

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

OUR COUNTY TICKET

For Representatives:

F. M. GILL—Successful school teacher of Clackamas County; member of last legislature as representative of Wasco County; grazer and farmer.

GUS SCHNOERR—An educated and thoroughly honest German; honored by the German speaking people with the highest offices in their societies; a farmer and man whose hands are hard from incessant toil; economical by birth and training, and knowing the value of a dollar he will neither be miserly nor extravagant with the people's money; known and honored by rich and poor, the laborer, business and professional classes.

CHRIS SCHUEBEL—A self-made man; in the past an every day laborer, now an attorney for far more than average ability; having in the past taken an active interest in politics and legislative measures he has some measures of importance to introduce in the legislature; a Clackamas county boy of German parentage, who has the interests of the whole county at heart and who is not afraid to fight in the last ditch for what he believes to be right. He is endorsed by the Democrats.

DAVID E. LOFQREN—Joint representative, an able and well qualified attorney; a friend and representative of the Scandinavians; honored and liked by all who know him; a man whose legal training enables him to know the difference between good and bad laws.

Where, Mr. Voter, could you find a more representative class of men? Every class of voters in Clackamas County will be represented, the farmer, laborer, business man, professional man; rich and poor; those of lowly and those of high station all can feel that they are truly represented when the above four men take their seats in the coming legislature.

E. B. TONGUE—Candidate for reelection as district attorney; acknowledged by the legal profession as having no superior as a prosecutor in the state; he puts his whole soul in his work; during his term he has won every criminal case in the Supreme Court; out of over 630 cases in the Circuit Court he has only lost 17; he will not permit money of tax payers to be squandered in useless, malicious or frivolous prosecutions.

WM. H. MATTOON—Candidate for reelection for the office of County Commissioner. A farmer; a resident of the northern part of the county and the county judge from Oregon City and with Mr. Mattoon from the northern

part the whole county will be equally represented in the county court. E. C. HACKETT—Candidate for the office of sheriff; expert of city, county and state books; he has now a thorough knowledge of the office that he seeks and needs no deputy to show him what to do; he will save the county money in the management of his office. It is conceded by all that there is not a man in Clackamas County who is better qualified to act as Sheriff and Tax Collector.

W. L. MULVEY—Candidate for reelection as county clerk; a thorough Republican whose first term of office as county clerk has been so successful and thorough that the Democratic party has endorsed him for reelection. Such a recommendation from the opposing ranks shows fully his worth and makes unnecessary any further remarks here.

T. J. GARY—Candidate for reelection as County School Superintendent; has also been endorsed for reelection by the Democratic party, and how could they help it? He is fully capable to fill and has in the past filled the office with credit to himself and the county. There is no question about him being elected for he is one of the many thorough going Republicans who has made good.

J. A. TUFTS—Candidate for reelection and the third candidate in the Republican ranks who has received the endorsement of the Democratic party. He served his country with credit in the Civil War and his county as county treasurer during the past term; he can well be trusted with all money that Clackamas County can gather together.

JAS. F. NELSON—Candidate for the office of County Assessor; farmer, a veteran of the Civil War; he seeks the one office in the county that is most likely to make many enemies for the man who fills it, for it is his duty to place the value on all property that is taxable and yet while he has in the past filled this same office (and with credit too) his enemies are few and his friends legion. He should receive the support of every Republican voter.

E. P. DEDMAN—Candidate for the office of County Recorder; a clean cut business man and farmer; far more alive than his name would indicate; he is in the prime of life; has been a deputy in the office that he now seeks and knows all about the work; he will serve the people faithfully, economically and well; there is no one better qualified than he for this office that holds the records that make or mar the titles of your homes.

D. T. MELDRUM—Candidate for re-

election for the office of County Surveyor; the son of one of the oldest and best known surveyors in Clackamas County; he inherits the ability of being accurate and thorough in all his work; he is thoroughly competent and has no opposition.

