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For Nomination or
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FOREWORD

This publication is authorized by Chapter 207, Laws 1913.

As provided therein, it contains only the names of those candidates for nomination for the various offices to be made at the primary election, May 17, 1918, who have submitted statements and portrait cuts for publication and paid the prescribed charges therefor.

Many candidates have not availed themselves of the use of the pamphlet.

Statements of candidates for each office are, under the law, printed in this pamphlet in the order in which their names are grouped under the title to their offices on the official ballots—that is, alphabetically.

As required by law, it is mailed only to registered Republican voters whose names have been furnished to the Secretary of State by the various County Clerks.

A complete list of the names of all the Republican candidates for nomination for the several offices will be contained in the official primary election ballots of that party.

BEN W. OLCOTT,

Secretary of State.

BRUCE DENNIS**Republican, Candidate for National Committeeman**

Republicans of Oregon have been dissatisfied for years with the manner in which the office of National Committeeman has been handled, and it is in response to requests from all corners of the state that I ask the support of party members for this nonsalaried office.

I contend this is a time when the Republican party should be kept thoroughly organized in order that loyal support as a party may be given the present national administration in all war work. And this should continue vigorously unless inability is shown by the party now in power to handle a situation upon which depends the life of this nation and the freedom of our people. If you agree with this principle, support me, for I sincerely promise that President Wilson will have undivided loyalty of the Republican organization.

In state affairs the Republican party has been led into the by-paths and shady nooks by some men who have assumed leadership, where trading and trafficking for personal

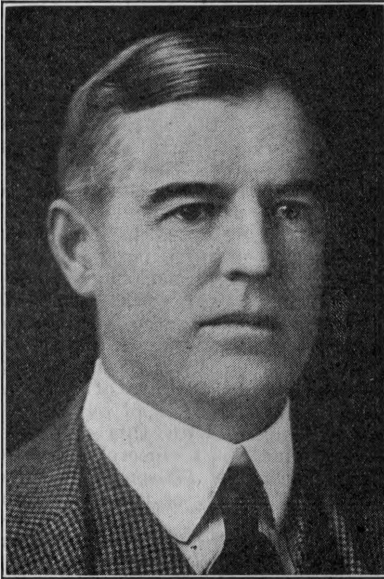
advancement and aggrandizement have reflected upon the party of Lincoln and Grant, McKinley and Roosevelt, until it has been turned into a vehicle for a few "fixers" causing the great rank and file of its members to lose interest in party affairs and shrink from taking active part in Republican organization work. This condition should not be permitted to continue and will not be if some one is elected as National Committeeman who believes in changing the Republican organization of Oregon from a closely woven, personal machine of a few men to a broad, progressive and constructive institution in which every Republican can take part. The weight of Republican principles will then be felt and men for office will be selected by party members with great care because of the responsibility which true Republican principle attaches to any square dealing citizen.

Col. Roosevelt is today rightfully the dominant character in the Republican party and I know that Oregon Republicans, with possibly a few exceptions, agree with me that he is our greatest statesman, and that his wisdom in governmental affairs should be heeded by all members of our party. Should you choose me as your National Committeeman, Oregon's Republican organization will have the benefit of Col. Roosevelt's counsel and advice.

I ask your support that you and I may have a Republican party that is thoroughly progressive, thoroughly sincere, thus changing it from a lifeless, mummified organization of the few to a virile, active institution of the many.

BRUCE DENNIS.

(This information furnished by Bruce Dennis.)

RALPH E. WILLIAMS**Republican, Candidate for National Committeeman**

*Present Republican National
Committeeman, Seeking Reelection*

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in establishing the spirit of cooperation and harmony which now prevails in the party throughout the United States.

A descendent of Oregon pioneer stock, his parents having crossed the plains to Oregon in 1845, Ralph Williams' Americanism has found abundant expression since the outbreak of the war by participation in all patriotic war activities.

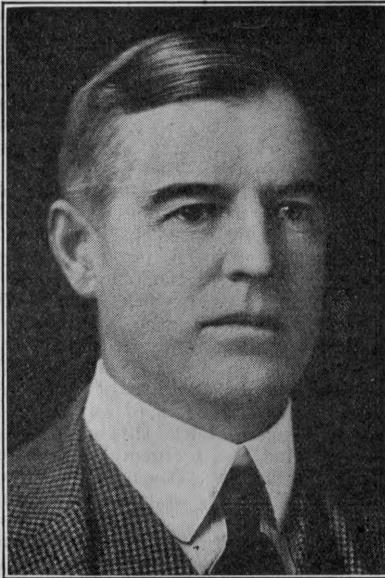
As is generally known, seniority in service gives prestige and influence on the Republican National Committee in the same measure as on Congressional Committees. At the present time he is ranked as to seniority on the National Committee by two members only. This puts Mr. Williams in a position of power and distinction such as no new member of the committee could hope to attain.

His reelection will insure to the state of Oregon all the added benefits which will naturally accrue from his increased standing.

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A. H. BURTON

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, to Fill
Vacancy in Term Ending March 4, 1919**



If I am elected I pledge you that I will not resign. A Senator should be the servant of the common people and the office should not be the plaything of any man or men.

I am a Republican and will act as such if I am elected.

I stand for a rigorous prosecution of the war to victory. I am ready to back the boys in France to the limit. I favor national prohibition, equal suffrage, initiative and referendum, marriage and divorce laws and laws for the chartering of corporations. I will do my best for Oregon and the northwest. I will introduce a bill to open all of the O. & C. land grant to settlers, restricting the entries against fraud and the profiteer; thus I hope to give the poor man a home and keep the timber for the people instead of for the rich lumber dealer. The farmer and the laborer shall have my first consideration.

I am forty-five years old, born and raised on a farm. I paid for my own education and now hold degrees from the universities of Illinois and Oregon.

I served as state representative in the twenty-ninth Oregon legislative assembly. I was ever watchful of the interests of the farmer, taxpayer and laborer. I was not the tool of anybody nor the servant of predatory interests. If I served you well there, I ask you to try me as your Senator. I have no higher ambition than to be United States Senator. If you will confer this honor upon me, I will honor you in equal manner in my service to you.

I pledge you my sacred honor that I will not be guided by any interests but the welfare of the United States, Oregon and the common people.

A. H. BURTON.

(This information furnished by A. H. Burton.)

FRED W. MULKEY

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, to Fill
Vacancy in Term Ending March 4, 1919**



To the Men and Women of the Republican Party:

There are two Senatorial terms to be filled. I am a candidate for the Republican nomination for the short term. If I am nominated and elected I will resign the day I qualify, in favor of the Senator elected for the long term at the November election of this year. One must qualify before he can resign.

Only by an election for the short term can the precedent be established in Oregon that the people shall permanently fill a vacancy in the Senate after the Governor has made an appointment.

My only object in running is patriotism to preserve for the state the right of the people to permanently fill a Senatorial vacancy by their own election and to establish as law that the Governor can only make temporary appointment of a United States Senator.

Very respectfully,

FRED W. MULKEY.

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Business Address, Mulkey Building, Portland, Oregon.

(This information furnished by Fred W. Mulkey.)

CHARLES J. SCHNABEL

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, to Fill
Vacancy in Term Ending March 4, 1919**



Charles J. Schnabel was born August 17, 1867, in Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, and has resided in Portland since 1889, and has never sought public office. His mother was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana, and his father served in the Union army during the civil war. His family consists of his wife, son and daughter.

If elected, Mr. Schnabel will immediately resign and permit the Governor to appoint in his stead the people's choice for the long term. The Attorney General has held that Senator McNary's term expires in November, and that there are two terms now to be filled; one from November until March 4, 1919, and the long term then ensuing.

Believing that the people should rule and that their plain intent is that there shall be no intervening Senator, Mr. Schnabel is allowing his name to be used so as to enable the Governor to carry out the will of the people. In this way if Senator

McNary is reelected, he can be continued in office without interruption. If another is elected, he can continue his term before next March and gain preference for the state in committee assignments.

Mr. Schnabel advocates a vigorous prosecution of the war and suppression of all disloyalty to the end that democracies shall not perish from the earth and that "we shall achieve for mankind a just and everlasting peace," and that adequate provision shall be made for him, "who shall have borne the battle, his widow and his orphan."

Mr. Schnabel favors enforcement of the Monroe doctrine; modernization of our ports; development of Oregon industries and resources; fair treatment of labor; encouragement of investment, so that the products of Oregon farms and factories shall be carried throughout the world in American-owned ships carrying the Stars and Stripes.

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MRS. FREDERICK EGGERT, 265 14th St., Portland, Oregon.

J. P. KAVANAUGH, 817 Irving St., Portland, Oregon.

SARAH A. EVANS, 321 14th St., Portland, Oregon.

REV. WILLIAM WALLACE YOUNGSON, 691 E. 62d St., Portland, Oregon.

C. A. WILLIAMS, Box 401, Gladstone, Oregon.

GEORGE H. HIMES, 874 East Everett, St., Portland, Oregon.

GEORGE D. WILLIAMSON, 248 Front St., Portland, Oregon.

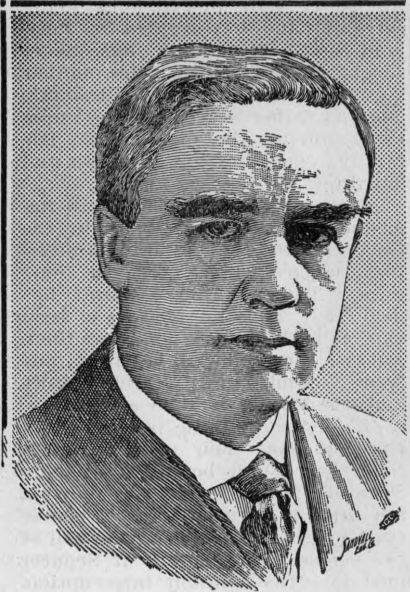
DR. EMMETT DRAKE, 533 East 59th St. N., Portland, Oregon.

GEO. G. BINGHAM, Salem, Oregon.

(This information furnished by V. M. C. Silva, Mrs. Frederick Eggert, and others.)

S. B. HUSTON

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, for Term Beginning March 4, 1919



Until German militarism shall be crushed with the sword the United States can have but one purpose; every loyal citizen can have but one paramount idea. The war must be won, the administration must be sustained, the fighting must be done, Democracy must be saved to the world.

