

MANY MENTIONED FOR PRIMARY RACE

Possible Candidates Appear for Judge McGinn's Post, Vacated Next Fall.

3 MAY SEEK RE-ELECTION

Judges Kavanaugh and Gatens Are Likely to Have Opposition as Well as T. J. Cleeton—All Suggested for Places Again.

Although the primary elections are yet more than six months away it is apparent already that candidates for nomination will be as numerous as usual, if not more so.

The positions now most sought after, it seems, are the judgeships, three of which will be vacated by the expiration of the terms of the incumbents, following the election next fall.

Inasmuch as Judge McGinn has expressed his intention not to become a candidate for re-election, most interest seems to center in the contest to succeed him.

At present, Conrad P. Olson and W. M. ("Pike") Davis are the most likely candidates in prospect for the Republican nomination for Judge McGinn's bench. Neither has formally thrown his hat into the proverbial ring, but both hats are off and ready to be flung when the opportune moment arrives.

Both Have Large Following.

Mr. Olson was a member of the last two Legislatures, in the session of 1915 being chairman of the Judiciary committee. He has been a resident of Portland for more than a decade, coming here from Wisconsin, where he was graduated from the State University.

Mr. Davis also is widely known as a lawyer, having practiced in Portland for many years. He is said to have a large following.

It has been suggested that Municipal Judge John H. Stevenson may be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Judge McGinn's place, but so far Judge Stevenson has declined to be tempted.

The terms of Judge Gatens and Judge Kavanaugh also will expire following next year's election. It is understood that each will be a candidate to succeed himself. Judge Gatens is a Democrat and Judge Kavanaugh a Republican.

Frank S. Grant, ex-City Attorney, may be a candidate for the Republican nomination for Judge Gatens' department, it is reported. George Taxwell, who was defeated for the judgeship three years ago, it is said, may be an opponent of Judge Kavanaugh for the Republican nomination.

Fred L. Olson, formerly a Justice of the Peace, and candidate for a judgeship nomination last year, too, may enter the race against Judge Kavanaugh. It is understood, however, that Mr. Olson is being urged by his friends to become a candidate for the nomination for the County Court Judge T. J. Cleeton, the incumbent, probably will be a candidate to succeed himself in that office.

Before the primaries are held many other aspirants will appear, but those already mentioned are expected to be among the most prominent during the campaign.

District Attorney Evans doubtless will be a candidate for another term and is expected to have some opposition for the nomination. John R. Latourrette, a prominent young attorney and an ex-member of the Legislature, is expected to be a candidate for District Attorney in the Republican primaries. Charles J. Schnabel also has been proposed in this connection.

NEEDLE GUILD ASKS AID

WORK OF PROVIDING FOR NEEDY DURING WINTER BEGINS.

Plans Under Way for Annual Tea and Distribution of Garments to Be Held November 10.

Once more the Needlework Guild makes its appeal for a generous supply of new clothing. Plans are under way for the annual tea and distribution of garments on November 10 in the chapel of the Unitarian Church.

Many a little boy and girl, many a family will benefit by the work of the guild this winter. Each member of the organization will take two new garments or articles of wearing apparel toward the great movement. Last winter about 2000 garments were given to the poor and needy.

In cases of emergency in other cities help is given. Portland raised \$251.55 toward starting a sewing-room in Lyons, France, where work was given to Belgian refugees.

At the time of the Toledo disaster, hundreds of garments were sent from the Portland branch. Co-operation is necessary, and the appeal is made for more new garments, shoes, stockings and underwear.

The Needlework Guild is affiliated with the Red Cross Society, and both work in harmony.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton is president of the Portland branch, and among the prominent workers are Mrs. James Leidlaw, Mrs. David Robertson, Mrs. W. C. Alvord, Miss Fanning, Mrs. L. L. Brewster, Mrs. Herbert Holmes, Mrs. Kate Gile, Mrs. C. L. Mead, Mrs. W. F. Woodward, Mrs. A. Bernstein, Mrs. Ralph Wilbur and Miss De Pries.

CAMPAIGN STEPS TAKEN

"ELECTRICAL PROSPERITY WEEK" PLANS ARE ARRANGED.

Engineers and Light Association Branch Outline Information and Educational Movement.

Definite steps for launching the new Nation-wide "Electrical Prosperity Week" campaign in Portland and surrounding territory were taken at a joint meeting of the local chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and of the Portland branch of the National Electric Light Association, at the Portland Automobile Club, Wednesday night.

Plans were outlined for a unique celebration for "Prosperity week" November 29 to December 4. Central stations, electrical manufacturers, electrical jobbers, electrical contractors, electrical dealers, local electrical organization, department stores, non-electrical manufacturers and merchants, public schools, women's clubs and various kindred activities are expected to take part.

The meaning of "Prosperity week" was outlined by Committee Chairman O. B. Coldwell. Data now in the hands of the committee indicate that more

than \$0,000 of the Nation's electrical business men will be actively engaged "in a common effort to sow the seeds of courage and confidence in the United States, its institutions and its business men."

