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VOTERS LINE UP FOR CANDIDATES

MAYORALTY CAMPAIGN BETWEEN BROWNELL AND COOKE GROWS INTERESTING.

TWO CONTESTS AMONG COUNCILMEN

Holman and Stevens Are Out in Ward One, While William G. Hall Seeks To Succeed Betzel in Ward Three.

Interest is becoming intense over the approaching municipal election, which will be held Monday, December 5. The two candidates for mayor, George C. Brownell and John J. Cooke, are both confident of election. It is reported that Mr. Brownell will receive the vote of the temperance people, as Mr. Cooke is said to have alienated that factor by introducing a speaker at one of the Home Rule meetings in the Shively Theatre during the recent Prohibition campaign. Mr. Cooke is making a canvas upon his record as councilman, arguing that his experience in city affairs makes him the best timber for the mayor's chair. The vote of the paper mill employees will be an important factor to be reckoned with in the contest.

Mortimer D. Latourrette for treasurer, F. C. Burk for councilman in the second ward for the three year term, and Bert Roake for councilman in the second ward for the two year term, will have no opposition. In ward one Roswell L. Holman and H. C. Stevens are the opposing candidates. In the third ward Frank Betzel is seeking reelection and he is opposed by William G. Hall, who has been endorsed by the Mountain View Improvement Club. Mr. Hall is a well known business man of the hill section of the city.

All of the candidates for the various municipal offices have filed their petitions. The time for filing petitions expired at noon Wednesday. The first meeting of the campaign was held Saturday night, when George C. Brownell delivered an address on city affairs and municipal problems before the Mountain View Improvement Club at 7:45 o'clock. Mr. Brownell is always an interesting speaker and his talk was full of vigorous utterances on the conduct of a city government.

SHEAHAN IN RACE FOR CITY COUNCIL

CONSENTS TO BE A CANDIDATE AFTER DECLARING HE WOULD NOT SEEK REELECTION.

MISREPRESENTATION IS ALLEGED

F. C. Burk Said To Have Been Treated Unfairly and Refuses To Be Moved Over To Two-Year Term.

An eleventh hour candidate for councilman in the second ward for the three-year term appeared suddenly and without warning Wednesday in the person of Edward Sheahan, who has all along declared that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for reelection. It is evident that some of Mr. Sheahan's well-meaning friends worked upon his feelings at a late hour to the extent of inducing him to get into the race in opposition to F. C. Burk, who has been an open and avowed aspirant for several weeks, and who had reason to believe that he had the field all to himself.

The time for filing petitions for municipal offices expired at noon Wednesday and at the last minute Mr. Sheahan's petition was placed in the hands of City Recorder Dimick and it was then that Mr. Burk realized, for the first time, that the political waters in his ward were troubled.

An effort was made Wednesday to induce Mr. Burk to leave the field to Mr. Sheahan and to flop over into the arena for the two-year term, against Bert Roake, who has no opposition. Mr. Burk, however, declined to be moved about like a pawn on a chess board and is going to "stay put." V. Harris, a grocer on Main and Eighth streets, was approached with Mr. Sheahan's petition, and it was represented that there was no opposition and that Mr. Burk was a candidate for the two-year term. Mr. Harris is indignant at the misrepresentation.

It is considered likely that Mr. Sheahan could have been elected to succeed himself had he come into the race early in the campaign. But he refused to be a candidate, stating he believed one term was enough for him and that some other property owner should take up the burden of assisting in the conduct of city affairs. Mr. Burk entered the field with the assurance that Mr. Sheahan would not become a candidate, and he does not feel that he has been treated fairly.

Robinson May Be Rector.

Rev. Charles Robinson, of Philadelphia, may be called as rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, to succeed Rev. T. F. Bowen, who resigned last summer to go to a Sellwood church. Mr. Robinson is a brother of the Bishop of Nevada, and it is said he would like to come West. He is 39 years of age and is unmarried.

MEETING WILL LEVY SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX

SCHOOL BOARD IS MAKING UP 1911 BUDGET AS BASIS FOR THE LEVY.

For the purpose of levying a special tax on the property of Oregon City for school purposes, a meeting of the taxpayers has been called for Friday evening, December 9, at the courthouse. In the meantime the board of city school directors will make up the budget for next year, and this will be used as a basis for the special levy. Under the new law the county assessor is not permitted to assess all of the property in Clackamas County, the valuation of the railroads, telephone and telegraph lines being determined by the State Tax Commission for the entire state. The State Tax Commission has not yet reported, and the various school districts will be compelled to use last year's valuations as a basis on which to make their special levies. All special school meetings must be held prior to December 10 as the school clerks are required to report the amount of the levies to the county clerk and the county school superintendent on or before that date.