This is not a new conviction with me. As soon as the call was issued by the President for a meeting of Congress to declare war my voice was raised in support of the administration. Whilst many were silent, apparently hesitating, I spoke at Sheridan, at Carlton and other places, urging the support of the administration. I have given my two sons to the service of our country and one of them is now in the battle line in France, and I am proud to be the son of a man who as a soldier gave his life for the preservation of the union.

First as an American citizen I seek the nomination for United States Senator for the term begin-

ning March 4, 1919; afterwards as a member of the Republican party, I seek the votes of my fellow citizens because I believe that in the present crisis I can be of service to my country and to Oregon. My experience, my training, my familiarity with the needs of Oregon qualify me, at least in some degree, for the work ahead during and after the war. The fact that I have been three times elected to legislative office, each time with increased vote, shows that my fellow citizens have confidence in my integrity and in my judgment. In 1916 I was elected to the Senate from Multnomah county by 25,662 more votes than was received by my highest democratic opponent.

Congress must help to develop the shipbuilding industry in Oregon. I want free ports on the Pacific to aid in developing world commerce, and I want the forests and mineral wealth of Alaska opened to beneficial use. As the first and only candidate for Senator from Oregon to declare for the National basic eight-hour day in the mines, mills and factories, I stand in the foreground in Labor's cause. I stand for improvements of waterways in Oregon, for the broadening of the Rural Credits act, for Federal aid in Highway construction and for a fair deal for Oregon in the distribution of Government patronage and the expenditures of Irrigation funds. I am for National Prohibition and Universal Suffrage.

S. B. HUSTON.

(This information furnished by S. B. Huston.)

CHARLES L. McNARY

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, for Term Beginning March 4, 1919



Because Charles L. McNary has made good as United States Senator from Oregon, he should be nominated as Senator in the Republican primary on May 17.

From the day he entered the Senate Senator McNary has been a loyal champion of the vigorous prosecution of the war and has accomplished more for Oregon and its people during his tenure of office than any member of Congress in the same length of time. Among his colleagues in the Senate he is known as "the man on the job."

With our country in the greatest war in history, Oregon is to be congratulated that it has the present opportunity to return such an able and loyal representative to the U. S. Senate, thus relieving the State of the necessity of sending in his stead a new, untrained man to Washington.

Commenting on Senator McNary's brilliant record and advocating his nomination on May 17, "The Evening Telegram," of Portland, on March 30, 1918, said:

"United States Senator Charles L. McNary is a candidate to succeed himself, and the electorate should nominate and elect him for, since assuming office, the Senator has accomplished more for Oregon than any member of Congress in a like period of time, and the election of an inexperienced man to succeed him would jeopardize the interests of both the state and nation.

"Recognizing his rare ability, the Republican committee on committees of the Senate appointed him on committees where he could be of service to his constituents and the country, and his services in the Senate have provoked praise from the press of other states as well as from that of his own. Several of these committees handle matters that are of prime importance to Oregon, and the Senator's return to the Senate would insure his promotion on these committees and make him a still more powerful legislator for Oregon and the nation."

IMPORTANT COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS.

Senator McNary is a member of the following important Senate Committees:

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Manufactures, Public Lands, Irrigation and Reclamation of Arid Lands, Expenditures in Department of Commerce, Pacific Railroads, Public Health and National Quarantine, Indian Affairs, Philippines.

Charles L. McNary was born on a farm in Marion County, Oregon, in June, 1874, reared in the Baptist church, educated in the Salem public schools and at Stanford University, is a lawyer and farmer, and has been a life-long Republican.

Senator McNary was formerly Associate Justice of the Oregon Supreme Court and later chairman of the Republican State Central Committee and directing head of the campaign of 1916.

AIDS PROSECUTION OF THE WAR.

Senator McNary believes that the cause of America and her allies is the cause of liberty and freedom and that an honorable and lasting peace can be secured only by the defeat of autocracy. Entertaining this view, he has given his whole-hearted support to the determined prosecution of the war and takes pride in the fact that his native State of Oregon has been in the very front rank of all war activities.

Believing that the supreme obligation that he owes to his country and to the people of Oregon is to help the United States win the war, Senator McNary determined to forego the prosecution of a personal campaign in Oregon. Accordingly he has remained on duty at Washington and has worked day and night in aid of the energetic conduct of the war, for the welfare of the people of his Country and State.

FOR THE SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

Having in mind the future welfare of our soldiers and sailors, 20,000 of whom are in service from Oregon, Senator McNary favors legislation granting soldiers and sailors preferential rights on homesteads, also preferential employment on Government irrigation projects, also in the development of logged-off lands.

He is insisting on the passage of a bill which he introduced to prevent army officers in Washington, D. C., from receiving allowances giving them higher pay than officers on duty in France.

He has visited several camps and cantonments and secured the correction of unfavorable conditions by the War Department.

He is working for the location of a cantonment in Eastern Oregon and a convalescent hospital at Roseburg.

He has prepared for introduction a bill providing for the vocational rehabilitation and reeducation of soldiers and sailors disabled in the war.

He is working to secure prompt payment of allotments to dependent relatives of our soldiers and sailors.

OTHER WORK IN AID OF THE WAR.

He is working for the establishment of a naval base near the mouth of the Columbia River.

He has obtained a Ground Aviation School for the University of Oregon, and a Nautical School for Portland.

He is laboring for an aviation training station in Eastern Oregon and one at Medford.

It is largely due to Senator McNary's untiring efforts that the Government decided to permit aeroplane parts to be sawed in Oregon planing mills, instead of Eastern mills.

He is laboring for the construction at Government expense of a Military Highway from the northern boundary of the State of Washington to the southern boundary of the State of California.

He procured an appropriation of \$500,000 for the purchase of farm equipment stock for the Klamath Indians.

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SAVES MILLIONS FOR FARMERS.

Championing the cause of the wheat growers of Oregon, who suffered through price discrimination in 1917, Senator McNary fought successfully for the establishment of a primary wheat market and thereby saved several million dollars to the farmers of the Northwest. In this connection, Mr. C. W. Nelson of Seattle, representing the Tri-State Terminal Company, Seattle, a farmers' union enterprise, said:

"Our committee had the full assistance of the delegations from three states. Especially is great credit due to Senator McNary of Oregon, who was untiring in our behalf. By common consent he appeared to act as spokesman of the congressional delegation. Frequently he worked until midnight and later, in conference with our committee." (The Oregonian, February 26, 1918.)

PRICE FIXING TO PREVENT PROFITEERING.

Realizing that the present Food Control Law fails to fix the prices on many necessities of life, Senator McNary has introduced and is working strongly for a bill extending price-fixing to a large number of commodities. Explaining its purpose, Senator McNary said:

"During the consideration of the Food Control Bill I took the position that the law, to be effective, should be comprehensive in its application to prevent profiteers from gaining control of those commodities not coming within its operation. This bill will, if it passes, correct some of the wrongs now practiced upon the producing and consuming public. This measure empowers the President to fix the price of petroleum and its products; hides and skins and their products, such as shoes; hemp, jute, cotton and wool and their products, such for example, as clothing, and also on wheat substitutes, corn, rye, barley, oats and the products or joint products (or products of two or more) of said materials, also on livestock and its products. Farm implements and machinery are also included. Unless a change of policy is made, it is inevitable that the price of wheat substitutes will advance until actual suffering will come upon many people."

NATIONAL EQUAL SUFFRAGE AND NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

Senator McNary has fulfilled his promise and voted for the resolution submitting National Prohibition to the Legislatures of the several states and has been cooperating with the Senators favoring Equal Suffrage and will vote for this amendment when it reaches the Senate.

AIDS OREGON SHIPBUILDING.

To Senator McNary's close study of Oregon's shipbuilding resources, the expanding of the shipbuilding industry in Oregon has been due in large measure. It may be safely said that there is not a single shipyard in Oregon which has not benefited through the influence exerted by Senator McNary in Washington.

SECURES CONTRACTS FOR OREGON PRODUCTS.

Senator McNary induced the Government to purchase large quantities of Oregon products, like prunes, dehydrated potatoes and dehydrated vegetables, thus furnishing the first instance on record of such a purchase.

Senator McNary was largely responsible in procuring space on British ships for the shipment of condensed milk and cream from Oregon condenseries, whereby the disaster which threatened this industry, through inability to get its products to market, was averted.

He secured contracts for the construction of lifeboats in Oregon.

He has assisted Oregon factories in obtaining Government orders for army clothing.

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AIDS IRRIGATION PROJECTS.

Senator McNary procured favorable action by the Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation on a bill providing for the Government marketing of district irrigation bonds, thereby supplying funds for irrigation projects.

He has obtained a favorable report from the foregoing Committee on a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to accept irrigation or drainage district bonds and exchange them with the Secretary of the Treasury for certificates of indebtedness, thereby providing the funds for legitimate projects.

He is now working on a comprehensive plan whereby a considerable portion of the immense water energy of Oregon may be utilized for the public good.

WORKS FOR OREGON PORTS AND HARBORS.

He has succeeded in passing through the Senate a bill providing for the survey of a channel thirty-five feet deep from Portland to the sea.

He assisted the Portland Public Dock Commission in obtaining a lower price for steel used in the construction of Portland's public docks.

He has pointed out to the Director General of Railroads the advantages of Portland and Astoria as ports, and has led the fight to bring about a diversion to these cities of freight now moving to the West over longer hauls and high grades.

He procured from the War Department a permit for the improvement of the harbor at Yaquina and is working for its development through Government assistance.

Realizing the important position Alaska bears to Oregon commerce, Senator McNary has put forth many efforts for its railroad development and the opening of coal and oil fields in the neighborhood of Anchorage. He has received assurances from the Federal Shipping Board that barges for the handling of coal, oil and minerals from the territory will be available for the Pacific Coast ports within a year.

HELPS TO RELIEVE CAR SHORTAGE.

On several occasions Senator McNary has been successful in procuring cars to relieve car shortage in various parts of the State.

A RECORD OF ACHIEVEMENT.

Space forbids even a brief mention of numerous other matters of public interest that have occupied Senator McNary's attention since he assumed office. But anyone who understands conditions at the National Capital will realize from the foregoing that the Senator has displayed truly remarkable ability, coupled with extraordinary diligence and energy. His native State of Oregon can best show its appreciation of his splendid services by nominating and electing him.

