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W. M. BLAKELY HAS ACCEPTED

STATEMENT NO. 1

CANDIDATE TO RUN

Will Make Race for Legislature Against L. L. Mann—Pledges Himself to Vote for People's Choice for United States Senator—Formerly Represented Umatilla County.

W. M. Blakeley, former representative, has consented to run as an independent candidate for representative from this county and he will go against L. L. Mann, the regular republican nominee. Mr. Blakeley will run as an independent candidate and his nominating petition has already been filed.

According to Mr. Blakeley he will make the race for representative in order to have a statement No. 1 man in the field against Mr. Mann, who pledged himself to vote for the people's choice for senator on the condition that the "choice" is a republican. The following pledge was made by Mr. Blakeley in a letter which he addressed to Will M. Peterson, democratic county chairman:

Statement Number 1.
"I further state to the people of Oregon as well as to the people of my legislative district, that during my term of office I will always vote for that candidate for United States senator in congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes for that position at the general election next preceding the election of a senator in congress without regard to my individual preference."

I believe in the rights of the people regardless of party politics, to choose their U. S. senators, and when the majority of voters declare their choice it is the duty of the members of the legislature to carry it out. If the voters of Umatilla county care to elect me

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WHY MAIL IS LATE.

Portland Letters Brought to This City by Way of Walla Walla Train.

Repeated complaints are made to the Pendleton postoffice that letters which should have been received on the early morning train from Portland, are not distributed here until about noon and explanations are made daily concerning the matter.

These letters which are distributed late are letters which were mailed in Portland after the departure of No. 6, at 6 o'clock in the evening, but which were mailed in time to be sent out on No. 4, the Spokane flyer, which leaves Portland at 8:15 p. m.

These letters are brought to Walla Walla on the Spokane flyer and are sent from that place to Pendleton on the morning passenger train leaving here at 11:45. This mail is immediately distributed and is therefore found in the boxes about 11:30 or 12 o'clock.

It is supposed by many patrons of the office that the mail was received on the early morning train and that the office force had been slow in distributing it, but such is not the case and the East Oregonian is glad to make this explanation for the post-office.

If this mail was not sent out of Portland on the Spokane flyer and returned to this city by way of Walla Walla, arriving here at 10:45, it would be held until No. 2 left Portland and would not reach this city until 4:40 p. m. By sending it on the Spokane train it is able to reach Pendleton about five hours earlier than it would, were it held until the regular east-bound train, No. 2.

MEETING OF SHEEP BOARD.

New Officers Will Be Elected and Important Business Transacted.

Dan P. Smythe will leave tonight for Portland to attend a meeting of the state sheep commission to be held in that city tomorrow. It will be the first meeting of the board since Commissioner McIntosh was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Thomas Boylen. Consequently new officers will have to be chosen and in all probability Commissioner Steusloff will be named as president, while Smythe will be re-elected as secretary.

Aside from the above a number of other matters will come before the sheep board at the coming meeting.

LORIMER WORKS FOR GOOD BALL

MANAGER PUTS UP MONEY AS GUARANTEE FOR LEAGUE

Good Success in Selecting Winning Team—One Man Dropped for Drunkenness—New Player at Short Stop in Game With Soldiers Sunday—League Series Opens Next Thursday With Pendleton at Walla Walla.

E. K. Lorimer, manager of the ball team is now busy securing subscriptions to complete the financing of the league team and thus far has been meeting with good success.

"I do not think we will have much trouble in raising the money needed," said Lorimer this morning, "for we have shown that we have a strong team and the expense of maintaining it in the league will be but little greater than at present."

Since he has had the management of the team Lorimer has devoted his time conscientiously to the work and he has had a wonderful success in picking his men. This has been due to the fact that good players have been anxious to enlist with him and to the further fact that he has never hesitated to cut out a man whom he considered weak or unfit.

An example of this is shown in the case of Lee, the short stop during the past few weeks. Though a good player Lee has shown too much "boozing" propensities and he is now off the team. In the game with the Walla Walla soldiers to be played here Sunday, a new man, Deard, sent here by "Bobby" Brown of Aberdeen, will play short.

In entering the league Lorimer has gone in to win and his first consideration will be to have his team "make good" upon the important point of winning games. If he can continue the success that he has already had there is little doubt but that at the end of the league series the banner of victory will float over the Pendleton team.

