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TAFT FORCES IN CONTROL

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ROOSEVELT AND OTHERS. Remember Roosevelt's statement about his first term being the same as if he had been elected President?

That was when enthusiastic friends were trying to get him to run in 1906. He said he had had two terms already. Looking at it that way if he is nominated at Chicago he will be running for a third term. Should he be elected he'd be the first man the country ever put into the White House three times, but he wouldn't be the first to get two nominations, or three either.

Five American statesmen have had three nominations each for President. Eleven have had two nominations. The three-time winners were:

Andrew Jackson, nominated by caucus of radical Democratic-Republicans, 1824; defeated by John Quincy Adams. Nominated by Democrats, 1828; elected over Adams. Nominated by Democrats, 1832, elected over Clay.

Henry Clay, nominated by caucus of conservative Democratic-Republicans; defeated by John Quincy Adams. Nominated by National Republicans, 1832; defeated by Jackson. Nominated by Whigs, 1844; defeated by Polk.

Martin Van Buren, nominated by Democrats, 1836; elected over W. H. Harrison. Nominated by Democrats, 1840; defeated by Harrison. Nominated by Free Soilers, 1848; defeated by Taylor.

Grover Cleveland, nominated by Democrats, 1884; elected over Blaine. Nominated by Democrats, 1888; defeated by Benjamin Harrison. Nominated by Democrats, 1892; elected over Harrison.

William J. Bryan, nominated by Democrats, 1896, 1900, 1908; defeated by McKinley twice and by Taft.

Two nominations and two elections were the portions of Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Lincoln, Grant and McKinley.

Two nominations but only one election fell to the following:

John Adams, defeated by Jefferson, 1800.

John Quincy Adams, defeated by Jackson, 1828.

W. H. Harrison, defeated by Van Buren, 1840. Defeated Van Buren, 1840.

Benjamin Harrison, defeated by Cleveland, 1892.

A CIVILIZING FORCE

THAT Peru has asked the United States Government to send a qualified official to take charge of certain sanitary improvements for which it has appropriated \$1,000,000 goes to emphasize the importance which this country is coming to represent as a recognized force and, indeed, an embodiment of the most efficient methods of public sanitation.

The sewers which the government has established in foreign lands and the water supply stations which it has installed stand for a practical and material triumph which is not inconspicuous in a decade of great material gains. Where the American flag goes, this efficient and cleansing sanitation follows.

Filthy gutters, purifying pools of stagnation, fevers and plagues and uncleanness of the deadly and torpid sort have vanished time and again before this civilizing force of sewerage and sanitation. Anything which contributes so directly to the common good can not be underestimated. That the United States still has much to learn in the way of health precautions, clean streets and adequate ventilation is probable, but the fact that the government has gone to the bottom of the matter, has found the most destructive and menacing evils and has learned to remedy them, is a great step in the way of ideal physical environment.

This conquest of dangers, the superiority and skill which it attests, may well attract our admiration. It is one of the achievements of peace, working quietly and unostentatiously but with tremendous power and meaning.

USEFUL MEN.

The useful men are doing some tasks both sane and good; they're plowing or they're hewing or sawing ricks of wood. They make two blades of lettuce grow where one grew before; they do not bore or fret us with an eternal roar. Ah, when I contemplate them, my eye in moisture swims. Why don't you emulate them, you tiresome Windy Jim? I got so tired of speaking, of verbal extracts, of statesmen who are reeking with Arguments and Facts; of politicians yellow who toot the brazen horn; I most admire the fellow who calmly plows his corn! The men who rant and thunder across the jaded land, and tear the air asunder with noise that beats the band, contribute nothing, nothing, to help the race to win, and idle are the frothing, the wheeping and the din. The man who puts a collar upon his spavined bay, and earns a sweaty dollar for rolling through the day to me is more encouraging than all the gifted boys who even the summer ranning and kicking up a noise. The useful men are being, performing kind deeds; they're on, where things are growing, a-tilling in the weeds—the weeds—they annihilate them, destroy their roots and hums; why don't you emulate them, you wamp and Windy Jim?

