

DEMOCRATS AFTER FAT FEDERAL JOBS

Postmaster Myers, Collector Burke and Marshal Montag Eyed Enviously.

"DESERVING" ONES MANY

Portland Postal Chief Blamed for Having Caused Party's Campaign in Oregon to Fail. Situation Is Involved.

Deserving Democrats are very plentiful since the election. Their slogan, naturally enough, is the famous dictum of William Jennings Bryan—"Jobs for Deserving Democrats."

The fact that available Federal jobs in Oregon are already filled with deserving Democrats does not deter the breathers as much as might be supposed. The theory, of course, is that some of those on the outside may be even more deserving than those on the inside and will get their deserts accordingly.

There are indications that the assault will be massed on two or three offices, for which the chances look especially favorable just now.

One such office is postmaster, paying \$6000 a year. Another is collector of Customs, with a salary of \$4500. There are reasons to believe that all deserving Democrats, why these jobs offer a better point of attack than some others on the list.

Take the postmaster. There are no Democrats who will argue that the Honorable Frank Stott Myers, Portland's famous \$6000 a year postmaster, is not thoroughly deserving. But there are Democrats who will say they hate to mention what they think he really deserves.

Myers Blamed for Campaign. The sad truth of it is that the Honorable Frank is credited by many of the brethren—wrongly, perhaps, but credited, none the less—with having summed up the Democratic campaign in Oregon. To his old habit of "homing in" and trying to run things they attribute a split in the ranks and efforts of Oregon Democracy that cost votes and left many embittered hearts.

It is no secret that if Myers' reappointment as postmaster depended on Judge Samuel White, Democratic state chairman, the Honorable Frank and his \$5000 a year job would have a violent parting. Among the various reasons for this is the fact that the Honorable Frank not only did not work with Judge White after the latter became state chairman, but went so far as to open what virtually amounted to a second Democratic state headquarters, with H. M. Esterly, Democratic National committee chairman.

Esterly is a Myers man clear through. He owes his election as National committee man to Myers, and quite naturally he played the Myers game to the limit. No part of this game was the aiding and abetting of Judge Samuel White and the Democratic State Central Committee.

Whitten Appointment Annoys. The fine Italian hand of the Honorable Frank is also seen by the brethren in the appointment of C. C. Whitten early in the campaign as financial representative in Oregon on the National committee, a most unusual proceeding and one excessively annoying to the state committee.

At a time when the state committee was straining to collect money for its campaign, Mr. Whitten and the Myers organization headed by Esterly were also gathering funds and no more of this money than could be prevented went to the state committee.

Myers in his famous "dig up" letter to Postmasters, it will be remembered, in which he suggested that though postmasters themselves were forbidden by law to contribute, their families and "friends" might pungle up all right without hurting the feelings of the law, named Mr. Whitten as the person to whom such moneys should be sent. He did not mention the state committee.

All this, as might be supposed, has not served to endear the Hon. Frank to those who were ignored. And furthermore, it has not endeared them with mighty good alibi for the loss of the state.

G. H. Watson After Place. George H. Watson, ex-chairman of the Multnomah County Central Committee, is waging an active campaign for the postmastership and he seems pretty sure to have the enthusiastic support of the big element hostile to Myers.

And by a peculiar poetic justice, or coincidence, as the case may be, the aforementioned F. C. Whitten is likewise a candidate for the job. Mr. Whitten's candidacy is best described as tentative. His attitude is that if the Hon. Frank is going to lose the job, Whitten might as well get it as somebody else, which is excellent philosophy but rather cold comfort.

Summed up, the Hon. Frank's future as Postmaster seems to depend on the attitude of Senator Henry at the drug got him the job in the first place, but soured on him after the Hon. Frank tried to get some relatives appointed to other post offices.

Senator Chamberlain never has been an ardent admirer of Portland's famous \$6000 Postmaster.

Myers' four-year term expires next May and he ought to know his fate some months before that.

So much for the postmastership. Another incumbent whose future is rather doubtful is Judge Thomas C. Burke, Collector of Customs.

Burke's Blunder Serious. Judge Burke made the serious political blunder two years ago of guessing wrong on the United States Senators'hip. Bill Hanley, Progressive, was running against Senator George B. Chamberlain, Democrat, who was up

for re-election. Judge Burke guessed that Hanley would win and acted accordingly. As everybody knows, Chamberlain was re-elected by a huge plurality.

Senator Chamberlain has a long memory and he has never expressed enthusiasm at the poor guessing of Judge Burke. And Senator Chamberlain is likely to have a whole lot to say about the parceling out or re-parceling out of Federal jobs. It remains to be seen whether he will forgive the Judge his indiscretion.

