NAMES OFF THE LIST

Many Election Judges and Clerks Decline.

OTHERS HAVE FAILED TO ACCEPT

County Commissioners Will Meet Today and Fill Vacancies—Judge Cake Takes a Radical Stand.

Out of a total of 795 judges and clerks of primaries and election, 274 have either declined to serve, or by not indicating their acceptance to the County Clerk have—or will today—become disqualified, and their places are thereby today vacant under the law. The list was prepared by County Clerk Swetland last night, and will be transmitted to the County Court today. Judge Cake said yesterday that if the names were available when the County Court meets this morning the selection of officials to fill the vacancies would be the first order of business. Many of the officials declining to serve are Democrats, and, of course, will be replaced with citizens of that political faith. Following is a list of those whose places will be declared vacant:

Precinct 1—Judges, J. J. Engelhardt, F. F. Freeman; clerk, Thomas Carlson.
Precinct 2—Judges, Peter M. Schriner, O. Munson, Charles B. Hand.
Precinct 3—Judges, J. W. Todd, C. W. Bruns; clerks, P. C. Neslond, J. Beatty.
Precinct 4—Judges, D. B. Fuller, George Walter, S. M. Barr, George Hartness; clerks, T. S. Wells, C. C. Cran, Frank Kiernan, B. J. Peterson.
Precinct 5—Clerks, W. C. Lawrence, J. B. Ryan.
Precinct 6—Judges, T. E. Wallace, M. R. Spaulding.
Precinct 7—Judges, A. L. Mills, J. F. O'Shea, Henry W. Fries, Hicks C. Fenton; clerks, Mark W. Gill, Robert Lewis, Henry Teal.
Precinct 8—Judges, O. H. Anderson, J. Minsinger; clerk, Joseph Barrett.
Precinct 9—Judge, Louis Confier.
Precinct 10—Judges, George L. Jubitz, James Dowling; clerk, George A. Holman.
Precinct 11—Clerks, W. L. Bentley, Alfred B. Freedman.
Precinct 12—Judge, P. E. Brigham; clerks, A. O. Jones, P. F. DuPlon.
Precinct 13—Judges, J. K. Gill, H. W. Hogue, Paul Wessinger; clerk, R. Prager.
Precinct 14—Judge, J. N. James.
Precinct 15—Clerks, A. E. Keith, Henry Grey.
Precinct 16—Judge, John M. Gearin; clerks, D. Alexander, A. Graham.
Precinct 17—Judge, David Goodsell; clerks, Harry Austin, J. H. Jones, J. S. Morgan.
Precinct 18—Judge, G. E. Withington; clerk, G. M. Fraser.
Precinct 19—Judge, B. G. Whitehouse; clerk, Seth Catlin.
Precinct 20—Clerk, Raleigh Trimble.
