

### SCHOOL PATRONS TO CANVASS CITY FOR MILLAGE TAX

#### Many Prominent Portland People Urge Passage of Measure for Relief of Elementary School.

A flying squadron of Portland public school patrons will swoop down upon the voters of the city Monday in a house to house canvass in the interests of the 2-mill tax measure for the support and maintenance of the elementary schools of the state. Through the joint efforts of patrons, teachers and the campaign committee a fine organization has been worked out to take care of this work and an effort will be made to canvass every registered voter in the city between Monday morning and Thursday night.

The prospect workers will be armed with literature, arguments of a verbal sort and with attractive window cards lettered in red: "We will vote for the Children's Bill No. 314, May 21."

#### WHAT CITIZENS SAY

Prominent citizens testify to the merits of bill 314 as follows:

**Mayor Baker:** "The children are the bulwark of the nation and if we neglect their education or provide them with teachers of inferior training, we are in the end undermining the nation."

**W. B. Ayer:** "The state's duty to the child cannot be met under existing laws. The public school is the foundation of American institutions and under present conditions at least 20 per cent of our rural schools are without an adequate teaching force; this is because these districts are unable to pay a salary on which a teacher can maintain a respectable standard of living."

**Oswald West:** "The strength of a nation is measured by the strength of the man at its center. The strength of this man depends upon his education. His education depends upon the character of our common schools and the character of our common schools is dependent upon the character of our teachers. The character of our teachers depends largely upon the question of living wages. If follows, therefore, that good pay brings good teachers; good teachers bring good citizens and good citizens bring good government."

**Dr. E. J. Lebbe:** "There is no greater need in our state than good educational institutions. In the past no public institutions in the state have been conducted more economically. If we are to retain the services of our teaching corps and give our students a good foundation, we must supply our school system with adequate funds."

**Ex-Mayor Albee:** "Oregon's standards are at stake, either we vote the two-mill tax or we become a tail-end in educational matters. We must be just to our children and vote 314 Yes."

**Franklin T. Griffith:** "If we are to maintain the educational system of the state we must be prepared to pay its reasonable cost. There should be no hesitancy in voting for the millage tax for the elementary schools."

**DUTY OF MOTHER**  
**John B. Coffey:** "I heartily endorse the two mill tax measure for the support and maintenance of the elementary schools, believing it will be for the best interests of the tax payers to further the cause of education."

**Dr. W. G. Elliot Jr.:** "Our common schools should be adequately supported. I expect to vote for elementary school millage bill 314."

**Eric V. Hauser:** "I am thoroughly in accord with this movement and assure you that you have my hearty cooperation."

#### PAY WELL FOR BEST

Judge Jacob Kanzler: "The first step in the sacrifice of our children is to fail to support our elementary schools; these schools are in financial distress. Millage bill 314 provides relief, therefore I am for it."

#### Oswald West Turns Down Offer of Coos

Marshfield, May 15.—Oswald West has refused to accept from Coos county \$1000 in full payment for his services in connection with collection of back taxes from the government and due on Southern Pacific lands. He asked for more than \$1000, and the county court decided this was exorbitant and tendered \$1000, but the county order has been returned.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS STAGE WORKING EXHIBITS



Above—Leure Winton and Mary Young, demonstrating ironing and cooking in the window of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. Below—Rosemary Gansvolder, Blanch Johnson, Gwendolyn Puckett, cooking in the window of William Gadsby & Son.

### Talk on Educational Tax Issue Vital Points Are Reviewed

Hundreds of columns have been printed throughout the state concerning the higher educational and elementary school millage measures that are to be voted upon May 21, and the literally thousands of talks have been made concerning them, yet many voters are still unaware of the content of the two measures, and of the differences between them. Many voters, too, still have misunderstandings concerning the two bills, and especially concerning the one to protect the work of the State university, Agricultural college and Normal school.

**QUESTIONS ARE ANSWERED**  
The Journal, accordingly, has compiled a list of the questions most commonly asked about the two bills, and prints them below, together with answers:

**QUESTION—**What do the higher educational bill and the elementary school bill provide?  
**ANSWER—**The higher educational bill calls for a levy of 1.25 mills on the assessed valuation of the state and will appear on the ballot as the higher educational tax act. The other measure calls for 2 mills on the assessed valuation of the state and will appear on the ballot as the elementary school fund tax bill.

**Why were both not put in one bill?**  
The source of income differs. The higher educational institutions are maintained solely by the state tax, which at present is only seven tenths of a mill, plus one twenty-fifth of a mill for the Normal school. The elementary schools, however, are supported principally by school district taxes, which range from a few mills to 30 mills, as a rule. It is proposed merely to transfer 2 mills of the district levy for elementary schools to the state levy, in the case of the elementary school bill.

