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HON. E. L. SMITH AND THE FARMER

The farmers are just as much interested in the United States Senatorship as any other class of people. While other interests have in the past been looking out for themselves in these matters, the farmers have generally taken a back seat. For the first time they now have an opportunity to express their choice for the office, which affects the interests of the state perhaps more than any other. There are five candidates for the office in the coming primaries, four of whom are lawyers, and connected with other than agricultural interests. One of them, Hon. E. L. Smith, of Hood River, has been for years prominent in the affairs that affect the agricultural and horticultural interests. He has served for six years as the head of the Board of Horticulture and has been merely a nominal head, but has been active in promoting the development and improvement of that great industry. He has also been active in promoting irrigation and other interests of the people at large. His activity in the interests of the people has not been confined to election times. He does not need, really, to make any declaration because his acts and life are his best platform in this respect.

Since he has been of such service to the people in his private capacity, it may be presumed that the office would not afford him wider field for his efforts. We believe that Oregon has had in his whole existence but one Senator who was not a lawyer. Some of them have doubtless been good and no reflection is meant on them, but it seems to us that it is time for the farmers of Oregon to use their first opportunity to go to their own class for a Senator.

In political matters Mr. Smith has always been very prominent, not as an office seeker or office holder, but as a wise leader and adviser. His influence in his party has been exerted on that high plane which has less reference to factional contests and struggles for office than to the use of his party as an instrument for the public good. His modesty kept him out of this field until late, but the demands for him to stand as a candidate have been too urgent for him longer to resist.

We make these remarks in the interests of the people who are our patrons and not in the interest of politics. Mr. Smith's personal character and his public service in a large capacity point to him as the ideal man to represent the material interests of this state.—Northwest Pacific Farmer.

Eastern Oregon Candidate for the State Treasurer the Favorite.

Portland, April 17 (Special). The Republican press of Western Oregon are almost unanimous in favor of and using their efforts to secure the nomination of Hon. John H. Atkin, of Huntington, for State Treasurer. As the press voices the sentiment of the people, the indications are that he is the favorite in that section. In this city he has made a remarkable campaign, his friends and admirers are working early and late for him. He is sure to receive a big vote here. It is natural to suppose that Eastern Oregon Republicans will give him a very large majority. They should rally to his support, in doing so can secure for him the nomination.

He has made the cleanest canvass among all his competitors without personalities and mud throwing. He has not combated with politicians or bankers, but is conducting a clean and honorable campaign, one the people should and will endorse.

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If today you suffer from impaired digestion, sluggish liver or impure blood, and you were told of a preparation which would cure you at small cost, would you try the remedy? There is a medicine, Green's August Flower. Go to your druggist and buy a test bottle for 25 cents, or the regular size for 75 cents. If you have used all other dyspepsia remedies without satisfaction, or if you have never used any preparation for these distressing affections; if you have headache, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, nervousness, or any disorder of the stomach or liver, cure yourself quickly by using the reliable August Flower. It is not an alcoholic stimulant, but quite harmless for general use. Get a copy of Green's Prize Almanac.

Pay Your Dog Tax.

Marshal Ganger gives notice that after May 1st, he will impound and destroy all dogs on which the tax has not been paid. He proposes that none shall escape, so if you want to save your dog, see that you pay the tax by the above date.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of a grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egleson of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a double dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use, soon completely knocked out the grip." Sold by Kier & Cass.

BOURNE CHAMPION OF STATEMENT NO. 1

The now famous Statement No. 1 of the primary law makes it possible for the people of Oregon to name the men who shall hereafter be elected United States Senators from this state. Instead of leaving that important matter to forty-six or more members of the legislature to decide, influenced by any old influence, a Statement No. 1, legislature will be directed and commanded to elect the men who have first passed muster by their party, and then passed muster by the whole people. And this is all there is to Statement No. 1. It is now simply a question as to which method the people prefer, and it is for them to say in the present campaign. The law is not what the bosses, who constitute the machine, want, because with the senatorial election removed from the halls of the legislature the opportunity to make money out of the sale of that office is taken out of their hands. Therefore they and those great unscrupulous interests who are always in the market to buy a senatorship, had determined to ignore the law and then repeal it in 1907. This had fully been determined on when Jonathan Bourne, Jr., of Portland, who for ten years has been working to substitute the new for the old method of electing U. S. Senators from Oregon, undertook to block this game of the law and then the trust interests. It could be done only by arousing the people to stand for the law which they themselves had passed in the election of June, 1904. In December last he put out 9000 circular letters to the signers of the petitions on which the law had been submitted to popular vote, and warned them of the purpose of certain interested parties to nullify it. The response showed that the people were unsuspecting of danger, and in January he sent to every registered voter in the state an appeal to stand by the law, and included a return postal card pledge, some 10,000 of which were signed and mailed back to him. Many hundreds of letters were also sent to him encouraging him to continue the work to save the law, and urging him to become a candidate for United States Senator, under its provisions, as he had already become its champion. In February he announced his candidacy followed by the platform on which he is now seeking the nomination. To every registered Republican voter in the state one of these has been sent, and Mr. Bourne is now putting out a final appeal urging the voters to support at the primary polls only Statement No. 1 candidates for the legislature.

