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WORKS SUBMITS HARD QUESTIONS

Lincoln-Roosevelt Choice for a United States Senator Sends Machine 'Stunner'

FEW S. P. CANDIDATES REPLY

Legislative Aspirants Seem Unable to Locate Their Platforms or Principles

Judge John D. Works, Lincoln-Roosevelt candidate for United States senator, has sent a "stunner" to the various machine candidates for the state legislature.

Dear Sir: As you are a candidate for the legislature I am interested in knowing what your attitude is towards certain questions, vital to the people of this state.

These are the questions: 1. Will you, if elected to the legislature, support the candidate for United States senator that receives the highest number of votes in your district?

2. Will you vote for the candidate for United States senator that receives the highest number of votes in the whole state?

3. Will you vote for the candidate for United States senator that receives the highest number of votes in your district and in the state?

4. Are you in favor of the election of United States senators by direct vote of the people?

5. Will you support any measure that may be introduced to establish the right of the people to elect United States senators by direct vote?

6. Are you in favor of the initiative and referendum in state affairs?

7. Will you, in good faith, and with the purpose of securing its enactment or adoption, support and vote for such measure or measures as will secure to the people of this state the initiative and referendum?

8. Are you in favor of a non-partisan judiciary in this state?

9. Will you, in good faith, and with the purpose of securing its enactment or adoption, support and vote for a measure providing for the non-partisan election of judges?

ELERY HERE TO MAKE CAMPAIGN

Candidate Opens Headquarters in Alexandria Hotel for Stay in Southern California

WILL SPEAK IN MANY TOWNS North, but Refuses to Make Prediction

Nathan Ellery, state engineer and candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, arrived in Los Angeles last evening for a ten days' campaign throughout Southern California.

Mr. Ellery has been stumping the northern portion of the state, and will do the same here, beginning today, when he goes to Pomona to address the voters of that section.

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PINCHOT HERE TO STUMP THE STATE

Former Chief Forester Refuses to Talk for Publication About Ballinger

OAKLAND, July 18.—Gifford Pinchot, who arrived here tonight for a two weeks' in behalf of Hiram Johnson, the Lincoln-Roosevelt league candidate for governor, refused to discuss the report that Secretary of the Interior had been exonerated by the congressional committee which has been investigating the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy.

"I never spoke for publication regarding Mr. Ballinger," said Pinchot decidedly.

Pinchot also refused to discuss Col. Roosevelt's stand on insolvency and other topics of intense interest at the present time.

"I'll talk for Roosevelt talk for himself," he said. "But when it came to the question of conservation, that was another thing, and Pinchot expressed himself freely. Charging that the Pickett bill under the provision of which President Taft on July 3 with drew \$48,730,000 for public land, contained a joker, he spoke at length:

"The Pickett bill withdraws all this land from entry, but leaves it open at all times to exploration, discovery and occupation under the mining laws of the United States, so far as the oil, gas and phosphates," he said.

"There is nothing to prevent the large corporations from entering this land, ostensibly for mining purposes, after they have shown that they have found small quantities of gold or other metal."

"This withdrawn land should not have been open to mineral location made in the law for preserving the power sites for the government."

Pinchot said this "joker" was pointed out by himself and his friends before the law passed.

Pinchot is the guest of Dr. George C. Pardee, former governor of California. He opens his campaign for Johnson in a speech at San Francisco tomorrow night.

Mr. Stimson declares that insolvency is everywhere growing in the east. The fame and popularity of Los Angeles as a summer and winter resort, and as a city of beautiful homes, he said, also are increasing to a most gratifying extent.

BELGIUM MINISTER HERE TO INSPECT CONSULATE

Count Conrad de Buisseret, Belgian minister plenipotentiary at Washington, D. C., is in Los Angeles on a tour of inspection of the Belgian consulates on the Pacific coast.

He will make his headquarters at the office of Victor Ponet, Belgian vice consul, 145 North Spring street, during his stay here.

MESERVE CANDIDATE FOR SENATE PLANS MEETINGS

E. A. Meserve, who is seeking the Republican nomination for United States senator, will speak at Riverside Thursday night. Saturday night he will be the guest of the Credit Men's association of Los Angeles at a banquet at Redondo Beach, where the principal speaker on that occasion.

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FLINT CHOSEN TO LEAD NEW LEAGUE

Convention Baiters Report State Electrical Contractors' Association Meeting Secured

WANT THE G. A. R. GATHERING Knights Templars Go to Chicago to Argue for Conclave in Angel City

At the meeting of the Los Angeles Convention league held in the assembly room of the chamber of commerce last evening, Motley H. Flint was unanimously elected president.

Other officers elected were L. M. Cole, first vice president; W. G. Hutchison, second vice president; Charles H. Toll, treasurer, and Frank Wiggins, secretary.

Though organized only a short while, the league has a membership of 326, and by next meeting expect to reach the thousand mark.

B. Goodell reported that he had secured the convention of the State Electrical Contractors' association for Los Angeles in 1911.

