

LIGHT VOTE CAST IN SELECTION OF SCHOOL DIRECTOR

M. G. Munly Elected as Successor of Mrs. Sitton—Plurality of 89 Secured Over Riesland—3342 Cast.



M. G. Munly, newly elected school director.

M. G. Munly, president of the North Side Improvement association and Democratic candidate for mayor two years ago, was elected a member of the school board of district No. 1 yesterday afternoon to succeed Mrs. L. W. Sitton. He obtained a plurality of 89 votes over his nearest competitor, Ben Riesland.

Although taxpayers of both sexes were qualified to vote, only 2342 men and women went to the polls. In the regular city election, with only the men voting, 28,000 ballots were cast for mayor. In the vote yesterday Munly received 1339, Ben Riesland 1184, A. F. Fleet 637 and Jerry E. Bronaugh 378. J. V. Beach will now become chairman of the board as senior member, taking the place of Mrs. Sitton. The other members are R. L. Sabin, L. N. Fleischer, H. C. Campbell and M. G. Munly. A special meeting is to be held this afternoon to close up the business of the old board. The vote was officially canvassed last night. The election of Munly was a surprise to many, as some of the other candidates had been making more vigorous campaigns. Riesland was actively favored by many of those who have fought the old board, but the Riesland contingent is not displeased with the election of Munly.

TACOMA PATROLMEN VISIT SALOONS HOURLY

(United Press Leased Wire.) Tacoma, Wash., June 20.—In direct contradiction of former instructions, patrolmen today are making as frequent visits to saloons located within the boundaries of their beats as the proper performance of their duties will permit, under orders from Chief Fraser. In the downtown district, where saloons are numerous, an hourly inspection is made, but in outlying districts half hourly visits are the rule. The exact purpose of these frequent visits by patrolmen is not disclosed by Chief Fraser, but the new order is supposed to be part of the reform program instituted by Commissioner of Police Pettit, looking to a stricter regulation of saloons and cafes.

The Real Scenic Route. The true scenic route is via the Canadian Pacific. A daylight ride through the Canadian Rockies is a trip without a parallel. Tickets good for stopovers at Sicamous, Glacier, Field, Lagran and Banff. Apply at 142 Third street.

BABY WANTS HOME

An Exceptional Opportunity to Secure a Beauty

Today we will offer one of the finest and most desirable Baby Grands ever shown in this city. It's a gem. Made of the very choicest genuine crotch mahogany—Louis XIV design—superbly carved and best of all, it's the celebrated Bush & Lane make.

Bush & Lane pianos are today recognized by eminent artists, conservatories and colleges as America's foremost pianos. Their tone is incomparable—indescribable—a rich, deep, "sing-in" quality.

In our great Removal Sale we will offer this beautiful genuine Bush & Lane Baby Grand at a positive and bona fide reduction and on monthly terms.

Think of it: A genuine Bush & Lane Baby Grand—strictly brand-new, for only \$18.00 a month—exactly what you would expect to pay for a high grade upright.

ALL MUST GO.

In our eagerness to dispose of our present stock, prior to moving into our new establishment, we have materially reduced the price on every instrument in our present quarters.

Drop in and see the superb, strictly brand-new and very latest style uprights which you can secure now for only \$18.48. Ask to see the fine piano, which goes now for only \$220. Our word for it, you'll pay at least \$375 elsewhere.

We must find homes for every instrument in our present store. The factory has shipped an immense stock for the new quarters. Fine used pianos go now for \$127, \$148, \$173, \$198 etc.

NOT QUICKER NOW.

The surely piano-buying time. Arrange to come today or this evening. Don't stay away on account of cash. We'll arrange terms to suit your convenience. Bush & Lane Piano Co. (the only direct factory branch in Portland), Seltine-Hirsch bldg., 335 Washington street.

"REVEALER" SEE'S BOOK OF LIFE READ; SAYS HE'S DIVINE

Prosecution Will Attempt to Show That Founder of "Absolute Life" Cult Claimed to Be Spirit Messenger.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Chicago, June 20.—Asserting that Evelyn Arthur See, revealer of the "absolute life" cult, claimed to be the divine power and so gained undisputed power over his followers, Assistant District Attorney Burnham today read excerpts from the "book of absolute life." This manuscript contained lengthy quotations from the "book of truth," both of which were written by See and are saturated with ideas of mysticism.

Attorney Cantwell for the defense interposed stubborn objection to the introduction of this evidence. He was overruled and the reading began. The first excerpt was a quotation from the "book of truth," which is declared to be "the spirit's declaration of himself and his service."

Questions From Book. "I am universal; I am law; my will is the will of the Lord; I work in the hearts of all men; I am the Lord; my service is to lead them to the Lord," was the quotation that immediately followed the definition of the book itself.

Again Cantwell interposed objection. See, he asserted, did not claim to be a spirit. Burnham said that he did, and that he would furnish abundant proof of the fact.

The spirit's revelation came in 1905, Burnham read. "Five years prior to that had been an experience of every phase of mortality. I proved myself to be what I am in myself. I know I am the spirit. I love the world and ask the world to recognize that I am from God, but the world does not know this."

Call Is Issued. Later See wrote: "I have set up my house with man, the house of the Lord on earth is testimony I am with ye. Come unto the Lord's way. His love like sunlight shall raise ye. Everyone receiving me shall receive new life. In the Lord's house is family purity."

Then Burnham turned to the writings concerning "perfect motherhood." See's cult, he had claimed, was to prepare a race of perfect mothers. Referring to mothers, the "book of absolute life" says:

"Because I require the perfect purification of those in whom is provision for the incoming of a new race, I have multiplied the spirit's body, from whom the new race is coming. Those who are that body will garner fruit, advantages of social life, personal purity, by experiencing among themselves all that society will experience."

