

KELLASER ENTERS MAYORALTY RACE AS A PROGRESSIVE

Commission Form, Municipal Control of Public Utilities, Common User for Franchise His Platform.

Planks in Kellaser's Platform.
If I am nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, stand for the following ideals:
Commission government, efficient yet economic; retaining civil service.
REAL municipal control of public service corporations, with REFERRED service, and ultimate public ownership and operation of all public utilities.
Equal privileges to all; special privileges to none; yet a square deal to all—individual, corporate or public.
Clean city government with open competition without boss rule, and that corporate greed must give way to public welfare.
But, above all, that there must be a common user in every franchise within the city of Portland.

With a platform declaring for commission government, real municipal control and ultimate public ownership of all public utilities, better service, a common user in all franchises, and the campaign slogan "For all the people" to be printed after his name on the ballot, Dan Kellaser, state senator and ex-councilman, this morning entered the lists as a candidate for mayor on the Progressive ticket.

Mr. Kellaser filed his declaration and platform with city Auditor Barbur shortly after 11 o'clock. He said that he was in the race to win.
"Everybody knows where I stand on public issues," said he. "I shall make this race on my record. I know they will open up on me and do everything possible to drive me out, but I am prepared for that."
"They will have the toughest fight of their lives to put me out of it, for the people know me and have confidence in me."

In the late legislature, in which he was serving his second term as state senator, Mr. Kellaser introduced and supported many progressive measures. The Portland public levee bill, canceling the charter given to predecessors of the Southern Pacific railroad in 1885 and turning the property over to the city with full power to make terms with the railroad, he introduced at the session two years ago. Through his efforts and those of Governor West, it passed in the face of stiff opposition at this session.

Farmer's Commission Bill.
"I introduced the water front bill also," said Mr. Kellaser. "To turn over to the city control of state lands between ordinary high water and the harbor line. It was defeated in the legislature, of course, but it will be brought before the people under the initiative."

"I also presented a bill for the public ownership of telephones. It was promptly annihilated."

"Another measure of mine was a resolution for a constitutional amendment to abolish the legislature and substitute a commission form of state government. That lost out, too, of course, by a very slim margin."

"I am for commission government, first, last, and all the time. I have stood at all times for a municipal belt line, bettering the water front, to serve all public docks. I am on the trail all the time to force a common user in all franchises, so that other roads can use tracks in common with the holders of franchises here, and make Portland absolutely an open gateway."

"I mention these things because in becoming a candidate for mayor, the people must know what I have done and what I stand for."
"I have tried to bring about the repeal of the present gas franchise, so that the company can be made to accept a new franchise giving a certain amount of its earnings to the city, thus reducing taxes."

An Active Record.
"There is nothing startling or radical in this. It is only what other cities have found to be good business. Why, Denver, a year ago, sold a gas franchise outright for \$1,000,000, besides compelling gas for 55 cents a thousand feet. Two years ago I got through the legislature a bill requiring electric and gas companies to turn over 3 per cent of their gross earnings to the city, but they have persistently fought it in the courts."
"I am for the people all the time. My record in that respect is well known."
Dan Kellaser has lived in Portland 20 years. He is a well known merchant and manufacturer. He has a grocery store on Grand avenue. Besides serving in the city council and legislature, he is a member of the Dock commission, and ex-president of the East Side Business Men's club. He has always held a prominent position in the board of directors of the Retail Grocers' association.

In the spring of 1911 he was one of those active in the initiative taken by the East Side Business Men's club toward drafting a commission form of government for the city. With M. O. Collins, George Black, L. M. Lepper and C. A. Biegelow, he was one of the committee which named another committee to draft a charter, composed of Senator Harry Lane, Dr. C. H. Chapman, W. C. Benbow, H. G. Parsons, A. D. Cridge, T. M. Hurlbut, F. C. Barnes, Isaac Sweet, Hugh G. Carpenter, A. L. Barbur, George Black, D. V. Hart, Will H. Daly, R. W. Montague and A. E. Clark.

INQUIRIES FROM ANXIOUS POUR IN

The Journal Receives So Many It Cannot Give Each Individual Investigation.

