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### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of representative to congress from the First congressional district subject to the action of the republican state convention.

ALBERT H. CHRISTENSON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of county clerk, subject to the action of the republican county convention of Carbon county, Utah.

E. S. HORSLEY.

The one industry that has not been hurt by the present administration is that of the sawbrokers.

Men break out with smallpox—they break into houses and sometimes they break into jail. But very few attempt to break into a jury.

Even had the city council known of the existence of the 1913 statute regarding the leasing and selling of municipal light and power plants, from a judicial standpoint there certainly can be no criticism against it for its action by fair minded men. Knowledge of the present administration will naturally cause the content of it possible. In all probability Judge Christenson will never be called upon to interpret a more ambiguous and vague statute. A more carefully drawn provision of the Utah law can hardly be imagined. The Advocate feels quite safe in saying that Mr. Price, attorney for Mr. McDonald, was also afraid of the statute as he relied entirely on his argument before the court on the 1911 statute and made absolutely no reference to the 1913 provision. It was, however, on the later statute that Judge Christenson rendered his opinion in the matter.

### POLITICAL BUMBLINGS

Besides the usual county officers to be elected there is also a state senator to be elected for Emery, Carbon and Uintah counties. Each of Emery and Carbon and Uintah are the only names that have been whispered up to date. Both are republicans.

No openly avowed candidates have as yet shown up either for commissioners, recorder, county attorney, county sheriff, treasurer, representative, assessor or superintendent of schools, although in all probability several present incumbents will ask for the nomination for the same positions they now hold.

It was the logical conclusion that both W. T. Hamilton and Benton Randolph would be candidates for re-election to the positions of commissioners. The Halper man has a sheriff bee a bumbling. It is said. When Randolph refused flatfootedly to become a candidate on any kind of a ticket for commissioner an attempt was made by the News to bring him out as a candidate for sheriff, without result, however.

As the situation now lines up on the horizon W. F. Olson will be a candidate for something on some ticket. Fusion at this time between progressives and democrats seems among the impossibilities and it is not thought the former Price mayor's political scruples are so well defined as to preclude him from

throwing in heart and soul with the bull moose party and among the members of the latter aggregation there is a disposition to hand Mr. Olson the nomination for some good sounding official job.

Those in Carbon county having political aspirations are keeping them very much under their hats. So quiet really is the political atmosphere that a lively scramble, especially among the republicans, for the various county offices is predicted, along the same lines probably of the never falling calm before a storm. Then, too, the keen observer sees large republican majorities ahead in Carbon county. Both A. H. Christenson and E. S. Horsley are firmly convinced, however that the candidate loses nothing by getting early into the race and they are therefore avowed candidates for the respective offices of representative to congress from the First district and clerk of Carbon county.

### STAR ROUTE FROM VERNAL TO DRAGON DISCONTINUED

Postmaster Smith is in receipt of instructions that the star route between Dragon and Vernal has been discontinued and that all mail for the Uintah country must go by way of Colton, except to Atchee and Watson points on the Uintah rail-

While the foregoing instructions to Postmaster Smith, and similar ones have no doubt been received by all distributing offices, would seem to leave no doubt but that the mail for Vernal and the other points in the Ashley valley is to be sent in via Colton, that seems to be but half the story. The Colton-Vernal contractors claim that their bid does not call for the transportation of the Vernal mail and have refused to handle it.

The Duchesne Stage & Transportation company states that its capacity will be crowded to its utmost in handling mail and parcel post to the reservation. The Uintah Highway company, whose contract expired June 30th, likewise refuses to handle the mail, and the Vernal Express arriving here yesterday morning, although published on Friday of last week, July 3d, states that no mail had been received in Vernal since the preceding Tuesday. Contractors and postmasters are at sea in the matter, it being the presumption, however, that the postoffice department in letting the contract to the Duchesne company did so with the intention that this company should handle all mail both for reservation points and Vernal.

From talks with the postoffice inspectors who were in Price attempting to secure bids from this place it was understood that the bid, which was awarded to the Duchesne company, meant the carrying of all mail to Vernal and intermediate points.

### THE REGULAR MAN.

By Bertou Braley.

Lord, let me live like a Regular Man,  
With regular friends and true,  
Let me play the game on a regular plan,  
And play it that way all through;  
Let me win or lose with a regular smile  
And never be known to whine,  
For that is a "Regular Fellow's" style  
And I want to make it mine!  
O give me a regular chance in life,  
The same as the rest, I pray,  
And give me a regular girl for a wife  
To help me along the way;  
Let us know the lot of humanity,  
Its regular woes and joys,  
And raise a regular family  
Of regular girls and boys!  
Let me live to a regular good old age,  
With regular snow-white hair,  
Having done my labor and earned my wage  
And played my game for fair;  
And so at last when the people scan  
My face on its regular bier,  
They'll say, "Well, he was a Regular Man!"  
And drop a regular tear!

### THE CHESTNUT MAN.

With most profuse apologies to Longfellow.

Under the county chestnut tree  
The blacksmith-Lawyer stands.  
The Smith, a grinning man is he,  
With combed-out, sticky hands,  
And the covens of his sticky paws  
Are on the most receptive plane.

His hair is crisp and grayed and short,  
His face is like a fan,  
His socks are wet with gumshoe sweat,  
He grubs white'er he can  
And looks each twilight o'er and o'er  
For he's the chestnut man.

Week in, week out, from morn till night  
You can hear this fellow blow;  
You can hear him swing his knocking sledge  
At things disliked by Joe,  
Who sits high up on a limb above  
Where the golden chestnuts grow.

And taxpayers coming home from toil,  
Look in at the court house door,  
And frown to see the spendthrift board,  
And hear the blacksmith roar,  
And watch the county warrants fly  
Like chaff from a thrashing floor.

He goes 'most daily in the Board  
And sits alongside Joe,  
The four-year term and the desert Lord  
To the blacksmith's aid,—the bow.

Joy sounds to him like Toddy's fount  
In far off Armageddon,  
Or, mayhap, on the river "Doubt"  
In Brazilian waters boiling.  
But with most pronounced Progressive quake  
The pair the public mountains shake.

Knocking, shaking and harvesting,  
Onward through Price he goes:  
Each session sees some graft begun,  
Each meeting sees its close;  
Graft warrants from the county tree  
Afford his night's repose.

Thanks, thanks to thee, our worthy friend,  
For the lesson thou hast taught;  
Thus at the flaming forge of mooch  
Your fortunes must be wrought,  
And only through such leechings  
All great reforms are brought.

—SILAS GRUNDY.

[It will be no particular surprise to Price people to learn that Silas has entered divorce proceedings against Mrs. Grundy on the ground of incompatibility of temper. The complaint also contains other more serious charges. A number of residents hereabouts have been named as co-respondents.—Ed.]

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