NEW METHOD TO TRY TEACHERS PROPOSED

Compromise Is Offered to School Board.

RESOLUTION IS ADOPTED

Commission Chosen Partly by Board and Partly by Instructors Is Wanted.

A new method of appointing the commission to try the cases of dismissed teachers is proposed by the High School Teachers' union as a compromise measure in place of abolishing the present commission. A majority of the school board has indorsed the modification of the present tenure of office law, one of the main changes being the abolishing of the commission. The board desires to have the final word in dismissing teachers.

The high school teachers have adopted resolutions in favor of substituting for the present trial commission, which is appointed by the judge of the circuit court, a commission chosen partly by the board and partly by the teachers.

Public to Be Represented.

The public is to be represented by a person chosen by the representatives of the board and the teachers.

"If the disagreement between Portland school directors and teachers over proposed changes in the tenure law comes to a pitched battle in the legislature it will not be because a compromise measure has not been suggested," said the high school teachers.

These teachers also stated that "if the compromise cannot be reached, all members of the teaching corps will oppose any change in the law."

Resolution Is Adopted.

The resolution follows:

Whereas, The impending struggle in the coming session of the legislature between the school board and the teachers in regard to the teachers' tenure of office law will inevitably lead to a lowering of the morale of the teaching corps, which in turn will work immeasurable harm to the children of the Portland schools; and,

Whereas, We believe that such struggle can be avoided by a compromise measure in the passage of which both school board and teachers can co-operate; and,

Whereas, The trend of the times is to foster democracy and co-operation in the administration of public affairs; and,

Whereas, the crux of the entire struggle between school board and teachers is in the matter of the personnel of the trial commission; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in any amendment to the teachers' tenure of office law provision be made for a commission to be formed as follows:

(1) The school board and the teachers shall each choose an equal number of representatives, and

(2) Such representatives when chosen shall select one representative from the general public. And be it further

Resolved, That should such proposal for change in the personnel of the commission fail to receive support sufficient to insure its enactment into law, we continue our support of the law as it now stands. And be in further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to each member of the school board, to the superintendent of the schools and to the press of the city.

EXTENSION WORK HALTED

Straw Vote Shows Taxpayers Are Not in Favor of Plan.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Because of dissatisfaction expressed by taxpayers, especially from the eastern part of the county, relating to the continuance of extension work, the board of county commissioners caused a straw ballot to be cast November 2, the result of which was as follows:

Against continuing county agent	1376
For continuing county agent	1046
Majority against	330
Against continuing county club leader	1458
For continuing county club leader	845
Majority against	613
Against continuing home demonstration work	1366
For continuing home demonstration work	927
Majority against	439

Because of the result of this ballot the board of county commissioners has ordered that the extension work be discontinued with the end of the current year.

VICTIM'S HURTS SERIOUS

John Volstorff Has Broken Ribs and Fractured Hip.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—An x-ray examination of the injuries suffered last week by John Volstorff, who was struck by an automobile driven by Dr. F. C. Brosius, local pioneer physician, revealed that Mr. Volstorff had a fractured hip and two broken ribs. His condition, however, was declared very good.

Mr. Volstorff, a Heights garageman, was repairing the lights of a car in front of his place of business when Dr. Brosius, failing to see the machine, drove into him.

Large Still Found Near Kelso.

KELSO, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Sheriff J. W. Hoggatt and Deputy M. E. Hull arrested T. Raita, a Finn, living near juncture of the Clark creek and Mt. Solo roads. Five gallons of moonshine was found. Raita was taken to Kalama. Today Mr. Hull was advised that a large still had been found near the Raita place.

Garage Man Is Suicide.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 2.—Walter L. Tuck, 57 years old, garage man, shot himself to death in his rooms at a local lodging house Wednesday, according to the police. Despondency over ill health and financial matters are said by members of the family to have caused the act.