WM. J. WILSON—Candidate to succeed himself as coroner. In the past he has been faithful in the performance of his duty. He merits your support and we are sure that he will get it.

And now, Mr. Voter after having reviewed the whole ticket, what reason have you for not supporting the full Republican ticket? The Democrats have boasted that they are going to have a red hot campaign. So are we. Enclosed you will find a notice of a Republican Rally in your vicinity. Turn out and give the meeting your support if you are a Republican. If you are a Democrat, or a Prohibitionist or Socialist, come any way, you are welcome. We won't hurt you and we may do you some good.

If you are not a Republican remember, we are not proselyting. If you see fit to support our candidates we thank you. If you stay by your own ticket, we think none the less of you for it.

But you, Mr. Republican, what excuse have you to offer for not staying by your colors? The Republican candidates are at least the equal of any of their opponents. The Democrats have boasted that they would virtually wipe the Republican party off the face of the map in Clackamas County. Their boast is not based on merit. Will you let them do it? Let us grant that the Democratic candidates are good fellows, this is no argument that should win your support for them, for the men of your own party are their equals at every turn of the road.

With the Republican majority that we have in Clackamas County we should have a full Republican administration. It is up to you. Read the letters from our candidates. Give them your support and you will never regret it.

FRANK JAGGAR, Chairman County Central Committee.

WM. HAMMOND, Secretary County Central Committee.

E. B. TONGUE. The Prosecuting Attorney is the legal advisor of all the county officers. The success of all legal matters of county and state business referred to him depends upon his good judgment. Often thousands of dollars are at stake and the loss or gain to the county rests upon his advice or upon the conduct of the suit.

The office of District Attorney will cost the tax payers more than three times as much as any other office in the Circuit Court of the four counties since he has been in office. He does the work for the two judges while the district attorneys prior to him did the work for one.

He has personally conducted all his official cases in the Supreme Court. The Oregon Journal, the Democratic paper in commenting on the Pender murder case, used the following language, "With a brilliantly evolved mass of circumstantial evidence, the state rested..... The argument of Prosecuting Attorney Tongue was a master piece of phrasing and legal ingenuity. For two hours he held his hearers tense and chilled with a statement and plea as stern and uncompromising as ever heard in a court of law." Concerning the same trial the Oregon Mist said: "One of the features of the great trial was the wonderful and brilliant argument made by District Attorney Tongue. Many people who heard it say it was the greatest speech ever made in the Columbia County Court."

A democratic paper speaking of the celebrated Blakely case said: "The talk of Mr. Tongue was probably the best one that has been heard here for years. That he is an able prosecutor there is no doubt." Another daily newspaper recently referred to him as "one of the best prosecutors in the West."

Notice. To the stockholders of the Ogilvie Mountain Mining Co. The annual meeting of said company will be held Monday, Nov. 4, 1912, at 1 o'clock p. m. at Knapp's Hall, Tenth and Main streets, Oregon City, Oregon.

Humidity. Humidity is a term which is coming into general use and is often spoken of without a definite understanding of what it means. It refers always of course to the moisture in the atmosphere, but does not always mean the same proportion.

There is at all times some moisture in the air, and the amount, expressed in number of grains to the cubic foot of air, is the absolute humidity, a term seldom used. When we speak of it we usually mean the relative humidity, which is the difference between the amount of moisture in the air and the amount it could hold at the present temperature. If it were saturated, "Preventive Medicine."



G. SCHNOERR.

If I am elected, I will, during my term of office, be opposed to the creation of new Boards and Commissions and favor the repeal of many of them.

I am opposed to single tax. I favor good roads into all parts of Clackamas County; favor the repeal of fish and game commissions; work for the repeal of the Law creating County School Supervisors; am opposed to large appropriations for the benefit of a few officers; want a dollar's worth of service to the state to every dollar expended; a square deal to everyone and strict economy in every department of state. Favor statement Number One and Direct Primary Law.

