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RECENT CAMPAIGN
UP ON THE SANTIAM

George A. Spencer, Who Is Running
For Justice of the Peace,
Drops Into Poetry.

George A. Spencer of Gates precinct is running for justice of the peace in that district, composed of Heber, Gates, Elkhorn and Breitenbush, one of the largest in the county, and the indications are that he

will be elected. If he can get votes as well as he can write poetry he will have nearly all there is in it coming to him. Spencer sang a song at a campaign meeting the writer held up there once, and he can sing as well as write poetry, and his constituents need have no fear of a man of his ability not doing his duty. Spencer is one of the most patriotic citizens in Oregon and should have no trouble in getting that office or one much higher up in the scale of politics if he wants it.

"CAMPAIGN SONG."

"There's going to be an election boys, no doubt you've heard the news.
 The man we send to Congress let it be no man of booze,
 And then we want a senator, but no cheap man we take.
 We must have an upright, honest man like H. M. Cake.
 They are not like the other men, that will try to buy our votes
 By pouring hot air wiskey and booze down our throats
 For they uphold the direct primary and Statement No. 1,
 So when the people call for a square deal, they'll not be on the run."

Now there's Chamberlain and H. M. Cake, whom our people honor so,
 They will not remain idle when they find the way to go.
 In their speeches you will read how our standard was unfurled
 To make our state of Oregon the grandest in the world.
 They are not like Heney or Harvey Scott, with boodle their only aim.
 For they will use their best endeavor for a square deal in the game.
 So to Harriman and the Wall street gang, the pale-making crew,
 Will say "It's 23 for your's. Now get up and skidoo."

Now in our own local affairs, up here on the Santiam,
 For Justice, VOTE FOR SPENCER, AND FOR CONSTABLE, BILL BERTRAM.

They will try to do their duty by the rich and poor alike,
 And all blind pig, booze gangs say "You'd better take a hike."
 We are not the other man, whom in nineteen six
 Ran on the Democratic ticket for Justice, local option for fix.
 But then he fell down so hard, he almost broke his pan,
 So this year "Hoedle" runs for Justice as a Republican.

And now we have another name the American people adore,
 He is a statesman in the time of peace; a lion when at war.
 At the charge of San Juan Hill under a Cuban sun's hot glare,
 His genius made his soldiers build bright castles in the air.
 Then in his country's darkest hour, with the big stick in his hand,
 He strove to make the corporations obey the laws of our land.
 Though he is not a poet born, he plans with skill and care,
 The brave and strenuous Roosevelt built no castles in the air.

SHALL THE BOSSES FLIM-FLAM
THE PEOPLE?

A few Republican bosses at Portland and Salem started in to hold county conventions and put up tickets in the old way.

The more keen and intelligent among them got cold feet as THEY SAW IT WAS NOT GOOD "POLITICS."

The county delegates in Marion county sat down on the proposition and refused to put up a ticket.

But the bosses did not give up. They have made a ticket just the same AND PUT THE MACHINE BACK OF IT.

In Portland and at Salem the better class of clean decent Republicans have rejected their proposition.

They are rallying for the Statement No. 1 candidates who are not the machine candidates in this fight. The machine candidates want no discussion before the people and want an evasive pledge that will enable them to barter for a senator.

The situation in Oregon is up to the Republican voters whose intelligence, character and Americanism are on trial.

They voted Statement No. 1 into the law because they claimed to believe in the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people.

To now suffer a few selfish machine bosses to flim-flam it out of the law would be an impeachment of both their character and intelligence, which we do not believe they will stand for, and the results in April and in June will demonstrate that the Republican party is still the party of the people and not the party of the bosses and the machine.

The people are to decide whether they want to go back to the old way

when a few bosses named the senator.

Shall your pencil mark in the ballot booth count, or shall the barrel count in electing the senator?

Shall the Republican party travel backwards into the hands of the machine or shall it go forward for clean progressive reforms?

The game is too open and too easily understood when the machine will let the people name all but the legislative ticket.

The machine says we will name the legislative ticket for you. We want to attend to the business of making senators.

The Oregonian has never yet stated in an unequivocal manner whether it favors electing senators by the direct vote of the people or not.

The machine managers at heart are opposed to election of senators by the direct vote of the people and are trying to flim-flam them out of it.

If the people will just lick the machine off the face of the earth these selfsame leaders will walk up and sign Statement No. 1 like good dogs two years from now. They have no convictions on the subject.

THE NEW LAWS TO BE VOTED
ON IN JUNE.

The first four are amendments to the constitution of the United States and were proposed by the legislative assembly at their last session. Their number as they appear on the ballot and the measure as proposed is as follows:

1. Increase of the salary of the members of the legislature.
2. To locating state institutions outside of capital.
3. To increase supreme judges from three to five.
4. To hold biennial election in November.

