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JUDGE CAREY SAYS TOO MUCH POLITICS

WISHES TO AVOID PROXIMITY OF ELECTION BEFORE TAKING UP MATTERS FOR PUBLIC TALKING AS CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Selection of Judge Carey to Be Mitchell's Official Mouthpiece in Oregon Appears to Please Republican Politicians, Who Believe the Action Operated to Strengthen That Faction in State Politics.

"I would rather talk of almost anything else," said Judge C. H. Carey this morning, when asked what he had to say concerning the plans for the handling of the county campaign for the Republican party. "Why should we disturb social and business relationships throughout so long a period and keep politics agitated during the interim between elections? Why not wait the approach of an election, and then, after looking carefully into the results attained by our officials, commend or condemn, according as the record is good or bad? We have too much politics," concluded the judge, "and the state and city would be better off were we to do as I have suggested."

Having been designated as the spokesman for Senator Mitchell, and being officially cited by the head of the dominant faction as the one toward whom his followers are to look for guidance, Judge Carey becomes the most potent political person in the state of Oregon at this time. Senator Mitchell's designation of authority to Judge Carey was so explicit and so unreserved that it cannot fail to invest the latter with immense power. To exercise this power and carry the concomitant responsibility is what causes Judge Carey to hesitate.

Details Are Irksome. Judge Carey is the chairman of the county and city central committee of the Republican party in Multnomah county, and as such will have the task of controlling the campaign to win this county for the Mitchell people. Inasmuch as Multnomah county will be the center of a storm that will rage all over Oregon for the control of the state government, Judge Carey has the most important and important task that cannot be overestimated. He is much the largest wielder of power in the state Republican party.

"It is the details of politics that make it irksome," continued Judge Carey. "One might not care so much merely to be a dilettante in the art of politics, but to have to devote constant attention to the smaller details and consume a major portion of the total time to matters that do not appeal to one as of consequence—this is not attractive."

"At any rate, this is not the time to talk about the coming campaign. I would rather wait until later. As a matter of fact, I could not talk intelligently concerning a subject that has not yet engaged my attention in a manner to furnish me with the facts upon which to predicate an utterance. Plans are not formed."

Suits All But Scott People. The act of Senator Mitchell in willing to Judge Carey his title of authority pleased the majority of Republicans, in the opinion of the majority. Judge Carey is personally popular and possesses a magnetism of a kind to win friends for a cause he may represent.

It is suspected that his selection will not suit the Scott people, and politicians are citing the history of the last campaign, when Mr. Scott prevented consummation of Judge Carey's friends' plans to nominate the judge for governor, a plan which Mr. Scott opposed, objecting because he himself was a candidate for the senate, and therefore did not wish to have another Multnomah county man on the state ticket.

COURT OVERRULES "GUS" THOMAS

PLATWRIGHT'S DECISION IN "ARIZONA" THAT A LETTER BECOMES U. S. MAIL THE MOMENT IT IS STAMPED, KNOCKED OUT BY CIRCUIT JUDGE SEARS.

Contention of Attorney for J. C. Carroll, Accused of Forgery, Is That Assistant District Attorney Spencer Is Guilty of Larceny in Taking the Prisoner's Letter to Secure Evidence of Handwriting Against Him.

When Augustus Thomas wrote his play "Arizona" he little thought that he would stir up a commotion in a state circuit court in a matter of United States mail. But he did. Five lines in his play stirred up trouble, and all of them hinged upon the question as to whether a letter becomes United States mail when a postage stamp is affixed to the envelope. In his play, Mr. Thomas holds that it is. State Circuit Judge Sears, who is trying the Carroll forgery case, Assistant United States District Attorney Mays and Postmaster Bancroft say that it is not.

"A letter," they say unanimously, "is not United States mail until it is deposited in the postoffice or in a mail box. Until then it is private property." John C. Carroll, a prisoner in the county jail, wrote a letter which was intercepted by Deputy District Attorney Spencer and held as evidence. Carroll believed that the state authorities had no right to take the letter, and engaged a lawyer to fight the case. B. S. Pague, the attorney, has no hope of winning except by bringing a suit in replevin or by prosecuting Mr. Spencer for larceny, but Carroll believes he will be the victor.

Talks of Arresting Spencer. "I might have Mr. Spencer, the deputy district attorney, arrested for larceny, and I might make other charges against him," said B. S. Pague, attorney for John C. Carroll, former in the state circuit court yesterday afternoon, in arguing the right of Attorney Spencer to take Carroll's letter for evidence against him.

In a few words Mr. Pague stated his case to Judge Sears. Carroll had written the letter and sent it to the jailer for mailing. Spencer dropped in, noticed the fine penmanship and asked the name of the writer.

"Carroll," answered Jailer Jackson. "Well, I'll take it and hold it for evidence," said Spencer.

"Plain Case of Larceny." "That," asserted Mr. Pague, "was a plain case of larceny. The prisoner was a ward of the law, and certainly has some redress. I thought it was more advisable to come before the court rather than begin a criminal prosecution."