New Race to Come. "There shall be born a new race. It has awaited its day; now the day is here. Through his son, whom God sends to the world, the world is redeemed, and becomes perfection which can yield invulnerable offspring. Mothers of this race have had a call from the absolute tongue."

Burnham promised that testimony would be introduced showing that the

next excerpt he read referred to Mildred Bridges, who was known as the "Junior commonwealth" as "Motherhood." He then read:

"The mother of the perfect race is here. With my radiance I have clothed her who shall bear a child in token of the fulfillment of my covenant with the people. For my goodness must be brought to earth, my grace known among men."

Solemn Warning Given. After the books had been read into the testimony, Attorney Cantwell solemnly warned the newspaper reporters that the books were copyrighted. The court warned the reporters against laughing so loudly.

Testimony to show that Mildred Bridges, 17, high priestess of the "absolute life" cult, was the prisoner in the "Junior commonwealth" of Evelyn Arthur See at the time the revealer of the "book of truth" asserted she had secret fever is promised by Assistant State Attorney Burnham, who is prosecuting the case against See. Clara Jenny, living next door to the "commonwealth," took the stand late yesterday. Her testimony created a tremendous sensation. She told of sights she had seen from her window which the state attorneys assert prove the contention that See's relations with Mildred Bridges, and with Mona Rees were highly immoral.

Undisturbed by Testimony. Mona Rees, who has been conducting the "commonwealth" since See's arrest on charges of abduction and contributing to the delinquency of a minor child, was not in the least disturbed by Miss Jenny's story. She referred to the witness as a "misguided child" and said that Miss Jenny probably had "distorted things she had seen."

"Probably she saw some strange things," Mona continued, "but they were the legitimate rites in the religion that we three indulged in."

From the detailed description of these "rites" which was given on the stand, the state holds that they have amply shown the immorality that they allege existed.

Fleets for See. Before the trial was resumed today Stephen Bridges made a final futile effort to induce his daughter Mildred to desert See. Her head was pillowed on her father's shoulder, while he tearfully pleaded with her. "Papa, do not testify against Mr. See," was her sobbing reply.

Special Investigator De Woody of the department of justice was the first witness today. He brought a mass of papers and documents seized by federal investigators to ascertain whether See had violated the postal laws or the white slave act.

SALEM MAY ADOPT COMMISSION FORM

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.) Salem, Or., June 20.—By unanimous vote the Salem council passed a resolution last night to appoint a committee of three to confer with business men and the board of trade relative to adopting the commission form of government. The resolution was introduced by Councilman N. D. Elliott and was adopted without discussion.

Oxford Degree for Chemist.

London, June 20.—Professor Theodore W. Richards, head of the department of chemistry in Harvard university, received the honorary degree of doctor of science from Oxford university today.

Gave Blood to Save Wife



Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee, the youngest member of upper house.

(United Press Leased Wire.) Washington, June 20.—Senator Luke Lea of Tennessee lies in the Georgetown hospital today, weak from the loss of a quart of his blood, given to save the life of his wife. Mrs. Lea was operated on Saturday. Surgeons said that only the transfusion of blood would save her life. Senator Lea ordered his own blood drawn.

The necessity of the case was so urgent that the transfusion was made before the doctors had any time even to test the senator's blood. Physicians here say the operation has been successful.

Freckles

Here's a Simple Remedy that Banishes Early Freckles Almost in a Night.

If those who freckle every summer would get a two ounce package of Kintho in June they would be almost sure to have no further trouble when the hot sunshine of July and August discloses freckles on other people. One thing is sure—the quicker you use Kintho the sooner you'll be rid of your freckles. Get it at Woodard, Clarke & Co., or wherever toilet goods are sold. If it fails, get your money back.

"Use Kintho Soap, too. It will not only help give the freckles a push, but it is delightful for toilet use."

cessful and Mrs. Lea will recover. Her husband is in a room adjoining her's at the hospital.

Try Chinaman for Shooting.

Bangor, Maine, June 20.—Tse Shung Linn, a Chinese student of the University of Maine, was given a preliminary hearing in court today on the charge of shooting Miss Christina Shaw, a young teacher of Orono. Linn is alleged to have confessed that he shot Miss Shaw because she caused him "mental torture." He is said to have been infatuated with the young woman and the shooting is believed to have followed her refusal to marry him.

FLAMING TREE FALLS ON BOY AND BURNS HIM UP

Seattle, Wash., June 20.—Arthur Weston, 14 year old boy, was caught beneath a burning tree and burned to death yesterday. Arthur and several companions went to watch the burning of stumps by men engaged in clearing land just north of the city limits. The boy became separated from his companions and in-

gored to watch the flames race up a dead tree. When the stump fell young Weston was pinned to the ground. Two hours later men looking for cordwood found the charred body.

Pretty High School Girl Will Wed Indian

(Called From Laramie Wire.) St. Louis, June 20.—Miss Marguerite Holt, comely high school graduate, will be married next Christmas day to Bel-mard, son of a blanketed Kaw chieftain. Miss Holt's parents announced the engagement.

Advertisement for A. B. Steinbach & Co. featuring Bona Fide June Reductions in Boys' Department. Includes a list of boys' wash suits, knicker suits, waists, and underwear with prices.

Large advertisement for Pacific Monthly Co. featuring the July issue with the headline 'Pioneers Attention!' and 'Do not fail to read the July issue of The Pacific Monthly'. The ad lists various articles and encourages readers to subscribe.

Advertisement for Coast Line Service and Great Northern Railway. Includes details about train routes, schedules, and school information for St. Helens Hall and St. Mary's Academy.