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# MAKES REPLY TO SEHLBREDE

C. I. REIGARD WRITES OPEN LETTER ON SENATORIAL CONTEST IN COOS AND CURRY COUNTIES.

C. A. Sehlbrede, Marshfield, Oregon.

My Dear Judge:

I note your letter to Hon. I. S. Smith, in which you strain yourself to take a slam at me. This makes it necessary, as an act of courtesy, to answer you.

Judge, what was the purpose of that letter? There is an atmosphere of mystery about it. The only purpose I can imagine was to make your position clear to this community. I conclude this from the fact that you referred to yourself, eighty-two times by the use of eighty-two or more personal pronouns. But, really Judge, you are taking yourself too seriously. You are on your mind too much. That referring to yourself eighty-two times proves it. You should get off from your mind. It appears to worry your mind exceedingly. Just why the worry does exist, I don't know, but it must be because the burden is too great or the mind too weak. I won't attempt to say which.

You class me as a "wet-nurse" also as "God Father" (note the caps); there, Judge, you are confused on sex. If the former shall be your choice then you should extend the chivalry becoming a Kentucky born Gentleman, if the latter, then you should extend the reverence due from all christians.

You say "Lay on McDuff." By this you of course desire to be placed in the place and assume the character of him to whom those words were imputed. They are the words spoken by the late lamented Macbeth, Judge, and at the time he spoke those words he was an assassin of the bloodiest sort. He had murdered Duncan, had employed assassins who had taken the life of Banquo. He had consulted the three witches and had committed murder and caused murder to attain an office; he was easily vanquished by McDuff, to whom he made his challenge. Judge, I protest against you putting yourself forward as the counterpart of such a character. You are a better man than the said Macbeth.

You say you are opposed to the recall of Judges, but characterize the prosecution of late J. H. Mitchell

as "persecution." If it was as you claim, then for such wicked "persecution" all the Judges responsible therefor should be recalled at once, if they were correct, those same Judges should have your most heart endorsement. Rather recall than cussing decisions.

You say "I'm the same kind of old school republican as four years ago," and in the very next breath you "most humbly apologize to the good people of Marshfield, for all I said, and did then." Yes, you are now apologizing for what you did four years ago and that means you were wrong then, and you say you are now the same as you were then. Of course four years from now you will be apologizing for what you are now doing, providing you are correct in the estimate of yourself at this time, and I am inclined not to disagree with you on that proposition.

Oh, that satisfactory "recently from Iowa and Minnesota." That is for effect, but Judge, I was not too "recent" two years ago when I wrote hundreds of letters addressed all over the district to aid Mr. F. K. Gettins, Assembly nominee, in his campaign for Water Commissioner, was I? Not too "recent" for those things from which you hoped directly or indirectly to derive benefit. No, not at all, and yet you know your friends "every day in the month, and every month in the year." It is noticeable, however, that you do not pluralize the word "year."

Let me tell you Judge, I aided Mr. Gettins, gladly, willingly and to the best of my ability two years ago and am not apologizing now for what I did then. I deemed him fully qualified for the position of Water Commissioner then and have the same opinion still, but there is a vast difference in the required qualifications of Water Commissioner and that of State Senator. I note with keen satisfaction, that for about thirty-five years you have been saving the country, at intervals of about three or four times a year, but, Judge, there are so many people in the country saving business, at this progressive age, that when some fellow comes around with a saved country in his vest pocket, it attracts less attention than it did when you and I were boys, and anyway, it is not generally known just how often you have performed that feat.

I will not refer to more of your letter Judge, but will state that I am supporting Hon. I. S. Smith for State Senator, why?

Because from letters received by me from persons who knew of the work Mr. Smith did, when in the Legislature of Oregon previously, I believe him to be fully qualified and competent for the place.

Because he represents real progressive republicanism.

Because he recognizes that the office of United States Senator is one to be filled by the choice of the people of the whole state, and not by a small fraction of them.

Because he is willing to permit the people to elect their own United States Senator from this state, and does not advocate a principle, which if adhered to, might make as many selections for United States Senator, as there are state senatorial districts, create a legislative tangle, and thus thwart the will of the people. Each state senatorial district can not choose its own United States Senator.

Because he is a successful business man, honest and upright in all his dealings.

Because he has enemies, which means that he has done things, worth while.

Because he is my choice, and because I insist on the right as an American citizen, and "recent" arrival, to exercise my right of suffrage without fear or favor of any man or set of men.

