

The Candidates for GOVERNOR And Their Official Records

INTRODUCING MR. PIERCE

When a candidate for public office makes a campaign promising what he will do along certain lines if elected it is fitting and proper that the voter examine the public records, to ascertain whether or not the official life of the candidate is such as to give evidence of his sincerity.

THE PIERCE TAX RECORD

1. Of the \$9,276,289.00 of State taxes for 1922, which includes the millage tax, Mr. Pierce specifically has approved of \$3,544,013.00, or 32 per cent of the total—having introduced bills into the legislature for a large portion of it, and having voted for the remainder.

2. He voted for 37 per cent of all the tax appropriation bills of the 1917 legislature, and for all the appropriation bills of the special session of 1920.

3. The State Highway Commission now works without pay. Mr. Pierce introduced a bill to pay them \$12,000.00 a year.

4. He proposed a Bond Issue of \$400,000.00 for the purpose of building a new penitentiary. Governor Olcott, largely with the convict labor, has repaired the old penitentiary so that it will be good for another twenty-five years.

5. Mr. Pierce claims he wishes to relieve real estate of some of the burdens of taxation, yet he is the author of a constitutional amendment which, had it been submitted by the legislature and voted for by the people would have exempted from taxation all Monies, Notes, Credits and Accounts.

6. During his brief career as a State Senator, he has voted for 183 measures which effected salary increases.

7. While in his campaign speeches, he talks about effecting savings by consolidating commissions, he is effecting savings by consolidating commissions, he is consolidation bill introduced, two of which came from the report of the commission appointed by the Governor to investigate consolidation of bureaus.

8. Not only this, but Mr. Pierce introduced a measure providing for the most elaborate commission any state ever had, outside of Russia. It was a socialist scheme, and the bill stated specifically it was "to secure to every citizen of Oregon an opportunity of all times to work for the State." The bill provided a \$5,000 salary for the head of the commission.

9. Of special interest to the valley and coast counties was Mr. Pierce's vote to keep the Oregon-California Highway grants of the county tax rolls.

10. Mr. Pierce voted against a resolution to accept as a gift from the United States government, motor trucks and other road equipment. Fortunately he was in the minority, and now road equipment owned by the State as a gift from the United States amounts in value to \$1,870,000.

11. In 1917, 1919 and 1920 legislatures there were 178 appropriation bills passed, totaling \$10,552,281.00. Of this amount Senator Pierce voted \$10,075,160.00. New taxes voted by the people on to the tax payers of Oregon in 1917 and 1920 amount to \$4,567,513.00. Mr. Pierce voted to submit everyone of these measures.

12. In his paid advertising, Mr. Pierce says: "We voted \$10,000,000.00 in bonds for the soldier boys. Senator Smith and I introduced the bill." The only bonds voted for soldier boys were voted under the bonus measure, and Mr. Pierce was not even a member of the legislature, when the bill was introduced and submitted.

13. During his administration, the Co-Operative Marketing Law has been widely extended so as to be of real value to the farmer.

14. He is the originator of the Oregon Blue Book.

15. He has ever been the friend of the ex-service man, and warmly supported and advocated the bonus measure, and since its adoption has administered that law in the interests of the ex-service men with singular honesty and efficiency.

16. Mr. Olcott and the republican legislative candidates favor and are committed to the State Road Program as outlined in the Republican State Platform, which includes the early completion of the Roosevelt Highway, The Dalles-California Highway, the Jola Day Highway, the Oregon Trail and the Central Oregon Highway.

17. No breath of scandal has ever attached to any of Mr. Olcott's official acts, and he has served the people faithfully, conscientiously, and well.

18. Mr. Olcott has appointed a committee to make a thorough study of the work of commissions and bureaus in Oregon, with a view to consolidating as many as possible and abolishing all that are useless. This committee will be ready to make its report at the next session of the legislature.

19. He is pledged to equalize the tax burden, and with the republican legislative candidates, pledged to bring to the assessment rolls vast amounts of property, real and personal, now omitted therefrom; to vest in the State Tax Commission plenary power to effect equal primary assessments; to provide an effective budget system for counties; to provide for water power development; to provide a plan for equitable retirement of the state's outstanding bonded indebtedness; as well as other real tax reforms.

