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School Report.

Following is the report of New Era school for the four months' term ending February 21st:

No. pupils enrolled, 41
No. pupils, 4
No. days' taught, 78.
No. holidays, 2.
Total, 80.

Whole number days' attendance, 2644.
Whole number days' absence, 2995.
Average number belonging, 38.
Average daily attendance, 34.
Visitors, 15.

Roll of honor for first month: Allie and Harry Anthony, Otto and Grover Friedrich, Laura Newbury, Agnes Raymond, Lottie and Ethel Reid, Frank and Henry Spulak, Katie Friedrich and Nettie Burgoyne.

Roll of honor for second month: Mabel Anthony, Frank, Grover and Katie Friedrich, Ellis Brown and Frank Spulak.

Roll of honor for third month: Olive, Frank, Otto, Grover and Katie Friedrich, Ruby Newbury, Frank Spulak and Cathleen Mulloy.

Roll of honor for fourth month: Frank and Katie Friedrich, Ruby Newbury, Ellis Brown and Nettie Burgoyne.

School Report.

Following is the report of Shubel school for the month ending Feb. 28:

Number pupils remaining enrolled, 43.
Numbers days' taught, 20.
Average daily attendance, 43.
Number cases of tardiness, 6.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy are Willie and Emma Bohlender, Lulu Bonke, Lottie Hornscho, Ellen and Benjie Moenke, Hazel, Raymond and Kelsa Glinther, Henry Massinger.

Those who were present every day and tardy once are Mary Massinger, Henrietta Wittrock, Nora and Irene Moenke, Edna and Herbert Wade.

Visitors present during the month were Misses Lula Traylor, Clara Beeson and Stephen Hutchinson. Visitors are always welcome.

ROBERT GINTHER, Teacher.

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SCHOOL OFFICERS MEET.

A Gratifying Large Attendance Last Saturday.

The school officers meeting held in the circuit court room last Saturday, was such a gratifying success, that State Superintendent Ackerman informed County Superintendent Zieser that he would request him to present a paper on the subject at the meeting of the state association to be held at Eugene in June. Mr. Ackerman said it was the best meeting of the kind ever held in the state, and he would make an effort to get an amendment to the school laws at the next session of the legislature, encouraging school officers' meetings.

Thirty-six Clackamas county school districts were represented at the gathering, in spite of the fact that a number of school officers were in attendance at the democratic central committee in the Weinhard building across the street, and it was generally a busy time with farm residents.

The forenoon session was devoted to the discussion of points in the school laws, and answering questions thereto. A portion of the afternoon session was taken up with the same questions. Many interesting points in school law problems were brought out, discussed and answered. One fact was forcibly brought out that school districts could only make binding contracts with teachers only during the life of their certificates. The oldest member of the board is always the chairman. O. T. Tooze, of Wilsonville, complained that he had furnished his district with some wood at first cost of cutting, as it could not be secured from any other source. The board refused to pay for the wood unless he would put the bill in some other person's name. He refused to do this, and never received any pay for his wood. (Mr. Tooze ought to live in a school district where it is no crime for a school officer to sell supplies to a district.)

Other matters of vital interest to school officers were discussed, Mr. Ackerman giving decisions on many points. The meeting was closed with a very instructive address on school sanitation by State School Superintendent Ackerman, explaining how schools already built could be properly ventilated.

The following school directors and clerks were in attendance:

Canemah No. 3, Mrs. Ellen M. Jones, clerk.

Beaver Creek No. 15, T. B. Thomas and Thomas Daniels, directors.

Mundorff No. 18, George Koehler, clerk.

Mackeburg No. 20, A. D. Gribble, director.

Linn's Mill No. 21, George Spees, clerk.

Wilsonville No. 23, Charles T. Tooze, director.

Maple Lane No. 27, F. W. Cramer, clerk.

Concord No. 28, H. A. Andrews, director.

Carus No. 29, Victor Erickson and Henry Hoanahub, directors.

Stone No. 30, G. T. Watts and J. J. Hattan, directors.

West Oregon City No. 34, T. J. Gary, clerk.

Stafford No. 41, William Schatz and J. Q. Jager, directors.

Mount Pleasant No. 43, Ward Lawton, clerk. C. P. Andrews and George Lazelle, directors.

Harmony No. 44, August Kanne, director.

Holcomb No. 51, L. D. Mumpower, clerk, and Dan Watts and F. F. Hattan, directors.

Jones Mill No. 61, Frank Yach, director.

Brown's No. 63, George Blanchard, clerk, and August Staehly, director.

Oregon City No. 62, Dr. W. E. Carll, director.

Clackamas No. 64, E. P. Dedman, clerk.

Damascus No. 88, M. W. Gardner, clerk, and John Dunlap, director.

Shubel No. 80, Wesley Hill, director.

Molino No. 84, C. E. Bowman and J. J. Mallatt, directors.

Hazeldale No. 90, A. Hayhurst, clerk, and J. F. Evans, director.

Mountain Road No. 97, John Kaiser, clerk, Charles Baker and Anton Ripinsky, directors.

