

# GOVERNOR NAMES COMMITTEE TO AID AMERICANIZATION

Salem, Or., Aug. 24.—The personnel of a voluntary committee, which will be asked to promote the development of a statewide plan of Americanization, was announced by Governor Olcott today as follows:

W. B. Ayer, Judge Jacob Kansler and V. W. Tomlinson, Portland; Herman Wise, Astoria; Senator Ira S. Smith, Marshfield; J. S. Rorich, The Dalles, and Miss Margaret Cosper, Salem.

The governor stated that he would call a meeting of the committee in Portland for some time in September, at which time an effort will be made to start a statewide movement leading toward the development of the principles of Americanization, particularly among those who are about to become citizens or who have but lately entered citizenship and may have an inadequate conception of American citizenship.

### MUST READ AND WRITE

"It is important that every illiterate in America who has the privilege of voting be taught to read and write," said Governor Olcott today in announcing the personnel of the committee. "Further, it is important that he know the underlying principles of our government and to come into full comprehension of our national ideals. It must be kept in mind that every plan for Americanization includes a full opportunity for every boy and girl in Oregon to get such an education as will permit him to give back to the commonwealth the right sort of service as a citizen. Oregon has taken an advanced position in this latter phase of the work. It has been brought to my attention by Superintendent Churchill, who recently attended a meeting of the National Education association, that at that meeting the national president of the American Legion told of the Legion's program of Americanization and asked for the cooperation of the schools.

### MAKE HISTORY MANDATORY

"He urged that American history be made mandatory in the high schools throughout the country. It was there learned that Oregon was the only state in the Union that required all of its high school graduates to have had one year of American history and civics. The state board of education is notifying the principals of the various high schools throughout the state that henceforth civics will take the place of English history in the third year of the high school and that American history will extend throughout the entire fourth year. This means that hereafter no boy or girl may be graduated from a standard four-year high school who has not had in his course two years of American history and civics.

"It is believed that a committee such as I am selecting may have a statewide influence for much good in the direction of the development of our citizenship. At least, I trust so, and at an early meeting which I expect to call, we hope to outline plans for future organization and for carrying on the work."

## Funeral Services For Mrs. O. W. Olsen Thursday Afternoon

Final rites for Mrs. Ottilie W. Olsen, widow of C. M. Olsen, will be held Thursday afternoon at the Finley chapel and interment will be in Riverview cemetery.

Mrs. Olsen had lived in Portland 49 years. She was a native of Germany and was 57 years old. She leaves two sons, George M. and Charles W. Olsen, her father, William Schmale, and brother, A. W. Schmale, all of Portland. She was a member of the First Presbyterian church, the Portland Woman's club and the Martha Washington chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star.



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## Bottom Lands of Lake Batish Area At Quinaby Afire

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## Philip L. Jackson Will Address Club

Philip L. Jackson, associate publisher of The Journal, will address a luncheon audience at the University club Thursday on his European observations made during a recent trip on which he had the opportunity of meeting representative statesmen, including Prime Minister Lloyd George, Premier Briand of France and Chancellor Wirth of Germany.

### KEG OF LYE EXPLODES

Cottage Grove, Or., Aug. 24.—While Earl Hill, proprietor of the Eagle cigar store, was cleaning out pipes of a fountain Tuesday, a keg of lye exploded. Some of the lye struck Lewis Booker in the face, injuring his eyes.

## WOMAN AIR PILOT AND JINX JENKINS TO PUT ON STUNTS

Stunts that will make stunt-hardened spectators gasp are promised as the feature of a flying circus to be staged at Lewis and Clark flying field Sunday afternoon under an arrangement made between Victor Vernon, general manager of the Oregon, Washington & Idaho Airplane company, Mrs. Ella Dye and T. A. "Jinx" Jenkins, aerial acrobat.

Reversing the usual order of things, Mrs. Dye, who owns and operates her own plane, will pilot the flying machine through at least one act of the afternoon's show, with Jenkins doing the unusual and death-defying tricks from the wings and fuselage that have given him a wide reputation.

Mrs. Dye is a Portland girl who learned to fly here. She has been in Eugene throughout the summer, using her big aircraft for pleasure and commercial flights. To Eugene Jenkins went to stage a flying exhibition and the idea of performing his stunts with a girl for his pilot struck him so forcibly that the two are now booked for a number of appearances at Northwest fairs this fall.

The O-W-I company has offered the facilities of its big field to the intrepid girl and Jenkins and they will stage two exhibitions Sunday afternoon. The first will be at 2:30 and the last at 5:30 o'clock. Mrs. Dye will pilot the plane in

## Final Services Held For Accident Victim

Springfield, Or., Aug. 24.—Funeral services for J. F. Smith, Springfield pioneer killed by a fall from a windmill tower Sunday, were held here this afternoon. Rev. J. T. Moore having charge. Services for John H. Brown, who resided near Springfield, killed Monday in an automobile accident, will be held Thursday afternoon at Mount Vernon cemetery.

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