

**B. F. JONES ISSUES CAMPAIGN STATEMENT**

**TO THE VOTERS OF POLK AND LINCOLN COUNTIES:**

As there are many voters in Polk and Lincoln counties with whom I am not acquainted and who know nothing about me, therefore as a candidate seeking the election on the republican ticket as joint representative for Polk and Lincoln counties, I deem it wise to let these voters know something concerning myself.

Born in Douglas county, Kansas, in 1858; moved to Oregon in 1870 with my mother and settled upon a homestead on land now in the corporate limits of Toledo; lived 31 years in Toledo, three years in Corvallis, four in Astoria, four years in Independence, four years in Roseburg, six years in Newport.

Educated in the public schools and Old college at Corvallis; married Miss Ella Miller of Corvallis, in 1881; have four sons and two daughters all living in Lincoln county.

From 1876 to 1893 engaged in farming, logging and steamboating.

County clerk of Lincoln county from 1893 to 1898, during which time I studied law under the late Judge John Kelsey of Corvallis; admitted to the bar in 1897, since which time I have practiced in the courts of Oregon.

Served as joint representative of Polk and Lincoln counties two terms while living in Lincoln county and two terms while living in Independence, Polk county; served as city attorney and mayor of Toledo, Independence and Newport. Appointed register of the United States land office at Roseburg, Oregon, by President Taft in 1910, serving four years.

Author of free locks at Oregon City, appropriating three hundred thousand dollars by the state which was matched by the government to purchase the locks at Oregon City, making the Willamette free from tolls and maintained and operated by the

government, saving to the farmers and shippers 50c per ton on all freight and 10c a head on all passengers passing thru the locks.

Author Teacher-Parent association law. Author of the Roosevelt Military Coast highway law. Have for years been on the firing line for the improvement of Yaquina Bay harbor.

Had something to do with the creating of Lincoln county in the 1893 session of the legislature.

Acting as attorney, and at my own costs before the railroad commission of Oregon in 1908, I brought suit against the Wells Fargo and Pacific Express companies alleging their express rates to be unreasonable, unjust and unlawful, winning both suits and causing a reduction of express rates in Oregon of 25 percent.

If elected I promise a square deal for all without fear or favor from anyone.

Pd. Adv. B. F. JONES

**Garden Tract Needs Shift**

It is well to pick out a new spot for the home vegetable garden at this time of year since one of the best ways to prevent the increase of vegetable diseases from year to year is to rotate the soil in order that parasites that get established with one crop may have a chance to die out before the crop is grown again on the same land. This often takes several years. Potato ground especially should be rotated on account of wilt and thizootonia.—O. A. C. Exp. station.

**Sodium Fluoride Kills Lice**

Dust the pullets with sodium fluoride if troubled with lice. This is best done at night as less disturbance is caused among the birds.—O. A. C.

**Roof Hen House Now**

Now is the time to fix the roof of the poultry house if it has not already been done.—O. A. C. Exp. station

**OREGON NEWS NOTES OF GENERAL INTEREST**

**Principal Events of the Week Briefly Sketched for Information of Our Readers.**

The salmon run has begun in the Sixes and Elk rivers, Curry county, but is rather light so far.

Accidents in September on Portland streets mounted to a total of 1252, two of which were fatal.

Approximately 1490 tons of blackberries were processed by Salem canneries during the recent season.

An appropriation of \$2000 has been made by the war department to restore the rifle range at Roseburg.

The Oregon State Horticultural society will hold its next annual convention at Corvallis November 23-24.

After a two weeks' postponement to enable the boys and girls to help in the hop and prune harvests, the Falls City schools have reopened.

The first snow fall of the season in eastern Oregon occurred last Wednesday, when a light snow fell at Pleasant Valley, south of La Grande.

Portland was one among 65 cities showing increased employment for September. This was shown in a report given out by the department of labor.

Thirty-seven Marion county boys and girls won a total of \$516 at the Oregon state fair, it was announced by William Ballie, county supervisor of schools.

Caustic criticism of the Klamath city jail, the only place for incarceration of Klamath county prisoners, was contained in a report of the county grand jury.

The Southern Pacific company has begun to tear down the old streetcar bridge that spans the Willamette at Springfield. The bridge was built about 12 years ago.

Sixteen inches of snow at Crater lake, with snow still falling, put an end to government operations, which it was thought could be kept up until at least October 15.

Harrisburg hop growers who had the greater portion of this year's crop contracted have experienced difficulty in forcing buyers to accept the full quantity of the contract.

Permits for commercial radio broadcasting stations have been granted to Meler & Frank, Portland, and Alders Music store, Baker, the department of commerce has announced.

The Eugene Bible university will at once inaugurate a campaign for half a million dollars to form a fund for the maintenance of the institution and for building extensions.