Precinct 21—Judge, James Wagner; clerks, J. M. Graves, John Ahlstedt, Leo Havelink, Henry Gurr.
Precinct 22—Judge, W. J. Kirkwood.
Precinct 23—Clerks, J. Hickman, J. M. Rican, F. C. Schubert, Joseph Reidel.
Precinct 24—Judge, C. Rockwell.
Precinct 25—Judge, Tyler Woodward; clerk, C. C. Smith.
Precinct 26—Judges, E. C. Burns, W. W. Jaques.
Precinct 27—Clerk, A. J. Farmer.
Precinct 28—Judge, W. T. Muir.
Precinct 29—Judge, H. D. Ramsdell.
Precinct 30—Clerks, W. I. Cottrell, J. C. Luckell, C. L. Fay, Charles Baxter.
Precinct 31—Judge, Joseph Sabel; clerk, W. A. Parker.
Precinct 32—Judge, E. J. Hyland; clerks, M. Pugh, W. S. Hale.
Precinct 34—Clerk, A. A. Courtney.
Precinct 36—Clerks, E. D. Curtis, G. W. Reufner.
Precinct 37—Judges, W. C. Brown, James Lugg; clerks, J. F. Brady, F. G. Urfer.
Precinct 38—Judges, James Ruddiman, J. W. Ogilbee; clerks, O. D. Thornton, W. C. Morrow, Charles E. Sprague, E. E. Ginty.
Precinct 39—Judges, W. R. Bishop, James H. Olsen; clerks, John H. Olsen, G. W. Shearer.
Precinct 40—Clerks, W. A. Munly, F. D. Bognrt, A. Van Hoomison.
Precinct 41—Judges, E. Martin, B. B. Acker, C. H. Raffety.
Precinct 42—Judges, A. T. Lewis, R. B. Ayers, F. W. Torgler; clerk, C. A. Bell.
Precinct 43—Clerk, E. O. Royal.
Precinct 44—Judge, R. R. Ball; clerks, H. S. McCormick, Ernest Carse.
Precinct 45—Judge, T. F. O'Brien; clerk, J. F. Hawkes.
Precinct 46—Judges, W. T. B. Nicholson, T. A. Kindred; clerk, R. Schmeer.
Precinct 47—Clerks, George Fuller, Louis Nicolai.
Precinct 48—Judges, Henry Berger, Ben F. Hedges; clerk, H. M. Carlock.
Precinct 49—Judges, Frank La Dow, James Rogers; clerks, F. W. Funk, Charles Rogers, H. A. Stoldt.
Precinct 50—Judge, C. H. Hill; clerk, George W. Butler.
Precinct 52—Judge, B. E. Lippincott; clerks, O. M. Plummer, W. H. Walker.
Precinct 53—Clerks, E. W. Rowe, H. Hanson.
Precinct 54—Judge, W. H. Tuttle; clerk, John Obrock.
Precinct 55—Judge, J. R. Swinton.
Precinct 58—Clerk, C. H. Glos.
Precinct 59—Judge, N. A. Peery; clerk, Percy P. Dabney.
Precinct 60—Judges, P. S. Malcolm, W. M. Patterson.
Precinct 61—Clerk, E. E. Hull.
Precinct 62—Clerk, I. N. Buxton.
Precinct 63—Clerks, James Dixon, E. L. Thorp.
Precinct 64—Clerk, H. B. Chapman.
Precinct 68—Clerk, Otto Hoffman.
Precinct 69—Clerk, H. Hewitt.
Precinct 70—Judge, C. E. Ladd.