The Journal has received so many inquiries for information of those in the flooded areas of Ohio and Indiana that it is impossible to publish all of them. Letters have been received from all parts of Oregon and from Washington state towns as well.
As information is received it will be published, but no personal investigation can be made. The death list will be printed as it is received from the scene of the flood.
G. W. Little, 2203 Sixty-sixth street, southeast, received a message from Omaha Wednesday to the effect that Mrs. Little's relatives, though living in the path of the cyclone, were saved. It is feared their homes were destroyed.
Mabel Snyder, who works in the mail order department at the Meier & Frank store, has received a telegram stating that her uncle was drowned at Columbus, Ohio.
E. E. Cleverger, employed at Eilers music house, worked for two years for J. N. Haverstick, Xenia, Ohio, whose name was published in last night's Journal in the list of dead.
Mrs. Chester Hare, 910 Belmont street, thinks the Arthur Elkins, reported drowned in last night's lists, is her brother.

ANGLERS' CLUB EXPELS FISH WARDEN CLANTON

R. E. Clanton, master fish warden, was ordered expelled from the Multnomah Anglers' club last night because of the alleged stand he took on the house bill in the legislature that allows Oregon City fishermen to catch fish with nets 600 feet from the ladder below the falls. The action took place at the annual election of officers, held at the Commercial club.
Officers elected were H. V. Van Dusen, president; C. G. Sutherland, vice president; Dr. E. C. MacFarland, secretary and treasurer; Lester Humphries, Dr. Paul Semler, John Gill, Dr. William Campbell, F. L. Perkins and Dr. E. C. MacFarland, executive committee.

Dr. MacFarland was appointed to notify Mr. Clanton that he was no longer a member of the club.
"The assertion that I was responsible for the passage of the bill," said Mr. Clanton this morning, "was false. In fact, I was opposed to it and still maintain that the board should have authority to provide additional closed seasons and establish dead lines when necessary on the Willamette or any stream in the state. This power was taken away from the board by the bill mentioned."

"I am fully satisfied that the action in this matter was prompted and fostered by the activity of a handful of members who have been fighting me personally. The absurdity of the action is shown in the move, inasmuch as the bill enacted at the 1911 session established a dead line for hook and line fishing 200 feet below a fishway and not fishing 600 feet, with which house bill 123 of the 1912 session has absolutely nothing to do. I have always contended that the rights of the anglers should be conserved and at the 1911 session the legislature lent my influence in the enactment of a law allowing hook and line fishermen to fish up within 200 feet of a fishway instead of 600 feet."

OREGON IN LEAD IN EDUCATIONAL UPLIFT

Oregon leads in the matter of education in the matter of the physical health and being of its young people and citizens, was the opinion expressed yesterday afternoon by William T. Foster, president of Reed college, in an address before the conference of city and county health officers.
President Foster related his own experience as a boy in school, when practically no attention was given to the physical development or care of the body, and when there was no instruction as to his health or care of his body.
"Every one should know every secret about the human body," said President Foster, "and I am proud to be a resident of a state where an effort to this end is being made. We should all work together for the conservation of human life, and as things are developing in recent years it is hard to tell what the next few years may bring forth in the way of better and stronger and longer lives."

HOLDING INQUEST ON BODY OF MAN SLAIN

Inquest over the body of J. A. Brown, foreman for the C. J. Cook company, who was slugged to death in front of the I. W. W. hall, on Davis street, Monday night, was taken up this morning, and will be continued this afternoon.
Gordon Napier, an I. W. W., was brought from Dallas yesterday as a witness. With him is also held C. Carter. Several other members of the I. W. W. have been subpoenaed as witnesses, as it is understood they know something of the circumstances of the case.
A public-spirited citizen has offered a reward of \$100 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of Brown's assailant.

Corvallis in Relief Column.

(Special to The Journal.)
Corvallis, Or., March 28.—Corvallis today started a flood sufferers' subscription of money and things of kind. The president of the Corvallis Commercial club has appointed N. R. Moore and H. L. Holgate as publicity agents for the fund, and the secretary of the Commercial club will superintend the handling of clothing and sustenance stores donated.

U. of O. Soph. Debaters Chosen.
(Special to The Journal.)
University of Oregon, Eugene, Or., March 28.—Maurice B. Hill, Athena Gray, MacConell of Boise, Idaho, and James Donnell of Baker were chosen members of the sophomore debating team in a competitive tryout this morning. They will debate the freshmen April 25.

PROF. MURPHY'S DEAD AT POOR FARM

Highly Educated Irishman a Victim of His Own Habits.

