

THE CORVALLIS GAZETTE

TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS,

O. A. DEARING, ED. AND BUS. MGR.

Mr. Veatch, the Democratic candidate in the First District, has made himself notorious in personally urging and permitting the Democratic newspapers in support of him to attack his opponent, Mr. Hermann, for irregularities while the latter was in the public land office.

The views of the different factions in the Democratic party are so different, oftentimes directly opposed, that during political campaigns Democratic managers refuse on all occasions to discuss principles, because, the Democratic party has no definitely defined principles to discuss. Mr. Veatch is one of his party who has held views obnoxious to a large majority of the members of the Democratic party. Mr. Veatch dare not discuss his political and populist views in the campaign, because, if he did he would drive all conservative Democrats against him; consequently, he has formulated a series of attacks against the personal character and integrity of his opponent, Mr. Hermann.

There is no one, no matter how strenuously they oppose Mr. Hermann, but who acknowledges without question that Mr. Hermann has been the most efficient member that Oregon has ever had in Congress, and that he has procured for Oregon more beneficial results than any other representative. Mr. Veatch, therefore, is proceeding with a series of misrepresentations accusing Mr. Hermann of wrong because he became out of harmony under his principal in the land office, but the lack of harmony was occasioned more than anything because the superior officer, Mr. Hancock, did not understand the people, or the nature of the lands, or their proper available use in this western country.

On the contrary, Mr. Hermann's home is in Oregon and he understood perfectly these difficult questions and so directed his conduct and recommendations as to protect the good people of Oregon. Neither the secretary of the land office, or any of his subordinates, has ever intimated either directly or indirectly that there was any wrong intent, or of purpose, in the acts of Mr. Hermann in his conduct of the General Land Office. On the contrary, it was Mr. Hermann who started the investigation as to the Benson and Hyde frauds, now being tried in San Francisco. It was Mr. Hermann's own motion that all the land entries were suspended in which the names of Benson and Hyde were mentioned and thereby prevented issuance of patents thereon, and those entries are all suspended today waiting the result of pending investi-

gations. In all of Mr. Hermann's annual reports he urged strenuously upon Congress to repeal or modify the law which permitted so much unjust advantage and grafting on the government in forest lieu lands, selections whereby worthless lands were conveyed to the government and so called script locations made of the most valuable timber lands in the country. Many times in the last session of Congress, Mr. Hermann rose in his place and publicly denounced the law, and urged action of Congress to so modify it as to protect the public domain. During Mr. Hermann's whole career in Congress, and especially while Commissioner of the General Land Office, he devoted his best energies for protection of the honest settler on the public domain and against the corporations and script grafters who are grabbing all the valuable lands fit for home-seekers. It was made very apparent in the last Congress by some revelations made, that the unusual cry of land fraud has been industriously circulated by corporations, extensive land owners and fraudulent land grabbers, for the purpose of repealing public land laws and preventing the proper amendment thereof, so that their own lands would appreciate in value by reason of diminished sales of public lands. From this the public can readily understand the existence of the motive for so much exaggeration of land frauds and the attempt to involve and besmear the good name of public officials who uphold protection of the honest settler and save the public domain. The testimony of Mr. Maxwell before one of the public land committees of Congress two months ago admitted that various companies contributed to his association, which advocated the repeal of those laws, \$50,000 each, making \$50,000 a year, so to bring influence largely along the lines of making the laws so as to admit advantages to the land grabber and to the disadvantages of the home-builder and the honest home-seeker. When the people consider Mr. Hermann's attitude according to the facts and that his life has been spent to promote the welfare of the common people and during his term in the General Land Office, pitted against the aggressions of the corporations and land grabbers and opposing their efforts, it is plain to see how these same corporations, their emissaries and fraudulent land grabbers have availed themselves of an opportunity to cry fraud against Mr. Hermann, and it is certainly unfortunate for the interests of Mr. Veatch that he is lending his efforts to wrongfully accuse so honest, upright and beneficial public official as Mr. Hermann who has always served most efficiently the people as Congressman and public official in the General Land Office.

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A Musical Treat.

Mrs. Green's vocal recital, given by the pupils of her class, has grown to be one of the great musical events of the season. This year there will be an exceptionally fine program, and the Chapel will probably be crowded. The exercises will be held at the College chapel on Tuesday evening, May 31, at 8 o'clock. The following is the program:

Garden of Eden.....Adams
Voices of the Woods.....Rubinstein
Were I a Star.....Hawley
Daisy-Time.....Denza
Resting Place.....Schubert
The Heavenly Song.....Gray
Queen of the Night.....Torey
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April Rain.....Woodman
Lullaby.....Burnham

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H C Wyatt and wife to J W Barreman, part lot 57, block 13, Philomath; \$450.

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Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Or., May 7, 1904. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

REUBEN F. PATTY, of Salem, county of Marion, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6422, for the purchase of the S 1 SW 1 and S 1 SE 1 of Sec. 26, in Tp. No. 10 S., R. No. 6 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber and stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register or Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 29th day of July, 1904.

His names as witnesses: Taylor Miller, of Suver, Oregon; W. L. Price, of Marion, Oregon; and Frank Miller, all of Kings Valley, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of July, 1904.

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