Following is a list of judges and clerks who have neither accepted nor declined appointments, and are therefore not qualified to serve:

Precinct 1—Judge, James Jackson; clerk, H. O. Kapus.
Precinct 2—Clerk, Frank Smith.
Precinct 4—Judge, George Wilson.
Precinct 5—Clerk, Charles A. Savarian.
Precinct 6—Clerk, Matt Foeller.
Precinct 7—Clerks, O. B. Stubbs, D. W. Crowley, Walter B. Honeyman.
Precinct 9—Judges, Peter Eales, H. Case, Clerk, George Dunning.
Precinct 10—Judge, Robert E. Case; clerk, E. C. Protzman, Al Moserly.
Precinct 11—Judge, John Clark; clerk, M. Dougherty.
Precinct 12—Judge, Fred Hamlin; clerks, W. E. Thayer, E. B. Hyatt, A. T. Smith, William Maher.
Precinct 13—Judge, Walter J. Honeyman; clerk, H. C. Eckenberger.
Precinct 14—Judge, F. T. Berry; clerks, G. J. Blodgett, G. W. Ryan.
Precinct 15—Clerk, Leslie M. Scott.
Precinct 16—Judge, C. B. Farlemun; clerks, G. L. Smith, J. H. Robb.
Precinct 18—Judges, S. Blumauer, Jr., John Garnold; clerks, Frank Ellinger, Charles Franklin.
Precinct 22—Judges, William McLane, Kirk Hoover, L. C. Unger; clerks, H. Seadschlag, J. Bechtem.
Precinct 23—Judges, L. Swett, J. A. Wendorff; clerk, J. L. Walter.
Precinct 24—Judge, Samuel Mooney.
Precinct 25—Clerk, W. J. Corcoran.
Precinct 26—Judge, Thomas O'Day; clerks, W. S. Holman, Joseph Gibson.
Precinct 27—Clerk, R. H. Hurley.
Precinct 28—Judges, Seneca Smith, Dell Stuart; clerk, G. Anderson.
Precinct 30—Judge, B. D. Sigler; clerk, B. Fink.
Precinct 31—Judges, G. Langford, J. Dudley; clerk, W. J. Leonard.
Precinct 32—Clerk, W. G. Smith.
Precinct 33—Clerk, George H. Himes.
Precinct 37—Clerks, S. A. McFarland, J. K. Havely.
Precinct 38—Clerk, Ben Campbell.
Precinct 39—Judge, Frank Bennett; clerk, George Robertson.
Precinct 40—Judges, M. J. Morse, G. W. Harder.
Precinct 41—Judge, John Shogren; clerks, Charles A. Gell, Frank Logan.
Precinct 42—Clerk, B. Fallows.
Precinct 43—Clerk, Leroy Donough.
Precinct 44—Judges, J. Merriman, T. J. McNamee, A. Kadderly; clerks, R. B. McClung, H. B. Dyer.
Precinct 45—Judges, E. N. Wheeler, David Cole; clerk, D. J. Boakey.
Precinct 47—Judge, A. H. Breyman; clerk, Thomas Varwig.
Precinct 48—Clerk, Charles Steele.
Precinct 49—Judge, L. R. Houfton.
Precinct 50—Judge W. F. Barn; clerk, H. D. Carmine.
Precinct 51—Judge, F. A. Watts.
Precinct 52—Clerk, W. H. Braden.
Precinct 53—Judges, J. C. Thomas, O. D. Wolfe; clerks, R. Whiting, J. F. Hill.
Precinct 54—Judge, George Esterbil.
Precinct 57—Clerk, A. J. F. Bowman.
Precinct 58—Clerk, Robert Catlin.
Precinct 60—Judge, George C. Johnson; clerk, Joseph McMahon.
Precinct 61—Clerks, Frank Higgins, J. D. Henry.
Precinct 62—Judge, G. R. Shaw; clerk, G. L. Curry.
Precinct 63—Clerk, D. W. Metzger.
Precinct 64—Judge, H. H. Wright.
Precinct 65—Clerk, Albin Floss.
Precinct 66—Judges, Henry Thompson, D. O'Keef; clerks, George Haines, W. R. Hutchinson, L. F. Floe, William Wash.
Precinct 67—Judges, T. L. Falkenberg, S. Clark; clerk, Sumner Smith.
Precinct 68—Judges, James Thomas, John Sharp; clerks, Chris Zerbrook, Samuel W. Johnson.
Precinct 70—Judge, D. Legler.

JUDGE CAKE DEMANDS LIST.

Should Have Been Presented at an Earlier Date.

Deputy County Clerk A. N. Gambell was scolded sharply by County Judge Cake yesterday for not having presented the letters of declination of judges and clerks to the County Court as soon as they arrived. Judge Cake was startled when told that the total number of resignations would exceed 100, and he immediately sent for Deputy Gambell. That official declined to comply with the Judge's demand that the list be immediately forthcoming, and said that he would have to consult County Clerk Swetland first. He told Judge Cake that the office force was very busy at that time, and he could not say when the list would be in shape for transmission to the court. Judge Cake emphatically declared that the Clerk's office was exceeding its duties in not presenting the letters of resignation immediately upon their receipt.

