

MARRIED TEACHER ISSUE ONCE MORE FACES LOCAL BOARD

Woman Notifies School Directors of Her Marriage and Matter Is Referred.

NOTICE IS LITTLE LATE

Three Teachers Who Were Recently Married Have Handed In Their Resignations.

The school board is once more confronted with the married teacher problem.

May 22 the board elected Miss Violet N. Johnson as a teacher. When the acceptance was returned to the board it was signed by Mrs. Violet N. Johnson Cook and there was attached the explanation that on June 2 Miss Johnson had become Mrs. Cook. Mrs. Cook was several days late in notifying the board of her acceptance of the contract providing that it be handed in by July 12.

Whether Mrs. Cook will be permitted to accept or not will depend in a great measure on the decision of the board in the matter of appealing from the recent decision of Judge Morrow that marriage is not a bar to teaching in the public schools.

As an offset to all this worry over married teachers the board has received the resignation of three teachers recently wedded. They are Blanche Herscher, Henderson, Woodmer's school, Olive Rodum Strom, Sunnyside school, and Irma Whittier Jeffries, Chapman school. Through Clerk Thomas the board will send notes of congratulations as well as acceptance of the resignations.

Painting Contract Let

The routine business transacted by the board yesterday included the adoption of the recommendation of the teachers' committee that the summer school for adult blind be continued for six weeks.

Permit was given to exchange the two automobiles given by the assistant superintendents for new cars, provided the exchange could be made on a reasonable basis.

Bankers Elected

On recommendation of the judiciary committee the following banks were selected to receive deposits of school funds: Bank of California, Bank of Oregon, Citizens Bank, Bank of Savings Bank, Ladd & Tilton, First National Bank, Lumbermen's National Bank, Merchants National Bank, Northwest National Bank, United States National Bank and Bank of Bellwood.

Plummer Elected Delegate

Director Plummer was elected as a delegate to represent the board at the National Education association convention at Oakland, Cal., and several other appropriations to defray his expenses.

The Journal's Plan Interests Pendleton

Pendleton, Or., July 24.—Acting upon the suggestion contained in the Oregon Daily Journal, Thursday, a number of prominent Pendleton people are discussing the practicability of raising sufficient money to have A. Phimister Proctor's "Buckeroo" cast in bronze and set up in the city as a monument to the Round-Up.

COUNTY COURT NEWS

The county commissioners on a remonstrance from 27 owners of property in Peake Bros. Home Acres denied the petition of Richard Teggart for an order vacating a portion of the plat of the district.

The board referred a request by Carl Beedel and others for improvement of Killingsworth avenue from Wednesday street to the Cully road with gravel to the roadmaster informing him also that about three years ago the petitioners had secured an order to move a barn located on the road but that the barn has not been removed.

Thomas Lucas of Troutdale, was authorized to lay a water pipe across the Base Line road to his home.

A schedule of prices of explosives was submitted by the E. I. Du Pont De Nemours Powder company and referred to the purchasing agent.

The Union Oil company of California, notified the board that fuel oil furnished the county will cost 35 cents per barrel delivered by auto truck after May 13 instead of 30 cents as contracted for.

Kennewick Rancher Buried. Kennewick, Wash., July 24.—Delbert L. Amon, rancher, who died Wednesday afternoon after an illness of nearly a year, was buried Friday afternoon. Services were held at the home of his sister, Mrs. N. J. Amon, and were conducted by the Rev. C. D. Rarey of the Methodist church, who was called home from above Ellensburg where he was spending a two weeks' vacation fishing.

Hibernians Will Picnic Tomorrow

Big Time Assured for Those Who Attend Sunday Outing at Crystal Lake Park.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians holds its seventeenth annual picnic at Crystal Lake Park tomorrow. There is a long list of appropriate prizes offered for the sporting events and athletic contests. There will be dancing in the afternoon and well into the night. The street car company will run special trippers to handle the crowds.

In all the previous 36 annual outings there has never been such a long list of interesting events, such a diversity and number of prizes, and there is every indication that tomorrow's outing will surpass in attendance any two of its predecessors.

FIRST STEPS TAKEN BY CITY TO COLLECT ASSESSMENTS DUE

Notice Issued and Money Must Come or Property to Be Sold for Debt.

The first step to increase the general fund by forcing collection of delinquent interest on improvement bonds was taken yesterday by C. A. Bigelow, commissioner of finance, and City Treasurer William Adams.