Barlow No. 97, W. W. Jesse, clerk, and Henry T. Melvin, director.

Mount Scott No. 99, C. F. Zieser, director.

Falls View No. 101, Frank E. Miller, director.

Sherwood No. 100, A. P. Todd, clerk.

Riverside No. 54, F. A. Sleight, clerk.

There was also a number of teachers, school officers and others present, not included in the above list.

Mrs. Reed's Recital.

Mrs. Walter Reed, Portland's noted contralto, being engaged by the Berthie Club to give a song recital in this city Friday evening, March 14th, in Woodmen hall. Mrs. Reed enjoys the reputation of possessing the most beautiful contralto voice on the Pacific coast, and this recital promises to be especially pleasing. The proceeds will be divided with the Y. M. C. A. Tickets are for sale by members of the Association and Berthie Club, 50 cents; no reserved seats.

At Portland Theatres.

CORDRAY'S.

For the attraction at Cordray's next week the Jessie Shirley Company has been booked. This organization played Cordray's successfully last season, and appeared in a repertoire of plays. The company, still headed by the talented Miss Shirley, is better than ever, and the plays offered will be of high grade.

MARQUAM.

"The Pride of Jennico" will be presented Friday and Saturday nights, with a popular matinee Saturday, at the Marquam Grand Theatre.

Next Monday and Tuesday nights, Daniel Sully will present the New York and Boston success, "The Parish Priest," at the Marquam Grand Theatre. There is an abundance of humor in this pretty play, which can be styled a comedy. The pathos of the second act, however, makes it a comedy-drama, of unusual excellence.

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Cures hoarseness and bronchial troubles.
Cures pneumonia and la grippe.
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GRANGERS MEET.

And Hold Enthusiastic Convention Tuesday.

Although the rain poured down in torrents Tuesday, 13 out of the 14 granges in Clackamas county were represented by enthusiastic delegates at the county grange held in the county court room at the court house Tuesday afternoon. Molalla would have been represented as the 14th grange, but it had not yet received its charter for the new organization. The primary object of the convention was to elect delegates and alternates to attend the State Grange, which will be held in McMinnville in June. Other secondary matters received due consideration.

Mrs. Mary S. Howard, of Molino, was elected chairman of the convention, and Charles N. Wait, of Canby, secretary.

The following were elected delegates:
L. M. and Clara Davidson, Oswego; C. and Annie Spence, Carus; G. R. and Nora Miller, Highland; J. D. and E. V. Chitwood, Damasus. Alternates—William and Ann Fisher, Oswego; Wesley and Jose Hill, Shubel; C. N. and Mrs. Larkins, Clarkes; H. and E. Breithaupt, Damasus.

The committee on credentials, consisting of Messrs. Scott, Spence and Borland, reported the following entitled to seats in the convention:

Milwaukie No. 268—Maggie H. Johnson, A. Luelling, R. Scott. Alternates, Anna Holm, O. J. Roberts, John James. Tualatin No. 111—James A. Turner, Homer A. Kruse, Charles F. Wagner; alternates, J. L. Kruse, J. J. Gage, E. Ellingsen.

Highland No. 289—A. Nicholas, G. R. Miller, C. P. Tallman; alternates, Mrs. Miller, R. L. Ringo, Mrs. Nicholas.

Molalla No. 40—J. A. Davis, J. Krebs, Ida Groves; alternates, Mrs. Davis, M. S. Howard, P. Groves.

Clackamas No. 298—C. F. Street, R. B. Holcomb, James Rootes.

Warner No. 117—Charles N. Wait, George Lazelle, J. J. Ca to; alternates, F. A. Sleight, Mary A. Waldron, David McArthur.

Eagle Creek No. 297—H. G. Glover, August Gerhards, Henry Hoffmeister. Oswego No. 175—C. C. Borland, Ellen Ewing, Anna Fisher; alternates, Will Cook, Mrs. Workman, Mrs. Thompson.

Damasus No. 280—J. D. Chitwood, A. Newell, Mrs. J. D. Chitwood; alternates, C. Royer, Mrs. Breithaupt, Miss Breithaupt.

Harding No. 122—B. C. Hawley, Amos Leek, L. H. Kirchm; alternates, Helen Sprague, Cora Potter, Mahala Gill.

Maple Lane—G. F. Gibbs, L. W. Ingram, William Brayton.

Central No. 276—S. Hutchinson, Wesley Hill, C. E. Spence; alternates, T. H. Lindsey, Mrs. Hutchinson, Frank Shannon.

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"For Ways That Are Dark," Etc.

"Some years ago," says the advertising agent of a tobacco firm quoted by the Philadelphia Record, "I wished to introduce among the Chinese a two for five cigar that my people were heavily interested in, and I decided to draw up a little card extolling this cigar in Chinese characters.

"I sought out Lo Hen Wong in San Francisco, a very intelligent fellow, and got him to write me a few sentences in praise of my article. I had what he wrote lithographed and distributed the cards by thousands in all the Chinatowns of the United States. They were inscribed with a picture of the cigar, and below were the words: 'Smoke this cigar. It is the best on the market, and two for five is its price.'