"The County Clerk is not a judicial officer," said Judge Cake yesterday. "Its functions are merely those of a custodian, and it was clearly the duty of the County Clerk to see that the County Court was informed of declinations as soon as received. Had I known that any great number of refusals to serve had been received, appointments to fill the vacancies would have been made as soon as possible. It is likely that some who may be named to fill existing vacancies will also decline to serve, in which instance we should have time to find others who are acceptable to all parties and factions. I shall certainly insist that the list be furnished the court at the earliest moment possible, and shall bring the matter before the Commissioners for action."

Deputy County Clerk Gambell, when asked why the list had not been furnished to the County Court at an earlier date, said:

"It's none of your business. I don't want to talk to you, and I refuse to be pumped. See Mr. Swetland."

County Clerk Swetland made the following statement last night:

"County Judge Cake has shown his lack of familiarity with the election laws many times. I want it clearly understood that the Clerk of the County Court—and I believe it is generally known—is familiar with the duties of his office, and administers the same according to law. Commissioners Showers and Muck were informed some time ago that declinations to serve as judges and clerks of primaries and elections were coming in to the Clerk's office. When the Commissioners were so informed they instructed the Clerk to hold them until the time limit of acceptance expired, and then to bring the matter before the County Court in proper form. This I have been preparing to do, but as they expressed to me a desire to take up the matter shortly I will furnish them a list of all resignations tomorrow. I have at no time refused to comply with any request of the court.

"Judge Cake has spoken in the public press of the dignity of his court. Having had many years' experience as a clerk in the courts, I fully understand the dignity thereof and the deference due to them. But I want to say I have been treated most shabbily by Judge Cake. The law provides that two weeks must elapse before appointments to fill vacancies caused by resignation or other causes be made. The notices were not all sent out until February 23, which would make the two weeks' time limit expire tomorrow."

STATE FEDERATION OF LABOR

Trades Council Takes Steps Toward Forming Central Body.

The Federated Trades Council at its meeting last night took the initial steps toward the organization of a state federation of labor. The secretary was instructed to request the American Federation of Labor to place an organizer in this district, whose duties shall be the forming of unions where none now exists. At present there are central organizations in Portland, Baker City, Pendleton, Astoria, Salem and La Grande, and there are local unions in many of the smaller towns. All these bodies will be invited to attend the convention for the organization of the federation, which will probably be held in Portland about the middle of May.

A letter was received from the Miners' Union of Prairie City, a place lying between John Day town and Baker City, and another from Independence, expressing a desire to obtain membership in the state federation when it is organized.

The council voted that any delegate found guilty of taking his meals in an unfair restaurant should be expelled from the body and the union he represented be asked to send another delegate in his place.

Painters' and Plumbers' Unions reported lock-outs in Seattle, and that they would inflict a fine of $25 upon any member who would leave Portland to accept a position in the Puget Sound city.

The committee appointed to visit the Board of Trade reported that they had been cordially welcomed, that the board and council were on a friendly footing, and that they were in a position to interchange views on all matters of interest to the city and state.

The Carpenters' Union reported an increase of 44 members. This union now has a membership of about 500.

The Laundry Workers' Union reported that nine-tenths of the white people engaged in laundry work were members of the organization.

County Road Money.

M'COY, Or., March 5.—(To the Editor.)—Under the new road law, all road taxes are to be paid in cash. The poll tax, of course, must be expended in the precinct where he lives. The property road tax to be collected as, and at the same time as other property tax, to be set apart as a separate fund for road purposes only. Now, what the taxpayers want to know is this: Does the law contemplate the expending of this road fund in the different districts it was collected from, or can the County Court order it expended in any part of the county it sees fit?

C. BRADLEY.

The County Court has the right to order this fund expended anywhere in the county.

Having a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and closing time at night, on January 25, 1901, A. F. Clark, druggist, Glade Springs, Va., sold twelve bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "I never handled a medicine that sold better or gave better satisfaction to my customers." This remedy has been in general use in Virginia for many years, and the people there are well acquainted with its excellent qualities. Many of them have testified to the remarkable cures which it has effected. When you need a good, reliable medicine for a cough or cold or attack of the grip, use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the quick cure which it affords. For sale by all druggists.

FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT

HENRY MEYER COMES UNDER JUDICIAL DISPLEASURE.

He Disregards Order to Place His Son in His Wife's Care, and Is Arrested.

Henry Meyer, a saloonkeeper at the corner of Sixteenth and Washington streets, for refusing to surrender to the custody of his wife their 4-year-old son, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Fred Matthews yesterday, on a warrant issued by Judge Frazer.

Meyer was sued by his wife several days ago for a divorce. At the time the complaint was filed the court signed an order, which was served upon him, to deliver the child to Mrs. Meyer. Yesterday she filed an affidavit that he had not obeyed the order, but kept the little boy with him in the saloon, and Judge Frazer directed that Meyer be arrested for contempt of court. This was done, and the child was brought with him and turned over to the mother. The little fellow was certainly very loyal to his father, as he repeatedly cried out while in the courtroom: "I want to go where papa is."

Meyer is said to be very fond of his children. He was released on bonds, Meyer and his wife were married about 20 years ago.

SIX DAYS TO REGISTER
WILL YOU VOTE
AT THE PRIMARIES?

If you would dethrone the Boss, you must register and vote at the primary election next Saturday, March 15. Between 5000 and 6000 voters in Multnomah County have not yet registered. If they will attend to this vital matter promptly, all can be cared for before the books close, next Friday night. If you delay in your own case, and others do so, the rush during the closing days will be so great that many will be disappointed. The force at work on the registration books can handle 1200 voters a day. If it is not convenient for you to go to the Courthouse in the day time, remember the books are open at night until 9 o'clock. The fight of the campaign is to be made in the primary election. It is good government against the continuance of machine rule.

Which do you want?

If you are opposed to the Boss and his machine, there is a remedy, but its efficacy lies with you.

Register today! Six days more only!

DAMAGE SUIT ON TRIAL.

Charles G. Adams Sues City & Suburban Company for $1800.

Yesterday the trial of the damage suit of Charles G. Adams against the City & Suburban Railroad Company, for $1800 damages, was begun before Judge Cleland and a jury, and will be concluded today. Adams was crossing Morrison street on Tenth, driving a butcher wagon, on December 4, 1901, when a car going in a westerly direction struck the wagon, and he was thrown out. He complains that he was severely bruised and injured about the head and shoulders, so severely that he was confined to his home for a month under a physician's care, and is still unable to work.

Adams testified that the accident was not occasioned by his carelessness, and his father also testified in regard to the matter.

Miss Strickland testified that she saw a part of the accident, but did not see the car strike the wagon, because the car, as it passed in front of where she was standing, partly obscured her vision. She said the car was running fast.

The defense of the company is that Adams was hurt because of his own negligence, and that his wagon would not have been run down by the car if he had exercised proper care. Messrs. Bernstein and Cohen appear as attorneys for the plaintiff, and Rufus Mallory and John M. Gearin for the defense.

NEGRO GREEN FOUND GUILTY.

He Is Convicted of Stealing Tools From a Carpenter Shop.

E. W. Green, a sporty-looking negro, whose wool is turning gray, was tried and convicted in Judge Sears' court yesterday, on a charge of burglary, in having entered a carpenter shop occupied by M. Nolan and Charles Wackrow. The crime was committed January 13, and the tools stolen from the shop were sold to J. Rosen, a second-hand dealer. Mr. Rosen positively identified Green as the man from whom he bought the tools.

Green, in his own behalf, testified that he did not steal the tools, and that he never saw Rosen. Green asserted that at the time the burglary was committed he was in Dollar Bill's saloon.

Steve Bryant, a bartender in the saloon, was called to substantiate this latter evidence. He referred to Green as "Pop" and "Daddy," and appeared disposed to say what he could in his favor, but he testified that he could not state that Green was in the saloon during the evening of January 13, which was the time the tools were stolen.

Green endeavored to fix the date by recalling that he moved a cash register for Bryant, at his request, from one counter to another. Bryant said this occurred in the morning, and not in the evening.

