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With this issue the Republican will be under the management of Mr. E. J. Murray, a successful and experienced newspaper man. Mr. Murray is just the man that Klamath County needs to assist in the great work of development of her vast resources. The policy of the paper will continue as in the past and improvements will be made that will not only continue the Klamath Republican as the leading paper of the county, but will make it the leading journal of Southern Oregon.

REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT

Theme of the Oration of Archbishop Ireland and Governor Folk.

Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul, addressed an audience of 15,000 people in Convention Hall, in Kansas City, Washington's birthday upon the subject, "The Republic of Washington." United States Senator Warner acted as chairman and introduced the distinguished prelate.

Archbishop Ireland spoke of the spread of the democratic idea throughout the world, the result of the splendid example set by the United States, and said that it behooved Americans to consider their responsibilities and perils. He continued:

"Let the country always elect as its guardians its best and worthiest sons; let voters seek them out and give them honor. Incapable men should not be chosen; still less, dishonest and immoral men. The party that places on its ticket the dishonest names should be overwhelmed in ignominious defeat.

"Care should be taken that foreigners choosing America as their home be pervaded with the spirit of our institutions, be made Americans in mind and heart. Efforts to concentrate immigrants in social groups and retard their Americanization should be frowned down.

"While we seek to Americanize immigrants, may it not be well to guard some Americans against being foreignized? They are not Americans except inasmuch as they draw their gold from America who colonize the so-called American quarters in the capitals of Europe.

"Personal freedom, initiative, untrammelled personal action, limited only by the rights of others and the security of the public weal, bear the vital elements of American democracy and American prosperity."

In an address at a banquet given in Topeka, Kan., on Feb. 22, Governor Folk said in part:

"A political revival is going on all over the land today on the subject of graft. The people of Philadelphia and Cincinnati, or Pennsylvania and Ohio, have been fighting to gain the government they had lost. The people are beginning to awaken to the realization of the fact that the government of city, state and Nation belongs to them, and they can take the government into their own hands whenever they wish. This is the idea true Democracy stands for—the rule of the people.

"The moral awakening that is now sweeping over the country is simply the patriotism that comes from the hearts of the people, a determination to stamp out the things that dishonor in public life and the things that oppress in public life—a firm resolve that government shall be representative of the good, not of the bad.

"This movement against graft is not a move against wealth, but against the abuse of wealth. The distinguishing characteristic of this crusade for higher ideals in public life and in private business is the conservatism of the people. The people do not oppose riches honestly acquired, but they do object to the abuses whereby some obtain great riches."

LET'S END THIS SILLINESS.

The Portland Journal is a Democratic newspaper. It is the organ of the Democratic party of Oregon. Its every effort naturally is for Democratic success at the election in this state and for the election of Democrats to be office holders in this state. As a Democratic newspaper it realizes the value to the Democratic party of some features of the direct primary law. It especially realizes that the Democratic party has everything to gain and nothing at all to lose in a strict literal interpretation of that feature of the law which was intended to over-ride the Constitution of the United States; in other words, that particular section of the law which would require members of the Legislative Assembly to be bound by "Statement No. 1."

The Republican members of the Legislature, however, are not going to step into a Democratic trap. It is not unlikely that if the members of the Republican party make known their wishes showing a choice of someone to represent this state at Washington as a Senator, the Republican members of the Legislature will heed and pay attention to their action. But the attempt of the Portland Journal to bias the minds of the people and try to lead them away from a recognition of the dangers of that law by its constant claim that any one who would refuse to sign "Statement No. 1" was "placing his own preference against the preferences of the people," should be, as it will be, futile.

The Journal knows that this statement is not true. It knows also that the people cannot elect a United States Senator nor can they bind the Legislative Assembly. It is time to have an end of this silliness and folly. The Legislature must elect the Senator. It may elect some man who may be voted for in April, and again in June, or it may not. If the man receiving the highest number of Republican votes at the April primaries is a good man, of recognized ability and character, the chances are the Republican members of the Legislature will vote for him for the Senate; and if the Democrat who receives the highest number of votes in April shall meet the requirements of his party, the chances are the Democratic members of the Legislature will vote for him. There is no use thinking of anything else, and the Journal man only shows his extreme partisanship and tries to confuse his readers when he contends for anything else. Instead of trying to belittle individual thought and to advance the idea that the Legislature is not what it really was intended to be—a representative body—the Journal might put in some of its time in an effort to answer the arguments of men who do not believe in this law and who have demonstrated to the people its fallacies. The Legislature is a representative body. Its power, when once organized, is the power of the people themselves, and there is no law which can possibly control that body, other than the constitution of the state, the Constitution of the United States and laws made and adopted under the latter. No previous Legislature can pass a law binding its successor. All who know anything know this.—Salem Statesman.