20. Mr. Olcott took the first really constructive step that has been taken in Oregon for the purpose of reducing and equalizing the tax burden by securing from the legislature permission to appoint a tax investigating committee to make a thorough and exhaustive study of Oregon's tax situation. That investigation has been made and the report is in the course of preparation, and when submitted to the legislature, it will contain all the information obtainable in Oregon upon the tax question, and enable the legislature to proceed in a sane, conservative, constructive manner to tackle the great problem confronting the people of Oregon, which method we believe must appeal to sane, conservative tax payers as being far preferable, and giving far more promise of securing results than the useless bawling and idle campaign promises now being made by the non-partisan candidate of the democratic party, especially in the light of his record as the champion "tax producer" in the state of Oregon.

of 2 per cent upon the money he held belonging to the Irreducible School Fund. This is a sample of Mr. Pierce's demonstrated interest in the welfare of the small farmer, who needed this cheap money often during that twelve year period, as compared to his present vote-catching tactics.

PIERCE'S ROAD TAX

20. Mr. Pierce proposed a measure (which was defeated) which would levy a tax of a million dollars or more each year to pay the road bonds issued by the state, and which bonds are now cared for by the automobile license and the gasoline tax. Mr. Pierce Proposed to Relieve the Man Who Uses the Road Most From Paying for the Same, and Put the Burden Upon the Home Owner.

INTRODUCING MR. OLCOTT

Hon. W. Olcott, as secretary of state, and as Governor, has made a record for economy and business efficiency that should appeal to every tax payer in Oregon. Various measures of economy which he has personally introduced into the state government or recommended to the legislature for enactment into law, have saved the state hundreds of thousands of dollars, and will continue to do for years to come. His change in the State Census Law saves the state \$10,000.00 a year.

MR. OLCOTT'S RECORD

1. His change in the state secretary's report has saved many thousands of dollars since he introduced it in 1912.

2. His renovation of the penitentiary saved the state nearly half a million dollars.

3. He secured funds for a new training school building for boys, without a single dollar of additional taxes.

4. He is the originator of the Oregon Blue Sky Law, which saves Oregon people millions of dollars annually.

5. He was responsible for stopping of junketing trips by state officials outside the state at state expense.

6. He secured legislation giving workers more adequate compensation, under the Workman's Compensation Act.

7. He secured approval of a plan for industries in the state penitentiary, which is enabling prisoners to help support their own families, thus saving this expense to the state.

8. He secured the passage of a budget law effecting large economies in state government that would not otherwise be accomplished.

9. He inaugurated the movement leading up to the organization of the National Narcotic Control Association.

10. He has scrupulously stood for law enforcement without fear or favor, and has always lived up to the oath he took to uphold and defend the constitution of the United States and of the State of Oregon, and to see that all citizens, without regard to race, color, or creed, received a square deal, and enjoyed the blessings of liberty guaranteed to all by the basic laws of our land.

11. He has been universally commended for the excellence of his official appointments.

12. He is responsible for a movement to improve farming operations connected with the state institutions, so that this year the produce from these State farms brought a return of \$491,611.

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THE STRAND—The record day under its present management was yesterday. At the Strand, according to Manager White, who stated that there were over 800 paid admissions to that theatre Sunday.

The house was filled and many turned away a number of different times and for that reason the same wonderful program with Roy Gardner, America's most famous outlaw, and Neal Hurt in "Tangled Trails," will be given tonight to handle the overflow crowds.

The Strand will have an unusually attractive program for tomorrow night also, and with the price at 25 cents, will have another crowded house at all three shows. It is suggested those who attend come early in order to get choice of seats.

The Strand is, looking some of the best new pictures which are coming out as is shown by the Roy Gardner picture which is a 30-day release. Good pictures at a fair price is getting the business.

THE LIBERTY

Jack Hoxie, well-known cowboy star of the screen, has earned more than average fame for the new and unusual stunts he does in each picture with a six-shooter and lariat. His latest production, "Devil Dog" Dawson, a thrilling western drama, with a tense mystery angle to it, offers him opportunity to perform several new tricks with both these standard parts of a cowboy's equipment.

Facing a crisis to which he dare not succumb if the story, when a committee of well-meaning but mistaken citizens make a social call on him to administer a coat of tar and feathers, their course increases greatly to find him at home and with his gun hand in a sling. Suddenly, as the situation gets too hot, Hoxie's seemingly inviolable hand flashes from out of the sling and the more aggressive members of the party find themselves looking into the opening of his six-shooter.

This trick, while only of a few minutes duration in the picture, illustrates the novel and original ways in which Hoxie works to add unusual touches to all of his productions. "Devil Dog" Dawson is at the Liberty tonight.

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