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COUNCIL APPOINTS NEW WATER COMMISSIONERS

LOCAL MILITIAMEN PREPARE FOR WAR WITH MEXICANS OLD ONES LOSE OUT IN BATTLE

TROOPS FILLING UP THEIR RANKS

LOCAL COMPANY GETS STRANGE ORDERS FROM THE DEPARTMENT AT WASHINGTON

CRISIS THOUGHT NEAR IN MEXICO

Forces Are Held in Readiness to Meet Emergencies in the Southern Republic When They Arise

Captain L. E. Blanchard, commander of the Oregon City company of the Oregon National Guard, has received a "hint" that it would be a good idea to increase the enrollment of the local organization by 50 men or to war strength.

Captain Blanchard admitted Wednesday that this was part of a nationwide movement to bring all the national guard companies up to their full strength. All through the state the local commanders are enlisting more men; from the side of the country to the other the companies of the national guard are swelling their ranks until this great army shall be filled to its "war strength."

All this has been done in the past month. The agents of the war department are working quietly. They leave almost no track save in the effect of their "visits" on the companies.

Inspections Held.

Inspections are conducted under the supervision of army officers. Orders are issued from the headquarters in Washington to the various commanders that grow more and more strict with each message. The National guard is being changed, according to the local officers. No longer is it merely a local organization with no authority existing outside of its own elected officers. Even the state has lost much of its authority with the organization. Now it may be considered a part of the national army. Orders are issued from the army headquarters at the nation's capital and the government officials inspect the various bodies personally.

Not Alarming.

Captain Blanchard will not deny that the increase is due to the alarming situation in Mexico. He states that no orders were given to him by the department in Washington relative to the Mexican situation. He claims that this nationwide movement in the guard companies has no definite connection with the crisis in the southern republic.

The situation in Mexico has reached a critical stage. Presidential candidates and revolutionists are filling the country with terror. The time for action on the part of the United States has arrived, in the opinion of many Americans. The great countries of Europe have intrusted the delicate arranging of affairs to this country, and the time for action is thought to be near at hand.

Many think that this is the cause of the activity on the part of the war department and that the heads of this vast organization have this one thought in mind in preparing for actual work on the field.

VOTERS GET LETTERS BY THE THOUSAND

More than 9,000 letters have been sent out to the voters of Clackamas county setting forth some reasons for voting for a county library. The argument is submitted by about seventy well-known people of the county, including C. E. Spence, master of the state grange and Franklin T. Griffith, president of the P. R., L. & P. Co.

The envelopes have been addressed and filled at the library building by volunteers serving without pay.

It's improper to eat pie with a knife—but an axe is permissible. Everything comes to the man who waits—except the woman he is waiting for.

WANTED!
Women and Girls Over 18 Years Old
To operate sewing machines in garment factory
Oregon City Woolen Mills

ROYAL BREAD
Five hundred quarts of milk each day is used to make
Royal Bread
That's why it is so good. Get it at
HARRIS' Grocery

PRESBYTERIANS HAVE BIG TIME

CELEBRATE TWENTY-FIFTH YEAR OF CHURCH'S LIFE IN CITY—OLD MEMBERS

EASTERN STAR HOLDS MERRY PARTY

Guessing Contests Are Features of Entertainment—Queens Are Hostesses to Friends—Pretty Decorations

(By Meta Finley Thayer)

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the organization of the First Presbyterian church of this city was celebrated in an interesting manner last evening. A number of former residents, associated with the early history of the church, joined the present congregation in making the occasion a memorable one. Mrs. John Draper, first organist of the church, was in charge of the music which interspersed the addresses.

Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Montgomery, of Portland, were among those welcomed by old friends. Mr. Montgomery, who is superintendent of such extension in Oregon for the Presbytery, talked of his varied experiences during his seven years pastorate in this city. Dr. Milligan, of Portland, who assisted in the organization of the church, was present and gave an interesting address.

Mrs. Angus Matheson's recollections of some of the charger members were interesting, and Hon. C. Schaubel, who has been an officer in the church for 23 years spoke on the growth of the organization.

Rev. J. R. Lansborough, the present pastor, has been associated with the church for nearly eight years and is numbered among Oregon City's public spirited citizens. He spoke briefly on the importance of church interest in civic matters.

