

COUNTY ASSESSOR KEENEY RENEWS PROPOSITION TO RESIGN OFFICE

Mr. Burton still continues his frantic efforts to overshadow his past official record and get by with his pre-election promises of saving thousands of dollars—his visionary dream of the future; but he is very discreetly omitting to remind you of the fact that Assessor Keenev saved enough taxes to the taxpayers of Lane county during the four years immediately preceding the creation of the state tax commission to far more than cover every expense connected with his entire administration of the office, or enough to pay the assessor's salary for over sixty-five years. How was this done? Simply by having the courage that every county assessor ought to possess to do his plain duty and stand up openly and above board for equality of assessments between the common taxpayers who elected him to the office and the big companies and corporations he then had to deal with.

Mr. Burton says that his assessment of these properties was on an equality with other property because it passed unaltered by the board of equalization, when he knows full well the policy of the board was, and has always been to assume that the assessments made by the assessor were correct until complaints were filed, and one can safely wager his life that with such valuations as Mr. Burton placed against the property of these companies and corporations, they were wise enough to keep quiet and say to themselves, "Long live Mr. Burton."

The same judge and clerk that sat with Mr. Burton as the board of equalization during the last years of his administration, sat with me as the board that endorsed my assessment of these companies and corporations when I had given them an increase in valuation that was from three and one-half to seven times that given the property of the common taxpayers.

The volume of work in the assessor's office at the present time is fully five times as great as it was when Mr. Burton was ten months making the assessment and writing his last assessment roll of 700 pages; yet for the year 1915 the assessment of the county was made and the assessment roll of over 2000 pages was written and ready for the board of equalization in five and one-half months. The idea that Mr. Burton has the phenomenal ability to now come forward after his years of absence from such work, and do that that is necessary to be done and do it for thousands of dollars less than it is now done, is ridiculous to say the least.

Referring to Mr. Burton's visionary pre-election promise to save \$10,000, I here make this proposition, that if I cannot prove by the records that I saved to the common taxpayers of Lane county during a period of four years, ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS in taxes by correcting and raising Mr. Burton's assessment of the large companies and corporations to a proper ratio with other property, I will tender my resignation as county assessor.

I have fought openly and honestly for equality of assessments between the large and small property holders, knowing all the while that this policy meant formidable opposition should I seek reelection.

The office is, and has been conducted as economically as efficiency will justify, and by the exercise of economy, aided by the completion of the new system, I did on my own volition, reduce my last year's budget by \$1630.

You have before you two candidates for county assessor. Mr. Burton has served you. I have served you. Judge Mr. Burton by his record. Judge me by my record.

BEN F. KEENEY.

J. M. Devers Makes Statement Concerning Candidacy

The question has several times been put up to me, "Are you going to reply to what is being said and what has been said in the papers and other publications by the opposing candidates concerning your conduct of the office of District Attorney?"—and each time I have answered that question in the negative. However, out of consideration for those who are interested in my candidacy I make this public explanation of my refusal to reply to any of the campaign matter that is being circulated and published concerning me and my conduct of the office which I hold, and regardless of what may yet be said by those who seek my defeat I shall make no further reply.

When I announced my candidacy for the nomination for District Attorney at the coming Primary Election, I did so as a Republican, which I have always been, not alone in this state, but in the state from which I came, and I then stated that, in support of my claim to the office, I would rely upon my record, and to that declaration I still adhere.

So far as the charges of my accusers are concerned, sufficient it is to say, that the manifest unfairness and absolute lack of facts surrounding the assertions made concerning the expense incurred by this office, the extra help employed to assist the District Attorney, the loss of cases prosecuted by the state and other insinuations and charges, are so apparent from the records of the county, and the absolute falsity of the charges is so plainly substantiated by facts and the records that it clearly indicates that the claims and assertions made are the result of consummate ignorance or of a willful intent to deceive the voters.

I have sufficient confidence in the voters of Lane county to believe that they will more correctly analyze my

ability as a lawyer and will more impartially and honestly read and construe my work and record as District Attorney than will those who seek the office I now hold. What they have SAID has been said for campaign purposes and is necessarily of a self-serving nature and motive. What I have DONE I have done from an honest sense of duty and under a responsibility and appreciation of the oath of office. The opposing candidates offer to the people of Lane county PROMISES. I submit RESULTS. Let the people judge.

