

HALL CHALLENGED BY MR. PATTERSON

Candidate's Connection With Telephone Company Is Held Embarrassing

Pointing out the embarrassing position of Charles A. Hall, candidate for governor, because of his connection with the Coos & Curry Telephone company as its president, W. E. Burke, campaign manager for I. L. Patterson, one of Hall's opponents, has written Hall challenging him to meet Patterson in debate. His letter to Hall follows:

"I am enclosing a statement taken from the report of the Coos & Curry Telephone company for the year 1921, filed with the public service commission March last.

"According to this report, the Coos & Curry Telephone company, is controlled by officials of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company. It is shown plainly, in fact, since C. E. Hickman, division superintendent of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, of Portland, voted all the preferred stock and one share of the common stock as shown by an extract from the minutes of the meeting of the board of directors on January 16, 1922; and of the dividends declared for the year 1921 the preferred stockholders, all of which stock was voted by C. E. Hickman, received \$10,000 and received \$4,800.

"This report would naturally put you in a compromising position before the people at this time, as there will be a bill before the people at the fall election which, in case it should carry, would make the public service commission appointive by the governor.

"Senator Patterson expects to speak at a public meeting in Oregon City in the evening of the 13th, and at Astoria on the evening of the 15th, and he would be very glad to divide time with you at any or all of these meetings.

"As time is short I request an immediate answer from yourself or your manager, Hamilton Johnson."

who have been making our laws and running up our taxes—it has only condemnation for White and that because he was a soldier. Is that fair to the people? It cannot deny that he has a record of saving \$90,000 to the taxpayers of the \$140,000 the state gave him to conduct the draft in Oregon. Can it show where any of the old guard it is supporting, Republican or Democratic, ever handed back any money entrusted to them? Is it not a fact that the Democrat it is supporting for governor was the only member of the state draft board who demanded and took pay for his services? The Journal will swallow any of the old state house machine that has run the legislature for the last ten years and given us the highest taxes in the United States. If it can only succeed in defeating White for the nomination. I am one of the women who can see through this sham of a reform and so-called independent newspaper that is really the organ of the old bi-partisan machine that has never done the people any justice except to keep its unprincipled politicians in the fat places. We love George White and they hate him because he has had the kind of training that would make all that kind of patriots responsible and, after trial on their record, they would be asked to walk out of office. White is the only man the old legislative machine workers, who take the last dollar in sight and they cry for more, fear. They can manipulate all the rest as they have done in the past. No wonder they weep and gnash their teeth at prospect of retiring if a man like White is nominated May 19, as I hope he will be.

—PIONEER WOMAN.

EDITORIALS OF THE PEOPLE

Pioneer Woman Replies

I speak for the women of this city who are supporters of George White for governor. It seems the opposition press, mostly Democratic, have only ridicule for him and his friends. Service men get nothing but ridicule and abuse from the Capital Journal. If that is the real spirit of the people of Oregon I am much mistaken. Where shall we find men in future to serve their country in time of need if we heap abuse and burlesque upon every ex-soldier who shows his head in public affairs? Are the civilians alone worthy of fair treatment? As to a military man for governor, Was not Governor Lord, a trained soldier, one of the most popular governors the state ever had? I have looked in vain for praise and commendation by the Capital Journal for any of the candidates for governor, and it is indirectly supporting all but George White. It has no material for praises in the records of any of the candidates—two senators, two representatives and the present governor, the men

These places are resorts for dissipation in its worst forms. "Why cannot these houses be permanently closed, emptied, boarded up, put out of their nefarious business for once and all? Is it that they have not yet filled up the measure of their iniquity? Is it that they have not yet made themselves sufficiently obnoxious to the decent people who live nearby?"

"In Rockwood, a little rural crossroads settlement, where decent people are trying to raise decent children, this Old Homestead is a moral smear. Here, where children can but inquire and know what their neighbors are doing children hear talk about this resort such as should never come to little children's ears. A clean mind is one of childhood's inherent rights. A child's mind, clean of filthy information, is impossible where such houses exist.

"Within a few rods of the Twelve-Mile House are seven farm houses. Within 80 rods is a rural school house. This roadhouse is built in a bizarre style that marks it as an architectural vamp. Is there a child of 6 years of age and over in any of these farm houses that has not inquired and learned what this odd looking house is doing? Who is responsible for this poisoning of the child mind of this fine farming community?"