In the meantime Judge William Galoway, of Albany, who was defeated for re-election as Circuit Judge up there, is understood to be circulating a petition asking his candidacy for Collector of Customs.

Another good job on which some of the boys have their eyes is that of United States Marshal John Montag, the incumbent, has enjoyed his incumbency very thoroughly, and is perfectly willing to sacrifice his personal interests and stay another four years.

Deputy Berry William. Frank Berry, one of Montag's deputies, is understood to be just as willing to relieve his chief of the arduous cares of the office. Berry would not back away if anybody approached him bearing the office on a platter. Tom Word, ex-sheriff of Multnomah County, also is mentioned for the job. And any

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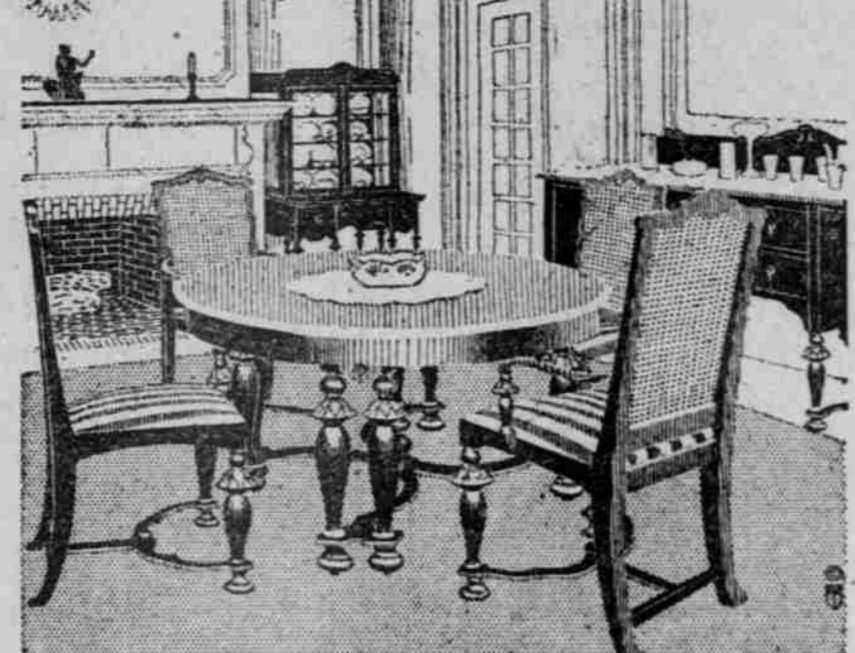
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Weekly News from Portland's Greatest Furniture Store

Furniture and Rugs of Quality on Liberal Terms at Money-Saving Prices. Begin Christmas Shopping Now.



Thanksgiving Sale of Dining Tables

Prepare this week for the annual feast. We have reduced scores of Dining Tables, embracing the least expensive as well as the finest we carry on our floors. This list is merely suggestive of many similar bargains.

- \$16 Solid Oak Dining Tables, 42-inch top, 6-foot extension, reduced this week to \$12.25
\$20 Solid Quarter-sawed Oak Dining Tables, 45-inch top, 6-foot extension, reduced to \$15.50
\$30 Quarter-sawed Oak Dining Tables, 48-inch top, 8-foot extension, reduced to \$27.50
\$80 Quartered-oak Dining Table, 54-inch top, 12-foot extension, massive pedestal, claw feet; handsome finish \$54.75

A \$76 Dining-Room Suite for \$58.75

A solid quartered-oak suite in golden wax, light or dark fumed finishes. It consists of buffet, six-foot extension dining table with 45-inch top and six chairs with genuine leather-slip seats.

A \$99 Dining-Room Suite for \$76.75

A fine quartered-oak Jacobean suite, consisting of a fine buffet, with French plate mirror, six-foot extension table with 45-inch top, carver and five chairs with genuine leather-slip seats.

Make Your Own Comforters This Is Blanket Weather

Regular \$2.25 Maish Laminated White Cotton Down; a superior filling for \$1.75

Regular \$6.50 Wool Blankets in various plaid combinations, reduced to \$5.15

\$9 all-wool Oregon Blankets, 5 1/2 lbs., at \$6.25

Buy Furniture This Christmas A Fine Rug for \$19.75

Last week's buying on these rugs was far beyond our expectations, but we still have a complete range of patterns for the reason that our mammoth stock was bought before the recent heavy advance. We have drawn upon our reserve stock and will continue to offer this week beautiful Candahars, Khorassans and Saxony rugs in 9x12 size for \$19.75. This is less than the present mill price on the same rugs.