THOS. B. KAY
B. W. SLEEMAN
MRS. GEO. W. McMATH
THOMAS A. MCBRIDE
T. B. NEUHAUSEN

(This information furnished by Thos. B. Kay, B. W. Sleeman, Mrs. Geo. W. McMath, Thomas A. McBride and T. B. Neuhausen.)

ROBERT N. STANFIELD

**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, for Term
Beginning March 4, 1919**



ROBERT N. STANFIELD

**THE MAN WHO BELIEVES IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF OREGON'S
OPPORTUNITY.**

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ROBERT N. STANFIELD**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for United States Senator, for Term
Beginning March 4, 1919**

Voters of Oregon :

I ask your support for United States Senator because Oregon has not received the treatment, consideration and recognition to which the state's inexhaustible resources, patriotism and willingness of the people entitle her. My conviction that I can be of material assistance in securing this is based primarily upon a confidence built of patriotism, business achievement, a comprehensive knowledge of Oregon's needs, and a stern sincerity of purpose.

I am not seeking the office for the salary it pays, but from a sincere desire to serve the state of my nativity. My father and mother, and the family they raised, struggled through the hardships of Oregon's pioneer days, and it was in this stern school of necessity that I received my life's training. I feel a justifiable pride in any success that I may have attained which makes me independent of the financial inducements of any public office that I may seek, but enables me to devote my entire time to the duties of that office.

My energy and ability, in the same degree that has characterized my business and personal activities, I gladly give to the service of my state and country.

It will be my ambition to secure for Oregon that just recognition for Oregon which in the past has been withheld and to place her on a plane of equality with her sister states.

MAKES PLEDGE WITH PEOPLE OF OREGON.

I Pledge Myself :

To support the National Administration and the heads of the government with all my ability and energy in the speedy and vigorous prosecution of the war to a peace satisfactory to a world democracy and compatible with the highest ideals of our civilization.

To stern military suppression of the I. W. W. and all disloyals, compelling them to perform useful labor of the state and nation, and deportation of the pro-Hun, if more severe punishment is not given.

To see that Oregon participates, all things being equal, in National trade, commerce and industry, and that our state is given recognition in the federal expenditures made necessary by the war; and to see that these

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expenditures shall be distributed not only along businesslike principles, but in a manner which will serve the whole state and preclude the growth favored expansion of one section at the expense of any other.

WILL AID PERMANENT SHIPBUILDING PLANTS.

To the development of Oregon's shipping ports through federal improvement of waterways and harbors; the maintenance of merchant marine on the Pacific Coast; the establishment of an adequate naval base at the mouth of the Columbia river, and to obtaining just recognition on the part of the Federal government of the importance, value, commercial and industrial advantages of Oregon's location, situation and shipping facilities. The termination of the war should not witness a cessation of activity in the shipbuilding industry. The policy of government owned and operated ships should become a part of our peace program. It is only by a determined, affirmative stand upon this question that we can prevent this industry from returning to the control of the shipping trust and transferred to the ports of Europe, where labor is cheap and where subsidies have always prevailed. Permanent shipbuilding plants should be established on the Columbia and Willamette rivers, Coos Bay, Bandon, Tillamook and all other feasible harbors in Oregon where the opportunities for speedy construction are greater than any other place in the United States.

FOR PRIMARY MARKET IN PORTLAND

To an equitable control and regulation of food supplies, commerce and industry, and the establishment of a primary market in Portland on an equal basis with Chicago and Eastern ports.

To an amendment to the Chamberlain-Ferris bill which will open every acre of land in the Oregon-California land grant to the people for homes, in accordance with the original terms of the grant, giving American soldiers and sailors a preferential right to enter upon these lands. The whole 2,300,000 acres must be opened for settlement.

TILLABLE LANDS SHOULD BE SETTLED.

To the opening for settlements of all tillable lands now included in the National forests.

To the settlement of the public lands question and to legislation which shall bring about the development of Oregon's inexhaustible resources, including the development of water power, reclamation of arid, swamp and logged-off lands through federal assistance and to obtain from congress Oregon's share of the irrigation fund.

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To the construction by the federal government of a military highway along the Pacific coast, and federal aid in the construction of permanent highways.

FOR EFFECTIVE NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

To nation-wide prohibition and to all measures which shall make it practicable, operative and not theoretical; and to permanently establish equal suffrage in both states and nation.

To effective rural credit legislation and administration, making it directly operative so that those for whom the benefits were intended, which should include farmers, reconstructive industries and soldiers, may enjoy its benefits without extra cost or the establishment of numerous burdensome commissions and boards.

WILL PROTECT RIGHTS OF LABOR.

To the organization and mobilization of all our industrial forces, with a just and proper consideration of the rights of labor, which shall guarantee coordination of American efforts, both during and after the World war, including the universal application of the eight-hour day in all essential industries.

To legislation which will permit the natural resources of the great west and Alaska to be used, at the same time being careful that these natural resources are used economically.

To support National Legislation for the care and welfare of our soldiers and sailors after the war.

AGAINST PROFITEERING.

And if the President of the United States should favor or advocate the conscription of the profits of profiteers, I place myself now on record as voting yes.

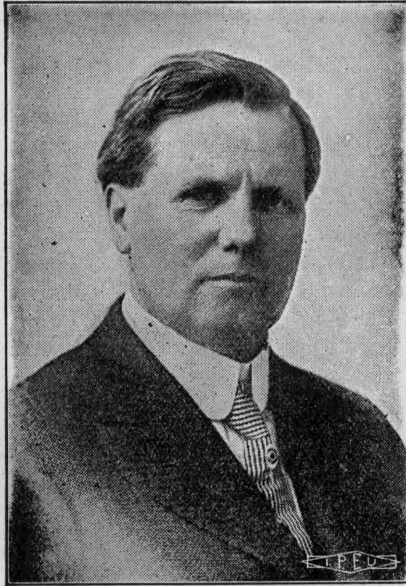
I shall favor increased pay for mail carriers, railroad mail clerks and any employes in the civil service.

And to a policy of reconstruction which will insure our national integrity, honor and maintenance of commercial prestige, and when elected upon this platform it will be my paramount aim to guarantee to the state of Oregon that patriotic and efficient and businesslike representation so necessary during the six crucial years that are to follow if Oregon is to have its share and play its part in the destiny of the Nation and the preservation of our institutions.

ROBERT N. STANFIELD.

(This information furnished by Robert N. Stanfield.)

J. E. ANDERSON
Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor



"BONE DRY; WIN THE WAR; DEVELOP OREGON."

To the Citizens of Oregon:

I ask for your support on my record in the Oregon legislatures of 1913, 1915 and 1917, and on the following pledges for the future:

Staunch support of the Administration at Washington in every effort to win the war.

Good roads when they can be built without interfering with the labor situation regarding shipbuilding and the harvesting of our crops. Road bonds should not be allowed to interfere with the sale of Liberty bonds.

Absolute justice for men and women who work, with strict enforcement of child-labor laws. I shall oppose the entrance into our country of Chinese labor under any subterfuge.

Ratification of prohibition and women's suffrage amendments to the national constitution.

Strict enforcement of all laws and the elimination of the bootlegger.

Just and proper adjudication of water rights, both for irrigation and power purposes, to the end that our arid acreage may be reclaimed.

Ample support for our entire Public School system from the humblest rural school to the university and agricultural college.

Should I be nominated and elected I pledge myself to practice economy; strive for efficiency, and work in every way for the welfare of Oregon, both moral and material.

I believe in ONE HUNDRED per cent patriotism. The time is past for temporizing. Traitors should not only be interned—they should be interred.

J. E. ANDERSON.

(This information furnished by J. E. Anderson.)

F. C. HARLEY**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor**

"THE MAN WHO IS FIGHTING FOR OREGON'S DEVELOPMENT."

To the Voters:

I pledge myself to support and favor Republican party principles, all measures harmonious with Federal war program and patriotic service; women suffrage; recognition of rights of labor as well as capital; against National prohibition amendment; favor introduction of light wines and beer under state regulation, distinctly excluding whisky and saloons; development of Oregon's agricultural, dairying, natural and industrial resources, and adequate road building program; State owned grain elevators; action to obtain Federal Naval protection at mouth of Columbia; establishment of State constabulary for protection of life and property; home rule for cities; and administration of all public offices on just and economic principles.

My slogan: "Do you want a live state? Vote for Harley for Governor."

F. C. HARLEY.

(This information furnished by F. C. Harley.)

GUS. C. MOSER**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor**

I was born and reared on a farm in Buffalo County, Wisconsin; educated myself by my own efforts, from the time I was fourteen years of age, and by working on farms, doing carpenter work, carrying the hod and teaching school, earned the funds necessary to attend college at Valparaiso, Indiana, and acquire a legal education. I have lived in Oregon for twenty-seven years, was admitted to the Bar on June 1, 1894, and have been practicing law in Portland ever since. Have always been active in civic and fraternal affairs, and take pride in being known as one of Oregon's leading "boosters."

I have served six years in the Oregon State Senate, was Chairman of its important Judiciary Committee in the 1913 and 1915 sessions, and was unanimously elected President of the 1917 session. My record is my platform.

I have pledged myself in my declaration to: "Devote my untiring efforts to bringing the World War to

a speedy and victorious conclusion, in order that Democracy may live and human liberty survive; practice the most rigid economy and inaugurate strict business principles in State affairs; develop our agricultural resources by extension of the Rural Credits system, irrigation, drainage and colonization, making productive our vacant lands; encourage shipbuilding and other manufacturing industries; uphold the rights of both labor and capital, bringing them together under a mutual cooperation scheme; abolish useless Boards and Commissions.

**"BUILD GOOD ROADS, BUT FREE US FROM THE DAMNABLE
PAVING MONOPOLY."**

The state highway commission, appointed by Governor Withycombe, seems irrevocably committed to the Warren Construction Co.'s bitulithic pavement. Specifications are so drawn that there is not "free, fair and open competition," and as a result we are paying over \$5,000.00 more per sixteen-foot mile for this pavement, than is being paid in the State of Washington for the identical pavement, under the same market conditions of labor and material.

If elected governor I will not permit these conditions to exist. I will not permit the taxpayers to be robbed by the Paving Trust. Ask the other candidates for governor to tell you where they stand on this proposition.

