

COMMISSION OPS OFF OFFICIAL HEADS

Walla Walla's New Government Pays Debts and Reduces Expenses.

(Special to The Journal.) Walla Walla, Wash., Oct. 11.—Nine official heads were lopped off by the city commission yesterday when the appointments of the city officers were made and reductions in salaries were announced affecting nearly all the more important offices. Five offices were discontinued, one being created.

In all, the reductions amounted to \$118 a month, or \$1417 a year, which comes within \$200 of paying the salaries of the commissioners, who are added to the city pay roll at \$2000 a year. Only one officer received an increase of pay, that being Country Superintendent W. H. Willis, who replaces Austin A. L. King.

Following the approval in the city office, which followed the new commission government, the board of trustees of the Walla Walla Public Library turned their resignations yesterday. The board was composed of some of the most influential men of the city, comprising T. C. Elliott, L. L. Shapstead, F. A. Garrecht, Dr. E. K. Shaw and Dr. H. R. Keyser.

Commission Was Clean Slate

The resignations were handed in on account of the sweeping order of the city commission removing all city employees. While the board was not intended to be removed by this, it is said, they resigned so as to leave the slate clear for the commission.

Those who were "fired" were Clark T. D. Hart, Treasurer; Perry J. Lyons, City Engineer; C. B. Shiffley, Street Commissioner; H. H. Crampton and Sexton A. L. King. The offices discontinued were Assessor A. B. Dorwin, Surveyor W. R. Nelson, Sewer Inspector Conrad Shiffner, Plumbing Inspector Frits Lahn and the office of sexton, which is now cemetery superintendent.

List of Offices.

The appointments to office, with the salaries attached, are: Clerk, C. Arthur Jones, \$125; marshal, Mike Davis, \$125; treasurer, John McQueen, \$100; attorney, J. F. Watson, \$125; police master, Fannie Gale, \$95; water registrar, R. C. Stack, \$95; city engineer, W. R. Nelson, \$125; police judge, T. M. McKinney, \$50; street commissioner, R. A. Stockdale, \$100; mounted police and sanitary inspector, W. C. Gates, \$95; cemetery superintendent, W. H. Willis, \$100; health officer, Dr. C. E. Montgomery, \$45; water superintendent, R. F. McLean, \$150; fire chief, William Metz, \$150; park superintendent, \$100; sergeants of police, \$95; policemen, \$85; water patrolman, \$85; watchman at badworks, \$75. The five latter positions were not filled, and it is assumed there will be no changes in these places.

Trustees Hear Eva Booth.

(Salem News of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 11.—Eloquent Eva Booth, commander of the Salvation army, paid Salem a visit yesterday on a tour of the state capitals of the country. One of the largest audiences to assemble in the city for some time heard her speak last evening in the opera house. In the crowd were 18 of

Boys and Girls Alike Eager to Bake



Class in domestic science at Forest Grove.

Salem, Or., Oct. 11.—O. M. Gardner, city superintendent of Forest Grove, is doing new work in the schools of that city along practical lines. Mrs. Gardner has charge of domestic science and

frequently holds biscuit baking contests. Frequently boys enter into these biscuit baking contests with zeal. The girls become efficient cooks at a very early age.

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the honor trustee from the penitentiary, who were out working in the afternoon when Commodore Thomas Beall, western division commander, spoke to the men at the prison. In introducing Miss Booth Governor West referred to her as one of God's "noblest children," and declared that if he were choosing a career for his daughter he would rather she should do the work Miss Booth is doing than to be queen of the lightest nation. He said he was interested in the Salvation army because it was helping the poor and needy. Miss Booth's address was notable chiefly for its vivid imagery and powerful appeal to the multitude who are poor, oppressed, and outside the ordinary ranks of churchdom at the present time.

Twenty-Four Lawyers Added to Oregon List

(Salem News of The Journal.) Salem, Or., Oct. 11.—Twenty-four candidates for admission to the Oregon bar were successful in passing the October examinations, and their names were announced yesterday afternoon by the supreme court. The new lawyers are: George F. Skiff, George Crego, C. F. Judge, Floyd Beale, Melvin D. Snow, Sydney R. Johnson, R. M. Burry, W. K. Royal, Bradley A. Ewers, Shirley D. Parker, Stanley H. Rich, John Hunt Hendrickson, Robert L. Mackintosh, Ralph C. Dimick, Emory Charles Dye, Charles J. Zerna, R. E. Robbins, Paul Curtis Laybourne, Claude E. Deming, Percy E. Wood, Kingman Brewster, J. G. Arnold, E. L. Dodd and G. L. Klug.

Columbia River W. F. M. S. Election.

(Special to The Journal.) North Yakima, Wash., Oct. 11.—A three days' session of the Columbia River district of the Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church has just been concluded here. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. H. D. Kimball, Salem; vice president, Mrs. Benjamin Young, Portland; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. N. Fisher, Portland; associate secretary, Mrs. Uri Seely, Seattle; recording secretary, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Portland; treasurer, Mrs. Nettie M. Whitney, Tacoma.

Sydney Love Loses Suit.

New York, Oct. 11.—By a decree issued yesterday affirming the decision of Justice Keogh, Marjorie Burns Love is granted a divorce from Sydney C. Love. Love last spring sought to have the divorce that Mrs. Love secured against him in Westchester county declared illegal on the ground that he had brought a previous action against her and that he was living in Baker, Or. By the decision rendered yesterday, Mrs. Love's decree is made absolute. Journal want ads bring results.

GOLD HILL PEOPLE CONDEMN BRIDGE

Piers for New Structure Over Rogue River Said to Be Wrongly Placed.

