

GERMANS DENY ANY AFFIDAVIT BRANDS JOURNAL STORY AS UNTRUE.

President Fred Bulling in Affidavit Brands Journal Story as Untrue.

PROPOSED ACTION TABLED

Washington County Society Takes No Step to Indorse Candidates, He Says—Mr. Bulling Favors Withycombe and Booth.

Elaborate reports recently printed in the Democratic press of Portland to the effect that the Society of German-speaking people of Washington County had indorsed George E. Chamberlain Smith for Governor and Dr. J. J. For United States Senator, leaders among the Democrats have been making frantic efforts to secure official recognition from individual members of the German organization. However, the Germans of Oregon are united firmly this year and are displaying no evidences of listening to the entreaties of dissatisfied or hopelessly-defeated political favor seekers.

Washington Germans United. As sworn to by Mr. Bulling, the question of indorsing candidates was considered at a meeting of local Germans in Cornelius last Saturday, but no action was taken. It is reported that the Washington County Germans are unanimous in their determination to support the entire ticket recommended by their committee last week.

On account of the war all native Germans living in Oregon are swayed this year by the ties of racial brotherhood as never before. While they are first of all Americans, as indicated by their indorsement of Dr. Withycombe, whose ancestors were of British extraction, they are taking a keen interest in affairs affecting German civilization both in the country of their adoption and in the fatherland across the waters.

It was at a regular meeting of the Washington County society last Saturday when some one, evidently interested in the dwindling hopes of Democracy, sought to secure an indorsement for the leading candidates of that party. As a matter of fact, a story declaring that two of the Democratic candidates had been indorsed was printed last Saturday morning in the Oregon Journal, a Portland newspaper.

President Denies Story. The following sworn statement of Mr. Bulling makes unqualified denial of the assertions contained in that story:

I, Fred Bulling, being first duly sworn, depose and say: That I am the president of the Society of German-speaking people in Washington County, Oregon, and that I have been mentioned in that article which appeared in the Oregon Journal, on Sunday, October 25, 1914, alleged to have been sent from Cornelius, Oregon, in which article it was stated that the Society of German-speaking people of Washington County, Oregon, having a membership of six hundred (600) people, had indorsed Dr. J. J. Chamberlain for United States Senator and Dr. C. J. Smith for Governor; that said report is absolutely untrue; that there is no meeting of said society held at Cornelius, Oregon, on said day, at which there were less than twenty (20) members present; that the meeting of the Society of German-speaking people of Washington County, Oregon, on said day, at which there were less than twenty (20) members present, was held at the residence of Mr. Bulling, and that the matter was laid upon the table without a vote being taken thereon; that the publication in politics and have been and now supporting H. A. Booth for United States Senator and Dr. James Withycombe for Governor during this whole campaign.

FRED BULLING. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of October, A. D. 1914. (Seal) Notary Public for Oregon.

TEACHERS MEET AT SALEM

Character Declared Essential Result of Education.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—More than 350 teachers are in attendance at the annual institute which began here today. O. M. Elliott, superintendent of the Salem schools, spoke on some characteristics of the Educated Man, declaring that college diplomas do not constitute all the education of a person, and that the development of character is one of the main essentials. "Early Oregon History" was the subject of an address before the institute tonight by J. C. Moreland, clerk of the Supreme Court. Mrs. E. G. Franklin spoke on "Pacific Coast Authors." The institute will close Friday afternoon. Addresses by Dr. H. D. Sheldon, "The Faith of An Educational Optimist"; George H. Alden, "Character Building"; and Dr. Jerome Raymond, "Constantinople, the Bone of Contention of the Great Powers," will be features of tomorrow's sessions.

WOMAN DIES FROM POISON

California Visitor at Eugene Mistook Potion, Says Family.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Miss Ruby May Campbell, of Riverside, Cal., died this morning from the effects of poison taken by her Monday night. She was suffering from a weakened mental condition, said by the attending physician to have been caused by nervous prostration. After taking the poison she tried frantically to aid the physician summoned. The name of her family say the poison was taken by mistake for headache tablets. Miss Campbell was 24 years old. Miss Campbell and her mother left Riverside two months ago. They visited Marshfield, where Miss Campbell's mother, Ray Campbell, lives, and he accompanied them to Eugene, where they had been visiting A. B. Campbell, another brother.

CHURCH CONFERENCE ON

Congregationalists Gather at Forest Grove to Hear Reports.

