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TOLD IN SIDEHEADS.

SUIT ON A STATED ACCOUNT.—The Bagby Lumber Company, by its attorneys, Hedges & Griffith, of this city, has brought an action for money set against L. E. Graser to recover \$448.86, alleged to be the amount of a stated account rendered October 30th last. Interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum is asked since last October. Property of the defendant has been attached.

CONVICTION OF SENATOR BURTON.—United States Senator Burton, of Kansas, has been convicted on five counts in an indictment charging him with accepting a bribe of \$2500. The motion of the defendant for a new trial was made at the close of the case but its argument is pending. The maximum penalty for the offense is a fine of \$10,000 and disqualification from holding any public office.

IS NOW AN M. D.—The thirty-seventh annual commencement exercises of the medical department of Willamette University were held at Salem, Wednesday evening, March 30th. Among the members of the class, which numbered ten, was Leon G. Holland, formerly of Oregon City. Leon's many friends here will be pleased to learn that he has completed the course of study and received graduation honors. They entertain for him best wishes for success in his chosen life work.

MORE DIVORCES GRANTED.—Circuit Judge McBride convened the Clackamas county circuit court in adjourned session last Saturday and granted four divorces as follows: A. W. Melton vs. Jeannette Melton; Thekla Schneider vs. Robert F. Schneider; Helen S. Garner vs. C. J. Garner; Lydia J. Schoonover vs. Bert J. Schoonover. In the action of damage suit of Clas. Goetjen against Drs. W. E. Carll and C. A. Stuart, of this city, an order was made allowing Hedges & Griffith to withdraw from the case as attorneys for the defendant Stuart.

THE CORRECT DATES.—In the advertisement that appeared in the Enterprise the last two weeks the date for holding the Clackamas county Republican convention was incorrectly printed. The primaries will be held tomorrow, Saturday, April 2, and the county convention will be held in this city next Wednesday, April 6. Attention is called to this mistake in dates to correct any misunderstanding or confusion that might result. Remember the primaries will be held tomorrow and the convention follows next Wednesday.

COLTON SCHOOL CLOSED.—Miss Elvora Ginter closed her school last Friday evening with an appropriate entertainment that was held at the hall at Colton. Included in the entertainment was a talk by Howard M. Brownell, of this city. Afterwards, Mr. Gorbet, as auctioneer, sold a number of baskets, the sales aggregating \$18.65. Dancing followed, and this feature of the evening's programme continued until a late hour. Miss Ginter's school numbered forty pupils and the term that just closed was one of the most successful in the history of the school.

WANTED SOME FIRE WATER.—Some sneak thief last Friday morning stole a ten-gallon cask of whisky from the store-room of Hawk & Jones' drug store. The liquor was subsequently located under the approach to the suspension bridge and behind a pile of cord wood, where the pilferer had deposited his find until a more convenient time to dispose of it. This firm has on numerous occasions lost boxes of different kinds of drugs but heretofore has not been as successful in getting the stolen property returned. The members of the firm will in the future keep a sharper look-out on their goods.

WERE QUIETLY MARRIED.—Miss Grace E. Tower and Mr. Geo. S. Case, both of this city, were quietly married in this city last Thursday evening. Rev. Frank H. Mixsell, of the First Presbyterian church officiating. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tower and was attended by only a few of the intimate friends of the young couple. Both of these young people are popular among a wide circle of acquaintances in this city and have the best wishes for much happiness. Mr. Case is employed by I. F. Powers & Co., of Portland, where the young married couple will reside.

READ THE ARGONAUT.—The notable features of the Argonaut for March 28th will be "The Women of the Pit," a description by Geraldine Bonner of the queer types of femininity that have been made characters in the play of that name; "A Tragedy in Tatters," one of the best stories that Marguerite Stabler has written for the Argonaut; "Queer Things About Corea," being extracts Angus Hamilton's interesting book about that country; a London letter on Em-

bassador Dorand's opinions of Americans ten years ago; and a criticism of Mrs. Fiske's "Mary of Magdala" at the Grand Opera House.

ENTERTAINERS ENTERTAIN.—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First Presbyterian church gave a social at Shively's opera house last Friday evening. Refreshments were served after a programme consisting of the following numbers: Selection, Cooke's Orchestra; Pantomime, "Fishing"; Selection, Cooke's Orchestra; reading, Prof. W. Gilbert Beattie; solo, Miss Grace M. Marshall; dialogue with-out words, Miss Alvina Horn and George Talbot; reading in pantomime, "Her Tailor made Gown," Miss Janie Luelling; Mrs. A. Matheson and Mrs. E. L. Scott; reading, Mrs. E. L. Scott; selection, Cooke's Orchestra; violin solo, George Anderson; Pantomime, "The Cannibal and the Skeleton."

MRS. FROST ENTERTAINS.—Saturday evening Mrs. Frost gave a delightful party to her many friends at her home in Canemah. The house was artistically decorated for the occasion. The feature of the evening was progressive whist, the first prize being won by Mame Long, the booty prize by Bertha Long. Refreshments were served and after a late hour the guests departed for their homes. Those present were: Mr and Mrs G. C. Fields, Archie and Elton Long, Miss Ada Bedwell, Mrs. J. Bingman, Miss Grace Smith, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Jeffers, Mr. and Mrs. Win Midlam, G. L. Hedges, W. A. Hedges, Mrs. Bolton, Mrs. Clara Fields, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Ed Taylor, Gilbert Long and Ernest Hatch.

