

IS TRYING TO FORCE E. L. SMITH INTO RACE

The Irrigon Irrigator has the following to say about the candidacy of E. L. Smith, although Mr. Smith has said that he is not a candidate:

The primary law we are told was placed upon the statute books for the purpose of taking the hands out of the hands of rings and cliques, and from the politicians themselves, and placing the matter in the hands of the people—the voters.

Theoretically the idea is perfect, and savors of Elysia. But as we approach our first election under this law we find a vast difference between theory and actual conditions, and today we see that for the office of governor the only candidates are those who went to work early and came out simply as office-seekers, quite in the old way.

Against the present candidates the Irrigator has no word of fault to find. Dr. Withycombe, Mr. Johns and Mr. Geer are all good men, and if one of them secures the nomination he will be found standing shoulder to shoulder with the nominee and working zealously, enthusiastically and patriotically for his election.

But as a republican we are asking this question: Can any one of these men defeat George Chamberlain? And the answer comes back from republicans all over the state, that the nomination of Withycombe, Johns or Geer means the election of Chamberlain.

There is one man in the state who can defeat Chamberlain to a certainty, and that man is E. L. Smith of Hood River, but he has never been a candidate, is not now a candidate, and has recently declared that he will not be a candidate, believing that the office should seek the man.

But, fellow republicans, do we want "candidates"? As we said at first, theoretically the direct primary law is supposed to take the nominations out of the hands of "candidates" and place them in the hands of the people. In other words the framers of that law supposed that the people, the voters, would press into service the best men for the various offices, and particularly for the great office of governor.

Still we exercise this high prerogative, or shall we sit idly by and see the nomination go to a "candidate" and the office to a democrat? From Malheur on the east to Clatsop on the west; from Klamath to the Columbia—throughout every county in the state comes a demand for Mr. Smith to announce himself as in the hands of his friends, for our new law will not allow us to nominate him or any other man, for that or any other office, until he has filed an announcement that he will accept the nomination if given to him.

Our duty is plain; we must know Mr. Smith under with requests that he make such announcement. We must bombard him in his Hood River home, with telegrams, letters and petitions, and those of us who can must go and see him and tell him the people of Oregon want him to be their standard bearer in the coming campaign.

And he will accept. He is too loyal a citizen, too staunch a republican, too much of a man to refuse us if we make it clear to him that he is the choice of a large number of the people of his party.

We must do this at once. You who are reading this article should not waste a moment, but write or wire to him at once, and tell Mr. Smith that you want him to be the next governor of Oregon. And if a few thousand of us do our duty there is no doubt of the result.

Will we do it? We have all agreed to give the direct primary law a fair trial, and here is our opportunity to take advantage of that law and elect a governor of our own.

One last word: Write to Hon. E. L. Smith, Hood River, Oregon, today, NOW, and tell him you want him to become the republican candidate for governor of the state of Oregon!

Some Spray Formulas. As the spraying season is with us again and there are very many inquiries for the principal formulas used against insects and fungus diseases, we again reproduce the following standard remedies, the salt, sulphur and lime spray and the Bordeaux mixture:

Unslaked lime—40 pounds. Sulphur—20 pounds. Salt—10 pounds. Water—50 gallons.

Place ten pounds of lime and twenty pounds of sulphur in a boiler with twenty gallons of water, and boil over a brisk fire for not less than one hour and a half, or until the sulphur is thoroughly dissolved. When this takes place, the mixture will be of an amber color. Next place in a cask 30 pounds of unslaked lime, pouring over it enough hot water to thoroughly slake it; and while it is boiling, add the 15 pounds of salt. When this is dissolved, add to the lime and sulphur in the boiler, and cook for half an hour longer, when the necessary amount of water to make the 50 gallons should be added.

A much easier method of preparing the above wash is as follows: Make the sulphur into a thin paste with hot water; place the unslaked lime in a tight barrel and add the sulphur paste and from 10 to 15 gallons of boiling water. Cover the barrel with sacks and a wooden cover and let it stand. After the violent boiling has subsided, the mixture must be stirred thoroughly until all indications of boiling stop. Then add the salt and enough hot water to be able to strain the mixture into the spray tanks, and add the required quantity of boiling water.