The campaign will be largely informative and educational. In addition to inaugurating the "Prosperity Week" campaign, last night's joint session and annual banquet was the first business meeting of the two clubs for the coming year.

The committee to have charge of "Electrical Prosperity week" celebration in Portland consists of: O. B. Coldwell, general superintendent Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, chairman; J. A. Cranston, manager, General Electric Company; F. C. Green, E. L. Knight & Co.; F. N. Averill, Forbes Supply Company; George Boring, Pacific States Electric Company; S. C. Moody, General Electric Company; J. C. Jagger, manager Morrison Electric Company; J. E. Davidson, general manager Pacific Power & Light Company; W. P. Strandborg, Portland Railway, Light & Power Company; Carl L. Wernicke, Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company.

TIMBER WASTE TOPIC

P. S. TISDALE ESTIMATES CUTTINGS WORTH \$200,000,000 YEARLY.

Enforcement of Weeks Law to Protect Forests and Watersheds Urged on Secretary Houston.

"At least 30 per cent of the timber that is cut in the United States is wasted." This was the statement of P. S. Tisdale, of Washington, D. C., secretary of the American Forestry Association, who is in Portland. He is making a detailed study of lumber and forestry problems in the region west of the Rocky Mountains.

Mr. Tisdale explains this by saying that there is no market for the grade of lumber left when logging is done and that the lumberman is not justified in logging timber for which but a small market exists.

Assessing the value of the 30 per cent that is lost to the timber trade at the lowest possible figure, Mr. Tisdale declares that the United States loses approximately \$200,000,000 yearly and that if it were possible to save the timber thus lost, the lives of American forests would be lengthened 30 years.

Mr. Tisdale said that the association that he represents had impressed upon the mind of Secretary of Agriculture Houston the necessity of additional appropriations to continue enforcement of the Weeks law that becomes inoperative unless Congress makes the additional appropriations. The Weeks law provides for state and Federal cooperation in the protection of watersheds of navigable rivers, and forests have been protected under the provisions of the Weeks law that otherwise would have lacked fire protection.

Mr. Tisdale is on his way to California. Joseph N. Toul is a vice-president of the organization that Mr. Tisdale represents.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS PLAN AID

Entertainment Will Show Merits of Work and Raise Needed Funds.

The dual motive of making money and showing people the merits of their organization has caused the Portland Campfire girls to plan an entertainment to be given at the National Theater, October 30, both afternoon and evening. Pictures of the Campfire Girls' activities and campfire songs by about 30 girls in costume will be combined to make an excellent entertainment.

Both Portland camps, the Chinook and the Minnehaha, are collaborating to make the affair a success, and they hope to raise enough funds to maintain their winter camp and also to prepare for the summer camp. Mrs. R. W. Wilber is guardian of the Chinook girls and Mrs. L. Gerlinger, Jr., of the Minnehaha. All proceeds over the actual expense will be given to the Campfire Girls.

REED PLANS NEW COURSE

"Contemporary Makers of Verse" Is Latest Extension Topic.

The Reed College is preparing to give a new extension course in the East Portland Branch Library, East Eleventh and East Alder streets, by Harold Guy Merriman, assistant professor of English of the college. "Contemporary Makers of Verse" is the title of the course which will include six lectures.

Mr. Merriman will discuss the present day writers and their contribution to modern literature. The course will begin January 5 in the library at 8 o'clock.

MENS' CLUB TO ENTERTAIN

St. Ignatius' Parish Event Planned for Wednesday.

The members of St. Ignatius' parish are looking forward with much interest to the entertainment which the Men's Club will give on Wednesday, October 28. It will take place at the hall, East Forty-third and Powell streets, beginning at 7:45 P. M.

Following is the programme: Mandolin trio; bass solo, Arthur J. King; violin solo, Miss Rita Manning; "Just a Weary'n," Miss Gertrude Kunz; Scott Kent; E. Louis Frederick; Mrs. Catherine Covach; Frederick; harp solo, Miss Dora Dooley; tenor solo, "A Little Bit of Heaven," Arthur Albertine; "Just From the Old Country," Waldemar Seaton; selection, Multno-

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—Fred M. Rowley, connected with the Equitable Savings & Loan Association, of Portland, has purchased from C. A. Brand, of the Overland Orchards here, several crates of fancy grapes, which will be placed on display in the windows of the Ladd & Tilton Bank, in Portland. The shipment includes a number of staple varieties, all of which are of selected stock.

Thomas W. Lucas, 97 years of age, is one of the youngest old men in Freeport, I. I. Notwithstanding his years, he is still as straight as a soldier and takes keen interest in life. "Come on, cheer up, lots to live for," is his motto. He is abstemious in his habits and owes his fine health to this fact. He urges all young men to refrain from the use of stimulants and smoking.



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