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We never miss the water until the well runs dry and we never appreciate a good electric light plant until an accident takes place. La Grande, as compared with other eastern Oregon cities, has been most fortunate. —until the last week La Grande has not been without light a single night for over four years. It was only recently that Pendleton and Walla Walla were in darkness for several weeks. Baker City at one time was in a similar condition for 10 days or longer. With two power stations the Grande Ronde Electric company has always been prepared for temporary or even serious accidents, but the best of plans and extraordinary precaution falls at times and this is one of the times. Be patient, the company is doing everything in its power and at the earliest possible moment.

Senator Fulton has very emphatically put it up to Mr. Heney to immediately make public the facts upon which he has in the past, largely by insinuation, reflected upon the character of Senator Fulton. The campaign is now on and if Mr. Heney is in possession of facts that show conclusively that Mr. Fulton is not the proper man to be returned to the senate, the voters will do the rest. The people of Oregon can be depended

upon to do this. On the other hand, if Mr. Heney is making these insinuations and cannot back them up with the facts, he is playing cheap politics, which should react in Mr. Fulton's favor.

T. T. Geer, editor of the Pendleton Tribune, has announced his candidacy for congress in this district. This makes three candidates so far: Congressman Ellis, Attorney Callahan and Mr. Geer, and before the limit for filing nominations expires, it is expected that Portland may furnish one or two aspirants.

Juvenile Court for Pendleton.

Parents and all interested in the formation of a juvenile court for this county are urged to be present at the court house this afternoon when the first one to be held here will be convened by County Judge Gilliland and District Attorney Phelps. Incidentally the case of two boys charged with being delinquents is to come up, but the prime purpose is to perfect the organization of the juvenile court for the benefit of the boys of this city and county.

District Attorney Phelps is anxious for the public to appreciate the importance and the necessity of the people as a whole doing something for the boys of this city. He says it is but a short step from the path in which some of them are traveling to the one which leads to the reform school and the penitentiary and that parents cannot afford to sit idly by with folded hands.

Phelps says it is necessary and absolutely essential, in order to get practical results in a place too small to afford salaried probation officers, for all the people to take an interest in the matter and for some to take enough interest to be willing to act as probation officers without remuneration.

All citizens of the city who are directly or indirectly interested in the juvenile court work, are requested by the district attorney and Judge Gilliland to be at the court house this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

A chief probation officer will be appointed and probably a deputy also.—Pendleton Tribune.

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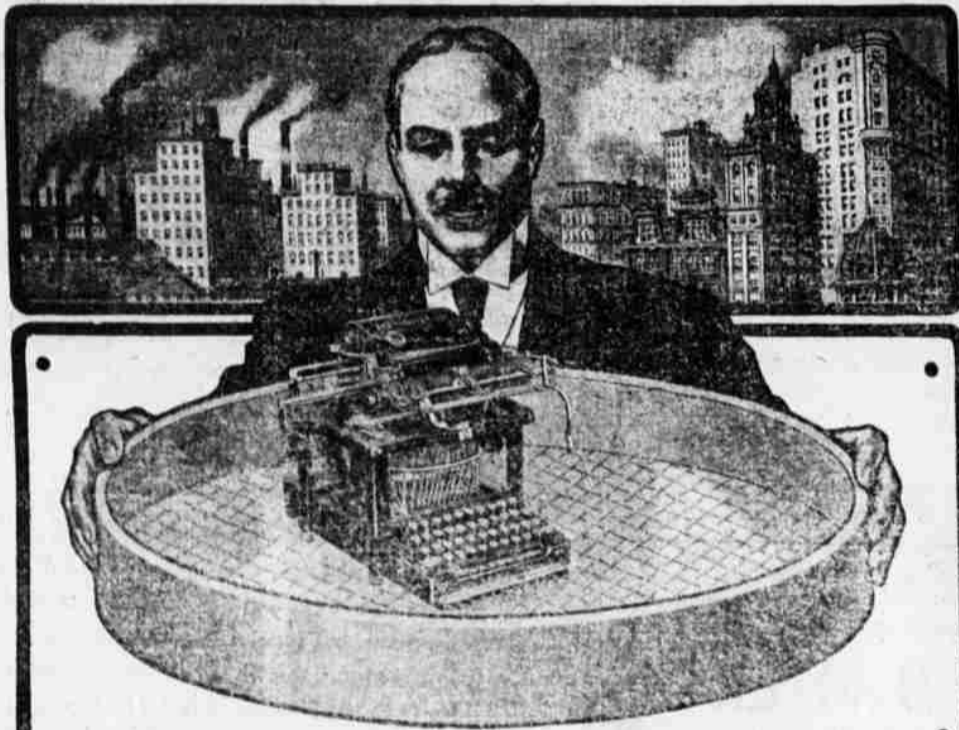
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