote.

"If the people will signify their approval of the measure, by letter or otherwise, he will favor the creating of a new Agricultural Fair District to embrace Coos and Curry because their interests are identical and in many ways differ from those on the east side of the coast mountains, for which reason our people will never extensively patronize a fair in the sultry interior. But a fair on the breezy coast in the hot season, would attract thousands of people for self-evident reasons.

"Another matter of direct importance to all our voters will be pushed if Mr. Chase is elected (and he will be) and that is to enact a law that when school money is apportioned to a district it shall remain with the district to be subsequently used for schools in that district and for no other purpose, and shall not be turned back to the treasurer to be re-apportioned as at present.

"The foregoing shows our voters that Mr. Chase is in favor of laws that will help them and help our senatorial district. They are not of a selfish kind, and he assures us that he has no personal interests to serve, nor will he be the tool for any man or corporation that have such interests."

MRS. WILMOT'S FATHER DIES

Avinzo Lombard, Civil War Veteran, Succumbs in North Bend.

Avinzo Lombard, a veteran of the Civil War, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Wilmot in North Bend after a long illness of a complication of diseases due to his advanced age. The funeral was held this afternoon, the Rev. Burkhardt having charge, and interment being in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Marshfield.

Mr. Lombard came from the East to North Bend about two months ago to make his home with his daughter. Soon after his arrival, he was taken ill. He was seventy-four years old and a native of New York. He served as a corporal in Company F, 47th Wisconsin Infantry, in the Civil War. In addition to the daughter, three sons, Homer, Frank and George survive.

Other Funerals.

Saturday afternoon, the funeral of the late W. T. Cook will be held from the North Bend Undertaking parlors. Mr. Cook, who was a liquor dealer at North Bend, died several days ago, but the burial was deferred in hopes that relatives might be communicated with. The Rev. D. W. Thurston will officiate and burial will be in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Marshfield.

FINAL RALLY ON SATURDAY

Local Option Workers Will Hold Big Meeting at I. O. O. F. Hall Tomorrow Night.

Plans have been completed for the final rally of the local option campaign which will be held at the I. O. O. F. Hall Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. An effort will be made to get out all of the voters in Marshfield in order that the workers in behalf of local option will have an opportunity to explain their views.

The Rev. D. W. Thurston, secretary of the Ministers' Union today issued the program which is as follows:

- Chairman—I. S. Smith. Music—Choir. Prayer, R. G. Summerlin. Solo—J. E. Burkhardt. Address—A. H. Eddy. Music—Choir. Address—W. R. F. Browne. Music—Choir. Address—Geo. Roach. Solo—J. LeRoy Smith. Address—D. W. Thurston. Song, America.

POLITICAL ADVERTISING.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS. To the Voters of Coos and Curry Counties:

As a candidate for joint senator, I have been asked to make a public statement.

Of myself personally, I shall say nothing as I have lived in Coos county for the past fourteen years, and during that time have actively engaged in many occupations and enterprises, including coal mining, logging, road building and general contracting, so that I have come in contact with most of the active elements in the county development, and my character, dealings and reputation are well known to many and easily ascertained by all. As to my general qualifications for the office, I leave the public to judge, but that there may be no misunderstanding of my position, I make this public announcement that I have signed Statement No. 1, and if elected shall vote for the people's choice for United States senator.

My experience and acquaintance with local conditions should enable me to properly represent the district, and I therefore feel justified in asking your support.

HUGH McLAIN.

MARSHFIELD SCHOOL NEWS

Monday, June 1st is a legal holiday and there will be no school.

All grades have been busily reviewing for coming final examinations which begin next Wednesday.

Miss Lyon and Miss Sebolt will attend the summer session of the San Jose Normal school in California.

The High School finished their regular work on Thursday and have commenced the monthly written reviews.

A girl of the Freshman Class of the High School, was heard to ask the grocer for "galvanized" sugar, not long ago.

The boys and girls of the Second Grade have decorated their school-room with flags in commemoration of Memorial Day.

The State Teachers Association will meet in Eugene, June 25. It is not yet known whether any of the Marshfield teachers will attend.

Mr. Golden has been asked to appear on the program at the State Teacher's Association. If he speaks it will be on the Interscholastic Debating League.

The garden beds in front of the school house have been weeded and new fences placed in front of them, greatly adding to the good appearance of the grounds.

No Memorial Day program was given at the school house as preparations for closing day and examinations are occupying the time of the pupils and teachers.

Mrs. Dungee will leave for Jacksonville, Oregon, as soon as school is out. She will attend Commencement Exercises at the Ashland State Normal School on her way home.

The two divisions of the Eighth Grade held an impromptu debate on Wednesday afternoon. Ed Weider, Clifford Doane and Fred McCormac were judges. The 'A' division won.

The Class prophecy of the Eighth Grade this year is said to be very original, and many surprises are expected. Florence Aiken is the prophet. Will Horton will be the salutarian and Uma Marsh valedictorian of the class?

The Class party of the Seventh and Eighth Grades was most successful. The skating rink was engaged for the evening and skating and dancing were enjoyed by those who attended. Mrs. Wilbur, Miss Lyon and Miss Bennett were chaperones. Refreshments were served.

The High School will go to Charleston Bay for a picnic on Monday, June 1st. The picnic is in honor of the debating team composed of Miss Ruth Smith, Miss Marjorie Cowan and Mr. Eric Bolt. The chaperones will be Mr. and Mrs. Golden, Mrs. John Merchant, who accompanied the debating team to Roseburg last winter, and Miss Tiffany.

The Alumni of the Marshfield High School met in the Assembly room of the school house Monday evening for their annual election. The officers for the coming term are: President, Miss Mamie Mahoney; vice-president, Sam Marsden; secretary Miss Evelyn Anderson; treasurer, Jim Cowan. No banquet will be held this year but the annual promenade will take place during closing week.

The following children of the Third Grade 'B' received 100 per cent in every subject of the monthly test:

- Helen Dow, Edwin Hongell, Marjorie Berg, Myrtle Issacson, Cecelia Post, Nettie Sneddon, Hattie Rehfeld, Jack Merchant.

The following boys and girls of the Second Grade made over 90 per cent in the monthly spelling test:

- Susie Payne 104, Ernest Drews 104, Helen Rees 104, George Kemp 98, Lizzie Erickson 94, Arthur Christensen 93, Joe Milner 90, James Marsden 91, Leona Post 102, Mabel Lingo 100, Arthur Whereat 95

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