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### TEACHING AS A VOCATION

Putting the advantages and disadvantages of teaching as a profession before the students of P. C. Amos C. Stanbrough, superintendent of Newberg schools, gave the fourth of a series of vocational addresses which are being held at the college Tuesday of each week.

Most of us do not choose our vocations, said Mr. Stanbrough. We drift into them. In preventing students from wasting too much time in finding their proper niche in life work, the plan of presenting in detail the duties, problems and pleasures of various professions was a good one, thought Mr. Stanbrough.

In the teaching vocation there are certain qualifications necessary. If one is to be successful, said Mr. Stanbrough. An optimistic nature, a great deal of patience, self-control, good health and in a spiritual sense, the spirit of fight. The mental and physical strain is great, and unless these qualifications are possessed by the teacher, success is doubtful.

The teacher has a big responsibility, especially in these times, when the foundation of the home is so often shaken. A wide training in the moral character as well as in intellectual ways should be the first consideration, asserted Mr. Stanbrough.

Capable teachers are always in demand.

Financially, teaching was not always the best paying profession said the speaker. It did, however, offer permanent work to the person qualified, and there were returns which could not be measured in money values.

The child, said the speaker, was a bundle of possibilities, and under the influence of the right character would develop into a good man or woman. In the right kind of teaching lies the safeguard of the republic, asserted Mr. Stanbrough, citing cases from the experience of both France and Germany. That is, the development of the soul as well as the intellect.

Mr. Stanbrough in closing made a strong appeal to remember the teachers in their great work, who were too often not appreciated.—Crescent.

### Gas at \$10.00

When gas was first installed in New York for lighting purposes, in 1825, the price was \$10 a thousand cubic feet, plus a rental for the meter and for the fixtures, then owned by the gas company. In 1830 the price was lowered to \$7 a thousand and there it remained until 1848.

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### CITY ATTORNEY ELECT GIVES REASONS FOR DECLINING PLACE

December 19, 1922  
To the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Newberg, Oregon.  
Gentlemen:

To avoid any possible misunderstanding of my statement to the council last evening, I think I will give you this summary in writing of that statement.

As I did not attend your meeting on the 5th, I had no opportunity until last evening to thank you for your confidence in me as expressed by your majority vote for the office of city attorney. I am deeply grateful for the consideration given me, but I have reluctantly come to the conclusion that I am not yet eligible for that office.

Section 8 of Chapter I of the City Charter reads in part as follows: "No one is eligible to any office in the municipal corporation who, at the time of his election or appointment" \* \* \* has not resided in the City of Newberg for the three months next preceding his election or appointment."

For many years following the enactment of that charter, the city attorney was neither an elective or appointive officer of the city. The charter specifically named the officers who should be appointed or elected by the council, but the city attorney was not included. Under these circumstances, legal services were obtained by employing an attorney merely as an attorney instead of electing an attorney as an officer of the city. Authority for such action was found in subdivision 49 of Section 34 of Chapter IV of the charter which gives the Council power "to employ an attorney, when necessary, and pay him for his services."

This provision of the charter is still in effect. At a special election held October 21st, 1915, Section 7 of Chapter I of the Charter was amended to read as follows:

"There shall also be elected for the term of two years a mayor, recorder, marshal, treasurer, attorney, engineer, water superintendent and a street commissioner, who shall be officers of the municipality. The councilmen shall be elected by the voters in the respective wards which they represent. The mayor, recorder and treasurer shall be elected by the qualified voters of the city at large. All other officers shall be elected by the council, and a majority of all members elected to the council shall be necessary to elect. The council may remove any appointive officer at any time for misfeasance, malfeasance, neglect or incompetency in office. The council shall, before removing any such officer, grant such officer a hearing at which he may be heard in his own defense."

Only one conclusion can be drawn from the above-quoted Sections 7 and 8 of the Charter. I have had an office in Newberg since September 23, but I have been delayed in establishing my residence and I am not yet a resident of Newberg. It follows, therefore, that I am not now eligible for the office you tendered me.

It is only fair that I should make still another admission. Part of Section 21 of Chapter II of the Charter, as amended at a special election held October 21, 1918, reads as follows:

"The term of office of every person elected under this Act shall commence on the first Monday in December after his election and shall terminate when his successor is elected and qualified."

From the city recorder's office I learn that Mr. Chapin was regularly elected city attorney in January, 1921. It follows, therefore, since my election is void, that Mr. Chapin may legally continue in that office without the formality of re-election.

While investigating this subject I learned some other things of considerable interest. Under your Charter, for example, no specific duties are imposed on the city attorney, no official authority is given him, and no right to compensation is expressed. As a prospective city attorney at the time I made that discovery, I was prompted, very naturally, to look up the law on the subject and I found this: "The power of officers of a municipality depends entirely on the provisions of the Charter and on ordinances passed in pursuance thereof, and such officers take nothing beyond the powers so conferred. \* \* \* Unless, at the time of the performance of services, compensation therefor has been fixed and declared by statute, ordinance or express agreement authorized by law, a municipal officer is not entitled to compensation for official services rendered by him."

Consequently, if I were permitted to take the office you tendered me, I might eventually find myself in a situation in which I could not claim the right to perform legal services for the city, or to act officially for it in litigation, or to receive compensation for services rendered.

In conclusion I want to thank you again for the consideration given me and to express the hope that I will have the opportunity in the future to

serve you in some capacity. Respectfully yours,  
F. B. Layman.

### SPEED AND ACTION IN "THE FAST MAIL" AT THE BAKER

"Speed Counts" is the password at the Baker Theatre on next Monday and Tuesday, when they will show that old-time melodrama, "The Fast Mail," written by Lincoln J. Carter. In the cast are Charles Jones, Eileen Percy and Adolph Menjou.

So fast does the action move that one has a hard time keeping up with the thrills. When the play was first produced on the stage the big scene came when "The Fast Mail" thundered across the stage in the title role. But the camera, handling the theme with a much broader scope, has managed to include, instead of the one thrill, one dare devil stunt after another, until the audience gasps. Charles Jones, who plays the role of the hero, Walter West, claims that he has no nerves, and this picture will surely uphold that statement.

It is a melodrama, pure and simple, but remarkably well done. Of course, West is in love with Mary, and she with him. The rejected suitor does all in his power to mar their happiness. Action first comes with a thrilling steeplechase, where West, on whom all the money is placed to win, is fouled.

There is action of all sorts. Fast horses, fast boats, fast trains, fast machines, and as a fitting climax, a realistic fire. Through all this storm West wins to success and in the nick of time saves his sweetheart from the burning building. With their troubles past, nothing remains but to live ever after, in their land of fairy tale.

### Precisely

Nobody was hurt when a Moose Jaw street car hit an automobile and turned it over twice the other day. In automobile circles this must be the kind of car that is spoken of as a desirable turn-over.—The Saskatoon (Can.) Daily Star.

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