FOREST GROVE, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—The 66th Congregational State Conference of Oregon is holding its meeting at Forest Grove. The first session opened yesterday with a devotional service led by the Rev. F. C. Butler, assistant moderator. The reports of the Sunday school and the young people's work showed decided growth in those fields and gave promise of a larger and more efficient work in the future. The address was given by the Rev. A. C. Moses, of the Waverly Heights Church, Portland, on "A Life of Power." At night were heard the moderator's address by Charles E. McGinnis and the annual sermon by the Rev. W. C. Kuntner.

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ADJUTANT AT SOLDIERS' HOME VICTIM OF HEART DISEASE.

Dennis G. Palm. ROSEBURG, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Dennis G. Palm, for 15 years adjutant at the Soldiers' Home here, died suddenly Monday from an attack of heart disease. Mr. Palm was born in Ohio November 25, 1845, and passed his boyhood days in that vicinity. When the Civil War broke out he became a member of Company C, Fifty-eighth Infantry and served until late in 1865. He was married to Miss Mary E. Lewis, of Oregon, in 1872, and five years later they came to Oregon and located in Portland. In 1899 he was appointed adjutant of the Soldiers' Home by Governor Geer. He is survived by his widow, two daughters and four sons.

Rev. George W. Hinman on "The Social Force of Christian Missions."

BOYS ESCAPE AND ROB

PONY AND BUGGY AND BIG TOURING CAR AMONG LOOT.

Reform School Fugitives Committed From Portland Break Into Three Stores and Garage as They Flee.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Sheriff Esch, of this county, and the police of virtually all cities and towns in Central and Southern Oregon are searching for Mike Hogan and Pat Riley, lads who escaped from the State Reform School last night. The boys had nothing but the clothing on their backs when they were committed from Portland to the school several months ago. Within two hours after they made their escape they possessed a pony and buggy, a big touring car, cigars and cigarettes and several dollars' worth of hardware. The pony and buggy, says Sheriff Esch, were stolen by the boys in Turner. It was there also that a store was robbed of cigarettes, cigars and \$3. The Sheriff chased the boys to Jefferson, where the hardware store of A. B. Hind was robbed of knives and probably firearms. The buggy and pony were abandoned by the lads after they crossed the steel bridge at Jefferson. The boys meanwhile had the touring car and made away with an automobile. A clothing store in Albany was robbed later in the night and the sheriff believes the boys were the robbers of the store. Hogan is 18 years old and Riley is 17. Both served two terms in the Reform School before their last committment.

LANE HELPS CHAMBERLAIN

Senator Speaks at Salem, Lauding Democratic Candidates.

SALEM, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—Harry Lane, United States Senator, addressed above 1000 persons tonight at the Armory in the interest of the candidacy of George E. Chamberlain for United States Senator. Mr. Chamberlain had made a good Senator and should be elected. He also praised Dr. Smith. Mr. Lane said that William Hanley, nominee of the Progressive party for United States Senator, represented the Hill interests, and that it was reported Louis W. A. contributed \$25,000 for his campaign.

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Overdoing causes most sickness. Overwork and worry bring on most cases of kidney weakness. The inside forces and the body tissues are simply used up faster than they can be repaired. The body is filled with waste matter. The kidneys are slowed up in their blood-filtering work. The blood gets heavy and impure. The kidneys weaken. A good kidney medicine is certainly needed, but it is quite as necessary to avoid worry, overwork, late hours, excesses, etc., to diet more lightly; to take milk and water instead of strong drinks; to get more light outdoor exercise, rest and sleep. Giving the kidneys a little rest helps the medicine work better. Doan's Kidney Pills have a wonderful record of success in the work of repairing weak kidneys. Thousands publicly recommend them.

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DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS. Sold by all Dealers. Price 50c. Foster-Milburn Co. Props. Buffalo, N.Y.

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A Wonderful Sale of New Fall Coats and Suits Every Garment Reduced From 35c to 60c on the Dollar



No Reserve Every Garment Price Cut to the Quick--- Every Garment Is An Example of Exceptional Bargains

Table listing 600 Suits, 3000 Coats, and 300 Skirts with their respective special bargain prices.

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Worrell's advertisement with logo and address: Cor. Sixth and Alder, Opposite Oregonian.

CLACKAMAS IN LINE

General Republican Year is County Prediction.

FARMERS POUND AT TARIFF

Competition With Chinese Eggs, Argentine Beef and Other Free Trade Articles Not Helpful to Voter, Says Agriculturist.

