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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

CONGRESSMAN

We are authorized to announce **CLAYTON C. BARRETT** as a candidate for Congress from the Seventh District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce **N. M. HOUX** as a candidate for the office of Representative in the state legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **HARRY D. DURST** as a candidate for Congress from the Seventh district, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **ZACH V. WRIGHT** as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **FRANK L. CARTER** as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **WALTER C. CHILES** as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **PAUL YANCEY** as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **GEORGE W. BATES** as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **THOMAS A. WALKER** as a candidate for Probate Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **STEPHEN N. WILSON** as a candidate for Probate Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **WM. T. WERNWAG** as a candidate for Recorder of Deeds, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **HENRY J. THOMAS** as a candidate for Recorder of Deeds, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **W. T. TUTT** as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **JOHN MARSHALL PRICE** as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **W. A. DRYSDALE** as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **C. L. WILSON** as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **C. Q. KINKEAD** as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **LEROY FARMER** as a candidate for County Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

We are authorized to announce **D. G. WADE** as a candidate for Judge of the Western District, subject to the action of the Democratic party at the primary election Tuesday, August 4, 1914.

The Springfield Leader is making a mistake in referring to Mr. Hamlin as "Boss" Hamlin. A political boss is usually accredited with having some ability.

The decision of Mr. N. M. Houx to again become a candidate for the democratic nomination for representative to the general assembly, is being received with genuine satisfaction by democrats all over the county. At this day when so many feel called upon to legislate upon every subject imaginable—subjects entirely foreign to legislative functions, Mr. Houx has proven to be a safe, sane and reliable representative. His work in the last two sessions was of the highest order. He secured legislation of importance, not only to his own county, but to the state at large, and with the experience gained in former sessions, much may be expected of him when he takes his seat next January. Mr. Houx will have no opposition for the nomination, and very little, if any, at the general election.

Hamlin a Party Load.

The Democrats of Greene county, Congressman Hamlin's own home county, are calling upon him to retire from the race for re-nomination.

And they are right in voicing the demand.

They point to the fact that the party this year will need a strong man at the head of the ticket if the various counties in the district hope to repeat the victories locally that they won in 1912.

At that time the congressional nominee didn't count so much and was not looked upon as the leader of the campaign by reason of the fact that it was a national one, and besides all the more important state offices were to be filled. There was a president and governor to be elected and their popularity aided greatly to winning votes for all the county tickets throughout the district.

This year, however, it's a different story and the congressional nominee heads the ticket, and upon his popularity or unpopularity will depend to a very great extent the fate of many good Democrats nominated for offices in their various localities.

It isn't fair to them nor to the party to load the ticket with one who will lose rather than win votes, especially if he occupies the leading place on the ticket.

There is no gainsaying the fact that Mr. Hamlin is unpopular, especially among Democrats. Whatever may be the cause, whether because of his lack of real congressional ability, his do nothing record of ten years in congress or dissatisfaction over his post-office appointments, does not matter, but the fact remains that he is dreadfully unpopular, and it would be very silly to try to deny or conceal the fact.

This being true, not only here in Pettis county, but in Greene, his home; in Polk, his former home; in Saline, Hickory, Benton, Lafayette and Howard, it does seem as if it would be political suicide to nominate him again and take chances in trying to pull him through.

Some idea of how he is regarded throughout the district can be gained by reference to a circular he recently sent broadcast through the district in an endeavor to answer some of the thousands of criticisms that have been made of his official acts. The circular consisted of opinions favorable to him and commendations of his official career.

Hard pushed as he was, it is to be presumed that he gathered all the good things that have been said about him in the last two years. And yet in examining the circulars we find but twelve commendatory articles and analyzed they are as follows:

One signed letter from a man who bolted Bryan in 1896, because a gold Democrat, two articles from a paper edited by A. D. States, who is now and always has been a rabid Republican and a leader in the party; four articles from the Bolivar Herald, owned and edited by Mr. Hamlin's cousin and his appointee to the Bolivar post-office; three "pieces" from the Lexington News, whose editor also is a Hamlin post-office appointee; one from the Clinton Democrat, a paper published outside the district; one from the Columbia Tribune, another paper outside the district; one from the Memphis Democrat, also in another district, and a letter from E. P. Neal, to the Bolivar Herald, written from Halfway, Polk county.

