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at the

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## FOREWORD

The printing and distribution of this publication is authorized by sections 81-2502 to 81-2505, Oregon Compiled Laws Annotated.

Only the names of those candidates for nomination for the various state and district offices to be voted upon at the Primary Election May 17, 1946, who have submitted statements and portrait cuts and paid the prescribed charges therefor, appear herein. A number of candidates have not taken space in the pamphlet.

As directed by law, the statements are grouped alphabetically with reference to each office, and arranged in the general order in which the candidates' names will appear upon the official ballots.

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The official ballots for the several counties containing a complete list of the names of all candidates for the various state, district and local offices are prepared and printed by the respective county clerks, who also assign the candidates' ballot numbers.

ROBERT S. FARRELL JR.,  
Secretary of State.

**WALTER NORBLAD**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Congressman, First District**



- RESIDENCE:** Resided 37 years in Astoria, Oregon.
- EDUCATION:** Graduate University of Oregon (Bachelor of Science, Doctor of Jurisprudence). Graduate work, Harvard Law School, then traveled in 35 countries, acquiring valuable knowledge on foreign affairs.
- POLITICAL:** Oregon Legislature 1935-37; delegate GOP National Convention, 1940—there elected Secretary of Rules Committee; in Special Election January 11, 1946, elected to Congress over strong Democratic opponent by 2 to 1.
- MILITARY:** Entered military service, 1942; combat intelligence officer 9th Air Force; overseas one year and half; made number of voluntary flights including initial D Day assault; awarded air medal; later served on War Production Board in Detroit for A.A.F. Discharged under point system, 1945. Served as Judge Advocate, American Legion, Department of Oregon.
- IN CONGRESS:** Under House rules, Congressman Norblad has acquired full seniority of a regular term; member of Public Lands Committee, which is vitally important to the State and District. Mr. Norblad's background and training qualifies him to actively and effectively represent his District and State.
- Congressman Norblad in 1936 married Miss Elizabeth Bendstrup of Astoria and formerly of Yamhill County; one son, 7 years old; Member of VFW, American Legion, Masonic Lodge, I.O.O.F., Elks, Eagles, and Presbyterian Church.

**WALTER NORBLAD**

**HENRY BLACK****Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor****TO THE PEOPLE:**

If I am nominated and elected Governor, I shall consider it my duty to protect every man in his right to work and in the right to sell the products of his labor.

I believe that too much of our earnings now go for taxes but that the only way to reduce taxes is to cut out a lot of the things that tax money is now spent for. During the past four years there were many bureaucratic measures passed by the legislature abridging the rights of the people and taking large sums of tax money, and during the next four years there will undoubtedly be an increased number of such measures and I want to assure you that if I am Governor I will veto all of them.

I will take the necessary time to acquaint myself with the way the state institutions for the insane and for correction are run; the juvenile prison costs the tax payers a large sum of money and I understand that it is only a school for crime. I am in favor of keeping those juvenile prisoners who have not committed very serious offenses in the County jails nearest their homes for a while in solitary confinement, then releasing them on probation, and I believe that the county sheriffs would be the best probation officers.

The grand jury system was established for two purposes—to bring the criminal element to justice and to keep innocent men from pleading guilty under pressure, to crimes they did not commit, and I believe that a member of the Governor's staff should look into those cases where men are sent to the state prison without first having been indicted by the grand jury. Also, into any case where a miscarriage of justice may have occurred, and that the case of the man without friends should receive the same consideration as those in more favored circumstances.

I am against gambling and the excessive use of alcoholic beverages, and I favor getting the state out of both the gambling and liquor business, as a state monopoly is no cure for those things.

I favor submitting to the people for a referendum vote any new laws carrying a penalty of fine or imprisonment.

The above statements constitute my platform on which I am asking for your vote at the Primary Election May 17th.

