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THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1914

## FAVORITE SONS

The fact that Dr. C. J. Smith carried Pendleton, his former home, and Umatilla County, of which Pendleton is the principal center and commercial metropolis, by a large vote is held by his friends to be gratifying proof that where he is the best known there he is the strongest. There is no purpose now to take issue with this little bit of personal or sectional argument, for the campaign is young, and the public mind is just now ready for other things. But it is well enough to use the Umatilla situation as a text for some remarks on other candidates in their own homes.

Dr. Smith made a fine showing with a total of 1056, upon the indicated returns up to date, or more than three to one over Mr. Bennett, who had 314, and 101 for the other candidates. Dr. Smith had about 70 per cent of the aggregate Democratic vote in Umatilla.

In Wasco County, his chief competitor, Mr. Bennett, reversed more or less completely the Umatilla status by getting 576 votes, against 208 for Dr. Smith, or 294 for the combined opposition. Mr. Bennett thus had about 65 per cent of the entire Wasco vote.

Now let us cast an eye on Multnomah County, where dwells an honored son, Mr. Gus Moser, who, it is not forgotten, and will not soon be, was a candidate for the Republican nomination. Early in the late unpleasantness a certain Smith newspaper organ made the blunder of sneering at Mr. Moser. With what result? Although there were three other Multnomah candidates for the Governorship, Mr. Moser swept the County against seven competitors, receiving 8484 votes, against 5456 for his nearest rival, and 936 for the lowest. In per centages the showing is about 25 per cent of the total, but as evidence of Mr. Moser's running qualities the achievement is remarkable.

Over in Clackamas County, another favorite son, Grant B. Dimick, was decidedly in the running. He got 1485 against 531 for the next highest candidate, which proves that his neighbors think highly of Mr. Dimick.

But the crown must be given to Benton County and its candidate. Corvallis has long been the home of Dr. James Withycombe. Last Friday Benton County rolled up for him a total of 902 votes, against 107 for the nearest candidate (nearly nine to one), and 235 for the opposition. The proportion for Dr. Withycombe is 80 per cent. And the returns are not all in. They have no doubts about Dr. Withycombe in Benton County.

Meanwhile we have waited in vain for a proclamation from Salem, testifying to the gratification of Governor West that he and his political cabinet had succeeded in making the Residuary Legatee the Democratic candidate. What is the matter?

## FIGURES THAT ARE ELOQUENT

(Reno Gazette)

Such figures as those furnished by Senator Smoot of Utah, a hard-headed business man with the training of a scholar, go far to explain why the Republican registration throughout the Nation exceeds that of the Democratic party by over two to one.

Senator Smoot shows that the loss under the Democratic tariff to the Country in the month of April this year was \$63,000,000, and that this rate meant a total loss to the Nation of \$766,000,000 a year. His figures, which were submitted to the Senate, are said to be supported by tables drawn from authoritative sources and he would hardly make such an alarming statement unless he were armed with

the facts to sustain him.

With such a loss to the Country, when the Democratic Party, in full control of the Government, is spending money until its wasteful extravagance has called forth a veritable scream of protest from newspapers of its own political faith—with such a loss, is it any wonder that there is complaint of hard times in the East? Even the West feels some depression, despite bumper crops.

It is possible that the Republican victory throughout the United States next November, now clearly indicated from every quarter, will bring the Administration to its senses; but we doubt it. It will require the sweeping triumph of Republicanism in 1916 to show to the Democratic leaders that this Nation stands for protection to American industries and that the tariff will always be an issue as long as any one shall question the economic principal, the correctness of which has been proven by a century of experiment in the United States.

## FORTY-THREE YEARS IN OREGON

The Oregonian makes prominent the following letter, that the public may have the benefit of the exact facts concerning one phase of the life of the Republican candidate for Governor of Oregon:

Portland, May 18.—(To the Editor.)—Will you kindly state how long Dr. Jas. Withycombe, the Republican nominee for Governor, has been a resident of this country, and how long since he took out his naturalization papers and became a citizen? By publishing this statement you will relieve the minds of a great many people regarding the oft repeated statement that he has not been a citizen of this country very many years although a long time resident.

J. E. PENCE.

The affair was referred to Dr. Withycombe with a request for a statement of the circumstances under which he became a citizen of the United States. He makes the following reply:

Corvallis, Oregon, May 21—(To the Editor.)—I beg to say that I came to Oregon with my parents, a minor, in 1871. About a year later my father declared his intentions of becoming a citizen and four years later, when I became of age, understanding that my father had completed his final papers, I exercised my privilege as a citizen and voted for national, county and municipal officers. No one questioned my right to vote. A few years later some one questioned the citizenship of my neighbor, the late Thomas H. Tongue. This caused me to think of my own condition and I consulted Judge Mathew P. Deady, who advised me to take out my individual papers which I did in his court, April 24, 1888. The delay was simply due to a misapprehension.

