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(Political Advertisement)
C. ROSS THOMPSON SHOULD BE RE-ELECTED

Mr. G. Ross Thompson is a candidate for election as a member of the Board of County Road Commissioners for Oakland county and has been identified with road matters for many years.

For many years Mr. Thompson was a Supervisor from the Township of Highland, and as such, was one of the earliest advocates of good roads.

The first public meeting looking toward the construction of good roads in Oakland county was held in the City of Pontiac, and Mr. G. Ross Thompson, at that time a member of the Board of Supervisors, spoke in favor of the launching of the campaign which resulted in the passage of the bond issue of 1916. This bond issue, it will be recalled, was in the sum of one million dollars, for the purpose of providing for the bonded issue, have now been completed, with scarcely an exception.

For many years past the Board of Supervisors have annually appointed a committee of five of its members, known as the Road Committee, who have acted as advisers, of and in conjunction with the Board of County Road Commissioners on road matters.

Mr. Thompson has been a member of that committee since its creation, up to the time he became a member of the board three years ago. At that time a vacancy was created in the board by the resignation of Robert Garner. Owing to his long period of activity in road matters, Mr. Thompson was appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Garner's resignation. Mr. Thompson, having served part of one term, naturally feels that he is entitled to re-election.

In addition the different parts of the county should be represented. The Board at present consists of Mr. John Adams of the Township of Addison; Mr. Thompson Lytle, formerly of Farmington, but now a resident of the City of Pontiac, and Mr. Thompson of the Township of High-

land, Mr. McBride, one of the candidates for nomination comes from Oakland Township; Mr. Ostrander from Ferndale. As a result, if Mr. Thompson is not nominated, then the entire board will be from the two eastern tiers townships, and the three western tiers unrepresented. This is not fair.

Where a public official has rendered good services, it is but right that he should receive the endorsement of re-election. This is the proper spirit.

Again the question of roads is a large question. It is a comparatively new subject with us. Experience counts for a very great deal. Our road taxes are and will be a considerable amount and it is very important that those who expend the money for roads, should have all the experience possible to aid them in the proper expenditures.

Because of those reasons, as we have said, we are in favor of the re-election of Mr. G. Ross Thompson.

WILL OPEN COUNTY'S NEW JAIL FOR PUBLIC VIEW

Between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 9, the new Oakland County Jail, located at the corner of Wayne and Warren avenues, Pontiac, will be thrown open to the inspection of the public.

"We want the people of the county to see what a magnificent new jail they have," said Sheriff James S. Butler, Wednesday. "All persons who come Saturday will be afforded an excellent opportunity to see just how a modern jail is conducted."

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