**HENRY BLACK**

**EARL SNELL**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor**



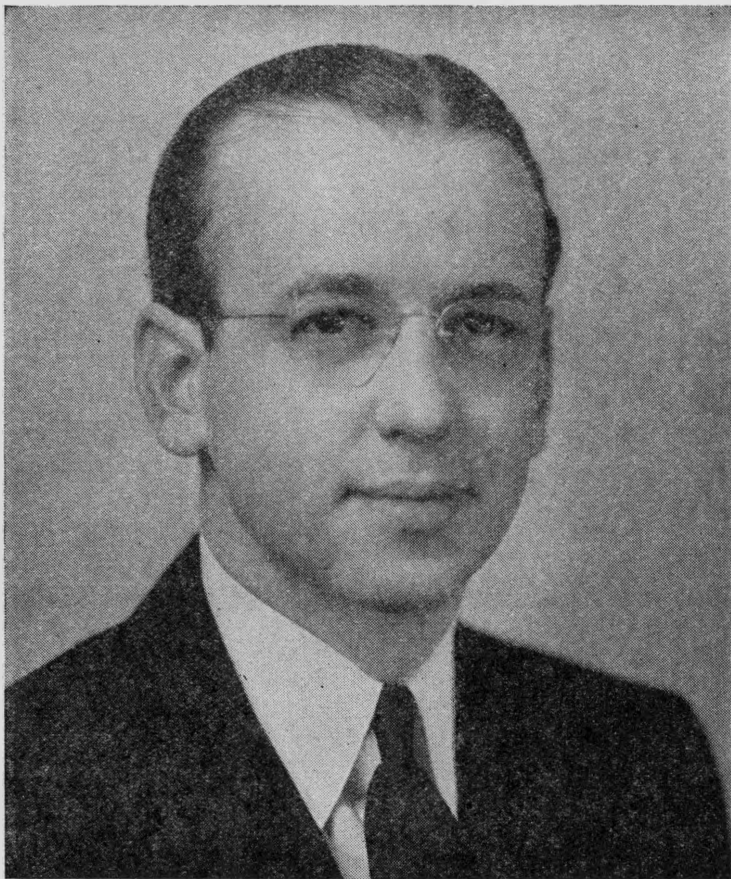
Earl Snell, native Oregonian, fifty years of age, is finishing his first term as Governor, and is a candidate for re-election.

His record is outstanding. It is one of promises kept, of obligations met, in conscientious public service. Sound finances, progressive veterans' legislation, improved service in the many departments under his control, more liberal treatment of the needy aged; forward-looking, equitable labor policies; forestry, agricultural and industrial development; constructive postwar program—all these must go forward.

Earl Snell can be depended upon to give Oregon four more years of conscientious, progressive service in state administration.

**RAY CARR**

(This information furnished by Ray Carr)

**ROBERT S. FARRELL, JR.****Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Secretary of State**

Robert S. Farrell, Jr., was elected Secretary of State in 1942. He served in the House of Representatives in three legislative sessions and as Speaker of the House in 1941.

Bob Farrell was born and raised in Oregon and as Secretary of State has established an outstanding record in the conduct of the affairs of his office and for his service on the State Board of Control and the other state boards and commissions of which he is a member.

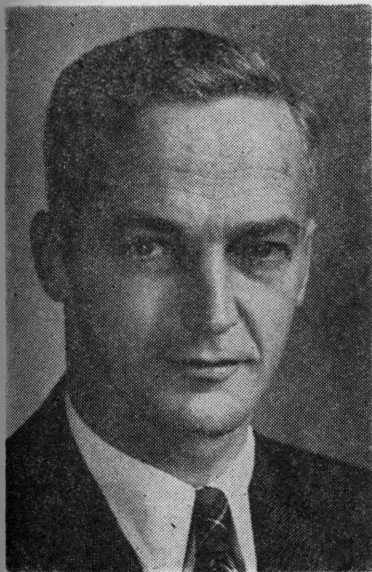
He pledges continued prompt, courteous and efficient administration of the affairs of the office of Secretary of State.