CHAS. I. REIGARD.

### FOR ASSESSOR

I will be a candidate for the republican nomination for the office of Assessor of Coos county, at the primary election to be held April 19th, 1912. I served as assessor of this county from 1895 to 1898, inclusive. My motto: "Justice to all." I respectfully solicit your support.

K. H. HANSEN, Myrtle Point, Or.

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# SHORT HISTORY OF THE W. C. T. U.

(Continued from page 6.)

C. T. U.: The Young People's and the Loyal Temperance Legion; or the "Y's" and the "L. T. L."

The National motto is: "For God and Home and Native Land."

There are six lines of work: Organizational; Preventative; Educational; Evangelistic; Social; Legal. Under these various heads are forty-four departments, each under charge of National superintendents.

The nation organs are the Union Signal and the Crusader Monthly.

The state paper is the White Ribbon Review. State president is Mrs. Unruh.

The first convention held in Oregon was in 1884, one year after organization and each succeeding year has one been held, the last at Medford, 1911.

The National Convention will meet in Portland in the fall, 1912.

Oregon's W. C. T. U motto: "Speak to the people that they go forward." ovehaiw7ra ctherhose;hndw

The department presented here tonight is only one of thirty, being advanced by the Oregon W. C. T. U. The first temperance contest of this kind ever held was in Bedford Street Methodist church in N. Y. City, May 9, 1886. The plan of awarding medals for proficiency in oratory was originated by Wm. Jennings Demorest, a wealthy prohibitionist.

In the course of three years the movement had spread from ocean to ocean; from the lakes to the gulf; into Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Australia, Honolulu, South Africa, China, Norway and Burma.

Up to September 1, 1895 Mr. Demorest had given away over 34,000 medals on recitations taken from his three pamphlets of prohibition consisting of poems and orations. In 1895 the Union organized a system of distinctly W. C. T. U. Medal Contests, getting out recitation books covering every department of their work, these now numbering 18 pamphlets covering the 44 department.

At the world's Convention held at Toronto, Canada, in 1897 nearly two years after the death of Mr. Demorest, the two systems were united, the work adopted as a department and Mrs. Demorest named as world's superintendent.

This position she held till her death in 1897, when her assistant, Mrs. Adella Carmen, our present national superintendent took her place. Now either Demorest or W. C. T. U. medals are given by the union and the holders of either may compete for the higher medals: first silver; second, gold; third, grand gold and fourth, diamond.

Mrs. Margaret Houston is state superintendent, and Mrs. Robert McCann of North Bend, Coos county president, is pushing the work here.

The silver medals known to be held in Coos county at present are twelve:

North Bend: Misses Naomi Smith, Grace Fulton and Esther Imhoff;

Marshfield: Misses Signa Holm, now studying at U. of C., Alpha Mausey, vocal music and Eric Bolt now at W. U., Salem.

Coquille: Vera Kelley;

Bandon: Katherine Chatburn.

These are all eligible for the second class or the gold medal. Mrs. Howard Savage of Marshfield holds a matron's silver medal and Mrs. Gosney of Marshfield, Mrs. Fish of Marshfield and Mrs. Hawkins of Coquille hold silver medals won some time ago. These are now eligible for the matron's gold medal class.

Contestants are marked on voice, articulation, gesture, (meaning all body expression) memory and general effect.

Columbia College of Expression, in Chicago allows to all holders of diamond medals 50 per cent discount on a year's tuition or \$75.00 cash value and to holders of grand gold, 25 per cent discount or \$37.50 cash value.

The nation contest superintendent is able to aid these medalists in securing scholarships or discounts in several institutions, providing she is consulted before any arrangements are made direct.

—Mrs. Geo. Watkins.

### FOR ASSESSOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the republican nomination for Assessor for Coos County at the primary to be held April 19, 1912.

(Paid adv.) GEO. E. PEOPLES

### FOR ASSESSOR

I hereby announce myself as republican candidate for assessor for Coos County before the primaries, April 19, 1911.

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Notice is hereby given that David Talbot, of Empire, Ore., who, on April 20, 1905, made timber application No. 0675, for W 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 33, Township 26 South,

Range 14 W. Willamette meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final timber and stone proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver United States Land Office, at Roseburg, Ore., on the 10th day of May, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: Franklin Elliott, of Empire, Ore.; Tom Talbot, of Empire, Ore.; William Gall, of Marshfield, Ore.; James Talbot, of Empire, Ore.

BENJAMIN F. JONES, Register.

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