

ANNEXATION UP TO
LINTON ELECTORS

Issue Is Burning Question and
Campaign Has Developed
Bitter Mayoralty Fight.

PUBLIC MEETING IS CALLED

Series of Queries Propounded by
Opposition Candidate to Be An-
swered by Mayor Schaefer
and Case to Be Discussed.

NEW CITIZENSHIP AMEND-
MENT EFFECTIVE IN TO-
DAY'S CITY ELECTIONS.

The citizenship amendment to
the Oregon Constitution, adopted
at the last general election,
which requires that none but
full-fledged citizens may vote,
will be in effect and en-
forcement at the various city
elections throughout Oregon to-
day. A proclamation declaring
the amendment in effect was
issued by Governor West last
Friday. A question had been raised
as to whether the amendment
was self-executing and therefore
effective from the day of election,
but however that may be,
the Governor's proclamation has
made it effective now.

Whether or not Linton desires to
incorporate with the City of Portland,
the election of a Mayor, three Council-
men, a town Recorder and Treasurer,
are the issues to be decided by the vot-
ers of Linton at an election to be held
tomorrow. The polls will be open from
10 to 8 P. M.

Interest in the election is intense,
for it is regarded as the most impor-
tant in years. The pro-annexation and
anti-annexation parties are declared
to be divided almost evenly, and are put-
ting up a stiff fight. J. B. Schaefer,
one of the organizers of the town, and
Mayor since its incorporation, has un-
earthed a rival for Mayoralty honors
in C. F. Malone, and the fight is a
bitter one.

At a meeting in Linton Saturday
night annexation was discussed before
several hundred voters. E. D. King-
rey spoke against joining with Port-
land, L. G. Gillette, of Fairmount, in
favor of such a step. Really men of
Linton and suburbs between that city
and Portland are said to be sold for
annexation in order to make good some
promises made land purchasers, but
there is a strong feeling among those
who desire to preserve the little town's
individuality.

Should annexation carry, the elec-
tion of town officers will not prove so
important, though probably they would
hold office for nearly half a term. It
would then be the duty of the citizens
of Portland at the next election to say
whether or not they wanted to incorpo-
rate Linton.

C. F. Malone, "dark horse" candidate
for Mayor, entered the city primary to
make the race for Recorder, but
changed his mind later. The campaign
has become more bitter.

To answer all allegations of his op-
ponent and to rectify from the begin-
ning, the history of the town, which
incorporated town, Mayor Schaefer has
called a public meeting for tonight to
be held in Linton. The assertions of
Mr. Malone in Linton paper will be
answered by Mayor Schaefer.

Mr. Malone is accused of opposing the
Mayor out of jealousy. The nominees
at tomorrow's election are:
For Mayor, J. B. Schaefer and C. F.
Malone; Recorder, Orville Kruse; Treas-
urer, S. M. Mann; Councilmen, A. J. Van
Dolah, A. A. Carter, Herman Kettner,
C. W. Goodman, D. T. McCarty, A. H.
Ruddick and Richard Shepard.

WEST AND HEDGES SCORED
Milwaukee's Republican Candidate
Defends Council on Resort Issue.

MILWAUKEE, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special).
—Herman Leeding, candidate for
Mayor on the Republican ticket, has
replied to the statement of District
Attorney Hedges made in his address
Friday night to the effect that the Mil-
waukee Council can close up the Friars'
Club at any time it declares the club a
nuisance.

"This club was organized under the
laws of the State of Oregon and has
license from the state," said Mr. Leed-
ing this morning. "According to these
articles the club was started to pro-
mote the mental, moral and physical
welfare of its members. It has a license
from Governor West, who has closed
this resort up several times, and still
it remains open."

"The truth is that the Council re-
fused to grant the club a license and
took away the license the tavern held
as soon as it was found it was violat-
ing its license and has refused utterly
to give that place another license.
When the Council would not grant a
license it went to Governor West and
got a license under the name of the
Friars' Club, not with the consent of
the Milwaukee Council, which refused
to grant a renewal of the license. The
Friars' Club has the same rights as
the Portland and Clatsop clubs, the
Linton Club or any club which has a
license from the state. It can serve
liquor to its members only, but cannot
sell."

"If Governor West or District At-
torney Hedges has evidence that the
Friars' Club is a nuisance why have
they not closed it up and kept it closed
for all time? Governor West has had
companies of the Oregon National
Guard at this resort several times, but
he has failed to close it up for the
simple reason he was making a grand-
stand play."

G. C. Pelton, candidate for Mayor on
the Citizens' ticket, declared this
morning that if elected he will enforce
the law and close up both the Friars'
Club and the Hotel Belle.

PRE-ELECTION CHARGES FLY
Oregon City Candidates Make Ac-
cusations During Speeches.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 6.—(Spe-
cial).—Challenges were exchanged this
morning by City Attorney Schuebel and
Judge Grant B. Dimick, candidate for
Mayor, concerning statements made by
Mr. Schuebel at the Shively Opera-
house last night. The charges were
opposing Mayor Jones at the municipal
election tomorrow.