J. V. SWAN

W. J. DERTHICK

**ALLAN G. CARSON**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Senator, First District,  
Marion County**



Incumbent.

Born and reared at Salem, Oregon.

Active service in 1916 on the Mexican Border, with 3d Infantry, Oregon National Guard; actual combat service in World War I, 1917-18-19, in France and Germany, with the Infantry of 1st, 27th, 42d and 6th Divisions; active service in World War II, 1942-3-4-5-6, as Combat and Counter-Intelligence Officer of Troop Carrier and Combat Cargo units of the U. S. Army Air Forces; actual combat service, 1944-5, in India, Burma and China, with 4th Combat Cargo Group. USAAF; awarded the Air Medal for repeated air combat intelligence missions in Burma, 1944-5.

Formal education received in the public schools of Salem, University of Oregon, Willamette University, and private study.

Engaged in active practice of the law, 26 September 1922—7 August 1942, and since 1 March 1946, serving clients of all walks of life, and in almost every conceivable field; Deputy District Attorney, Marion County, 1922-27; Legislative Legal Counsel to Governor of Oregon, 1927 and 1929 sessions; member, Executive Committee, Oregon Bar Association, 1934-5; member, by election of the lawyers of the former First Congressional District, Board of Governors, Oregon State Bar, 1935-40; President, Oregon State Bar, 1937-8; member of that organization's legislative committee 1935-40 (Chairman, 1938-9, 1939-40).

Member for Marion, Oregon House of Representatives, 1940-42; member for Marion, Oregon State Senate, 1942-46 (but, owing to absence in the military service of the U.S.A., have not actually served as such).

Family man. home-owner and taxpayer of long standing.

**SLOGAN**

"Reasoning, Reasonable Republicanism."

Respectfully submitted,

**ALLAN G. CARSON**

(This information furnished by Allan G. Carson)

**W. W. CHADWICK**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



I was born in Bryant, South Dakota, June 28, 1888. Married Lorena Erp in 1912 and have two daughters. I came to the State of Oregon, Marion County, in 1899. I entered the hotel business at Salem, Oregon, in 1923 and am today operating the Chadwick Hotel System with headquarters at the Senator Hotel, Salem, Oregon. I also own and farm 75 acres in the Waldo Hills, Marion County, Oregon, and have become genuinely interested in nut and fruit farming.

Elected Mayor of Salem in 1939 and served two terms, elected to the legislature in 1942 and 1944 and served during the 1943 and 1945 sessions.

In submitting to the Republican voters of Marion County my candidacy for re-election as a Representative in the State Legislature, I am actuated purely by the motive to serve in the interests of the democratic form of government for our country. I believe that my past record for business administration in public office as the Mayor of Salem, as a Representative in the State Legislature and my years of experience as a successful businessman in Marion County qualify me for this office.

I will sincerely appreciate your vote at the Primary Election, May 17, 1946.

Respectfully submitted,

**W. W. CHADWICK**



**FRANK A. DOERFLER**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative  
Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



Frank A. Doerfler was born in the Silverton District. For many years he has been engaged in the farming business and in the raising of purebred livestock. During this time Mr. Doerfler sponsored several 4H Livestock Clubs, giving his time without compensation.

For eight years he was Farm Advisor for the First National Bank of Salem, giving five days a week to this work and managing his farm at the same time.

Mr. Doerfler is now engaged in the nursery business under the name of F. A. Doerfler & Sons.

All during the war he served as Rural Chairman for all the War Chest Drives, the eight War Loan Drives, and the past two years has been chairman of the Rural Division of the Marion County Red Cross Drives.

Mr. Doerfler is a director of the Salem United War Chest, has been a director of the Salem Chamber of Commerce for the past six years, and is a director of the Oregon Reclamation Project for Marion County. For the past three years he has attended the National Reclamation Convention at Denver.

Has served as director on school boards for many years, and is at present, Vice President of the Oregon Association of Nurserymen.

If elected he will render an honest public service to all.

