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HAVE HIM LOCATED.

Many politicians make little of ante-election promises. All know that promises are easily made—and easily broken by one of callous conscience. It is not an uncommon thing in political history of our land to find instances where men have been elected to a certain position by the people on the word of the candidate that he stood for such and such a thing, who, immediately after his inauguration into office went squarely back on all his promises.

This is a traitorous act and unbecoming any office-holder. He no doubt eases his conscience by the statement that he has "changed his mind." It were well for him to remember that "his mind" did not elect him to office. He was put there by the people to carry out their wishes and by the eternals so long as candidates refuse to carry out the principles of their constituency just so long will the question of ours being a representative government be somewhat in doubt.

If a candidate finds after his election to office that his mind has undergone a change and he cannot conscientiously carry out his obligation and be honest with himself, he may resign and preserve his integrity, his self-respect and the respect of others. Governor Cummings of Iowa, furnishes a splendid example of this point In a recent issue of the New York "Press" we find the following on this changeable governor:

There can be no possible objection, however, to any one, from the President of the United States down, making a direct appeal to the voters to pass on this question, both in nominating conventions of the party and afterward at the general polls for election. If a district convention sends into the field a nominee committed by its decision to flat Free-Trade, clearly it is the duty of that man, if he is elected, to stand for Free-Trade through thick and thin, on public platforms, in the coidcils of the party and in the action of Congress. That is representative Government where constituents select a representative to voice their sentiment and carry out their will, so far as it lies in his power, so long as their writ runs in his favor.

Likewise the member chosen to represent constituents who have committed him to the American Tariff system, in their convention platform and pledges has a fixed duty, so long as that writ runs, to uphold not the "Iowa idea," nor the "dual Traiff," nor Tree-Trade, but the American Tariff system. Therefore we strongly endorse the movement of Cummins in Iowa, so far as it places him at last in an honest position where the voters may know where he stands and may know what to do with him. As for his plan to get rid of Secretary Shaw—in the fashion that the same elements undertook to get rid of McKinley before his nomination in 1896—we cheerfully leave that consideration to the people who vote at the polls and in convention. In sweeping up the very tiny remnants of Cummins Secretary Shaw will need no assistance from outside the State of Iowa.

LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Corvallis postoffice, for the week ending Sept. 9, 1905:

Mayme Andersen, J. C. Adams, F. C. Barr, A. J. Campbell, Jasper T. Foster, Mrs. E. S. Ingram, Chas. Ingram, C. A. Moreland, Miss Nora D. Pratt, Albert Peters, Mrs. Elmes Raitus, F. W. Robertson, Chas. Snow, Arthur Scott, Mrs. Flora Taylor, John Wilcerls, Henry Weiss.

B. W. JOHNSON, P. M.

WORDS OF PRAISE.

Little Benton Written Up In Oregonian.

Every effort in reason has been put forth by those having the matter in hand to make a good showing for Benton county at the Exposition. How they have succeeded is made clear by the fact that the Oregonian of Sunday run a very fine cut of Benton's booth at the Fair and accompanied the same with the following good write-up:

'Oregon's pride," the smallest county in the state and the richest, "the greatest prune county with regard to size in Oregon"—these are some of the boasts of Benton County, as it proudly displays its products in the Agricultural building, Lewis and Clark Exposition.

On tall panels backed with black velvet are numbers of curling, furling wisps of wheat, artistically arranged in graceful spirals and curves. On the counter at one end are jars of more wheat, and all told there are more than one hundred varieties of the "staff of life" on exhibit at the conunty's space. But what attracts the attention of visitors more than anything else in the booth is the splendid display of Italian and Dutch prunes. Prune culture forms one of the leading industries of the county. Twelve hundred acres are planted with prunes and are valued, together with what has been termed the largest evaporator in the world, at $300,000. All of the small fruits, including grapes, currants, gooseberries, blackberries, strawberries, dewberries, juneberries, and raspberries, are grown to perfection in this county.

