

ARIZONA VOTES

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new servant doctrine.

While the opponents of the Constitution in Arizona have made a warm campaign to prevent its adoption it is generally believed that it will be ratified by a majority of the voters at today's election. Speculation therefore centers in the fate of the measure when it reaches Washington. It is reported on what is regarded as good authority that President Taft is not likely to approve of the Constitution as it now stands and that he will insist upon the elimination of the initiative, referendum and recall and probably some of the other provisions before he gives it his approval.

The conservative element in congress is also likely to put up a strong opposition to the Constitution. On the other hand, the progressives will wel-

come the chance to make a hard fight in its favor. Many of the progressive leaders in the senate have publicly declared their intention to fight for the approval of the constitution, among the number being Senators La Follette of Wisconsin, Cummins of Iowa, Clapp of Minnesota, Dixon of Montana, Brown of Nebraska and Bristow of Kansas.

NEW FIRM AT HAINES.

Farmers' Mercantile Association Formed by Farmers.

Members of the Haines and Rock Creek locals of the Farmers' Co-Operative and Educational union met in Haines on Wednesday and organized the Farmers Mercantile Company, with a capital stock of \$50,000. The matter of purchasing the business of the Haines Mercantile Company is under consideration by the new corporation, although the deal has not been consummated.

The new firm is composed of intelligent representative men of this section and will begin business with the brightest prospects for a successful career.

The directors of the farmers Mercantile Company were elected as follows: Wm. Ashwood, D. M. Cartmill, D. A. Greene, W. R. Moore, W. A. Cartmill, E. A. Pratt and W. S. Daugherty.

It is understood that R. T. Anderson, a popular business man who is well known and respected in the community, is the choice of the stockholders for the position of manager, which is assurance that the affairs of the new institution will be looked after in an able and competent manner.—Haines Record.

RESIGNS MARCH FIRST.

County Assessor Rinehart Shaping Details of Office to Leave Then.

County Assessor T. A. Rinehart, recently appointed state land agent by Governor Oswald West, is rapidly placing his office here in shape to turn it over to his successor. Mr. Rinehart said today that his resignation would have to take effect about the first of March as it is necessary that he move to Salem at that time and resume his duties there.

In the meantime he is cleaning up the office here so that it will be in shape to transfer.

His resignation has not been handed the county court as yet, but will come in a short time.

CLUB MEETING TOMORROW

Commercial Club Members Called to Meet at 8 O'clock Friday.

Directors of the commercial club have been called to meet tomorrow night at 8 o'clock when matters of importance will come up. This is the first meeting in several weeks and a large attendance is particularly desired so that matters now needing immediate attention can be cleared off the slate.

LENHART BUYS BAKERY

ROYAL GROCERY AND BAKERY SELLS PART OF STORE.

Herbert Pattison to Retain Grocery Store But Sells Bakery.

C. A. Lenhart, connected with the Romig & Staples grocery store when that firm did business here, and last summer manager of the Dutil bakery on Fir street while the owner was in Europe, yesterday evening closed a deal with Herbert Pattison for the transfer of the ownership of the Royal Bakery. Mr. Lenhart took possession today and while the bakery is now in operation, it is soon to be conducted on a more extensive scale for the quarters occupied by the Wardrobe people, adjoining the grocery store is to be occupied by the bakery in the near future. Mr. Pattison retains the grocery store, merely disposing of the bakery.

Mr. Lenhart brings an expert baker man with him in Frank F. Taylor who has been in the employ of Mr. Lenhart for some time.

DUNN HEADS MERCHANTS

NEW BOARD ELECTED MONDAY HOLDS IT SELECTION.

Final Organization Effected Last Night by Newly Elected Board.

Directors of the Merchants' Protective association elected at the banquet of the entire association last Monday evening, held their final organization meeting last night and C. S. Dunn is president to succeed J. J. Carr. The other officers elected for the ensuing year are Mac Wood, vice president, F. D. Halsten, secretary, and A. S. Geddes, treasurer Charles Albert Small is retained in charge of the secretary's office.

Little else came before the board for consideration at this time.

COURT PROCEEDINGS

Transactions Including Appointment of Supervisors by Court.

Report of County Treasurer approved.

Report of collection of scalp louny warrants issued. Approved.

Petition for vacancy of county road as petitioned for by A. J. Colt, et al., was granted.

The petition of John Stutsinger for improvement of Phillips Creek Road was denied.

A. P. Charlton was appointed Stock Inspector for Union County. Petition of Jas. Hoatson et al for County Road, denied.

Plat of Hug Addition to Elgin, approved.

Bridges Orchard Tract, plat approved.

