

POLITICAL POT SIMMERS FAST

Downs Backs E. F. Slade for Job on School Board; Petitions Out

More school politics are evident already this year than was shown for the whole election last year, with announcement last week that Dr. C. A. Downs would not seek to hold his office as director which expires this year and Downs himself leading a group of petition-circulators who are seeking to place E. F. Slade on the school ticket. School elections fall Monday, June 16.

Members of the school board as well as other citizens have encouraged Mr. Slade to allow himself to be a candidate for the directorship as it felt his financial experience and ability will prove of genuine value to the school district. He is vice-president of the First National bank and a former examiner in the federal reserve bank. He has lived here since 1910, was in the army during the war, and has two children in the local schools. He has been active in civic undertakings, is a Kiwanian, Elk, and Legion member.

Two other names have been mentioned for the school posts, those being Dr. F. L. Utter and Bert T. Ford. Mark McAllister's term will also expire in June. He has not yet decided whether he will make a bid for another term.

JURORS DRAWN FOR NEXT TERM OF COURT

Drawings made for the trial jury for the May term of circuit court were announced Friday by County Clerk Byner who with Sheriff O. D. Bower drew 31 names from the sheriff's wheel. Under the requirements of the law the drawing must be made at least 20 days before court convenes and not less than 10 days before the session opens.

The jurors drawn, their addresses and occupations are:

- Roy J. Hampton, East Hubbard, farmer; Albert J. Evans, Chemawa, fruitman; Irene Cutsforth, West Gervais, housewife; Anna M. Vick, Englewood, housewife; Nellie M. Gerig, Macleay, housewife; William Nendel, East Woodburn, loans & real estate; Thomas Connor, St. Paul, farmer; Fred J. Browning, Liberty, farmer; August Nibler, West Gervais, merchant; W. W. Wright, Riverview, farmer; T. D. Trick, Rosedale, farmer; Frank B. Hoefler, East Woodburn, mechanic; Marie Putnam, Salem No. 7, housekeeper; Adelbert C. Barber, East Silverton, mechanic; Clifford E. Hall, Silverton, housewife; Marie Baker, Salem No. 18, housekeeper; Hazel B. Gillette, Salem Heights, housewife; Henry Kirsch, West Mt. Angel, farmer; Mildred Lee, Salem No. 9, housewife; Earl Bear, Turner, farmer; Andrew J. Moffit, Salem No. 14, machinist; C. N. Armstrong, Salem 7, guard; Carrie B. Ross, Salem No. 14, housewife; Nora B. Leslie, Stanton, housekeeper; Nellie E. Gunnell, Rosedale, housekeeper.

SALEM HIGH TEAM IN TYPIST TOURNEY

Salem high school typists will leave this morning for Corvallis to meet other teams of the state in the annual typing contest held on the O. S. C. campus. Eugenie Briezke and Dorothy McCracken will write in the amateur class and Dorothy Kloepping and Edna Faxon will work for novice honors. Four alternates will also make the trip: Willette Taylor, Lela Fox, Jean Peterson and Melva DeBord. Faculty members who will accompany the students include: Merritt Davis, head of the commercial department, Miss Muriel Wilson, Miss Elizabeth Hogg and Miss Margaret Burroughs. Last year Salem high school took second place in the state contest, losing to Eugene by a small margin. In competition between the two schools this year Salem high won all honors, but that is little indication as to the outcome of the state event, as Salem beat Eugene in preliminary practice events last year also.

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A democratic club was held up in New York the other day and \$1500 taken from the card players. This will prove interesting information to the national committee.—Klamath News.

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Spouse Very Cruel to Her, Wife Claims

A drab story of years of married unhappiness with a husband who is alleged to have cruelly mistreated her, is unfolded by Marie K. Wilmarth in a complaint asking divorce filed Friday in circuit court.

"He was abusive—mean—fault-finding—suspicious—he cursed her—frightened and terrified at her approach, life became almost unbearable the plaintiff maintains.