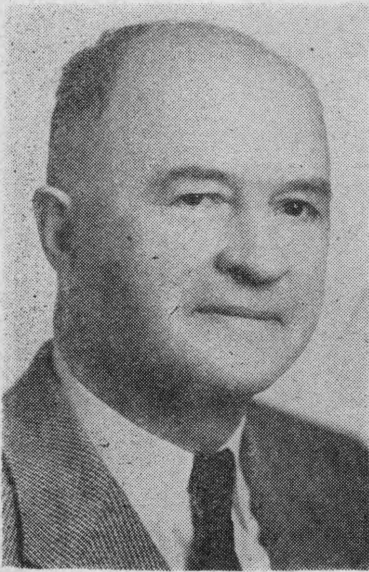
Motto: "Help Me to Help Oregon Grow."

**FRANK A. DOERFLER**

(This information furnished by Frank A. Doerfler)

**PAUL HENDRICKS**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



Registered as Republican.

Born in Salem, November 3, 1892. Parents born in Marion and Polk Counties.

Attended Public Schools, State University and Willamette Law School.

Served about 8 years on Salem City Council, and immediately after elected to four terms as City Attorney.

Government Appeal Agent since October 22, 1940.

As a young man, worked at numerous jobs, including newspaper, commercial fishing, athletic coach, building trades.

Reside and practice law in Salem, Oregon.

Served as Infantry Soldier in first World War from March, 1917, to July, 1919, mostly overseas. Discharged First Sergeant, Infantry. Later served as Lieutenant and Captain in National Guard and Reserve outfits until 1935.

(Rejected 13 times World War II). Member, Legion-Veterans Foreign Wars, etc.; 1946 President Federation of Patriotic Orders.

Have owned small farm and appraised farms for State and Federal Governments and others. Believe farming is base and backbone of America.

If nominated and elected will support:

1. Maximum aid to the underprivileged, to the aged citizens, and to the disabled from war and industry.
2. Just measures and honest men and women regardless of pressure or party.
3. Adequate employment for all returning service men and women.

SLOGAN: "Conscientious Representation. Present Member of Legislature."

**PAUL HENDRICKS**

**H. R. (FARMER) JONES**

**Republican. Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



In presenting myself, a candidate for reelection as a representative of Marion County, I respectfully refer you to my record in the last three sessions of the State Legislature. If that record shows, as I feel it does, that I made an honest effort at all times to truly represent Marion County, then I again ask your support and votes in the May nominating primary. The voting records show, definitely, that I tried to promote the welfare of the State and County as a whole, and not that of any individual or group.

If I am renominated and reelected, I shall at all times be governed by the thought, "Is this proposed act of paramount value to our county, state, and Nation?" If so, you have my pledge to vote "YES".

It will be my aim and purpose to see that all State legislation has for its aim and purpose the economic, social and civic welfare of all our people. All legislation falls into two classifications only—good or bad, and can be taken care of by a simple yes or no.

A federal tax burden has been created of such magnitude that few of us can comprehend it. It is, therefore, the duty of each and every legislator to see that all wastefulness and extravagance on the part of our State and Counties be eliminated and, further, to promote or aid in promoting all legislation that will be of help to the taxpayers in the meeting of their tax burden.

I am thoroughly aware of the grave tax situation into which our State and Nation have been plunged, and will do my utmost to assist in solving it by helping to pass good legislation and to prevent bad legislation.

It is not possible to maintain this huge tax structure unless we are all gainfully employed. Therefore, let us give industry and labor all aid so that the tax burden may be sustained, our payrolls be maintained, and see that new industries are attracted to our State; further, that the business of farming be made more attractive and profitable. I will not forget the plight of our aged nor that of the underprivileged and will aid and assist in all legislation pertinent to the well being of our returning and returned soldiers. These are the things that will have my undivided support.

I am fifty-nine years old, was born on a farm in New York state. For nearly thirty years, have owned and operated a farm south of Salem, most of which time I have also been an extensive buyer of fruits and nuts. I was married in 1910, have three children and three grandchildren.