I have always been, and am now, an enthusiastic Good Roads Booster, but how many miles of roads will we get for \$6,000,000.00 at these robbing Trust prices? If you believe we should get a "a dollar's worth of roads for a dollar," give me your votes and it shall occur. Let us build good roads in every county in the state, but let us forever banish the subtle influence of the Paving Trust from Oregon politics.

GUS. C. MOSER.

(This information furnished by Gus. C. Moser.)

BEN W. OLCOTT**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor**

To the Republicans of Oregon:

In presenting myself as a candidate for Governor, I invite the closest scrutiny of my record as Secretary of State, because if elected Governor I shall continue to conduct state business on a strictly business basis and shall exact the highest degree of efficiency from all departments and appointees coming under my authority.

Economy and efficiency in the expenditure of state funds will lighten the burden of taxation during the period when all of us are making sacrifices to help win the war.

To win the war is of the greatest concern to every loyal citizen, and if elected Governor I shall work unceasingly to that end. I shall do all I can to put war work of every nature in this state on the most efficient basis possible, to the end that we may make the greatest use of our time and money expended. I believe we should be practical and

efficient as well as enthusiastic in our patriotism.

I shall consider it a patriotic duty to insist on the strictest economy in connection with all state activities, as every dollar we thus save will mean one dollar less that will have to be raised by taxation. And if taxes are held down to a minimum it will be that much easier for our citizens to provide funds for war necessities.

As Secretary of State I have had exceptional opportunity to observe the expenditures and the minutest details of the activities of all state departments, institutions, boards and commissions. This information will be of immense value to a chief executive, and if elected Governor I shall use this knowledge for the benefit of the taxpayers of the state.

In this connection I wish to assure the people of the state that I will hold my appointees to as high a degree of efficiency in the public service as exacted from men in the employ of the best managed private businesses.

If elected Governor I shall do all I can to promote the development of the state's agricultural, industrial and commercial resources.

I will use the power of the office to give the fullest protection to legitimate business and the rights of labor, and will use the same power to give the people of Oregon protection from the war profiteer.

All laws will be strictly enforced.

When the National Prohibition and Woman Suffrage amendments to the federal constitution are presented, I shall urge their immediate ratification by the Oregon Legislature.

The executive office will be open to all, without favoritism, and I will welcome and promptly act upon any suggestion for the betterment of the public welfare.

Slogan: Business efficiency, for winning the war and for state affairs.

BEN W. OLCOTT.

(This information furnished by Ben W. Olcott.)

L. J. SIMPSON**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor**

To the Republicans of Oregon:

BIOGRAPHICAL: L. J. Simpson is the son of the late Capt. A. M. Simpson, pioneer shipping and lumberman. He was born September 1, 1877, in Oakland, California; worked as day laborer in Coos Bay shipyards; became manager of big lumber and ship-building business in 1900; founded town of North Bend in 1901 when it had one house; now has 3,500 people and payroll of \$150,000 monthly. Since 1916 has engaged in civic and patriotic work.

PLATFORM IN BRIEF: "Uphold Republican principles; vigorously support Nation's war activities; favor National eight-hour day, except in agriculture; support National prohibition and equal suffrage; promote new industries, encourage settlers, develop Oregon; better living conditions for workers; businesslike administration."

ENDORSEMENTS: Three thousand workmen on Coos Bay have endorsed him as "A good

man to work for is a good man to vote for." He is also endorsed by all the Coos Bay unions, business and professional men's associations, fraternal societies, and other organizations.

HIS RECORD: Mr. Simpson is forty-one years old. He has a record as a worker, a thinker and a builder. He has studied state problems. He is ambitious to drive the State of Oregon ahead, to foster manufacturing and development, to aid the farmer and the laborer, to keep Oregon in the first rank of war activities. The people of Coos Bay, and his friends throughout the State know Mr. Simpson's good business judgment, his boundless energy, his executive ability, his friendship with labor, his ability to overcome obstacles, to get things done, to go over the top. They favor him for Governor because they know he stands for patriotism and Americanism first of all; for efficiency in state affairs; for social justice and a constructive policy of state development, in the interest of all the people. They know, with him as the State's executive, there would be infused an energetic spirit into State affairs which would result in actual accomplishments. Who will do the best for Oregon? His supporters answer: L. J. Simpson, and respectfully ask the Republican men and women to vote for him on May 17th.

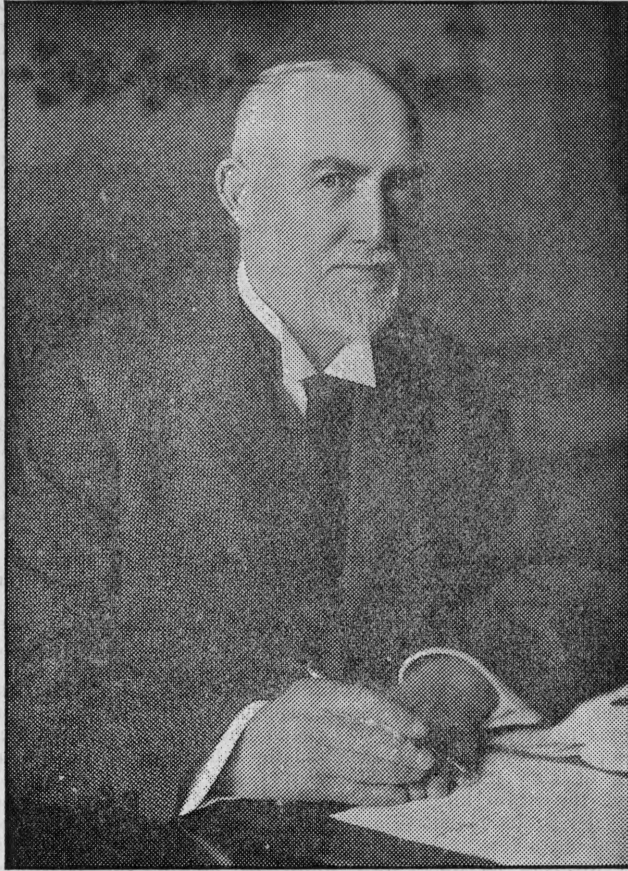
Simpson for Governor League, Executive Committee: Charles Hall, A. E. Adelsperger, A. S. Hammond, C. S. Winsor, A. K. Peck, Roy Wernich, J. Albert Mason, W. U. Douglas, Henry Kern, Claude Nasburg, H. J. McKeown, Dr. Geo. E. Dix, A. L. Martin, E. K. Jones, Herbert Lockhart, John H. Greves, C. E. Maybee, M. C. Maloney, A. H. Derbyshire, Edgar McDaniel, Peter Loggie, John G. Mullen. Respectfully submitted,

SIMPSON FOR GOVERNOR LEAGUE,

By O. C. LEITER, Secretary.

(This information furnished by Simpson for Governor League, O. C. Leiter, Secretary.)

JAMES WITHYCOMBE
Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Governor



In pressing upon our fellow citizens the claims of Governor Withycombe to reelection, there are many subjects which we could emphasize; his sterling honesty, his clean and genuine private life, the fidelity with which he has discharged the routine duties of his office, his zeal for law enforcement, his democratic manners, his faculty for keeping in touch with the people, his receptiveness to suggestion from all classes of citizens, the sound common sense which he has brought to bear on all public problems, his sustained interest in the development of the state, his intimate familiarity with its resources, his interest in everything which makes for the welfare and intellectual development of the people, his fulfillment of every pledge he has made.

In a community which is accustomed to reelect officials who have made good, the matters above emphasized abundantly justify our claims that Governor Withycombe should have a second term. But we are able to support this claim by reasons still more cogent.

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In May, 1915, four months after he took office and two years before our entrance into the European war, at a conference held at Seattle of the governors of the western states, Governor Withycombe took pronounced ground in favor of preparedness. A week before our declaration of war he presided over a great patriotic meeting at Salem. On April 19, 1917, he marched on foot at the head of the great patriotic parade in Portland. He did all in his power to encourage enlistment and had as much pride as any one in Oregon in the fact that the state furnished by volunteer enlistment ninety-two per cent of its quota, no other state furnishing to exceed seventy-six per cent.

The only member of his family of military age applied three times to enlist as a private. The first two times he was rejected on physical grounds, but he persisted and is now with the colors.

The influence of his office has been constantly exerted to keep the spirit of the people at white heat and to maintain at their maximum efficiency the Oregon industries related to war activities. Governor Withycombe has consistently denounced all forms of disloyalty. He has organized the state to resist the activities of the I. W. W. It is wholly due to his prompt and vigorous action that the logging camps in Oregon were running for two months in the summer of 1917, when the logging camps of Washington were closed down.

The care of the troops has been constantly on the governor's heart. He was attentive to them while they were in the state and his ringing telegram to the War Department led to the abandonment of the insanitary camp at Mineola, Long Island.

From the first to last Governor Withycombe has scorned to play politics with the critical situations which have risen in these terrible times.

Is it the part of wisdom in the midst of this great war to displace such an official and to take a chance on his successor? Abraham Lincoln said in the midst of the presidential campaign of 1864, while our Civil War was in progress:

"It is not best to swap horses while crossing the stream."

Believing that all other considerations should be subordinated to the winning of the great war, we ask for the renomination and reelection of Oregon's fearless, zealous, patriotic war governor.

MRS. F. R. COOK, Portland.
 MRS. WILLIAM C. ALVORD, Portland.
 W. H. GORE, Medford.
 LESLIE BUTLER, Hood River.
 WILLIAM WALLACE YOUNGSON, Portland.
 GEORGE CHANDLER, Baker.
 C. L. HAWLEY, McCoy.
 CONRAD P. OLSON, Portland.
 R. A. EMMITT, Klamath Falls.
 THOS. B. KAY, Salem.
 ALICE H. (Mrs. Rollin K.) PAGE, Salem.
 MRS. EDGAR C. MICHENER, Portland.
 F. S. CURL, Pendleton.
 P. A. YOUNG, Albany.
 R. N. AVISON, Salem.
 E. V. LITTLEFIELD, Portland.
 ED E. KIDDLE, Island City.
 DAVID M. DUNNE, Portland.
 F. D. McCULLY, Joseph.
 J. E. HALL, Portland.

(This information furnished by Conrad P. Olson, Mrs. F. R. Cook, Mrs. William C. Alvord, W. H. Gore, and others.)

