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It will all be politics now for the next three weeks. The world's series has been won and there's nothing else to interfere.

The attempted assassination of Col. Roosevelt is regretted by all. It is deplorable that we have such creatures in our land, as no man in public life is safe. No good is accomplished through such methods and had Mr. Roosevelt been killed it would have made no change in the political situation of the country.

During the next few months with long evenings the business men of Burns should have several get-together meetings and prepare for the coming year of great changes in the country. Burns should be ready to accede to any reasonable demand by the railroad people at the proper time; we should also give our moral support to irrigation projects that are going to transform this big country. Other matters of importance to this city and the country in general may be taken up with profit.

NOTICE

A. K. Richardson Answered And A Full Explanation Demanded Of Him

The present County Sheriff of Harney County, in a statement published in the last issue of the Harney County News, accuses me of having stated that he has failed to turn in to the proper county officer civil mileage fees which he has collected. That I, as one of his opponents, have not sufficient knowledge of the laws and duties of the sheriff's office to make a good and efficient officer. That I am endeavoring to foist falsehood upon the voting public. He further states that the books of his office have recently been experted by William Stirling who, he implies, found the books of his office in all way kept in accordance with law.

I have said, and I do now say, that Mr. A. K. Richardson, the present County sheriff, has failed to comply with the law relating to civil mileage fees, and I submit the following as proof of my contention.

Section 3129 of Lord's Oregon Laws, provides as follows: "The sheriffs of the several counties of Oregon shall be required to collect in advance the following fees in all civil cases, and to pay the same over to the several county treasurers at the end of every month, with an itemized statement showing the cases from which such fees were collected. The Court shall include in its judgment against the losing party, as costs in the case, the amounts so paid by the prevailing party to the sheriff: For each mile necessarily traveled in serving any civil process or subpoena, ten cents; provided, that no charge shall be made for constructive mileage in any case."

Under the foregoing quoted section of law a failure to turn civil mileage fees over to the treasurer is a failure to comply with the law, but as I wish to give Mr. Richardson the benefit of the doubt in this matter I have only claimed, and I only claim, that he has not collected civil mileage fees—which however, is a failure to comply with the law.

I have in my possession the certificate of which the following is a copy: CERTIFICATE "I, Simon Lewis, County Treasurer of Harney County, Oregon, do hereby certify that during my term of office as said County Treasurer no civil mileage fees have been paid over to me as said Treasurer by the Sheriff of said County of Harney, nor has any statement been rendered to me as said Treasurer showing that no civil mileage fees were collected by said Sheriff."

Given under my hand this 15th day of October, 1912. SIMON LEWIS, County Treasurer of Harney County Oregon.

To show that Mr. Richardson is not conversant with the matters relative to his office, and that he has not been exact as to his statement relating to the experting of his books I offer the following facts.

On January 3 1911, Mr. William Stirling filed in the office of the County Clerk of Harney County,

Oregon his report to the County Court, stating the matters which he found in his audit of the various county offices. The report covers the period from July 6, 1908 to December 30, 1910, but with regard to the books of the County Sheriff's office it does not purport to cover any matters other than the tax roll. The report is dated January 3, 1911 and hence it is not recent. It is the report of the last audit made of the sheriff's office. Mr. Richardson is very much misinformed as to this audit for as before stated it does not mention civil mileage fees.

Mr. Tom Allen, the predecessor to Mr. Richardson in the sheriff's office, collected the fees provided for in the foregoing quoted section of statute and paid them over to the County Treasurer as is shown by the records of both the County Treasurers and County Clerks offices. In the month of May 1905 five receipts were issued to Mr. Allen for civil mileage fees.

If the fees mentioned have not been collected, and I give Mr. Richardson the benefit of the doubt by saying that he has failed to collect them, then who is the loser. Such fees should be by law collected and paid to the County Treasurer monthly and if not so done the county is not getting what it should.

Every voter knows that a number of civil actions are commenced in Harney County every year. Every action commenced means some mileage. If Mr. Richardson has failed to collect these fees then he should admit that he has failed to properly administer the duties of his office. In any event the tax-payers and voters of Harney county are entitled to know just what has been done by Mr. Richardson in this matter.

By law he receives a salary of \$2,400.00 per year. Since September 1911 he has received from the County Court of Harney County the sum of \$3,866.99 which after the deduction of his salary of \$2,400.00 leaves a balance of \$1,466.99 which amount means some extravagance—the salary of the office being but \$2,400.00.

Both as a taxpayer and a candidate for office who has been falsely accused of falsehood I believe that I have a right to demand full explanation from Mr. Richardson. I demand that his disclosure be made through the press of Harney County, and that in sufficient time before election so that I may reply to the same. The foregoing matters are all of record and every voter has a right to examine the said records. Will Mr. Richardson please explain how he administers the civil mileage law? Will he further explain why his office takes such large county expenditure when he makes part of his independent platform his economical administration of the office he now holds?

The foregoing is respectfully submitted to the voters of Harney County in the hope that they will look into the above matters for themselves so that they may be fully advised that the contention I make is correct, and for the further reason that they be fully advised at the time they make their choice for the Sheriff's office at the polls.