Respectfully submitted,

H. R. (FARMER) JONES

(This information furnished by H. R. (Farmer) Jones)

**LEWIS JUDSON**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



I am a native of Marion County, as were both of my parents. Was educated in the Salem Public Schools and Willamette University.

I have farmed in this county continuously from boyhood, specializing in purebred dairy cattle.

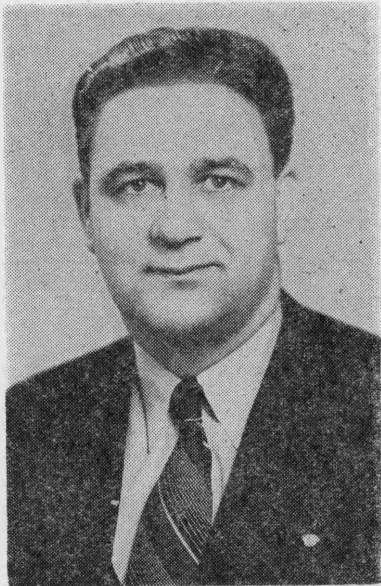
Have served in many public and semipublic positions, including thirty years on the Republican Central Committee of which I have been Congressional Committeeman, State Committeeman, Vice-chairman and Chairman.

Have given freely of my time for the promotion of the public welfare and have tried to maintain a helpful attitude toward my fellow beings.

**LEWIS JUDSON**

**JOHN F. STEELHAMMER**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



I was born in Woodburn, Oregon, and received my education in the public schools of that city, graduating from Woodburn High School. I subsequently attended Willamette University and later graduated from Oregon Normal School at Monmouth, Oregon. For two years I was engaged in teaching in Eastern Oregon in order to supply myself with sufficient funds to continue my education. I returned to Willamette University, completed the law course of that institution and with the exception of the time spent in Eastern Oregon and the time spent in the Armed Forces during World War II, I have been a continuous resident of Marion County.

I am the grandson of A. G. Steelhammer, one of the Oregon pioneers of the Silverton District and my family for many years resided on a farm in the Central Howell District.

I have served as a member of the House of Representatives in the 1939, 1941, 1943, and 1945 sessions of the Oregon legislature, serving during those sessions on many important committees. I feel that by virtue of this experience and based on my record as your state representative, I am justified in asking the voters of Marion County for their votes in the coming election.

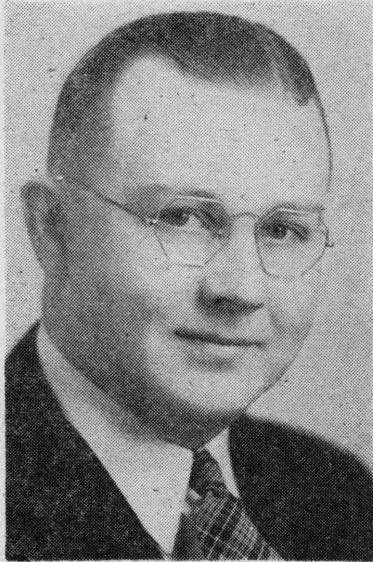
I have consistently opposed all unnecessary taxes for local and state purposes and have supported legislation to reduce state and local taxation.

Slogan: Re-elect—experienced—qualified.

**JOHN F. STEELHAMMER**

**DOUGLAS R. YEATER**

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative in the Legislative Assembly, Twelfth District, Marion County**



As a successful business man and taxpayer in Salem, Oregon, for the past eight years, married and the father of two children, one now serving in the United States Navy, I feel qualified in presenting myself as a candidate for State Representative for Marion County.

I sincerely feel the application of business principles should be applied to state government. If elected, I will apply the same effort as I have in my most recent activity, which was that of being chairman of the Marion County War Finance Committee. I am a member of the Republican Party and have always worked extensively for their principles.

Slogan: "My record of willing service in community and civic work stands examination."

**DOUGLAS R. YEATER**

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