A reception was held in the assembly rooms of the church and light refreshments were served.

The regular meeting Tuesday evening of Pioneer Chapter Eastern Star, was followed by a raffle-evening party, or what some of those present described as a pumpkin social.

All present were called upon to guess the number of seeds in a large glass bowl, and this was followed by a pumpkin tossing contest and a pumpkin race. Prizes for the various contests were won by Mrs. C. A. Spence, Mrs. Langley, Miss Florence White, Raymond Caulfield and William Hammond.

Decorations for the affair consisted of witches, black cats and bats. Refreshments in keeping with the Halloween season were served.

The Queens of Avlon and a number of their friends were entertained Tuesday evening by Miss Dorothy Zinzer at the home of her parents, Professor and Mrs. Zinzer. The living rooms were decorated with a profusion of vines, grasses, jack-o'-lanterns, and fruits to give the impression of a barn party, and games in keeping were played, the first prize being won by Oran Moore. Miss Busch amused the guests by telling their fortunes. During the evening cider, doughnuts and fruits were served.

Mrs. Leon Des Larzes entertained the Do-As-You-Please Embroidery club Tuesday afternoon with a delightful small tea.

The Dertlie club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John F. Clark in West Linn. Mrs. Clark will be assisted by Mrs. Leon Des Larzes.

GARY IS HONORED BY HIS FELLOWS

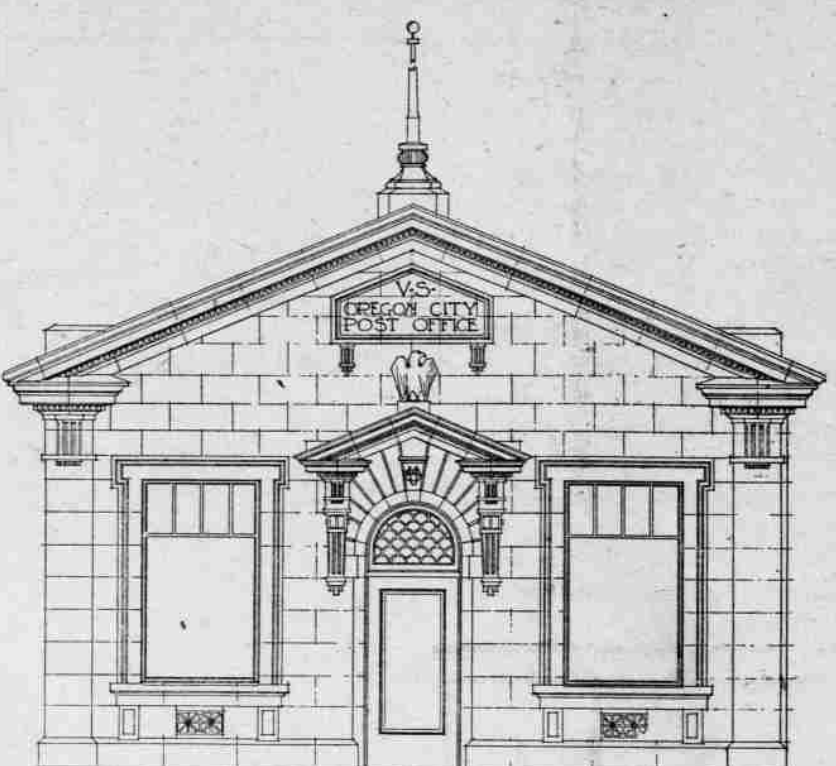
Superintendent Gary of the Clackamas county schools has accepted the invitation from the State Teachers' association, which will meet in Portland in December, to take charge of the rural school department.

The meeting will be attended by teachers from all sections of the state and is an annual affair.

Superintendent Gary is recognized as an authority on this subject, probably being better informed than any other person in the state.

Hallowe'en Masquerade
Friday night, October 31, '13
Bowker's Full Orchestra, of Portland
PRIZES WILL BE GIVEN
The Lady and Gent wearing the Neatest Costume
The Lady and Gent wearing the most Comical Costume
Gents \$1.00 Ladies unmasked free
Ladies without masks will be charged 25c.

POST OFFICE PLANS READY; CLASSIC DESIGN ADOPTED



Already the plans and specifications have been placed in the hands of the contractors and within the next few days the work will begin on the new \$12,000 postoffice for Oregon City.