D. P. Price, a young attorney, made his first appearance in court in defense of Green.

GRIMES PETITION HEARD.

Remonstrators Object That His Signers Do Not Live in Precinct.

The hearing of the petition of William Grimes for a license to sell liquor at Montavilla, and the remonstrance to the same, was concluded in the County Court yesterday. A decision will be rendered Monday. The remonstrators offered testimony to show that a number of the petitioners do not live in the precinct, and that if their names are stricken off, there will not be a requisite number of signers left.

The petitioner in the same manner attacked some of the names attached to the remonstrance, and endeavored to show that all those who signed the petition are qualified to do so. The precinct under the new law has recently been enlarged, and many of the signers objected to are within the new limits, but the petition was circulated when the old boundaries prevailed.

Grimes has been selling liquor for a long time without a license, but is now disposed to comply with the law.

Eviction Was Justified.

The suit of Ole Groves against J. Baum and Clara Baum, for $250 damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained by eviction from his home, was tried before Justice Kraemer yesterday. Groves asserted that he had rented a house at 528 East Lincoln street from the Baums. On January 13 he was about two months behind in the payment of his rent, and while he was at work and his wife was sick the defendants moved all his furniture into the street, excepting the bed upon which his wife lay, and a red-hot stove. The stove would have accompanied the parlor set to the sidewalk had not two of Groves' little daughters, with rare presence of mind, loaded it with fuel, and the evictors did not want to burn their fingers. The defense held that the plaintiff had been repeatedly asked to pay his rent, and as he had failed to do so, the eviction was justifiable. The case was submitted to the jury, and after about two hours' deliberation a verdict for the defendant was returned.

Verdict for Mangan Estate.

In the suit of William Hearn, administrator of the estate of Harriet Mangan, deceased, against Rachel and Robert Louttit, a jury in Judge Sears' court yesterday returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $1000 and interest from August, 1894. It was charged by the administratrix that Mrs. Louttit borrowed $1000 from Mrs. Mangan several years before she died, or about August, 1894, and never liquidated the indebtedness. Mrs. Louttit asserted that the loan was only $700 and that she paid it.

Divorce Suit Dismissed.

The suit for Martin Zigner against Eva Zigner, to have a marriage contract existing between them declared null and void, was dismissed by Judge Frazer yesterday, on motion of plaintiff's attorney. The parties were married in May, 1901. Zigner in his complaint set up that at the time of his marriage to the defendant she had another husband living in the person of Charles Powell, from whom she had not been divorced. No reason was stated for the dismissal of the case.

Articles of Incorporation.

Articles of incorporation of the Oregon, Washington & California Home-Building Company were filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday by E. B. McFarland, Napoleon Davis and Phil Metschan. The capital stock is $500,000. The objects are to carry on a general financial agency, to act as fiscal or transfer agent, to receive deposits of money, to lease, purchase, convey, hold and improve real estate, etc.

Admitted to Citizenship.

The Circuit Court is still busy making citizens, and yesterday the following-named persons were admitted to citizenship by Judge Frazer: David Dorfman, John Fuog, Henry Law, Thomas Kubitza, Dezaliak Drewery.

Court Notes.

The jury in the damage suit of George Zillinger against A. Debendetti, came to an agreement early last evening. The verdict was sealed, and Judge George had gone home, and it will be opened Monday morning. The defendants yesterday introduced evidence to the effect that the water which damaged Zillinger's property did not come from the dam on their land, but was the result of a heavy rain storm.

In the case of Louis McArthur La Dow vs. the North American Trust Company, in the United States Court, Judge Bellinger yesterday denied a motion for a rehearing, and issued a final decree, confirming the decision heretofore rendered. The suit concerned the title to certain lots in Pendleton, which the decision vests in La Dow and the Trust Company, and also declares that any suit brought in Umatilla County to divest La Dow of his rights is void.