The Capital Journal advises voting against them all.

The following amendments to the constitution are proposed by the initiative:

5. Equal suffrage, allowing women to vote.
6. Giving towns right to regulate liquor business.
7. Single tax exempting much property.
8. Bill to discharge office holders and elect successors.
9. Requiring legislators to vote for U. S. senator receiving most votes.
10. To elect officers by majority in place of plurality and having proportional representation.
11. All indictments to be made by grand jury.

Of these bills equal suffrage needs no explanation. No. 11 is for the purpose of giving to the local town the exclusive authority to handle the flower business, and the regulation of pool room, etc. No 12 has been explained. It changes our whole system of taxation and throws this burden on the owner of land. No. 13 makes it possible to intimidate a weak officer and might force

through undesirable measures, it also could be used as a political club. We favor voting it down. As to 14 or compulsory Statement No. 1 it is just and right. No 15 is for the purpose of destroying party control in office. No. 18 takes the power in criminal cases from the hands of the district attorney and places the same in the hands of a grand jury who are empowered to make indictments.

The following bills were passed by the legislature last session and were afterward held up through referendum petitions and are to come before the people in June.

5. Sheriff to have control of prisoners who are to be worked under supervision of county court.

6. For free transportation for state and county officers.

7. Appropriating \$25,000 annually for four years for buying land, building armories, etc., for Oregon guards.

8. Annual appropriation of \$125,000 to University.

The following bills are before the people by initiative petition:

10. To regulate fishing for salmon and sturgeon.

17. To regulate fishing for salmon and sturgeon.

These two bills represent the upper Columbia fisheries on one side and the lower fisheries on the other.

19. Is to create the county of Hood River.

16. Is to limit the amount of money candidates for office may be allowed to spend and provide for printing their arguments.

WATERWAYS IN ILLINOIS.

The most popular act of the last legislature was to appropriate \$300,000 to aid congress in purchasing the locks and canal at Oregon City.

"The \$200,000 bond issue for the deep waterway through Illinois will not be defeated," Congressman William Lorimer stated at the conclusion of his campaign throughout the state for the waterway.

As the waterway HAS BEEN ENDORSED BY ALL POLITICAL PARTIES the only danger lies in the failure of voters to cast "the little ballot," which is to decide Illinois' constitutional amendment.

The cost of the entire water, as will aggregate \$160,000,000, of which the city of Chicago will expend \$80,000,000, the federal government \$60,000,000, and the state of Illinois \$20,000,000.

THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL DEFRAY THE EXPENSE OF CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTAINING THE LOCKS IN THE CANAL, dredging the various rivers, and the entire cost of the waterway from La Salle to the Gulf.

The proposed appropriation from the state of Illinois will be used in constructing dam and power plants from Lockport to LaSalle. About \$18,000,000 of the \$20,000,000 will be necessary to construct that portion of the canal from Lockport to LaSalle.

It is now proposed to construct locks at Lockport, Joliet, Dresden Heights, Ottawa and LaSalle.

There is nothing better than Kodol for dyspepsia, indigestion, sour stomach, belching of gas and nervous headache. It cures what you eat. Sold by all druggists.

BUSINESS DECLINES
IN SUPREME COURT

The report of the clerk of the supreme court for the month of March shows that less new business was brought before the tribunal than for some time, there being but 12 appeals and \$379 in collections, or about one-half of the work usually brought before that body.

Severe
Pains

When a prominent nerve is affected, the pain is severe. It is called neuralgia. It may be in either the head or body. Relief comes only when this nerve trouble is overcome. By its soothing and strengthening influence upon the nervous system Dr. Miles' Nervine removes the cause.

"It was about two years ago that I was taken down with what the doctors called neuralgia, and some called it lightning rheumatism. Sharp pains would go from one place to another mostly in my head, and they would last two or three days before I could get relief. During these spells I would be so nervous that I hardly knew what I was doing. The pains were so severe and exhausting that my husband would have to steady me when walking across the room. I would have fever, and my heart would palpitate, and in a day or two I would feel better. Just as soon as I would expose myself the very least I was sure to have a spell of neuralgia. I have taken lots of doctor's medicine, but I might just as well take water. My aunt kept writing me to just try Dr. Miles' Nervine, and I am thankful that I was persuaded to do so, for the Nervine has cured me—has driven it out of my system."

MRS. H. C. DIXON,
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Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney-trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

DEDICATION OF CATHOLIC
CATHEDRAL APRIL 9

One of the most important events of the year in Baker City will be the dedication of the new St. Francis de Sales cathedral in the city on Thursday April 9.

