

WOULD I HAVE OFFICE--ULRICH

Replies to Statement of Sheriff Jones—Says Ballinger Lied If He Said Ulrich Would Become Deputy of Jones, if Elected.

MEDFORD, Or., Oct. 28, 1910.—To the Editor: In the Mail Tribune of October 25, 1910, Mr. Wilbur A. Jones has a card in reference to the undersigned.

In the early part of the year 1909 I was solicited by Mr. Jones to assist him in the sheriff's office on special occasions, which I agreed to do. I performed various kinds of labor in connection with said office, and I endeavored to the best of my ability to perform said duties honorably and honestly, and to the best of my ability. Mr. Jones never made any complaint to me as to my work in connection with said office.

While I was jailing no prisoners escaped from the jail. No prisoners that I took or returned from the penitentiary escaped from me. Whenever I had any papers to serve I served them, good or bad weather. Mr. Jones and myself have been intimate friends for a great many years. I have signed his bond every time he has been elected to office in Jackson county. Mr. Jones says he will not appoint me a deputy in case he is elected sheriff. Mr. Jones has not asked me to become his deputy. Is he not aware that he could not appoint me deputy without my consent. In fact, with my past experience with Mr. Jones, he could not run fast enough to give me the office.

At heart Mr. Jones is a good man, but he lacks the courage of his convictions.

I have been told that Mr. Bellinger has stated that in the event of the re-election of Mr. Jones that I would be his deputy. If Mr. Bellinger made such a statement it is a falsehood pure and simple. I exceedingly regret being drawn into this controversy, but Mr. Jones started the ball rolling and rushed into print, and I deemed it my duty to answer the same.

If I had been in the place of Mr. Jones, rather than publish an article like he has published against a life-long friend I would have said, if I cannot be elected without publishing such an article I will go back to the farm.

(To be continued if necessary.)
Respectfully,
WILLIAM ULRICH.

CHILDREN'S NOTHING LIKE 'EM, SAY PARENTS OF 11

BOSTON, Oct. 31.—"The fact that women do not have more children is the reason for most of the separations that fill the divorce courts nowadays," says Mrs. Daniel E. Savage, mother of eleven children, who has just adopted another, a baby girl of less than two years, so that there may be an even dozen in her Dorchester family.

Mr. Savage, who has been employed by the Boston Elevated company thirty years, looks just as happy as the rest of the family, and the two-year-old toddler, little Helen, who has just been adopted, are the best of chums.

"Children?" he said today. "There is nothing like 'em."
"Children?" his wife declared. "They are what make life worth living. I can't imagine woman without the love of children in her heart. It must be there. Otherwise how could she be a real woman?"

"Some women say that they can't afford to have families. It is all nonsense. Women, when they don't have children, spend their money for the clubs and the theaters and the dinner downtown."

LEAGUE MEETING IN NORTHWEST CALLED

TACOMA, Oct. 31.—Judge Lindsay of Seattle, president of the Northwestern league, has issued a call for a league meeting to be held in Seattle tomorrow, when the circuit for next year will be formally arranged. It has practically been decided that Victoria will be given the sixth berth in the league, the other five members being Seattle, Vancouver, Spokane, Tacoma and Portland. Victoria has deposited its forfeit money and the club has backing to the amount of \$10,000. Eddie Householder, the well known ball player, who will be Victoria's manager, according to report, is now in California hustling for talent.

POPE SAYS PRINCE VICTOR MAY NOT BE MARRIED

ROME, Oct. 31.—Arch Bishop Richelmy of Turin announced today that the vatican had ordered him not to perform a marriage ceremony for Prince Victor Bonaparte, pretender to the French succession, and Princess Clementine of Belgium. Arrangements for the nuptials had been completed when the mandate of the Holy See was conveyed to the arch bishop.

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Central Point Items

Lynn Purdin, of the Globe, visited Roseburg Thursday, where he met parties who are offering him inducements to move his newspaper plant to some point in Douglas county. Mr. Purdin has not as yet decided whether he will move to Douglas county or whether he will take his plant to Medford and pool issues with the Rogue River Magazine, but admits that he is intending to take the plant out of Central Point in the very near future; in fact, "chestnutty chestnut," "we are here to stay," was never written over Mr. Purdin's door. Lynn is a prince of a fellow and your correspondent wishes him success in his new field, wherever it may lie.

Everybody in this end of the county is going to vote for Myers for commissioner with the exception of R. C. F. Astbury, who is affected with political gout, and "dares to be a Daniel and stand alone in the lion's den."

Considering the time it is taking the workmen to re-construct the Bear creek bridge, Joshua Patterson should have been able to hew the piers out of the Rock of Ages. It must be that the job is being done by day's work.

A. Conro Fiero was in from Wood-lawn orchard! Saturday. Mr. Fiero is taking much interest in the Chicago apple show and has sent several boxes of prize fruit to the Illinois metropolis, and it is all labeled "Central Point," just as it should be.

Judge A. P. Gillett has moved his family out of the old store building on Pine street into a neat cottage in the east part of town. We understand he has purchased the cottage.

W. H. Norcross of the Bear Creek Cement Pipe and Block company has returned from the east and things are again humming at the bunkers.

The Central Point Commercial club has just shipped a large assortment of booklets and other literature to Spokane for distribution during the apple show.

The new fixtures being placed in the M. R. England store, made in Central Point all Oregon wood are a credit to Mr. Moon and his workmen. To Mr. England, Central Point, Jackson county and the state of Oregon. In the language of the poet, those fixtures are "cologne water daisies."

Real estate is still active here, several lots having been sold to newcomers during the past week.

The "drys" here are waging an exceedingly successful campaign. They have no opposition and the welkin is fairly ringing with "Oregon dry in 1910."

Secretary W. E. Kahler of the Commercial club has just forwarded several boxes of apples from Central Point orchards to Chicago for the big apple show. These go as Central Point products in the Rogue River valley exhibit.

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