

# SCHOOL SHOULD SHOW PUPIL HOW TO SOLVE REAL ISSUES OF LIFE.

H. B. Miller, Candidate for Director, Takes Practical View of Education.

## ECONOMIC AIM IMPORTANT

Director Must Be Free From Prejudice and Broad Enough to Work For All, He Asserts.

Declaring that his training in the public schools should teach the child to think of work and of efficiency, rather than of ways to escape work, H. B. Miller, candidate for school director, yesterday discussed in a broad way his ideas of what the schools should be. He said that cultural training must by no means be overlooked, but that the pupil's mind must also be directed to the hard facts of existence, how life is to be sustained, and how his part in the economic scheme must be borne.

"The office of school director is a position for which from my point of view, there should be no personal seeking," said Mr. Miller, in expressing his views; "and certainly no special interests involved. The problems of adjusting the school work of our time to the changing conditions and life of the people of the state are many and varied. Any man elected to this position certainly must feel a great burden of obligation. He should realize that the work he has to do is in no sense a personal matter, but involves the interests of all children of the state."

### Training of Hand Important.

"While the position of school director should not be one of self-seeking, yet it is only fair and proper that the general views of a candidate should be well understood by the voters. I am frank to say, therefore, that the leading ideas which I have concerning school work in this city are, first, the habits and understanding of culture, courtesy and respect. The cultivation of memory alone is a distinctly one-sided method of education. The cultivation of the powers of observation, the knowledge and understanding of things and their relation to life, together with some training in the line of making and doing things, is quite essential."

"The training of the hand to industry is just as important as the training of the mind to think. In fact, the best thinking in modern life is inspired by the training of the hand and together. It is of primary importance that the youth of our state should know its resources, its industries and its methods of production. While I have no prejudice against the cultural life—in fact, I think it one of the charms and blessings of existence—we must not neglect the economic life, the knowledge of how to produce things, how to do things and how to live within the environment surrounding us, is of primary importance, and any training of the youth which ignores this feature is very inefficient."

### System Must Expand.

"I should like to see the thoughts, papers and essays coming from the high school students especially, primarily devoted to the industrial and commercial side of our state's interests. Any discussion that deals with the lumber, fruit, vegetable, wool, livestock, water powers, manufactures and other important industrial topics would cause our young people to realize and understand the great diversity and variety of industrial life which must make up the future of the city and state."

"Industrial development in the city of Portland is going to make a future development that few of us have the vision even to conceive. As this development grows the functions and obligations of the school system must of necessity expand with it."

"Perfection in the development of industrial training cannot be reached in a day or year. To my mind, it is not so essential that the youth should be turned out from our public schools as perfect mechanics or artisans as that they should be taught and trained in methods and habits of industry, and gain some knowledge of handicraft and production."

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### Industrial Training Favored.

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"Some organization or method is quite essential to convey to the directors the real sentiment and desire of the people generally, concerning the management of public schools. To my mind, there is no better means available than the continued development and improvement of the Mothers' Congress and Parent-Teacher associations. Cooperation between parents and the school management is of utmost importance. There are many advocates of the school assuming practically all of the obligations which formerly belonged to the parents."

# MASONS WILL MEET HERE IN GRAND LODGE SESSION



Top row, left to right—S. S. Spencer, grand master; William C. Bristol, deputy grand master.  
Bottom row, left to right—Frank J. Miller, senior grand warden; James F. Robinson, grand secretary.

The Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Oregon will meet through delegates in grand lodge in this city at the Masonic Temple, West Park and Yamhill streets, next Wednesday morning. The previous evening the grand master and officials will receive delegates and others in a school of instruction in degree and symbolic work. The grand lodge will continue in session through Thursday and Friday, June 11 and 12.

The proceedings will be presided over by S. S. Spencer, of Eugene, grand master. William C. Bristol, of Portland, is deputy grand master; Frank J. Miller, Salem, senior grand warden; Will Moore, Bendleton, junior grand warden; James F. Robinson, grand secretary; Rev. J. R. W. Bell, Corvallis, grand chaplain; John B. Cleland, grand treasurer. The organization numbers over 12,000 in Oregon, and will be represented at the grand lodge by many of the leading citizens of the state.

What is known in modern times as Masonry originally sprang from the guilds or unions of constructive, trade reasons, existing in England and Scotland in the sixteenth century. The "speculative," or non-operative, element in Masonry began to secure control about 1717-21, until in time the order's bond was placed not only above professional distinctions, but also above national and religious differences, upon a basis of universal brotherhood, as a high authority in Masonry declares today.