FOR CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

Lewis and Clark Association Will Meet This Afternoon.

The Lewis and Clark Civic Improvement Association will meet this afternoon in Mayor Rowe's office at 4 o'clock. All delegates, members and all persons interested in beautifying the city are requested to attend. Rose fanciers are cordially invited. Members of the several women's clubs of the city are also invited to be present.

Two matters will be prominent in the deliberations of the meeting. One will be the subject of removing obstructions from sidewalks. The other will be the question of an annual flower festival until 1905.

A special committee, headed by Julius Meier, appointed at the last meeting to raise funds for public music in the parks, will make a report. The committee intends to begin raising funds next week. About $3000 will be required. It will be the endeavor to canvass for the fund among as many citizens as possible, and not to bear too heavily on merchants. Street-car companies have agreed to contribute if the concerts are given at places readily accessible from their lines. These concerts will take place at different parts of the city, in order to distribute the entertainment to as many citizens as possible.

DEMOCRATS MAKE PLANS.

City and County Central Committee Prepares for the Primary.

The Democratic City and County Central Committee met last night for the purpose of naming delegates to be voted for at the primary election next Saturday. So far as could be learned, there was harmony throughout the session, and no opposition tickets are expected to develop within the county. The Democrats have been particularly active of late, and are preparing for a hard fight at the June election, with District Attorney Chamberlain as the standard-bearer.

Other candidates are not prominent, and the scramble for offices will probably not begin until a few days before the county convention, which has been called to meet April 3.

Your health depends upon the condition of your blood. Keep it pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

PRAISES HARVARD'S CHIEF

DR. FRANK P. GRAVES LECTURES ON PRESIDENT ELIOT.

Debt of the Nation to the Head of the Great University Is Clearly Pointed Out.

Dr. Frank P. Graves, president of the University of Washington, delivered an interesting address, entitled "Our Debt to President Eliot," before an audience of teachers and others interested in educational work, at the Portland High School assembly hall last evening. Dr. Graves began by commenting upon the early life of Dr. Charles W. Eliot, and his election to the presidency of Harvard University in 1869. He described the crude conditions surrounding the professional schools of Harvard at that time, and told how students were admitted without any evidences of academic education, and were graduated without any evidences of professional or technical education. He said that these conditions prevailed in the law, medical and divinity schools, as well as in the university proper. Collegiate degrees are now required for admission to the professional schools of Harvard, and the standard of the whole university has been raised and strengthened under Dr. Eliot's regime, which has covered a period of 33 years.

Dr. Graves made a long comment upon the broadening effect that the Harvard divinity school has exerted upon the ministry, and commended Dr. Eliot for his thorough reorganization of the graduate schools.

The speaker reviewed the whole career of Dr. Eliot, showing how he has built up one of the greatest universities of the age. He asserted that a university president must deal with men as a manager and a careful judge of public affairs and public opinion. He pointed with pride to the deep religious nature of Harvard's great president, at the same time commending him for his breadth of view and his common sense, declaring that Dr. Eliot's religion is expressed in his life.

In concluding he alluded to Dr. Eliot as "the Roosevelt of education," suggesting that the President of the United States may have obtained his first impressions of the "strenuous life" from the great educator.

Dr. Graves has been inspecting the High Schools of Chehalis, Vancouver and Centralia, and will leave this morning for Goldendale, where he lectures tonight. He says that the University of Washington is in a flourishing condition, and that the new buildings, the moneys for which were appropriated last year, are practically completed. Dr. Graves has been president of the University of Washington for four years, and has done very effective work in building up the curriculum and promoting the general welfare of the institution.

MR. ODELL REPLIES.

Makes a Proposition to Bushey to Sift His Charges of Fraud.

SALEM, March 6.—(To the Editor.)—William Bushey, of Salem, Or., has evinced a desire to serve the State of Oregon by exposing wrong in the interest of good government. I shall not question his motives, or make inquiry as to whether the William Bushey who writes these communications is the same Bushey who aspired to be County Judge of Marion County, but I will join him most heartily in his effort to get the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth before the people concerning all school land matters with which I have had any connection. It is an easy matter to make charges and insinuations misleading and hurtful.

