

TRIO OF UNIVERSITY OF OREGON DEBATERS IN TRI-STATE CONTEST



From left to right—F. V. Galloway, leader; Thomas R. Townsend, and Jesse H. Bond. These constitute the "negative" team of the State University for the interstate league debates between Washington, Idaho and Oregon on March 29. Each school has two teams. One team debates away from home, the other on its own ground. The question deals with the fifteenth amendment to the federal constitution, involving virtually the disfranchisement of the negro.

CANDIDATES ARE LINED AT START

Prospects at St. Johns for Hot City Campaign With Three Tickets in Field.

SOME INDORSED BY TWO OF LOCAL FAMILIES

K. C. Couch, Republican, & C. S. Norton, People's and O. R. Downs, Independent, Are the Men Who Want the Mayor's Big Chair.

All sparring and jockeying for positions in the municipal campaign at St. Johns are completed. The tickets have been arranged practically as they will be printed on the ballot, though a few minor changes may be made. Other features in the campaign are expected as it is the warmest ever experienced by the young city. Feeling is running high.

There are three tickets in the field. It will be noticed that in some instances the same name has been nominated on two tickets, but that in the extent of the similarity. Following is the personnel of each ticket in the order in which they were nominated.

The Republicans line-up. On what is known as the regular Republican ticket, nominated at a semi-secret caucus, or rather agreed upon at a private meeting, are K. C. Couch, mayor; W. L. Thorndyke, recorder; Adam Koemle, treasurer; R. T. Leggett, W. H. King and Charles Lingquist, councilmen at large; Henry C. N. Hunter, councilman from the First ward, and W. W. Raser and L. L. Walker, councilmen from the Second ward. This ticket supports the policies of the present administration.

On the People's ticket, similarly nominated, are: S. C. Norton, mayor; H. M. Eason, recorder; George M. Hall, treasurer; H. S. Hewitt, W. W. Winkle and W. D. Weeks, councilmen at large; S. L. Doble and C. B. Thompson, councilmen from the first ward; D. C. Rogers and J. S. Downey, councilmen from the second ward. Mr. Norton is leader of the minority faction in the city council and supports the high-tax levy on the ground that the city's debts should be paid while the city is prosperous. He believes in a stricter construction of the charter.

Downs Leads Independents. On the ticket known as the Independent ticket, nominated at a meeting called by small handbills strewn on the streets, are: O. R. Downs, mayor; E. M. Eason, recorder; George M. Hall, treasurer; David Bushy, W. D. Weeks and C. J. Anderson, councilmen at large; S. L. Doble and J. H. Black, councilmen from the first ward; E. C. Euseb and J. S. Downey, councilmen from the second ward. Mr. Downs believes that the present government has been loose in handling its financial accounts, and makes that his strong issue. He declares that the taxpayers have a right to know what has become of their money.

The People's and Independents are somewhat allied against the Republicans, but differing in their candidates for office. The Independents have a more radical leader in Mr. Downs than the man who heads the People's ticket. L. Richardson has filed his candidacy for councilman at large and believes that the tax levy is too high; that the future generations should aid in paying for the benefits they receive.

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BOOKS ABOUT BOOKS. Medicott—Abbreviations Used in Book Catalogues, 1906. Pollard—Books in the House, 1904.

PHILOSOPHY. Gomperg—Greek Thinkers, 1905, 2 v. Prince—Dissociation of a Personality, 1904.

RELIGION. Black—Listening to God, 1904. Casquet—English Monastic Life, Ed. 4, 1904. Philosophy of Religion, 2 v. 1905. Sabatier—Apostle Paul, Ed. 6, 1906. Studies in the Scriptures, 6 v. 1906.

MYTHOLOGY. Robbins—Elements of Mythology, Ed. 11, 1904.

POLITICAL ECONOMY AND GOVERNMENT. Bullock—Selected Readings in Public Finance, 1904. Gov—Marine Insurance, Ed. 5, 1902. Hobhouse—Democracy and Reaction, 1904.

Holycross—History of Cooperation, 2 v. 1904. Root and others—Speeches Incident to the Visit of Secretary Root to South America, 1904. Lumsden—Our Constitution, 1904.

BOTANY AND GEOLOGY. Bailey—Botanizing: a Guide to Field Collecting, 1905. Branner & Newson—Syllabus of a Course of Lectures on Elementary Geology, Ed. 3, 1904. Ryatt—Common Hydroids, Corals and Spongiaria, 1904. Marr—Introduction to Geology, 1905.

USEFUL ARTS. Ashby—How to Analyze Clay, 1901. Austin—(The) Flock, 1904. Engineering Index, 1901-05. Iles—Lead Smelting, 1904. Low—Technical Methods of Ore Analysis, 1904, Ed. 2, rev. and enl. Lydon—Woodwork for Schools, 1903. Procter—Principles of Leather Manufacture, 1904. Sinclair—Twentieth Century Locomotives, 1904.

Home and in School, 1907. Wagner—Manual of Chemical Technology, 1904. Woodwork Joints: How to Make and Where to Use Them, 1904.