At last evening's meeting matters pertaining to the securing of big conventions were discussed and the league decided on a concerted action toward securing the G. A. R. in 1912, the Biennial conclave of Knights Templars in 1913, and the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows in 1912.

President Motley Flint stated that a special train of California Knights Templars will leave for Chicago during the fore part of the coming month for the purpose of securing the Knights Templars' convention. Five cities are in the field for this convention, but California is going to strive hard to have the Knights in Los Angeles during 1913.

At Mr. Flint's suggestion, the league board decided to supply the California delegation with suitable souvenirs, they having decided that small boxes, each containing two big oranges, will be used. The California Knights will also distribute expensive souvenirs of California, these souvenirs being given by the Los Angeles commandery.

A vote of thanks was extended to the Los Angeles newspapers for their assistance and a vote of thanks was also tendered G. M. Swindell, the acting secretary.

With the exception of a few changes the board of directors for the ensuing term will be the same as the board appointed when the league was organized. The board follows: F. DeL. H. Rice, W. McStay, H. Z. Osborne, L. M. Cole, C. H. Toll, J. F. Akin, Robert Marsh, J. Cruickshank, F. Wiggins, G. W. Pierce, E. Lewis, N. R. Martin, W. G. Hutchison, F. C. Ellis, D. W. Pontius, E. W. McGee, S. F. Zombro, F. J. Zoehandelaar, J. Jenkins, H. Woodhill, Ben Ellis, H. R. Coates and R. A. Thielson.

The appointment of the executive committee was then in order and the following names were elected: Chairman, George W. Van Ache, chairman; H. Z. Osborne, Louis M. Cole, Charles H. Toll, W. G. Hutchison, J. Jenkins, J. S. Mitchell, F. Wiggins and F. J. Zoehandelaar.

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BODY FOUND IN HARBOR; MURDER IS SUSPECTED

Ohio Contractor Found Dead in New York

NEW YORK, July 1.—Detectives today are trying to trace the movements after his arrival here from Youngstown, O., of a man believed to be J. W. Horton, a well-to-do contractor of that city, whose body was found floating in the harbor yesterday. Report that he had a considerable sum of money in his possession when he reached this city led to suspicion that he may have been the victim of foul play.

The only fact certainly known about Horton's movements after his arrival here is that he visited the offices of the White Star line and engaged a stateroom he intended to occupy on the steamer Majestic, sailing Wednesday for Southampton.

WELL-KNOWN CONTRACTOR YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 18.—John W. Horton was a well known contractor here and left Friday night for a visit to his old home in New England. Horton's family had recently come into a legacy through the death of a relative and Horton decided to spend part of the money on a trip to Europe. He had sufficient funds in his possession when leaving here to defray his expenses on a two months' trip.

COLLISION KILLS CLERK PEORIA, Ill., July 18.—A Toledo, Peoria & Western passenger train from the west collided with a cut-off coal car running wild opposite the terminal station at South Bartonville today. In the crash Mail Clerk W. H. Hippisley of Canton was killed and several others were injured.

HAMILTON, Ohio, July 18.—The balloon Drifter, with Walter Collins and George Howard of Cincinnati as pilots, left Hamilton at 7:40 o'clock this evening. The pilots plan to stay in the air more than two days in an effort to break the 44-hour record. The balloon took a southwest course and is going directly toward Cincinnati.

TO STAY IN AIR TWO DAYS TO MAKE NEW RECORD

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AROUND TOWN

BURDETTE WILL SPEAK

The Rev. Robert J. Burdette will address the Stanton booster club at its weekly dinner at the Hollenbeck cafe at noon today.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD OUTING

Branch 19 of the W. C. T. U. will hold its outing in Sycamore grove tomorrow. The party under the conduct of Vice President Ada Hand will leave at 11 a. m.

PROHIBITIONIST TO SPEAK

"The Case Against Liquor" will be the subject of Aaron S. Watkins, LL. D., former candidate for vice president on the Prohibition ticket, at the Federation club luncheon tomorrow.

TO CONSIDER APPLICATIONS

Applications of candidates for certificates of the state board of architecture, Southern district, will be considered at a meeting of the board at 3 p. m. July 26, in the Byrne building.

N. H. SOCIETY TO MEET

The New Hampshire society will meet in Mammoth hall this evening. Former residents of New Hampshire are invited to attend the meeting. An interesting program has been arranged.

TO GIVE READING

Katherine Wisner McCluskey of Evanston, Ill., will give a reading at the Cumnock school tomorrow morning. "A Modern Madonna," by Caroline Abbott Stanley, will be her first subject. This is her initial appearance in Los Angeles.

AMATEUR YEGG FAILS TO OPEN SAFE AT SAN DIEGO

SAN DIEGO, July 18.—What is claimed by the police to be the attempt of an amateur to blow the safe in the city passenger office of the San Diego Southern Railway company's depot was discovered when the office was opened this morning.

Two holes had been drilled into the safe door, the combination knob knocked off and giant powder instead of dynamite or nitro glycerine used. The safe had been turned around so that the robber could work undetected from the street. An electric drill was used. The explosion failed to open the safe, but it wrecked the office.

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