**Why is it desired to transfer the two 2 mills?**  
Because \$42,000,000 in assessed property is now taken all school taxes through being outside of any school district. This property, mostly timber, would contribute 2 mills under the new proposal. Because the proceeds from the 2 mills would be distributed on a "per teacher" basis, thereby aiding weaker districts.

**ATTENDANCE IS INCREASED**  
Why are the state's higher educational institutions in need of more financial aid?  
Because their attendance has increased 150 per cent in the last seven years, while the buying power of their income has been reduced by more than half.

### MAN, INTERNED AS ALIEN ENEMY IN 1918, IS SET FREE

Following internment of 18 months in the Multnomah county jail because he refused, as an enemy alien, to be paroled to the United States attorney, Frederick Dahrendorf, a native of Germany, and for more than 28 years a soldier in the United States army, was ordered freed Saturday on the order of the department of justice.

Dahrendorf was arrested at Vancouver barracks, where he was stationed, early in 1918, after he had made the threat, it is said, that if he was ever sent overseas he would not shoot Germans, but American soldiers. He was sent to Fort Douglas for internment.

Immediately after the armistice, Dahrendorf and five others from Fort Douglas were sent back to Portland under bond and ordered to report to the United States attorney for parole.

The parole work was assigned to Assistant United States Attorney Charles Reames. Dahrendorf's five companions readily accepted the parole obligations and were released. In six months they were given absolute liberty.

But Dahrendorf, according to Reames, refused any conditional freedom and demanded complete restoration of his liberty. His manner was extremely truculent, Reames said.

The department ordered Dahrendorf held as a dangerous alien. A message came through today, however, advising his release as the internment camps were being closed. He was confined under the presidential proclamation of April, 1917.

Dahrendorf entered the United States army a few months after reaching this country from Germany, and when arrested was a non-commissioned officer.

payor if the higher educational and elementary school bills pass?

The cost will be \$125 on each \$1000 of assessed valuation, in the case of the higher educational measure. Assessed values are commonly one third of market value, so that the tax would come to about 42 cents on actual value. The elementary measure would add \$2 to each \$1000 of assessed value, provided the district did not reduce its own levy to correspond with the amount received from the state.

### Two Drayloads of Loot Are Found in Aged Woman's Home

Two dray loads of loot, mostly clothing, was found in the home of Mrs. Jennie Johnson, 717 Kerby street, Saturday afternoon, by the police. Investigators reported that Mrs. Johnson, who is about 60 years of age, has been buying articles from boys in the neighborhood.

Several watches stolen by boys were found in the house. All property reported as stolen was secured and the two boys, who are said to have sold watches to Mrs. Johnson were arrested Friday and turned over to the juvenile court. Mrs. Johnson was not arrested.



W. C. NORTH  
Republican Candidate for Representative  
114 X NORTH, W. C.  
(Paid Adv. by G. G. Joyce)

STANLEY MYERS  
FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
(Paid Adv. by J. A. Beckwith)

VOTE No. 28 [X]  
FOR  
Hamilton Johnstone  
FOR DELEGATE  
To National Republican Convention from Third Congressional District (Two to Elect)  
"Oregon's Choice Is My Choice"  
(Paid Advertisement by James S. Gay Jr.)



VOTE  
143 X HURLBURT, THOS. M.  
Thos. M. Hurlburt  
Republican  
FOR SHERIFF  
(Paid Adv.)



J. W. BELL  
Judge Bell was born at Ripley, Ohio. Was admitted to the bar at Mansfield, Ohio, and to the U. S. court at Cleveland, Ohio, where he practiced until 1893, when he came to Portland.

### For Secretary of State



Sam A. Kozer  
(Now Deputy Secretary of State)  
Republican Candidate  
FOR Secretary of State  
QUALIFIED BY EXPERIENCE

Mr. Kozer is peculiarly fitted for the office of Secretary of State by reason of the fact that he has served for more than eight years past as Deputy Secretary of State.

Mr. Kozer is well equipped by training and experience for the office of Secretary of State, and on these qualifications and the support of the voters at the primaries May 21, 1920.

Coroner Accorded Loyal Support

VOTE No. 154

Dr. Earl Smith

I wish to show my appreciation and want to give the firm support extended me by members of the medical profession on the moment I made known that I would seek reelection as county coroner. In last Sunday's Oregonian appeared the list of 128 physicians who had given personal endorsement to my candidacy and conduct of the office. This was by no means all the physicians of Multnomah county who approve my record, as many more have since been added to the list.

If selected to serve a second term I will conduct affairs of the office and the public mortgage just as in the past, as efficiently and economically as I know how. Republican electors are requested at the primaries to vote No. 154.

