

Candidates for Governor

When a candidate for public office makes a campaign promising what he will do if elected, it is fitting and proper that the voter examine the public records to ascertain whether or not the candidate's record squares with his campaign promises. In the present campaign Candidate Pierce professes to be the apostle of lower taxes.

Mr. Pierce's Record

1. Of the \$9,376,000 of state taxes for 1922, Mr. Pierce specifically approved of \$6,564,039. This is 69 per cent of the total. Mr. Pierce had no opportunity to vote on the other 3 per cent, as he was not a member of the legislature when it was up for vote.
 2. He voted for 97 per cent of all tax appropriation bills of the 1919 session of the legislature, and for all the appropriation bills of the special session of 1920.
 3. The State Highway Commission now works without pay. Mr. Pierce introduced a bill to pay the commissioners \$12,000 a year.
 4. He voted to submit a bond issue of \$400,000 for a new penitentiary. Governor Olcott has repaired the old one with convict labor at no tax expense.
 5. Mr. Pierce claims he wishes to relieve real estate of the tax burden; yet he is the author of a bill submitted to the legislature which would exempt from all taxation moneys, notes, credits and accounts.
 6. In the last few years he voted for 185 salary increases.
 7. He voted against the bills to consolidate the state bureaus and commissions.
 8. He introduced a bill providing for the most elaborate commission any state ever had. He specifically provided "to secure every citizen of Oregon an opportunity at all times to work for the state," and provided a \$5,000 salary for the head of the commission. This bill was purely Socialistic.
 9. In the 1917, 1919 and 1920 sessions of the legislature there were appropriation bills introduced totaling \$10,552,000. Of these Senator Pierce voted for \$10,075,000.
- Measured by every standard, Mr. Pierce is the most consistent little tax booster the state of Oregon ever had.

Mr. Olcott's Record

1. He introduced a change in the state secretary's report which has saved the state many thousands of dollars since 1912.
2. His renovation of the penitentiary saved the state nearly half a million dollars.
3. He secured funds for a training school building for the Boys' Institute without a single dollar or additional taxes.
4. He is the originator of the Oregon Blue Sky Law, which saves the Oregon people millions of dollars annually.
5. He was responsible for the stopping of junketing trips by state officials at state expense.
6. He secured the passage of a budget law effecting large economies in the state government, which could not otherwise be accomplished.
7. The change in the State Sessions Law, recommended by him, saves the state \$10,000 a year.
8. He has been universally commended for the excellence of his official appointments.
9. He is responsible for changes in the administration of the state farms, which this year brought returns of \$491,000 into the state.
10. He has shown himself, by his acts, a friend of the ex-service men, has warmly supported the bonus measure, and has administered the law in the interest of the ex-service men with honesty and efficiency.
11. He has taken the first real constructive step in the equalization of the state tax situation by the appointment of a committee of experts to investigate and report to the legislature the entire scope of the tax problem in this state, thus assuring that any changes to be made will be made along sane, conservative and constructive lines, which give far more promise of securing results than demagogic bawling and idle campaign promises such as are being made by the non-partisan candidate of the Democratic party, especially in the light of his record as the champion tax producer of the state of Oregon.

Vote for Olcott for GOVERNOR

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE
WALTER L. TOOZE, Chairman. C. E. INGALLS, Secretary.

FARM POINTERS

The fall rains are favoring abundant infections of peach blight, apple anthracnose, loganberry anthracnose, die-back and heart rot fungi in all fruits and orchard trees. A thorough coating of freshly prepared Bordeaux mixture is the best protection during the rainy season and winter for all this class of fruit trees.—O. A. C. Exp. station. Buy only the best bee supplies. This is particularly important when

purchasing hive bodies and frames. A metal covered telescope cover will be found far superior to any other, especially in the damper sections of the northwest. Order your supplies early so as to have everything ready before the rush of spring work starts. The best flavored cider is made by using equal parts of sweet and sour apples. Two-thirds of sweet and one-third of sour apples may be used or just the reverse, depending upon the kind of cider desired.

Rye grass fall sowed makes a seed crop the next summer. It is an easy crop to handle, requiring no special machinery. Annual imports into the United States are large and much of " " is used in seeding pasture and burms in the Pacific northwest. For late sowing of wheat, oats or barley, more seed must be used. Gray oats is one of the best crops for late sowing. Winter rye is also a good crop to sow on cold land.—O. A. C. Exp. station.

TULE LAKE LAND NOT FOR LOCAL MEN

The reclaimed land on Tule lake in Klamath county which was thrown open to homestead entry a few days ago, did not appeal to a quartet of former service men from Independence men who visited the land last week and they returned home without filing.