ELECT DIRECTORS FOR CHAUTAUQUA

THIRTEEN MEMBERS CHOSEN THIS YEAR INSTEAD OF TWELVE AS HERETOFORE.

A BALANCE OF \$596.72 IN TREASURY

Plans Already Being Made for 1911 Session, and a Majority of the Talent Has Been Engaged Already.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Assembly Tuesday the following directors were elected to serve for the ensuing year: H. E. Cross, J. E. Hedrick, O. D. Eby, George A. Harding, Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, C. B. Moore, J. H. Ackerman, C. Schuebel, John W. Loder, A. F. Parker, C. H. Dye, Dr. George Hoyle, W. A. Huntley. The directorate was increased from 12 to 13, and all of the former directors were elected, with the addition of W. A. Huntley. The annual reports of the secretary and treasury and the auditing committee were presented and show a balance of cash on hand of \$596.72, after paying a note of \$216.50. The surplus will be expended in the improvement of the sanitary conditions on the Chautauqua grounds. Most of the talent for next year's session has already been engaged. The musical programme embraces the Apollo Concert Company of Chicago for four days, and the Williams Jubilee Singers of Chicago for two days. Mr. Governor Hanley of Indiana, and DeWitt Miller, are each scheduled for two lectures and many other attractive features will be offered at Gladstone Park in July, 1911.

BROTHERHOOD MEETING.

Big Plans Being Made For The Next Monthly Supper.

A well attended business meeting of the Congregational Brotherhood was held last Wednesday night at the home of President E. T. Avison on Fourteenth and Center streets Wednesday night at which many matters of importance were attended to. Among the business of the evening, the matter of organizing "Live Wires" to promote the social advancement of the Brotherhood was discussed, and action will likely be taken along this line. The matter of increasing the monthly dues of the organization was discussed, but this was voted down.

MINSTREL SHOW SOON.

Woodmen Will Use Burnt Cork, Sing Songs and Spring Gags.

Great preparations are being made by the Woodmen of the World for their minstrel show, which will be given by local talent at Shively's Theatre on December 9. Several splendid singers will appear in the olio, while in each of the jokes, a laugh or two can easily be found. J. F. Jones of Portland, has been engaged to direct the show, and he is working wonders with the amateur joy bringers. Mr. Jones has had a great deal of experience in directing minstrel productions. He has been in charge of the last two shows given by the Spanish-American War Veterans, and of those given by the Woodmen of the World.

LARGE TURNOUT AT APPLE SHOW

CLACKAMAS COUNTY BEING ADVERTISED BY HOSTS OF LIVE BOOSTERS.

LIVE WIRES LARGELY RESPONSIBLE

Badges, With a Catchy Wording, Are Being Worn, and Much Literature is Being Given to Prospective Settlers.

That Clackamas county will be well advertised at the State Horticultural Society's Apple Show in Portland is shown by the large number of local people who are attending. A tag, bearing the legend, "I'm from Oregon City in Clackamas county, where Big Red Apples Grow. Ask about them," is furnished every visitor from this city, and a large delegation is present each day. Secretary M. J. Lazelle of the Publicity Department of the Oregon City Commercial Club, is present at the show at all times, distributing descriptive literature among the visitors.

While no county exhibit is being made by Clackamas county, S. R. Copan of Clackamas Heights and A. C. Newell of Damascus, have fine displays of apples, which have been grouped together in one booth. A separate exhibit is being made by the Mount Hood Land Company, in which is shown the products of Sandy, Firwood, Dover and other communities in that section.

STEWARTS GOES TO ASYLUM.

Woodfin's Assaultant Found to be Badly Demented.

Frank Stewart, the laborer, who a short time ago ran amuck and with a revolver chased Abbie Woodfin two blocks down Main street, shooting him in the back of the neck and through one ear, was taken to Salem yesterday to the state insane asylum. The man was plainly demented at the time he appeared for preliminary examination, and for that reason the case was continued by Justice of the Peace W. W. H. Sampson until the man's condition should become better or worse. Yesterday he was examined for his sanity before Judge Dimick, and his mind was found to be sadly unbalanced.

IRVING BOYLAN DIES.

Logging Train Inflicts Fatal Injuries

Irving Boylan, at one time a resident of Oregon City, was run over by a logging train at Kelso, Wash., Saturday, and as a result of his injuries, he died Sunday at a Portland hospital. The young man was engineer of the train, and the train in passing over him, severed both his legs.

Just Watch Freddie's Wings Sprout

Toy-Bedecked Shop Windows Work a Great Improvement in Youngsters, As Thoughts of "Krisimus" Arise.