During the past few days, the commercial club building has been moved over to the corner of the alley to make room for the construction of the postoffice and the first shovel will be driven into the ground within the week.

The plans have been in the hands of the department officials for some time. The structure is to be a one-story fire-proof structure of a classic design and modern in every respect. It will have all of the up-to-date equipment of the larger postoffices and will draw a yearly rental from the government of \$1920.

DISCOVER MAN WHO FILES WATER PROTEST

H. W. Hagemann is the man behind the guns in the protest that has been filed with the interior department against the Portland Railway, Light & Power company.

For sometime, the committee that has charge of the investigation as to the south fork of the Clackamas supply has been at loss to know who filed his objection to the company with the department. A wire answered the question. It has been discovered that H. W. Hagemann, of Logan, has objected to the "cutting of an intake" of Oregon City. The city does not yet have an intake in the reserve as the matter is merely proposed and no action has been taken though the company has indicated its willingness to help all that it can.

POOL HALL OWNER HAS BEEN ARRESTED

The second arrest in the past week for keeping open on Sunday was made when F. D. Cox was arrested Wednesday upon complaint of O. A. Stoltz for keeping his billiard room open Sunday.

The case is a test on the Sunday closing law. Stoltz is the owner of a skating rink on the west side of the river and was recently arrested by Constable Frost, charged with running an amusement on Sunday. His case came up before Judge Seivers and he was fined \$10.

It was upon his complaint that the arrest was made. As the case is a test case, it will probably be carried into the supreme court.

PRESIDENT HAS PLAN BUT KEEPS SECRET

WASHINGTON, Oct. 29.—President Wilson has under consideration a new plan for restoring peace in Mexico, which he will discuss with his cabinet Friday and make it public within a few days.

Officials were reticent as to what is contemplated. As the United States has asked not only European governments, but those of Latin-America and the Orient, to withhold the formulation of their policy toward Mexico until the Washington government can make known its plans for dealing with the situation, the solution on which the president and Secretary Bryan are working is believed to be more comprehensive than any suggestions heretofore made for the pacification of the southern republic.

The classified columns of the Enterprise satisfy your wants.

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DIAZ PRISONER ABOARD VESSEL

APPEALS TO AMERICA FOR AID BUT FINDS HE IS GREATLY RESTRICTED

IS CHASED BELOW THE DECKS

Cannot Talk to Gunners on Warship and Must Be Subject to Certain Rules and Regulations—Annoyed.

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 29.—General Felix Diaz, now a refugee on board the American battleship Louisiana, learned today that the privilege of asylum on a battleship carries with it certain restrictions not unlike prison regulations. By order of Admiral Fletcher, General Diaz is prohibited from communicating with anyone from shore without the admiral's permission. The admiral has given General Diaz to understand that such permission will be given only in rare instances.

The order is being read rigidly. "Will you please go to the deck, sir?" said the officer of the deck today, saluting the general when the latter had begun a conversation with a man who had brought his baggage aboard.

General Diaz appeared to be annoyed for an instant, but complied without much hesitation.

BOLTON MAN DIES AT HIS OLD HOME

William Johnson, of Bolton, died Wednesday at his home after having suffered two years from a cancer of the hip.

He was born in New Jersey July 22, 1871, and came to the state of Washington several years ago. From that state he moved to Bolton where he has lived about six years.

Besides his wife he leaves six children: Irene Marie, Earnest, Opal, Lenora and William. Funeral services will be conducted from St. John's church in this city, 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

Some people boast that they never boast.

A woman with big feet is partial to long spurs.

But a woman doesn't care to boss the job if she can boss the boss.

Life is a serious thing, especially to the man who regards it as an interrupted funeral.

Oregon City is to be invaded. Three hundred strong brave hearts are coming to this city to capture it. They recognize no truce—no white flag. Headed by their famous band of 40 pieces, 300 members of the Portland lodge of Elks will visit Oregon City and the local lodge Friday, October 31.

Their officers will perform initiatory ceremonies upon several candidates and a get-together meeting will take place. A program for the visitors has been arranged and all the local herd has been notified to prepare for the invasion.