Sale of Wool Fiber Rugs

Regular \$15 Wool Fiber Rugs, 9x12 size, assorted patterns, reduced to \$11.75

Regular \$12.50 Wool Fiber Rugs, 8:3x10:6 size, assorted patterns, reduced to \$10.60

Regular \$11.50 Wool Fiber Rugs 7:6x9, assorted patterns, now for \$9.25

Sale of New Davenports

An opportunity to buy a handsome addition to your home furnishings at a generous reduction. Call and look through our stock of superior Davenports.

Regular \$38.50 Duo Bed Davenport in solid quartered oak, frame upholstered in the finest quality imitation leather. Equipped with the latest automatic steel bed device. Fumed or golden oak finish, reduced to \$28.75

Regular \$42 Bed Davenports in massive quartered oak frame, Colonial style, upholstered in the finest imitation leather, with the most modern automatic bed device. \$31.50

Regular \$125 Daveno Bed Davenports in handsome quartered oak frame, very heavy and massive. Upholstered in genuine leather. Reduced to only \$82.25

A Cedar Chest for Christmas

A new shipment of genuine Tennessee red cedar chests just received from the south. Handsomely finished, some embellished with copper trimmings. Dust-proof and practically air-tight.

Regular \$17 Cedar Chests for \$13.25

Regular \$21 Cedar Chests for \$15.85

Reg. \$27.50 Cedar Chests for \$21.25

Regular \$35 Cedar Chests for \$27.50

New Auto Robes

A wonderful exhibit of Navajo and Chemawa all-wool Auto Robes in rich color combinations and in handsome plaids. Priced now from \$7 up to \$25.00 as high as \$25.00

Special—Regular \$7 Chemawa Indian Blanket in beautiful color combinations, reduced to \$5.65

New Cretonnes at 24c

Special—Our entire line of 35c Cretonnes in a beautiful assortment of newest patterns, yard \$24c

Comforters for Christmas

We have just unpacked for the Christmas trade a large shipment of specially selected Elder Brand Down Comforters in handsome silk and satin coverings. They are warm, yet soft and light. The patterns are new and wonderfully beautiful.

Priced from \$9.50 to \$25.00



Special Prices on New Heaters

Phenomenal sales in our Stove Department have compelled us to replenish our stock of Heaters time after time during this season. We begin this week with a greatly enlarged stock in all sizes and at all prices.

Regular \$21.50 Cole air-tight Heaters, the best heater made at the price. \$16.50

Regular \$18 Cole's air-tight Heaters reduced for this week \$14.25

No. 21 regular \$30 Yale Garland Air-tight Wood Heater, the highest grade manufactured—at \$22.75 only

No. 21N regular \$33.50 Yale Garland Air-tight Wood Heaters with handsome nickel-plated base, now only \$24.75

No. 25 regular \$35 Yale Garland Air-tight Wood Heaters, large and handsomely finished, on \$26.75 sale now at only \$22.75

No. 218 Mascot Heater—\$12.40 ers reduced to

Henry Jennings & Sons

Liberal Terms—Washington at Fifth—Liberal Terms

Buy Furniture This Christmas

LIQUOR IS FLOWING IN

STEADY LINE OF CUSTOMERS WAIT AT EXPRESS OFFICE.

Shipments Expected to Increase as Approach of "Bone Dry" Law Comes Closer.

The approach of the "bone dry" law is causing a great hustle to replenish supplies of drinkables among Portland's population. This is evident at the local express offices, where a land office business is being carried on throughout the time that the delivery departments are in operation.

All the express offices are experiencing an unprecedented rush. At the Wells-Fargo Express Company yesterday, a record day's business was transacted.

Early in the afternoon a long line formed that held no fewer than 150 persons. All sorts and conditions of men and a number of women were in line, waiting to reach the counter and get the shipment that awaited them.

It was by no means a line of addicts to intoxicants who formed the line, either. One man who visited the office said he had not taken a drink of liquor for eight years, but if the state were going to be dry he wanted to have a little in the house in case it should be needed.

Every available man in the express offices worked hard and long yesterday delivering packages and taking affidavits from the recipients. The rush is expected to increase as the time for operation of the "bone dry" law approaches.

Last evening by 5 o'clock the line at the Wells-Fargo office had lengthened until it extended into the street.

A lease was closed yesterday for additional quarters in the brick building, across Oak street, where the delivery department of the Wells-Fargo Company will be housed from November 23 until after New Year's, giving added space for handling all deliveries, including the increased holiday business, of the company. Added space for the holiday business is always obtained by the company.