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POWERS AND TIEDGEN WIN

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stated that he wished the meeting would take some action that would stop the turmoil that was caused by certain ones stirring up a fight at every election and keeping up a campaign. He praised the Marshfield schools, saying that they ranked among the best in Oregon and that Supt. Tiedgen had accomplished much in this direction during the past two years. In order to settle the agitation, he said it had been suggested that the superintendent be chosen for a term of three years and he said that at least two members of the Board stood ready to elect him this period if the meeting so expressed a desire. He said that the board had power to do so. He said that the two years Mr. Tiedgen had served as superintendent had been sort of a tryout and that he had more than made good and he said that he believed that fully nine-tenths of the parents were in favor of retaining Mr. Tiedgen.

R. A. Coppel followed Dr. McCormac and said that he felt just as Dr. McCormac did and said he believed the vast majority of people who had children in the school approved of it. Then he offered the resolution requesting the directors to elect Mr. Tiedgen for a term of three years.

Tom Hall in objecting to it said that the resolution had been sprung on the spur of the moment and the people were not prepared to vote on it. Mr. Coppel said that it had been discussed in the papers for a week and that he was confident that everyone present was prepared to vote on it.

Alva Doll and Bennett Swanton were named as tellers and the vote taken, the meeting being kept open from 7:30 to 9:00 so that everyone could vote on it.

Vote on Superintendent The vote on superintendent was most decisive, being 124 in favor of Mr. Tiedgen and 15 against him, the latter being regarded as votes in favor of F. A. Golden. The resolution was as follows:

"Resolved, That it is the sentiment of Legal Voters of School District No. 9, Marshfield, that Mr. F. A. Tiedgen should be employed as Superintendent of the Schools for a period of three years from September 1, 1912."

Those voting yes and in favor of Mr. Tiedgen were as follows:

F. S. Dow, A. H. Stutsman, L. C. Dow, Edie Farrington, C. A. Metlin, Eva Gammill, Geo. Ayre, E. Crothwait, R. P. Harrington, C. S. Dodge, G. N. Bolt, C. E. Bolt, H. B. Woods, John Dushney, Alice Black, Ellen Sneddon, Chas. Sneddon, Bessie Bishop, Edna Johnson, Dan Maloney, Jens Hanson, Wm. Ekblad, Lee Webster, Anna Johnson, M. M. Roberts, A. Sanquist, W. E. Wilson, J. H. Rahakopf, J. E. Johnson, W. S. Nicholson, W. Sleep, Nels Rasmussen, C. M. Connor, John Johnson, F. W. Rehfeld, Guy Lattin, E. Hanson, J. R. Lightner, D. A. Jones, H. R. Hyde, C. H. Walter, W. C. Bradley, Minnie Bradley, Mary McKnight, V. O. Pratt, Andrew Hanson, P. E. Allen, R. A. Coppel, L. H. Heisner, Alva Doll, M. C. Horton, J. T. McCormac, J. W. Hildenbrand, F. M. Painter, G. E. Dix, G. A. Brown, Anna Powers, M. C. Maloney, Alice Maloney, Flora Painter, H. W. Painter, L. M. Noble, W. Sullivan, C. I. Reigard, J. C. Doane, Fannie Reigard, Sarah Haines, A. T. Haines, W. L. Bachtel, J. T. Hall, Dora Cathcart, Elizabeth Ayre, Wm. Cardell, August Frizen, Enoch Johnson, Sarah Patchett, Ada J. Harrington, Jeanette Cox, W. F. McEl-downey, B. H. Bachtel, J. H. Cox, K. E. Marcey, Karl F. Johnson, J. H. Houser, Henrietta Roberts, A. Isaacson, C. Magary, Edie Magary, Jno. Backman, A. E. Hoagland, C. J. Frinch, Emma Stutsman, C. W. McCulloch, I. Lando, G. Eickworth, E. A. Eickworth, C. S. Hoffman, Kate Hoffman, John Motley, Anna Holm, Emma Dow, William Abel, Isabel Ferguson, J. E. Edmunds, Ida Douglas, Kate Moriarty, Alta Dungan, G. W. Dungan, Henry Bishop, Agnes Sengstacken, Emma I. Seaman, A. E. Seaman, Mary Johnson, G. L. Dindinger, Minnie Wherret, G. W. Leslie, Hattie McCormac, Fannie Hazard, Ora McCarty, W. H. Dindinger, D. Ferguson and Emma Edmunds.

Those voting no and against the election of Supt. Tiedgen for a term of three years were:

Mary Early, Mary Hall, E. Don McCrary, H. M. Black, Alice Schetter, Mary Coke, Mary Cowan, John F. Hall, D. W. Small, Agnes Hutcheson, M. A. Sweetman, Bennett Swanton, Otto Schetter, Marion Perham and L. E. Fargo.