"These houses, and three or four others not far from them, have long ago forfeited all right and title they ever may have had to hang out a sign or offer entertainment of any kind. So long as they remain open, they are an open sore in society, infectious and abominable."

—OREGON CITIZEN.

terday by Major James S. Dusenbury, United States army, instructor for the Oregon national guard with headquarters at Salem.

"It is very essential," said Major Dusenbury, "that these camps be filled, for the number of applications received is indicative of the attitude of the American people toward civilian military training."

With this in view Major Dusenbury has been requested to assist applicants in every possible way in the accomplishment of application blanks and furnishing them with information concerning white and blue courses to be given at Camp Lewis, Washington and the red course which will be given at Fort Worden, Washington this summer.

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About Olcott

Editor Statesman:

The claim has been made by Governor Olcott's boosters that he stands upon his record.

What is his record as to law enforcement?

Why did he withdraw efficient special agents January 1, on a plea of economy?

What is Olcott's attitude on the Portland roadhouse evil?

An editorial in the Portland Telegram for May 10, outlines the roadhouse situation and follows:

"The roadhouse known as the Twelve-Mile House at Base Line road and Fairview avenue has again been raided by the sheriff's forces and its proprietor arrested charged with maintaining a public nuisance. The raid was made in the early hours of Sunday last, the natural time for such houses to do their best business under cover of darkness to be in full operation. The Old Homestead, another road house at Rockwood, was raided at the same time while a disorderly dance was in progress. It is a matter of common knowledge that both

LAST CALL IN PUZZLE CONTEST

You may win \$500 and 14 other prizes totalling \$1000 in the picture puzzle contest.

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Contest closes on May 31st. Answers must conform to time limit.

Commanding General Anxious for Large Camp

The commanding general, Ninth corps area, desires to obtain as great a number of applicants as possible for the citizens military training camps to be held in this corps area this summer, according to a letter received yes-

Friday and Saturday Specials

AT THE PRICE SHOE COMPANY'S BIG SHOE SALE

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Ladies' Shoes, all styles and all sizes in grey, brown and black cloth top, and all kid. \$8, \$10, \$12, some \$15. To close out	\$1.95	Boys' Dress Shoes—Just received, a large shipment of high grade boys' dress shoes in a good wide toed last. A fine shoe for \$6. Sizes 1 to 6. While they last	\$3.95	Men's Elk Bal Work Shoes, both in brown and black, in all sizes up to size 12; a good \$3.50 work shoe. To close out go at	\$1.95
Ladies' Comfort Shoes and Oxfords in all sizes and styles, including two strap pump and lace Oxfords, up to \$6. To close out	\$3.95	Boys' Army Shoe, in the highest quality shoe, made especially for the Boy Scouts, for heavy wear and long hikes. Were made to sell at \$6. We will close them out at	\$3.95	Men's Double Sole Work Shoe, Blucher lace, all sizes; a good last and a fine wearing work shoe. \$5 seller to close out at	\$2.95
Ladies' Dress Oxfords, brown and black kid, and patent leather; all the new lasts; every size and width. Marked very low at \$8. On sale at	\$6.95	Ladies' Hanan Pumps, odd lots, regular \$14 quality, to close out, in brown and black with one and two straps; good lasts and fine quality shoes. Most sizes. To go at	\$8.95	Men's Florsheim Oxfords. The best known \$10 Oxford on the market, and the only Oxford that really fits; in both wide and narrow toe, also the new square French toe. All widths and sizes. To go at	\$8.95
Girls' New Flapper Pumps, the very newest thing on the market in all sizes, from the best factories on the eastern coast. Regular \$7 values. Reduced to	\$5.95	Ladies' White Cloth Pumps and Oxfords, for both sport and dress wear, in all sizes and a long range of styles to select from. \$5 quality. At the especially low price of	\$2.95	New Florsheim Shoes, just arrived in all the newest lasts and styles. They are the highest grade \$10 shoe in the world, and will fit and look better than some higher priced shoe. Now on sale at	\$8.95
Girls' new Flat Heel Patent Oxford. An extra good value at \$7. In every size. While they last	\$5.95	Ladies' White High Shoes—Our entire stock of about 100 pairs to be closed out; regularly priced up to \$9. While they last, go at	\$1.00	Men's Brown Shoes and Oxfords, all \$6 and \$7 grades to be closed out; a larger assortment to pick from. They all go at the same price. While they last at	\$4.95



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