

SUPT. M. C. CASE FOR HIGH SCHOOL FUND

Says This Will Open Doors to All, Free of Tuition. Explains Working of the Law. Established Will Give us a Complete Educational System.

Supt. M. C. Case, of the Washington County Schools, when questioned yesterday about the proposed High School Fund law, which voters will decide upon at the coming election, said:

"The question of the High School Fund to be voted on at the coming November election, puts it up to the voters of Washington County to decide whether they will provide excellent high school advantages for their children or continue to send them outside of the county for said advantages. Under the system, if indorsed at the November election, the doors of any high school in Washington County will be open to pupils from any district in the county without paying tuition. In other words said system will form the whole county into one district for high school purposes, with several high schools situated in different parts of the county. Under this law any district may start a high school and be entitled to draw \$40 per pupil from the high school fund up to the number of 20 pupils, providing said amount is paid for teachers doing exclusively high school work. Any foreign pupil attending any such school without paying tuition. As it is now, after the pupil has finished the 8th grade his school days are over unless his parents can send him to the O. A. C. or some other school outside of the county, or put up \$22 per year for his tuition in the high school at Forest Grove or Hillsboro. At present, Hillsboro and Forest Grove are maintaining four year high schools, but the tuition is \$120 per year, and this with the cost of board and books is more than the average farmer can afford, especially if he has several children to educate. Whereas, if the High School Fund is established, the only expense in attending high school will be the board and books. With a good high school near at home and no tuition to pay, a farmer can rest assured that his children will work and learn, and expenses will be reduced to the actual cost of living at home, and for two days in each week the boys and girls can return home to share in the affairs of their home life. With this High School Fund established, our school system in Washington County will be complete, giving our children the opportunity of attending school until they are 16 or 18 years of age, and further education, if a pupil wished to specialize in any particular course, could be carried out by said pupil through his own efforts.

During the past school year, 211 pupils graduated from the 8th grade. A large per cent of these graduates are through the grades taught in their home district, and to carry their school work further must leave home and pay for tuition, board, and books. The County High School Fund established will open the doors of all High Schools in Washington County, free of tuition."