Annual Report Made. John F. Hall, clerk of the Marshfield school district, read his annual report at the meeting. It showed that three men and 17 women teachers have been employed the past year in the schools. Mr. Hall also stated that all of the teachers now hold certificates, the two who started the year under permits having later secured certificates. There are now 1139 books in the school library, 49 having been added during the year. The total receipts during the year were \$21,575.20 and the total expenditures \$18,020.95. The outstanding bonded indebtedness now is \$71,500.

Tom Hall today stated that the vote on superintendent was not legal because the call for the election had not been given in its proper form. However, the school board did not consider the vote as a binding one, being merely advisory. In view of R being an overabundance, it is expected that the school board will carry out the wish expressed by it.

H. G. KERN IS NEW DIRECTOR

Elected to Succeed F. W. Stevens on North Bend School Board—Other Results.

The North Bend school election yesterday was not as closely contested as had been expected. H. G. Kern was elected director to succeed F. W. Stevens and C. E. Maybee was reelected clerk.

The vote was as follows:

For director: H. G. Kern 91 A. E. Morton 52 E. T. Coffelt 41

Mr. Morton was the candidate selected by the Mothers' and Teachers' Club and Mr. Coffelt was the Socialist candidate. Mr. Kern was the candidate favored by Supt. Raab and his friends.

For clerk, C. E. Maybee, the present incumbent, received 139 votes and N. H. Welling received 33 votes.

Election at Allegany The elections held in school district No. 45 and 76 and at Cooston last night resulted as follows:

No. 45—W. A. Gage, reelected director; Mrs. M. D. Price, reelected clerk for the tenth time.

No. 76—Mrs. Laura Schappers was named chairman of the board of directors, Charles Nelson and George Noah, members of the board, and Mrs. Rosa Bunch, clerk.

Election in Cooston Mr. Russell and W. E. Homme were reelected unanimously director and clerk, respectively, of the Cooston district at the annual school election last night.

Eastside Election. The annual school election in Eastside brought out a larger attendance than has marked any there in recent years. The election was held at the city hall. For director, John A. Olson defeated Carl West, the present incumbent, by a vote of 16 to 15. For clerk, C. E. Jordan, the present incumbent, defeated Wm. Leaton by a vote of 17 to 14.

The former teachers at Eastside have been elected for the ensuing year. They are Mrs. Selma Thomas, who receives \$65 per month, and Miss Frances Franse, who receives \$55 per month.

Bunker Hill Election At the annual school meeting in the Bunker Hill district last evening, R. A. Chapin was elected a director for the ensuing three years and H. M. Albee was elected clerk of the district. Mr. Chapin succeeds W. H. Phillips and Mr. Albee succeeds Mrs. W. F. Squire.

The annual report showed that the district has between \$2,000 and \$3,000 on hand and it was voted at the meeting that a piano be purchased for the school. It was also suggested that the school building be painted, the yard fenced and the grounds beautified.

GIVE CONCERT IN CITY PARK

Program Announced for Band Entertainment Tomorrow Evening.

Director Fenton of the Coos Bay Concert Band today announced the following program for the concert which will be given at the city park tomorrow evening at 7:30:

March, "Vamos".....Kiefer Overture, "Barber of Seville".....Rossini "Simple Aveu".....Thorne Selection "Traviata".....Verdi Caprice "Dance of the Honeybells".....Mantia Grand Selection, "America" Tobani March, "Crimson Plush" Alexander "Star Spangled Banner"

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SCHOOLS CLOSE FOR THE YEAR

Special Programs in Beaver Hill and Elk Rock Districts Are Held.

The Beaver Hill school closed last week and following is the program which was rendered at the Hall Wednesday evening before a large and appreciative audience:

"America" on the harp by Nellie McAdams.

Recitation, "By Your Cherries" by Tena Russell.

"Speech for a Little Girl" by Violeta Russ.

Recitation, "The Wreck of the Hesperus" by Estrene Nylund.

Recitation, "I'll Try and I Will" by Dominick Saccamon.

Dialogue, "Dreadful Boys." Song, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," by school.

Recitation, "City Maid" by Runar Kota.

Teacher's Address by Ethel Anderson.

Recitation, "Lady Claire" by Mary Russell.

Recitation, "If I Knew" by Frances Saccamon.

Recitation, "A Little Girl" by Bella Holmes.

