

DECLARES FULTON HAS VIOLATED THE RULES

Well-Known Oregonian Speaks Plainly of Candidacy of Present Incumbent—Not Inspired by Personal Enmity and Has No Fault With Him as Senator.

Silverton, Or., April 14.—The contestants for the United States senatorship this year, on the Republican side of the house are Charles W. Fulton and H. M. Calk. They are both lawyers of long practice and are respected as well up in the profession. Presumably there is nothing lacking on that score. Mr. Calk is stumping the state in advocacy of Republican principles and the policies of the Roosevelt administration, and also of the reform movement in Oregon, especially the election of United States senators by the people and the method contained in Statement No. 1. There are no flaws in his record in public or private record; he has done nothing of a doubtful nature requiring a defense; his simple statements are direct and unambiguous. He is electing these officers is sufficient and he has no ifs or buts implied—mental reservation or duplicity, as manifested by his party will accept the after vote in June as the final verdict in his case.

Mr. Fulton, in his stumping tour, is compelled to take a different course and is principally engaged in trying to clear himself of the charges contained in the following resolutions, Barclay and others, implicating him in the bribes of Mitchell, and of other matters relating to land frauds, inasmuch as he shall omit them from the present criticism and deal only with such things as he cannot deny and very likely will not defend.

Suggests "Foul" Be Called.
When a player of football or baseball violates the rules of the game, the umpire can issue a foul and send him out. And as Senator Fulton played foul at the time of his election in 1902, would it not be proper to issue a foul to him now, the people to rule him out now, the first chance he has had since 1902? The foul he played was a far more serious matter than a ball game foul, it being an offense against the peace and dignity of the state of Oregon. It was in violation of the constitution of the state, and a very well known, and a violation of the constitution of the state, as he very well knew, and a violation of which he deliberately took and with all the solemnity formally supposed to be sufficient to bind ordinary men. It, however, did not prevent Senator Fulton from running for re-election.

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A Candid Statement.
If Mr. Fulton would consent to be candid for a moment, or to reveal to the state his case, something like this: "I wanted to be elected to the United States senate and desiring to avail myself of all the means at my command, got elected to the state senate, took the oath of office to support the constitution of the state, and a mental reservation to violate it, did violate it, used all necessary means to secure votes, was elected to the senate and remembered my friends."

This would be square talk and save a whole lot of quibbling and a lot more posturing about constitutional obligations.

I know it is said by those who find our constitution in the way of their ambition that its inelastic clause is an injustice to the national constitution, and therefore not binding upon the members of the legislature who are sworn to support both. But such an allegation is wide of the mark. There is no incongruity between them either in letter or in spirit. The superior one fixes the qualification of United States senators; the inferior one does not add to or subtract from them.

The constitution and laws of Oregon say nothing about the qualifications of United States senators, and the federal constitution is silent as to eligibility. It does not say who shall not be. The most it says is that no person shall be elected to that office who shall not be. The states through their legislatures have a free hand in their selection; the electors can accept advice or instructions from persons, parties or the people; may be controlled by constitutional or legislative enactments; may be persuaded or intimidated; their selections may be of good moral character or common prostitute, pugilist, duelist, corporation, or any other person, or may be elected in defiance of moral and state laws, so that they have been elected by a vote of the legislature in the time manner and the United States senate can take no cognizance of all this. Within the purview of its powers. The ineligibility clause of our constitution, instead of being a restriction, is conformable to the federal constitution, which contains a clause rendering members of congress ineligible to offices which they create during the time they were elected.

Nothing Personal Intended.
All the shyness indulged by over-ambitious men who have broken faith with the state which they took an oath to serve and protect from harm is merely to find some sort of cover to hide their nakedness. Some people may think from the content of this letter that I am a personal enemy of Mr. Fulton, but I will disclaim any feeling of ill-will. We have never had any quarrel. I have never asked him for any favors, and he has never to my knowledge said anything disrespectful of me. I have found no fault with him except as a public servant.

He is an active, influential man, is endowed with admirable social qualities, and is useful to the public in many ways; but the quality of his ethics seems to be of a low political order. His intercourse with Assistant Secretary of War, and his present attitude concerning the election of United States senators by the people seems to be that of an artful dodger whose motto is "Heads I win, tails you lose."

Our fault as a people has been too much leniency with unfaithful public servants. Foreigners have observed it and think it characteristic of the American people. Herbert Spencer observed it and at a farewell banquet given in his honor at New York stated that the Americans bear patiently abuses which the English would not tolerate. Very likely the peculiar nature of our politics has had much to do with this, as we have been relying upon such means of protection, but we have found by a half century's experience that the protection by political parties is of a kind which coyotes give to lambs, covering and devouring them. But we have not awakened from our dream and realize that if we are to have good government we must demand good government; that if the people are ever to receive faithful service they must not lower the standard. And so far as I am concerned it shall be kept high, advanced or do we owe nothing to the truth, nothing to society, nothing to the rising generation?