A notice of collection was prepared to be sent immediately to each delinquent property owner with the warning that failure to pay promptly will result in the sale of the property to meet the debt.

In the past 10 years the city has advanced \$20,000 to pay delinquent interest on improvement bonds. Of this amount approximately \$750,000 has been advanced from the general fund and the repayment of any considerable portion of this amount will be the city in meeting the expense of administering government from now until the end of the fiscal year and during the period of three months between the end of the fiscal year (November 30 to March 1) and the time when tax receipts begin to come in.

Big Sum Due

The city treasurer estimates that approximately \$500,000 is collectible from delinquents and the city council announces determination to enforce collection.

The letter to those delinquent in payment of improvement bond interest reads: "For the past two years the city has used its funds to pay the maturing interest on delinquent bonded assessments in its desire to aid the property owner affected by adverse business conditions."

"The time has now come when the city is no longer able to carry the burden of this indebtedness and the city appeals to your citizenship to use every effort to promptly meet your obligation, so that you may be saved the resulting loss and the city's credit be preserved."

"In the event you neglect to pay the past due interest on your bonds, assessment, the city will be forced to sell the property subject to the lien of this indebtedness."

City Needs Money

The reference to years in the first paragraph is inferred to mean the time during which commission government was being advanced delinquent interest.

Since 1912, inclusive, the city has advanced \$503,690 from the general fund, \$150,000 in 1912; \$151,500 in 1913; \$145,000 in 1914 and \$200,000 up until June 1 of this year. An amount of \$30,000 must be paid by the end of the year, but it is the purpose of this notice to collect this amount with interest past due, from delinquent property owners, and not to advance any more from the general fund.

Woman Was True Friend to Needy

Mrs. C. Cartwright's Funeral Attended by Former Sailor, Who Recalls Many Noble Deeds of the Deceased.

In attendance at the funeral of the late Mrs. Charlotte Cartwright, held yesterday, was a man who had met her over 40 years ago, when he was a stranger sailor boy just from his ship. She spoke kindly to the lad; helped him find his way; helped him get a position; helped him with a kind smile and a little interest in his welfare, just as she did many others.

Charles R. Price, one of the officers of the Loyal Order of Moose in this city, was the lad. "Mrs. Cartwright was the friend of the sailors in those days. Her husband owned the Occidental hotel and the bark Edward James," he said. "Many a sailor boy got a helping hand because of Mrs. Cartwright. She was the true woman who spoke to me in Oregon. She was a Godsend to many a wandering boy. I tell you, I will remember, in July, 1875, when I was a second mate of the British ship Grisdale, was drowned while in swimming near the old Pacific dock, at the foot of Madison street. Mrs. Cartwright wrote to his folks in England, sent them his little keepsakes, looked after the funeral and saw that his grave was marked. There are mighty few women like Mrs. Cartwright was—mighty few."

Talk of Conscription Causes Small Riot

Major Emil Bauger and Officers from Montreal Battalions Attacked When They Tried to Hold Meeting.

Montreal, July 24.—(I. N. S.)—Major Emil Bauger, who recently returned from the front, and several officers from the local battalions, were last night prevented from conducting a recruiting meeting in Parc la Fontaine by an angry crowd of women and boys who, after shouting "we won't have conscription," pelted the speakers with missiles.

GRAYS HARBOR FEELS THROB OF RETURNING LIFE TO LUMBERING

Man Who Has Showing of Spruce Logs Is Now Considered Fortunate.

Aberdeen, Wash., July 24.—The last week has seen quite a revival in the lumber business, and as a result of the pronounced activity in the market, several logging camps are preparing to resume work.

At present the output of the mills of Grays Harbor is not within 50 per cent of two years ago, and there is a noticeable shortage of logs. Spruce, needed for aeroplane construction, is scarce, and the clear produce brings fancy prices. A good spruce log showing on Grays Harbor today is considered a mint. There are many orders coming in for the higher grades of flooring and siding, one firm having sufficient orders of this nature to last for a year.

This will have a tendency to raise up the large amount of No. 1 fir logs that have been stored from month to month owing to the small demand for the better grades of lumber.

Mill men of this section are gathering data to be presented before the congressional commission that meets in Seattle next month, at which time the matter of lack of facilities for handling lumber through the canal in competition with British Columbia mills, through to the eastern coast, will be discussed at length.

Thunder Storm in Juneau Terrifies

Alaskans Think Earthquake Is About to Destroy City When Unaccounted Storm Sends People Scurrying.

