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SATURDAY, JULY 11th

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TO BE MANY MEASURES

LARGE LIST OF QUESTIONS TO COME BEFORE THE VOTERS OF OREGON IN THE ELECTION THIS FALL.

Salem, Ore.—Oregon voters will be required to vote on twenty-nine general measures and two local at the coming election in November. The initiators of this number having qualified by filing completed petitions. This is less than the number voted on at the general election of 1912, there being at that time thirty-eight general measures and seven local.

The initiators of some of what were considered the most prominent measures failed to qualify. Jonathan Bourne, Jr. failed to file completed petitions for his proposed measure to prohibit paid circulation of petitions, as did Governor West for his measure to empower the Governor to remove from office district attorneys, sheriffs and constables, etc. Attorney General A. M. Crawford's

two measures also went the way of those which had not sufficient signers to qualify. The bill initiated by the Oregon Manufacturers' association providing for a 5 per cent differential in favor of Oregon manufactured products on public contracts was another of those for which completed filings were not made.

The qualifying measures which will be voted on at the November election are as follows:

To abolish the State Senate.

For proportional representation. Oregon Dry Constitutional amendment.

Abolishment of Death Penalty for Crime in Oregon.

To Establish Department of Industry and Public Works.

Consolidation of the Office of Corporation Commissioner with that of State Insurance Commissioner.

Abolishing office of State Engineer and Desert Land Board.

Equalizing Terms of County Officers.

Fixing Compensation of County Officers of Hood River County.

Law to Provide for Commission to Draft Tax Code.

To Require a Two-Thirds Vote to Enact Unequal Taxation Amendment Supplementary Primary Act.

To Regulate the Practice of Dentistry.

Woman's Wage and Eight Hour law \$1500 Tax Exemptions on Homes, Personal Property, Livestock, etc.

Amendment Providing for Non-partisan Judiciary.

Tidal Land Constitutional Amendment.

Law Authorizing Cities to Construct Public Docks.

Referred Bills.

Referred by the last legislature:

Amendment to Require Voters to be Citizens of the United States in all Elections Unless Otherwise Provided for in the Constitution.

To Create Office of Lieutenant Governor to Act as Governor and as President of the Senate.

To Provide for the Consolidation of County and City When County Contains a City of Over 100,000 Inhabitants.

To Enable the State to Incur Indebtedness for Road Building, etc., Not to Exceed a total of Four Per Cent of the Assessed Valuation.

Taxation Amendment Omitting the Requirement That all Taxation Shall be Equal and Uniform and Providing for Levy, etc., and Prohibiting the Surrender of the Taxing Power.

Amendment Changing the Existing Rule for Equality of Taxation, Authorizing the Levy of Taxes as Prescribed by the General Laws, the Imposition of Special Taxes, etc.

Bill for an Act to Levy a Tax of 1-40 mill on all Property for the Construction and Support of a Normal School at Ashland.

Amendment to Add a Section Authorizing a Law to Enable a Town to be Merged with another Town.

Bill for an Act Creating a Tax Levy of 1-40 mill for the Construction and Support of a Normal School at Weston in Eastern Oregon.

Providing for the Compensation of Members of the Legislature to be \$5 a Day with 10c Mileage.

Marshfield Record: Sheriff W. W. Gage and Walter Condron have returned from their trip to Salem in charge of the quartette of prisoners and reached Coos county last evening by way of Roseburg and Myrtle Point. Mr. Gage stopped in Coquille and Mr. Condron came home to Marshfield. Mr. Condron says Frank Vaughn, who escaped from Sheriff Gage, got an extra dose of hard work on being returned to the penitentiary and was put on the rock pile for 20 days. When Vaughn was returned here to appear as a witness in the Larry Miller case, he wore the prison

garb of gray and after escaping from Sheriff Gage he traded off his trousers for a pair of overalls to a hobo he met near Oakland. For this offense, Vaughn was given the 20 days on the rock pile. Vaughn says he did not propose to wear prison garb when trying to get away. After being recaptured Vaughn looked on the affair in a philosophical way, saying he wanted to get away to see his family and said no one could blame him for attempting to escape. Vaughn told Sheriff Gage and Condron he considered himself mighty lucky to be alive as the deputy fired at him at short range and had his aim been directed towards him he surely would have been slain. This was when the hobo he sent out to rustle a meal for him returned with the officer. In discussing his attempt to escape Vaughn said the officers would have had a difficult time catching him if he had been successful in getting only one meal. He had been through the brush for ten or twelve miles and his clothing was nearly all torn to shreds. Vaughn did not follow the roads, and fell in with the hobos when he got in the vicinity of Oakland.

We need not go so far back as the eighteenth century to find Englishmen who held that shaving was "against God and nature." In the nineteenth, James Ward, R. A., in a "Defense of the Beard," set forth eighteen reasons for retaining it, mainly Scriptural, re-enforced by artistic considerations. "What would a Jupiter be without a beard?" As late as 1880 Theologos published a treatise entitled "Shaving—A Breach of the Sabbath and a Hindrance to the Spread of the Gospel." One of his points was that "Providence had manifestly designed the beard as a protection for the throat and chest." But what about the woman's throat?

Nowhere was there more prejudice centuries ago against beards than at the Inns of court. The "black books" of the Inns tell us how offenders were fined for wearing beards, and sometimes were even compulsorily shaved by order of court. And the prejudice against the bearded barrister still lingers. Vice Chancellor Bacon carried his dislike to bearded or mustached barristers so far that he always refused to hear them. Even now there are very few leading counsel with beards, and I can remember only one unshaved barrister of the greatest eminence, the late Judah Philip Benjamin, Q. C.—silver tongued Benjamin, who wore a mustache and a goatee. — Legion Chronicle

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