"That, at least, is what I thought was the meaning of the Chinese characters. I found out, some six months later, my mistake. The words Lo Hen Wong had written and which I had had lithographed were: 'Don't smoke this cigar. It is not good. But the Gong company's cigarettes, for sale in every Chinatown at 3 cents a package, are excellent.'

"Lo Hen Wong had got \$10 from me for his work, and I don't know how much he got from the Gong company. We distributed many thousands of the cards before we got on to the trick that had been played on us."

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Moon and Mirror.

Some night when the moon is at its full and the air is free from haze go outdoors with a hand mirror and hold it so that the moon's image will fall on it. Make the experiment, preferably, when the moon is well up in the heavens.

Instead of seeing one image, as you will expect, you will see four.

One of these images will be very bright, but the other three will be dull, like unburnished silver.

They will be in a straight line, one of the dull images on one side of the bright image and two on the other side of it. Turn the mirror slowly around, and the images will appear to revolve around on a common center.

The explanation of this queer little phenomenon may be found in the fact that there are two surfaces in a mirror, one in front and the other in the back, where the quicksilver is.

The brightest of the images is from the moon itself. The others are what are known as secondary images, reflected from the front to the back of the mirror and thence to the eye.

A similar experiment may be made with the planets Venus, Jupiter and Mars or with any of the first magnitude stars, such as Sirius, Capella, Arcturus, Vega and Antares.

The planets and the stars, however, make only three images, the number of images depending on the breadth of the object. A perfectly clear night is essential.—New York Herald.

The Dear Old Frauds.

Those old, pleasant, innocent frauds of the circus are not practiced now—the imposing, five barred gates that, as the horse approached them, were sloped into insignificant wattles and the rings through which the signorina purported to leap, but which in reality were insinuated over her by compliant attendants. And then there was that venerable jockey performance, the culmination of which was a leap from the ring to a standing position, albeit at an angle of 30 degrees, on the horse's back. In the old circuses it was the custom of the horseman to miss the crowning jump two or three times in order that a fiercer flame of interest might be kindled in the audience. After two failures the band would stop (always the prelude of a moment of strain supreme), the horse's head would be loosed, he would be urged to a greater pace, and the feat would gloriously succeed. Then what a crash of brass and outburst of delight in the building, involving even the staff and ringmaster in the expression of ecstasy. Those old, simple days!—Cornhill.

Making It Clear.

To confuse a witness is generally an easy task, and lawyers know no easier way than to make a witness explain the meaning of his words, knowing that very few people can do so without getting excited. Occasionally a victim resents this nagging and answers in a spirited and unexpected manner. A lawyer was cross examining a young girl of rather haughty temper. She had testified that she had seen the defendant "shy" a book at the plaintiff, and the lawyer had seized on the word.

"Shy—shy a book? What do you mean by that? Will you explain to the court what the word 'shy' means?"

The girl leaned over the desk beneath the witness box, picked up a lawbook and threw it at the lawyer's head, who dodged just in time.

"I think the court now understands the meaning of the word 'shy,'" said the judge gravely, and the girl was allowed to finish her testimony without further interruption.—London Tit-Bits.

Inquisitive Penguins.

We often met companies of six or eight or more penguins promenade on the arctic ice pack in the sunshine. When they saw us, they generally exhibited curiosity and approached to get a nearer view. I do not know if these birds have the instinct of the naturalist and take a lively interest, doubtless philosophic from their point of view, in everything new which presents itself or if the object of their investigations is entirely practical, but they certainly came near us with a distinct purpose of making examination. But if we had the misfortune to excite much curiosity they became aggressive. One would first come close to us and reconnoiter, and then, on his order, the others would advance with a menacing air, and the battle began, a battle in which we sometimes had trouble to demonstrate effectively our superior strength.—Geographical Magazine.

The Black Maria.

The following is given as the origin of the term "Black Maria": When New England was filled with emigrants from the mother country, a negress named Maria Lee kept a sailors' boarding house in Boston. She was a woman of great strength and helped the authorities to keep the peace. Frequently the police invoked her aid, and the saying, "Send for Black Maria," came to mean, "Take him to jail." British seamen were often taken to the lockup by this amazon, and the stories they spread of her achievements led to the name of Black Maria being given to the English prison van.

No Squealing.

Some English travelers were recently in a restaurant in a German town when a woman who was serving imparted the interesting information that a pig was being killed round the corner. One of them remarked that it was curious that the pig did not squeal. The woman looked at them in surprise. "Aber," said she, "es ist polizeilich verboten"—it's forbidden by the police.

He Knew.

Susie—Papa, what makes a man always give a woman a diamond engagement ring?
Her Father—The woman.

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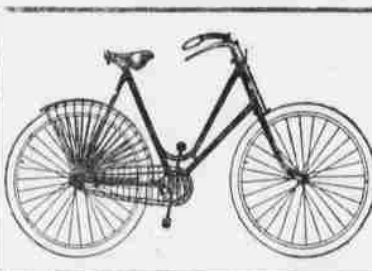
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