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SOCIETY NEWS

An interesting society event of the week was given yesterday by Mrs. J. N. Teal, honoring Miss Hope Avery, a prominent artist, whose pictures are on exhibit at the Portland art museum. Assisting Mrs. Teal were Mrs. Lawrence Wheeler, Mrs. Charles Miller, Miss Leta Kennedy and Mrs. Ferdinand Smith.

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A smart tea of yesterday afternoon was that at which Mrs. Richard Martin Jr. and Mrs. A. H. McGowan were hostesses, complimenting Miss Philena King. The affair was given at the home of Mrs. Martin and included a large number of matrons and maids. The dining room was delightfully decked with autumn flowers of rich coloring and the table was presided over by Mrs. Allen M. Ellsworth, Mrs. George Lawrence Jr., Mrs. F. J. Haines and Mrs. J. E. Werlin. Assisting about the rooms were Mrs. J. J. Kadderly, Mrs. Curtis Holcomb, Mrs. Elliott Habersham, Mrs. Herbert Houghton and Mrs E. C. Bronaugh.

At the door little Janet Stowell and Jean McGowan received the cards and Misses Margaret McGowan, Helen Houghton, Helen Haller and Constance Hyland assisted the hostesses.

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The service committee of the Tri-L club of Lincoln high school will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the club room of the Y. W. C. A. The girls are preparing a Christmas surprise which will soon be ready for presentation as the gift of the club.

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Women of Atkinson Memorial Congregational church have put the finishing touches on many lovely articles which will be on sale today. The event is the annual holiday bazaar.

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Congratulations are being sent to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Latourette upon the birth of a daughter. The little maid arrived last Friday.

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Sumner relief corps will hold a business meeting and election of officers tomorrow night in their room in the courthouse.

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The very youngest of the smart set will be entertained this afternoon by Master Alfred Fuller Smith Jr., who will celebrate his first birthday anniversary. Mrs. Alfred F. Smith, mother of the year-old host, has included 23 tiny tots in the list. Many "juniors" of prominent Portland families will attend.

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Mrs. Earl Johannesen has returned after an extensive visit with friends and relatives in Iowa, Nebraska, Wyoming and Montana.

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The programme for the Saturday meeting of the junior department of the Monday Musical club will be the life and works of the Russian composers, Glinka, Balakirew, Borodin, Cesar Cui, Avensky and Rimsky-Korsokov. Musical numbers will also be heard.

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An interesting and congenial group of women, well known socially throughout the city, have met together to read every two weeks for the last four winters, each member entertaining in her home in turn. Mrs. Harry Beal Torrey entertained last Friday at the Mallory hotel, where she and Dr. Torrey are domiciled for the winter. Other members are Mrs Paul Rockey, Mrs. Otis Wight, Mrs. Robert Donald, Mrs Forrest Fisher, Mrs. James Kerr, Mrs. Alma Katz, Miss Edith Shearman, Mrs. Everett Babcock and Mrs. William Boykin.

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The bazaar at the First Methodist church will open this morning at 10 o'clock in the Sunday school temple. Dainty Christmas novelties, quilts, towels, dolls and aprons will be on sale; also home-made cookies and candies.

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The auxiliary of Friendship chapter, O. E. S., will give a card party Saturday evening at Vincent's hall, Forty-third and Sandy boulevard. Novel prizes have been planned by the committee in charge.

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Portland friends are welcoming Miss Margaret Raeder, who has returned from a three months' stay in eastern and middle western cities.

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Local society is evincing much interest in the student recital to be given tomorrow evening at Little theater, under the auspices of the Ellison-White conservatory of music. The main attraction of the evening will be a dramatic reading of John Luther Long's immortal story of "Madame Butterfly," given by Miss Mildred Boon, a pupil of Miss Elizabeth Barnes of the dramatic department. Assisting Miss Boon will be William Howard Roach, an advanced pupil of David Campbell. The recital will commence at 8:30 o'clock.

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HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Miss Anna Williams and Walter Newell, a popular young couple of the upper valley, were married Saturday evening in the study of Rev. W. H. Boddy, pastor of the Riverside Community church, who officiated. Only the members of the two families were present. Mr. Newell is an overseas war veteran.