The drydock Dewey, a monumental illustration of the expensive folly of red-tape methods and ignorant department officials, has encountered trouble near the Canary Islands. She broke away from her towboats and one of the latter was crippled before she was picked up. The Government saved something over \$12,000 by having the Dewey built on the Atlantic coast instead of at Seattle or San Francisco, and will lose over \$90,000 in the additional cost of towing her to Manila. The callow manipulators of red tape who bring about such wasteful expenditure of Government funds has been in evidence in connection with this drydock would be proper subjects for a Government inquiry. Red tape runs riot through all of the departments, but no more flagrant waste of Government funds has ever been reported than the construction of the Dewey at a point 15,000 miles from where she was to be stationed.—Oregonian.

Last week the National Public Ownership party was formed at a convention called in Fresno, Cal., for that purpose. A party executive committee of 17 members was chosen, with F. P. Nichols, of San Francisco, as chairman, and John Murray, of Los Angeles, as secretary, and National headquarters were established at Los Angeles. The executive committee adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman, and that call will be made within a few weeks. Calls for a National convention and for a State convention of persons desiring to affiliate with the new party are also to be made.

Here's a good one on Hon. S. B. Huston, the congressional aspirant, who has just paid Douglas county a visit: "They are telling this story about Mr. Huston, the candidate for congress. His wife awoke him the other night and whispered, 'Sam, Sam, I think there are burglars in the house.' 'No, no, my dear,' replied the half-asleep candidate, 'there may be a few in the senate but there's none in the house.'"—McMinnville News Reporter.

CHARLES A. JOHNS.

Some Reasons Why He Should Be Nominated.

He is a native born citizen of the United States; forty eight years old; in the prime of life and a type of the younger and progressive element in the Republican party. Is a pioneer of Oregon. Has resided twenty-nine years in the Willamette valley and eighteen years in Baker city. Graduated from the Willamette University with an A. B. degree in 1878; admitted to the bar in 1881. Has always taken an active interest in public affairs. Was elected Mayor of Baker city in 1891, re-elected in 1892, and again in November 1904 by the largest majority any candidate ever received for that office. In June 1905 was elected school director for the fourth consecutive term and received every vote cast. Has always taken an active, personal interest in educational affairs.

Excluding saloons, he has the support and endorsement, without regard to party, of practically every business interest in Baker county. Is qualified by nature, learning and experience to fill that position. Has never been a factional man; is not a factional candidate and would not be a factional governor. Has always been a republican and a loyal supporter of its ticket and principles. His nomination would harmonize and unite the party and insure the election of a republican governor. He is the choice of Eastern Oregon, which, in the congressional election of 1904, cast nearly seven thousand more votes than Multnomah county. Baker county is one of the largest in Eastern Oregon, and in its whole history has never received any political recognition by the republican party, either state or federal, by election or appointment.

Charles A. Johns has been a man of affairs in the history of the state and of Eastern Oregon in particular; his integrity has never been questioned; has a clean record and the support and confidence of the people. He is recognized as one of the leading lawyers of the state, and as a campaigner has no superiors and but few equals in the state of Oregon. No man ever had a stronger home endorsement.

Homeseekers Coming.

That the permanent exhibit of the Chamber of Commerce, even in its present incomplete state, is a drawing card and when enlarged and improved along the lines recently suggested by Secretary Giltner, will be a powerful factor in advertising the resources of Oregon, is proved by the fact that day before yesterday the largest number of visitors on record inspected the exhibit, while yesterday the number was but little smaller. The exhibit-room was crowded all day and the attendant was kept busy answering questions and distributing advertising pamphlets.

The sudden increase in the number of daily visitors is due to the resumption of the homeseekers' excursions from the East and Middle West, and to the distribution of the Chamber's advertising pamphlets on the trains coming into the city.

If plans under consideration by the Board of Trade are ratified by the executive committee at its meeting tonight, the organization will lay before the other commercial bodies of the city a proposition to enter into a combination to advertise the city and state on all trains coming into Portland in the manner recently approved by the Chamber of Commerce.

The board has had the plan under consideration for some time past, and the members who advocate it believe that by uniting their efforts the Chamber of Commerce, the Board of Trade and the Commercial Club will be able to do a large amount of profitable advertising at a small cost. It is proposed to have a representative who is thoroughly informed on the resources and prospects of all sections of the state meet each train coming into the city and place his knowledge at the disposal of all who may wish information of the character of a stranger and homeseeker is likely to need.

Three representatives would be employed, and in addition to giving facts and figures to inquiring tourists could distribute advertising matter to a good advantage.—Oregonian.

Steps should be taken to see that Klamath county is represented both in Chamber of Commerce and on incoming trains. There is perhaps no section of Oregon about which more inquiries are made than the Klamath basin. It is almost impossible to secure this information in Portland. The time is now ripe when this should be corrected.

From Exchanges.