The land in question is on the shore of Tule lake, has been cropped for a season or more, and is good soil. The parcels range in size from a few acres to a maximum of 80 acres, the average being around 60. There is an irrigation charge of \$90 an acre against the land and the usual homestead requirements. The local boys could not figure out how the venture could prove a financial success in view of the fact that they found that they could buy irrigated land in the same district with water rights paid for around \$75 an acre.

The drawing was far from successful. Of the 180 parcels in the area, only 46 were filed upon with only six duplications. Twenty of the 46 were Klamath county ex-service men.

Those going from here were: Dr. C. C. Wright, Clinton Baun, Bliss Byers and Frank Kennedy. They drove in Dr. Wright's car, going by the way of Ashland and over the Green Springs mountains to Klamath Falls. Returning they came by the way of Bend and over the McKenzia pass. They state that they enjoyed the trip, which was without disagreeable incidents, but all are of the opinion that the valley suits them a whole lot better than the Klamath country.

FAVORABLE VOTE MEANS DEVELOPMENT OF STATE

Portland—"If the people of Oregon are in earnest in their desire for some general move for state development, the 1927 exposition measures will be carried by overwhelming majorities November 7, because this is our one hope for the immediate future."

This is the declaration of Mayor George L. Baker of Portland, head of the general committee in charge of the exposition campaign. On the eve of the general election the committee expresses confidence that the people of the state will return a good majority for the measure that will permit Portland to tax itself for the promotion of the exposition and that the city of Portland itself will cast a big vote in favor of the special levy for this purpose.

Reflecting this confidence in the favorable outcome of the election, plans have been formulated for a general 10 year development program of all of Oregon, with the exposition as the central figure. This is to include the beginning immediately of a campaign of publicity, in which the attractions of Oregon for the tourist its opportunities for the farmer, the stock ranging, the fruit-grower and the artisan, and its vast resources awaiting development, will be exploited in all parts of the United States.

There has been some newspaper opposition to the state permitting Portland to tax itself for such a program," says Mayor Baker, "but on the whole it appears to me that the people of the state realize the importance of this move and will do their part by granting Portland permission to hold the exposition if the Portland people want to and are willing to pay the bill. In Portland the situation looks very favorable for a big majority in favor of the exposition tax measure."

APPLE VARIETIES MANY; NOT ALL WELL KNOWN


Apple varieties need to be carefully thought out before winter and spring planting, reports the experiment station at O. A. C.

The common varieties of apples are well known to most persons but there are several fine eastern sorts that would make a desirable addition to the table if grown for home use.

Desirable early varieties include the Early Harvest, Sweet Bough, Golden Sweet, Yellow Transparent, and the Gravenstein. Fall and early winter apples such as the Melon, Mother, Twenty-ounce Pippin, Fall Pippin, Pumpkin Sweet, McIntosh, Bailey Sweet, Wealthy and Seek-No-Father are good varieties to plant. For late varieties the Gilliflower (Sheep Nose), Dutch Mignon, Golden Russet, Roxbury Russet, Lady Apple, Northern Spy, Tollman Sweet and the Swaar are very desirable.

Sweet Apples occupy an important place in this list. It is peculiar that so few varieties of sweet apples are at present grown in the northwest.—O. A. C. Exp. station.

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POLK NATIVE SON DIES AT DALLAS HOSPITAL

Dallas—C. L. Hubbard, who was born near Dallas 67 years ago, died October 26 at the Dallas hospital, where he was taken a week ago following a stroke of paralysis. Funeral services were held the following afternoon at 2 o'clock, at the Chapman & Henkle chapel, and interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. Hubbard is survived by his

widow and two daughters, Mrs. W. C. Campbell and Miss LaVerne Hubbard of Portland, and by two brothers, Douglas Hubbard of Dallas and John Hubbard of McMinnville; also one granddaughter.—Itemizer

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THE first cost of state monopoly of schools would be something over three million dollars for new buildings and grounds. We would have to pay a yearly tax of over one million dollars for operation in addition to what we are paying now.

They propose that Oregonians pay this bill for "Real Americanism." But it is not Americanism to take away the right of the parent to control the education of the child.

They propose that we pay this bill to have "Compulsory School." But we actually have compulsory school right now under the present law.

Be not deceived. What this burden of added taxes will go for is an experiment in education along communistic lines—the substitution of state monopoly in education for parental guidance. Russia is trying this experiment. Let us profit by her failure. Let us maintain our democracy and save millions of dollars.

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