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Miss Delphine Rosenfeld and her fiance, Robert Koshland, are the center for a group of attractive affairs. Tonight Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rosenthal will give a supper dance at the Multnomah hotel at which the two young people will be honor guests.

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Miss Helen Platt will be hostess for a tea tomorrow afternoon honoring Miss Alice Dabney, bride-elect. About 25 have been asked for the affair.

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Mrs. Willis Clark will entertain with an informal luncheon today, complimenting Miss Lucia Morris. Miss Morris will leave Monday on a trip to Australia and New Zealand.

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Miss Dorothy Frankenau of San Francisco will arrive tomorrow to be the guest of Miss Elise Feldman. Both girls are to be attendants at the Koshland - Rosenfeld wedding. Mrs. Henry Feldman will entertain at tea Monday, complimenting Miss Frankenau and other festivities have been arranged for the San Francisco visitor.

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This afternoon at 4 o'clock in Sherman, Clay & Co.'s concert hall, Evelyn McFarlane McClusky will give a brief resume on Beethoven's and Liszt's connection with the symphony. The 'Eroica symphony by Beethoven and the Liszt concerto will be played at the Heilig theater by the Portland Symphony orchestra Wednesday evening. This lecture is open to the public.

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The Tri-L's of Jefferson high school will hold an initiation for their new members Friday evening, December 3, at the home of the president, Miss Queen Cheadle. All new members must be present at this meeting.

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The Overlook Woman's club will meet today at 2:30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. William R. Minsinger, 871 Castle avenue. The members will answer roll call with current events. Mrs. G. J. Frankel will talk on "Work of Women's Protective Division Portland Police Force." Grace Falling Petrick will entertain with vocal numbers.

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Seniors of the Portland Heights club, will dance tonight at the clubhouse. The social committee for December has arranged a dance for the young people for December 10, another senior party for December 17, and a children's party for December 27.

Women's Activities

MISS LENROOT and Miss Lundberg, social service workers from Washington, D. C., who are in the city studying social welfare conditions and especially our court of domestic relations, will speak at a meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock, under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher association. The public and all who are interested are invited to attend and hear their message.

The regular quarterly meeting of the state executive board of the Oregon Parent-Teacher association will be held this morning at 10:30 o'clock in room 550 courthouse.

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The literature department of the Portland Woman's club will meet today at 2 o'clock in the peacock room of the Multnomah hotel. Mrs. Charles West will review "The Light That Failed," by Kipling. There will be a meeting of the home economics department under the supervision of Miss Edna Groves, immediately following the literature department's meeting.

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The last meeting of this year of the Mayflower club will be an event of Monday evening in the blue room of the Hotel Portland.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Portland Woman's union will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday, December 6, at the Martha Washington, 380 Tenth street. All members are requested to be present.

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The Progressive Woman's league will hold its regular business meeting tomorrow at 2:30 P. M. in the main parlor of the Hotel Portland. A musical programme will follow the business meeting and papers and discussions by the league members will be heard. "Physical Force Versus Mind" will be the subject. This promises to be an interesting meeting and members are urged to attend and bring with them their year books, as there are some changes to be made.

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There will be a community dance this evening from 8:30 to 11 P. M., in the assembly of the Holman school. Instructions in dancing are given by Professor Jackson from 7:30 to 8:30 P. M. These parties are very successful and are enjoyed by the residents of the community and their friends.

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The Women's Ad club will meet for luncheon today in the Tyrolean room of the Hotel Benson.

W. F. Woodward member of the Portland school board, will speak on "Our Schools and What They Mean to Us." Fire Marshal Grenfell will discuss some interesting phases of "Fire Prevention." Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Novelli of the Royal Harmony five, who are engaged at the Hippodrome theater will we soloists.

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George Wright Relief corps, No. 2, will meet for sewing all day today, at the home of Mrs. Inez Smith, 212 Hall street.

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Members of the Housewives council and any others who are interested, are urged to meet this afternoon in Meier & Frank's to sew for the babies of the Albertina Kerr home. The meetings are held every Friday.