Juneau, Alaska, July 24.—(I. N. S.)—Two people were suffering from serious injuries and two were suffering from slight electric shock today as a result of the most violent electric storm ever occurring in this section of Alaska. So brilliant were the flashes of lightning and so potent did the claps of thunder seem that Juneau for a time was almost in a panic, and people rushed from their homes thinking that an earthquake was about to destroy the city.

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The rain which followed the electrical storm was a welcome relief from the excessive heat of the past few days, and has removed the danger from forest fires, which has been threatening for several weeks.

A second official climb was made Tuesday. R. W. Ayer was guide and F. P. Letters leader. Others were Jacques Letz, Agnes Lawson, Susanne Kellett, Henry A. Smith, A. C. Franke, Alice Bartfield, E. W. Galusha, W. G. Collins, Mrs. Laurie R. Frauser, Anne Mickell and Lillian Cowie. All reached the summit at 3 p. m.

Detective Shot Down in Strike

Bayonne, N. J., July 24.—Guards at the plant of the Tidewater Oil company, early today reported that a detective was wounded probably fatally, at dawn by the intermittent fire which the strikers maintained throughout the night.

The situation is growing more serious, of Sheriff Kinkadee declared that the limit of his resources had been reached and that he believed troops will be needed.

Deputies today raided an arsenal belonging to the strikers and captured 50 new rifles and a quantity of ammunition. The strikers charged that the guards were using the rifles in sniping.

Little News from Front. Paris, July 24.—(I. N. S.)—Repulse of German attacks in the Vosges and continued fighting in the region were the only activities chronicled in today's Communique from the French war office.

Strengthen the Nerves. Make Morfords' Acid Phosphate. Seasonal in cold water makes an invigorating, refreshing, strengthening beverage. Ad.

Glass paving blocks, used in an experimental way in a French city street, lasted less than two years.

Stories of Street in Town

Pioneering in Auto. LAST Tuesday night will be remembered by Edward Holman, his wife and two women visitors. They went out in an automobile for the cool air after dinner, and 17 miles down the Linnton road found a promising looking side road known as the North Plains road. Mr. Holman and his party were delighted with the scenery, woods and scent of the fir and pines. They all agreed that the road exceeded the Columbia river highway in scenic beauties. At 9:45 they came to a muddy and marshy stretch of road, and decided to go through. In the middle was a ditch, originally intended to drain the road, but now filled with slush. It caught the auto and held it fast. For two hours they struggled and applied ingenious devices for lifting the auto out of the mud. Then they gave it up and waited for daylight. At 4:30 a. m. it was light enough to discover some cordwood, old rails and pieces of plank, evidently used by travelers gone before, and the travelers managed to back the machine out. The road was so narrow they had to keep backing for half a mile. The Holman family automobile now carries a lantern, a coil of rope, crowbar and saw. "We are going up the road again very soon," said Mr. Holman. "And we are bound to see what is on the other side of that quagmire."

COMMUNITY SYSTEM OF BOOSTING NOW TO BE GIVEN ATTENTION

Gerrit Fort, Passenger Traffic Manager of Union Pacific, Has Plan of His Own.

MUCH ENERGY IS WASTED By Joining in One Plan Much More Good is Northwest May Be Accomplished.

Gerrit Fort, passenger traffic manager of the Union Pacific system, is a believer in the idea of making one big community of the whole northwestern section about what benefits the farmers of that community will be held a few evenings ago, at which considerable stock in the proposed enterprise was subscribed. Work of oiling the county roads of Polk county was completed this week.

Mr. Fort's idea was attempted last year by the cities of Portland, Spokane, Tacoma, Seattle and Bellingham. It came to naught because some of the cities were not willing to contribute save for their own special benefit. It was proposed to maintain a joint agency in Chicago or some other city of the east, where information regarding the whole northwest could be disseminated impartially.

But Mr. Fort proposes to carry the same idea further by inducing the railroads to go in together to exploit the advantages of travel to this vast scenic region. He admits that the carriers have been as much at cross purposes as the cities. Accordingly, he proposes to bring about a spirit of cooperation, even among competitors, because he feels that the tourist travel to the Pacific coast is just beginning and should prove one of the biggest passenger assets the railroads will have in coming years.

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NEARLY EVERYONE IN MAZAMA CAMP HAS NOW CLIMBED SHASTA

Total of 59 People Have Made Ascent; Wednesday's Party Has Fine Trip.