This campaign to save the law from being wrecked by the politicians he has conducted himself, and alone has borne all the expense incident thereto. It is estimated that he has sent through the mails to the neighborhood of a half a million letters.

In connection with this campaign there are two significant facts. One is that the country press has not discussed the law, except in isolated cases, and then generally to condemn, without elucidating it; the other is that all of the moneyed interests and the class that enjoys special privileges under special laws, have been and are now opposed to the election of Senators by the direct vote of the people. Of all the wealthy men in the state, Mr. Bourne is the only one who has espoused the law and the people's demand for a cleansing of Oregon's political methods.

PROCLAMATION.

Whereas, the Secretary of State of the state of Oregon, has notified me in writing that pursuant to the provisions of an act entitled, "An act making effective the initiative and referendum provisions of section 1 of article IV of the constitution of the state of Oregon and regulating elections thereunder, and providing penalties for violations of provisions of this act," approved February 4, 1903, the People's Power League of Oregon duly filed in his office on February 3, 1906, an initiative petition containing 8,223 signatures properly attached to a copy of said measure, certified in accordance with law, demanding that a proposed law, the title, tenor and effect of which is hereinafter particularly set forth, shall be submitted to the legal voters of the state of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the general election to be held in said state on the 4th day of June, being the first Monday in June, 1906;

Now, therefore, I, Geo. E. Chamberlain, governor of the state of Oregon, in obedience to the provisions of said act hereinafter first mentioned, do hereby make and issue this proclamation to the people of the state of Oregon, announcing that the said People's Power League of Oregon has filed said initiative petition with the requisite number of signatures thereto attached demanding that there shall be submitted to the legal voters of the state of Oregon for their approval or rejection at the regular election to be held on the 4th day of June, 1906, said day being the first Monday in said month, a bill to propose by initiative petition a bill entitled "A bill for a law to prohibit the leasing or furnishing of any passenger, transportation or service either free or at less than regular public rates, to any person, and to prohibit the receiving or using of any such pass, ticket, transportation or service, and providing penalties for the violation thereof, the tenor and effect of which, in brief is:

First: To make it unlawful for any public service business or corporation, or any of its officers or agents, to furnish within the state any pass, ticket, service or transportation either free or at less rates than are open to the public generally, or for any one to solicit, accept or use within such state any such pass, ticket or service. But the act shall not be construed to prohibit the leasing of mileage, commutation or excursion party tickets, provided the same shall be obtainable on equal terms without discrimination by all persons or excursion parties applying therefor under like circumstances and conditions, nor to prohibit the granting of passes or reduced rates to any such business or corporation to its own officers, agents or employees traveling in its service, or to charitable or reformatory institutions, nor to prohibit the exchange of passes by railroads with officers or employees of other railroads; and upon any shipment of livestock of such nature as to require an attendant, a railroad may furnish to the shipper or some person designated by him, free transportation for such attendant, including return passes to the point at which the shipment was originally made, provided there shall be no discrimination in reference thereto between shippers.

Second: To require every public service, business or corporation within the state, on or before the 1st day of February of each year to cause to be filed with the Secretary of State under oath a statement of all passes, tickets, service and transportation either free or at less rates than are open to the public generally during the year ending December 31st next preceding, showing the name of the officer or agent who granted or issued the same, to whom and why granted, and the consideration therefor.

Third: To require any person holding a public office or position under the laws of the state or any municipality, before the payment to him of his salary, to file as a part of his receipt a statement showing that since taking office he has not received or used any free or reduced rate pass, ticket, transportation or service prohibited by law from any public service business or corporation.

Fourth: To define public service business or corporations.

Fifth: To declare violations of the act a misdemeanor, and providing fines in case of conviction, and if the person convicted be a public officer, he shall forfeit his office and the office be declared vacant.

Sixth: To make it a misdemeanor in case any public service business or corporation fails to make and file the statement required by the terms of the act, and providing a penalty in case of conviction.

Done at the capitol at Salem, this 28th day of February, A. D., 1906.
(Signed) Geo. E. Chamberlain, Governor.

By the governor: (Signed) F. I. Dunbar, Secretary of State.

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