The state board of equalization will meet in Salem October 16 and will be in session for 15 days. Complaints against this year's valuations will be received and considered at this session.

With practically all of this season's prunes in from the orchards, it was announced by the Eugene Fruit Growers' association that a little more than 2,000,000 pounds will be the output of the association's driers this year.

Reports from Astoria say this year's run of silverside salmon will be one of the largest in years. The bay at Astoria is full of salmon, which should make fishing in the Columbia and its tributaries good in a couple of weeks.

John C. Veatch, chief deputy district attorney for the federal district of Oregon has announced his resignation, effective November 1. Lester W. Humphreys, the district attorney, already has resigned, effective January 1.

The night schools maintained in Astoria each year by the city educational department for the instruction of foreign-born residents in English and citizenship, will be resumed for the winter on the first Monday in November.

The Oregon state hospital, at the close of its biennial period October 1, had a total population of 1845, according to a report presented to the state board of control by Dr. R. E. Lee Steiner, superintendent of the institution.

Portland was the fifth city of the country in percentage to gain in postal receipts for September this year the gain being 20.7 per cent. Portland's receipts for that month exceeded cities of larger population such as Rochester, New Orleans, Seattle and Louisville.

The Pine Grove school board of Hood River county suspended for a day ten grade students and expelled six for use of tobacco. The children drawing the more lenient punishment it was said merely had tobacco in their possession, while the six were declared to be spreading the habit.

Specifications for the proposed destroyer and submarine base at the mouth of the Columbia river, near Astoria, will go forward late in November, the navy department has advised Senator McNary. It is expected that construction of the base, which will cost ultimately about \$2,000,000, will begin early in January.

**GRAND JURY RECOMMENDS CHANGE IN COURT HOUSE**

Dallas—We, the grand jury selected to serve during the October, 1922, term of the circuit court for the county of Polk, do hereby make the following recommendations concerning the county jail and the county court house:

We do hereby recommend that the building now being used as a county jail be dispensed with and the steel cages now in said building be moved to the court house block, either in the basement or adjoining thereto. We make these recommendations concerning the jail for the reason:

That after a thorough inspection, we find same to be unsafe, unsound and unsanitary and in every way unfit for a county jail. That in case a fire should occur in the jail Polk county would pay out many times the cost of a jail in damage suits on account of the probability of some inmate being burned to death or otherwise seriously injured.

That we, after a thorough inspection, find a very crowded and congested situation in nearly all the offices of the county officials of this county, due to lack of room. Especially does this apply to the county sheriff and the county clerk, who neither have proper room nor good fire proof vaults for their records, nor proper office space for their respective offices. In both instances these public officials are the custodians of most of the important records in the court house, being our deed records, and tax receipts. It is apparent that these vaults should be enlarged now and must be done within the near future, and by so doing the office space of these officials will be reduced to a great extent. Particularly should the office of the county sheriff be enlarged, as it is inadequate, in as much as the sheriff has only one room in which to collect taxes and also attend to his official duties as sheriff. In many cases during tax collection time when some person calls at his offices and wishes to discuss with him privately, there is absolutely no available space in which to do this.

In order to remedy this we would recommend that the county court cause to be erected an addition on the east end of the building large enough to accommodate the business of the present time and for the immediate future, providing they have the means at their command to do this. Should they not have the wherewithal to make this desired enlarge-

ment they should put the matter on the first ballot and let the voters provide the means for the erection of the same.

The grand jury consisted of Frank Ackerman, Suver; J. E. Allen, Monmouth; W. J. Estabrook, Rickreall; D. L. Key, foreman, Perrydale; Blaine Southwick, Rickreall; G. A. Schroeder, R. I. Dallas, and Otis Wait, Rickreall.

**HENS PECK PEN MATES**

Birds just off the range and placed in confined quarters, as they are during the winter, should be carefully watched, for they are likely to develop the habit of picking each other's feathers. The new feathers have blood at the base which gives them the taste of blood and causes this habit to develop. The best remedy is to keep the birds busy and hungry working for feed, which will keep

away this depraved appetite. Raw bones with a little meat left on them, placed where the pullets can get to them, will help. Care should be exercised to keep the bones from getting stale by providing fresh ones from day to day.—O. A. C. Exp. station.

**More Lime Used**

More lime is being ordered by farmers from the state lime plant at Gold Hill. It is applied in moderate amounts after plowing, and harrowed in. A manure spreader with a little loose straw manure in the bottom is sometimes used for applying the lime, or a lime spreader may be obtained when lime is used regularly. Directions for making a lime spreader may be had in college circular. Best results may be expected on soils of known acidity, medium fertility and heavy texture, on which legumes such as clover are to be grown.—O. A. C. Experiment station.

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