I further state to the people of Oregon as well as to the people of my legislative district, that during my term of office, I will always vote for that candidate for United States Senator in Congress who has received the highest number of the people's votes for that position at the general election next preceding the election of the senator in congress, without regard to my individual preference.

Believing that we are more often harmed by the passage of bad laws than the neglect to pass good ones, I shall use my best endeavors to prevent pernicious legislation.

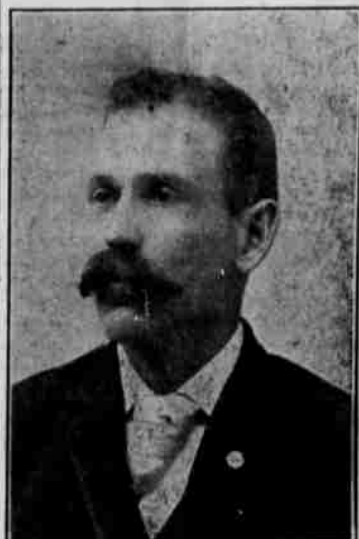
I shall favor strict laws for the apprehension and punishment of those engaged in the White Slave Trade and shall favor the promotion of the Social Hygiene Society.

I shall favor strict laws for the extermination of quack doctors who prey upon our young men.

I shall do my best to secure the passage of an eight hour law for the laborers in the paper mills of Oregon, if a majority of the laborers in the mills at Oregon City desire it.

I shall favor just and equal taxation on all property of the state whether owned by corporations or individuals.

Yours truly, G. SCHNOERR.



WM. J. WILSON.

To the voters of Clackamas County: I am now acting as Coroner of Clackamas County by virtue of an appointment made by the County Court on July 5, 1911. Since that time I have endeavored to fill the office with credit to the County. If the voters of this county see fit to entrust this office to me and thus express their approval of my past record, I shall at all times endeavor to do my duty and will always be on the job.

Yours truly, WM. J. WILSON



WIL LIAM H. MATTOON.

William H. Mattoon, candidate on the Republican ticket for commissioner, formerly of Viola and now from Estacada. Chosen in the primaries to succeed himself. Mr. Mattoon has many qualifications for the office to which he has been nominated and one of these is the success he has made of his own private interests. He favors good roads, and an economical administration of the affairs of the county. The people's interests will be as carefully guarded by Mr. Mattoon during the coming four years as they have been in the past should he be returned to the office.

Literary Society to Meet. The West Literary society, which was organized last week, will meet at the West Side schoolhouse Saturday evening. There will be debates, vocal and instrumental music and recitations.



C. SCHUEBEL.

To the voters of Clackamas County: As a candidate for the Legislature I respectfully ask your support in this campaign for the following reasons:

1st. I favor an amendment to the Fire Law providing that each Road Supervisor shall be ex-officio a fire warden within his district with full power to issue permits at any time to burn slashings. Then the farmer can clear his land when the slashings will burn.

2nd. I favor repealing the School Supervisor Law, thus saving the tax payer of Clackamas County \$4,000 a year in unnecessary salaries.

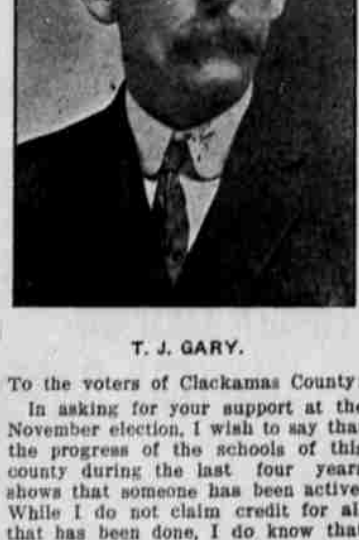
3rd. I have prepared and will endeavor to pass a law that will compel the P. R. Y. L. & P. Co. WATER TRUST to pay a license on 250,000 water H. P. claimed by them in Clackamas County, the same as any other person appropriating water after May 22, 1908.