In the early days of the new development of Masonry it is said that there were but two degrees, but Masonry now has thirty-three, with a number of organizations growing out of it and attached to it, depending on the members having taken certain degrees or attained certain rank, such as the Royal Arch Masons, Shriner, etc. The Scottish Rite Masons consist of all those Masons above the third degree, and the supreme council of that organization meets in Washington, D. C., where it has a temple and headquarters for its officers.

"I cannot agree with the theory that the parents should be relieved from all responsibility, interest and direction of the child. I believe the board of directors should be the advisers to the superintendent of schools, should be the judicial body to decide upon the policies of the school work, but that the real executive work should be done by the superintendent and those under him. Should be Without Prejudice. "The conditions in the city of Portland in the school work today, as they cannot be reached in a day or year, to my mind, it is not so essential that the youth should be turned out from our public schools as perfect mechanics or artisans as that they should be taught and trained in methods and habits of industry, and gain some knowledge of handicraft and production."

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# STAFF APPOINTMENTS FOR ANNUAL REGATTA WILL BE MADE SOON

Astoria Races This Year Will Be Better Than Ever Before, It Is Said.

## SIXTEEN-FOOTERS GALORE

List of Those Who Have Accepted Invitations From Admiral Phil Metschan Jr. Given.

Phil J. Metschan Jr., admiral of the annual Astoria regatta, will make his staff appointments during the coming week. Metschan has secured the acceptance from nearly 100 northwestern men who are willing to serve on the staff.

The races at Astoria this year are going to be better than any previous years. The Oregon Wolf 1V, Johnny Wolf's speedster, is running a class at any time since it has been built and Seattle will send down a couple of racers, one of which is owned by J. Conside. Considerable boats will be an exact duplicate of the famous "Oregon Kid" and Milton Smith, according to reports, will have another 20 footer this season.

There will be 16 footers galore at the regatta this season. P. C. Atwell, who lost his boat, the Sloth, at Oregon City a couple of weeks ago, will have a new 16 footer. This boat will appear for the first time during the Rose Festival events on Tuesday afternoon. The Bear-Cat, O. P. F. Vogler's boy, Sweet Sixteen and Candy Kid are some of the other 16 footer boats which will be entered in the events.

A list of men who have accepted the invitation to be on Metschan's staff is: R. L. Adams, James M. Albert, R. Alexander, Frank E. Alley, I. Aronson, Roy Alexander, Bendleton.

George L. Baker, G. Clifford Barlow, Warren; John Beath, E. Beall, J. A. Beckwith, S. Blair, H. C. Bowler, A. Bobleter, William F. Brady, C. E. Brown, J. Capron, John B. Coffey, L. E. Crawford, W. H. Curtis, Dr. George A. Coffey, Kalama, River.

Charles T. East, J. E. Mahoney, C. E. Meredith, Raymond, Wash.; A. C. Mofatt, C. H. Moore, Merrill B. Moore, F. W. Moran; H. W. MacPhail, Raymond, Wash.; T. W. Nordby, S. D. Penney, W. A. Payne, Chimoek, Wash.; William Pollman, Elker, Or.; W. C. North, Clarence Reames.

A. A. Reed, South Bend, Wash.; Lewis H. Reese, Harry Richey, J. R. Rogers, R. W. Schmeer, Al Slusher, Nolin, Or.; R. R. Smith; F. L. Spangler, 510 Hutton building, Spokane, Wash.; A. C. Spencer, Ralph J. Staehli; F. L. Steiner, Kelso State bank, Kelso, Wash.; Dr. J. A. Sinclair, Dr. Eudes K. Scott, E. Sinclair, Frank P. Tebbets.

Ron der Werth, R. Williams, Dallas, Or.; C. A. Whitmore, Harvey Wells, J. B. Yeon.

# ROSE FESTIVAL BRINGS OUT NEW SONGS BY PORTLAND WRITERS

'Portland Roses' and 'Broadway' Are the Latest Creations in Lighter Music.

# Half Minute Store Talk--

Two songs in honor of the Rose Festival made their appearance during the week. One is entitled "Portland Roses" the other is "Broadway." "Portland Roses" is a tuneful waltz song, words by Mrs. Cynthia Rudler, Osgood of 787 East Main street and music by Richard R. Trench of Chicago. The words are a good boost for Portland, extolling the weather, scenery and flowers. Mrs. Osgood came here about a year ago from Frankfurt, Mich., but formerly lived in Chicago. She is an artist by profession, and exhibited several canvases at the recent display in the Central library by the Portland Mutual association, of which she is a member. While having written much poetry, this is her first song, written upon inspiration of the roses, with which she says she has fallen deeply in love since coming to Portland. The first stanza of "Portland Roses" runs like this:

"It's in the crimson sunset, They're vying with each other, To show their colors gay; 'Tis then the lovely beauties, Are clinging on the stem, Each with the other vying, .. Each one a glittering gem, "Broadway" is composed by J. Louis MacEvoy, who wrote the words, and Angela May, who wrote the music, both of Portland. The song is in schottische time and should be "put over" with a swing, as it was written in love since coming to Portland. The poster's notation on the title page.

