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DIRECT PRIMARY LAW.

Salem, Or., Dec. 17.—The adoption of the direct primary law has given Oregon such a complicated system of elections that not even the accomplished politician can carry in his mind all the details of the proceedings leading up to the general election of state, district and county officers.

It will be seen that the campaign of 1906 really begins during the last week in December, of this year, when initiative petitions must be filed if the promoters desire to file pamphlets in support of the proposed measures.

Registration—Registration books opened by county clerk, Tuesday, January 2. Registration books closed for primary election, April 10, 5 p.m.

Initiative petitions—Number of signers required to initiate laws or amendments, 7489. Last day for filing initiative petitions, February 3.

Direct primary election—County clerks give notice of primary election not later than March 21. Last day for filing petitions for placing names on ballot for state, congressional and district offices, March 30.

General election—Last day for filing certificates of nomination for state offices by assembly of electors, April 19. Last day for filing nominating petitions for state offices, May 4.

OFFICES TO BE FILLED. The state and county offices to be filled in the election next June, are the following: Governor, secretary of state, state treasurer, supreme judge, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction, state printer, labor commissioner, United States senator, two representatives in congress, fifteen state senators, sixty state representatives, five circuit judges, one prosecuting attorney.

The necessary preliminary to every man's candidacy is that he shall be put forward for a nomination by petition of at least 2 per cent of the votes cast in June, 1904, for his party's nomination for congress, in the state at large, or a county, or a judicial district, or a state senatorial, or representative or congressional district, as the case may be.

The candidate who shall enter the primary in this manner and shall receive the most votes of his party for the nomination, will be the nominee of his party, and will be voted for in the usual manner at the June election.

The number of signers required on a republican primary petition for a state nomination will be 1000, the maximum required by law; on a democratic petition, 599. Candidates for a republican nomination in the first congressional district must each secure 479 signatures, and in the second district 543. Candidates for the democratic nomination must each obtain 343 signatures in the first district, and 255 in the second.

The Wealth of Coos County.

Just a Brief Outline of What Nature Has Provided.

Coos county's natural resources are surpassed by no county of Oregon. The fair fame of her enterprise and resources have been sung by poet, politician and journalist. But it is far better attested by the monuments of mill, mine, factory, creamery and the many pretty homes created by her happy and contented citizens.

Seeing these things compels belief. Her trees are the biggest, her coal deposits the greatest of any in the state. She has two good harbors, one at Coos Bay, the other at the mouth of the Coquille river, from which are shipped annually millions of feet of lumber and tons of butter, cheese and other products of the soil.

Myrtle Point, Coquille, Bandon, Marshfield and North Bend are all pretty, thriving towns, full of enterprising people ready to welcome and assist the stranger of means and industry to a home among them.

The government is at work building jetties at the mouth of the Coquille river, and will shortly have eighteen to twenty-one feet of water in which to cross the bar. The county has just extended a most cordial and hearty welcome to our Senator Fulton, who is looking the county over and learning the needs of her citizens that he may make further recommendations for appropriations from Congress.

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SAYS CLIMATE AND WATER FAVOR WOOL INDUSTRY.

L. Walker, veteran of the woolen manufacturing business on the Pacific coast and an authority on this subject throughout the nation, will establish himself in Portland. Mr. Walker has passed the days when he can enter into the active work of operating mills, but continues an interest as keen as when he was in the harness.

Evaporators, vinegar, pickle and jelly factories are needed to care for the surplus quantities of fruits. They would pay investors large dividends.

Coos county is a dairyman's paradise. Average cows pay from \$50 to \$75 each. Saw mills and logging camps are all very busy, many of them running over time to fill their contracts.

Coos county needs some canneries, for nowhere does fruit and vegetables grow in greater abundance or to finer perfection. Celery, asparagus, peas, strawberries, beans, cucumbers, corn, squash and pumpkins, oh! they are fine.