4th. I have prepared and will endeavor to pass a law that will compel the P. R. Y. L. & P. Co. WATER TRUST and all other persons who have appropriated or claim water power in Clackamas County, to pay taxes on the water power appropriated as the farmer and other persons are compelled to pay taxes on their property whether they use it or not.

5th. Because I propose a law limiting the hours of labor in any one day in MILLS AND FACTORIES ONLY, not to exceed ten hours or more than 60 hours a week except in cases of emergency where life or property is in danger. Thirty-six states and territories now have similar laws to protect these classes of wage workers. The men in the paper mills at Oregon City are generally compelled to work 7 days a week, 11 hours on the day shift and 13 hours on the night shift. I believe that workmen should be protected by law from the greed of Organized Capital.

The corporations are opposed to me because I am in favor and have prepared and am submitting to the public through the columns of the newspaper the various bills above mentioned. They will endeavor through various means to prejudice the minds of the voters on side issues, if possible, and some of their strikers are now out trying to trade votes by settling men to pledge themselves to vote against me.

I believe that a member of the Legislature should represent the interests of the people as against special interests and if elected to the Legislature I shall do all in my power to have the laws passed that I have mentioned and shall assist in cutting off useless commissions and unnecessary appropriations, and will serve the people honestly and faithfully to the best of my ability. Yours respectfully, C. SCHUEBEL.



T. J. GARY.

To the voters of Clackamas County: In asking for your support at the November election, I wish to say that the progress of the schools of this county during the last four years shows that someone has been active. While I do not claim credit for all that has been done, I do know that in many instances I was the direct cause of the progress that was made.

Four years ago there were many schoolhouses and grounds in the county that were a disgrace to the community. Now almost every district has a reasonably good building and many have improvements that would be a credit to any community. Believing that the teacher is the most important factor in any school, I have labored to rid the County of teachers who would not or could not do good work. In this I have known neither friend nor foe. As a consequence, I have made some enemies. (The public official who does not in the usual way, know that the satisfaction of knowing that the teaching force of the County is far superior to what it was when I began as Superintendent. Every official of mine has been for what I considered, the best interest of the girls and boys.

I taught for several years in the one room country school and afterward in the graded schools of the County—seven years at Milwaukie, five at West Oregon City, and three at Willamette. This experience, together with my work as Superintendent of the schools of the County should qualify me for good work.

Realizing that the greatest problem that we have in the rural schools, I visited all of them with the exception of two, (they were not in session at the time), and studied their condition. I have since visited most of them many times. I hope to continue to

make these schools what they should be. The fact that I received the nomination in the recent Primary Election from both the Republican and Democratic parties shows, I think, that I have been Superintendent for the whole people. I purpose being Superintendent of the Schools for all the people, if elected in November. Thanking you for past favors, I am Cordially, T. J. GARY.



JAMES F. NELSON

Mulino, Or., September 20th, 1912. To the Legal Voters of Clackamas County, gentlemen:

On the 19th day of April, 1912, our primary election was held in accordance with the provisions of the primary nomination law now in force in this state, and at said primary nomination election the undersigned was nominated for the important office of County Assessor for Clackamas County, Oregon.

The office of County Assessor is one of the most important offices in the County for the reason that the entire revenue for County and State government is raised by direct taxation upon the property of the County. Owing to the rugged conditions of Clackamas County, it is necessary to be familiar with the nature of the soil and the value of the property in order to make a fair and equitable assessment, and being familiar with those requirements I feel that I have a reasonable claim to the election, and for a further reason that I was fairly nominated by members of my own party.

