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OPPORTUNITY.

HE WAS a fan discouraged. He had made a mistake, failed on opportunity's call, chosen wrong instead of right, and the darkness and unhappiness of that bad day seemed to begloom his whole future. He felt as though a seal of wretched failure had been fixed upon all his days and he was ready to quit, let himself drift, and take the quick, easy way down to destruction. Was there anywhere a hopeful, helpful message for him; and for the many others like him? Yes, everywhere! In the lives of other men about him who rose after they fell; in the dawn of every new day; in the coming of sunshine after cloudy gloom; in the whole scheme of nature with its never ending renewal of life. Of course we have the pessimistic philosophy so beautifully expressed by John J. Ingalls in his "Opportunity."

I knock unbidden once at every gate If sleeping, wake; is feasting, rise before I turn away.

Those were the words he attributed to this "master of human destinies," and then he added:

Those who doubt or hesitate Condemned to failure, penury and woe. Seek me in vain and uselessly implore.

I answer not and I return no more.

But, as has been said, there is nowhere else in the English language an equal number of beautiful lines which contain more unmitigated nonsense than these lines of Ingalls'. Opportunity comes not one day only, but every day. With each day's new tasks and responsibilities, large or small, a new chance is opened to every man. "Uncle" Henry Wallace of Iowa, who at 41 years had ample reason to be discouraged as he was forced to give up a chosen life work in the ministry, because death threatened to claim him in a few short months, made of his misfortune an opportunity and found in it a way to the success that is his at 74 years. He has a message for the discouraged man who feels that he has lost his opportunity.

"Today is the day," he says. "Yesterday is past and gone; we can't do anything with it, so why worry about it? "Tomorrow is not yet here; we can't do anything with it, so why worry about tomorrow? "Today is here, pregnant with possibilities. Let it have the full measure of your thought and your effort and you may forget yesterday and cease your worry about tomorrow. Take thought only of today's work; do it well; live right today, and your yesterdays and tomorrows need give you no occasion for doubt."

Some years ago a southern man, Judge Walter Malone, made splendid reply to Ingalls in a poem full of inspiration and helpfulness and with a sound, sensible philosophy for every discouraged man. Not all of it can be given here, but only these words:

They do me wrong who say I come no more, When once I knock and fail to find you in; For every day I stand outside your door, And bid you wake, and rise to fight and win.

Dost thou behold thy lost youth all aghast, Dost reel from righteous retribution's blow? Then turn from blotted archives of the past And find the future's page as white as snow.

Art thou a mourner? Rouse thee from thy spell; Art thou a sinner? Sins may be forgiven. Each morning gives thee wings to fly from hell, Each night a star to guide thy feet to heaven.

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SYSTEM RADICALLY WRONG.

Division Should be Decided by Each County.

That the system now in vogue in Oregon is radically wrong for the division of counties, is the belief of the Astoria Budget, which in its issue of July 7, says that it should be left to the people of each county themselves to decide whether or not they want to create new counties. The Budget says:

"Among the legislative measures that are to be voted upon at the election next November is one to create Neamath county by taking portions of Lane and Douglas counties. This is a measure which is of course only of direct interest to the people residing in the districts affected, but under the provisions of the law, it is to be voted upon by the people of the entire state. Judging from matter that is being sent out by the commercial clubs of Lane and Douglas counties the great majority of the residents of those sections are opposed to the bill and the only ones there are who are favoring it are those who are endeavoring to create a real estate boom in what is to be the new county seat. That being the case, the one thing for electors who reside outside the affected districts, to do is vote against it. The fact of the matter is that the method now in vogue for the division of counties is altogether wrong. Such questions should be left entirely to the people whose homes are in the section directly concerned and whose interests are thus affected and not to the voters of the state at large, the majority of whom know or care absolutely nothing about the matter at issue. One grave danger of granting these petitions for divisions of counties by a vote of the people of the entire state is that some time the question may come closer to home. Some one, for instance, may want to get up a petition to divide our own county and under the existing law, the people of other sections of the state would determine the question by their votes. The safer way is to kill all measures of this kind that come up and thus nip all prospective petitions in the bud, at least until such time as tentative laws are amended so as to provide for what may be termed "local rule," by restricting the vote on these strictly local measures to the voters residing within the district concerned."