"There has been no larceny committed," said Mr. Spencer. "I followed the old rule of taking the evidence of guilt from the person of a prisoner. That is not larceny. The police and the sheriff commit the act several times a day."

"I do not believe that you had any right to take the letter," said Judge Sears, "but I doubt the jurisdiction of this court in the matter. Still, it may



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The Missouri society will meet this evening in Auditorium hall on Third street, near Salmon. The Ohio society and its friends have been invited to be present.

The Missouri society was originally organized to receive Congressman Chas. Clark on the occasion of his visit to Portland last summer, and when Missouri's eloquent statesman had departed the society decided to perpetuate itself in Oregon history by continuing its organization and booming the Lewis and Clark Fair. W. D. Fenton is president and Oglesby Young secretary.

The exercises this evening will pertain chiefly to the fair. President Fenton will make a speech, and President W. M. Calk of the Ohio society will deliver an address. A musical program has been arranged and will be in charge of Miss Hell of Sellwood, assisted by Mrs. A. J. Fanno, Mrs. C. K. Sitton, Miss H. B. Monroe and Mrs. L. W. Kiggins.

NO CARRIERS FOR TWO SUBURBS

Postmaster Bancroft received a letter from the postmaster-general today, stating that University Park and Peninsula will have to go without a free delivery service from the Portland office. Both these suburbs are now served by independent offices.

Postmaster Bancroft asked that they be included in the city system, but the department thought the extension of the service would be too expensive, one of the objections being bad roads.

Woodlawn, which Mr. Bancroft also recommended to be placed in the city district, is not mentioned in the letter, and he believes that it has been included in the service. If it is, 12 additional carriers will be appointed—eight for Portland and one each for Fulton, Woodlawn and Mount Taber.

BOARD OF TRADE TONIGHT

Delegates to the national irrigation congress at Ogden will be appointed at the meeting of the board of trade tonight and a committee chosen to make arrangements for the entertainment of the National Livestock association, which will meet in this city next January.

TALES TALESMEN TOLD AS EXCUSE

Seven talesmen who had been summoned for jury duty were excused from service by State Circuit Judge Sears this morning. They were: Justin Strowbridge, Daniel Riemann, Maurice Goodman, W. R. Bishop, W. R. Ellis, Eugene S. Yenne and L. H. Parker.

The excuses offered by the seven ran all the way from sciatic rheumatism to family troubles. One venire-man was sick. Another was running a dairy, selling cows and could not leave his hired man in charge as the receipts might disappear. A third said he had all the troubles at home he could attend to, and he had no desire to try to settle the troubles of others.

The excuse of the seven leaves just 13 out of the special venire issued last Saturday. Nearly all these 13 will ask for excuses, and it is probable that another venire will have to be issued.

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RAIN GREAT BENEFIT TO THE POTATOES

Late Varieties Are Helped by the Harvest of the Spring Wheat Was Somewhat Delayed—Pick Green Hops.

(By Edward A. Beals, Forecast Official.)

The first five days of the week were warm and pleasant and excellent for harvesting wheat and hops. On Saturday the weather became showery and unsettled and light rains occurred in all parts of the state.

These rains were of great benefit to pastures and late potatoes, but they interfered with the harvest of spring wheat, and also caused an increase of vermin in the hop yards.

Spring wheat harvest is drawing to a close and threshing is progressing rapidly. The grain yields continue satisfactory, and the reports from nearly everywhere are that the quality is above average. Hop picking is being pushed as fast as possible; in fact, some correspondents say that the hops are being picked too green. But in general the crop is ripe, and it is believed will turn out to be a good one, although slightly smaller than that of last year.

The third crop of alfalfa is being harvested, with average yields. Stock is in good condition, and green and stubble feed is now plentiful. Sugar beets promise well, and late potatoes are doing splendidly.

Prunes are slowly maturing and the picking of this crop will become general in about two weeks. Apples are now being harvested, and the crop is expected to be a good one. Apples are doing fairly well.

MILWAUKIE BRISTLING UP.

The ancient town of Milwaukie, enthused with new blood, is now self and cleaning its streets. New sidewalks will soon be laid. The town council tomorrow night will take up the proposition of J. L. Johnson and others to supply Milwaukie with Midhorn Springs water if given a franchise for 30 years. Many of the councilmen are said to favor municipal ownership of waterworks, but if it is decided that the town should own the waterworks it will be necessary to amend the charter.

WEST VIRGINIA EDITORS.

(Journal Special Service.) Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 9.—The annual meeting of the West Virginia Editorial Association, which opened here today, is the largest in point of attendance ever held by the association. The sessions are to continue until Saturday, and will be devoted to a discussion of numerous matters of interest to the makers of newspapers. At the conclusion of the convention the editors and their wives and families will take a jaunt to Norfolk and up along the Atlantic Coast.

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