Col. D. L. Houston, of Hillsboro, is on the state ticket for State Labor Commissioner—and his name is the first from Washington County since away back in the dark ages. Of course, he is on the democratic ticket, but as one republican, the other day, put it: "We ought to give Dave a good rousing vote and not consider politics when we get down to this office. He is worthy, has a wide acquaintance over the state, and would make a bang-up official. As for me, I'm going to give him a vote, and see if I can't get other republicans to give him a good send-off in this county." This is no paid advertisement, either, and David will not know of this until he reads it. When the kitchen is properly equipped there is sunshine in the house. Come in and see our Champion and Charter Oak ranges. They are the best—Emrick & Corwin. Councilman Ed. Schulmerich, chairman of the \$16,000 re-funding bonds committee, is advertising for sealed bids for the purchase of the issue. The bond issue will be for taking up outstanding warrants on the water and light fund, and will bear six per cent. Interest will be collected semi-annually. Just arrived—the famous W. L. Douglas shoe, formerly handled in the city by Wehrung & Sons. For a \$3.50 shoe these cannot be beaten by any shoe the world has worn. Wyatt & Co. Speaking of climate where could you find a more beautiful October day than yesterday, with its warm breeze from the north and east? Old settlers were out taking in the warm sunshine; the sick felt better; and all save the chronic kicker at the eternal fitness of things felt that life was worth living a thousand times! The Schiller a 10 cent cigar, and the Grand Marca, a two for a quarter cigar, are what you want when you buy a cigar. Kept at every bar in Hillsboro. Ask for them. Hauling for the road out by the Warren and Jackson places, northwest of the city, has commenced, and it is expected that it will take about three weeks to macadamize as far as the work is mapped out. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15. Room horse, 12 years, 1500; gray mare, 8 yrs, 1400; gray horse, 10 yrs, 1200; gray mare, 10 yrs, 1100, with sucking colt at side, fine head of milk cows, full blooded and graded Jerseys, all in milk, coming fresh from January 1 on; two heifers, 2 yrs, full-blood Jerseys, with calf; 4 heifer calves, full-blood Jersey bull, coming 2 years; Osborne binder, Woods mowing, hayrake, tedder, disc harrow, spring-tooth harrow, three-section steel drag harrow, cultivator, heavy 3 1/2 Burg wagon, old wagon, heavy spring wagon, open buggy, cart, set heavy work harness, all household furniture, 3 bedroom suites complete, 12-ft extension dining table, kitchen table, Home Comfort range, heater, kitchen utensils, No. 4 Empire cream separator, 10-gal cream cans, farm tools and numerous other articles, all without reserve. Twenty green 6 pairs Pekin ducks, 2 pairs Indian Runner ducks, and some chickens Cornell incubator, 200 capacity, and a Peep-o-Day brooder. Lunch at noon. Terms of Sale—Under \$10, cash; Ten and over, one year bankable note, at 8 per cent. Two per cent. off on cash over ten dollars. James Borwick, Owner. R. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer. J. E. Borwick, Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. R. C. Chism to John R. Pearl, \$8 75 a. Class Stewart donation, \$100. R. N. Jensen to F. J. Weber, 2 1/2 acres sec 24 T 1 S 1 W. W. C. 875. W. C. Heston to A. C. Krier, 80 acres sec 30 T 2 R 2 W. 1600. Edith Kenworthy to A. B. Snider, lot in Valley View ad Forest Grove, 1.300. W. O. Donelson to J. J. Krebs, W. R. Jackson property, First street, Hillsboro, 2500. Geo. Ruprecht to Franz Lorenz, 5 a. sec 3 T 2 R 2 W. 875. Horace Bigelow to S. Morris, 82 a. sec 10 T 2 R 2 W. 7500. Fred Stueben to Nellie Brown, 10 a. T 2 R 1 W. 2500. Christian Lehmann to Elizabeth Landgraf, 2 lots Lehmann Acre Tract, 1000. Sidna Kane to William Kane, 66 1/2 a. on Pacific Ave. Forest Grove, 1730. F. M. Heidel to Willis Ireland, lot 5 blk 7 Tucker & Stewart ad, 150. Sophie Weisgerber to Chas. Hermann, 40 a. sec 33 T 1 R 1 W. 3000. Lulu Ross to David Holbrook, 1 acre John Hicklin donation, 500. Archbishop to Pioneer Educational Society, 2 lots Steel ad Beaverton Portland Heights Realty to Albert Witelch, 3 lots Portland Heights No. 2, 220. Eliza Jane Barrett et al to Trephorn Diericks, 165 acres near Greenville, 14025. Harry Anderson to Oscar Carlson, 115 acres Chas Stewart donation, 10. Jerry O'Brien to Jas Lather, 40 a. sec 23 T 2 R 3 W. 1730. Herman Metzger to Barbara Campbell, lot 6 blk 4 Metzger Acres, 400. Herman Metzger to Murdoch Stewart, lot 1 blk 4 Metzger Acres, 350. Agnes B. Watts to Ernest Reuter, 6 25 a. Marvill Watts donation, 200. Portland Heights Realty to Mrs. Mary M. Hughes, 2 lots Portland Heights No. 2, 220. John H. Smith to C. A. Parvin, 40 a. sec 24 T 1 S 1 W. 875. Mark D. Phelps to G. Barton Heat, about 9 acres sec 25 T 1 R 3 W. 1. James H. Sewell to F. B. Enderlin, 20 acres Bailey & Sewell Acres, 4000. L. D. Curtis to Ada M. Curtis, tracts on and 28 Virginia Place, 1. Aug. C. Schroeder to Marie B. Koenigsmann, 5.33 a. sec 26 T 2 R 1 W. 1.

BARAINS IN HATS. I wish to close out all my Fall and Winter hats. Please call and see for yourself the splendid bargains you can get. Mrs. Rhea Frost, Main & Third. Wanted: Cook for sawmill, having crew of about six men. Will engage for Winter. Would rather have man and wife—man to work in mill or woods, and woman to cook.—Bishop Brothers, Cornelius, Route 1. Money to loan on real estate security. We sell farms. Try us.—The Webfoot Realty Co., Hillsboro 12tf. John Ibach, of Banks, was in town yesterday, and says it looks like a big acreage of Fall sown grain in his section. Miss Olive Landis, of Amity, was in the city Monday, the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. H. Cronise. Father LeMiller, of the Verboort Parish, was in the city yesterday morning.

RESPECTED PIONEER WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. William Kane, of Forest Grove, Died Monday Night. CROSSED THE PLAINS IN FORTY-FIVE. Lived Continuously in Washington County Sixty-Five Years.