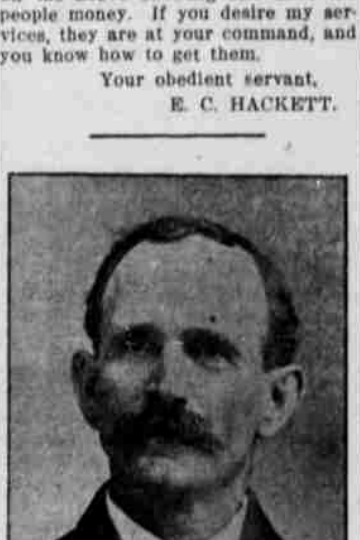
In order to show that I was fair to the farmers of Clackamas County during the time that I formerly served as County Assessor, I call your attention to the following assessments:

The Oregon, California Railroad Company was assessed previously to my term of office at \$229,000.00, and the assessment was raised by me during my term of office to \$2,700,000.00. The O. W. P. Railway Company, now known as the Portland Railway, Light and Power Company, was assessed at \$1400.00 per mile when I assumed said office, and the assessment on said property was raised by me to \$20,000.00 per mile, and assessments on other corporations were raised in proportion.

I mention these matters for the purpose of calling your attention to the fact that I was fair and reasonable and will pursue the same course should I be elected to the position for which I am now nominated.

I was always ready and willing to assist anyone on any matter pertaining to their assessment or description of their land, and if elected I will exercise my best endeavors to render honest and faithful service to the people of Clackamas County. Trusting that I will receive your support in the coming general election, I am,

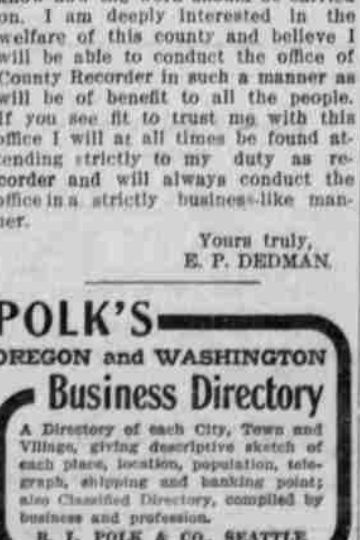
Yours very truly, JAMES F. NELSON.



E. C. HACKETT.

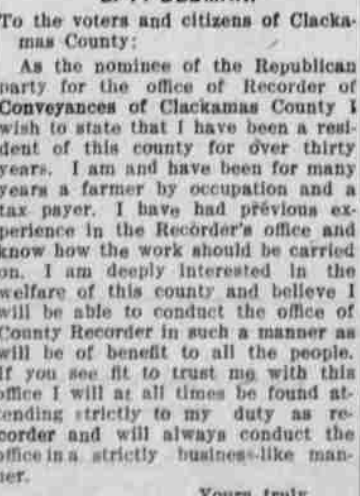
To my fellow citizens: I was born and reared in your midst and feel, that with my varied experience in office matters, that I am fully equipped to give the people of Clackamas County the best service possible.

During the year 1910, it cost the people of Clackamas County \$4375.06 to run the Sheriff's office; during the year 1911 it cost \$6314.58. With my practical experience along these lines I am sure I can improve on the above showing and save the people money. If you desire my services, they are at your command, and you know how to get them. Your obedient servant, E. C. HACKETT.



J. A. TUFTS

Mr. Tufts will succeed himself as treasurer of Clackamas County. He will in the future, as he has done in the past, be on the job all the time. He has and will work for the interests of the tax payers. He will give fair and courteous treatment to all.



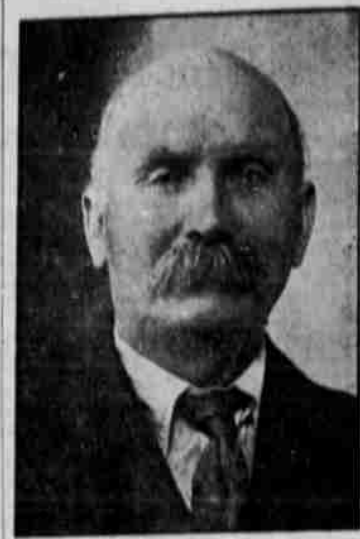
E. P. DEDMAN.