FINE ARTS. Bond—Gothic Architecture in England, 1904. Finberg—English Water-Color Painters, 1904. Mackall—Hints on Building a Church, 1905. Parkhurst—Painter in Oil, 1898. Robbins—Twelve Great Actors, 1904.

LITERATURE. Boissier—Tacitus, and other Roman Studies, 1904. Cody—Success in Letter Writing, 1904.

DESCRIPTION AND TRAVEL. Benneville—Sakurambo. Drage—Russian Affairs, 1904. Grenfell—Off the Rocks, 1905. Holstein & Montefiore—Sert Life in Russia, 1904. Joyce—Smaller Social History of Ancient Ireland, 1904. Moore—(The) Berman Trail, 1904. Thwaites—Early Western Travels, v. 6, 7, 25-28, 1904-06. Wit—Java: Facts and Fancies, 1904.

HISTORY. Browns—St. Lawrence River, 1905. Goodspeed—History of the Babylonians and Assyrians, Ed. 2, 1904. Hill—History of Diplomacy, v. 1, 1905. Sailer—Iowa: 1873-1846, 1905.

BIOGRAPHY. Bardley, C. W.—Dictionary of English and Welsh Burnings, 1904. Booth, C. (M.)—Life of Catherine Booth; by F. de L. Booth-Tucker, 2 v., 1892. Chadwick, John—Captain Chadwick; by J. W. Chadwick, 1904. Herbert, George—George Herbert and His Times; by A. G. Hyde, 1904. Osborn, B. S.—Sailor of Fortune; Memoirs of Captain B. S. Osborn; by A. B. Payne, 1904. Sewall, Samuel—Samuel Sewall and the World He Lived in; by Rev. N. H. Chamberlain, Ed. 2, 1899. Smiles, Samuel—Autobiography, 1903. Treat, W. P.—Southern Statesmen of the Old Regime, 1907.

FICTION. Gasiorowski—Napoleon's Love Story. King—Medal of Honor. Loti—Disenchanted. Sudermann—(The) Udney Paat. Sutcliffe—(A) Bewick in Arcady.

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN. Copeland—Farm Book for Little Ones. Fesand—Through the Earth. Harding & Harding—City of the Seven Hills. Harding & Harding—Stories of Greek Gods, Heroes and Men. Hurll—Greek Sculpture. Hurll—Tuscan Sculpture of the Fifteenth Century. Marlow—Snow from Life. White—(A) Borrowed Sister.

HAVE HAD NO TRAINS FOR OVER FIVE WEEKS

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Council, Wash., March 31.—For about five weeks no trains have run over the O. R. & N. at this point on account of washouts, but the company now expects to get the road open inside of 10 days. A steam shovel has been put in operation here and the construction work will be pushed until the road is in condition to run trains over.

Work on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul in this country is progressing rapidly and camps are being established all along the line with big gangs of laborers.

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standing is a mother's strongest hold upon her daughter and no mother may shrink it without incurring the gravest dangers to her child. "The Home of a Mother." Keep your daughter's confidence, you mothers. It is her safeguard though it need be no bar to any desirable pleasure. Don't let your little girl get away from you. She is yours, God given, and yours all your life long. If you do not fail to keep your heart attuned to hers and her confidence in you perfect.

William H. Sherwood, the great American pianist, in return recital, Unitarian chapel, Seventh and Yamhill, Friday evening, March 23, assisted by a former pupil, Mrs. Alice B. Marshall, now a Portland teacher, with studio rooms 218 Tidford building. Mr. Sherwood is a home product, "made in America," but stands the peer of the world's greatest artists. The public will show their appreciation of America's greatest musician and teacher by giving him a crowded house Friday night. Reserve your seats at Sherman, Clay & Co.'s.

Insurance Company Pays Up. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., March 31.—The Mutual Life Insurance company of New York has complied with the provisions of the law relative to the payment to the state treasurer of 1 per cent of the company's gross premiums, less the death losses for business done in Oregon the past year. The check turned over by Special Agent J. H. Lauterman amounted to \$1,088.43.

Will Manage Girls' Company. Salem, Or., March 31.—Colonel J. C. Cooper of McMinnville was yesterday appointed manager of the Oregon Girls' Drill company and special commissioner to the Jamestown exposition by Governor George E. Chamberlain. It will be the lot of the irresistible colonel to take a bevy of rosy-cheeked Oregon girls to the Jamestown fair, and to boost old Oregon.

Women's Cam. Gowns \$1.29. Friday and Saturday. Women's Fine Cambric Gowns, long or elbow sleeves, and in square or V-shape neck. Trimmed with lace embroidery and ribbons, and regular \$1.50 and \$1.65 qualities. See window.

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Best grade Brush Skirt Binding, all colors, 8 yard... 35c. Bone Casing, all colors, 9-yard pieces, a piece... 35c. Tape Girdles, blue, pink and white, 50c grade, each... 35c. "Ever Ready" Covered Dress Stays; special, per doz... 84c.