JAMES WITHYCOMBE.

It thus appears that Dr. Withycombe has actually been an American citizen since about 1872. He has been a continuous resident of Oregon for forty-three years. If any man is able to rise superior to his alien birth, of course Dr. Withycombe has done it. We hardly look for any further attempt to revive the petty, Know-Nothing prejudice sought to be excited against him eight years ago, during his previous campaign; but if it shall be done, it will be in the face of the known truth.

The people of Oregon have, of course, no doubt of the entire eligibility of men men born under foreign flags to be Governor of the state. Oswald West, for example, was born in Ontario, Canada, in 1873, two years after Jas. Withycombe had settled in Oregon.

## TIMELY SUGGESTIONS

Cedarville Record: We observe that several of our Modoc exchanges are publishing a lot of advertisements for the Mercantile Publishing Co. It might stand them in hand to look up the business rating of that firm, as it is reported to be nil. Unless advertisements come from some substantial agency the papers would do well to turn them down if they are not accompanied by checks. Newspapers are cheated out of thousands of dollars every year by unscrupulous concerns, and yet there are always suckers to bite.

encouragement from these points and has gone for the purpose of completing the final details.

Mr. Chas. Mitchell is in town with a rare collection of coins, among which is five \$100 gold pieces. While here he bought several carloads of mules and an interest in a band of sheep. Incidentally he killed three barkeepers after which he rode his pony 300 miles, changed his clothes and rode back, getting into town the same evening for dinner. Leave it to Mitchell—he'll solve the prohibition question by killing off all the bar-keepers.

Mr. George M. Walsh who has been repairing autos at the Pete

Gooper place for the past two months left for Bend Tuesday to meet his family. He has completed arrangements to build a garage on the ground for which K. S. Miles made application of the city council some time ago, and will install a full plant of machinery. The erection of a suitable building will commence at once and be rushed to completion.

Governor West is said to have gone on record as in favor of abolition of State Senate when he gave his endorsement to the resolution recently passed by the state Grange convention in favor of a law abolishing it.



## TRAVELING EQUIPMENT

Solid Leather Suit Cases, 22 and 24-inch, \$7.50 to \$10.00.

Heavy Oil-Leather Handbags, leather-lined, 16 and 18-inch, at \$8.50 and \$10.00.

Trunks, made from heavy, solid wood, in canvas or metal covered, with heavy brass corners, same in the steamer style, prices \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$11.00.

## Vacation Time Is Nearing!

WE ARE stocked with many lines of vacation and traveling goods, such as you will undoubtedly be interested in before going on your vacation.

### Dress Goods for Outing and Vacation Outfits

Rare combinations of good taste and service—the styles, prints or colorings to be found in our showing of Wash Goods will excite the favorable comment of every woman who takes the time to examine them.

### As Suggestions for Vacation or Outing Dresses

Summer-time Frocks of every possible character. Nothing could be more helpful to you in solving the problem of warm weather apparel than a twenty-minute inspection of the delightful styles in La Porte Fabrics. 25c to \$1.25 a yard.

Men's, Women's and Children's High Cut Shoes for hunting, fishing and mountain climbing.

Men's, Women's and Children's Sun Hats, 15c up.



Everything to Use, Eat and Wear

## Paisley Pick-Ups (Chewaucan Press)

Charles Morrison, the wielder of the saw and hammer left today for a visit at his home in New Pine Creek, Oregon.

H. A. Brattain is one of the latest citizens of this community to invest in an auto. He purchased a Ford touring car this week.

Geo. M. Jones made his first trip to Paisley for some time last Saturday. We are all glad to see him out and around as ever.

L. D. Fox came in from Bend with a load of land seekers Tuesday night. They spent Tuesday in looking over the tracts on the segregation.

Paisley's expert anglers are bringing in big daily catches of the finny tribe. The river is a little muddy but the speckled beauties are biting just the same.

Mr. J. W. Johnson who has the Hedlund homestead at that end of Summer Lake invested in a new Ford runabout this week.

A meeting of all interested citizens was called last Monday evening at the Pastime Theatre for the purpose of making preparations for a celebration in Paisley the 4th of July. The business houses of town were well represented and the evening was profitably spent in getting the work started for two days of sport.

## COURT PROCEEDINGS

Be it remembered that a regular term of the County Court of Lake County, Oregon was begun and held at the Court House in Lakeview, Oregon on Wednesday the 6th day of May, 1914 with the following officers, present to-wit:

Hon. B. Daly, County Judge; F. E. Anderson, County Commissioner, T. B. Wakefield, County Commissioner and F. W. Payne, County Clerk, when the books of the County Clerk were examined and found to be correct.