(Special to The Journal.) Gold Hill, Or., Oct. 11.—Criticism of the county court and the county engineer is rife here because it has become apparent that one of the piers of the new bridge across Rogue river is not to be located on the high rocky wall of the narrow gorge through which the river flows. Protests have been made to the county court at Jacksonville, and Monday, it is supposed in response to these protests, Judge Hill and County Engineer Harmon were viewing the work.

Critics of the plan of the new bridge claim that a big mistake is being made by not taking advantage of the splendid natural site and placing both piers high on either wall of the gorge, where the Southern Pacific planned the piers for its bridge only 100 feet down the river, and where the wooden piers of the Centennial bridge have stood since 1874. Old residents, who know what a raging fury the Rogue becomes at times of high water, maintain that the pier that is being placed on a shelf within the wall of the gorge and some 20 feet lower than the opposite pier, which rests on the summit of the other wall, will never stand against the Rogue.

It is thought that the blunder in engineering occurred by taking the dimensions of the old Centennial bridge as measurements for the new bridge, which, however crossing the river at a slightly altered angle, has a span or perhaps 25 feet more than the old structure. Either this, or the type of span selected, is made in but one size, and not being long enough to rest on piers placed on the solid canyon walls must be placed on at least one pier which is exposed to the current at high water.

Pacific County Taxes Irritate.

(Special to The Journal.) South Bend, Wash., Oct. 11.—When the taxpayers of Pacific county paid their 1910 taxes they were astounded to find an average increase of about 50 per cent, and in very many instances of 100 per cent, over 1909. For 1910 the state and county levy was 25 mills on a high and very unequal valuation. It is now learned that the state and county levy for 1911, on the same high valuation, is 30 mills and there will be another heavy increase in taxes. The above levies do not include the road and school levies, which vary in the different districts, but will probably add an average of about 15 mills. In the city of South Bend the consolidated levy was reduced two mills, but the school levy was increased four mills.

Brooks New Geologist.

Washington, Oct. 11.—Alfred H. Brooks, geologist in charge of work in Alaska for the past 10 years, has been named by Secretary Fisher as successor to A. Willard Hayes as geologist in chief of the geological survey. Mr. Brooks has been in the geological service for 15 years. He is a native of Michigan.

BREWER CONGRESS TO OPEN IN CHICAGO

Will include Hop and Cereal Show; Government to Send Representatives.

(Special to The Journal.) Chicago, Ill., Oct. 11.—The United States government, many foreign governments and many of the individual states will figure in the greatest exposition of the brewing industry ever held, which, from October 11 to 13, the Industrial Brewers' congress, the International Hop and Cereal show and the Brewers' exposition will be held in the Coliseum in this city. The exposition will be a complete taking of the public into all the details of the brewing industry, from the farm to the model saloon.

Not only the brewer, but the sociologist, the engineer and the agriculturist will have a part in the exposition. The United States government will give official recognition of the agricultural value of the exposition by sending Secretary Wilson and four experts of the department of agriculture, and Mr. Wilson will serve as honorary president of the congress. Many states will have exhibits of their barley and hop production provided by their agricultural colleges or state experiment stations.

Not the least important phase of the congress will be the sociologist's side of the gathering, for here the question of temperance will be discussed by noted speakers. This will be especially true of the meeting of the United States Brewers' association which will for one of its chief features have addresses on the need of regulating the saloons, and of promoting temperance by the elimination of the dive.

Eight thousand dollars in prizes will be distributed for the best exhibits of hops and barley fit for brewing and malting purposes. The prizes are numerous, especially in the barley division several of these being for barley grown in special states. Prizes for hops are also offered, the chief being for

WHAT OLD FOLKS NEED

Some Are Younger at 65 Than Others Are at 40 Years.

So many people begin saying, "Well, I'm getting old now," about the time they reach 40, and then let themselves get old—and the fact is they could stay young for a long time, in all but years. We have seen men and women of 65 who were really younger than some are at 40 years—were more active and more up-to-date in everything.

When your energy begins to fall, build yourself up with our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, Vinol, which is a wonderful tonic and strengthener for all weak persons.

A gentleman of Allentown, Pa., says: "I am 74 years of age and find Vinol a great medicine. It is wonderfully strengthening and comforting to me." (Name on request.) Thousands of feeble old people have found Vinol to be just what they need to revive their flagging strength. We guarantee it to please you—money back if it does not. Woodard, Clarke & Co., druggists, Portland, Or.

The best exhibit of hops grown anywhere and the second being for the best hops grown in the United States. The judges in this division include four department of agriculture experts.

ENDS MISERY FROM INDIGESTION OR A SICK, SOUR, GASSY STOMACH

A Little Diapepsin Makes Your Out-of-Order Stomach Feel Fine in Five Minutes. The question as to how long you are going to continue to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or out-of-order stomach is merely a matter of how soon you begin taking some Diapepsin. If your stomach is lacking in digestive power, why not help the stomach to do its work, not with drastic drugs, but a re-enforcement of digestive agents, such as are naturally at work in the stomach. People with weak stomachs should take a little Diapepsin occasionally, and there will be no more indigestion, no

Advertisement for 'MYSTERY' featuring 'Anticipation With Realization Brings Pleasure' and 'Surprise Yourself The Talk of the Town'. Includes a large graphic of a key.

Large advertisement for 'Startling Underwear Sale FOR THREE DAYS ONLY'. Features '6 Entire Stocks' and lists various items like 'MEN'S COTTON RIBBED SHIRTS', 'WINSTED HOSIERY COMPANY Merino Underwear', and 'MEN'S UNION SUITS'. Includes the slogan 'THE PUBLIC KNOWS' and the name 'BEN SELLING MOYER'.