

**POLITICAL POINTERS**

(By E. A. KOEN)

Portland, Ore., Nov. 26.—A question frequently asked is, "Will Charles Hall of Marshfield be a candidate for governor?" There is every indication that he will. It is conceded on all sides that if Hall does announce himself that at once the race for the republican nomination will be between him and I. L. Patterson of Polk county, the present governor, who is expected to seek a second term.

Hall was in Portland several days recently and there was a constant stream of men visiting his room. Word came back to the lobby that Mr. Hall was going over the situation with his friends, gathered from different sections of the state, and that after a survey it was practically agreed that he will seek the office. It will be remembered that Hall was a candidate eight years ago and missed out by Olcott getting about 500 more votes in the entire state. Four years ago there was talk of Hall getting ready to seek vindication, but just before the date expired for filing he announced that he would not run. The reason was that he found his private business demanded his attention. During the four years that have followed Hall sold his telephone business, formed a bancorporation that owned several financial institutions and sold that. Foot loose in a business way, his friends insist that he will be in the race. As an organizer of men, either in business or politics, Hall has few peers in Oregon. If he decides to run for governor the mere announcement will carry with it notice that there will be a real campaign.

Even more interesting than all this is the claim of Hall supporters that his platform will be progressive. It is of course known that he will be for the cabinet form of government for the state, for he introduced a bill in the legislature back in 1923 designed to do this very thing. His past connection with a public utility, so his friends say, gave him an insight into the possibility of regulations. Just what this means may not develop until the campaign is further along. All the Hall people insist that the program offered the voters, when and if Hall decides to run, will be progressive enough for the most radical. Their claim is that Hall sees an opportunity to really serve the state, that he is willing to give for the salary of governor and the honor that goes with it his wonderful organizing ability.

Of course Hall opponents pooh pooh this and insist that he is no man for governor, already pointing to the issue that dominated his last campaign for governor—the school book bill. To which the Hall people are already throwing back by sticking up their noses and insisting that the issue of this campaign be adhered to.

If both Patterson and Hall file there will be a real campaign in Oregon for the first time in eight years. Patterson has the support of the republican machine, and if the Hall progressive program materializes Patterson will have the solid support of big business. He is formidable, personally popular and during his four years as governor has made few enemies.

**That Promise of Patterson**

A few days ago the writer was in the lobby of the Imperial hotel in Portland. He was approached by a big man with apparent blood in his eye.

"Looker here," said the big fellow, "you are the editor of the Polk County Observer? You boost for Patterson, eh? You like the big fellow from Eola, yes? You want to hear something about Patterson?"

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wanted to get out, not paying any attention to the claim that the writer was no longer the big guy of the Polk County Observer:

"I can tell you about Patterson! I'll make him come to be governor. He ran against Charley Hall eight years ago and got some 20,000 less votes than did Hall. Four years ago it was generally understood that Hall was to run again. Patterson went to Marshfield and in the presence of a witness shook hands with Hall and promised that he would seek but one term and support Hall in 1930 if Hall would withdraw from the 1926 race and support Patterson. The men shook hands on the contract. If Patterson persists and runs for governor he will be compelled to face the charge that he is a man whose word is worth nothing."

No more is known of this alleged agreement than here narrated, but all the Hall people smile knowingly when the subject is brought up.

**That Pierce-Haney Feud**

On the democratic side of the fence everybody is wondering if it will be possible to patch up the feud between Walter Pierce and Bert Haney. It is claimed that while Haney was a candidate for the United States senate he "high hatted" Pierce, and according to Pierce supporters thereby lost the election. Since that the two democratic war horses have not spoken as they pass by. Democrats not interested in either of these men or their ambitions are trying to patch up a truce, and to put on the screws are talk-

ing H. B. Van Duzer for the democratic nomination for governor.

This activity is due to the fact that the leading democrats figure that with a big fight between Hall and Patterson for the republican nomination, there is good chance to slip in a democrat. This is held to be particularly true if Patterson should get the nomination, as the democrats could then endorse the Hall progressive platform and claim the Hall support. The shrewd democrats who are fathering this idea figure that Van Duzer, a member of the state highway commission, is the man to turn the trick.

**McNary May Yet Have Opposition**

The very latest is that Senator McNary may have opposition in both the primary and general elections. McNary has for years been posing as a progressive, and has voted and acted in a manner to carry out this contention. But he voted against inserting the Grange debenture plan into the tariff bill, and by this one stroke started an agitation for his scalp. Those out to get McNary insist that this proves that McNary has gone over to the conservatives. The hunt is on for a man who is of sufficient prominence to give battle to the little but powerful man from Salem. There is a growing tendency on the part of the progressives to make every candidate show his colors and it is claimed in political circles that McNary is to be no exception to the rule.

Want a Man to— Wherever you go in the First con-

gressional district you hear the plaint, "We want a man to defeat Hawley." Never has the demand for a high grade man been so insistent, and the plaintive cry reaches high for some one who will run against the present congressman in the spring primaries and stand a good chance of election. During the ten years the writer has been in Oregon Hawley has enjoyed the good fortune of competing with men easy to beat. Up to date no one has been mentioned who will stand even a good chance of beating him. But thousands are prayerful and hopeful. They believe the time has come to retire the chairman of the ways and means committee upon the grounds that he has accomplished little for Oregon, is out of step with modern progressives and has already served too long.

**Hal Hoss' Health Is Poor**

Practically ever since he has been in office, Hal Hoss, the former Oregon City newspaper man, has not found it possible to really enjoy his position of power and influence as secretary of state. His health has been poor almost from the day he took office. Hal made a spectacular campaign for the position he now holds, and was blessed with the support of a great majority of the newspapers. It was figured by his friends that with such a start in politics Hal would go far, but those familiar with him now admit that the state of his health is such that he may not for years be able to again engage in a strenuous campaign. He will doubtless without effort secure the full number of years

allowed under the law in his present position, but he will hardly undertake, while in his present ill health, another spirited campaign, which would be necessary if he should aspire to some other position.

**FORMER ECHO SHEEPMAN OPERATING NEAR HEPPNER**

R. F. Wigglesworth, who now lives in the Blackhorse country near Heppner, was renewing old acquaintances in Echo Thursday. Mr. Wigglesworth was in the sheep business at Butter creek for several years but for the past ten years has been in the Willamette valley. He has been operating near Heppner for about two months, being interested with Frank McMenamin in diversified stock and grain farming. He says they will sow 40 acres in peas for their dairy cows and hogs. Many who are interested in this new farming idea have been inspecting his place recently.—Echo News.

Ray Wright, McKinney creek ranchman, was looking after business here on Monday.

**Mrs. Henry Ford's Model "Roadside Market"**



Mrs. Henry Ford, wife of the Detroit automobile manufacturer, and the model "Roadside Market" of her own design which she exhibited in New York at the gathering of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association, of which she is president. The miniature market presents a means of direct contact between farmer and consumer that gives promise of effecting savings for the consumer and enabling the farmer to dispose of his produce more quickly.



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