A learned scholar, linguist and minister of the gospel, John Murphy, the victim of unfortunate habits died Thursday at the county poor farm.
At one time it was said of Mr. Murphy that he was one of the best educated men on the Pacific coast. He was born in county Tipperary, Ireland, 75 years ago. He was educated at Trinity college, Dublin, and received the usual scholastic degrees. He particularly distinguished himself in the study of ancient Irish, Greek and Hebrew languages.
He taught in different schools and colleges, specializing still in the languages, and about 1870 he went to England. From there he drifted to the colonies, then to San Francisco, and finally to Portland, teaching this city in 1880.
Mr. Murphy held a teacher's certificate and sometimes taught in schools outside the city. He was also a minister of the Protestant church. He was also employed at times as a private tutor in the languages.
John Gill, who knew Mr. Murphy well, speaks of him in kindly terms.
"Mr. Murphy was a victim of his own unfortunate habits," said Mr. Gill yesterday. "In his best moments he was a splendid, honorable and lovable gentleman."

Funeral services for Mr. Murphy will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Holman company chapel. Interment in Mt. Scott Park cemetery.

ELKS HOLD PARADE; OFF FOR SEATTLE

A large procession, headed with a band of 42 pieces, left the Elks' Temple, Stark street and Broadway, shortly after 10:30 o'clock this morning and marched around, finally going to Fourth and Oak streets. There a special train stood waiting. Into the cars clambered more than 150 members of the local Elks' lodge, and promptly at 11 o'clock the train left for Seattle, where the Portland Elks will assist in the ceremonies of laying the cornerstone of the new Elks' temple, at Fourth avenue and Spring street, in that city.

Of course the members of the band numbered among the crowd of live ones which left this morning. While they are in Seattle they will show the Seattleites just how well they can perform when away from home and making their first public appearance in that city.
The train is due to arrive in Seattle at 6 o'clock tonight. As soon as the Portland delegation get off the train they will be tendered a noisy reception by the Elks of Seattle. Then they will be escorted to the Seattle hotel, where they will indulge in a big "feed fest."

Following this affair at the hotel they will be guests at the lodge rooms. At 11 o'clock tonight, the hour of great significance in Elksdom, the cornerstone of the new building will be laid. The officers of the Seattle Elks will preside at the ceremonies.

The return trip will start at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning, and the Portland delegation will arrive back here tomorrow night. C. C. Bradley, exalted ruler, and Dr. T. L. Perkins, exalted ruler-elect, and other officers were among those who left this morning.

Harry C. Miller, Harvey O'Bryan, Aaron Harris, Fred Wagner and Monroe Goldstein had charge of the arrangements of the trip.

CITY ASKS BIDS FOR A SAND SPRINKLER

After a brief meeting the city executive board yesterday afternoon contacted its usual routine business, filed communications and opened bids. City Auditor A. L. Barbur was directed to advertise for bids for a sand sprinkler, with which to throw sand on paved streets in wet weather for the protection of horses.

The board ordered all bids heretofore received for the oiling of macadamized streets the coming season rejected and new tenders invited.
The ordinance authorizing the board to advertise for bids for public lighting was referred to the street lighting committee.

The proposed heating franchise of the Northwestern Electric Co. was referred to the street committee for valuation.
Chief Slover's report recommending that all shifts in the police department be left to the discretion of the three police captains was adopted.

The board approved the plans for an addition to the Linnton jail. This addition, which will cost about \$3000, will house 50 more prisoners.

MIDDLETOWN DEATHS 11; LOSS \$3,500,000

Middletown, Ohio, March 28.—Eleven persons are known to have met death in the flood waters here. The property loss is fixed at \$3,500,000.
Miamisburg reports that three persons are known to be dead there, with the property damage estimated at \$250,000.

Normal Halls Lively Again.
(Special to The Journal.)
Ashland, Or., March 28.—The students of the Polytechnic college of Ashland will present a four act comedy entitled "The Stubbornness of Geraldine" here Thursday evening, April 3. This will be the first public affair connected with the business college since it opened several months ago, under the principalship of Professor Van Scoy of the old Ashland normal. The college has steadily increased in strength since its beginning.

COX ASKS MORE FOOD FOR VICTIMS

Clothing Also Needed, Says Governor; Relief Trains Delayed by Bridge.

