

CAMP DODGE

CONWELL ELECTED MAYOR

At a mass meeting of the personnel of Camp Dodge, Monday the 26th, at Camp Dodge, Oregon, Walter Conwell was re-elected mayor of the Camp by an overwhelming majority. This is Conwell's second term as mayor after having taken a rest of one term.

He realizes that he faces a serious problem of political re-organization, and has sworn to do his utmost to uphold the reputation of the Camp in the future complexities with which an official is forever faced.

Mayor Conwell has asked the press to convey his utmost appreciation to his co-workers for doing him the honor of electing him mayor. May I state for the Dodge Cub that he has our full and willing support in his future endeavors.

Mr. Conwell wishes to state that the judicial system is working very nicely and that he will see that it continues to do so.

We wish you all the luck that you deserve in fulfilling your new office Mayor Conwell, and we are sure that we speak for the rest of the camp.

IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED FOR CAMP

(By Bob Mendenhall)

I have heard that in the near future the recreation hall and bunkhouses will be sealed with plywood. The mess hall and office will be painted white in the interior. Individual steel lockers will be placed in the bunkhouses.

The new building that is being erected at the northeast end of the recreation hall, will house the tool shed, garage, and workshop. The present tool house is to be made over into a bunkhouse.

YOUTH GROUP HOLD MEETING

(By J. Kolu)

A meeting consisting mostly of the youth of Portland and vicinity, was held Friday, February 22, at Reed College, Portland, to discuss the youth problem of today. There were about sixty people from various lines of life present at the meeting. The NYA had the greatest representation of those present. A permanent organization was formed of which George Murray, who has long been associated with youths in many clubs, was elected presiding chairman. Miss Miller a worker at the United States Court House, was elected acting secretary.

The purpose of the organization is to find out how and in what way the present day employment problem can be remedied. A committee of seven was selected to represent this organization, and to contact those who are interested in such work.

The technological machine age was discussed as being the immediate cause of unemployment. The

trend of mechanized force over man-made production necessitates serious and thoughtful planning in order to overcome the obstacles that are thus present. Reorganization of employment was mentioned as being a solution to this problem.

The further propagation of this group will be possible at the next regular meeting on Friday, March 8, at Reed College.

THE NEW PROJECT IN DODGE PARK

Many improvements have been planned for Dodge Park. Another stone building will be erected at the east end of the park. A number of stoves to be built from rock with sheet metal fire boxes will be constructed, and also a number of tables will be made. These tables will have half-log tops and benches. A new entrance and exit and also a new system of parking will be arranged.

Since it is customary to have reason for attempting the accomplishment of some particular endeavor, we feel obliged to put forth in this article a few of the very excellent reasons why Camp Dodge should have a newspaper, and a good one.

Employment

There's always a job for willing hearts

That are ready and eager to do;
The world needs comfort and smiles and cheer,
And there's someone who really needs you.

There's work for the hands, for the hearts a-glow
To tell of their love for each other;

Tasks for us all and joy ev'ry day,
If we call the whole world our brother.

—L. G. G.

Note to Congressmen

This answer turned up in a recent general knowledge paper:

"Syntax was a scale of charges for errors of conduct that was imposed on people in ancient times."

—Edinburgh Dispatch.

Ahem

Teacher: "When I was your age I could answer any question in arithmetic."

Tommy: "Yes, miss, but you had a different teacher."—Edinburgh Dispatch.

That Man's In Again

He: "Do I have to face all these bills?"

She: No, dear just foot them."

Keeping the Record Straight

"Let's see," said the chatty man, "your brother went abroad on a fellowship, didn't he?"

"No," was the reply. "It was a cattlehip!"—Pathfinder.

"The Cannibal Islands of Fiji"



By MASON WARNER

Suva, Viti Levu, Fiji Islands.—Captain Cook christened these "The Cannibal Islands of Fiji" because of the savagery of the natives and their practice of eating enemies who fell in battle. The Fijians are not of the pure Polynesian race and because of the mixture of Melanesian or negroid blood cannot be classed with the Hawaiians, Samoans, Tahitians, or the Maoris of New Zealand.

The Fijians succumb easily to the so-called "white man's diseases"—measles, scarlet fever, tuberculosis. In 1875, the king of the Fijis and his son visited Australia. The prince contracted the measles and returned to his island home before he recovered. A dreadful epidemic ensued, and 40,000 of the 160,000 inhabitants of the islands died from the scourge.

Fijian women dress in brilliant colors and adorn themselves with flowers. The white residents of the islands appear to like the natives, though the best friends of the Fijians admit they are indolent and unmoral. Their cheerfulness and honesty offset their shortcomings, it is said. The picture shows Fijian women in their picturesque native dress.

POTPOURRI

World Illiteracy

Half of the people of the world cannot read or write. Of those over ten years of age in the United States, one person out of sixteen cannot do so. In Denmark and Iceland there is no illiteracy. Brazil has 85 per cent, Egypt 91 per cent and India 92 per cent of its citizenry who cannot read or write.

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Horse Like Dog

SUNNYSIDE, WASH. — Kermit Lyons has a horse named Yolinda that will do more than 30 different tricks, including lying down, sitting and eating at a table, shaking hands, taking off her master's hat, walking a rail like a cat and standing on all four feet on a pedestal 10 inches square.

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