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A meeting of the Portland Parent-Teacher council will be held today at 1:30 P. M., in room A, Central library.

Delegates in the city to attend the regional conference of the northwest tomorrow are invited to be present at this meeting. The social service department of this organization will met in room G, at 1 O'clock.

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Mr. Shull of the school board, will speak before the meeting of the Rose City Parent-Teacher association this evening at 8:30 P. M. in the assembly of the school. All members and residents of the community are urged to attend.

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Community service girls are to act as hostess to the boys of the Pacific coast fleet, a dancing party to be given at the Multnomah club, Saturday evening. Patronesses for the affair will be: Mrs. George L. Baker, Mrs. William F. Woodward, Mrs. Elizabeth Andrus, Mrs. Percy Allen, Mrs. William Fiebig, Mrs. Harry Hendershot, Mrs. C. W. Fulton, Mrs. H. R. Albee and Mrs. Frank Kerr.

EDUCATORS TO CONVENE

University of Oregon to Have Representative at Session.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The university will be represented at the Oregon-Washington educational conference in Portland December 4 by Dr. B. W. DeBusk, head of the department of educational psychology; F. L. Stetson of the extension division and Dr. H. D. Sheldon, dean of the school of education.

The conference is under the direction of Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, and is one of the sectional meetings being held by him all over the country. The conference is not primarily one of teachers, but of business and club men, the aim being to increase the interest of these people in vital educational questions. J. A. Churchill, state superintendent of public instruction of Oregon, and Mrs. Josephine Corliss Preston, Washington state superintendent of public instruction, will present state questions.

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FIRE DESTROYS SAWMILL

Clear Creek Plant Burned to Ground During Night.

ESCATADA, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—The sawmill belonging to the Clear Creek Lumber company, burned down Wednesday night between 11 and 12 o'clock. The night watchman had punched the clock at 11 and about a half hour later went back and found the building in a blaze. The planer was saved, also the engine and lumber.

The blaze is believed to have started in the engine room.

Bunker Hill Grange Elects.

KELSO, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Bunker Hill Grange in western Cowlitz county has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Master, C. S. Hill, re-elected; overseer, A. A. Mann; steward, Mrs. A. Cash; lecturer, Mrs. L. C. Davidson; chaplain, Clifford Hastings; assistant steward, L. C. Davidson; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Frank McAdams; secretary, C. R. Voorhies; treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Hill; gate keeper, W. A. Spratt; Pomona, Mrs. C. W. Tucker; Ceres, Mrs. L. V. Carlson; Flora, Mrs. John Hellmann.

SCHOOL SUIT SCHEDULED

Trial of Teacher's Damage Claim Expected Next Week.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—A suit brought by Ollie M. Alexander against the Cascade Locks school board to recover $1000 because of alleged breach of contract when she was dismissed early in October, probably will come up for hearing before the circuit court here next week.

Miss Alexander alleged that J. H. Dunn, the principal of the school, demanded that she teach certain junior high and high school grades, not called for in the contract. She alleged that her refusal caused Mr. Dunn to lose his temper and resulted in a scene in the school room. Miss Alexander's contract, her complaint stated, was signed July 29 and called for a monthly salary of $125.

Reputed Moonshiners Arrested.

BOISE, Idaho, Dec. 2.—(Special.)—John Batchell and Charles Crossman, both of Mountain Home, have been placed under arrest by officers of the state constabulary charged with operating an illicit still. Liquor was found in their possession and was confiscated, together with the still equipment.

Road Workers' Wages Cut.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—Wages of men engaged in maintenance of the Columbia river highway between here and Mosier were cut yesterday from $5 to $4.50 per day.

Pioneer Celebrates 89th Birthday.

KELSO, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special.)—"Grandma" Galloway, who came to the Cowlitz valley in 1842 and has lived here continuously since, was guest of honor at a birthday reception at the C. H. Olson home Sunday given by her granddaughters. More than 60 relatives and friends gathered for the birthday observance. A mammoth birthday cake with 89 candles featured the luncheon.

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