Columbus, Ohio, March 28.—At 11 o'clock today the bodies of 61 of the victims had been recovered here. Thirty-eight of the corpses have been identified.
All relief trains en route to Dayton were halted today by the Urbana railroad bridge sinking two feet. A relief train has just left here for Zanesville, carrying 30 boats, supplies and clothing.
Six more corpses were found on the west side this afternoon. A mother with her infant son clasped in her arms was found dead. The baby's hands were clinging to the mother's back. Near by was the body of a man, supposedly the husband and father. The body of a little girl lay in his arms.
As the result of unexpected calls for help from parts of the state other than those already flooded, Governor Cox issued another proclamation today, calling for more food and clothing for the sufferers.
Stasia Ways, 10, said her home was demolished and that she, her father and two others were rescued and her mother and six others perished. In one house a horse was removed from a second story window, through which it had swam during the flood.
Fifty-seven persons who have been without food or fuel since Tuesday were rescued from one building. Several of them collapsed after being given succor.

OFFERS CHURCHILL THE SAME SALARY

Baker School Board Hopes to Keep Him From Going to Alderman's Job.

(Special to The Journal.)
Baker, Or., March 28.—The Baker school board today offered Professor J. A. Churchill the same salary as that of state superintendent to remain at the head of the Baker schools. Churchill has not yet decided whether to accept or reject the offer. The action of the board is in keeping with the sentiment of the entire community.

WHO'LL GIVE COOK STOVE TO NEEDY?

Six children, all under 14 years of age, and their hard working mother, need a cook stove. It does not have to be an entirely new stove, or an expensive range, but just a serviceable stove that they can cook on. Has anybody in Portland got such a stove that isn't needed?

The case is one that has come under the observation of the Associated Charities, and Secretary Manning said today that if someone can spare a stove for this poor woman and her children, and will notify him, he will send and have it delivered. His address is 411 Commercial building. The case is a very deserving one, and the Associated Charities are anxious to help her out.

The mother has much ability at fancy crocheting, but she has to work so hard at taking in washing and scrubbing, and all that, to make the living for her family, that she hasn't much time for it. Some of her crocheted work, in spite of these handicaps, Mr. Manning says, shows much talent.

Her task of keeping her six young ones happy and healthy has been made much harder because she has only an old and rickety cook stove that was worn out as a stove long ago.

GILBERT HEDGES NAMED ATTORNEY IN CLACKAMAS

Rain, Or., March 28.—Governor West today announced the appointment of Gilbert Hedges, of Oregon City, as county attorney for Clackamas county, and C. W. Mullen of Astoria as attorney for Clatsop county.

Dr. Jean Cline of Portland was re-appointed by Governor West today as a member of the state board of dental examiners.

Cooke to Address League.

Ashland, Or., March 28.—Preparations are under way for the annual convention of the Epworth league, Klamath district, to be held here May 30-31 and June 1. The session will be held in the M. E. church. Bishop Cooke will be in attendance and deliver a lecture. Arrangements have been made with the Southern Pacific company for excursion rates of one and one third fare.

OJEDA FORCED TO RETIRE TO NACO

Decisive Battle Expected Tonight; Rebels Overwhelmingly Superior.

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Naco, Ariz., March 28.—Forced after yesterday's skirmishing to separate into three divisions, the first detachment of General Ojeda's federal garrison returned to Naco early today. The remainder of his command was expected here before noon.
According to the officers of the returning troops, Ojeda, who left Naco two days ago to meet an approaching detachment of federals, was engaged late yesterday by an overwhelmingly superior force, and compelled to retreat. The rebels lost four killed and nine wounded. It is claimed the federal casualties were about 50.
Ojeda probably will make a stand here tonight or tomorrow. More than 1000 rebels are said to be closing in on the fleeing federals.

BOY OF ELEVEN SHOTS WHEN FARMER DRIVES ON

A frank confession that he shot A. J. Herr, a farmer of Metzger, wounding him in the arm, was made yesterday by Alex Slovack, 11 years old.

AMUSEMENTS

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NEW YORK JUSTICE FALLS ELEVEN STORIES

(United Press Leased Wire.)
New York, March 29.—Plunging 11 stories down an elevator shaft in the Immigration Savings bank building here, Justice Henry Blackford of the New York supreme court, was killed today.

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