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Tom, Tom, the piper's son,
Thought to steal another one,
But when with bacon 4 cents,
He thought upon the consequence,
And what he probably would get
In case he landed in the net.
The lawyers he would have to hire
To save him from the butcher's ire,
The money Cudahy would spend
To push it to the bitter end.
The merciless concern of Swift
To see he was not set adrift,
The sum that Armour, if he died,
Would offer for him live or dead,
And how the unforgiving lust
For vengeance would move the trust
To make example of him lest
Some other piper's son protest
Against pork chops at thirty flat,
And pickled pig's feet selling at
Six-bits a dozen, close a bit,
And sausage even close to it—
When Tom considered it in brief,
And also how much more a thief
He would be this time than before,
He wisely passed the butcher's door,
Rejoiced that self had stood the test,
And went on hoping for the best.

Of criticizing the national faults in some amusing way, set on his famous search for an honest man. The Persians one time resorted to arms in an effort to get their presents back, but they were badly defeated at the battle of Marathon, and no serious attempt to get presents back has ever been made from that time to this.

December is from the Latin decem, meaning ten. It was originally the tenth month of the year, but owing to the widespread unpreparedness for Christmas it has been shoved along from time to time, until it occurs now as far back as we have been able to get it. Caesar, who was in the habit of making each of his soldiers some kind of a present, even suggested pushing it further along still and having about fifteen months in the year, but the Roman merchants protested that it was impossible to sell holiday goods except in very cold weather, and Brutus, Cassius and several other Roman business men finally stabbed him.

On the 21st of December the sun will cross the Tropic of Capricorn, which will give the trusts the ball on our five-year line, one down to go. They will go over on the next play, and Mr. Rockefeller, who is playing greenback for the trusts this year, will kick goal. The feature of Christmas will be that Mr. Roosevelt won't have any. He isn't taking any chances of Santa Claus even handing him anything else this year. Our Mr. Morgan will revert To hang up his spacious shirt, And tying up the tail to pot Whatever Santa Claus has got. O woe is us! How tough it is To hang our stockings under his! But faith is hope and hope is trust, And some fine day the tail will bust.

As many things have bust before, and bing! on the parlor floor will go the Christmas odds and ends with which his catch-em-all distends. The costly presents and the rare, and while we all grab here and there for each his share of it the mirth of Santa Claus will ferry peals which rouse the dead will wake the echoes overhead, and laughter flavored with reproof never meant we should pervert the day with hanging up a shirt, nor ever thought, by any chance, of filling Rockefeller's pants.

HELVEY CASE GOES OVER TILL THE 12TH

J. E. KELLY GIVEN TWO YEARS FOR GETTING MONEY ON BOGUS CHECKS.

J. E. Kelly, who was Friday convicted upon a charge of passing bogus checks, was sentenced Saturday to serve two years in the state penitentiary by Circuit Judge Campbell. The case of the State vs. August Erickson, charged with selling liquor illegally, was postponed until December 22, as the State did not have all of its witnesses ready, and the motion for a new trial in the case of the State vs. Curtis Helvey, who was convicted of murder in the second degree on a charge of killing George Smith, went over until December 12.

Chicken Thieves Abroad.

Charles R. Reynolds, who resides near Maple Lane, had 16 fine chickens stolen from his chicken house last week, and so far there is no clue to the thieves. It is probable that those stealing them disposed of them to the markets previous to Thanksgiving.

FOSTER IS GUILTY ON TWO CHARGES

FIRST ESTACADA RAID CASE IS TRIED BEFORE LOCAL JUSTICE COURT.

COURTROOM CROWDED WITH VISITORS

Mayor, Marshall, Sheriff and Detectives Tell of the Raid, and of Finding Bottles of Beer in the Establishment.

The trial of the five parties arrested for selling liquor, gambling, etc., as a result of the raid by Sheriff Beattie, his deputies and two detectives on several of the Estacada soft drink joints was held Tuesday before Justice Samson, when J. M. Foster was convicted on two charges of selling liquor on Sundays. The little courtroom was crowded to its full capacity, so great was the interest being taken in the cases.

As to the details of the Thanksgiving raid, marshal J. E. Pelton, chief watchman Walter Woodard, Sheriff Beattie and Mayor Reed were called to testify, and they told of finding eleven barrels of beer in the Foster establishment. Sheriff Beattie also testified that he made the raid at the instigation of the district attorney. He admitted that his party had no search warrant.

Detectives White and Lindsey, who furnished the evidence causing the raid, told of conditions existing at Foster's, and of the ease with which they were able to purchase beer and whiskey.

NOTED SCULPTOR HERE.

Spent Thanksgiving With His Brother, Rev. Proctor.