WM. ADAMS**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

Having served the City of Portland as its Treasurer for the past six years, being elected, reelected and later appointed by the Commissioners, after a thorough examination of my qualifications to fill the office, I consider my experience and ability in handling public funds and business is sufficient to encourage me to present myself to the people of the State as a candidate for the Republican nomination for State Treasurer.

If nominated and elected I will give my entire time and personal attention to the business of the Treasurer's office and such Boards as I will be a member of. I pledge myself to strict economy. I favor a program of expenditures based on "absolute necessities only." Improvements and expenditures that can wait should wait and will wait wherever it is within my power to make them wait. I favor the State promoting and aiding agricultural development. I stand on my record as a public official and citizen,

always working for the best interests of Oregon.

The following are a few expressions of Portland citizens as to my administration of the City Treasurer's Office.

He has made a fine record and is popular with the people.—Harvey O'Bryan.

I am not personally acquainted with Mr. Adams, but I am of the opinion that the City Treasurer's Office under Mr. Adams has been by far the best conducted office in the City Hall.—J. B. Holbrook.

We can certify to the thorough business manner in which Mr. Adams has conducted his office.—Maegly & Tichner.

My business necessitates a considerable number of transactions with the office of the City Treasurer and I have always met with uniform efficiency and courtesy.—Henry Teal.

He conducts his department in a highly efficient manner.—C. H. Reade. He is a man with whom the public can deal with satisfaction and assurance of courtesy.—F. A. Freeman, Cashier.

Thoroughly competent, has held his office with credit to himself and satisfaction to the public.—Albert Cleveland.

I regard Mr. Adams as an exceptionally well qualified and deserving man. His record as City Treasurer entitles him to most favorable consideration, as does his standing as a man and citizen.—M. L. Holbrook.

I frequently had occasion to come in contact with him in his office and his efficiency and courtesy to the citizen requiring the benefits of his office are such that no better choice can be made.—Leo Friede.

I will not make a personal canvass of the State. I can not afford it. My expenditures will be limited as I will put all my surplus earnings to aid the Government win the war.

I ask for your vote on May 17th.

WM. ADAMS.

(This information furnished by Wm. Adams.)

E. D. CUSICK**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

The duties of the State Treasurer are more than the mere receiving and paying out of the current funds of the state. He acts as custodian of all the state funds and of the notes and securities belonging to the irreducible school, rural credit and trust funds of the state. He collects inheritance taxes and sees that the estates of decedents are properly appraised, and makes investments of the surplus and investment funds of the state industrial and segregated accident funds in bonds and lawful securities; also he has many other financial duties. He is a member of the Board of Control, directing the management of many state institutions, the State Tax Commission, State Land Board, Desert Land Board, and many other boards and commissions.

Being one of the managers of the state's institutions and the state's financial agent, as well as trustee for the widows and orphans of those who lose their lives through accidents in industrial plants, it requires

one who has had experience in both business transactions and affairs of the State. Knowing these requirements I have become a candidate for the position. I have had a banking experience of thirty years and have been honored by the Oregon Bankers' Association by being elected its president, a position I now hold.

In 1914 I was elected State Senator by the voters of Lane and Linn Counties without opposition from any candidate of the leading parties. During the 1915 and 1917 sessions of the legislature I acquired valuable experience relating to the affairs of the state.

I promise, if elected, to enforce honesty, economy and efficiency in the management of the state's institutions; to favor encouragement to irrigation and drainage and to use my best efforts to obtain an operative rural credits law, believing in giving support to the agricultural interests of the state.

The paramount issue now is the winning of the war, and I promise full support to any measure to stand firm behind our boys, either here or abroad. Our soldiers will soon be coming home, and means must be found to develop the state to enable them to make a living, and as a member of the state administration I will use every effort to make Oregon prosperous, to bring more land under cultivation, and to make it a land of plenty for our returning soldiers.

E. D. CUSICK.

(This information furnished by E. D. Cusick.)

O. P. HOFF**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

My Oath of Office is My Platform
My Record Is Your Guarantee
My Experience Is Your Protection

"O. P. Hoff * * * has recognized that farmers were laborers and whenever and wherever he has seen the opportunity to extend a helping hand to the farmers it has been freely offered."—Farmers Union News, Corvallis, Oregon.

"We have known O. P. Hoff for more than thirty years and done business with him and know him to be a man of honor, conservative and careful in his actions and a successful business man."—L. H. Potter, Vice President United States National Bank, Eugene, Oregon.

"Mr. O. P. Hoff has done business with us for several years, during which time we have been quite well acquainted with him.

We have found him honorable and trustworthy, and as far as we are able to judge, his judgment in financial matters is good."—Ladd & Bush, Bankers, Salem, Oregon.

"I have known Mr. O. P. Hoff, the present Labor Commissioner, for about ten years and know him to be a trustworthy man in every respect. One who can be trusted to perform any duty that may be required of him in an efficient manner."—O. R. Hartwig, President Oregon State Federation of Labor, Portland, Oregon.

Lived for years in Lane county. Residence in Portland. Postoffice address, Salem.

In support of my candidacy I submit my record, well known to the people of the state of Oregon, of fifteen years' service as Labor Commissioner; one of the most difficult positions to fill and one of the least paid elective state offices.

In standing between employer and employe to see that all possible protection is afforded and justice done to both, I have given the best that is in me, and that the results obtained have been satisfactory to the people of Oregon is indicated by repeated reelection, indorsing the fearless, clean, economical and efficient administration of this office.

My duties have carried me into every nook and corner of the state. I know the state, its resources and its needs. In my work I have come in contact with all industrial and business interests. I know the business-man's risks, difficulties and requirements. I comprehend the troubles, hardships and struggles of the working people. I can act with understanding in the solution of the problems of each and all as they come before the various boards, of which the State Treasurer is a member.

My record for conservation, constructive and efficient administration of my public and private affairs should certainly be a guarantee of my qualifications for the other duties of the office of State Treasurer.

There should be strict conservation of man and money power to the State's and Nation's needs.

Patriotism urges every citizen to vote in the primaries.

READ NEXT PAGE—IT WILL INTEREST YOU.

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DEAR VOTERS:

This is the only way I can reach all of you in behalf of my candidacy for State Treasurer. I should have enjoyed making a canvass of the state and meeting you, but the duties of my office would not permit. I would also like to hire a corps of stenographers and write you each a personal letter, but it can not be done with my own money without a violation of the corrupt practices act. The postage alone to send letters to the 200,000 or more Republican voters of the state would amount to about nine times the maximum limit of campaign expenditures. Contributions to one's campaign fund, whether by private or corporate interests, subjects the office of state treasurer (the one office which should be kept free from such corrupt entanglements) to the dictation and control of selfish interests. There will be no contributions whatsoever in support of my candidacy, and my expenses will be kept within the law. Can each of the other candidates for state treasurer give the same guarantee? My standard of right is the same in politics as in business, and if I violated the election laws, either technically or morally, how could you trust me in other matters? I am not coming to you with the power of money or with false statements to advertise myself, but with a clean record and clean hands, and clean they shall remain to the end of the chapter.

I am making the race upon my honor, ability and experience. If you find my name upon any combination or made-up ticket, you will know that it has been used without authority. I am opposed to all such combinations, which can only mean that one or all are too weak to stand alone. I will stand or fall by my own strength or weakness. I owe allegiance to my country, my state and the Republican party, but not to any political machine, creed or combination of interests.

A certain publication, well known to represent the "interests," has branded me as a "radical" and cites, in support of its accusation, that "the Grange, Farmer's Union and the organized and unorganized labor are right behind him." Any organization or movement which does not specially favor capitalistic or monopolistic interests, in the mind of this publication, is radical. If the farmers and laboring people or any other class of loyal citizenship of the state are "behind" me, it is because they have confidence in my ability and honesty to accord them just and equal representation and protection and I feel honored in their trust and support. If treating all men alike, without distinction as between overalls and broadcloth, is radicalism, then I am a "radical." I have also been accused of being too conservative. If the conservation of every ounce of the state's man and money power to the state's and nation's absolute needs and the getting of a dollar's worth of results for every dollar spent is conservatism, then I am a "conservative." Those who are "behind" me, I believe, are so because I help them when I can, meet them on the level and deal with them on the square.

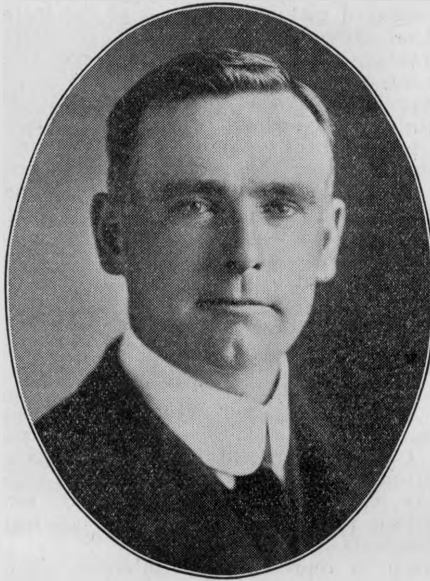
I will devote all my time and attention to the duties of the office; will not hire a Manager.

The office of the State Treasurer and the funds of the people should not be made subservient to the will or dictation of organized money or other monopolistic powers of the state. I ask you to investigate each candidate; his personal and business interests, associations and record, thoroughly. When you have done this you will be able to vote intelligently and conscientiously for the man you can trust for law abiding, fearless and impartial administration, and, whatever the result may be, your choice will be mine.

Sincerely yours,

O. P. HOFF.

(This information furnished by O. P. Hoff.)

O. M. PLUMMER**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

Born in Maine, 1869—resident of Portland for over thirty years—have three children. For twenty years Secretary-Treasurer and director Portland Union Stockyards—retiring July last. General manager Pacific International Livestock Exposition from its beginning until last fall.

Member Board of Education of Portland for the past five years, during which time have assisted in the making of budgets of two and one-half to three million dollars yearly—an amount almost as large as that spent by the state of Oregon for a like period.

During the last ten years have visited every county in the state—most of them many times—**PREACHING THE GOSPEL OF MORE AND BETTER LIVESTOCK, BETTER SCHOOLS AND IMPROVED RURAL CONDITIONS.**

Member Oregon Pure Bred Livestock Association, having attended last four sessions of the Oregon legislature in the interest of livestock legislation, and had a large part in bringing about industrial education among school children of Oregon.

