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NO TAMPERING WITH PRIMARY

Governor West Gives Reasons for Vetoing Second Choice Primary Bill—Violates Constitution and Undoes Popular Legislation.

SALEM, Feb. 25.—Governor West's reasons for vetoing the second choice primary bill are that he holds the bill to be unconstitutional in that it seeks to deprive the voter of his constitutional right to vote for one person for nomination, and for the additional reason that he considers himself bound under his promise to the people of Oregon to veto any law that attempts to tamper with the laws that have been approved by them.

"It violates sections 1 and 16 of article II of the constitution of Oregon in this:

"It seeks to deprive the voter of his constitutional right to vote for one person for nomination under the title to every office where more than twice as many persons of one political party are candidates for nomination in one political office division as there are positions to be filled therein, unless he also expresses a second choice among said candidates. He may not have a second choice, and the legislature cannot, under the constitution compel him to name a second choice under penalty of losing his constitutional right to vote for the nomination of one person.

"But even if the bill was not open to this constitutional objection, should consider myself bound to veto it under my promise to the people of Oregon in the recent campaign, that if elected I would not permit any tampering with the laws they had approved by their votes. The 'Oregon system' may need amendments, but so long as it is attacked as a whole I am compelled to stand solidly on the proposition that its results are good enough for the present.

"When men who now oppose the people's system cease their attack on it and recognize the fact that it is here to stay, then will be time for the legislature to seek to improve it."

DELAWARE'S HIGHWAY TO COST A MILLION

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 25.—Delaware will have a highway the entire length of the state, 103 miles that will have no superior in the country.

This was assured when it was announced that Coleman du Pont, Multi-millionaire, president of the du Pont Powder company, has offered to advance \$1,000,000 to the state for the construction of the highway.

It is his intention to make the proposed road the equal of any in the United States.

Lloyd George Is Ill.

LONDON, Feb. 25.—As a result of participating in the debate in the house of commons on the veto bill, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George is today confined to his home with neurasthenia. His friends are alarmed.

DICK JOSE IN SILVER THREADS

Silver Voiced Tenor to Appear in Play Written for Him—The Signing Blacksmith of a Small New England Town.

Richard J. Jose, who brings his own company in the rural drama, "Silver Threads," will be remembered from his appearance as a minstrel star, also a feature with Denman Thompson in the "Old Homestead." Mr. Jose has endeavored for years to secure a play in which he could appear before the public to his advantage, and after four years of striving Martin V. Merle hit upon a theme which he was successful in moulding into an interesting play which met with success and approval throughout the last season and which is now being presented by the original New York cast. Mr. Jose appears as Ben Laurie, the singing blacksmith of a small New England town, where the scenes of the play are laid and in which he has opportunity to sing the songs of old which have been dear to all for generations, as well as the hymns which are sung from the choir balcony of the church.

From a scenic standpoint nothing has been spared to perfect the details, and it is said by press and public to be a production which will live in memory beyond that of "Shore Acres" and "Way Down East." It is a simple story of New England folk, plainly but beautifully told, containing just enough of bright, clean comedy to relieve the more serious situations. Beside Mr. Jose, the cast includes Miss Louise Kent, Miss Sarah Lewis, Miss Edythe Cooke, Mr. Jessie Stone, W. D. Stone, John Meinen, Hobart Cavanaugh and others, all of whom have been selected for their especial fitness for their roles. "Silver Threads" is not only a beautiful story, but it is a sermon containing a great lesson of today, and an evening's entertainment long to be remembered. This attraction comes to the Medford theater on Tuesday, February 28.

EXPOSITION COMMITTEE TO SETTLE DISPUTES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 25.—To settle any dispute that may arise among representatives of foreign nations over their exhibits, President Taft has decided to appoint a committee of three to act in conjunction with the general exposition committee.

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U-GO RETURNS TO VAUDEVILLE

Clever Skits Promised for Tonight—Management Promises Best Talent Obtainable and Independent Moving Pictures.

In a protean sketch called the "Spirit Chamber," Sanford and Mullery, two clever eastern vaudeville performers, will appear at the Ugo theater for four days, commencing tonight. This sketch, which was written especially for them, is one of the cleverest that has been presented here and carries some new ideas in vaudeville work. Throughout the playlet there are selections of good music which are sung by Miss Mullery and which serve to show a wonderful range as well as a beautiful quality.