There is no irrigation in Benton county yet the soil is marvelously productive, as is evidenced in the fine display of fruits and vegetables at the Exposition. Benton county has been called the natural home of the clover plant. Four tons of clover hay to the acre have been repeatedly harvested, and this has frequently been followed with a crop equally as large. Vetch has been known to yield 25 tons to the acre, and other grains and grasses grow with like prodigality.

"There is no potato bugs in Benton," is the slogan raised by the prosperous farmers of that county, and probably because of this fact from 300 to 500 bushels of the succulent tubers have been gathered from one acre.

Because of the rich forage grasses which florish within the borders of the county, which are exhibited at the Exposition, livestock attain an enviable state of perfection. Cattle raising is a most important industry of the county. Benton county horses are eagerly sought for by dealers in the market. Sheep and goat raising are very profitable in this county, breeders at times having realized from 50 to 100 per cent annually on their investment. Several fleeces of exceptional fine texture on exhibit in the county's booth, bear out this statement.

Benton county's exhibit has become the Mecca for the visitors to the Fair, as it is the custom of those in charge to give away samples of the luscious fruit on display.

Case Dismissed.

A week or two back we printed the details of the raid made on the Lebanon Club. Trial should have been given Andrew Jennings last Wednesday, but for some reason the case was dropped as though there was something warm about it. The following dispatch sent out from Albany, September 7, may shed a little light on the matter:

A bombshell exploding in the Court room yesterday afternoon would not have caused more surprise than did the action yesterday of Deputy District Attorney Gale S. Hill, when he asked for and secured the dismissal of the case against Andrew Jennings, charged with violating the local option liquor law at Lebanon.

The case against Jennings was to have been tried before Magistrate W. S. Risley, and many citizens from Lebanon were in attendance at court to hear the trial. Some of the best legal talent of the county appeared for the defendant, and preparations had been made for a desperate fight in behalf of the defendant.

Just after the jury had been selected, Deputy District Attorney Hill addressed the court, stating that an important witness who had not been subpoenaed, but who had promised to be in attendance, and who is now in Portland, had failed to put in an appearance, and that at the request of Dr. W. H. Booth, the prosecuting witness, and a large number of people who were interested in the prosecution of the club, he would move to dismiss the case.

Counsel for the defense protested against the motion, arguing that the case should be tried and a verdict of not guilty rendered if there was not evidence enough to push the suit. The motion was granted, however, and Jennings was freed from the charge.

Considerable wonderment is expressed here as to the next move of the Prohibitionists. Lebanon people who were instrumental in bringing about the arrest of Jennings, assert that the end is not yet. From the District Attorney's office there is no explanation offered.

Took Wheel Off.

Through a miscalculation of distance Merrill Hammell took the hind wheel off the milk wagon of Clyde Beach, Saturday. Merrill was driving the large, heavy bus of Hotel Corvallis and had a load of passengers that had just reached town on the West Side train.

In front of the Pioneer Bakery Mr. Beach had stopped his wagon rather "slaunch wise" on the street, with the hind end of the wagon out. While in this position the milk wagon was struck and deprived of a hind wheel in the twinkling of an eye. At the time of the collision there were ten large cans of milk on Mr. Beach's wagon, and miraculous as it may seem, not a drop was spilled although the wheel was peeled off like the jacket on an onion, and the ax dropped to the ground.

On hearing of the accident Mr. Hammel at once signified his willingness to pay all damages, whatever they might be and according to our information, the matter was satisfactorily adjusted. It might easily have been more serious.

Notice to Manufacturers and Dealers in Water Works Material.

CALL FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Water Committee of Corvallis, Oregon, up to 5 o'clock P. M., Monday, Sept. 25th, 1905, for furnishing F. O. B. cars at Corvallis, Oregon, in accordance with specifications for same prepared by G. N. Miller, C. E., the following approximate quantities of water pipe, fire hydrants, gate valves, etc.