Did early work along lines of child welfare, which resulted in nationwide recognition for Oregon, and brought about tremendous activities in child welfare over entire country.

My interest in the schools has not confined itself to the state, but has extended itself over the entire United States. For the past four years have been president of the school administration department of the National Education Association. National leaders of suffrage have been good enough to recognize my work for suffrage in the state of Oregon.

Have never had a political office. For many years have tried unselfishly to be of use to Oregon—knowing her varied needs and resources to a large degree, and ask recognition upon basis of service.

During the last eight months have gladly given most of my time to such war activities as drives for the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., and Salvation Army, and to food conservation. In the interests of food conservation have worked in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Shall continue to be actively engaged in war work. For this reason shall be unable to make a campaign of any sort.

If nominated and elected I shall, during my term of office, attempt to discharge the duties of State Treasurer, in such a manner as will meet with the sanction of every upright citizen in Oregon. I shall try to handle the state funds so that they will go as far as possible in every department. On the many boards of which I should be a member I would conscientiously cast my vote for the best interests of the state.

Slogan: "Winning the War First Responsibility of State and Nation."

O. M. PLUMMER.

(This information furnished by O. M. Plummer.)

THOS. F. RYAN**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

For the past seven years Judge Thos. F. Ryan has occupied the office of Assistant State Treasurer and in the coming primaries his official record will be his platform.

Judge Ryan has made neither a speaking nor traveling campaign, for the reasons set forth in the following paragraph taken from his announcement.

"With the world at war and our nation sacrificing the flower of its manhood and wealth that democracy may triumph and gain a world-wide foothold, it is the duty of every citizen to devote as much of his time, energy, and money as possible to aid in winning the war, and I shall make neither a speaking nor a traveling campaign, but shall submit my qualifications to the people and leave my candidacy to their verdict." This is no time for politics and costly campaigns; no time to be touring and scouring

the state for votes to gratify political ambitions."

Judge Ryan assisted in inaugurating the present system in the State Treasury Department. The national examiners have given the Department credit for performing more work with less money than any other treasury of the Union, and also with having the best regulated and most efficient office.

During 1917 the business transacted by the Treasury Department shows an average increase of 340 per cent as compared with the business done in 1909, while the expense of conducting the office was only 15 per cent greater, notwithstanding the enormous increase in the volume of business.

The State Treasurer is a member of the State Board of Control which has jurisdiction of the State Institutions. Judge Ryan's experience as Assistant State Treasurer has made him conversant with the needs of the State at large and the requirements of the State Institutions. This, together with his legal and business training qualifies him for the office he seeks.

His experience during the eight years he served as County Judge of Clackamas County has enabled him to save the people of Oregon thousands of dollars in the administration of the Inheritance Tax Law. He also assisted in framing and passing the General Fund Law which has saved the people of the State thousands of dollars in interest on State warrants.

He is in favor of a law similar to the Rural Credits Law to cover the promotion of drainage, irrigation and logged-off lands and also of legislation that will promote a vigorous prosecution of the war, and that will make adequate provision for returning soldiers and sailors.

He strongly advocates a law whereby the dependents of enlisted soldiers and sailors will be adequately cared for by the Government. This, he considers, is the patriotic duty of the whole people and is not an act of charity.

If nominated and elected, Judge Ryan will maintain the present high standard of the office, that the Oregon Treasury Department may continue to hold first rank among the treasuries of the United States.

Therefore, why make a change at this critical time?

Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

E. V. LITTLEFIELD, Portland, Ore.

T. A. McBRIDE, Deer Island, Ore.

D. G. DRAGER, Salem, Ore.

THOS. B. KAY, Salem, Ore.

U. S. PAGE, Salem, Ore.

(This information furnished by E. V. Littlefield and others.)

BEN. F. WEST**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Treasurer**

To the Republicans of Oregon:

I am a candidate for nomination for the office of State Treasurer.

In asking your support at the primaries I do so with full knowledge of the fact that the citizens of Oregon are, and will continue to be until the close of the war, under heavy and unusual financial strain, caused by the purchase of Liberty Bonds, support of the Red Cross and other war activities. Therefore it is your duty to nominate a man who is thoroughly efficient and one who will conserve the interests of the taxpayers as if his own were at stake. My long and successful experience as Assessor of Marion county, coupled with the fact that I have made a special study of taxation and have taken an active part in the enactment of better tax laws, places me in a very favorable position to fulfill the exacting requirements of the office to which I aspire.

The State Treasurer is an ex-officio member of the State Tax Commission and my training in this line will be of invaluable aid to the taxpayers of Oregon; it will assure them that justice will be given the various counties in the matter of proper equalization of the several public service corporations with that of the individual taxpayer. My motto will be: "Absolute justice to both."

"The State Tax Commission is one of the most important commissions of the state, and I think it would be well that a former assessor would be a member of the next commission, and I feel confident of your ability to fill the bill and wish you every success in your campaign, and I assure you I will give you my hearty cooperation."—Martin Miller, Assessor of Yamhill county.

The State Treasurer is a member of the State Board of Control; also other important boards; and I pledge the electorate of Oregon that if I am nominated and elected I will exercise careful scrutiny in the appointment of officials to, and in the conduct of the various state institutions, to the end that efficiency and economy will be encouraged.

In conclusion permit me to emphasize the fact that I am standing on my past record as a public servant, that I am not connected with any financial institution whatsoever, and finally, since I have been a man of, and for, the people all my life, I favor the establishment of an eight-hour day for all labor excepting agriculture, the nature of which makes it difficult to classify.

Your support and influence will be appreciated.

BEN. F. WEST.

(This information furnished by Ben. F. West.)

JOHN S. COKE**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Justice of the Supreme Court**

The first duty of all citizens of Oregon now is the patriotic, loyal and whole-hearted support of the government and of our boys who have placed their lives at the disposal of their nation for the perpetuation of liberty and the right of the people to govern themselves; to lend our utmost endeavor to the task of making our country and our flag secure from autocratic tyranny.

But it is also our duty, even in the face of the all-submerging interest we have in the war, to select the public officers who are to be charged with the responsibility of conducting the state's governmental affairs. The state must conduct its business and carry on its various functions through the agents the people select. Its employes should be chosen because of their experience and qualifications for the particular position to be filled, and this is usually done in the case of all well-managed private establishments by advancing the employes who have

shown themselves competent and have proven faithful to the trust imposed.

During the past nine years I have served the state as circuit judge and in that time have been called upon to hear and determine many difficult controversies and proceedings. I have endeavored to perform these duties according to the spirit of the oath I took when assuming the responsibilities of the office. No proper responsibility has ever been shirked, but all matters coming before me have received conscientious consideration. The people of my judicial district, consisting of Benton, Coos, Curry, Douglas, Lane and Lincoln counties, have twice registered their approval of my official conduct by very generous majorities at the elections.

Since 1880 there has been no member of the Supreme Court of Oregon chosen from a point west of the Cascade range and south of Eugene. Northeastern and southeastern Oregon are each now so represented. The Willamette valley has five of the seven supreme court justices, but there is none at all from "Southern Oregon" or the coast section.

If I have so conducted myself as a public officer during the past nine years as to merit promotion, and if you feel that a spirit of fairness and the proper consideration of the state's supreme court duties call for the selection of one of the seven members from the section of the state in which I have resided during the past forty-five years, your support and influence will be appreciated, and if I am nominated and elected I will endeavor to perform the duties of the office in the same conscientious manner which has guided me in the past.

JOHN S. COKE.

(This information furnished by John S. Coke.)

CHARLES A. JOHNS**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Justice of the Supreme Court**

Charles A. Johns, of Portland, Oregon, who is a candidate in the republican primaries for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, was born in Jackson county, Missouri, June 25, 1857. Came to Oregon by water and arrived at Salem, December 25, 1858. Has been a continuous resident of the state of Oregon ever since. Is an enrolled pioneer. Received his early education in the public schools of Scio, Linn county, Oregon. Graduated from the Willamette University with an A. B. degree in 1878, and received an A. M. degree in 1881. Was deputy sheriff of Marion county under Joe A. Baker from 1878 to 1880. Studied law in Salem under the then Judge B. F. Harding and W. H. Holmes. Was admitted to the Bar in March, 1881. Commenced practice of law in Dallas, Polk county, where I married Mabel Ellis and was appointed county judge by Governor Moody. Moved to Baker City in May, 1888, where I was elected mayor four terms and served twenty-one consecutive years as a member of the school board. Served three terms as a member of the State School Textbook Commission. Moved to Portland in April, 1912. Have two sons and one daughter and two grandchildren. Have practiced law in Oregon for thirty-seven consecutive years. First time I was ever a candidate for a judicial office. In politics I have always been a loyal republican. Appeal to your support on my record as a citizen of this state for fifty-nine years and my professional record for thirty-seven years. Justice McCamant is the only member of the Supreme Court from Multnomah county, and his successor is to be elected, and I am the only candidate for his office from that county. If I am not selected there will not be any member of the Supreme Court from Multnomah county.

CHARLES A. JOHNS.

(This information furnished by Charles A. Johns.)

PERCY R. KELLY**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Justice of the Supreme Court**

Percy R. Kelly, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Justice of the Supreme Court, is forty-eight years of age and has resided in the state of Oregon for the past forty years. He graduated in the class of 1887 at Albany College; read law with Judge Charles E. Wolverton, now of the Federal Bench; was admitted to the bar in 1892; practiced law at Albany continuously since his admission to the bar until 1910, when he was elected circuit judge of the third judicial district, then comprising Linn, Marion, Polk, Tillamook and Yamhill counties. He yet holds this position, having been reelected thereto in 1916. Judge Kelly has filled the positions of Deputy District Attorney for Linn county, State Senator from Linn county and City Attorney of Albany, and in each of them he served with credit and honor. He is now serving as a member of the Commission of Law Reform appointed by the Supreme Court, being the only circuit judge in the state named on this commission.

Judge Kelly's work on the circuit bench has demonstrated that he is qualified by natural ability, training and experience to render most successful service as a jurist. Skilled in the law he gives to his work with his legal training, a broad understanding of men and affairs. No special interest of any kind or nature has ever received undue consideration in his court but every person, whoever he may be or whatever his public or private relation, has received fair treatment upon strict consideration of the principles of law and justice. The affairs of his court are always conducted with an eye to the interests of the taxpayers and the court is administered with the least possible expense consistent with a proper administration of its affairs. Time and again have grand juries in the counties of the third district commended his work in their formal reports.