MR. VOTER.

Do you think it right to vote to create new counties and double their expenses. You can not know conditions in remote counties and should vote against all division and vote for the law allowing counties to settle their local matters among themselves.

Thanks for the Pool. (East Oregonian).

Above Gibbon the middle of the Umatilla river is to be the dividing line between Umatilla county and the proposed new county, which has not yet been christened. Under this arrangement the Wenaha Springs resort will be in the new county. All excepting the pool. Thanks for the pool.

NEW COUNTIES.

When alone in the election booth or November 8th, when scanning your ballot you will read substantially the following:

- A Bill to Create the County of Clarke 334 Yes. 335 X No.
A Bill to Create the County of Deschutes. 350 Yes. 351 X No.
A Bill to Annex a Portion of Clackamas County to Multnomah. 322 Yes. 323 X No.
A Bill to Annex a Portion of Washington County to Multnomah. 338 Yes. 339 X No.
A Bill to Create the County of Neamath. 316 Yes. 317 X No.
A Bill to Create Orchard County. 332 Yes. 333 X No.
A Bill to Create the County of Otis. 320 Yes. 321 X No.
A Bill to Create the County of Willama. 324 Yes. 325 X No.
A Bill for an Act providing for the Creation of New Counties, Towns, etc., and changing boundaries of existing counties, etc. 352 X Yes. 353 No.
You are asked to consider well the above measures and by voting "No" on all division measures, and "Yes" on the bill giving the counties full control of all local matters, you will be relieved of such duties at future elections. Your careful, conscientious consideration is asked. Respectfully, STATE ANTI-DIVISION COMMITTEE. (Paid advertisement)

READ THE TIMES' WANT ADS.



WILL R. KING, Judge of the Supreme Court.

Candidate for Re-Election, Six-Year Term, Whose Place is Sought by Geo. H. Burnett, Assembly Nominee.

Judge Will R. King was born near Walla Walla, Washington, October 3, 1864, and removed to Oregon in the spring of 1871, since which time he has been a continuous resident of this state. His college education was acquired in the State Agricultural College, after which he graduated from a law school in Danville, Indiana. He commenced the practice of law in 1892, served six years in Oregon legislature, two years in the House and four in the Senate, once was recognized as one of the leading members of that body. He has served four years on the Supreme Bench, two years as commissioner, and two as associate justice, and is a candidate to succeed himself for the six year term. That his decisions rank high among the bar is evident from the fact that he is supported, along with the three other members of the Bench who are candidates (Judges Moore, McBride and Slater), by the Non-political Judiciary movement, which was authorized by the Oregon State Bar Association, and has for its object the complete removal of the Judiciary from political obligations and influences.

In referring to Judge King, the Oregon Daily Journal of Portland, a leading journal of the state, recently said: "One of the ablest jurists in Oregon is Supreme Justice Will R. King. He is known throughout the state as an independent thinker of profound powers of analysis. He has the reputation among laymen as well as the members of the bar of applying a great deal of common sense as well as broad intelligence in construing the law. Judge King is opposed by George H. Burnett, who was nominated by the Assembly, who accepted the nomination from the assembly and who stands on the platform of the Assembly."

George H. Burnett, the Republican Assembly nominee, seeks Judge King's place on political grounds. Against the custom of selecting the Supreme Court according to the politics of the candidates, the Non-Political Judiciary executive committee uses, among others, the following arguments:

A non-political supreme court means a supreme bench with no party debts to pay. The judges of the supreme court are strictly non-political; the supreme court, then should be on a non-political basis.

It is only political hacks that want to make the Bench a reward for political service.

No inquiry is made into the political opinions of a juror; the politics of a judge has just as little to do with his qualifications.