NEW MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENT.—The Zaug Lumber & Manufacturing Company, of Paoia, Colorado, has decided to establish a branch of its business in this city, says the Telegram correspondent from Oregon City. The concern will manufacture step-ladders, fruit boxes, presses and fruit-working supplies. Charles Zaug, president of the company, was in the city Saturday, completing the arrangements, and expects to have the Oregon City factory in working order in a few weeks. He is greatly pleased with the outlook here. In Paoia, Colo., he says, lumber used in manufacturing the fruit boxes, etc., costs \$50 per 1000 feet. Here it can be bought for about one-third of that amount, which means a great saving.

BAIFFES HAVE TROUBLE.—Water Bailiffs Smith and Jones, of this section, find it necessary to be unusually vigilant this season if illegal salmon fishing in the Willamette and Clackamas rivers is to be prevented. Almost nightly they discover persons engaged at fishing although the season does not open until April 15th. Monday night they gave chase to some fishermen who were caught in the act on the Clackamas river but they failed to land their men. One morning this week the bailiffs captured a net that had been placed in the Willamette river just below the falls and within the city limits. They carried the net down town where they deposited it near the office of the deputy prosecuting attorney while they proceeded to make out a formal complaint against the unknown law-breakers. When they returned fifteen minutes later, the net had been appropriated and the vigilant bailiffs are without their convincing evidence of illegal fishing.

WILL ADVERTISE THE COUNTY.—There is a perceptible influx of immigrants to Clackamas county. Increased sales of realty and the rapid settlement of the county are evidences of the fact. While Clackamas county's share of the increased taxes resulting from the appropriation towards the Lewis & Clark Exposition will amount to \$25,000 there has been taken no methodical steps to derive any benefit from the holding of the fair. The local board of trade is getting on a working basis and will soon be prepared to give the county the advertising necessary to bring more people here. Harvey E. Cross, a local real estate dealer, has associated himself with Captain Jas. P. Shaw, of Hood River, and will establish in Portland at once an information bureau in the interest of Oregon City and Clackamas county. This bureau, while not connected with the local board of trade, will prove a useful agency for introducing new comers to this section of the Willamette valley.

ROBBED THE MAIL BOXES.—Postal Inspector C. Riches, of Portland, was in the city a few days ago, and with Postmaster Randall apprehended the lads who have been robbing boxes at the Oregon City office of their contents. Clifford King, aged 14 years, admitted having stolen mail from the boxes of both Howell & Jones and Fish Commissioner Wallick. Inspector Riches will report the result of his investigations to the United States District Attorney, who will direct the punishment of the lads. Complaints have been made for about two weeks that mail was being taken from the boxes, and a trap was set for the young thief. The boxes at the Oregon City office are opened by a combination attachment, and King easily learned the key by watching the boxes opened. Associated with him were three other young lads, but King was the only one who molested the mail boxes. Nothing of any great value was taken in the two weeks of the operations of the young culprits, who either destroyed or deposited their stolen literature in the river.

CANNOT TOUCH THEIR WAGES.—Among five opinions handed down by the supreme court Monday was one in which the court upholds the judgment of G. H. Burnett, of the circuit court for this county, and holds in effect and substance that the state is not subject to garnishment without its consent. In other words, the state cannot be made a garnishee, nor can the auditor (secretary of state) or treasurer be made parties in the place of the state to obtain a warrant and money from the treasurer. This opinion was rendered in the case of R. G. Keene, appellant, vs. Z. T. Smith, defendant, and F. I. Dunbar, as secretary of state, garnishee, respondent, in which the plaintiff, under an act passed by the last legislature repealing that section of the code under which state and county officials could not be garnisheed for funds in their hands belonging to an employe of the state or county, sought to collect an alleged debt from the defendant by reason of his being an employe of the state. Judge Burnett, of the trial court, held that the secretary of state could not be garnisheed for money in his possession belonging to such a defendant, and this judgment is upheld by the supreme court.

A BASHFUL LOVER.—A young man not 1000 miles from here called to spend the evening with a Klickitat girl the other night. A rain storm came up and the girl's father asked him to remain over night. He was a bashful young man and the next morning when he was invited to a seat at the table he very reluctantly accepted. He sat opposite the mirror and discovered that he had forgotten to comb his hair. Then he dropped his fork on the floor and as he stooped to pick it up he upset the coffee and the gravy dish on his lap. Matters went from bad to worse until the young man quit eating and put his hands under the table. The loose end of the table cloth was lying in his lap and when he touched it he turned pale. He thought it was his shirt and in his nervous excitement while dressing he had forgotten to put the garment inside of his trousers. Two minutes later when the family arose from the table there was a crash. The dishes lay in a broken mass on the floor. The young man pulled three feet of the table cloth out of his pants and fled through the door into the forest, and no doubt he is still running. The girl is now looking for a less bashful lover.—Goldendale Sentinel.