SIDNEY COMEGYS, Democratic Nominee for County Sheriff. Paid Adv.

A SUDDEN DEATH.

Thomas Dawson, aged 73 years died at the home of his son in Sunset yesterday at noon. His death was very sudden and no doubt caused from heart disease, as he was apparently in good health just a short time before. He had gone to the mail box a distance of two miles in the morning and after reading the mail he went out to throw some dirt on the cellar where the dogs had scratched it off, being accompanied by his little granddaughter. In a short time the little girl came in and told her mother that grandpa was very sick. Mrs. Dawson went out, she being the only other person at home at the time, and assisted him into the house and later persuaded him to lie down. The old gentleman did not stay in bed but came again into the other room and sat down. He said he felt very queer and feared he was going to die. Mrs. Dawson again persuaded him to go to his room but he said his legs would not act right and he would have to crawl. He attempted to go to his room with the assistance of Mrs. Dawson but fell and expired immediately.

Mr. Dawson came here with his son, W. R. Dawson and family, a few years ago and had since made his home with them. Deceased was an estimable old gentleman and was highly respected by all his acquaintances. Funeral services will be held at the Burns cemetery Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by Dr. Babbidge of the Presbyterian church.

Candidate For County Clerk

E. C. Eggleston, the democratic candidate for county clerk of this county, has been a resident of Sunset for the past six years. He was formerly a resident of Colorado and has the best of recommendations from former neighbors and business associates as to his integrity, qualifications and fitness for the office. Mr. Eggleston has been



an energetic worker for the development of the country since he became a citizen, at once acquired property and identified himself with the advancement of the country. He has built a comfortable home for himself and family and developed his place just as fast as his financial circumstances would permit. Mr. Eggleston asks the support of the voters and pledges his best efforts for an economical administration of the affairs of the office should they see fit to place him there. (Paid Adv)

Winter Will be a Mild One.

The old-time Indians of Hood River say the winter will be very mild this year. The prediction is based on the fact that there are very few acorns on the oak trees in the Hood River Valley this season. Old Indian George Chinadere, who has lived in Hood River all of his life and who is now nearly 100 years old, says scarcity of acorns has always been an unfailing sign of a mild winter with the Indians as long as he can remember and that the tribesmen always act on this sign in securing winter fuel and food-stuffs. Acorns are the principal fall food for the squirrels and bear that abound in the hills surrounding the valley and they lay in large stores for hard winters.—Ex.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF

The sworn statements of Life Insurance Companies on file at the State Insurance Department, Salem, show that in 1909, 1910, 1911, Oregon Life the Only Life Insurance Company Exclusively Oregon, sold more policies in Oregon than any other company. In 1912 Oregon Life is surpassing all its previous records. BEST FOR OREGONIANS

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MURDER TRIAL BEING HEARD THIS WEEK

Burbank Clay, Frank and James Buckland On Trial For The Killing Of Marshal Stroud Of Harney

The trial of the Buckland boys and Burbank Clay for the killing of Marshal Stroud at Harney has occupied the circuit court all this week. There was considerable difficulty in securing a jury and it took several days to complete it. The testimony is about all in now and it is expected the case will be submitted to the jury during the day. The jurors are: L. M. Ferry, A. R. Porter, James Bennet, Sylvester Smith, Paul Finke, H. M. Hibbard, W. A. Welty, D. W. Cox, C. V. Reed, W. S. Riddle, Moris Schwartz, T. H. Short.

The Times-Herald has not the space to give the testimony of this case as there were many witnesses on both sides. G. H. Mathey, who was indicted with the defendants on the charge of murdering Stroud, gave evidence for the state which was very damaging to the defense, as he testified that the murder had been planned before and gave details. When the defense took the stand some of the witness testified that it was Mathey who killed the marshal with a 30-30 rifle.

The case is being fought hard by the representing counsel, Miller & Chezem appearing for the defense and District Attorney McCulloch, Deputy C. H. Leonard and Geo. Sizemore are prosecuting. Every inch of ground is being carefully fought for by the attorneys and it is likely considerable time will be taken in arguing the case before it is submitted.

We understand the trial of Otto Lowell, who is also indicted for the killing, will go on immediately following the present trial.

Receiver Davey Resigns

The following appeared in the Journal of Oct. 16, under a Washington date line: Frank Davey has resigned as receiver of the land office at Burns, Ore. His resignation was recently requested "for the good of the service" and it has now been received.

Davey's term expired about the first of the year and he has continued to hold over under the rule that an incumbent remains in office until his successor is appointed and qualifies. Complaints concerning him have been entered for some time, but strong political backing saved him up to this time.

POPULAR HISTORICAL PRIZE CONTEST

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OLD GLORY OR THE RED RAG?

Nightly on the streets of Portland loud-mouthed agitators blaspheme the name of the Lord and curse the Star Spangled Banner. They are reaching out into the smaller communities and it may be your turn next to contend with them. Read and Vote No. 370 in Voters Pamphlet.

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