"Are god and right and truth a dream?"
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"Must our manhood forever kick the beam?"

T. W. DAVENPORT.

SHERIDAN TO HAVE TWO STATE BANKS

One Opens Today and One Has Filed Articles — Sheridan Lumber Company's Mills Resume.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Sheridan, Or., April 14.—The Farmers' State bank is a new financial institution that opened its doors for business here this morning with a capital of \$25,000. The officers are: A. M. Fanning, president; B. B. Morton, cashier; these with Dr. S. A. Mulley, constitute the directors.

The Sheridan State bank has also filed articles of incorporation with J. H. Eakin, W. Beck and C. T. Dougherty incorporators. With two such well-financial institutions manned by officers deeply interested in the immediate development of the county and the promotion of all legitimate enterprises Sheridan's future is bright.

Eastern capital is now seeking to invest here in various channels and a two-story brick block is mentioned as one of the many improvements for the coming summer.

The Sheridan Lumber company's mills resume operation today for the summer run.

ATTEMPTS TO KILL HIS FORMER EMPLOYER

(United Press Special Wire.)
San Francisco, April 14.—To avenge an imaginary wrong, Samuel Retkey, a tanner, attempted to assassinate David S. Stegeman, his former employer, this morning, and when threatened with arrest he placed his shotgun against his head, blowing out his brains. Stegeman was wounded in the wrist.

Condensed Statement of the Condition of Geo. W. Bates & Co., Bankers, at the Close of Business April 8, 1908, as submitted to the State Bank Examiner

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and discounts.....\$17,744.44	Capital stock.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....25.33	Surplus.....25,000.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....50,000.00	Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....\$ 250.72
Cash and sight exchange.....\$41,337.86	Time deposits.....\$113,054.56
	Demand deposits.....417,685.33
	580,759.85
	\$609,010.58

I, Maynard Redmond, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MAYNARD REDMOND,
Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
Geo. W. Bates, Directors,
J. S. Birrell.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of April, 1908.
(Seal) R. E. MENEPEE,
Notary Public for Oregon.

COMMON SENSE

Leads most intelligent people to use only medicines of known composition. Therefore it is that Dr. Pierce's medicines, the makers of which print every ingredient entering into them upon the bottle wrappers and attest its correctness under oath, are daily growing in favor. The composition of Dr. Pierce's medicines is open to everybody. Dr. Pierce being desirous of having the world's opinion of investigation turned fully upon his formulas, being convinced that the better the composition of his medicines is known the more will their great curative merits be recognized. Being wholly made of the active medicinal principles extracted from native forest roots, by exact processes original with Dr. Pierce, and without the use of a drop of alcohol, triple-refined and chemically pure glycerine being used instead in extracting and preserving the curative virtues residing in the roots employed, these medicines are entirely free from the objection of doing harm by creating an appetite for either alcoholic beverages or habit-forming drugs. Examines the formula on their bottle wrappers—the same as sworn to by Dr. Pierce, and you will find that his "Golden Medical Discovery," the great blood-purifier, stomach tonic and bowel regulator—the medicine which, while not recommended to cure consumption in its advanced stages (no medicine will do that) yet does cure all those catarrhal conditions of head and throat, weak stomach, torpid liver and bronchial troubles, weak lungs and hang-coughs, which, if neglected or badly treated lead up to and finally terminate in consumption.

Take the "Golden Medical Discovery" to time and it is not likely to disappoint you if only you give it a thoroughly and fair trial. Don't expect miracles. It won't do supernatural things. You must exercise your patience and persevere in its use for a reasonable length of time to get its full benefit. The ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's medicines are composed have the unqualified endorsement of scores of medical leaders—better than any amount of lay, or non-professional, testimonials. They are not given away to be experimented with but are sold by all dealers in medicines at reasonable prices.

The REALM of the FEMINE

The False for the True.
THE beautiful thoughts suggested by the Easter festival with its blowing of blossoms, its awakening to new life of all the natural world and its story of a risen Lord, are in danger of becoming overshadowed by the grotesque. In the shop windows, vying with Easter lilies, decorated eggs, fluffy chickens and downy rabbits, may be seen all sorts of grotesque things which can only bewilder the imagination if it is not checked by the slightest suggestion of Easter about them. What thought of the dainty festival, for instance, is connected with a rabbit trying to climb up the outside of a fan, from which protrudes the head of a chick? What delicate fancy was it which prompted somebody to invent a rabbit dressed in the clothes of a clown, balancing flags of different sorts on his nose? Or a goose that waddles its head?