Respectfully submitted,
Paid Adv. J. M. DEVERS.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

J. W. PIXLEY OF EUGENE

Candidate for Republican Nomination
County Treasurer Lane County.

To the Voter:

Taxes are high in Lane county. The remedy is to cut off unnecessary expenses.

I am a candidate for the republican nomination for county treasurer and I elected I promise to eliminate one deputy from that office, doing the work myself that is now being done by a deputy.

I am competent to do the work, being a graduate of Valparaiso University of Valparaiso, Indiana, taught school eight years, practiced law six years, been with the Register three and one-half years as its field man, during which time I have collected over \$12,000.00 for them, and traveled over practically every road in Lane county.

With the support of my friends and those believing the office is costing too much I can be elected.

May I count on your support? I am
Most respectfully,
Paid Adv. J. W. PIXLEY.

J. M. DEVERS.

The office of district attorney was created by the people of the state of Oregon for the purpose of enforcing the laws of the state and to secure a judicial management of the state and county business. Since November, 1913, I have been serving as district attorney for Lane county and my record is an index to my conception of the duties of the office.

I am a candidate for the nomination by the republican voters for the above office at the May primary election. If nominated and elected I pledge fidelity to the trust imposed.

Paid Adv. J. M. DEVERS.

RENFROW Y. PORTER.

Candidate for Democratic Nomination
for County Commissioner.

Renfrow Y. Porter of Walker is a candidate for the nomination for county commissioner on the democratic ticket. Mr. Porter has been a resident of Lane county for 58 years, having been born near Cottage Grove in 1858. He has been a successful farmer and business man and practically everyone in southern Lane county knows "Bud" Porter. Mr. Porter has on opponent in the primaries and his reputation for business-like methods, honest and square dealing will undoubtedly bring him a great many votes from all parties this fall.

Mr. Porter stands for a common sense administration of the county business, wants a dollar's value for every dollar spent and if elected will see to it that the taxpayers receive this. He wants an economical administration of the county affairs and if elected will do his utmost to see that this condition prevails, regardless of politics. ma10-17pd



WALTER B. JONES
874 Willamette Street, Eugene, Oregon.
Republican Candidate for
State Legislature

If I can retain your friendship and confidence and you think I can do our county any good, I will appreciate your support; otherwise vote for the other fellow.
Paid Adv. may3-12e

To Whom It May Concern.

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a26m10e FRANK W. BIRNSTIEL.

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Ernest R. Spencer

Candidate for Republican
Nomination for

County Commissioner

Paid Adv.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior, U. S.
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April
19, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that John H. McClane, of Oakridge, Oregon, who, on October 25, 1907, made Homestead Entry No. 14653, Serial No. 94337, for the S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, S $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 5, Tp. 21 S., R. 3 E., of W. M., and on September 16, 1908, made additional homestead entry, Serial No. 9804, for 28.20 acres in Sec. 5, Tp. 21 S., R. 3 E., W. M., described by metes and bounds, as follows: Beginning at Cor. No. 1, a basalt stone 25x18x12 inches, 15 inches in ground, over a stone marked with a cross for the corner, whence the quarter section corner between Secs. 4 and 5 bears N. 0 degrees 31 minutes E. 15 chs.; thence W. 21.12 chs. on North boundary of the tract to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 43 degrees 26 minutes W., 27.15 chs., to Cor. No. 3; thence S. 89 degrees 33 minutes E., 4.95 chs., to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 0 degrees 33 minutes W., 4.99 chs., to Cor. No. 5; thence S. 89 degrees 34 minutes E., 9.93 chs., to Cor. No. 6; thence N. 0 degrees 15 minutes W., 4.99 chs., to Cor. No. 7; thence S. 89 degrees 34 minutes E., 19.92 chs., to Cor. No. 8; thence N. 0 degrees 22 minutes E., 5 chs., to Cor. No. 9; thence S. 89 degrees 34 minutes E., 4.99 chs., to Cor. No. 10; thence N. 0 degrees 31 minutes E. on East boundary of this tract and boundary between Secs. 4 and 5, 5 chs., to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 12th day of June, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: S. E. Walker, of Oakridge, Oregon, W. F. Kelley, of Oakridge, Oregon, W. G. Hammer, of Oakridge, Oregon, A. C. McClane, of Oakridge, Oregon.
ma3jun7 J. M. UPTON, Register.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the matter of the Estate of Daniel Shaffer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executrix of the Estate of Daniel Shaffer, deceased, has filed her Final Account with the county clerk of Lane county, Oregon, and that Monday, May 29th, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in the Probate Court room of the Lane county court house, has been set by the court as the time and place to pass on the same. All persons having objections to said final account and said final settlement of said estate, will present them to the court, on or before said date at said place.