TEACHERS MEET AT NEW ERA.

Clackamas County Educators Discuss Interesting Topics.

The Clackamas county Teachers' Association met at New Era Saturday, March 19.

The meeting was called to order by President J. C. Zinser. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The following teachers were elected to membership: S. T. Adams, Miss Gertrude Imus, Miss Fannie G. Yoder, Miss Wilma Blair and Miss Clara M. Walker. S. T. Adams, of Elliott Prairie, presented the subject of *Arithmetical Devices* in a very interesting manner. He said that in the study of arithmetic "What some seem to grasp with amazing celerity, others seem to regard as unattainable heights. I often go out of my way to commend, say praise pupils who have the honesty and courage to say (and it requires courage too) 'I do not understand.'"

In speaking of the multiplication table he said, "If you have not tried it for yourselves, teachers, you will, I affirm, be almost dumfounded to find how many pupils there be of, say from twelve to sixteen years who are at sea on this table."

Mr. Adams explained to the teachers in a very instructive manner the dollars, dimes and cents method of teaching subtraction, he remarked that he should discourage the use of the word borrow substituting take in its stead and that he often uses a watch as timing pupils stimulates to quicker work.

In the discussion which followed Prof. Zinser remarked that work honestly and well done in the primary grades is essential to success in the grades following. Prof. Zinser then brought up the subject of membership to the State Teachers' Association and asked that those who wish to attend join at once as it is desired that this association may secure the largest enrollment.

A banner will be presented to the county, other than Multnomah, which can show the largest per cent of membership. The meeting adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p. m. Pres. J. C. Zinser in the chair. The chair appointed the following committee to prepare resolutions: Fred Meindl, Addie E. Clark and Kate Casto.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hayward, of Oak Grove, read a very interesting paper on "Patriotism in the Schools." The speaker said "Patriotism is the living of a useful, upright life, of having the ability to be great in small things. The true patriot stands for what in his own conscience he believes to be right. He scorns whatever is mean and contemptible and in as far above the demagogue who for self aggrandizement would prostitute his own as well as his country's honor, as virtue is above vice."

Then followed a very able address on "History in Primary Department," by Mrs. Munnie G. Stauffer, of Mt. Pleasant. She said in part, "History is a record of what man has done; it treats of the rise and development of nations. The teacher must have her heart in her subject and do her utmost to create enthusiasm in the children. Study the great men. Become acquainted with them. Tell your story when you are full of your subject. History appeals to the emotions and one can influence the lives of children most in the study of history. It trains the children to see good qualities in others."

L. A. Read, of Milwaukie, presented the subject of History in the Intermediate Division. Mr. Read spoke of the necessity of thorough preparation and said that teachers should begin with something which will appeal to the child. In the use of maps the speaker said that the maps should represent one central idea.

Howard Eccles, of Canby, spoke on History in the Advanced Division. He told of the early history of our country. Professor Zinser said incidentally that the leading thought in history is evolution. That carefully selected stories of patriotism containing the leading ideas create interest and advance knowledge in the study.

The committee on resolutions presented the following which were passed: Whereas: The Teachers' Association of Clackamas county held its regular session at New Era, March 19, 1904, by special invitation of the teacher and patrons of New Era school, and Whereas: They have been so sumptuously entertained by the said teacher and patrons, therefore, Be it resolved that a vote of thanks be extended them for their hospitality, to Warner Grange for their kind permission for the use of their hall, to Miss Bradford for the interesting program rendered and to the committee for their excellent program.

KATE CASTO, ADDIE CLARK, FRED J. MEINDL. On motion the association adjourned to meet at the call of the superintendent. EVA S. MELDRUM, Secretary, Pro tem.

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Favors the R. F. D.

PRINCE ALBERT, Canada, March 16, 1904.—Editor Enterprise: Thinking a short item about the importance of the R. F. D. mail service to the country people would awaken more interest in that excellent system of mail delivery, I trust you will give this item space in your publication.

After many years of labor trying to induce the government to establish R. F. D. routes a few were started, we all know the results, but not without persistent work for there was opposition and is yet; but thanks to the vast majority that are in favor of advancement for they are the ones who have made our nation what it is today.

That there is such a lack of interest in the maintenance of these routes after established is deplorable, for it lays with the people and them alone if they wish to make the service efficient.

That there is a locality in Clackamas county where they are favored with two routes passing their residences for a distance of four miles and then allow the roads to become in so bad a state that it is impossible for the carriers to make the trip in the specified time and using up their outfits, it appears to the writer that the patrons do not properly appreciate the service and more so are not entitled to its benefits. To allow the route to be blockaded so the carrier is compelled to traverse another road with steep hills and double back over the original route is sufficient evidence that the people are asleep and may wake up some day to find they can get their mail the old way: will give them a chance to gather around the village store and swap yarns; but when changing back to the stationary post-office, with several miles to travel to get war news every day, there will be a mighty howl.

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It seems what is every persons interest is no ones business and I surmise that is the reason the Clackamas river road is allowed to stay blockaded for so long a time.

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