Christmas has been largely turned into a carnival of grotesques and a financial grab bag. It will be a thousand pities if the real meaning which brings gladness to every unworried heart is to be in its turn belittled and spoiled by afterthoughts and novelty. A matter which too many older people overlook, is the serious one of lowering a child's standards. The natural healthy child mind loves a sense of mysticism, every little ceremony that can be brought into its life. A birthday is twice as interesting if there is a clown, a dancing flag of different sorts on his nose? Or a goose that waddles its head?

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Fads and Fashions.
The arrangement of sashes and scarfs in oriental fashion is getting to be a popular fashion in this dress. There are numerous ways of draping them but many of them are too extreme to be generally accepted, although they are graceful and picturesque. A scarf of supple satin or silk mousseline is wound around the waist in girlish fashion, fastened in the front. Even brought down where it is apparently tied with carelessness, yet producing an artistic effect. The ends fall to the bottom of the skirt and are weighted with fringe or embroidery. Wide ribbons are used very effectively and are less extreme in development. They are drawn round the waist, the ends knotted once in front rather low, and finished with weighted sash ends. The massiveness of the material, becoming that it will doubtless remain a popular style through the season. The drapes turn out to be very wide, but are a trifle wider than before. Some are wider on one side than the other, and others come a very little below the front. The exaggerated shapes are not so much worn. Usually the crowns are completely covered with flowers or on some straw fringed silk or soft plumes are used. Although the style is not favored by the French milliner for general wear, yet they are shown in the fashionable houses in great numbers. They are made of fancy gray and trimmed with silk, velvet and soft drapery. The most striking of the shape of the toque. The sole trimming on some is velvet and a big handsome buckle.

A Convenient Chicken House.

By Mrs. M. P. REACH.
W E REACH the nearest to perfection in high ideal. Being a farmer's wife and having had experience raising chickens for many years, my present plan for a poultry house, is one to get the best results with the least labor. It matters not so much what the shape of the house, so it is arranged

conveniently in the essential points. There are two things that are considered important in our climate, absolute cleanliness and a dry floor. We seldom have an east wind, so I would build to face the east, with windows in the south or west. We have good results with a house 28 feet by 10 feet, 7 feet high on east, 5 feet high on the west, shingle roof, 13 feet partitioned off on the north for roosting room, the rest to be used as a scratching shed with a large open window on the east. A wire mesh may be placed over this window so that when a heavy rain comes the hens may be kept on the scratching floor high and dry and the egg record not checked when the price is high, by a chill from wet feathers and feet. The floor should be made tight to keep the grain from sifting through and a good supply of bright straw laid in store for use through the season. The roosts should be made of dressed two-by-fours, without knots or cracks, and laid on strips nailed to the wall on each side, and not draped over the top. The roosts should be swept out every day and swept out every morning. A hinged door may be made to sweep out into an outside bin. A kettle of boiling water poured over every inch of roosts and strips once a week is a good thing. This house will accommodate 50 hens.

To get results we feed hens every—

Plenty of Trouble.
Is caused by stagnation of the liver and bowels. To get rid of it and headache and biliousness, and the poison that brings jaundice, take Dr. King's New Life Pills, the reliable purifiers that do the work without grinding or straining, 25c. at Skidmore Drug Co., a drug store.

A DENIAL

Mr. Ladd Contradicts False Rumor

THE rumor circulating to the effect that lots in Ladd's Addition were being sold only under a ninety-nine-year lease is entirely untrue. There is not and never has been the slightest foundation for the report.

We have never in the past entertained such a scheme, nor will we consider any proposition to lease lots in Ladd's Addition.

A full Warranty Deed, as well as a complete abstract, is given to the purchaser of every lot.

Lots can be purchased on the installment plan, with easy payments and interest at six per cent.

Every deed will convey an absolute title, with no restrictions or reservations, excepting only those Building Restrictions required to insure the best class of buildings.

ESTATE OF W. S. LADD OWNERS OF LADD'S ADDITION

W. S. Ladd

F. W. Torgler, Sales Agent, 106 Sherlock Bldg., Portland, Or.

RESERVOIR AT MOUNT TABOR TO BE RELINED

Repairs Caused by Defective Workmanship Will Cost City Large Sum.

Because of defective workmanship in the Mount Tabor reservoir the city of Portland will have to expend \$42,000 in repairs for the reservoir. This fact was brought out at a meeting of the water department it was stated that the reservoir is in such a condition that it would be unsafe longer to postpone the relining of the walls and bottom. It is probable that the cement sides were defective as when they were placed in the reservoir it was supposed they would last as long as the reservoir itself. It will be necessary to drain the reservoir and the work will be an expensive one for the city.

Naturalization in Umatilla.
(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)
Pendleton, Or., April 14.—Since Sep-

Wet and Slippery

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