The following were appointed as Road Supervisors for the ensuing year:

- District No. 1, H. W. Gent; No. 2, J. M. Darr, No. 3, Charles Wawth, No. 4, J. B. Breshears, No. 5, Adolph Wealty, No. 6, E. E. Jones, No. 7, Wm. Slon, No. 8, M. D. Sanderson, No. 9, Jacob End, No. 10, W. H. Glenn, No. 11, Ed. Tuttle, No. 12, G. W. Fuckman, No. 13, Samuel Storey, No. 14, Ole Matson, No. 15, Neils Endrup, No. 16, J. B. Robertson, No. 18, W. S. Montgomery, No. 20, F. H. Owsley, No. 21, C. E. Golden, No. 23, George Fuckett, No. 24, Geo. Chadwick, No. 25, R. R. Parker, No. 26, Frank Poss, No. 27, S. S. Boothe, No. 29, C. W. Veer, No. 30, James Gilkison, No. 31, Ed. Wulf, No. 32, R. M. Duncan, No. 33, L. Drumsmith, No. 35, J. A. Horn, No. 38, O. W. Thompson, No. 39, Willis Wright.

OPERA PINAFORE SATURDAY

To Appear at Stewards Opera House Saturday Night.

Theatre loving goers will have an opportunity of witnessing one of the best comic opera that has ever appeared in the city of La Grande. The M. S. Pinafore under the auspices of the high school, directed by M. E. Robinson, the well known musical director from Chicago.

This entertainment will be complete in vocal solos, choruses, fancy dances, comic dialogues, natty costumes and special scenery. A clean entertainment, suitable to instruct and instruct all.

This same production given in the

high school auditorium last week. Friday and Saturday nights met with so much favorable comment that it was decided to repeat it in Steward's opera house where all could have an opportunity of hearing this beautiful opera at popular prices. The proceeds will be used as before for the hundreds of pictures and decorations for the rooms and halls of the new high school.

Some new features will be added and a fine production of this popular opera may be expected from the high school chorus, assisted by some of the best soloists of the city. Reserved seats on sale at Van Burness as usual. Prices 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

Champion Bag Puncher Here.

Miss Gardner, a member of the Gardner & Barber team, and who is credited with being the champion bag puncher in the world, arrived today to appear at the Orpheum the rest of the week. Her ability is said to be marvelous. The prices for the rest of the week will be 15 and 25 cents with the Maude Still attraction, using an aeroplane, remaining on the program. A matinee will be held Sunday afternoon at which time Miss Still will use a balloon. Prices for that attraction will be 10 and 15 cents. The matinee will be Miss Still's last appearance here.

BASKET SOCIAL MONDAY.

Modern Woodmen to Give Benefit to Royal Neighbors Next Monday.

Modern Woodmen lodge affairs will be tabled next Monday night and instead the lodge will conduct a basket social for the benefit of the Royal Neighbors, auxiliary to the Woodmen. Several novel features are provided for and dancing will follow the supper. Preparations for an enjoyable evening are under way.

TWO WRESTLING BOUTS HELD.

B. M. A. Members Witness Bouts by Grapplers at Club Last Night.

Two short lived wrestling bouts were witnessed last evening by the B. M. A. members when Fritz Lottes and Gus Prinzhough grappled for club honors. Lottes threw his man three straight falls in short order.

Later in the evening Prinzhough threw Crawley in five minutes.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION POSTPONED

Tuesday Musicals Has Decided to Postpone Program for Saturday.

On account of counter attractions this week the special Loan Fund program arranged for next Saturday afternoon has been postponed.

It will be held a week hence and more detailed announcements will be made later.

HAMILTON'S TO RETIRE.

Illness of Senior Member of Summerville Firm Causes Retirement.

Summerville, Feb. 9 (Special)—On account of the illness of W. H. Hamilton, the Hamilton general merchandise firm of Summerville is to sell out and retire from business. Arrangements for closing out the stock have already been commenced.

Pneumonia Follows A Cold.

But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, which checks the cough and expels the cold. M. Stockwell, Hannibal, Mo., says: "It beats all the remedies I ever used. I contracted a bad cold and cough and was threatened with pneumonia. One bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar completely cured me." No opiates, just a reliable household medicine. Hills Drug Store.

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PEOPLES STORE

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It bothers a great many merchants to know what to do in February to keep up interest. It is a little early to expect much Spring custom, and so late in the season that talk of Winter stuffs grows tiresome to customers.

We have decided on a compromise for this February between the store and our customers. We have bought small sprinklings of advance showings in various lines of merchandise. These goods will be placed on display and sale at once and each day thereafter as they arrive. And the Winter stuff—pardon us for mentioning it—will be condensed in to bargain lots here and there at prices much lower than wholesale. As the assortment of each bargain lot decreases to an uninteresting ebb it will be thrown into another bargain lot collection at a still lower price. Thus you see that every day during February at this store will be an exhibition of new Spring arrivals and a special sale day of bargains—GREAT BIG BARGAINS. We will be able to tell you specifically of some of these in our future advertisements; but whether you see it in our ad or not, come to the store with the surety that you will see new arrivals nearly every day in Spring Novelties and Styles and a host of bargain lots that spell economy.

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