PASTOR TO BE WELCOMED

Dr. Arthur F. Bishop and Family Will Be Guests of Church Club.

A popular welcome to Dr. Arthur F. Bishop and family, newly installed pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, will be tendered by the Men's Club of the church at a banquet next Tuesday evening at 7 P. M., at Masonic Hall, East Eighth and East Burnside streets.

Brief talks will be given by Rev. W. O. Shank, of the East Side Baptist Church; J. M. Lepper, representing the East Side Business Men's Club; Rev. A. J. Montgomery for the Portland Presbytery; John M. Lewis for the men

of the church; Mrs. C. F. Clark for the women, and Willard Rucker for the young people.

Musical numbers will be provided by E. M. Madsen, Evans, director, and Miss Marian Bennett, soprano, of the church choir, assisted by Miss Evelyn Ewart at the piano.

Several Portland friends, including the officials of the Spalding Logging Company, will go to Newberg for the services. Mr. Bassett was a Mason, a member of the Order of Eastern Star and of the Woodmen of the World.

Artillery Corps Equipment on Way. Equipment for the four new companies of Coast Artillery, recently organized in this state at Tillamook, Marshfield, Astoria and Hood River, is on the way from various arsenals and munition factories throughout the country. Soon these new units of the coast troops will be equipped fully and

will become a full-fledged part of the defense forces. Major W. W. Wilson, Acting Adjutant-General of the Oregon National Guard, was advised of this fact yesterday from military headquarters.

FUNERAL WILL BE TODAY

Several Portland Friends to Go to Services for Glen O. Bassett.

The funeral of Glen O. Bassett, manager of the Spalding Logging Company's plant at Newberg, who was killed Thursday while supervising the unloading of logs, will be held at Newberg today at 2 o'clock from the Friends' Church.

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A Dentist's Character

Has Much to Do With the Success of His Business

Reputations Are Made or Unmade Overnight

Character Is the Work of a Lifetime

Reputation is what PEOPLE SAY YOU ARE. Character is WHAT YOU REALLY ARE. Reputation is a fickle jade—she follows the crowd, listens to the jingle of money, bestows her favors upon worthy and unworthy alike.

Dr. Cook, of North Pole fame, was placed upon a pedestal of fame by reputation, and in the space of a few short weeks was torn from his lofty place and became the laughing stock of two continents.

Customers are either satisfied or dissatisfied—either way they spread the news, and reputation follows.

Go among my patients and my friends and they will tell you my reputation is good; go among my enemies and they will tell you there are no words of sufficient strength in their vocabulary with which to describe my reputation.

I pride myself that no man leaves my office with a feeling that he has been robbed; that no woman ever left my office with a blush upon her face; that no child who placed confidence in my claim of painless extraction ever had cause to feel that I had abused his innocent faith in me.

If I had lacked character the people would have soon deserted me and my cause would have been lost.

Any Dentist Can Cut Prices, But It Takes Brains to TURN OUT BETTER WORK

MY PRICES FOR GUARANTEED WORK—

- Electro Whalebone Plates \$15.00
Flesh Colored Plates \$10.00
Ordinary Rubber, All Red \$5.00
Porcelain Crowns \$3.50 to \$5.00
Gold Fillings, from \$1.00
22-K Gold Crowns \$3.50 to \$5.00
22-K Gold Bridge \$3.50 to \$5.00

All Other Work Proportionately Low

We Have the Knowledge, Ability and Experience

Electro-Painless Dentists IN THE TWO-STORY BUILDING Corner Sixth and Washington Sts., Portland, Oregon

Try This if You Have Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary, liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.—Adv.

CHARITY BOARD SELECTED

Confidential Exchange Will Be Clearing-House for Information.

Including one representative from each of the charity organizations in Portland, a new managing committee of the confidential exchange to handle charitable work in the city has been formed, under the supervision of A. H. Gehart, secretary of the Welfare Bureau. The headquarters of the committee will be in room 444 of Courthouse, and it will furnish a clearing-house for information for all the charities of the city.

The personnel of the committee announced by Mr. Gehart follows: Mrs. D. C. Burns, Mrs. C. J. Devereaux, Miss Katharine Gile, Rev. F. K. Howard, Isabella R. Gaud, Emma E. Butler, Sadie Orr, Dora M. Gentry, McMath, N. F. Johnson, A. R. Gehart, Lois G. Baldwin, Miss Valentine Prichard, M. Mosseson, Rev. W. W. Youngson, Jacob Kandler, J. W. Andrews, Miss E. V. Campion, J. R. Sturatt, Miss E. E. Grittinger