If Mr. Bushey will join me in this effort to get facts I will make him this proposition, towit: The investigation and report to be left to three competent, trustworthy gentlemen. Mr. Bushey to name one, I will name one, and let these two name a third. If it suits Mr. Bushey he may name himself as the one to represent him, while I will not ask the same privilege for myself. This commission shall examine the records and the facts, and then, if it shall be found that the statements made by this same Odell, who wrote an article for The Oregonian on this subject as published under date of November 25, 1901, are in any essential sense misleading, or if it shall be found that in any act of mine as therein connected is tainted with fraud or injury to the state school fund or the citizens of the State of Oregon, or of the United States, I will pay all the expenses of the commission, allowing its members $5 per day for all time necessarily employed in making the examinations, but if found as I have stated I will pay one-half, if Mr. Bushey will pay the other half. And more, if the commission shall find that I, "and whoever may be connected with me," have gained between $54,000 and $96,000, I will give Mr. Bushey one-half and I will still be a gainer.

W. H. ODELL.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, March 7.—8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 48; minimum temperature, 40; river reading at 11 A. M., 9.6 feet; change in the past 24 hours, —0.1 foot; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., 0.93 inch; total precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 20.63 inches; normal precipitation since Sept. 1, 1901, 34.65 inches; deficiency, 4.42 inches; total sunshine March 6, 0:45; possible sunshine March 6, 11:34.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The Northwest storm is still central over British Columbia, but it is losing energy, and storm warnings were ordered down at 7:30 A. M. Friday.

Moderate rains have fallen in Northwestern California, Western Oregon and in Western and Northern Washington during the last 12 hours, and the temperatures west of the Rocky Mountains are seasonable.

The indications are that the rains will continue over Saturday in the greater portion of the North Pacific States.

The river at 8 P. M. registered a stage of 9.9 feet, which is no change during the last 24 hours. The rainfall during the last few days has been light in the Upper Willamette Valley, and not much, if any, further rise need be expected from the rain that has already fallen.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Min. temp.	Precipitation last 12 hours.	Wind. Velocity.	Wind. Direction.	State of weather.
Astoria	50	0.32	12	SE		Raining
Baker City	40	0.00	12	SE		Cloudy
Bismarck	28	**	6	SE		Cloudy
Boise	52	0.00	12	E		Cloudy
Eureka	58	0.04	12	SE		Cloudy
Helena	50	0.00	18	SW		Pt. cloudy
Kamloops, B. C.	48	0.00	6	SE		Cloudy
Neah Bay	48	0.32	*	SE		Cloudy
Pocatello	46	**	10	S		Cloudy
Portland	48	0.58	9	SE		Raining
Red Bluff	56	0.00	14	SE		Pt. cloudy
Roseburg	58	0.00	6	SW		Cloudy
Sacramento	55	0.00	12	SE		Pt. cloudy
San Francisco	60	0.00	18	SW		Cloudy
Spokane	48	0.16	20	SE		Cloudy
Seattle	46	0.34	20	S		Raining
Walla Walla	56	0.00	10	S		Cloudy

*Light. **Trace.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland for the 28 hours ending at midnight Saturday, March 8:

Portland and vicinity—Showers; southerly winds.

Oregon and Washington—Showers; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Idaho—Showers; southeasterly winds.

EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecast Official.

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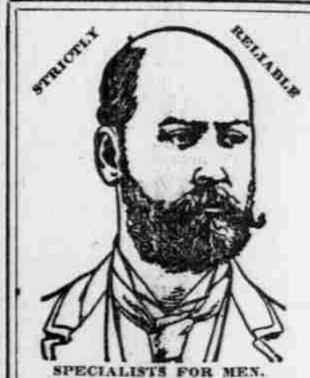

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