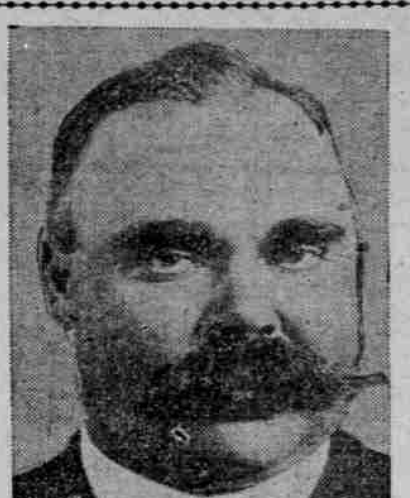
Mr. Schuebel attempted to connect
Judge Dimick with the granting of an
Oregon water power franchise several
years ago, when Judge Dimick was
Mayor. He said last night:
"Judge Grant B. Dimick, while
Mayor, granted to the Oregon Water
Power Company a franchise that did
not protect the interests of the citi-
zens of Oregon City. Shortly after
the franchise was passed, Mayor
Dimick was met on the street by a
prominent citizen of Oregon City, who

Oregon Legislators—Nos. 82, 83

D. H. Pierce, Representative-elect of Linn, and James S. Stewart, Repre-
sentative-elect of Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler.



D. H. Pierce.



James S. Stewart.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special).—One
of Linn County's most successful
farmers and stockmen is D. H. Pierce,
of Harrisburg, who will be one of Linn
County's three Representatives in the
next Legislature.

Mr. Pierce is a native son of Linn
County, having been born 10 miles east
of Harrisburg in 1853. He has lived
in this state practically all of his life
and in this county most of the time.
When he was 21 years of age he began
farming and farmed nine years. He
then leased 4000 acres of grazing land
and embarked in the stock business. He
has followed stock-raising and farming
ever since and has been very success-
ful, having a well-improved place with
a beautiful country home east of Har-
risburg.

Though he has never been a candi-
date for public office before, Mr. Pierce
has been prominent for years in public
affairs of his community and the coun-
ty. He has been road supervisor of his
district for a great many years, and is
a recognized authority on road-build-
ing. Mr. Pierce is a Republican, and in
the next election was nominated on
both the Republican and Progressive
tickets.

FOSSIL, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special).—
James S. Stewart, Representative-elect
of Gilliam, Sherman and Wheeler coun-
ties, is editor and proprietor of the
Fossil Journal and one of Wheeler
County's best-known citizens. In poli-
tics Mr. Stewart is a Republican, and
he was elected as the nominee of that
party. He is active in a number of
lines aside from his publishing busi-
ness, and is widely known among the
Scottish-American residents of the
whole State of Oregon, being promi-
nently identified with Scottish societies.

In Eastern Oregon the question is
not asked: "What are Jim Stewart's
politics?" but, "Say, do you know Jim
Stewart? He's all right." Mr. Stewart
stands for good government. Like
many of the countrymen of Dr. John
McLoughlin, the "Daddy of Oregon,"
Mr. Stewart was born in Scotland, and
he has succeeded so well in Oregon
that he has induced many brother Scots,
especially those from Perthshire, Scot-
land, to settle on land near him as
neighbors. Mr. Stewart is a well-known
"soccer" football player, and is an ac-
tive figure at athletic games.

make an even better showing than in
the past. The nominees on the Citizens
ticket are: S. M. Peterson for Mayor,
George Gibson for Treasurer, and
George Mayes and E. M. Engle for
Councilmen. The Socialists have nomi-
nated Earl E. McDonald for Mayor,
Joseph Trudgian for Treasurer, and
C. Stearns and J. I. McDonald for
Councilmen.

Three tickets are in the field in
Elma. The Citizens nominees are: J.
R. O'Donnell, W. E. Donohue and J.
W. Strubel for Councilmen and A. L.
Casper for Treasurer. The Socialists
have nominated Irvin Palmer, L. C.
Tobey and J. H. Busing for Councilmen,
and J. E. Pinkham for Treasurer. The
Socialists will vote for Louis
Rader, J. G. Eubank and L. H. Brooks
for Councilmen.

Elma will also vote on an annual
budget of \$300 for the support of the
Elma library, which, if it carries, will
probably mean the securing of a \$6000
Carnegie library for the town.

Gresham to Elect Tomorrow.
Gresham will hold its municipal
election tomorrow, with the following
tickets in the field: Mayor, George W.
Stapleton; Marshal, James McKinney
and L. G. Merrill; Recorder, D. M. Rob-
erts and C. J. Lundquist; Treasurer, J.
Emmett H. Kelly. S. S. Thompson, C. M.
Zimmerman, M. D. Kern and George
W. Kenney. There is no opposition to
the election. An illustrated talk
made to voters to elect to the Council
only such members as are pledged to
pass an ordinance providing a heavy
penalty for violation of the liquor laws.