# AINSWORTH SCHOOL PUPILS IN "THE RESCUE OF PRINCESS WINSOME"



A group of boys and girls of the Ainsworth school who took part in a performance of "The Rescue of the Princess Winsome," at the school house yesterday afternoon. About 50 children appeared in the play which will be repeated Monday evening, the proceeds to be used in buying pictures for the school.

# GEORGE OTTEN HAS HONOR OF SUGGESTING ROSE FESTIVAL IDEA

Originator Recalls First Fiesta Which Was Held in 1907.

To George Otten of 235 East 15th street N., a landscape architect, belongs the honor of originating the idea of holding the Portland Rose Festival, which within eight years has come to be looked upon as the big event of the year and an institution of the city.

While Mr. Otten was the first to broach it, the Portland Lodge of Elks can boast the distinction of putting the idea in concrete shape as it was through the efforts of the lodge, backing Otten, that the first fiesta was held in 1907, and was received with such enthusiasm that it became an annual event.

"The first festival was nowhere near as large as the ones we enjoy now," said Mr. Otten in speaking of the first celebration. "The various fraternal organizations and a number of merchants gave a few dollars—about \$4000 in all—and with this small sum we staged the show, parade and all. At the same time the usual Rose show was held in the Forestry building on the fair grounds."

"I got the idea from the old practice in Europe of holding flower fiestas. One day in the Elks club I took it up with the lodge and the first thing I knew preparations were under way for a meeting of various lodges, which was finally held and at which William Sisson, then president of the Rose Association, presided as chairman pro tem."

"E. W. Rowe, who later was elected president of the festival, represented the lodge and at the meeting we developed the idea that a rose festival would advertise to the world that our climatic conditions were right, because where roses grow luxuriantly, agriculture will flourish."

"At this meeting some opposition developed because several present did not like the idea of using beautiful blooms to decorate floats. This kind of a patter got what was coming and did most of their own decorating. The rose festival we decided to hold the first rose festival."

# Daniels to Reward Sailor for Bravery

Master at Arms on the South Carolina Will Be Commended for Jumping Overboard After Mate.

Washington, June 6.—Charles E. Dilbeck, master at arms, third class, on the South Carolina, will receive a letter of commendation from Secretary Daniels for gallantry in jumping overboard and rescuing a shipmate.

It happened down in Haiti. The sailor is said to have yielded to the lures of Port au Prince and was going back to the South Carolina under guard of Dilbeck. Upon reaching the boat the man jumped overboard. Dilbeck followed and towed him to safety.

# BERNHARDT REPORTED ILL

Paris, June 6.—Reports received from Liege, Belgium, indicate that Sarah Bernhardt, who is there with her company on a tour of Europe, is seriously ill. At her apartment in the Boulevard Periere her son Maurice said that he had received a telegram confirming the report of his mother's illness. He thought, however, that it referred only to a painful affection of the knee from which she occasionally suffers.

# Chile Once Ruled by Three Headed Junta

Commission Rule Obtained in South American Republic After Revolution of 1891.

Washington, June 6.—When Minister Suarez of Chile, one of the A. B. C. mediators at Niagara Falls, discussed the advisability of a commission or junta to rule distracted Mexico, he spoke with the knowledge of one who has seen such a governing body lead a nation out of the revolutionary wilderness.

Chile was under the control of a three-headed junta in 1891. They ruled that date the country has been peaceful and prosperous.

The chief difference between the junta proposed at Niagara Falls and Chile's commission was in mode of appointment. It was proposed by the present mediators that the two warring factions in Mexico each appoint a member of the junta and the A. B. C. mediators the third. Chile's junta was appointed by the revolutionary heads.

The members of the Chilean "Junta de Gobierno" were Jorge Montt, who had been a Chilean navy captain; Waldo Silva and Barros Borgoño, president of the junta and a majority in the congress. The latter objected to the president's using his influence in favor of a certain candidate for the presidency. Six Chilean warships revolted and many of the congress leaders went aboard of them. The revolutionary fleet called north and seized Iquique. The army supported the president and severe battles were fought, the rebels being victorious. The "Junta de Gobierno" was then established. The revolutionary army marched southward. Balmeaceda resigned, the junta established headquarters in Santiago and order was swiftly reinaugurated.

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