There is no good reason why good judges should be put off the bench on account of politics and other judges put on the bench in their stead on account of politics. Remember the four candidates recommended by the Non-Political Judiciary movement are Judges King, Slater, McBride and Moore, all present members of the Supreme Court. (Paid advertisement)

TO THE VOTERS OF COOS COUNTY

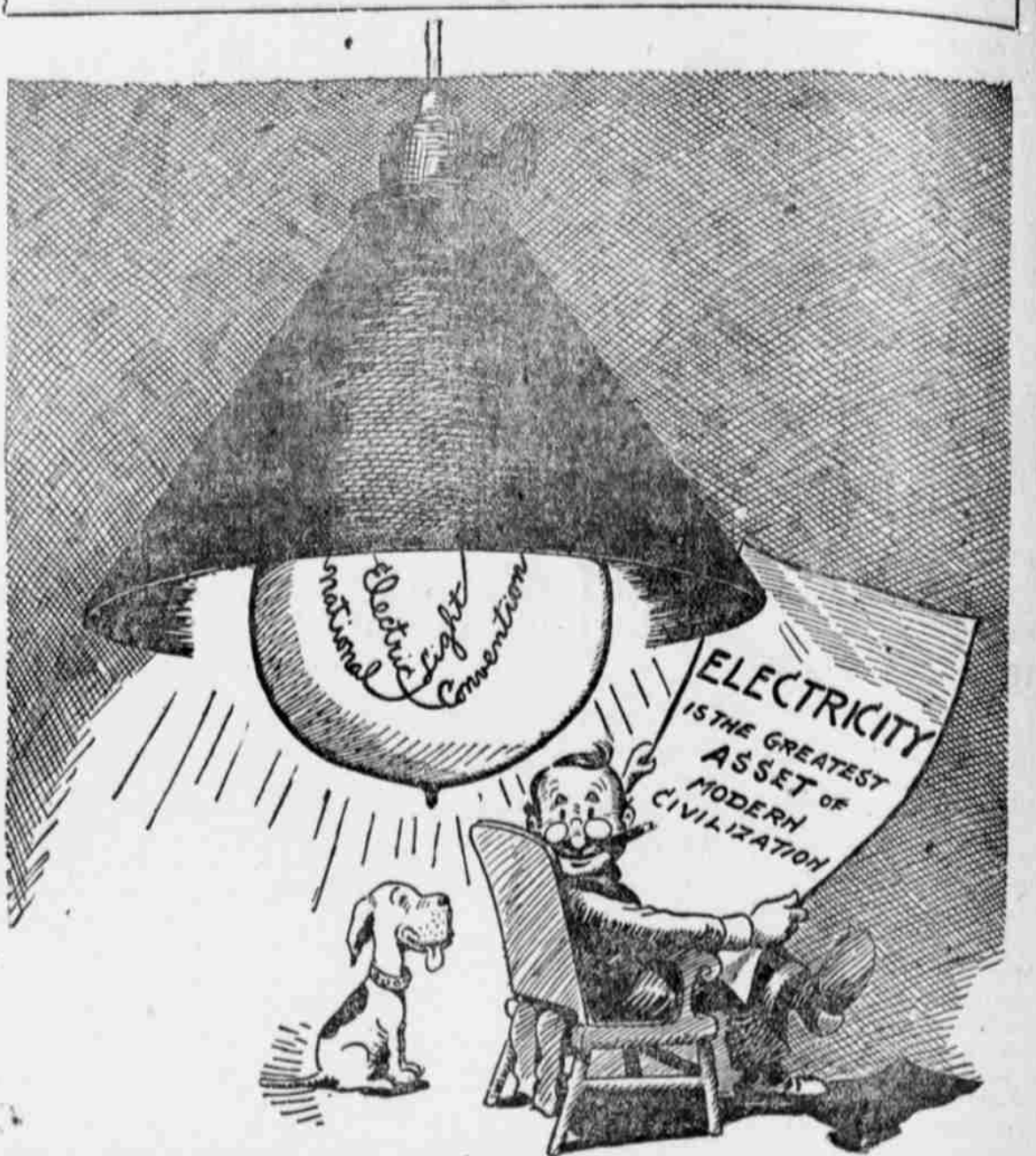
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