

# Page Enters G.O.P. Primary As Senatorial Candidate

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GILMANTON, Aug. 30.—Rep. Curtis Hidden Page of Gilmanton has entered the Republican primary as a candidate for the party nomination for state senator in the sixth district. He is opposed by Dr. Maurice H. Wiley of Laconia, prominent physician and veteran legislator.

Major Page, born in Greenwood, Mo., April 4, 1870, the son of Benjamin Greely and Martha Frances (Hidden) Page, has made his mark in several fields. First of all he has been a teacher; he saw service in the United States Army during the war; has been and continues to be an author, and is well known in New Hampshire for his activity in the state Legislature, where he headed the Belknap County delegation in the 1933-34 Legislature.

## Biographical Sketch

Despite the extremely condensed material in "Who's Who," his biographical sketch occupies nearly half a column in the book.

He was educated in Massachusetts and New Hampshire district schools, Chester academy, Pinkerton academy in Derry, Phillips Exeter academy, Harvard university, University of Paris, and the University of Florence. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa, and holds degrees of Doctor of Philosophy at Harvard and Honorary Master of Arts at Dartmouth.

During the war he began as a private in the Military Stores school in Hanover, was later commissioned Captain U. S. R. at Washington in December, 1917. Later he was transferred to Camp Hancock in Georgia, where he was made captain of a company, and soon after senior instructor of the First Regiment and intelligence officer for the whole camp. Later he was put in command of the Second Regiment Ordnance Training corps.

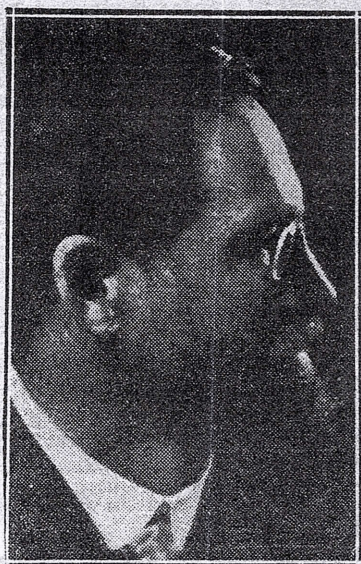
Soon after he was promoted Major. Several times he asked to be sent to France but "could not be allowed to leave until some one could be sent to take his place at the head of the regiment and Officers' Training Corps." After the Armistice he was Commanding Officer of the Penniman General Ordnance Depot. He was honorably discharged from the Army Oct. 31, 1919.

He is a descendant of Gov. John Winthrop, founder of Boston and first governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony; his first American ancestor in the direct male line was John Page, who came with Gov. Winthrop in the ship "Jewell." His grandfather, Rev. E. N. Hidden, was principal of Gilmanton Academy.

## Trustee At Academy.

He has been instructor in French at Harvard, teacher of French and Italian in all grades from Instructor to Professor at Columbia, Professor of English at Northwestern University and Professor of English at Dartmouth college. He is now retired.

He is a trustee and treasurer of the Board of Trustees of Gilmanton Academy. He was president for two terms of the Poetry Society of America, and vice president of the Poetry Society of Great Britain. He is a member of the Council, National Economic League, of the National Institute of Social Sciences, of the Amer-



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ican Academy of Political and Social Sciences, and a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.