

Do You Want Four Years More of Democracy?



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TWO YEARS LATER

Two years ago, in 1914, just a few days before election, the Jackson County Republican Committee had published a full-page ad in the Medford Sun and in the Mail Tribune. In this ad, and as a part of it, was an article entitled, "Twenty Years After."

What happened to the American people under Grover Cleveland's administration and what the conditions were in the United States under Woodrow Wilson at the time this was written is vividly set forth and it closes with a prophecy that has been in part bitterly fulfilled, and the other part will be brought to a glad fulfillment on next Tuesday, November 7th.

"TWENTY YEARS AGO"

"Twenty years ago today the democratic party was in complete control of our government. Conditions were deplorable. Each month the governmental revenues showed a deficit. Credits were at a low ebb. Factories and foundries were shut down. Labor was out of employment. Coxseys and Kellys, ragged and starving hordes, were marching on Washington. Strikes and lockouts were of daily occurrence. The administration in a time of profound peace was borrowing money at a high rate of interest for daily running expenses. The people individually were in no better condition. Depression and demoralization existed from one end of the country to the other. What an indictment, but every word of it is true, and this condition continued without a ray of light or hope until the American people, chastened in spirit and light in pocketbook, marched to the polls on the 8th day of November, 1896, and triumphantly restored the republican party to power.

"Today (Nov. 1st, 1914), twenty years after, we again find the democratic party in full control, and it is the same old foolish, extravagant and inefficient democratic party that brought us to the verge of ruin twenty years ago. Credits are again shot to pieces. The buying power of the people is again at a low ebb. Labor is again everywhere out of employment. Depression and demoralization exist again from one end of the country to the other, and, strange fact and deadly parallel, the administration is again, in a time of profound national peace, levying one hundred million dollars of direct tax on the people to meet the daily running expenses of the government.

"It is a long time to wait, and many of us will be hungry and ragged and broke, but, thank God! in two years from now another glorious November day will come, as it came twenty years ago, when the American people will go to the polls and put them out for another twenty years, or until the people again forget."

THE STATE TICKET

There is a natural aversion to the phrase "Vote 'er straight." It suggests putting party regularity above public service.

But it is because this year the terms are synonymous, because party regularity means public service, that the Republican county committee advises all Republicans to vote the Republican ticket straight.

For the Republican ticket, man to man, represents the highest service to the public; the highest efficiency to the public, which simply means the most desirable and economical administration of public affairs, for the public.

This is true all along the line, but we wish to call particular attention to the state and county tickets.

The state ticket is represented, we believe, by the strongest trio of aggressive, competent and experienced business men it has ever been the good fortune of Jackson county to secure.

Messrs. Gore, Thomas and Sheldon are not only thoroughly familiar with the conditions and needs of Jackson county, but they represent expert legal, financial and agricultural knowledge combined with a record of having made good in every pursuit they have undertaken as residents of southern Oregon.

To defeat any one man would necessarily lessen the value of the other two. With a republican legislature certain at Salem, moreover electing a democrat would be simply a waste of time, a needless sacrifice for the people of Jackson county, who need all the power and all the force that unity and co-operation can achieve.

Therefore, at this election, vote for Sheldon, Thomas and Gore. Splitting the delegation would be little short of a public calamity.

THE COUNTY TICKET

We don't ask you to vote for the county candidates on the republican ticket because they are republicans, but because they are the best men for the various jobs to which they aspire.

Compare them, man for man, as you enter the voting booth, and if you choose the candidate you conscientiously believe best fitted for the job, that's all that we ask.

Remember that putting an inexperienced man in office, no matter how likeable and trustworthy he may be, costs money. It doesn't cost the inexperienced candidate anything. But it costs the people a great deal. They have to pay for his education. Other things being equal, therefore, it is always profitable and always sensible and always economical to vote for the man who has had experience, who has given good, honest service, in preference to the man who, regardless of his personal virtues, has had no experience.

The republican candidates are, without exception, either men of experience in the various offices to which they aspire, or have had extensive experience in pursuits which fit them for a faithful and efficient performance of the duties of those offices.

E. W. Wilson for sheriff, County Clerk Gardner, County Recorder Florey, A. T. Brown for county surveyor, John A. Perl for county coroner, Miss Myrtle Blakely for county treasurer, have all had experience in the county offices. George Roberts, candidate for prosecuting attorney, is a capable and experienced jury lawyer; his opponent has had little or no experience in this direction. James B. Coleman and George W. Owen are both reliable and experienced farmers and business men; G. W. Ager, as principal of the Talent schools, has an admirable record as a progressive and efficient educator.

All these candidates deserve your votes because they are better qualified than their opponents for the positions to which they aspire.



JAMES B. COLEMAN



MYRTLE BLAKELY



E. W. WILSON



G. W. AGER.

Don't be deceived by Democratic claims. They claimed the world in 1896, but McKinley went in with a landslide. Hughes will repeat the performance on November 7th.

JACKSON COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE

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