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Cube Pins, large and small, all colors, per cube... 35c. Racine Stocking Feet, all sizes, in black and white... 7c. Whalebone, 9 and 10-inch, best quality, per doz... 5c. Leather Handbags, regular \$2.00 values, special, each \$1.47.

16-Button Silk Gloves \$1.19. Friday and Saturday only at this price. Best quality Silk Gloves, with double-tipped fingers and in black and white and colors. On sale for these two great bargain days at this wonderful low price. Gloves fitted.

\$1.50 White Waists at 97c. Dozens of pretty lace and embroidery trimmed models here for your choosing, and there's not one in the lot worth under \$1.50. Come in fine quality white lawn, with three-quarter or long sleeves. Take advantage.

Huck Towels 7c. Friday and Saturday only. Sizes 17x37 inches, pure white with hemmed ends. Easily worth 10c each. A great bargain.

Men's Shirts at 47c. The famous Mount Hood brand, stiff or golf styles, in neat stripes and figures, detachable cuffs, and all are regular \$1.50 values. Take advantage.

Boys' Shirts 25c. A special lot of Boys' Stiff and Soft Front Shirts in light and dark colors, with or without attached collars, best 50c quality. Sizes 12, 12 1/2, 13.

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THE REALM OF THE FEMINE

BY HELEN HAWTHORNE

Among the great world forces which make for righteousness, which are commonly thought of as being a tendency on the life of the race, motherhood has always held a high place. We are accustomed to the thought that there is in the fact of motherhood a primal force which compels the mother to desire for her child something better than that which she has had herself. The mother instinct which nurtures an infant's unbalanced movements, surrounds its childish life, and grows as the child grows, meeting each need with an answering care, is a primitive, an intuitive sense, the compelling force and the only semblance to religious thought is a fear of evil consequences if the unseen powers become offended. Almost all savage worship is a propitiation of the evil spirit—a form of worship which survives even in our midst and in our own city among the Chinese with their offerings of food to the spirits of the dead, their later degraded gods and the tea and burning punk which are offered as propitiation to the unseen ones, who may only by these means be persuaded to refrain from annoying the living.

Yet among these heathen the power of motherhood is recognized and the maternal ancestor is highly revered. The heathen mother will make any sacrifice for her child. Her own life she will give as a high price to whom she offers tribute, and for her daughter she evinces great devotion and affection, decking her in gay clothing and impressing upon her mind such lessons as the duty of obedience, of frugality, of meekness and of housewifely skill.

The saving grace which lies in motherhood is exemplified over and over again in the work of the Crittenton home. Unfortunate girls who have through the dullness kind of ignorance fallen into shame and degradation are brought to such a better life, that for the first time in their lives they meet with kindness and have their eyes opened to the truths of life. Here they learn motherhood without having known girlhood or wifehood. What does it mean to them? From such a place they go out to find their place in the working world, but there is now a tie which anchors them to one of the fundamental truths of life.

The mother is now working for her child, not for herself. This one treasure life holds. The officers and those who follow these girls in their later life know that the saving power of many a girl's whole future life, the thing which stands to her as a symbol of right living, of all toward which she aspires, is the child whom she has every effort to surround with something better than that which she has known.

This is why we call motherhood a power for righteousness. In the face of all this we can unexpectedly upon such an abortion as the motherhood shown by Mrs. Holman, the mother of Evelyn Thaw. It is not sufficient to claim ignorance. It was vital to her business to know what influence surrounded her daughter. Nor is it conceivable that this daughter made a habit of posing in the studios of artists, of going alone to the theatre and to supper afterwards without her mother's knowing of her movements.

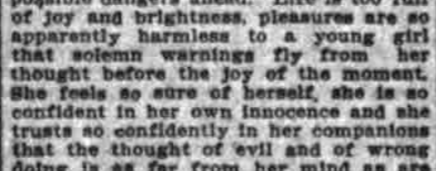
Of course she knew. Monstrous and impossible as it seems, she not only did not object but encouraged such employments and such diversion and worse. Shocking and hideous as it all is, it contains a pointed warning which mothers of our own day and of our times cannot afford to overlook.

To keep her daughter's confidence in the first and most precious duty of every mother. More important than the child's studies, than her pretty clothes and her amusements is that free heart to heart confidence between mother and daughter.

It is not enough to warn a girl of possible dangers ahead. Life is too full of joy and brightness, and pleasures are so apparently harmless to a young girl that solemn warnings fly from her thought before the joy of the moment. She feels as sure of herself, she is so confident in her own innocence and she trusts so confidently in her companions that the thought of evil and of wrong doing is as far from her mind as are the gruesome thoughts of death.

She loves brightness and joy, she loves life and its possibilities, she rejoices in happiness, and these are and should be her atmosphere. Is it not plain that into this spirit her mother alone can enter? No right minded girl shuts herself willingly away from the loving confidence of the mother, if she knows that she will not only listen and give counsel without upbraiding and fault finding.

I am not saying that no harm can come to a girl so mothered, but it is quite certain that in such an under-



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