A. Plimister Proctor, brother of Rev. Proctor of this city, arrived yesterday to spend Thanksgiving and a few days with his brother. Mr. Proctor is a noted sculptor of animals, and whose home is in New York City. He has been spending a few days with C. E. S. Wood, of Portland, and is now on his way to Denver, Colorado, where he will do some sculptor work for that city. This sculptor carved the lion for the McKinley monument at Buffalo, New York, and has just completed two handsome ornamental tigers for Princeton University.

CLYDE SMITH GETS LIMIT.

Dimick Gives Year's Sentence to Man Who Does Not Support Family.

A complaint was sworn to by Edward Howard, a well known Canus resident, that his son-in-law, Clyde Smith, was neglecting to support his wife and infant child. The young man was brought before Judge Dimick in the County Court Tuesday, and although the defendant pleaded guilty, the offense, in the eyes of the magistrate, was too serious to allow a light sentence, so the maximum penalty for the misdemeanor was imposed. Smith has been sentenced to serve a year's time in the county jail.

YOUNG BURK LOCATED.

Runaway Lad Is With Uncle at Kalama, Wash.

Earl Burk, who suddenly disappeared from his home in Oregon City, November 11, is at Kalama, with his uncle. The boy's father, F. C. Burk, received this intelligence last Saturday in a letter from his brother. The boy went to Astoria after leaving Oregon City and after a few days' stay there, he went to Kalama. Mr. Burk is very anxious to have his son return home and resume his studies in the Barclay school.

ALL BOOST FOR THE LIBRARY TAX

PROMINENT MEN URGE PASSAGE OF MEASURE BY LETTERS THROUGH THE PRESS.

WOMEN WORKING FOR ITS ADOPTION

Hon. Grant B. Dimick Presents Library With Complete Edition of The Standard Encyclopedia, Worth \$65.

Dr. A. L. Beattie, County School Superintendent, T. J. Gary and William Sheahan, all earnest supporters of the movement to levy a special tax of one-half mill for the support of the Oregon City Public Library and Free Reading Room, have voiced their sentiments with letters to the Telegram. These are only a few of the men who are urging the voters to cast their ballots favorably upon the proposition to maintain the library. The proposed tax levy means only 39 cents upon each \$1000 assessed valuation and from every indication there will be a large majority in favor of the plan. In fact there seems to be no opposition to it.

The free library and reading room has been supported for the last year by voluntary contributions from public-spirited business and professional men, and the officers of the library association believe that the taxpayers of Oregon City should band together for the maintenance of the library and reading room.

County Judge Grant B. Dimick yesterday presented the library with the latest and most complete edition of the Standard Encyclopedia, valued at \$65. This is probably the most valuable single gift ever presented to the library association and Judge Dimick is to be commended for his generosity.

PRODUCE UNION IS INCORPORATED

ARTICLES FILED IN THE COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE MONDAY AFTERNOON.

FIRM'S CAPITALIZATION IS \$1,000.00

Two Hundred Shares, Worth \$5 Each, Are Owned By Prominent Fruit Raisers of the County. Plan is Most Meritorious.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the County Clerk's office Monday by the Oregon City Fruit and Produce Union, through A. J. Lewis, M. J. Lazzelle and Benjamin Kuppenbender. The new concern has a capitalization of \$1,000, divided into 200 shares worth \$5 each. The business to be carried on by the union will be the picking, grading and packing of fruit, the buying and selling, directly or on commission of fruit, vegetables, poultry, eggs and general merchandise, spraying, packing, orchard and poultry supplies, farm machinery, and the purchasing and maintenance of offices, warehouses, packing houses, ice plants, cold storage plants, etc.

DR. WILLIAMS DECLINES.

Eastern Rector Does Not Accept Call of Local Church.

Dr. W. D. Williams, rector of the Episcopal Church of Iowa City, Ia., and Arch Deacon of the diocese, has declined the call of St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Oregon City. Dr. Williams was in Oregon City about 14 years ago for a short time. His reason to come to Oregon City makes it imperative upon the vestry of St. Paul's to fill the vacancy in the pulpit, due to the resignation of Rev. T. F. Bowen, who went to the Episcopal Church at Sellwood. There has been no rector attached to St. Paul's for several months.

SMITH BEST'S ZIMMERMAN.

Wins From Oak Grove Grappler in Two Falls.

"Auk" Smith of Canemah, proved himself to be a better wrestler than Gus Zimmerman of Oak Grove, at the Armory Saturday night, when the Canemah man won from his opponent in two straight falls. The first fall came three-quarters of a minute after the bout started, and after a rest, the second and final fall was secured in eight minutes.