To the voters and citizens of Clackamas County:

As the nominee of the Republican party for the office of Recorder of Conveyances of Clackamas County I wish to state that I have been a resident of this county for over thirty years. I am and have been for many years a farmer by occupation and a tax payer. I have had previous experience in the Recorder's office and know how the work should be carried on. I am deeply interested in the welfare of this county and believe I will be able to conduct the office of County Recorder in such a manner as will be of benefit to all the people. If you see fit to trust me with this office I will at all times be found attending strictly to my duty as recorder and will always conduct the office in a strictly business-like manner.

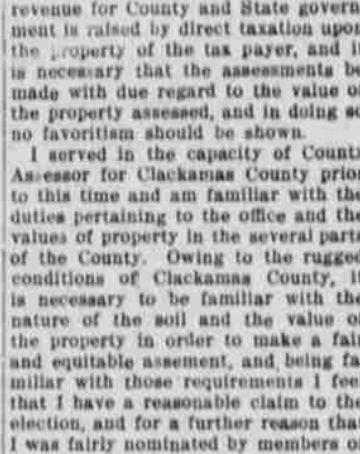
Yours truly, E. P. DEDMAN.

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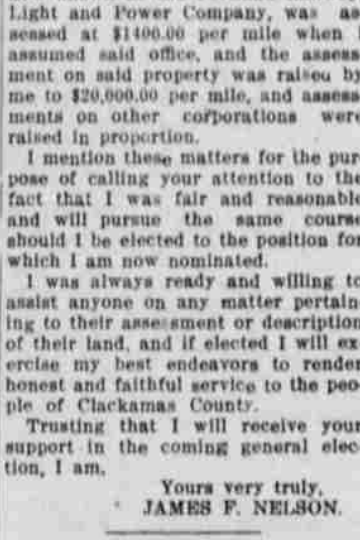
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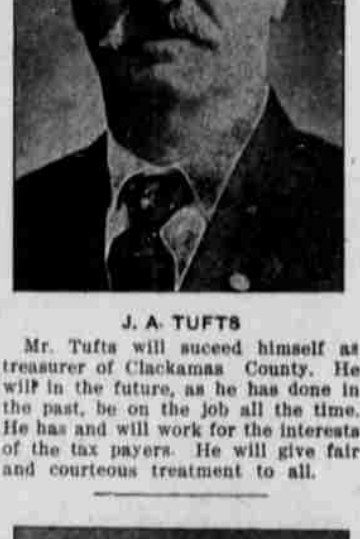
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News from Jennings Lodge and Oak Grove

JENNINGS LODGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Stover are enjoying a visit from their sister, Mrs. Audrey Guenther and baby, from Burlington.

A very pleasant visit to Jennings Lodge on Monday was enjoyed by Mrs. M. Hillborn and Miss Winifred Gren, of Portland. They were the guests of Mrs. D. H. Boyle. The ladies were agreeably surprised by a strawberry short cake at luncheon and as evening gathered they lied to their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Richardson, of Portland, and Miss Jessie McConville, of Woodlawn, have been recent visitors at the Boyle home. Mrs. Boyle and son, Walter, entertain their friends with true Southern hospitality and as Miss McConville was a weekend visitor, a number of folks were asked in to dance on Friday evening. At 11 o'clock refreshments were served. Mrs. Boyle and son are recent arrivals at this place, coming here from Louisiana.

Mrs. Edith Truscott was a weekend visitor and attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Rebecca Shenfield before returning to her home in Gresham.

Mrs. Robinson, of Winnipeg, Canada departed for Vancouver, B. C., on Wednesday after spending the summer with her only son Harry Robinson, of this place. She was accompanied as far as Seattle by her son. Mrs. Robinson will visit in British Columbia for a few days before she proceeds to her home.

A. C. MacFarlane returned from Astoria on Saturday, where his business interests had called him for the past ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Heathman have rented the Pierce cottage on the River front.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Paxton have disposed of their property interests here to Dr. C. L. Maynes, an oculist of Portland. The Paxton family will remove to Capitol Hill this week, having purchased property at that place.