"BUD" ANDERSON GETS DECISION OVER REES

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 29.—Bud Anderson, lightweight, of Vancouver, won a decision tonight over Louis Rees, of Los Angeles, in the fifth round of a scheduled ten-round bout. The police stopped the bout because Rees was so badly beaten up that a knockout in the next round appeared certain.

Rees was so dozed at the end of the fourth round that was difficult for him to find his corner.

"EXPERIENCE" MEETING

There will be an "experience" meeting at the First Congregational church Thursday evening at which all those who have ever had experience with a "dry town" will be expected to tell their opinion of the no-license system and how they think it would work in Oregon City.

J. H. GREENSHIELDS.

Eminent Canadian Lawyer Who Acted For Harry K. Thaw.



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JURY LISTS HAVE NOW BEEN DRAWN

For the first time in several years, almost every one of the members of the jury that have been summoned for the November term of the circuit court have answered the call without personal summons and have signified their willingness to appear.

Following are the names from which the list of grand jurors and trial jurors will be drawn:

F. E. Fish, Hubbard, farmer; John Burgoine, New Era, farmer; W. A. Proctor, Sandy, lumberman; Fred Mathies, Oregon City, farmer; N. A. Rodun, Gresham, farmer; W. F. Bickner, Oswego, merchant; M. E. Dunn, Oregon City, merchant; V. Bohlander, Oregon City, farmer; H. T. Melvin, Barlow, retired; E. S. Womer, Estacada, newspaperman; A. McConnell, Aurora, farmer; Charles W. Kelley, Oregon City, clerk; Gilbert Jonsrud, Boring, millman; H. M. Robbins, Oregon City, farmer; Grant Baker, Milwaukie; H. S. Salisbury, Gladstone, plumber; Frank E. Davidson, Oswego, farmer; W. F. Young, Sherwood, farmer; E. J. Daulton, Oregon City, mill superintendent; N. M. Grisell, Aurora, farmer; S. P. Davis, Oregon City, abstractor; J. E. Marquam, merchant; J. A. Richey, Boring, farmer; H. D. Say, Sherwood, farmer; E. F. Veto, New Era, farmer; Fred Smith, Aurora, lumberman; Gust Engelbrecht, Oregon City, dairy; Frank Talbert, Clackamas, farmer; Fred Lins, George, farmer; John Stormer, Springwater.

OUT IN BATTLE

CITY FATHERS HOLD THEY HAVE BEEN FIRED AND REFUSE TO COMPROMISE

STREET CONTRACTS ARE ALSO LET

Protests Heard From Lowest Bidder But One Overruled in a Secret Session—Other Matters Come Up.

COUNCIL MEETING IN BRIEF:

Board of water commissioners selected. Fire protection ordinance. Garbage ordinance submitted. Toozie improvement considered. Bids and contracts awarded.

Fred McCausland, John W. Loder and Chris Schubel are the new water board.

At a meeting of the city council Wednesday, the committee on fire and water made its report of the work that had been done under the supervision of the council and the new board was selected. The committee will at once turn over the plan to the new board as soon as its members have filed their bonds and have qualified under the provisions of the city charter.

All of this was done by the council after the suggestion of the old water board had been received that the entire question be submitted to Judge J. U. Campbell of the circuit court for his decision without raising the issue in the courts. The council could not see the point to this contention and held that if the water board wanted to fight, it could bring the action in the courts and have the matter determined there at once.

Entering Wedge.

The question of submitting the issue to the circuit judge unless the matter had been officially brought before him appeared to the council as an entering wedge and a concession to the board that it did not propose to make. The old board will now take the issue straight into the courts and will fight out the legal questions that are involved and have the issues determined once for all.

Fred McCausland is a foreman in the woolen mills and has taken a great interest in municipal affairs for the time that he has been here. He is well known through the city and is considered a man with wide business experience and a thorough and discerning judgment of business affairs. He received the one year term of office.

Chris Schubel was given the three years of office by the council after it had gone into the issue thoroughly and passed upon his qualifications for the place.

John W. Loder was given the two-year term and was chosen by the

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Extraordinary values in Ladies' Suits. Your choice from a handsome assortment in brown, blue, gray and other desirable colors. Special for \$14.90 this week at Sale price \$12.50

Ladies' Coats

Extra Values in light gray, dark gray, brown, navy and black, made from heavy suit-ings. Special sale price \$12.50