

#### Piremen's Election Notice.

4th day of March, 1901, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock

That the Fountain Hose Company's polling place. At said time and place the following officers of the Fire Department will be elected by the firemen in good standing of Oregon City:

One Chief Engineer, one Assistant Engineer and three members of Fire Counmissioners, all for the term of one year. The following persons to act as Judges and Clerk of said election have been appointed by the Board of Fire Commisaloners :

Judges J. H. Harrington, Ed Reckper; Clerk, J. E. Rhodes.

Published by order of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

G. B. DIMICK, President, BRUER C. CURRY, Mecretary. Oregon City, Oregon, Feb. 12, 1901.

#### Teachers Institute.

There will be a local teachers' insti tate at Milwaukie, Saturday, February 55, 1801, with the following program: "The Geography of North America," V. A. Davis.

"First Year's Work in Numbers"-Mrs. Mollie Hankins Straight.

'Discipline, Aims and Methods''-The Superintendent. "Clackamas County History"-Mrs.

Eva Emery Dye.

Other interesting numbers will be furnished by members of the Milwankie J. C. ZINSER.

T. J. GARY, FARRIE G. PORTER.

# City Property For Nale.

Pursuant to an order of the county judge, I shall sell a fractional part of lot 8, in block 22, Oregon City. The above is the property formerly owned by Luke Comer, deceased, and has a frontage of about 26% feet on Tenth street and a received by the undersigned until Thursday, Feb. 28, 1901.

E. G. CAUFIELD, Administrator.

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### Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the copartrership heretotore existing between Fred Will, Jr., and A. S. Thompson, doing business at Needy, Oregon, under the name and style of Will & Thompson, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Fred Will, Jr., retiring.

FRED WILL, JR. A. B. THOMPSON.

### NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will apply street, between Fourth and Fifth, Oregon

Dated Oregon City, February 16, 1901. EDWARD BYRNES.

### LOST.

A Lewellen setter dog. All white except yellow spots about head and care. Disappeared Monday, Feb. 11, 1901 Will answer to the name of "Carlo." Has no collar. Finder notify C. Schuebel and receive reward.

### Notice to Dog Owners.

Notice is hereby given that dog licenses for the current year are now due and must be paid at the office of the city treasurer at once.

LINN E. JONES, Treasurer. Feb. 22, 1901.



## WASTED ELOQUENCE.

A LOT OF JERICHO ORATORY THAT COUNTED FOR NAUGHT.

Pap Perkins, the Postmaster, Tells Why the Discussion Over Ornsmenting the Top of the Town Hall Tower Was Abruptly Ended.

[Copyright, 1996, by C. B. Lewis.] Jericho has bin buildin a town hall fir the last six years. It was to hev s tower in the middle, and there has his a good deal of discussion as to what should finish off that tower. Some stuck fur a gilt ball, some fur a rooster, some fur crossbars with the p'ints of the compass on 'em. The town board wanted to please the majerity, and a meetin was called one night last week to settle what the thing should be. Nobody realized how intense the feelin was till the meetin opened. Squar' Joslyn beaded the gilt ball party, and he got up and spoke fur 15 minits without stoppin to wipe the sweat off the back of his neck. JOTICE is hereby given that there He started in 250 years B. C. and come will be a firemen's election held in slippin down to now like soft soap Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the glidin down the cellar stairs. He contended that a gilt ball on the top of a tower had allus bin considered an emblem of innocence. It would be the fust thing a stranger would look fur when enterin the town of Jericho. If hours, on Main street, between Seventh he saw that glit ball, he'd put up at and Eighth, has been designated as the the tavern and feel safe and go away



THE ROOSTER WAS AN EMPLEM OF GRIT AND INDEPENDENCE.

speakin well of the town. If he didn't, he'd set the folks down as victous and desperate and drive on to Tarrytown or Dobbs Ferry. The squar' wanted that ball as big as a pumpkin, and he wanted real gold leaf for gildin, and he closed his speech with an appeal to the people to continue to be innocent and happy. Deacon Spooner was chairman of the meetin, as usual, and when the squar' sot down the deacon said he'd made a p'int. Enos Williams was then called upon. He headed the faction who wanted a rooster. Enos didn't go as fur back as the squar'. He has asthma and is short of breath, and so he started out with Columbus to diskiver America. He had bin readin up on roosters. He couldn't find that roosters was an emblem of innocence, but be didn't want no innocence on a courthouse tower. The stranger would find depth of 13% feet. Bids for same will be innocence then he come to play checkers or trade bosses with a Jericholan. The rooster was an emblem of grit and independence. He was a bird who went to bed at sundown, got up before sunrise and was hustlin around all day. A rooster on top of that tower would signify that Jericho could take care of berself and didn't bow down to any other town in the state. He was out of breath and had busted a suspender when he sot down, and Deacon Spooner rapped with a cane and said:

"Enos has not only made a speech equal to anything Henry Clay ever got off, but he's made a thunderin big p'int in favor of the roosterites. I was ag'in the rooster when I come here, but I've almost changed my mind. Let us hear from Silas Bebee."

Silas was one who wanted the p'ints of the compass put up. He was born in Jericho when the town had but three houses and had been turned around fur 50 years. The only way he could tell north from south or east from west was to make a black spot on Uncle Jim Green's barn door, and he never went to the back end of his own cornfield without gittin lost and bevin to whistle to his wife. His speech was up to date. He didn't go back over six months. He said that what had allus niled Jericho and what would allus keep her down was the want of knowin the compass p'ints. He wasn't the only one who was turned around. Haif the folks in town couldn't go buckleberryin without gittin lost and wanderto the city council at its regular meeting in March, 1901, for a license to sell spiritunus liquors, at my place of business, Main
was confused, and every time there was confused, and every time there was a lawsuit most of the witnesses said west fur east. Arf emblem of innocence would be all right, and a rooster would be a thing of beauty, but both would be beaten by compass p'ints.

"Silas has made a purty good speech and a purty good p'int," says the deacon, "and I'm sorter lettin go of the rooster and leanin to his side. Though I've lived in Jericho fur 22 years, 1 can't make out yit whether my pigpen is on the north or west side of the house. I'm understandin that Elisha Taylor has sunthin to spring on this meetin, and we are ready to hear it."

Elisha was ready. He had bin watchin the growth of the town ball fur six long years, and he had had his eye on the tower day and night. He had look ed at it from the street and from the roof of his barn. He had looked at it at noonday and squinted at it at midnight and had come to one unalterable conclusion-he wanted the figger of a gilt angel to finish off that tower, and he wanted that angel to be p'intin upvards, same as on a gravestone he saw

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because they couldn't git a glass of beer or find anybody to take a hand at children, and the sight of her would calm the feelin's of a man about to

lick his wife. There was a howl of derision as Elisha sot down, and the deacon said that po p'int had bin made. He was a deacon of the church and a good man, but he'd never consent to h'ist a gilt angel on top of the town hall. She might p'int upwards or downwards or any other way, but angels didn't belong on towers. He called upon Beverly Jones fur his views, and Beverly jumped up and declared himself in favor of the

American eagle. If a rooster signified grit and independence, an eagle signified all that and a dozen things more. An eagle stood fur liberty, freedom and equal rights. It was the emblem of a glorious republic. Its wings sheltered the helpless as well as the strong, and its soft coon lulled the infant to sleen. while its scream sent the father to the field of battle to fight fur the grandest principles of mankind. It was a rattlin speech, full of redhot patriotism, and Deacon Spooner said that Daniel Webster never approached it in his palmiest days. It didn't affect the other factions, however. They stuck out fur the gilt ball, the rooster, the compass p'ints and the angel, and each one de-

clared he'd fight to the bitter end. As a compromise, Jim Shorely, who didn't care what they put up, moved fur a gilt goat, and Abraham Scott, who was goin to move away and had lost all interest, moved fur a monkey. but they was hooted down and everybody began to jam his elbows around and call everybody else a bog. There was every sign that the meetin would break up in a free fight, when there comes a flash and an awful clap of thunder, and at the same time Lish Billings walked in to git out of the storm. Deacon Spooner appealed to him to save the honor of Jericho by bringin about harmony, and Lish looked around and replied;

"As I understand it, this crowd is divided as to what shall ornament the top of the city hall tower?"

"That's it!" yells everybody. "And you've bin jawin and speecht settlin on anything? Waal, I don't see 50c. no use of any more bein said."

"But what's your idea. Lish?" asks the deacon. "My idea is that that fust thunderbolt knocked your blamed old tower into a Continental cocked hat, and that you kin save your breath to pick up the

slivers fur kindlin wood." And the crowd rushed out and found that Lish was k'rect. M. QUAD.

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