The Spencer Butte Coal & Petroleum company is preparing to incorporate for the purpose of developing the coal deposits some ten miles southwest of the city of Eugene. The

Statement No. 1. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION

Plans on Foot for Holding One Annually in Portland.

Dan McAllen, the father of the Lewis and Clark Fair, has taken the initiative in the holding of an industrial exposition in Portland. Wednesday last he visited some of the most prominent business men of Portland, who pledged themselves to support the exposition, both personally and financially. It is probable that a meeting of prominent citizens will be held soon to devise ways and means to bring about the exposition.

In speaking of the proposed exposition Mr. McAllen said: "All the counties in the state should participate in the exposition by sending an exhibit. Then here in Portland the homeseekers could learn many things which otherwise to obtain they would have to spend considerable time traveling over different portions of the state. And I believe the counties should keep a permanent exhibit in Portland, in charge of personal representatives, whose sole duty should be to exploit their particular section.

"Looking at the matter from an intelligent, selfish standpoint, Portland would be greatly benefited. This city cannot grow if the state does not develop. The more prosperous Oregon, the more prosperous Portland. Each should help the other. We must and we are going to have an industrial exposition," concluded Mr. McAllen, with particular emphasis on his last remark.

If the plans are successful, Klamath County will undoubtedly take advantage of the opportunity, and have a display that will show up her resources in a manner that will attract investors.

Ashland Normal Notes.

Last Sunday, Pres. Mulkey, with his son John, left Ashland for Indio, California, for the benefit of the latter's health. Pres. Mulkey will return in a short time, but his son will remain at Indio.

Miss Belle McFarland, a member of the Junior class, is seriously ill at her home in Ashland.

During the absence of Prof. Mulkey, Mrs. Payne will be in charge of his classes.

The Girls' Basket Ball team of Roseburg is going to play against the Normal Girls at Ashland, March 2. As this game will be the last of the season, a good game is expected.

The Y. W. C. A. met Wednesday noon. Miss Carter led the meeting. The subject was, "Some Incentives to More Effective Work."

The classes in English are progressing nicely under the able management of Mrs. Newman.

Miss Zuleem Tibbets, a former student, visited the Normal School, Thursday.

The students, who were absent last week on account of the examinations at Jacksonville, have returned and resumed work.

CHAPEL NOTES.

Monday morning, Miss Doughty read an interesting paper on "The Floating Drydock." Wednesday, Mrs. Newman finished her talk on "Emotional Memory," the first part of it having been given some time ago. Thursday, the students were addressed by Ian Buchanan, a former classmate of Mr. Mulkey. He spoke of ambition as compared with talent. Friday morning, Prof. Mellinger gave an interesting talk on "Energy."

Ian Buchanan visited different classes in the Academic department Thursday.

Harrison Howell who was seriously ill a short time ago, is back in school again.

Last week the postal authorities weighed all mail carried on the various railroad lines in Oregon, in order to determine the compensation to be received by the carriers for the next four years.

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A. O. U. W.—Lincoln Lodge No. 110 meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every Tuesday evening. Visiting Brothers always welcome. W. O. Smith, M. W. J. W. Siemens, Recorder.

Evangeline Lodge No. 88 Degree of Honor Lodge meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every second and fourth Thursdays in the month. Nancy N. White, C. of H. Jesse Marple, Recorder.

I. O. O. F.—Klamath Lodge No. 137 meets every Saturday evening in the A. O. U. W. hall. E. E. Jamison, N. G. C. C. Brouer, Secretary.

Ewauna Encampment No. 46, I. O. O. F. Encampment meets second and fourth Saturdays in the month in the A. O. U. W. hall. Jasper Bennett, C. P. Geo. L. Humphrey, Sec'y.

Prosperity Rebekah Lodge No. 104 I. O. O. F. meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every first and third Thursdays in the month. Jennie Hiron, N. G. Lurinda M. Sauber, Secretary.

K. of P.—Klamath Lodge No. 99 meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every Monday evening. Bert Bamberg, C. C. John Hamilton, K. of R. and P.

M. W. of A.—Lodge meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every first and third Wednesdays in the month. W. A. Phelps, Consul W. A. Phelps, Clerk.

Foresters of America—Ewauna Camp No. 61, meets in the A. O. U. W. hall every second and fourth Fridays in the month. C. D. Wilson, C. R. E. E. Jamison, Rec. Sec.

W. O. W. Ewauna Camp No. 799, W. O. W. meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Sanderson's hall. All neighbors cordially invited. C. K. Brandenburg, Clerk.

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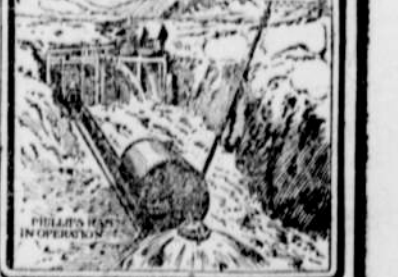
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