Mrs. E. I. Veerly and son returned Thursday from Shelburne and Scio, where they had a pleasant visit.

Gratifying indeed is the progress that is being made with the merge in our school. While this week was the fifth lesson it is wonderful what the children are doing and the interest which is manifested by the pupils in this line of work. The mothers should visit the school between the hours of nine and ten and see what is being done under the able direction of Mrs. Hayes.

P. D. Newell was a business visitor at Newberg.

Corbett Olmstead, of Waldport, was a Sunday visitor at R. Stover's home.

The new home of Mrs. Bertha Hart is nearing completion. The painters are busily engaged giving it a coat of stain.

Arthur Soesbe, who has been assisting with the Painton wood saw, was injured on Friday evening, receiving some cuts on the arms, which were dressed by Dr. Strickland, of Oregon City.

The home of Mrs. Painton was opened to the Circle on Thursday and also to a delegation of the women of Oak Grove, who are interested in the suffrage movement. The election of officers was held in the dining room, which resulted in Mrs. J. Jones as president; Mrs. Wm. Grogan as secretary and treasurer. Mesdames Emmons, DeLong and Shook are the lookout committee, while Mrs. Wm. Cook is at the head of the work-department. The Circle then joined

about 20 other ladies of the neighborhood, who had been ushered into the living room and Miss Dayton then introduced Miss Wold, of Portland, who gave up talk on the suffrage question. Almost all present were believers in Women's Suffrage, but it was not possible to form a club at this place. The Painton home was decorated with autumn leaves and dahlias. Waters and tea were served.

Howard Smith, secretary of the Sunday school and Publishing Society of Oregon, spoke on "How the Sunday School Teachers Training Work is being Carried on Throughout the State," at the Bible school rally held in Portland on Friday night, and Mrs. H. N. Smith told of the work as carried on by various instructors. This teacher's training course is being taken up by teachers of different churches of all denominations and is similar to regular college work with the exception that old Biblical subjects are taken up. The course requires three years and diplomas are presented at the end of the work.

Mrs. E. McHargue has recovered sufficiently to attend the W. C. T. U. convention in Portland on Friday evening. Mrs. McHargue was on the reception committee at this convention.

Mesdames Jones and McCowan attended the suffrage meeting which was held at Oak Grove on Friday evening.

Miss Helen M. Painton has suffered considerable of late with an abscess on her cheek. Dr. Shultz operated on it on Friday and the patient is resting easier.

Mr. Jewett who has just completed a cottage at this place, is making preparations now to go into the poultry business. One house, which is 17x150 feet is nearly completed. Mr. Thomas being the builder.

Cal Morse returned the forepart of the week from Hood River, where he visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mink whose house is six miles from the snow line of Mt. Hood. His father George Morse, will remain another week and visit with the Mink family. Mrs. Mink is a cousin of Mr. Morse.

Mrs. Cowen was a business visitor to Portland on Tuesday, making arrangements for a suffrage meeting, which will be held at the Lodge school house on Friday evening. Captain B. L. Snow, of this place, will be among the speakers and some prominent Portland folks will also speak. All are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Eld Paxton and little daughter will remove this week to their new home at Capitol Hill. Little Evelyn will be greatly missed from the primary room where she is a favorite with the teacher and pupils. The best of wishes go with this family to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shenfield, of Portland, will remove to this place this week and make their home with their grandfather, Isiah Shenfield.

By appointment the Mesdames Wm. Grogan, L. DeLong, H. Landsdowne and H. Roberts enjoyed a delightful luncheon at the home of Mrs. Emmons on Tuesday. The living room was added more attractive by bunches of dahlias of many varieties which are grown in the Emmons gardens.

A Frodo. "It is a great mistake, Mabel, to trifle with the affections of a man who loves you by encouraging some one else."

"Well, he's a little slow, Annie. I think he needs a prosemeter."