Dated this 17th day of April, 1916.
JENNIE M. WHITE,
Executrix of said Estate
William G. Martin &
Carey F. Martin,
Attorneys for said Estate. a19m17e

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JOHN S. COKE.

Candidate for Republican Nomination
for Circuit Judge.

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Republican
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On the 19th day of this month a primary nominating election is to be held, and at this election three of the five republican candidates will be chosen as the nominees of the republican party for the office of circuit judge for the second judicial district of this state, which is composed of Benton, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Lane and Lincoln. The law provides "that one of said judges shall reside south of the Umpqua river and west of the coast range of mountains during his term of office." While such is not the letter of the law, yet it is fair to assume the spirit of the law contemplates that one of the circuit judges should be nominated and elected from this section of the district rather than a non-resident who will be forced to change his residence in order to qualify; therefore, one of the three nominees should, in fairness, be selected from this portion of the district.

I am now serving my first elective term as one of the circuit judges for this district, having been nominated and elected in 1910, and having received at both the primary and general election a very large and complimentary vote. My duties as circuit judge have been performed largely in Coos county, my home, where I have lived nearly all my life time, and I am constrained to believe that the people of this county who know me best and have known me long, registered their approval of my official conduct when they gave me at the primary election of 1910, a larger vote than any other candidate for any state or district nomination; and my home county gave me nearly twice as many votes as were given any other candidate for this nomination on any other ticket.

The office of circuit judge carries with it great responsibilities and difficult duties, and in Coos county alone, at each of the three sessions, the docket usually contains not less than two hundred and fifty cases, many of which involve the determination of numerous motions and demurrers in addition to the final hearing of the case upon its merits. In addition to the work in my own district, I have been many times called to other counties of the state to hear and determine difficult and unpleasant cases. In no instance have I hesitated to hear and determine any case on account of its being difficult or unpleasant, but I have assumed these duties and responsibilities and have given conscientious consideration of all matters which have been presented to me. I do not doubt that I have committed errors, but I have given to the people of this state the best service that was within me. It is for you to say whether I have so performed the duties of circuit judge as to merit your support at the coming primary election.

Owing to the fact that my official duties have been such as to render it impossible for me to make a personal canvass, I am presenting myself to the voters through this paid advertisement.

JOHN S. COKE,
Residing at 547 First St. S.,
Pd. Adv. c Marshfield, Oregon.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have sold my interest in the D. C. Baughman Lumber company. The aforesaid company is to assume all outstanding obligations and will collect all the bills due the company.
may10-24pd J. A. ABEENE.

FAIR RANCHERS SUCCEED AS ASPARAGUS RAISERS

Make Large Shipments by Express Every Day for Two Months.

That women can make a success of farming is demonstrated by Miss Sue Dorris and Miss M. A. Smith of this city who have 18 acres planted to asparagus and who ship the product to all the principal cities of the Pacific northwest.

Nearly every working day since the fore part of March Miss Dorris and Miss Smith have been seen to enter the city in their car with a trailer attached, the latter loaded to the guards with boxes of asparagus neatly and scientifically packed for shipment. It is all shipped to outside points by express and the fair owners of the ranch make it a point to gather the product a short time before the trains which carry it are scheduled to leave so that it will be shipped fresh and remain in that condition as long thereafter as possible.

Miss Dorris said yesterday that they shipped 900 pounds Tuesday. Yesterday's shipment was nearly as large, and on one day recently they shipped 1350 pounds. The asparagus goes as far east as Spokane, and to Seattle, Tacoma, Bellingham and other northern cities. They have made shipments as far as Alaska but these are not common.

Miss Dorris and Miss Smith employ from eight to ten men throughout the shipping season, which usually lasts two and one-half months. They began gathering the asparagus about the first of March for the local trade, and began shipping a week or two later. The season will end some time this month.

Miss Dorris' occupation when the asparagus does not require her attention is that of a photographer and Miss Smith is an osteopathic physician. They say they like the outdoor work and the change from the grind of their respective professions. They attend personally to the shipments of the asparagus and attend to all the details of the business.—Eugene Register.

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