In the matter of the petition of W. D. West, F. M. Chrisman and eleven others to locate a county road in Road Dist., No. 1, of Lake County, Oregon:

It appearing to the Court from satisfactory evidence that seven of said petitioners are residents of the town of Silver Lake, which town is duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Oregon, and being residents of the said town of Silver Lake are not qualified petitioners of Road Dist., No. 1, for the purpose of locating County Roads and there being but six legal signers to said petition the County Court has no jurisdiction in the premises. It is therefore hereby ordered that, the said petition be and it is hereby dismissed.

Thereupon Court adjourned until Thursday, May 7th, 1914, at nine o'clock, a. m.

County Judge. In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lake, Thursday May 7th, 1914. Court convened pursuant to ad-

Journal of May 6th, 1914, the same officers being present, when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

The following claims against Lake County, Ore., were examined and approved and the County Clerk is hereby directed to issue warrants on the County Treasurer payable out of the respective funds of Lake County, Oregon, in payment of claims to the parties and out of the Funds hereinafter named, to-wit:

To be paid out of the General Fund:  
 Myrtle Payne, clerical assistance in Clerk's office April ..... \$ 70 00  
 Alfred Smith same ..... 57 50  
 Mrs. A. M. Nelson, clerical assistance to County Treasurer ..... 16 66  
 Kathleen O'Neill same ..... 60 00  
 Wm. F. Payne same ..... 60 00  
 T. B. Vernon clerical assistance to Assessor ..... 60 00  
 Ben C. Green same ..... 19 50

To be paid out of the General Road Fund:  
 J. W. Harvey, road work and hauling plow and scraper ..... 2 50  
 W. O. Grisel road work ..... 51 75  
 R. B. Grisel same ..... 46 75  
 Bob Buchanan same ..... 27 50  
 Jim Scott same ..... 27 50  
 J. E. Walker same ..... 18 00  
 Stanley R. Hanson same ..... 1480 90  
 Creed Pendleton same ..... 297 00  
 C. H. Pendleton same ..... 88 45  
 Pat J. Angland same ..... 132 25  
 John Metzker same ..... 92 75  
 John Metzker same ..... 18 00  
 Clarence Ogle same ..... 81 00  
 Clarence Ogle same ..... 18 00  
 Hugh Denney same ..... 31 25  
 A. Sutphen same ..... 39 37  
 A. Sutphen same ..... 18 12  
 C. S. Stone, same ..... 60 12  
 C. S. Stone same ..... 11 37  
 Sanford Lane same ..... 19 12  
 Sanford Lane same ..... 20 25  
 Elmer Herrin same ..... 13 75  
 Elmer Herrin same ..... 10 00  
 Carl W. Pendleton same ..... 20 00  
 W. G. Fuller same ..... 36 00  
 Dick Allen repair road tools ..... 1 50  
 G. F. Arthur road work ..... 10 00  
 M. H. Caldwell same ..... 58 50  
 W. J. Caldwell same ..... 22 50  
 Sidney Church same ..... 22 50  
 A. J. Hodrkins same ..... 16 00  
 W. S. Wible same ..... 13 00

F. M. Chrisman road supplies ..... 40 00  
 Hodson - Feenaughty Co wheel for grader ..... 11 25  
 Austin - Western Road Mach. Co. grader blades ..... 70 30

(Continued Next Week)

Since returning home Colonel Roosevelt is now busy holding conferences with Progressive leaders preparing to launch the party's coming campaign. The Colonel has announced that he is coming to California this fall to stump the state for Governor Hiram Johnson, his running mate in 1912, in his campaign for re-election.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION (Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, May 23d, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Bartholomew Dias, of Lakeview, Oregon, who, on Jan. 4th, 1909, made Homestead Entry, No. 0959, for NW 1/4, Section 28, Township 39 South, Range 18 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Lakeview, Oregon, on the 26th day of June, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: Dan Chandler, George Hohner, Jim Woods and John Campbell, all of Lakeview, Oregon.

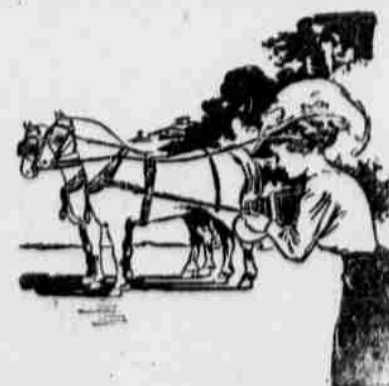
JAS. F. BURGESS, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION (Not Coal Lands) Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, May 23d, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Bartholomew Dias, of Lakeview, Oregon, who, on Jan. 28th, 1911, made Desert Land Entry, No. 04320, for E 1/2 E 1/2, Section 20, Township 39 South, Range 18 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Lakeview, Oregon, on the 26th day of June, 1914.

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JAS. F. BURGESS, Register



A SPANKING GOOD TEAM should have spanking good harness. Come here and see what we mean by that term. We are showing both single and double harness that is worthy of the best horse or horses ever bred. It is perfect in appearance, perfect in fit and perfect in quality.

E. F. CHENEY

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