

SPRAGUE PLEDGES SQUARE DEAL AT REPUBLICAN MEET

Gubernatorial Aspirant Outlines Policies to Large Gathering—Holman, Mott Also Speak.

Charles A. Sprague, Republican nominee for governor, pledged an efficient and competent business administration in an address at a party rally in the senior high school auditorium last night.

It was the largest political rally held here in years, the main floor of the auditorium being practically full. The audience was attentive and responsive, punctuating the talks with frequent applause.

Other speakers included Rufus Holman, state treasurer and candidate for the U. S. senate, and Representative James W. Mott, candidate for re-election to congress.

Local candidates sat on the stage and were introduced to the assemblage. "I propose keeping down the middle of the road," Mr. Sprague declared. "I have little patience with middle-class minorities, with extremists on either the right or the left. I am not a candidate for the new deal, but I am a candidate for a square deal."

Mr. Sprague stressed throughout his talk that the running of a state is a business of which the governor is the executive head. He pointed out that counting the independent income of various departments that is expended, the governor of Oregon has supervisory administration over \$90,000,000 each biennium.

"That is a sizeable sum, a large business that needs honest, capable and efficient administration," the candidate said. Mr. Sprague promised an administration that was strong and efficient as well as humane, economical without being penurious.

He asserted that under his administration no one would go in want, that necessary relief would be carried on but without encouraging the "moocher and the grafter" to live a life of ease. The nominee warned against letting relief administration fall into the hands of "grifters and racketeers," declaring that under such circumstances there would be plenty for the grifters, but precious little for the needy.

"But relief will not solve our economic problems; we must provide jobs," Mr. Sprague repeated from previous talks. "We must mix brains with our natural resources." As Gov. Charles H. Martin had proposed in his unsuccessful primary campaign, Mr. Sprague suggested that jobs could be created by encouraging new industries in the state and by finishing raw materials into finished products within the state, instead of exporting the raw materials to be manufactured elsewhere.

Mr. Sprague also asserted that employment could be increased by putting an end to internal labor strife. Employers, workers and the public are "fed up" with labor strife that puts men out of employment, he said. "Labor has its rights, labor organizations have their rights, but all organizations, whether labor or employer organizations, must respect the law of the state," Mr. Sprague declared.

Asserting that voters should take inspiration from the state's motto, "She flies with her own wings," Mr. Sprague said that dictation should not be taken from Washington. "I'm not a hitch-hiker to public office, I'm not trying to thumb a ride on the coast of someone in Washington," he concluded.

Mr. Holman said he did not oppose all the aims of the present administration, but asserted it was time to consider other plans for their accomplishment. Mr. Mott reviewed national legislation relating particularly to this part of the state, repeating in the main the talk he gave at the Kiwanis luncheon earlier in the day.

Mr. Mott stated that the defeat of the court reform plan and the reorganization bill had restored to congress the legislative function "it had surrendered to the executive department."

At the conclusion of the talks a man in the audience asked the candidates their stand on the Townsend old-age pension plan. Mr. Holman declared himself in favor of the plan and Mr. Mott spoke on a bill pending before congress, which he said he helped to frame. The bill, he explained, fixes no definite pension but provides for the distribution to eligible of a fund created by a 2 per cent transaction tax.

Mrs. C. L. Hopkins, speaking for Pro-America, told the part women might play in government.

CHILD Job Seeker CHICO, Cal.—(UP)—Desire to buy a present for her small brother prompted Dorothy Russell, 8, to look for a job. She spent the entire day in fruitless search. "Everybody's too hard up," she reported at the end of the day, "so I could not find a job."

DEATH COMES TO THEODORE SMITH

Theodore H. Smith, kindly gentleman and a resident of Medford for the past nine years, passed away at the home of his nephew, A. G. Bishop, 39 North Orange, Monday evening after being bedfast for the past week. Mr. Smith was born at Ringwood, Ill., March 1, 1854, and was aged 84 years, seven months and nine days.

As a young man he developed a cattle ranch in Colorado, starting with 30 head of stock. He worked hard on a cattle ranch to save money, and after paying for the stock, he found himself devoid of money; there were very few people in his section in those days, and food was very scarce. He had to kill jack-rabbits for food. He lived in northwestern Nebraska for many years.

Mr. Smith was a fine citizen, and a pleasant, genial man. A member of the Presbyterian church. He is survived by one brother, Julius D. Smith of Lincoln, Ill., and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be conducted from the Per funeral home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Sherman L. Divine of the Presbyterian church officiating. Interment will be in the Jacksonville cemetery.

Funeral bearers will be: Col. W. H. Paine, Thomas Taylor, W. D. Roberts, H. F. W. Spilver, W. F. Brown and C. E. Gates.

