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SOME PERTINENT POLITICAL COMMENT

There are now about 50 genial gentlemen traveling in Stevens county. Their mission is to shake hands with every one they meet, present their calling cards and tell their new-made friend just where to place the X next Tuesday. Strange to say that a large percentage of these philanthropists how hold a county office or live in Colville.

The Direct Legislation League of this state has issued circulars and mailed them broadcast, in which the voters are urged to defeat any candidate not in favor of the initiative, referendum and recall, and candidates opposed to nominating supreme court judges by direct vote of the people. The league is making its cause very popular with the people who are generally in accord with the measures, when they are made to understand them.

The withdrawal of John L. Wilson from the senatorial race, in favor of Judge Thomas Burke of Seattle, has considerably clarified the senatorial situation, and with the Wilson support all thrown to Burke, the latter's nomination seems quite probable.

The way matters stood, Poindexter was liable to win the nomination. It was up to the west side to eliminate some candidate, and Wilson withdrew. By doing this he has not lost any friends, but rather made more among the genuine republicans, for his sacrifice may aid in preserving the republican party in this state.

Burke is a capable man. His campaign throughout the state has been marked by its clean character, and although some of his enthusiastic followers claim an easy victory for him, it will take a good many straight republican votes to safely nominate him. Stevens county republicans, who have been strong for Wilson, are evidently going to follow Wilson's request and vote for Burke, reasoning that Wilson knows what he wants, and that if he wants Burke nominated, they will help to nominate him.

The senatorial fight in this state has certainly been a hummer. It is the struggle of the republican party to maintain itself in the midst of rebels and insurgents who would commit the party to something which it has never claimed or desired. Poindexter, formerly a democrat, now a member of the republican party for the purposes of holding office, undoubtedly has a strong following in the state and has made a hard campaign on somebody's money. He has been assisted by democrats in some parts of the state, although in Stevens county it has been agreed that the democrats will keep their hands off and allow the republicans to handle their own difficulties.

The mud-slinging campaign in Stevens county was started last week by former Senator Anderson, who has broken into the newspapers with his tale of woe regarding R. A. Thayer, who is also a republican candidate for the state senate.

It seems that Thayer accomplished considerable in the last legislature, and Anderson was not fortunate enough to accomplish much of anything, except to vote against the local option law, which his party was pledged to enact. (Representatives Spedden and Thayer voted for it.)

Anderson's record in the legislature has not been particularly enviable. He was the man who had the bill passed which prevents farmers from bringing suit against railroads for stock killed

at crossings, and strange as it may seem, this act has not been popular with the farmers.

Anderson introduced Thayer's drainage bill in the senate last session, and his fellow senators killed it for him. Thayer then took up the bill, and had it passed in both houses, doing personal work, making a personal plea with the senators, and the bill is now a law, to Thayer's credit. This bill was wanted especially in the Colville valley, to allow drainage work to commence at the upper end of the district.

Anderson claims through paid advertisements in the newspapers, over his signature, that Thayer is misrepresenting things in the campaign, and that Thayer voted for vicious legislation in the last legislature, and that Anderson has seen much greater men than Thayer, etc. Anderson also says that it is not a fact that he lost the drainage bill.

The fact is that Anderson is up against a fight which he did not in the least expect, and that he is getting the worst of it so far. The Statesman-Index, which had intended to spend some time with the efforts of other candidates on the republican ticket, has been obliged to forget them and their troubles and look to the cause of Anderson.

For the benefit of the many citizens who do not read the brewery organ of the Rev. Ananias E., we publish a list of those candidates on the Veatch ticket who will be supported by his enthusiastic few: Poindexter, Veatch, Savage, Jesseph, Wright, Bottorff, A. W. Anderson (especially), Spedden, Appleman.

Seabury Merritt claims that he will have enough first-choice votes in the third district to be nominated. His friends assert that he has gained strength steadily throughout the district since his candidacy was announced. They insist that the "recent strong public utterances of both President Taft and Theodore Roosevelt regarding certain phases of the campaign have had the effect of solidifying in Mr. Merritt's following all republicans who decry the so-called disruptive elements and believe the true way to achieve reforms is to stand by the president."

Members of all political parties should not forget that a precinct committeeman is to be selected by each party in each precinct at the coming primary election. Write in the name at the bottom of the ballot in the space provided.

A petition has been circulated in Kettle Falls for a local option election at the next general election. The town voted no-license a year ago.

PAID ADVERTISING

FOR SHERIFF
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for sheriff on the socialist ticket.
G. O. BAY.

FOR SHERIFF
I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the nomination of sheriff on the democratic ticket, subject to the primary election Sept. 13.
AL LYNCH, Colville.

FOR COMMISSIONER
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for commissioner from the second district, on the republican ticket.
FRANK POLLAK.

FOR COMMISSIONER
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county commissioner of the second district of Stevens county, subject to the socialist primary election.
A. G. McDONALD, Bruce Creek

FOR COMMISSIONER
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the republican nomination for commissioner from the second district, at the primary Sept. 13.
W. W. PALMER, Bouseburg.

Letter From La Follette People

Pullman, Wash., Sept. 8. - Pullman citizens and business men, who are supporting W. L. La Follette for congress, were incensed today when a report reached here that A. E. Veatch, the Colville newspaper man who is booming himself for congress with faked indorsements, is circulating a story to the effect that Mr. La Follette employed Chinese and Japanese labor on his big farms in preference to white labor. Investigation shows this story to contain as much truth as the story that the grange had indorsed the brewery-prohibition candidate of Colville, who is charged with faking the indorsements of almost every organization from the bootblacks' union to the ministerial association. Mr. La Follette is out of town today, but was caught over the long distance telephone and asked for a statement. He said:

"My record is open to all. I employed as many as 300 white people on my fruit farm and in the packing house and sawmill. I think at one time, when enough white help to handle the fruit crop could not be secured, I had Indians, a few Japanese, two Chinese, and perhaps a colored man or two employed. I never drew 'the color line' but I always gave white people the preference and have employed thousands of white people in the years I have farmed and raised fruit, and during all that time I have not employed a grand total of a score of Chinese and Japanese. The fact that nearly every man who was employed by me is supporting me for election is sufficient refutation of this faked story."

The Stevens County Law Enforcement League, which is the active political organization for the support of the Veatch-Index ring, has sent letters to voters of the county asking support for certain candidates in the coming primary election, the special request being made to vote for John L. Wright, A. W. Anderson, and Al Lynch.

The town of Newport will vote on the question of licensing the sale of liquor. The petition was signed by 71 citizens. Attempts to enforce the local option law there have proved quite unsuccessful. A private detective named Clement S. Hanna attempted to put through a charge against Eugene Kellogg and John Koch there last week, but was not able to prove a violation of the law, after spending a month in Newport. The estimate for next year shows that under the present system Newport will run behind \$1600, even with the extreme limit of taxation being assessed.

Attorney H. G. Kirkpatrick has leased his residence property to George S. Morley, and in a few weeks will take his departure for Idaho, where he has a homestead of 160 acres of land on the Coeur d'Alene reservation, which fell to his lot in the drawing last year. Mr. Kirkpatrick will resign his office of prosecuting attorney of Stevens county to take effect in November.

Special railroad rates are this year offered on a more extended territory than ever before. The minimum selling fare is 50 cents. Territory embraced is Princeton, Phoenix, Grand Forks, Roseland and Nelson, B.C., Republic, Spokane and Newport. Selling dates are Sept. 26-29, return limit Oct. 1. These rates are for the Stevens county fair.

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