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Dedicated to the service of the people, that no good cause shall lack a champion, and that evil shall not thrive unopposed.

LAW OR ANARCHY?

IN THE direct primary law which was enacted by the people of Oregon it is provided that political nominations shall be made in open primary elections.

Every such political party shall nominate all its candidates for office under the provisions of this law and not in any other manner, and it shall not be allowed to nominate any candidate in the manner provided by section 2791.

Section 2791 of the old law was the section relating to political conventions. Therefore it will be seen that the direct primary law places a distinct ban upon the convention system.

But regardless of all this Mr. Bowerman sought and secured a nomination from the Portland Assembly, which was nothing more or less than an old time convention, held in defiance of the spirit and the letter of the direct primary law.

The question at this time is are the Republicans of Oregon going to stand for this brand of anarchy? Are they going to give the gubernatorial nomination to Bowerman, the candidate of the assemblyites, or will they vote in the primary election for Judge Grant B. Dimick, who in this campaign stands openly as the champion of the direct primary law.

"AS MAINE GOES?"

AS MAINE goes, so goes the country.

This has been one of the treasured political aphorisms of the land for generations, and never was it quite so significant as in the light of the news from there the other day.

It does not look good. It has a prophetic twang to it that is anything but agreeable to the Republican sentiment of the country.

There is not a State in the Union but is torn with turmoil over the political situation as it bears upon the standards of commerce, industry and individual freedom.

I have been a resident of Coos county since 1893, and am willing to be judged by my past record as a citizen.

Yours for the improvement of Coos county. E. E. OAKES. Bandon, Ore., Sept. 12th, 1910. (Paid Advertisement.)

to put its best men and pleases before the dissatisfied electorate on the chance of success; and to this will be added the further and greater scheme of relief inherent in the defections within the Republican hosts.

There must be sound and appreciable purging of policies within the dominant party if it is to be saved to the people of 1912.

COLONEL E. HOFER.

(From the Oregon City Enterprise.)

Ernest Hofer, of Salem, is a candidate for Governor. He is trying to wrest the nomination from Hon. Grant B. Dimick, of Clackamas county.

In his declaration he says he is opposed to extravagant appropriations as well as the creation of additional berths for salaried officers, boards and commissions.

He declares he desires to have the following written after his name on the ballot: "Republican who indorses the primary law and strict economy in public affairs."

The people appreciate the stand that Judge Dimick has taken for progressive policies in our state affairs, and he is to-day before the people on a clean and outspoken platform.

He has had a great deal of training and equipment for the office of Governor, and besides he is a native son of Oregon.

SECURED GOOD FRONTAGE.

Member of Port Commission Comments Upon Purchase.

One of the members of the Port Commission, in speaking of the purchase of the water front for dock purposes calls attention to the fact that the city of Portland is now trying to buy public docks and finds that it will be necessary to spend half a million dollars to do it.

The property which was purchased by the port was the only tract of land with extensive frontage that could be procured on this side of the bay.

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CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the will of the Republican voters of Coos county at the primary election on Sept. 24th, 1910.

I have been a resident of Coos county since 1893, and am willing to be judged by my past record as a citizen.

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TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF COOS COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate to succeed myself, for the office of County Surveyor, subject to the will of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held on September 24, 1910.

I have been a resident of Coos since a boy, and have followed surveying and engineering the past seven years, and am therefore familiar with every section of the county.

Yours for better roads and a square deal to all sections. A. N. GOULD, Present County Surveyor. (Paid Advertisement.)

H. G. HOY'S STATEMENT TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS.

I am a Republican. I am a candidate for nomination as County Judge.

I am an attorney and am competent and qualified to perform the duties of the office I seek.

If elected I will maintain an office or weekly office days at the county seat; will insist on a fair and equal assessment of taxes upon all property within the county, including standing timber, whereby the general rate of taxation will be reduced while the revenue will be increased; will give you a careful, honest business administration.

Look for my name on your Republican ballot.

H. G. HOY: "GOOD ROADS; COUNTY SEAT OFFICE; NO PARTNER; NO FAVORITES; THE SQUARE DEAL." (Advertisement paid for by H. G. Hoy.)

NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Finance Committee of the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon, at the office of the City Recorder of said City of Marshfield, in the City Hall of said City, until 4 o'clock P. M. of TUESDAY, the 27th day of September, 1910, for the purchase of street improvement bonds to the amount of \$15,955.27.

All of said improvement bonds to be in denominations not exceeding \$500 and bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum from date thereof, payable semi-annually; said bonds to be dated the day of issuance and to mature in ten years thereafter, with prepayment option thereon at face value and accrued interest to date of any semi-annual coupon interest period at, or after, one year from the date of said bonds, upon giving notice by publication in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Coos county, Oregon, such notice to be published not less than twice during the month preceding such semi-annual period at which such prepayment thereof will be made.

Assessed valuation of said City of Marshfield, Oregon, is \$1,791,549.

Bonded indebtedness is \$54,000. Population—Estimated at 5,000.