We don't know who this Mr. Neal is, but from his praise of Hamlin and his name, we may presume he is either a brother or very close related to S. C. Neale, Mr. Hamlin's very distinguished private secretary.

Now here we have all the evidence Mr. Hamlin can produce of high standing in his district, and it consists of testimony from a party bolter, one Republican editor, two postmaster appointees, one of them a cousin, three newspapers published outside his district, and one gentleman living at Halfway, whose name is the same as is the secretary to the congressman.

Isn't that a wonderful sheet of testimonials for a man to rely upon who for ten years has represented a Missouri district in the United States Congress?

Why the most unheard of and inefficient bilious pill or kidney cure could get better without half trying. Why doesn't he quote a Democratic paper in Greene county, his home; in Pettis, in Saline, outside his private secretary's; in Lafayette, outside his postmaster; in Polk outside his postmaster-cousin, in Hickory, or in Howard?

Why doesn't he quote one prominent Democrat in any of the counties outside of party bolters, who favors his re-nomination and election. Simply be-

cause he can't get them to stultify themselves by so doing, because they don't favor him, because they are sick and tired of his political and personal ingratitude, his mediocrity, his inability, his political chicanery.

Do the people of Pettis county wonder that the Democrats of Greene want him to retire from the race? Do the Democrats of Pettis want to carry such a load at the election in November? Can they carry it and win?

Think it over, all you good Democrats.—Sedalia Democrat.

Reaping the Whirlwind.

From The St. Louis Times. A tremendous blow at the employment of force in controversies between employers and employees have been struck by the decision of the United States Court of Appeals, which orders the men convicted of dynamiting in the Federal Court at Indianapolis to surrender to the warden of the Federal Prison at Leavenworth, Kansas, to serve their sentences.

Despite the charge of "rail-roading" made in connection with the Indianapolis trial, all these men, by reason of subsequent advantages taken of every possible legal provision for their protection, have been dealt with justly and with full consideration. Friends were not wanting when bonds in large sums were required. Every possible chance was given them to show that the finding in their trial was unwarranted.

The exact degree to which all the individuals concerned were guilty by intention would be impossible to determine. Men belonging to any organization are sometimes called upon to bear the burdens of their associates. But the fact remains that during a comparatively short period there were more than a hundred instances of dynamiting of steel structural works in various parts of the United States, and there was ample evidence to fix the crimes upon the organization to which the structural iron workers belonged.

The decision of the Court of Appeals, as reported Saturday ought to go far toward putting a stop to violence, in the adjustment of difficulties between workers and employers throughout the country. It ought to establish the principle that moral force is stronger in the end than physical force.

At best, strikes and clashes involving employers and employees are of greater detriment in the long run to the public as a whole than to the warring factions. This being true, it is of the utmost importance that such conflicts should be conducted in such a way as to inflict the least possible injury upon the public. Violence in labor disputes often results in the death of innocent persons.

The decision of the United States Court of Appeals means hardships to many families. It ought to mean far better conditions for the public in the future, and a saner method of adjustment of differences between the men who sell services and those who buy them.

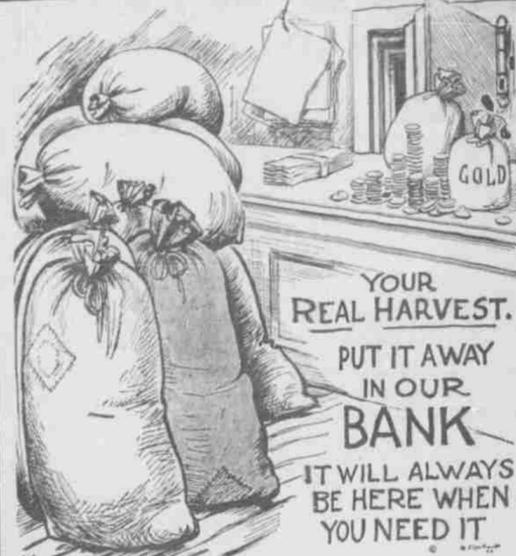
Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Mrs. Ella Wolfe returned to her home in Kansas City Tuesday morning after a visit here with friends.

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