Mrs. Sidna C. Kane, aged 70 years, and wife of William Kane, died at the family home in Forest Grove, Monday evening, October 17, 1910, after an illness of several weeks. Her health had been failing for a number of years. Her husband and two children were with her when death came. Mrs. Kane's maiden name was Sidna C. Cornelius, and she was a native of Missouri. She came to Oregon in 1845 with the original Cornelius family, and they settled on the North Plains. She was a sister of the late Col. Cornelius, the founder of the city of Cornelius. Mr. and Mrs. Kane were married September 25, 1856. The aged husband and two children survive—Mrs. John Gebbie, of Portland, and Frank T. Kane, of Hillsboro. Three children have passed away. The funeral took place from the family residence in the Grove, at one o'clock yesterday. Mrs. Kane was a lovable woman, and had a wide pioneer acquaintance. Of her immediate family two sisters and one brother survive: John H. Cornelius, Cornelius; Mrs. Ann Freeman, Hillsboro, and Mrs. Emma Blum, of San Francisco, Cal. Mrs. Kane was an aunt of Postmaster B. P. Cornelius.

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THE UNDERSIGNED will sell at public sale near the Palmateer place, 1.1-2 miles southwest of Reedville, at 2:00 p. m. sharp, on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2. Brown horse, 9 yrs, 900, lady can ride or drive; bay mare, 10 yrs, 1000, lady can drive; gray horse, 10 yrs, 1000, true to pull; cow, 8 yrs, in milk, due to freshen February 13 heifers, due to freshen in March, April and May; 3 spring heifer calves, 2 yr steer, new road cart, 6 in wide tire wagon, good as new, been used but few times; top buggy, pole and shafts, almost new; set almost new work harness; old harness, 5 tooth cultivator, 10 inch, plow, riding outfit, saddle and bridle, "shaps," spurs and quilt; Empire cream separator, 5-gal milk cans, 5-gal barrel churn, and numerous other articles. Lunch at noon. Terms of Sale—Under \$10, cash; Ten and over, one year bankable note, at 8 per cent. Two per cent. off for cash. F. C. Wilson, Owner. B. P. Cornelius, Auctioneer.

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Spoke to Large Audience on Home Rule Measure, Last Night. LAWYER, ORATOR AND FIGHTER. Dwelt Strongly on Proposed Seizure Measure of Prohibition.

A large crowd listened to Capt. Daniel Morgan Smith, former assistant corporation counsel of Chicago, under James Hamilton Lewis, and now general counsel for the National Model License League, at the Crescent Theatre, last evening, and his address was one of the best on the anti-prohibition side of the question ever delivered here. He is an orator, and presents his points in consecutive connection. Capt. Smith is a Cuban war veteran, and is yet a young man. After opening his address, he went into his subject in a business-like way, and said that prohibition did not prohibit; that the model license league would do away with the low dives; contended that nowhere in the world were better fathers, more loving mothers than in Germany, and that this nation had furnished more great scientists and able men of all classes than any other old world country—and yet they were a beer drinking country—while on the other hand, where Turkey had been an abstaining nation for centuries, in that country there was more poverty, and less progress than in any other clime in the world. There were a number of prohibitionists in the audience, and they gave the captain a respectful hearing. His philosophies were of the entertaining order, and if a lecture of any kind could make votes his address was all that could be asked by those who oppose prohibition, as he said they were too easily juggled. In taking up statistics of the prohibition speakers, relative to murders in Maine and Kentucky, he said: "In Maine when one man calls another man a liar the offended party goes to court to make his accuser prove it; when a wife decamps with another man the aggrieved husband sues for alienation of affection and asks for pecuniary damages; but in Kentucky they kill people for these offenses." In discussing the convict situation, Captain Smith said: "The story of the convict, who is a self-confessed murderer, lost to all sense of decency, who cannot be trusted out of the sight of a guard, who for the lack of other excuses for his depravity claims his downfall was caused by liquor, seems not only credited by some, but the unsupported tale is used as a basis for statistics, and you are asked to vote away my right to drink—even in moderation—as a result of these statistics." Capt. Smith was introduced by Henry M. Browning, representing the Home Rule Association, and who told of the work that body of business men, not one of whom is a brewer, or liquor dealer, was doing in combating prohibition. Captain Smith's closing peroration was a grand tribute to Oregon and was one of the finest figures of speech heard here for years. We are making some classy chocolates this week.—Den of Sweats. Chris. Peterson, of North Plains, has moved to Forest Grove for the Winter. Dr. F. J. Bailey, who is interested in the new woolen mills at Washougal, was in town this week, greeting friends. He states that his company will be going operating in a few weeks, and that they have a splendid water power on the Washougal river. All their wool can come to them by river or rail and the place is ideal for manufacturing.



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