By F. H. McNeill. (Staff Correspondence.) Camp Bronaugh, Mt. Shasta, July 23.—Two more climbs of the mountain this week, resulted in a total of 59 persons making the ascent during the two weeks of the encampment here. The most brilliant were the flashes of lightning and so potent did the claps of thunder seem that Juneau for a time was almost in a panic, and people rushed from their homes thinking that an earthquake was about to destroy the city.

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Elsie Janis Loses Voice for Soldiers

Noted Actress Has Been Singing Ten to Dozen Times a Week for Fortnight to Wounded Men.

London, July 24.—(I. N. S.)—Elsie Janis, who sailed on the St. Louis today, passed the last fortnight singing for wounded soldiers, ten and a dozen times a week, until she has lost her voice entirely. At her farewell, 200 convalescents at Richmond went wild after the performance and almost carried her out of the camp boundary.

Dummy Rivets In New Bridge

Hoquiam, Wash., July 24.—More than 1000 dummy rivets were found by the bridge men engaged in repairing the new Eighth street bridge across the Hoquiam river. The bridge was built at a cost to the city, counting the operation of a ferry, of \$90,000, and was the result of a number of bridge builders pooling their interests. The city needed a bridge and paid the highest price, getting in return poor workmanship. The city commission has the matter under advisement.

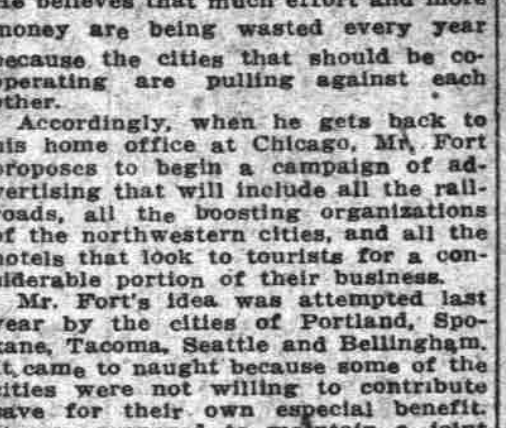
Grand Patriarch Visits at Dallas

Dallas, Or., July 24.—Robert Andrew of Portland, grand patriarch of the I. O. O. F. encampment, paid an official visit to the local lodge Thursday evening.

There are strong indications that a cheese factory will be built at Rickreall in the near future. A meeting of the farmers of that community was held a few evenings ago, at which considerable stock in the proposed enterprise was subscribed. Work of oiling the county roads of Polk county was completed this week.

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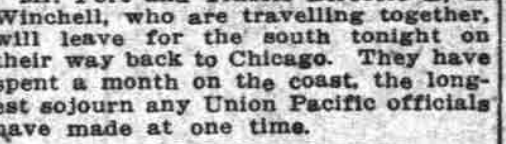
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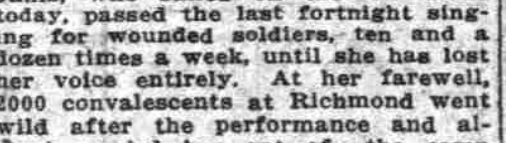
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Approximately 60 miles of roadway have been covered with petroleum.

M. F. Moran, a member of the Alaska legislature, was in Dallas this week, arranging with U. S. Grant for the shipment to his ranch at Shungnak, 600 miles north of Nome, of several head of Angora goats from Mr. Grant's fine herd.

To Make Investigation.

The city commissioners will investigate the alleged damage to the property of W. T. Lyon at 380 East Sixty-sixth street, said by him to be due to drainage water from reservoir No. 6. He asks the city to replace walls damaged beyond repair and prevent further seepage. Action was delayed one week pending an inspection trip.

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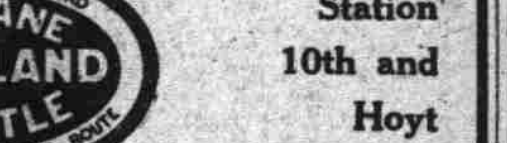
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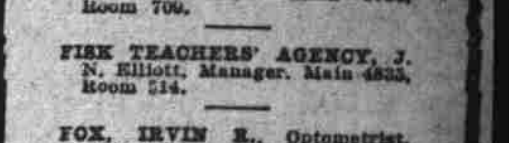
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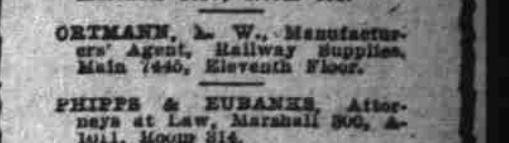
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