Somebody will profit richly some of these days when they build some single factories and ash and door factories in Coos county. There is room for more of them yet.—Pacific Searchlight, Portland.

News items scarce this week. L. J. Cody was a Bay visitor last Friday. The new license ordinance is printed in this issue.

Don't forget that Dr. Steele, dentist, is located in Bandon. The schooners Advance and Ruby are reported outside.

Frank Lowe, of Coos Bay, spent Christmas in Bandon. Gibraltar's ground chocolate in one pound cans—35c at Trowbridge's.

Binger Hermann's trial has been postponed until February. A Modern Woodman Lodge has been organized at Coquille.

The Marguerite Fischer Co. left on the Alliance Sunday for Eureka. James E. McCue and Miss Cudyth Kyle were married at Coquille, Dec. 24th.

Mrs. F. E. Dyer went to Coquille Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. R. E. Buck. Mrs. O. P. Haugen has opened a restaurant in the Nabin building at Langlois.

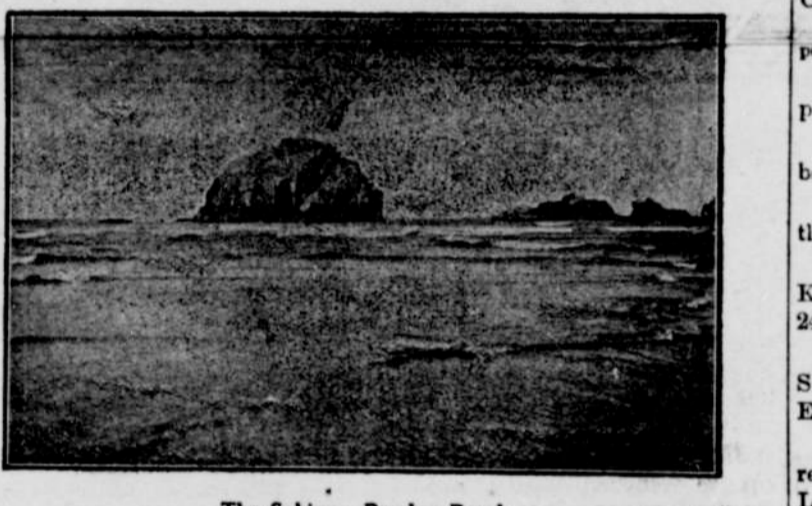
R. E. Buck of Coquille spent Christmas in Bandon with Jas Walstrom and family. Capt. Dunham has been exonerated from all blame in the Roanoke accident at Humboldt Bay.

The Coquille High School team defeated the Marshfield team in a game of foot ball last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallier spent Christmas with their sons, Steve and Ed, at the county hub.

The Christmas exercises at the various churches in Bandon were all well attended and excellent programs were carried out. J. W. Ostrander, of Gold Beach, raised a potato this year weighing 5 1/2 pounds, and had eight that tipped the beam at 39 pounds.

Pat Dwyer, of the firm of Clark & Dwyer, the stockmen near Langlois, was transacting business in Bandon the first of the week. The Port Orford Tribune and Bandon Recorder have the distinction of being the two most westerly publications in the United States.

Services in M. E. Church next Sunday at 11 a.m.; subject "New Year's Race." 7:30 p.m., special New Year's address; subject "Another year! What for?" The City Council at Coquille have placed the tax levy at five mills. A motion was made to raise an additional \$1,000 by an occupation tax, but it did not carry.



The Sphinx, Bandon Beach.

The Bandon Beach is the most attractive beach on the Oregon coast but has been inaccessible to the people of the state generally on account of lack of transportation facilities.

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A town that never does anything in a public way is on its way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for his town is helping to dig the grave. A man that will curse his town is furnishing the coffin.

The merchant who will not advertise is driving the hearse. The man who is always pulling back from public enterprise, throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be always howling hard times preaches the funeral sermon and sings doxology, and thus the town lies buried free from all sorrow and care.

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