SCHOOL FUND IS SHOWN
STATE LAND BOARD REPORTS
TOTAL OF \$6,403,840.46.

For Agricultural College \$202,114 is on
Hand and \$105,635 is Carried for
University of Oregon.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special).—The
common school fund totals \$6,403,840.46,
according to the biennial report of the
State Land Board made by G. G. Brown,
land commissioner. The fund includes
\$5,855,054.46 in mortgage loans aggregat-
ing \$296,750; certificates of sale of land,
\$285,388.09, and cash, \$25,648.37.

The Agricultural College fund totals
\$202,114.89, with first mortgage loans
\$189,176.47; certificates of sale of lands,
\$1960, and cash, \$10,977.52. The Uni-
versity of Oregon fund totals \$105,555.86,
consisting of first mortgage loans of
\$103,141.52, and cash, \$493.84. The
swamp land fund is \$2021. The amount
received as principal from sales of land
aggregates \$248,849.44. Loans from the
common school fund have been com-
pleted amounting to \$1,595,872.53. The
loans from the fund paid during the
biennium aggregate \$1,170,532.66. The
outstanding loans from the fund aggregat-
ing \$428,339.87, and the cash in the
hands of the State Treasurer totals
\$28,648.37.

During the past year \$107.73 acres of
school lands have been leased for a
period of one year at a total rental of
\$287.46. The lands leased are sublet
to sale on application, the improvement,
if any, reverting to the state.

TYPE FOREMAN APPLIES
F. H. Case, Aide Under Dunlway,
Would Be State Printer.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 6.—(Special).—F.
H. Case, superintendent of the print-
ing department of the Oregon Agricul-
tural College, and formerly foreman of
the state printing plant, has applied
for the position of State Printer, un-
der the new law, which will become
operative January 1. Mr. Case has had
34 years' experience, having worked in
all branches of the printing business.

He was with first mortgage loans
conducted by W. S. Dunlway in the State
House for seven years, and during Mr.
Dunlway's illness virtually was State
Printer. When R. A. Harris became
State Printer after the death of Mr.
Dunlway, Mr. Case and other employees
of the department were discharged. Mr.
Case being engaged immediately by the
agricultural college.

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lishing Society for Washington, North-



Herman Leeding, Republican Can-
didate for Mayor in Milwaukee, Or.

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1374	Hand Mirror	2.50	1.67
1392	Hand Mirror	3.00	2.00
1172	Hand Mirror	2.00	1.34
1194	Hair Brush	4.00	2.67
1196	Hair Brush	3.50	2.34
1193	Hair Brush	3.00	2.00
1199	Hair Brush	3.00	2.00
1213	Hair Brush	3.00	2.00
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2126	Dressing Comb	1.00	.67
2170	Dressing Comb	.75	.50

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RAID IS SUSPECTED
Home of North River Artist,
Night Rider Foe, Burns.

Superior Court on a criminal charge is
before the State Supreme Court in the
case of one of the Ross boys, who was
convicted of assault.

Mr. Ross recently asserted she was
preparing to bring impeachment pro-
ceedings before the Legislature against
Sawyer Judge Edward H. Wright, as
a result of litigation growing out of the
"night rider" cases.

CURRY LEVY TO GO HIGHER
New Bridges Needed Create Cost
Above Current Expense.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Dec. 6.—(Spe-
cial).—Curry County has provided the
expense budget for the season and it is
said the levy will be a little heavier
than for 1914. One item which added
to the 1915 expenditures is the provi-
sion for reconstructing the Elk River
County bridge, four miles from Port
Orford, at an expense of \$6000.

DEPORTATION IS RUMORED
Renewal of Activity by Gang That
Drove Woman and Son From
District and Destroyed Cabin
May Be Indicated.

SOUTH BEND, Wash., Dec. 6.—(Spe-
cial).—The house of W. A. Watters, at
Brooklyn, on North River, was burned
to the ground last Wednesday under
circumstances that may mean a re-
newal of activity by alleged "night-
riders" in the district.

Following closely the news of the fire
a report reached here that another set-
tler also had been deported from the
North River country. County officers
here say they have been unable to
verify the report. The country is iso-
lated and without telephone or tele-
graph service.

WOMEN ACTIVE BOOSTERS
Port Orford Club Has Brilliant Rec-
ord of Work Done.

MARSHFIELD, Or., Dec. 6.—(Spe-
cial).—Other towns in the state may
pattern after the example set by Port
Orford, where there is an organization
which, at least to this section of Or-
egon, is unique. Down in the Curry
County port, the women are among the
live boosters of the city and they take
an active part in the deliberations and
actions of the Commercial Club.

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POLICE TO ASSIST MUTS
List of Needy Youngsters to Be
Compiled for Santa Claus.

Not only will the Portland police de-
partment help the Orford of Muts in
putting on its big Christmas tree cele-
bration for the poor children of the city
December 24, but the members of the
force will assist the Muts in finding out
the needy families for whose assistance
they are conducting their Christmas re-
lief campaign.

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