Bordeaux Mixture: Copper sulphate (bluestone)—8 lbs. Quicklime—10 pounds. Water—50 gallons. These proportions are of extra strength for use while the tree is dormant. In summer a weaker solution is used. Dissolve the copper sulphate in a barrel containing 10 to 12 gallons of water. Slake the quicklime and thin it to a creamy whitewash. Pour the whitewash very slowly through a wire screen into the copper solution. Stir the mixture thoroughly and add enough water to make 50 gallons in the stir occasionally while applying as a spray to the trees. In the preparation of the Bordeaux mixture it is necessary that the ingredients should be mixed in a wooden vessel. If an iron one is used the copper will go to the iron, and the effect of the spray be largely neutralized. Apply the wash cold as soon as possible after it is prepared. Never allow it to stand over night.

Permission will be granted by counsel to John Gerdes to repair his boarded house by adding six feet to the east side of it and allowing him to put a fire proof flat roof on it provided he will remove the outbuildings near it which have been an eyesore to Hood River residents for some time.

O. R. & N. CAFE CARS HAVE ARRIVED

The first cafe observation cars ever turned out of the Pullman car factories passed through this city Wednesday afternoon. Describing them, the East Oregonian says:

The cars are of special design, made upon special order from the O. R. & N., and are the first of the kind ever manufactured. They left Pullman last Wednesday night. They came in charge of Edward McGowan, a pioneer employe of the Pullman factories, who delivered them to Foreman F. F. Rombo, of the mechanical department of the O. R. & N. in this city this afternoon.

The observatory, which will seat 10 people, is in the rear of the car and is finished in green plush and dark mahogany. The smoker is separated from the observatory and will accommodate 10 people. The gentlemen's toilet is connected with the smoking apartment and the ladies' toilet connects with the observatory. An employe's toilet is located in the opposite end of the car, where an employe's lavatory is also located.

The dining room will accommodate 18 people at a time and is finished in light colored mahogany with elegant trimmings and decorations. A cafe is attached to the dining room and the car is plentifully supplied with lockers, closets and sideboards.

The kitchen is in the head end of the car and is well appointed, being supplied with range, refrigerators, lockers, cupboards and conveniences. Call bells are located at every seat and every table, and passengers will be served promptly by the porter in charge of the cars.

The cars are 78 feet in length and their cost is estimated at \$12,000. Mr. McGowan, who brought the cars from the factory, has been in the employ of the Pullman company for 18 years, his duties being to deliver new equipment to the various railroad systems ordering it. He will return to Pullman at once.

Have Filed Their Petitions.

The following list of names have been filed with the clerk by parties to have their names printed on the official ballot of the Republican party as candidates for the nomination for the following offices:

For representative to legislature—Philip W. Knowles of Dufur; J. F. Hendrick of Cascade Locks. For county clerk—Simeon Bolton of The Dalles. For sheriff—F. C. Sexton of The Dalles; Levi Chrisman of The Dalles; For treasurer—M. Z. Donnell of The Dalles.

For county commissioner—H. J. Hibbard of Hood River; G. R. Custer of Hood River. For coronor—C. N. Burget of The Dalles. For surveyor—A. W. Mohr of The Dalles.

Democratic: For constable The Dalles district—James Harper of The Dalles. For justice of the peace—J. A. Douthitt of The Dalles.

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DR. F. COOPER. Married on Anniversary. There was quite a number of guests invited to the home of Daniel Seitzinger on Crofton Prairie, Wednesday, February 14, which was the second anniversary of their daughter Bertha's wedding day; also Aunt Martha Carter's birthday, she being 82 years old.

The surprise came when the preacher appeared on the scene and Mr. Earnest and Miss Felicia Wade walked into the parlor and were united in the bonds of holy matrimony. After congratulations, the guests were invited into the dining room where they sat down to a table bountifully supplied with the good things of this life, which all did justice to. The evening was spent with instrumental music, singing and social chat.

Mr. Seitzinger is a model young man and is to be complimented in that one of Hood River's fairest young ladies for a partner through life—Goldendale Sentinel.

LUCKIEST MAN IN ARKANSAS. "I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley of Bruno, "since the restoration of his wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. At Chas. N. Clarke, druggist. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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