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A DANCE AT THE RANCH

From every point they gaily come, the bronchos' unshod feet Pat at the green sod of the range with quick emphatic beat.

Sw!ute yer pardners! Let 'er go! Balance all an' do-se-do! Swing yer gals an' run away! Right an' left an' gents sashay!

And thus the merry dance goes on till mo'ning's struggling light In lengthening streaks of gray breaks down the barriers of night.

MULKEY MAY BE WRONG

Fred W. Mulkey, ex-United States senator of Oregon, says in an interview in Washington that he believes the next legislature will defeat the Republican candidate for the United States senate.

He thinks the opposition to Statement No. 1 will be carried to that extreme, in order TO DISCREDIT THAT PRINCIPLE WITH THE PEOPLE.

The East Oregonian sees no reason why H. M. Calk, who is a Statement No. 1 Republican candidate for the senate, should not be the people's choice in the primaries and in the general election.

There is no reason why Republican candidates for the legislature should not sign Statement No. 1 with the determination to preserve the power of the Republican party in the state.

Oregon is Republican by over 40,000 plurality. WHY SHOULD A REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR THE LEGISLATURE FEAR TO PLEDGE HIMSELF TO VOTE FOR THE PEOPLE'S CHOICE?

Mr. Mulkey is no prophet. He cannot see any further into the stone wall of the future than any other common man and his views are not consistent with the real political situation in Oregon.

WITH CANDIDATES OF EQUAL MERIT STANDING FOR THE SAME PRINCIPLES, THE REPUBLICANS SHOULD CARRY EVERYTHING IN THE STATE.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

The Capital Journal can see no good reason why each candidate for the Republican nomination for the legislature SHOULD NOT MAKE HIS OWN STATEMENT TO THE PEOPLE ON HIS NOMINATION BLANK.

If he wants to take Statement No. 1 it is in the interest of the people for him to do so. It may be in his own interest as a candidate or it may not.

If he wants to take Statement No. 2, let him do so. Let him not be a hypocrite, but let his say BOLDLY AND OPENLY THAT HE IS NOT GOING TO THE LEGISLATURE TO VOTE FOR THE CHOICE OF THE PEOPLE FOR SENATOR.

Or let him make any statement he pleases. Let the people learn in the dear school of experience to take candidates at their word. BUT AS AMERICANS WE SHOULD SCORN SUBTERFUGES AND DECEPTIONS.

The direct primary and the direct election on United States senator should take that matter completely out of the power of the legislature. EXCEPT TO FORMALY RATIFY THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE ACCORDING TO LAW.

The laws of this state and the laws of the United States require the legislature to ratify and formally declare who shall be United States senator for this state.

BEYOND THAT FORMALITY THE LEGISLATURE SHOULD HAVE NO MORE TO SAY AS TO WHO SHALL BE SENATOR THAN AS TO WHO SHALL BE GOVERNOR, AND IT WILL NOT HAVE.

DIVORCES IN THE RAILROAD FAMILY.

The government's suit to divorce the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific roads is a great mistake. If that union is illegal, so, also, very nearly, is the combination of the Lake Shore and the Michigan Central, which are "parallel and competing" lines in a much stricter sense than are the Harriman carriers.

n Pacific to dispose of its Southern Pacific interest. When the principle of government regulation of rates and practices is introduced even the theoretical need to prevent combinations disappears.

The above is sent to us from THE CELEBRATED WEEKLY FOUNDED BY BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

It is an argument to legalize pooling of competing railroads, and the argument is very specious.

WHY SHOULD ONE COMMON CARRIER CORPORATION BE ALLOWED TO HOLD STOCK IN ANOTHER COMPETING CARRIER?

Why should Mr. Harriman be allowed to issue stocks and bonds ad libitum on properties he controls?

He is said to be making millions of surplus profits out of Oregon railroads with which he is buying other roads and issuing more stocks and bonds, on which the traffic must pay interest and dividends.

IN THE MEAN TIME HE IS BUILDING NO NEW LINES IN OREGON.

Can that system go on forever until the multimillionaire corporation operators for whom the government surrendered its lands to build the roads are more powerful than the states and the nation?

Of course, the multi might be all-wise and beneficent and rule the people for their own good, but THE SYSTEM IS DESTRUCTIVE TO LIBERTY OF THE STATE, THE NATION AND THE INDIVIDUAL.

The system will bring about state ownership and national ownership and in the end the destruction of all free institutions.

Too much government is as bad as anarchy, and far more oppressive. Let the people stop this kind of DOUBLE-SHOOTING THE PRODUCER BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE.

We small vermin who crawl about and make a living on our hands and knees cannot cope with privileges permitted under the guise of all-wise corporation commercialism.

COFFEE

Three-quarters of coffee is such that we can't touch it; we make five grades of the top quarter.

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Yes, we agree with Mrs. Waldo. Vote 'no bills you do not understand.

Neglected Colds Threatens Life. (From the Chicago Tribune.)

"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child.

Reports from Iowa are to the effect that the Alligan men have voted in a body to support Taft. As the Cummings forces have done the same thing, a united delegation for Taft from Iowa is practically assured.

A Simple Trick.

It's an easy matter to keep your joints and muscles supple—no matter what your age may be or how you have suffered with rheumatism.

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WALTER M. SMITH.

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B. E. ROBERTSON, Turner, Oregon.

I desire to place my name before the Republican primaries for a re-nomination for County recorder.

D. G. DRAGER.

I wish to announce to my friends that I am a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the Republican primaries.

JOSEPH G. MOORE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for county commissioner on the Republican ticket.

G. B. HOYT, Jefferson, Ore.

I am a candidates for office of county judge, subject to the Republican primaries, on the platform of a square deal to all.

W. W. HALL.

At the request of many Republicans I have decided to become a candidate for the nomination for county judge, subject to the Republican primary election.

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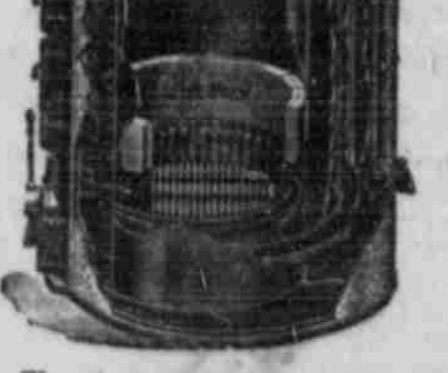
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