

GETS THE SCHOOL

Albina Is Allowed Another Building.

COST WILL BE \$21,000

Board Provides for One of Most Rapidly-Growing Districts in City and Construction Will Begin Soon.

Another eight-room school building, costing \$21,000, was ordered for Albina yesterday afternoon by the Board of Education. The new building will be located at Beach and Garrison streets, and will be built by Peter Henke. The contract for the same was awarded to the Central Door & Lumber Company, and the plumbing to Rudy Bros. The actual work of construction will begin soon, and the building is expected to be completed in about six months. The school will be one of the most thickly populated districts in the city, and it was but four weeks ago that the Board of Education let the contract for a \$20,000 high school building, to be constructed in Albina. Conditions are crowded even now, and it is urgent that both buildings be completed as soon as possible. The new school, ordered yesterday, will be known as the Homestead School.

The board yesterday afternoon let the contract for equipping the East Side High School with four typewriters, and for building a concrete wall around that building. It is thought that these improvements will aid materially in the safety of the structure.

Several women were present yesterday afternoon, to urge upon the members of the Board the necessity of providing a means of education for deaf children. Some brought their children with them, to demonstrate what is known as the "lip movement," a new conversation between the deaf, which is said to have been very successful in Los Angeles. The members of the Board expressed themselves as being deeply interested in this matter, and assured the women present that it would receive prompt attention.

Chief Campbell Reports.

A report of conditions in various public school buildings was made yesterday by Chief Campbell, of the Fire Department, who has just completed his annual inspection of these buildings, assisted by Fire Marshal Roberts. Some instances are related in this report which call for alterations. Dangerous electric apparatus, heating furnaces and piles of rubbish were found in some of the buildings, and all of these were ordered removed at once. The report was filed with the Executive Board, and a copy will be sent to the Board of Education.

New Committee Meets.

The special committee on signs, recently ordered by the Council, held a brief meeting yesterday afternoon, in the office of City Engineer Taylor. The members are Mr. Taylor and Councilmen Menefee, Anand and Dunning. Their duty is to draft an ordinance that will regulate all styles of signs, and especially electric signs in the business districts.

People Want Annexation.

A special meeting of the City Council has been called for 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, to act on the petition of the people of Rose City Park, who have asked to be given the privilege of voting on the question of annexation. This must be granted by the Council, if at all, and as the time is short, a special meeting became necessary.

ARRESTS DESPERATE GANG

Secret Service Agent Captures Trio of Counterfeiters.

In the arrest of Lou Turner, James Hafferty and Morris Ramsey, alleged counterfeiters, S. A. Connell, secret service agent of the Treasury Department, is confident he has apprehended a desperate gang of bogus-money distributors. The arrest of Turner and Ramsey was at Vancouver, yesterday, Mr. Connell being assisted by the police officers of that city in effecting their capture. Ramsey was arrested in this city while attempting to pass some of the spurious coin. He is not suspected of having been associated actively with his confederates in the manufacture of the money. The trio is in jail and Mr. Connell is accumulating the evidence on which he expects to secure the conviction of Turner and Ramsey.

ASKS ALL TO CUT WEEDS

Mount Scott Push Club Has \$350 Toward New Fire Engine.

The Mount Scott Push Club, Edward T. Nagel president, held a well-attended and busy session last night at the Library Hall. Robert L. DuVaul, secretary, presided, and the committee appointed to raise money with which to purchase a chemical engine, announced that \$35 had been added to the fund and that a total of \$350 had been raised. For the engine \$350 is needed. Mr. DuVaul also reported that the Mount Scott Volunteer Fire Department was preparing to issue a printed form the code of signals adopted. These signals are similar to those used in the city. The will indicate whether the fire is north or south of the railway and at what station. The work of securing funds for the engine will continue.

Mrs. L. W. Belviden brought up the question of removing noxious weeds in that suburb. All citizens are requested to cut down weeds on their property and near their houses.

Several committees reported progress. The club has accomplished much in the way of improvement of streets and the

GOES WRONG THROUGH PHONOGRAPH

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the religious and political history of the last 300 years without recognizing that the hostility between England and Rome has been a fruitful cause of sin, indifference and infidelity. Even now it is among the greatest of hindrances to the effective presentation of the gospel of Christ, both to the heathen and the educated. It has necessarily drawn off much of the best educational efforts on both sides into the barren paths of controversy. It is an obvious truth that division, however we may palliate it, is, after all, sin, and carries with it the consequences of sin. It is an unprofitable task to try to apportion the share of blame to each side in the quarrel. It is impossible, in the light of modern knowledge, to say that England was wholly right and Rome wholly wrong, as it is to assert the exact contrary. The truthful historian may well decline the task of pronouncing a final judgment between the combatants and will content himself with saying to the angry champions on both sides, "He that is without sin among you, let him cast the first stone."

The best recognized authorities on the Church of England are Stubbs' "Constitutional History," Wakeman's "History of the Church of England." For legal point of view, Blackstone will be more reliable than a German professor of law. "The Church Handbook" by Mr. Chancellor P. V. Smith, LL. D., issued this year, has a lucid article on "establishment" upon its legal side.

CHARLES SCADDING, Bishop of Oregon.

Works for Tillamook Line.

The board of governors of the Portland Commercial Club at its meeting yesterday appointed a committee of one to work in conjunction with one member each from the Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce, Manufacturers' Association and the committee from the Portland & Tillamook Bay Transportation company in securing the cooperation of Portland merchants in raising funds for the establishment of the proposed Portland and Tillamook Bay Points Transportation Line.

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