OREGON CITY, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)

A general Republican year for Clackamas County, in senatorial state and county officials, is the prediction made at Republican headquarters. The prophecy is based on the returns from letters sent by County Chairman Hammond, asking for a line on the situation from his 66 precinct committeemen. Almost to a man the precinctmen voiced Republican successes in their districts. It is apparent locally that the Democratic regime is not receiving much sympathy in this county. While the farmers of Clackamas County have been compelled to compete with Chinese eggs, Argentine beef and other free trade articles, the large number of mill men in the immediate vicinity of Oregon City also have felt the results of the tariff scheme of the Democrats. With Japanese and Norwegian paper flooding the local market, the output of the local mills has been decreased, and naturally the man with the unfilled dinner pail has been the first to suffer. It is a known fact that the local

paper mills have been forced to cut down their schedules, and men have been laid off by the score. While these things have not been made public, nevertheless it has been common gossip about the mill city, and the general feeling is to place the blame where it rightfully belongs—on the burdened shoulders of the Democratic donkey.

Era of Good Times Hoped.

From the tone of the precinct committeemen, it is evident that the feeling is not confined to the heart of the laboring district, but that all over the county there is general trend back to the old G. O. P., and the era of good times during the previous administration.

In Clackamas County the Republicans have the advantage of having placed before the voters an excellent ticket of well known, practical, honest and capable men, for their candidates at the coming election. The county ticket is headed by Judge H. S. Anderson, who defeated Judge Beattie at the recall election two years ago, and is, under the Cleaton Supreme Court decision, in all probability a hold-over candidate.

Other Candidates Active.

William J. Wilson, Sheriff; M. E. Dunn, Treasurer; E. P. Dodman, County Recorder; W. E. Hempstead, Coroner; H. H. Johnson, Surveyor; J. N. Sievers, Justice of the Peace, and D. W. Frost, Constable.

The legislative ticket is headed by State Senator Dimick and Representative Schueler, former war horses in the 1913 session at Salem, and both with creditable records. The new men to be voted upon are Franz Krax-

berger, of Aurora, and G. T. Hunt, of Estacada. George McBride is a candidate for joint senator from Clackamas and Multnomah counties and Roscoe P. Hurst for joint Representative. The central committee, however, has withdrawn its support from Harburt, who is running for joint Representative, as the findings made in a recent investigation of the man led them to this action in the interests of the county at large.

An active campaign has been conducted throughout the county by the Republicans for the past four weeks, and during the final week of the campaign the boys are out every night. Another most encouraging omen of Republican victories is the fact that all their meetings have been well attended in all sections, while a handful at the rallies in the Democratic ranks has been considered "a rousing meeting." Unless omens are wrong, Clackamas will do her share in making Republican history at the coming election.

ALBANY PARAGON IS ILL

Boy Misses First Day in Ten Years of School Attendance.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—For the first time since he started to school, more than 10 years ago, Davis Leininger, 17-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Leininger, of this city, missed a day of school this week. The break in his record is due to sickness.

He started to school when 7 years old and completed the eight grades of the public school two years ago. He then entered the Albany High School and began his junior year in the high school the first of the present school year. He had hoped never to miss a day or be tardy once until he graduated and is worrying more about

the spoiling of his record in this regard than about the illness which is keeping him at home.

DYING PLEA IS FOR HORSE

Seattle Woman Begins Fight for 8-Hour Law as Mother Wishes.

SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 28.—(Special.)—An eight-hour law for horses is the object to which Mrs. Emily Erickson is devoted today as a result of the wish of her dying mother. "I want you to sell our home and use part of the money in fighting for an eight-hour law for horses," were the last words of Mrs. Ellen Erickson as she passed away Monday night at

family residence, 2015 Fifth avenue. "Once mother ran out and took the reins from a man who was whipping and kicking his horses and she made him feel so ashamed of himself that ever afterwards he used to take off his hat whenever he passed our house," said Mrs. Erickson. "Mother always had some fresh grass, an apple or a bit of sugar for the horses of the laundry or the grocery."

Nobody Calls for Paper. ALBANY, Oct. 28.—(Special.)—A newspaper which has been received at the Albany postoffice has not been delivered to the person to whom it was addressed, and yet in one sense it has. It is addressed to Mr. C. W. Nobody. It has been delivered to nobody and nobody has called for it.

Advertisement for New Through Sleeping Car Service via Great Northern Railway Portland to Vancouver, B. C.

Large advertisement for Wrigley's Doublemint and Spearmint chewing gum, featuring a cartoon character and promotional text.