Dialogue, "Shocking Aunt Jane." Recitation, "B or No B" by Jim McAdams.

Song, "Oh, the Sports of Childhood" School.

Recitation, "Ma Can't Vote" by William McCutcheon.

Recitation, "Little Plant" by Arthur Anderson.

"Sweet Bunch of Daisies" on the harp by Nellie McAdams.

Dialogue, "The Sewing Party." Recitation, "Barbara Fritchle" by Mary Russell.

Song, "Our Glad Vacation" by school.

Miss Carrie E. Rodine was the teacher and received many compliments for the excellent work she has done the past term.

ELK ROCK DISTRICT

Many Pupils Pass Examination for Advancement

The Elk Rock School, District 36, on Coos River, closed Friday June 7. The following promotions were made as a result of the final examinations which were completed Thursday.

Eighth Grade—Alden Bessey, Seventh Grade—Bertha Smith, Enos Smith, Rose Smith and Thomas Beale.

Fourth Grade—Fay Beale, Wayland Balcom, Nene Balcom, John Milton, Dorothy Dungan, Mary Beale and Adrian Granby.

Second Grade—Susie Wirth, Jennie Beale, Lloyd Balcom, Millard Shepherd and Freda Milton.

The Board and parents of this district are much interested in making their school the best rural school in the county and have fair prospects of success as the parents are ready to cooperate with any and all efforts for the best good of the school and the Board have many improvements under consideration.

The closing exercises consisted of a delightful picnic at Goodwill's Grove. The mothers brought large baskets, filled with overflowing with good things of all kinds and the pupils their usual healthful appetites, and consequently a splendid time was had. About forty-five were present. The school spirit of the neighborhood was much increased by the event.

HARD COAL CASES

Interstate Commerce Commission Orders Probe. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—The Interstate Commerce Commission upon its own initiative ordered today an investigation into the rates, practices and regulations which apply to railroad transportation of hard coal. All the anthracite roads embraced in the so-called "Hard coal trust" will be respondents in the proceedings.

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W. S. CHANDLER RETURNS HERE

Says Prospects Are Good—May Start Foundations for Buildings.

W. S. Chandler arrived here today from San Francisco, via Portland. Chandler accompanied him and the will open their summer home at the week for the season.

Mr. Chandler said that he has been apprised of any new developments in the Coos Bay railroad situation. He said that there was nothing to give out relative to the Terminal railway and Southern Pacific negotiations. Just how much work the Terminal railway will do this season, besides finishing up part already underway, he was not prepared to state.

He said that general business conditions were good but just at present everything appeared to be thrown aside to discuss National politics.

He had not heard any new railroad news other than that things were progressing satisfactorily, although a little slower than had been originally anticipated.

Irving Chandler, who is auditor of the Southern Pacific at San Francisco, expects to come here to spend his vacation.

Ben Chandler, who has been attending the University of Oregon, Eugene, is planning to attend summer school there and if he does, will not come here before early August.

Will Chandler and wife will probably arrive here about July 1. Chandler is figuring on starting a foundation for his new building, Central avenue east of the Chandler hotel this summer and will come here to supervise the work.

Their daughter, Mrs. Helen Chandler Tremaine, is expected here from Vancouver, B. C., early next month for an extended visit. Miss Margaret Painter is now the guest of Mrs. Tremaine and will return to the Bay with her.

J. C. Miller Appointed Local Representative of Southern Pacific.

Announcement was made today by W. F. Miller of the appointment of J. C. Miller as agent for the Steamers Breakwater, the local way and the Beaver Hill Coal company. The position he assumes is a consolidation of local offices which will give him general charge of the Coos Bay interests of the Southern Pacific and will relieve Supt. W. F. Miller of many details of the business.

J. C. Miller and wife arrived today on the Breakwater from Louis. He is a brother of Supt. F. Miller. For seventeen years has been connected with the Mountain road at St. Louis and previous to that was with the Missouri Pacific.

He assumed his new duties today. L. A. Parkhurst who has been agent will return to his Kentucky ranch at once.

TWO ARE ELECTROCUTED

Second Double Execution at Auburn Prison Today. (By Associated Press to The Coos Bay Times.)

AUBURN, N. Y., June 18.—second double electrocution in history of Auburn prison occurred this morning when Ralph Fried and Jacob Kuhn of Rochester, burglars who murdered George S. Schacht, a grocer, were electrocuted.

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