

ONLY TWO RACE FOR MAJOR AS YET

George L. Baker's Entry Practically Assured and Several Others Mentioned.

DAN KELLAHER ON LIST

Among Those Prominently Spoken of for Commissionerships Is K. K. Kubli—A. L. Barbur to Run—Dick Probability.

With the city election only 11 weeks distant, the political situation is living up decidedly. The two aspirants are formally in the race as yet for Mayor, and only one for Commissioner, with two vacancies to fill. However, a host of prospective candidates is in the background...

BOYS JOIN AIR CORPS

SCORE OR MORE MEDFORD YOUTHS ENLIST IN ARMY.

Enthusiasm for Aviation Branch Is Almost Epidemic—Anxious Mothers Consult Recruiting Sergeant.

MEDFORD, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—A score of Medford youths between the ages of 18 and 23 years, have enlisted or signified their intentions of joining the aviation corps of the United States Army within the last week.

DE LA MAR MINE LEASED

PORTLAND SYNDICATE TO OPEN IDAHO PROPERTY AT ONCE.

Famous Old Mine in Southwestern Part of Gem State Expected to Give Profit as in Past.

The famous old De La Mar mining property in southwestern Idaho, adjoining the Jordan Valley district, Oregon, has been leased by a Portland syndicate associated with Seattle capital, and the dump and tailings will be operated by them at once.

CLERKS OPPOSE BURLESON

Postmaster-General's Confirmation Held Undesirable.

Resolutions opposing the confirmation of Postmaster-General Burleson by the Senate were adopted unanimously yesterday by a mass meeting of the Railway Mail Clerks Association, held at the Oregon Hotel.

THRIFT WEEK PLANNED

FUNDS WILL BE RAISED FOR RED CROSS AND HOSPITAL.

Articles Donated Will Be Sold, Half of Proceeds Going to Donor and Rest to Movement.

"Thrift Week" will soon be a fact in Portland. A number of well-known Portland people determined to yesterday when they met on the fifth floor of the Journal building and organized a committee for that purpose.

RAILROAD AID IS OBJECT

Klamath Falls Committee Will Make Canvass in San Francisco.

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—A committee of business men and members of the Klamath Falls Business Men's Association will go to San Francisco next week to raise more of the terminal fund money.

OBREGON DECLARED LOYAL

Carranza Consul Says General Is Still in Cabinet.

EL PASO, March 17.—A statement by Carranza Consul Eduardo Bravo, issued tonight, denied the charge that General Obregon was leading a political movement in Mexico and announced that he would continue to serve in the Carranza provisional cabinet until May 1, when Carranza would be inaugurated President and would appoint his new cabinet.

NEW FRENCH LOAN MADE

Issue of \$100,000,000 Floated at 5 1/2 Per Cent on 2-Year Basis.

NEW YORK, March 17.—J. P. Morgan & Co. announced today the flotation in this country of a new French loan for \$100,000,000 in two-year notes, dated

QUARTER REVISION DRAFT IS OUTLINED

Committee Appointed to Support Measure at Polls in City on June 4.

SPECIAL ELECTION URGED

Provision Made for General Vote on Mayor and Auditor With 11 District Representatives—Civil Service Provisions Defined.

Amendment of the commission charter to provide for a Mayor and 11 district commissioners to replace the present Mayor and four Commissioners, is to be proposed by a committee on charter revision of which J. E. Dunne is president. Circulation of initiative petitions is to be started at once.

LEGAL FIGHT FORECAST

MRS. ALEXANDER NOT TO ACCEPT REMOVAL BY SCHOOL BOARD.

Charges of Bad Faith on Part of Authorities and That Hearing Was but Ruse Will Be Made.

Far from regarding the decision of the School Board in dismissing Mrs. Alexia Alexander, former principal of the Benson Polytechnic School for Girls, on charges brought against her by Superintendent Alderman as final, Mrs. Alexander will take further legal steps to retain her position in the service of the Portland schools.

FIGHT FOR BOY IN COURT

UNCLE AND AUNT SEEK TO ADOPT CHARLES R. TURNER, AGED 5.

Father Wins Habeas Corpus Proceedings—Couple Say He Had Long Abandoned Child.

As though in answer to the successful habeas corpus proceedings instituted in the Circuit Court this week by R. W. Turner to obtain the custody of his son Charles R. Turner, aged five, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hendry, uncle and aunt of the boy, filed a petition for adoption of the lad in the County Court yesterday.

DEAD, I HURT IN FIRE

BOISE PHOTOGRAPHER RESCUED AFTER SAVING FATHER.

Twenty-five Lodgers in Fashionable Hotel Flee to State Capitol in Nightclothes; Girls Saved.

BOISE, Idaho, March 17.—(Special.)—John M. Myers is dead and his son, Horace C. Myers, a prominent Boise photographer, is lying at death's door as the result of a fire in the Sherman House, a private fashionable hotel of this city, today. Scarcely clad in nightgowns, about 25 lodgers made their escape from the burning building last night.