That Judge Kelly's service has been satisfactory and successful is attested by the fact that when he was reelected circuit judge he received one of the largest votes ever given a candidate in this district. The people of his home county, those with whom he has lived and worked for forty years, those who know his personal standing, his public service and his qualifications for the office for which he is now a candidate, are glad to say to the people of Oregon that if Judge Kelly is elected Justice of the Supreme Court he will fill the office with honor to himself, with credit to his constituents and with satisfaction to the people of the state.

LINN COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE,

J. S. VAN WINKLE, Chairman.

LEILA MITCHELL, Secretary.

(This information furnished by Linn County Republican Central Committee, by J. S. Van Winkle, Chairman; Leila Mitchell, Secretary.)

WM. A. DALZIEL

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops



I was born in Canada on the first day of January, 1871, of Scotch-Irish parentage, and came to Oregon in the Spring of 1890, and have resided in the City of Portland almost continuously since that time, and have followed my trade of Machinist up to the time I was appointed Deputy Labor Commissioner by Mr. Hoff, in March, 1909.

If nominated and elected Commissioner of Labor, I will during my term of office, justly and impartially enforce all Labor Laws, and further use the influence of my office to assist the Government in its great trial of the present war.

I have been married for twenty-six years past, and have two children, a daughter, and a son who is now serving his country on board the transport Northern Pacific, he having enlisted in the service of the nation.

I respectfully solicit the support of the Republicans for this nomination.

Yours very truly,

WM. A. DALZIEL.

(This information furnished by Wm. A. Dalziel.)

C. H. GRAM

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops



TO THE MEMBERS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY AND THE ELECTORS OF OREGON:

C. H. Gram, candidate for the office of Commissioner of Labor Statistics and Inspector of Factories and Workshops, was born in Denmark in 1868, has lived nearly all his life on the Pacific coast and the last twenty years in Oregon. Has a wife and two children, a daughter teaching in the public schools, and a son with Company C, 162d U. S. Infantry, now in France.

For ten years Mr. Gram was connected with the factory inspection department of the labor bureau.

Mr. Gram has held many positions of trust in the Trade Union movement, served as President of the Oregon State Federation of Labor for six terms, and organizer of the American Federation of Labor for several years.

Always stood for the things that were fair, honest and conservative—outspoken in his opposition to radicalism and the I. W. W. element.

The following statement rings true and indicates that the man has stability and vision and will arise to the occasion at all times.

Mr. Gram says: "The successful prosecution of the war is the foremost object of every patriotic citizen today. Harmonious relation between employer and employe adds greatly to the productivity of labor so urgently needed to sustain our arms; to this end, if I am elected Labor Commissioner, I shall devote every effort and influence to bring about conditions to most effectively continue our fight for democracy."

W. H. FITZGERALD.

M. J. DRISCOLL.

OSCAR W. HORNE.

R. WALKER.

W. C. ELFORD.

MRS. MARY A. LANKESTER.

MRS. L. GEE.

MRS. BERTHA SUMNER LEACH.

WALDEMAR SETON.

CHAS. RUDEEN.

CHAS. E. HILL, M. D.

PHILLIP R. POLLOCK.

(This information furnished by W. H. Fitzgerald, M. J. Driscoll and others)

PERCY A CUPPER**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Superintendent of Water
Division No. 1**

Property rights worth millions of dollars are involved in the work of this office and the statute wisely requires that the superintendent "shall have knowledge and experience relative to the irrigation law and its administration, and measurement of flowing water, evaporation, seepage and common alkalis," clearly indicating that the State should not be required to educate a man for this position.

A thorough familiarity with every phase of the work acquired during my nine years' experience in my present position of Assistant State Engineer, together with my legal and engineering training, enables me to meet the statutory requirements and qualifies me for the office.

I am thirty-five years of age and acquired a practical knowledge of irrigation on an eastern Oregon ranch where I spent my early life.

I graduated from the Engineering course of the Oregon Agricultural College in 1904, and while Assistant State Engineer, in order to better equip myself for my work, I completed the law course at Willamette University and was admitted to the practice of law.

To see the other fellow's problem as he sees it and help him to solve it with due regard to others' rights has always been my aim as a public official.

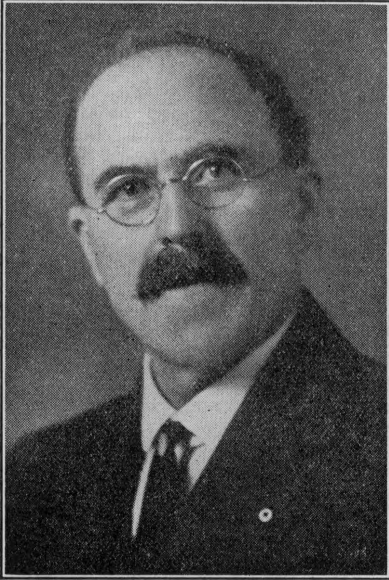
Myself an Oregon product, I believe in Oregon, and as author of the Drainage District Law and largely responsible for the Irrigation District Law and first to advocate the present State Rural Credit system, I feel that I have helped to pave the way for her future development, in which I hope to have a part, though nothing should now be done to detract from the Nation's business of winning the war.

PERCY A. CUPPER.

(This information furnished by Percy A. Cupper.)

J. B. SCHAEFER

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Superintendent of Water Division No. 1



J. B. Schaefer was born in Dubuque, Iowa, September 4th, 1857. He came to Oregon in 1877 and has since resided in the Willamette Valley and Southern Oregon, the past fourteen years having been spent in Linnton, now a suburb of Portland. During his forty-one years of life in Oregon he has engaged in agriculture, horticulture, and railroad construction as well as taking a prominent part in public affairs.

As mayor of Linnton he planned for and secured Linnton's \$150,000.00 water system which is an extension of Portland's Bull Run system. This is claimed by expert technical engineers to be one of the finest distribution systems in the state. He also secured a modern sanitary sewer system for the town and was instrumental in securing electric lights and power for the

city. In addition to this he served the people as postmaster for six years and for one year was president of the Postmasters' League of Oregon.

I am well acquainted with the district which my duties would lead me to serve, having been through nearly all of the counties and being well acquainted with the natural water systems of the district. It would be my purpose to utilize and convert, on a just and equitable basis, all water supplies for the highest and best possible development of the agricultural and mining interests in my district.

I promise an efficient and economical administration if elected and will guarantee fair and courteous treatment of those coming in contact with me, having always in mind the best interests of the people whom I will be called upon to serve.

J. B. SCHAEFER.

(This information furnished by J. B. Schaefer.)

SAM H. BROWN**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Senator, First Senatorial District, Comprising Marion County**

To the Voters of Marion County:

In submitting myself as a candidate for State Senator, I do so fully realizing the responsibilities that it incurs, should I be selected by you at the primary and general elections held this year.

The two sessions I have served as a member of the House of Representatives, I believe, will be very helpful to me in serving you in the Senate, and assure you that I will give you the best service that is possible for me to give, serving all the people, and all alike.

Being a taxpayer myself, I will be as economical with the public money as prudence and good government will permit, but I can not see at the present time where our taxes will be materially lowered, as the wards of the State must be cared for in a decent, but not extravagant manner, and the other business of the State must be carried on, and with the high cost of supplies of all kinds, with every prospect of them

going still higher, even with cutting out everything not absolutely necessary you will find that you are still going to have taxes, no matter whom you select to serve you in the Legislature, and you should not be led to believe otherwise.

I have never been, and will not be a chronic introducer of bills, as I have always been convinced that there are many times too many bills introduced, and a great majority of them absolutely worthless, or vicious, and it is one of the most extravagant and wasteful practices that is carried on at the various sessions.

At the last session there were over 1,000 House and Senate bills, resolutions and memorials introduced, causing an enormous amount of printing and clerical work.

I have always been a farmer, and always hope to be, and am especially interested in their welfare, and shall always work untriflingly for their interests, for I know what an important part they play in this world's commerce, and without them this would be a sorry old world indeed.

Respectfully submitted,

SAM H. BROWN.

The Gervais Farmer.

(This information furnished by Sam H. Brown.)

W. AL. JONES

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Senator, First Senatorial District, Comprising Marion County



W. Al. Jones has been a citizen of Oregon for forty years, having been born and raised in Marion County. Attended the public schools of Mission Bottom, graduating therefrom at seventeen years of age. Attended and graduated from the Portland Business College. I live on a farm two miles west of Wacanda Station, Gervais Rural Route No. 2, with my wife and two children, and have followed farming and stockraising all of my life, with the exception of two years, part of which time I was Secretary of the Oregon State Fair Board.

Four years of my life was spent in Wallowa County, where I operated a large farm, and was elected from that district (Union and Wallowa Counties) as a member of the House of Representatives of the 1915 session by a good majority. I was also elected as a member of the same body from Marion County in the 1917 session by a large majority. I now desire to be elected as one of the two Senators to represent Marion County, believing my

legislative experience of the past fully qualifies me for the honor I seek.

While my financial interests are virtually in the country, I am and always have been mindful of the cities' interests. I also claim due credit for the passage of the bridge bill in the last session, which enabled Marion County to construct a bridge across the Willamette River at Salem. This is not only a financial but a public benefit to every resident of Salem and surrounding territory.

During the last session I was Chairman of the Manufacturing Committee; member of the Resolutions Committee and also of the Ways and Means Committee, it being the duty of the members of the latter committee to pass upon all appropriations coming before the session, and in doing so we kept within the bounds of the Six Per Cent Tax Limitation Law as passed by the people at the last General Election.

In conclusion, wish to say my past legislative actions are public records and my best argument. I stand for a successful termination of the war and promise to vote to ratify the will of the people as expressed at the polls.

Slogan: "Farmer Jones.' Past business and legislative record is my argument."

Remember to vote for two State Senators, and I assure you a vote for me will be appreciated.

W. AL. JONES.

(This information furnished by W. Al. Jones.)

LOUIS LACHMUND

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for State Senator, First Senatorial District, Comprising Marion County



To the Voters of Marion County :

In support of my candidacy for the office of State Senator for Marion County, I desire to submit the following newspaper comments :

Aurora Observer :—Mr. Lachmund is characterized as a successful businessman, thoroughly conversant with the needs of the district, widely known orchardist and farmer, broad-gauged and public spirited citizen, a forcible and convincing speaker, a worthy antagonist in debate to accomplish something for the State.