A certified check for 5 per centum of amount of bid, or proposal must accompany each bid to be forfeited to said City of Marshfield in case bid is accepted and bidder fails to accept and make payment for said bond or bonds, covered thereby, within ten days from date of acceptance of said bid or bids.

Each bid or proposal submitted to designate the denominations of said bond or bonds desired.

Bids or proposals received for any amount of said bonds; small bidders being given preference of purchase.

Proposals, or bids, with certified checks, to be enclosed in sealed plain envelopes without distinguishing marks or writing thereon, except the words "Bids for Improvement Bonds of the City of Marshfield, Oregon." Dated this 9th day of September, 1910.

P. HENNESSEY, A. H. POWERS, CARL ALBRECHT, Finance Committee of Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Oregon.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRE! A book of Sermons by DAN SHANNON. Price, Fifty Cents. Address Visalia, Calif.

PEIRCE MAKES STRONG PLEA

CANDIDATE FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE FROM COOS AND CURRY COUNTIES WRITES AN OPEN LETTER TO VOTERS.

PORT ORFORD, Ore., Sept. 6. TO THE VOTERS OF COOS AND CURRY COUNTIES:

Being an aspirant for the nomination for Representative from this district, I consider that the voters are entitled to know how I stand on the following questions:

I believe firmly in the Direct Primary Law, and have come before the voters as a "Direct Primary candidate." Two of my opponents, Mr. Hume and Mr. Farrin, are advocates of the "Assembly Plan."

Sec. 2776, page 80, Subdivision 7 Election Laws of Oregon, reads in part as follows: "A person shall not be considered or held, to have gained a residence in any county of this State in which he shall come for temporary purposes only."

Subdivision 5, same section, reads: "The place where a married man's family reside shall be considered and held to be his residence."

Regarding Mr. Hume's standing on the Initiative and Referendum, a perusal of his article, regarding the proposed attempt to close Rogue River to commercial fishing, which appeared in the Oregonian and was quite extensively copied by the local press, will show his contempt for the people's ability to pass on any subject.

I am a farmer and laborer and by reason thereof will naturally, if elected, work against any legislation that may be detrimental to the welfare of the producing class throughout the State.

At no time since Mr. Hume has had charge of his uncle's estate in Curry county has he mingled socially with the people of the county.

My candidacy was requested by some of my friends, in this Representative district, while by Mr. Hume's own admission he was requested to become a candidate by parties in Portland, Judge M. C. George I remember being one of the parties he named.

In closing I wish to say that I believe in the Income Tax Amendment as proposed, and that I do not desire to sit astride the fence on any subject. I ask no favors at the hands of any organization, requiring only a fair deal and an equal show, and I go down at the polls, not believing in the principle of "rule or ruin," hereby promise to do all in my power to secure the election of my successful opponent. Very respectfully, S. P. PIERCE. (Paid Advertisement.)

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MULKEY IS COMING MAN

DIRECT PRIMARY CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS IS DEVELOPING A STRONG FOLLOWING IN ALL SECTIONS OF DISTRICT.

Mr. Mulkey is the direct primary candidate, is opposed to Cannon and "Cannonism," and believes in direct election of United States Senators. He recognizes the importance of Coos Bay as a harbor, and he recognizes that the commercial disentanglement of all Western Oregon is ultimately to come through the Coos Bay gateway.



B. F. MULKEY.

Candidate For Congress, Primary Election, September 24th.

depriving them of what they require and what they ask for.

Mr. Mulkey will be remembered as having delivered addresses at the Farmers' and Shippers' Congress held here four years ago.

Mr. Mulkey does not wish to be elected to Congress under cover, but he wants everybody to know just how he stands. He has repeatedly invited Congressman Hawley to debate the issues with him, and Mr. Hawley has as often declined.

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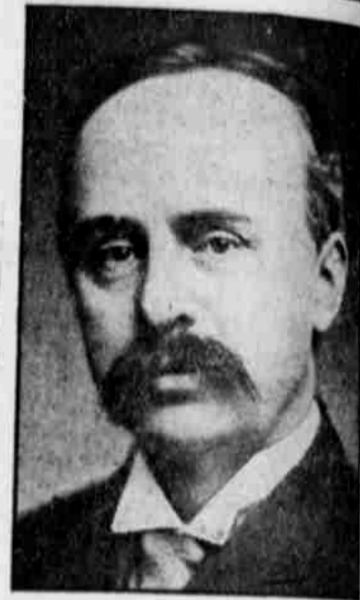
highest and best in American hood and citizenship.

Mr. Mulkey will visit Coos Bay a few days, and will wish to meet all people of this section in public and get well acquainted with them, learning all that is possible of their wishes and needs. Due announcements will be made of his coming. (Paid Advertisement.)

NOTICE.

To the Republican Voters of Coos and Curry counties: I have decided to become a candidate for nomination at the Primary Nominating Election for Joint Representative for Coos and Curry counties and shall submit my name to the Republican voters for nomination under the primary nominating election laws.

HERBERT HUME. (Paid Advertisement.)



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