NATIVE SON DEAD AT 62

James B. Davis Dies Near Albany on Farm Where He Was Born.

ALBANY, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—James B. Davis, aged 62, one of Linn County's oldest natives, died today at his home about six miles north of Albany.

MOVE MADE TO BLOCK TAX

Action Filed Against Road Expansion Plans at Astoria.

ASTORIA, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—Action was filed in the Circuit Court today asking that the Sheriff be enjoined from collecting the special 4-mill tax levy made by Astoria road district, and that the County Court be restrained from expending the fund in the manner that the district meeting directed.

CHIEFS RENEW FIGHT

New Objections Found to Firemen's Two-Platoon Plan.

SALARY WOULD BE FIXED

Other City Employees Obligated to Stand Entire Cut in Event of Emergency—Mr. La Roche Advises on Legal Phases.

Under the two platoon (two shift) plan which members of the Fire Bureau will ask the voters to pass at the city election June 4, the fire service not only would be divided into two shifts, but also the firemen would continue to get one day off in six in addition to their regular vacation periods and would be protected absolutely from any decrease in salary for any cause whatever. Such is the advice of City Attorney LaRoche given members of the board of fire chiefs after a study of the two platoon measure prepared by the firemen.

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Reopening of Industry at Wheeler Encouraging to District.

THE DALLES MAILS HIT

Postoffice "Economy" Order Causes Reduction in Service.

WHEELER, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—The reopening of the big Wheeler Lumber Company milling plant in this city, the cause of much rejoicing throughout the Nehalem Bay district.

SUSAN M. TOOLEY DEAD

Linn County Woman Passes After 53 Years of Wedded Life.

ALBANY, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—Mrs. Susan M. Tooley, aged 75, died at her home, five miles north of Albany, today, after a wedded life of 53 years. She resided most of her life in her native state, Indiana. She came to Oregon 26 years ago and had resided near Albany the past seven years. She was an active member of the Baptist church.

THREE DEER KILLERS FINED

Game Warden Says Animals Are Driven From Hills by Snow.

PENDELTON, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—Deputy Game Warden George Tonkin has returned home advertising the conviction of three hunters for illegal hunting of deer. Alfred Todd and Harold Todd were fined \$25 each and sent to Rittler. The former is a Government hunter in Nevada and will lose his job. William Ryder, of Ukiah, was fined \$25, payable Monday. He was arrested and charged with killing three deer. He pleaded not guilty and will be tried at Pilot Rock. Tonkin says he saw 29 deer in one band while on the trip. The deer have been driven out of the mountains on account of the deep snows and are easy prey for hunters.

\$40,000 PAID FOR CATTLE

Other Sales of Beef Are Held Up by Car Shortage and Strike.

BAKER, Or., March 17.—(Special.)—Word of one of the largest cattle transactions reported in Baker County in several months was brought to this city today from Homestead. Tomlin says he saw 29 deer in one band while on the trip. The deer have been driven out of the mountains on account of the deep snows and are easy prey for hunters.

People Demand Guaranteed Dentistry

Dentistry

You are entitled to the same protection when you spend your money on your teeth as you are in buying a good watch or a diamond ring.

People From Far and Near

come to me with their teeth to fix up—simply because I guarantee everything I do. If I can't guarantee a piece of work, I won't do it, and tell you so right then. I firmly believe that the reason for refusing to guarantee Dental Work is born of selfishness. That the scientific plea they make is but an EXCUSE, and not the real REASON. That the unwillingness of the Dentist to assume responsibility for his work (thereby making the patient take all the risk) is but another sample of selfishness and injustice. The day will soon come when the Dentist that won't guarantee his work will absolutely have no business—and why should he?

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

MY PRICES FOR 15-YEAR GUARANTEED WORK—

Table listing dental services and prices: Electro Whalbone Plates...\$15.00, All Other Work Proportionately Low, We Have the Knowledge, Ability and Experience.

Electro Painless Dentists

IN THE TWO-STORY BUILDING

Corner Sixth and Washington Streets, Portland, Oregon

MRS. M. E. RANKIN IS DEAD

Sister of Judge Jones and Wife of Early Millman Passes.

Mrs. Mary E. Rankin, 367 North Nineteenth street, a sister of District Judge Joseph H. Jones, died last night at the home of her son, E. J. Rankin, 358 Twelfth street, following an illness of several days.

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Senator Cummins alluded to Germany's method of submarine warfare as "the last product of the devil's arsenal."

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RUPTURE CURED

with a good truss that is properly fitted. We are experts at fitting trusses and have them at \$1.50 and up. THE SEELEY-SPERMATIC SHIELD appliance, for which we are exclusive agents, usually closes the opening in 10 days. Satisfaction and fit guaranteed or money back.

AUTOPSY REVEALS MURDER

Young Woman Found Dead in New York Hotel, Strangled Is Verdict.

LAUE-DAVIS DRUG CO.

TRUSS EXPERTS

8d and Yamhill Sts., Portland, Oregon.