To ensure the success of the league movement Lorimer is putting up considerable hard cash himself and the fact that he is sufficiently interested to do so is making friends for himself and the team.

The next game will be played here with the Walla Walla soldiers and Pendleton will open the league series with Walla Walla, the game to be played there if present plans are not changed.

Fell from Train.

Brakeman Frank Chatham of the O. R. & N. freight division at La Grande, fell from a freight train near Durkee yesterday and was seriously injured by being cut and bruised about the head. The train went on into Huntington before he was missed by the other members of the crew. He was picked up by a section crew and brought to Durkee, from where he was brought to La Grande on No. 5 last night. It is not thought his injuries will prove fatal.

Experts Saw the Circus.

The entire party of farming experts accompanying the O. R. & N. demonstration train attended Norris and Rowe's circus in this city last evening, before departing for Corvallis on No. 5, the westbound train, at 1:05 this morning.

DR. SMITH BUSY SHAKING HANDS

POPULAR PHYSICIAN IS WELCOMED HOME.

Will Spend Week in Picking Up Loose Ends of His Business—Delighted With Development Movement—Will Put Shoulder to the Wheel and Help in Good Work—Interesting Notes of European Tour Appear Later.

About the busiest man in this city yesterday and today has been Dr. C. J. Smith, who with his family, returned Wednesday after six months abroad.

Since his return Dr. Smith's time has been taken with almost a continual round of handshaking. At his office and on the streets today the doctor has been greeted by a host of acquaintances and his homecoming has once more demonstrated the fact that he has many friends among all classes.

For the next week or more the doctor will devote his time to picking up the reins of his affairs and to informing himself regarding the things that have been doing since he left last fall.

This morning Dr. Smith declared himself delighted with the development movement that has just been gotten under way here and he is ready to put his own shoulder to the wheel, as he has done in the past, and help in the work of colonizing the county.

The annual meeting of the school board has also been awaiting Dr. Smith's return, for he is the chairman of the board and hence his arrival is of interest to those connected with the schools. This morning the doctor stated that he would call a meeting of the board at once to take up the matter of electing teachers and other business at hand.

Had Delightful Trip.

While abroad the doctor and his family had a most enjoyable trip and the senator himself lost no opportunity to learn everything possible about old world conditions. During their long tour they had many marvelous experiences but not a single mishap.

Dr. Smith himself devoted much of his time abroad to professional studies under world famous instructors and in visiting the hospitals of the different nations he visited.

While away the doctor kept a very extensive diary of his travels and some interesting interviews with him will appear later in this paper.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Subjects of Graduating Exercises Are Chosen—Joint Baccalaureate Sermon.

The first graduation and commencement exercises to be observed in this city at the close of the present school year will be the baccalaureate sermon and exercises which will be held at the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon, May 24, when Rev. Kreuze of Whitworth college, Tacoma, will preach the baccalaureate sermon to both the high school and Pendleton academy graduating classes.

The week following that event will be devoted to the commencement exercises for both the high school and the academy, each school observing the different events of graduation week separately, after the joint baccalaureate sermon.

The subjects of the graduating orations of the high school class have just been selected and are as follows: Arthur Means, oration, "Initiative and Referendum."

Albert Gibson, class history, "Epitaphs."

Sybil Clopton, oration, "Abraham Lincoln."

Charles Despain, oration, "Electricity."

Minnie Casey, oration, "Oregon Poets."

Barbara Hoch, oration, "The Southern Question."

Cliff Turner, oration, "Opportunities of Youth."

James Johns, oration, "Statement No. 1."

Katherine Smith, oration, "Art."

Derr Edwards, oration, "The Value of Opportunity."

Frankie Webber, oration, "Domestic Science."

Lester Means, oration, "The Moral Awakening."

Delva St. Clair, prophecy, "As You'll See It."

Hazel Nolan, oration, "The Appreciation of American Poets."

Epworth League Elects.

The Epworth League society elected officers for the ensuing year at a well attended meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Owen on South Thompson street last evening. The following officers were chosen for the year: Iter Neil, president; Mrs. Geary Kimbrell, first vice president; Arthur O'Brien, second vice president; Mrs. Frank Hoffman, third vice president; Miss Olive Myrick, fourth vice president; Grace Oliver, secretary, and Ralph Shaw, treasurer.

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