FAILED TO STOP; WOMEN PAY FINE

Thelma G. Twitchell, a beauty operator living at the Gebauer apartments, was fined \$25 and \$4.50 costs in justice of the peace court yesterday afternoon when she pleaded guilty to failing to furnish her name and address at the time of an automobile accident.

She was warned by Judge William R. Coleman not to drive a car again without an operator's license. She was said to be driving another person's auto at the time of the mishap. The complaint filed by state police stated that Mrs. Twitchell drove a car on October 10 that collided with a machine operated by Alva I. Younkum, and that the Younkum car was damaged and that Mrs. Twitchell failed to stop and furnish her name and address.

Marie E. Bradley, 32, of Talent was fined \$1 and \$4.50 costs for failing to stop at an intersection. He pleaded guilty to the charge, filed by state police.

NAME YARBOROUGH TO PYTHIAN POST

PENDLETON, Ore., Oct. 11.—(AP)—The grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias of Oregon was in its closing sessions of this year's meeting here today following election of officers late Monday.

Dr. Frank Renfrew of Aurora was elected grand chancellor and Guy H. Johnson of Pendleton grand vice-chancellor—which puts him in line for the chancellorship next year. Other officers: Floyd Murphy of Baker, grand prelate; Walter Gleason of Portland, grand keeper of records and seal; A. J. Rose of Portland, grand master of exchequer; E. J. Fisher of Portland, grand inner guard; Baker Yarborough of Medford, grand outer guard; Warren Barnes of Portland and Robert A. Bennett of Portland, grand trustees. Bennett is retiring grand chancellor.

Monday night Pythians and Pythian Sisters participated in the burning of a \$20,000 mortgage on the Oregon-Washington Pythian home at Vancouver, Wash. A plaque was presented to Gleason for 23 years service as grand keeper of records and seal and secretary of the Pythian home board since its organization in 1923.

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RAIL WAGE SLASH LAID BY WITNESS TO BANKING BLOC

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—(AP)—A railroad labor witness charged today the demand for a 15 per cent wage reduction came from "a small inner group of so-called investment bankers symbolized and dominated by the private banking houses of J. P. Morgan & Co."

W. Jett Lauck, economist for railroad brotherhoods, urged President Roosevelt's emergency fact-finding board to look into the financial history of railroads before deciding upon the wage reduction against which 1,000,000 workers have voted a protest strike.

"There is an emergency, but not from the public or employes' standpoint," Lauck said. "It is an emergency for the private banking houses which have controlled the railroads, and which do not wish to be ousted from such control in the future."

J. Carter Fort, chief railroad counsel, strenuously objected to the contents of Lauck's statement, on the ground he was "making an argument unsupported by facts."

Lauck, carrying a foot-high pile of documents and papers, said he was merely summarizing in advance data which would prove his contentions.

Instead of a wage slash, Lauck said, "bankers could easily maintain the solvency of the railroads" with the help of government credit.

CCC Enrollee Jailed For Theft Of Clothes

Walter J. Beggs, 19, a CCC enrollee at Camp Whitmore, Calif., was sentenced to 30 days in jail and fined \$4.50 costs in justice of the peace court yesterday afternoon for petty larceny. Usually dishonorable discharge from the CCC follows a jail sentence.

Beggs pleaded guilty to stealing a suit of clothes owned by J. C. Vowell, a CCC colleague stationed at headquarters detachment here. Beggs operated a truck between Medford and Redding and took the suit when he checked out of here September 26.

The line of perpetual snow ranges from 18,000 feet altitude in the tropics to sea level in the polar regions.

AUXILIARY WILL CONDUCT DINNER

Mrs. Charles Kuns, president of the American Legion auxiliary, announced today that a covered dish dinner will be held at the armory Wednesday evening, starting at 6:30 o'clock, for all Legionnaires and auxiliary members. The committee in charge is making every effort to make the affair a successful one and a special invitation is being extended to new members to attend.

A special executive meeting was held Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. L. Oermeyer and plans were discussed for the membership drive, which will commence October 24. This year, instead of the membership being taken care of by a small committee, the entire personnel of the auxiliary has been asked to participate, and it is hoped that Medford unit will have its quota of members by Armistice Day, which will mark the close of the drive.

Mrs. O. L. Oermeyer is membership chairman for Medford unit. The contract was made originally in June, 1929, between Robert S. Bailey and his wife, Bernice, and the Opps, and provided for the payment to the Baileys of \$1500 and an additional \$10,000 payable at the rate of 15 per cent of the purchasing price if the mine was sold, or 15 per cent of the net returns if it was not sold, the complaint states.

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OPP MINE AGAIN IN COURT ACTION

The Opp mine was back in circuit court today, the subject of another suit by Robert S. Bailey and his daughter, Laura Bailey, against Rose and John W. Opp.

The latest action seeks an accounting and judgment for the payment of any money that might be found due the plaintiffs from operations of the mine since payment was made on a contract following a supreme court ruling upholding validity of the contract.

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