(Paid Adv. Republican Club.)

141 X—E. N. Wheeler  
Republican Candidate for

### County Commissioner

43 years a resident of Portland. 24 years' training in accounting and executive positions qualifies him for an efficient administration.—Paid Adv.

at the office of the secretary of state. What would be the cost to the tax

### Dr. H. M. GREENE

Republican

for

### Coroner

Ex-Service Man; 16 Years in Practice of Medicine in Portland

BALLOT NO. 153

The following regularly licensed and practicing physicians of Multnomah county believing that all things being equal the ex-service man should be given preference, have signified their willingness to publicly endorse Dr. H. M. Greene, the ex-service candidate, for Coroner:

- JOSEPH A. PETTIT
- J. S. STOTT
- ELIAS STATION SHEPPARD
- WILLIAM B. SHINY
- H. E. SROBT
- W. M. H. SKEENE
- J. J. SELLWOOD
- CHARLES E. SEARS
- WILLIAM O. SPENCER
- JAMES SPROUT
- C. E. STAPFR
- JOHN R. STEAGALL
- R. S. STEARNS
- JOSEPH D. STERNBERG
- W. G. SMOOT
- S. M. STROECKER
- J. GUY STROM
- G. W. TAMMERS
- J. PHILIPPE TAMMERS
- A. TILZER
- ERNEST V. TUCKER
- E. E. VAN ALSTINE
- HENRY C. VIERBECK
- W. L. WOOD
- SHERMAN E. WRIGHT
- J. T. WALLS
- LEONARD E. WATKINS
- H. W. WATSON
- THOMAS WYNN WATTS
- BEN L. NORREN
- A. N. WEBSTER
- GEO. ALYBLIE
- CALVIN S. WHITE
- SARAH WHITESIDE
- SARAH WOOD
- W. HUGH WILLIAMS
- A. ALBERT WITMAN
- LOUIS J. WOLF
- FRANK W. WOOD
- J. C. WOOD
- JOSEPH F. WOOD
- P. J. WILEY
- J. F. WORCESTER
- R. WEATHERS
- R. C. YENNEY
- J. C. ZAN
- EDWARD F. ZIEGELMAN
- AMELIA ZIEGLER
- FREDERIC ZIEGLER
- GEO. ALYBLIE
- OTIS P. AKIN
- MABEL AKIN
- W. Y. ANGELO
- EDGAR H. ANDERSON
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- RALPH S. FISHER
- H. F. FLECKENSTEIN
- CHARLES M. FRAZEE
- J. F. DICKSON
- HARRY M. HENBERSHOT
- P. F. GUNSTER
- CHESTER G. HALL
- F. E. HARRIS
- RALPH M. DODSON
- E. A. DALTON
- E. H. EAST
- E. E. CABEE
- KITTY PLUMMER GRAY
- W. J. GILBERT
- FRED GULLETTE
- S. M. GILBERT
- W. J. GILBERT
- ROBT. H. ELLIS
- M. W. EMERY
- OCTAVE J. GOFFIN
- L. E. GRAVES
- RALPH A. FENTON
- HORACE C. FENTON
- W. H. EWING
- W. A. HESS
- ALBERT E. MACKAY
- CURTIS BOLCOB
- J. L. LOOMIS
- T. A. LOGG
- W. H. HOLDEN
- H. W. HEGELE
- J. R. LOCKE
- CHARLES LOEHR
- L. H. HAMILTON
- J. C. ELLIOTT KING
- T. W. KIRBY
- H. W. HOWARD
- G. OBLO JEFFERSON
- LOVE M. D. DUBOIS
- J. CONSTANCE KLECAN
- MURRAY M. LEVY
- HUBERT E. LEONARD
- ROBT. B. KAREET
- ALLEN E. KIDD
- DONALD H. JENSON
- ARTHUR H. JOHNSON
- GEO. W. KING
- G. Y. KETCHUM
- F. G. LAIRD
- S. LOEB
- FRANK B. KISTNER

Endorsement—GREENE FOR CORONER CLUB, J. Guy Strohm, Sec.

### FEET HURT?

Rheumatism, Sciatic Nerve Trouble or Foot Trouble?

A very large per cent of so-called rheumatism and sciatic nerve trouble is simply foot trouble.

Some of the small bones of the feet have been forced out of position (either by accidents or through bad-fitting shoes), causing nerve pressure, hence pain in feet, legs and upper parts of body.

My system of correcting foot trouble is sure, simple and inexpensive.

Comfort Shoes for men, ladies and children. Arch Builders, Straight Lasts, Bunion Shoes.

Get New Feet!

### Robt. Fisher

Foot Specialist  
Foot Comfort Store  
246 WASHINGTON STREET  
Between Second and Third