Salem Statesman :—Louis Lachmund, former mayor of Salem, announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for State Senator. His administration as mayor was constructive. He has taken an active part in the Red Cross, Liberty Bond and Y. M. C. A. drives. He is an able speaker and possesses a strong personality.

Silverton Tribune :—Mr. Lachmund is a thorough business man and is conversant with the requirements of the people of Marion County as any man whom they could select for that office.

Turner Tribune :—Mr. Lachmund is peculiarly fitted to represent Marion County in the Senate and will undoubtedly be elected by a large majority. He is a successful orchardist and farmer, not a politician, but able to represent all the people all the time.

Portland Telegram :—Mr. Lachmund served as mayor of Salem and his administration was both progressive and constructive. He is prominent in fraternal and grange organizations, being identified with the Salem and Pomona Granges. He is chairman of the entertainment committee when the State Grange meets in Salem next June.

In the trying days of the Civil War my father served in the Union Army for four years and two months and as a chip off the old block, I stand ready to do my full duty to make the whole world everlastingly safe for democracy.

I will advocate and urge all legislation necessary to aid and assist in the World War for liberty and freedom ; also such legislation as is necessary for the support of the Home Guard, State Police and other Military Organizations and for the relief of dependent soldiers now in the country's service.

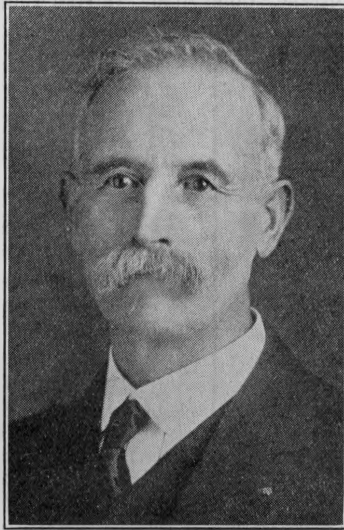
Slogan :—"Will Serve the Best Interests of My State and Country."

LOUIS LACHMUND.

(This information furnished by Louis Lachmund.)

JOHN DINWOODIE

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative, First Representative District, Comprising Marion County



It is proper that every Legislative candidate should have and state his platform. In normal times I am a Republican, but at this time, when Our Country has been forced to enter in a desperate foreign war, I recognize above all others, the American Party. When thousands of our American boys are "over there" fighting for democracy, for our rights and the rights of others, it behooves those who remain at home to see that those boys have all of the comforts and safeguards this State and Nation can give them.

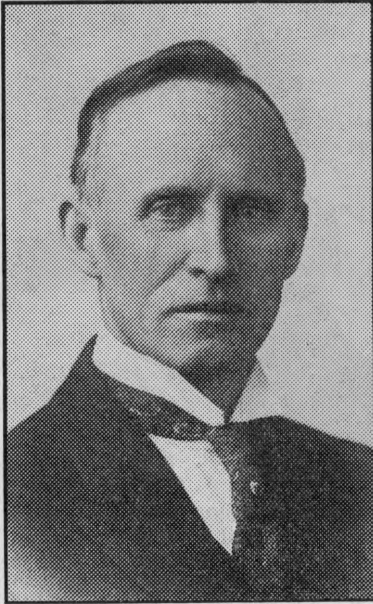
1. Unqualified support of the President in his efforts to bring this war to a speedy and successful termination.
2. Conservation of the State's as well as individual resources.
3. The ever-increasing burden of taxation is a serious problem and difficult of solution in view of the high cost of labor and material. I cannot see how it can be materially reduced at this time without impairing efficiency; the unfortunate wards of the State must be maintained in comfort.
4. Our educational institutions should be maintained at their present state of efficiency without increased expenditures.
5. Fewer commissions, unless shown certain commissions the people are asking to be abolished, are self-supporting.
6. No new commissions or State enterprises started at this time, and no more State officers appointed unless to prevent waste or deterioration of enterprises already begun.
7. Constructive legislation shall be my aim, and that means, ratification of the National prohibition amendment, remedying defective laws, repealing obsolete laws, and the impartial enforcement of all existing laws.
8. Again I say, stand by the President and Government of the United States, the boys overseas, and their noble and loyal mothers at home.

JOHN DINWOODIE.

(This information furnished by John Dinwoodie.)

SEYMOUR JONES

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative, First Representative District, Comprising Marion County



To the Voters of Marion County:

I am a candidate for renomination for the office of Representative in the Legislature for Marion County.

I was born and raised on a farm near Springfield, Illinois. At the age of nineteen years I began teaching in the country schools, studying law in the meantime. At the age of twenty-one I was admitted to practice law and for more than eighteen years, followed that profession. About twelve years ago, I retired from the law practice to become a farmer again and for the past ten years have been engaged in farming and fruit growing about five miles north of Salem, where I now reside.

I am in favor of a strict business session of the Legislature. Having served as a member of the last House, I am thoroughly convinced that entirely too many bills are in-

troduced by the members of that body, and therefore, am opposed to the introduction of a vast multitude of bills, many of which are trivial and useless and merely a waste of time of the House without resulting in any good. A few good bills well considered, will produce far better results.

I favor, during the war particularly, the strictest economy in the expenditure of public money for State and local purposes, in order that the people may be able to assist the National Government to the utmost in carrying the war to victory. Stand by and support the soldier boys at any and all costs.

In asking your support for renomination, I do so with the firm conviction that my experience as a member of the last Legislature better qualifies me to serve you more effectively in the next session.

If my record as a member of the last House, and the above statement meets your approval, I trust that I may receive your support.

Respectfully submitted,

SEYMOUR JONES.

(This information furnished by Seymour Jones.)

IVAN G. MARTIN

Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative, First Representative District, Comprising Marion County.

I was born in 1881 on a Missouri Ozark farm. While yet a lad I moved with my parents to California, where I worked upon the farm and completed my public school education. I later attended Business College and was a student of the Willamette University from which institution I was awarded three diplomas. I was employed as clerk and bookkeeper in a Salem store for upwards of two years and served as a newspaper reporter on the Capital Journal for two years. I attended the University of California where in 1912 I received my law degree and since have continuously practiced in Salem.



I have been a resident of Salem for the past twenty years and am related to one of Salem's pioneer families—the Watt—which family crossed the Plains and settled in Marion County in 1845. I am a moderate taxpayer in three counties of Oregon and am interested in good economical legislation. I am a member of several fraternal organizations and am a supreme officer of one; I am secretary of the Salem Floral Society; associated with the Commercial Club and am striving to do my bit in patriotic work.

I was a member of the 1917 Legislature and my Marion County friends, unpaid, have sent me a petition of nearly 400 names asking that I be placed on the ballot for the nominating election in May.

Among the few measures I introduced in the last session were:

Four bills to improve and simplify labor liens; all passed unanimously.

A bill to simplify the taking of depositions in other states; passed.

A bill to limit the annual salary of any president, assistant or employe of the State University or Agricultural College. The bill was introduced for economy only; it failed to pass.

A bill to fix the responsibility for the construction and maintenance of grade crossings upon the railway companies. This is the law in many states. In the absence of such a statute, it is more difficult to get the crossings, and in the event of injury owing to defective crossings it is more difficult to fix the responsibility. The bill passed the house.

A bill to standardize grades of grain.

By request, a bill to pay the hospital expenses of J. J. Denison, of Jefferson, who was injured in attempting the capture of Convict Hooker.

I believe that my record on other measures will prove that I endeavored to legislate for economy and carry out the wishes of my constituents. I pledge my loyalty to my County, State and Country and believe that we should in this hour of peril lay aside personal and political differences insofar as they interfere with a vigorous prosecution of the war.

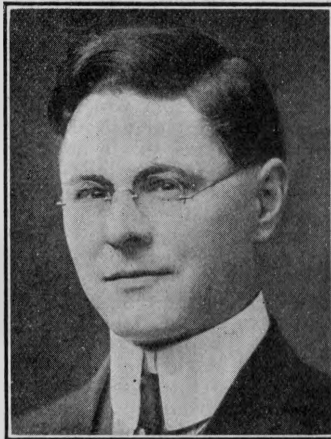
After my name on the ballot will be printed as a twelve word slogan "Legislate for economy, home production, soldiers voting, national unity and reduce profiteering."

Like hundreds of our fellow citizens I am quite busy rendering my humble assistance to my country and maintaining my law office and I deem it both unnecessary and inopportune to make an extensive campaign.

I am not pledged to any interest other than that which I believe to be yours and if nominated and reelected I shall earnestly endeavor to stand by our soldier boys and you.

IVAN G. MARTIN.

(This information furnished by Ivan G. Martin.)

Z. J. RIGGS**Republican, Candidate for Nomination for Representative, First Representative District, Comprising Marion County**

My policy shall be: "Careful Legislation, Encouragement of Economy, Patriotism and Political Purity."

"Political purity" implies the doing of the greatest good to the greatest number, without doing harm to any.

If I am nominated and elected, I shall work for every measure which appeals to me to be for the good of Marion County and the State at large.

I know, as all should, that nearly all legislation is the result of compromise between antagonistic interests and conflicting opinions.

Other sections of the State may have, as they generally do, interests which are not common to our section, on account of their local character.

This leads to conflicting factions, and their representatives, in order to compel other parts of the State to support local measures, will withhold their support of other measures.

These tactics are often the source of much useless and conflicting legislation, and more often bring defeat to necessary and proper measures designed for the benefit of all.

I feel that any local benefit which does a general injury to other parts of the State is not wise or just, but any measure which can benefit one section, without injury to any other, or to any class of our people, is proper.

I was born on a farm in Polk County, Oregon; am forty-one years old, and my home has been for thirty years in Salem.

My education was received in the Public Schools of Salem and in the Willamette University, except that I graduated from the California College of Pharmacy, an affiliated school of the Berkeley State University.

In 1901 I purchased the Capital Drug Store, in Salem, which I am still conducting.

I have not been a candidate for office heretofore, but have always taken a keen interest in public affairs. I will certainly give my best efforts for safe and sane legislation, and will highly appreciate the support of all.

Z. J. RIGGS.

(This information furnished by Z. J. Riggs.)

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