59,500 feet 4 inch water pipe.
10,000 feet 6 " " "
600 feet 8 " " "
56,800 feet 10 " " "
14,800 feet 12 " " "
40 fire hydrants.
60 4 inch gate valves.
12 6 " " "
1 8 " " "
11 10 " " "
3 12 " " "
60 gate valve boxes
28,000 pounds cast iron fittings.
8,500 pounds pig lead.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Water Committee for the sum of five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, which sum shall be forfeited, in case the bidder to whom the award is made shall fail to enter into a contract for furnishing the materials bid upon. All bids must be made upon blank forms obtained from the engineer.

The Water Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Water Committee Sept. 8th, 1905.

S. L. KLINE,
Clerk Water Committee.

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Cheap Sunday Rates Between Portland and Willamette Valley Points.

Low round trip rates have been placed n effect between Portland and Willamette Valley points, in either direction. Tickets will be sold

SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS,

and limited to return on or before the following Monday.

RATE TO OR FROM CORVALLIS, $3.00.

Call on Southern Pacific Co's Agents for particulars.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office,
Portland, Oregon.
July 7, 1905

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,

EUGENE BOGERT,

of Monmouth, county of Polk, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6584, for the purchase of the E. ½ of S. W. ¼ & W ½ of S. E. ¼ of Section No. 18 in Township No. 13 South, Range No. 6 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Portland, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of September, 1905.

He names as witnesses: Charles H. Newman, Willard Church, Philip H. Johnson, Ernest R. Allen, all of Monmoth, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of September 1905.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER,
Register.

A Cold Settled in His Kidneys.

A. J. Jennesse, 9201, Butler St., Chicago, writes: "I am a switchman and I am out in all kinds of weather. I took a cold which settled in my kidneys and I was in a bad shape. I tried several advertised remedies with no benefit, until I was recommended to try Foley's Kidney cure. Two-thirds of a bottle cured me. Sold by Graham & Wortham.

Corvallis Rates to Lewis and Clark Fair Over Southern Pacific Railroads.

Individual Tickets.

RATE..... One and one-third fare for the round trip.
SALE DATES..Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905.
LIMIT.....Thirty ds. but not later than Oct. 31, 1905.
$3.50

Parties of Ten or More.

For parties of ten or more from one point, (must travel together on one ticket both ways), party tickets will be sold as follows:

RATE.....One fare for the round trip.
SALE DATES..Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905.
LIMIT.....Ten days.
$2.60

Organized Parties of 100 or More.

For organized parties of one hundred or more moving on one day from one place, individual tickets will be sold as follows:

RATE.....One fare for the round trip.
SALE DATES..Daily from May 29th to Oct. 15th, 1905.
LIMIT.....Ten Days.
$2.60

Stopovers.

No stopovers will be allowed on any of the above tickets; they must be used for continuous passage in each direction.

For further information call on J. E. FARMER, Agent, Corvallis.
W. E. COMAN, Gen'l Pas. Agt., Portland.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

MAIL ARRIVES.	MAIL DEPARTS.
8:30 a. m. Mail arrives by stage for Portland and all points North and East, also for California and points on S.P.	**6 a. m.** For Albany and points East on the C. & E., and for points North of Albany on the S. P.
10 a. m. From Monroe by stage.	**10:30 a. m.** For Albany and all points North and South on the S. P.
11:15 a. m. From Philomath and points West on C. & E.	**12:30 p. m.** For West Side points, Portland, and points North and East, also for points West on the C. & E.
12 m. From Portland and all points on the West Side.	**2 p. m.** For Monroe, Or.
1:30 p. m. From Albany and all points North on the S. P.	**6:15 p. m.** For Portland, California, and points North, East and South.

Given Up to Die.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St. Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle helped me and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." Sold by Graham & Wortham.

Like Finding Money.

Finding health is like finding money—so think those who are sick. When you have a cough, cold, sore throat, or chest irritation, better act promptly like W. C. Barber, of Sandy Level, Va. He says: "I had a terrible chest trouble, caused by smoke and coal dust on my lungs; but after finding no relief in other remedies, I was cured by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Greatest sale of any cough or lung medicine in the world. At Allen & Woodward's drug store; 50c and $1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Do Not be Imposed Upon.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for the children and delicate persons. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

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