Not infrequently one hears of a double-voiced singer, but the triple-voiced performer is a rare article. Miss Mullery, however, sings her first song in a deep baritone, her second in a mezzo-soprano and a third in a lyric soprano. Through the medium of quick-changed gowns and makeup, she depicts a number of characters, from the woman of old colonial days to the present day colored mammy, a figure so well known in the south.

Sanford is possessed of rare dramatic ability, and his part of the sketch is carried out in a manner that will win the applause of the most critical audience.

The management promises to present at all times the best vaudeville available, together with three reels of the latest independent moving pictures.

The pictures will be projected on a "made in Medford" aluminum curtain, just completed by B. Klum.

Rothschild's Yacht Ashore.

HAVANA, Feb. 25.—Tugs left here to aid the yacht Almah, reported aground off Cape San Antonio, Cuba. Baron Edmond Rothschild, head of the Paris branch of the famous family, with his wife and a party of friends, are aboard.

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BERNHARDT BUD BLOSSOMS HERE

High School Production of the "Magistrate" Promises to Furnish Another Maxine Elliott—Name Kept Secret—Will Play Leading Role.

It is a well known fact that the great actress, Maxine Elliott, was discovered in a high school play. There has been one discovery in Medford—a young lady, a member of the Medford high school junior class—who has one of the leading parts in

"The Magistrate," bids fair to become a great actress. She reads her lines with the understanding of an experienced actress. Her delivery and voice intonation is perfect. Without any training other than received in the coming junior production, this young lady is a marvel.

"The Magistrate" has great opportunities for the cast and should make quite a sensation.

The date of the presentation is Friday, March 3.

FELTON MADE PRESIDENT OF MEXICAN CENTRAL

MEXICO CITY, Mexico, Feb. 25.—S. M. Felton was today elected president of the Mexican National railway by its directors. Felton is now president of the Chicago Great Western.

Haskins for health

CORONATION OF KING GEORGE V

Mrs. E. D. Manes, who is leaving for Europe in May, has a few vacancies in her exclusive party which is limited to ten.

Being essentially a private party, the choice of accommodation has been secured throughout the tour.

The best seats for viewing the coronation procession have been reserved.

Full information and details given upon request.

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15 acres, 3 miles from Talent, fenced, timber, alfalfa and fruit land, good house, pure water, 1/4 mile from school, 300 young pear trees, lovely place; \$2000, one-half down.

This 15 acres is one of the loveliest small ranches in southern Oregon. Sheltered by the hills from the cold winds of winter, deep, fertile soil, an ideal place for health.

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Also 34 acres, 1 mile from Talent, 12 acres of fruit, family orchard in bearing; apples, Newtowns, 12 acres, peach filled; 7 acres timber, irrigated, dwelling house shaded by large laurel trees, plenty of water; fertile soil; garden spot; pumping plant; terms, \$12,000, \$7000 cash, the balance in payments of \$1900 yearly at 6 per cent.

\$383 Acre.

Also 20 acres alfalfa and fruit land, with timber, 1 mile from Talent; \$6500 cash down; just think what a snap, a little over \$300 an acre. Where can you find near the depot and railroad a cheaper place?

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Town lots in the newly incorporated town of Talent, Or., on the installment plan.

From \$150 to \$500 a lot.

A fine four acre ranch near Talent; very fertile alfalfa and fruit soil. Well watered, all fenced and cultivated; Peach orchard, young, of 160 trees bore last year, Apple trees 36, Apricot 1, cherry 2, English Walnuts 2, Pear 12, Plum 5, Quince 21, Nodasine 1.

Tokay and Malaga grapes 3 year old, Strawberries 1-2 acre Raspberries and Logans for family use, chicken ranch, chicken house, new woodshed.

Wagon shed, etc., good house, spring, water piped to house, creek runs through the place. Only \$1800 cash down.

Also 17 acres, 14 acres commercial fruit bearing orchard, 2 miles from Talent, \$10,000, one-half on time.

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Also 80 acres fine timber, \$2000, one-half down.

\$25 Acre.

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Also 29 acres, orchard and alfalfa land; 2 1/4 miles south of Talent, Or.; 1300 young fruit trees, apples, peaches and pears; one acre in bearing; house, barn and outbuildings, all fenced, most of it being Sage wire fence, 19-strand, rabbit tight; sub-irrigated and tiled; \$225 acre; over half down, the rest on time at 7 per cent.

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