She contracted tuberculosis but that fact did not prevent her from receiving the continued abuse of her husband, Mrs. Wilmarth affirms. His failure to provide made her seek to help herself by constant work and this brought on the disease attack.

Help in support of four minor children is asked of the defendant by the wife.

WEIGHT ALLOWED TRUCKS IS FIXED

Four wheel trucks, operating under the so-called truck act of the 1929 legislative session, may be operated with a combined weight of 22,000 pounds, not more than 16,000 pounds shall rest upon the wheels of one axle, according to a legal opinion prepared here Friday by Willis Moore, assistant attorney general.

He also held that a four wheel truck may be used in conjunction with trailers and semi-trailers, but the combined weight shall not exceed 34,000 pounds.

Six wheel trucks having two axles spaced less than eight feet apart may have a combined weight not exceeding 27,000 pounds, but cannot be used in conjunction with any other vehicle.

Another type of six wheel truck where the axles are not spaced less than eight feet apart, may have a weight of 34,000 pounds. This six wheel truck can be used in combination with trailers and semi-trailers, but the combined load shall not exceed 34,000 pounds. The opinion was requested by Hal Hoss, secretary of state, and was said to be of much interest to truck operators.

ESPEE COMPANY IS SUED FOR DAMAGES

The Southern Pacific Motor Transport Co. and E. S. Coates were made joint defendants in a suit filed in circuit court Friday asking \$2,500 damages for injuries said to have been received by Cameron C. Butte, 8, on January 17 when he was struck by a car driven by Coates.

C. W. Butte, the lad's father who acts as his agent in the action, alleges that the Southern Pacific bus stopped outside the safety zone provided for by the city and that Coates drove to the right of the bus, hit car hitting young Butte as he alighted.

Edna Sneed Now Seeking Divorce From Her Hubby

Life for Edna Sneed has been almost unbearable in recent months and in fact, for several years her husband has made her the object of his bad temper, often calling her vile names and on some occasions striking her with his fists. This is the complaint of Mrs. Sneed filed Friday in circuit court where she seeks a divorce.

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ROAD WILL TAP TIMBER TRACT

Portland Men Ask Route Into Eastern End of Marion County be Opened

Theodore Hansen of Portland and son, Theodore Jr., were in the city Friday morning to ask the county court's approval for work which they propose on the Scotts Mills-Bucket county road that they may open up their 30 million feet of green timber in the Crooked Finger country in easternmost Marion county. In addition to work on the county road, they seek permission to build a road into the territory from Bucket camp, a distance of several miles.

The court is holding decision until interpretation of the last legislature's bill establishing load limits on state and county highways. The Hansen trucking company seeks a promise that they may carry up to 3,000 feet load within the 22,000 pound regulation, asserting that they cannot operate trucks with lesser loads. They plan to use 10 or 12 trucks and to maintain the county road, Mt. Angel is the nearest railroad, a distance of 18 miles from the timber belt.

GRANGE SUIT TO BE ARGUED ON MAY 8

Whether legislators may legally help themselves to \$5 a day expense moneys will be argued May 8 before Judge L. H. McMahon in the Marion county circuit court. Custer Ross, attorney for W. A. Jones, master of Pomona grange of Marion county, announced today. The case concerns an injunction granted by the court restraining the secretary of state and the state treasurer from issuing warrants to the legislators. The argument May 8 will concern a demurrer which was entered against the injunction by a group of attorneys representing the state officials. Jones maintains that the \$120 limit created by the constitutional allowance of \$3 daily expense money for a 40 day session, is clear and cannot be violated.

Young Man Not So Fanciful In Spring, Report

Despite the approach of spring's finest season, there has been nary a license issued for the past two days at the offices of the county clerk and a fear is abroad there that the modern youth has forgotten that in the springtime a young man's fancy is supposed to turn to love. Divorcees, meanwhile, have kept coming in an almost daily succession. With June still more than 30 days away, however, County Clerk Boyer has not lost hope and expressed the opinion Friday that more licenses would speedily be the order of the day.

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