Rt. Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, D. D., bishop of Baker City, has announced the event to the city throughout the northwest, and many dignitaries of the church will take part in the ceremonies. At 10:30 in the morning Bishop O'Reilly will celebrate the pontifical mass, at which Most Rev. Archbishop Christie of Portland, will preach the sermon.

In the evening Rt. Rev. John P. Carroll, bishop of Helena Montana, will preach.

All the bishops of the province and many priests will be present. Delegations from Portland, Pendleton, La Grande and other places will attend.

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CANDIDATES CARDS

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE OF MARION
COUNTY, M. L. JONES.

Republican, farmer business man and taxpayer. Graduate of Willamette University, studied law and admitted to the bar. Where he is best known are found his strongest supporters. Among business men everywhere his word is as good as his bond. He stands for a strictly business and economical administration of county affairs.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination at the Republican primaries for county superintendent of schools.

WALTER M. SMITH.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination at the Republican primaries for commissioner.

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.

WILLIAM BUSHEY.

For Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy in the Republican primaries for assessor of Marion county; pledging just and equal taxation.

F. J. RICE.

For County Superintendent.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools for Marion county, at the Republican primaries, April 17.

A. C. BAKER,

Turner, Or.

For Treasurer.

I hereby announce to the voters of Marion county that I am a candidate for county treasurer at the Republican primaries; pledging honest, faithful and impartial handling of the county funds.

WM. STAIGER

For County Commissioner.

J. T. Beckwith of Sidney precinct. Platform: Economical business administration and an aggressive policy of constructing permanent highways by the co-operation of state, county and local communities. Good roads are the best investment for the people.

For Representative.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the legislature at the primaries, April 17. If nominated and elected I will vote for the Republican United States senator who shall have been elected by the people.

FRANK A. TURNER.

For Representative.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of representative at the Republican primaries, April 17. If nominated and elected, I will vote for the Republican choice for United States senator.

LLOYD T. REYNOLDS.

For County Commissioner.

The undersigned is a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket. Strict economy in county affairs is my platform.

JOHN E. LEWIS,

Aumsville, Or.

For Representative.

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for state representative at the primaries April 17.

S. D. ADKINS,

Scotts Mills, Or.

For Representative.
(Signed Statement No. 1.)
Please announce that I am a candidate for representative from Marion county, subject to the choice of the Republican voters at the primaries to be held April 17. If nominated and elected, shall support people's choice for U. S. senator. Shall oppose all grafts and all necessary and luxurious appropriations.
O. L. HATTERBERG
Silverton, Ore.

For Representative.
(Signed Statement No. 1.)
The undersigned is a candidate for representative at the Direct primaries, April 17. If elected will support business administration and always vote for the people's choice for United States senator.
HENRY J. MILLER
Aurora.

For Representative.
(Signed Statement No. 1.)
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative at the primaries, April 17.
IF NOMINATED AND ELECTED I SHALL ALWAYS VOTE FOR PEOPLE'S CHOICE FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.
HAL D. PATTON

For Representative.
(Signed Statement No. 1.)
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative at the primaries, April 17.
IF NOMINATED AND ELECTED I SHALL ALWAYS VOTE FOR PEOPLE'S CHOICE FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR.
A. C. LIBBY,
Jefferson.

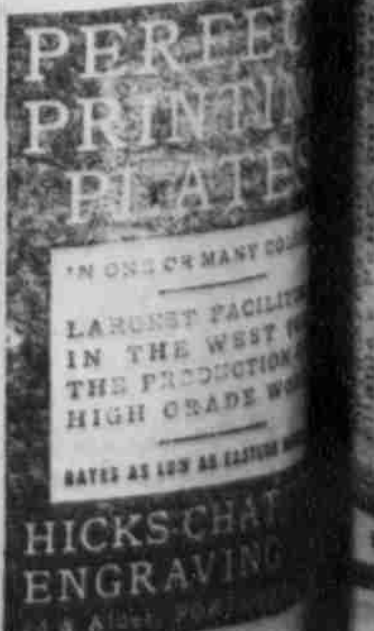
For Representative.
W. C. Winslow, candidate for representative, signs Statement No. 1. "government of the people, by the people and for the people," as into effect by the Republican is my motto. At Republican primaries April 17.
W. C. WINSLOW

For County Judge.
I hereby announce my candidacy for county judge, before the Republican primaries of Marion county April 17. Having been county commissioner two terms and as judge one term, I believe I am qualified for the office for which I am candidate.
G. P. TERRELL

For Sheriff.
I am a candidate for the nomination for sheriff of Marion county the Republican primaries.
H. P. MINT

For Railroad Commissioner.
I herewith announce myself for Republican nomination for Railroad Commissioner, from this congressional district.
W. A. CARTER

For Constable.
I am a candidate for the nomination for constable of Salem at the Republican primaries.
IRA HAMILTON

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