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DEBATERS AT HIGH SCHOOL AT WORK

PREPARING FOR ANOTHER CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Only One of Cup-Winning Trio Back—Prospects for League This Year Are Bright—Eastern Oregon Will Debate Navy Increase Question.

Now that the high school has firmly established itself in the year's routine work, student activities have once again assumed an important part in the time and energies of the school workers. While football at present is the paramount branch and commands the most interest and enthusiasm, there are still those who prefer brain recreation to the exercise of their physical abilities and who have ambitions to become a member of a debating team which will further spread the fame of Pendleton high in the forensic field. A debating class has been organized and Principal Hampton thinks he has material developing there from which a trio can be picked that will compare favorably with the champion and the near champion teams of the past two years. Hartwell of last year's cup winners, is back and is already working hard, and a number who engaged in the preliminary work last season are continuing their efforts to secure a coveted place.

Plans of the debating league for this year have been thoroughly discussed and the prospects are much brighter than since its organization. Professor E. E. DeCou, of the University of Oregon mathematics department, who is also secretary of the Oregon High School Debating league, was lately interviewed upon the work and prospects of the league for the year. "I am pleased beyond all expectation with the work which the league has done and is doing for the high school students of the state. It stimulates and offers a direct opportunity for study of vital public questions, which seems to me to be the most necessary training for citizenship which our young people can have, especially in a state which leads the country in direct legislation. The league has grown tremendously in the three years of its organization and this year more high schools are asking for admission."

Upon being questioned as to the evidence of the beneficial work of the league and the improvement in the character of the debates, Professor DeCou said: "No better evidence can be offered on this question than that furnished by the large number of successful contestants in debate and oratory in the higher institutions of the state who have received their training in the league. Every man in the University of Oregon debating teams, which last year won the championship of the Pacific Northwest from Washington and Idaho, and of the Rocky mountain states from Utah, received his training in the Oregon High School Debating league. Two of these men were freshmen who had led the league teams at Roseburg and Salem, respectively. I have received many inquiries from eastern states which are favorably impressed by the Oregon plan and are thinking of adopting it."

The inter-district and state question for debate this year is as follows: Resolved, That national conservation of natural resources is preferable to state conservation.

The questions for the various districts follow: Eastern Oregon—Resolved, That further material increases in the United States navy are desirable.

Columbia river—Resolved, That the Chinese exclusion act should be extended to all Asiatic peoples.

Central Oregon—Resolved, That the cities of the United States should adopt the commission plan of city government.

Southern Oregon—Resolved, That immigration into the United States should be further restricted by an educational test.

Cosco county—Resolved, That all telegraph lines in the United States should be owned and operated by the federal government.

Secretary E. E. DeCou and Assistant Secretary G. W. Buchen will shortly issue the League Bulletin giving bibliographies on these questions and full information concerning all other league matters. The debate libraries will be secured through Miss Ruth Wright, acting secretary of the State Library Commission, Salem.

District directors of the league are as follows: Eastern Oregon, Supt. J. S. Landers, Pendleton. Columbia river, Supt. W. R. Ruthenford, McMinnville. Central Oregon, Principal R. L. Kirk, Salem.

Southern Oregon, Supt. J. W. Grover, Roseburg. Cosco county, Supt. A. G. Reab, North Bend. Supt. A. L. Briggs, Albany, is the new president of the league selected by the executive committee to fill the unexpired term of the late President A. M. Sanders.

LOLD KITCHENER'S RETREAT FROM BORE

London.—K. of K. has long borne the reputation of being a remorseless and impatient woman hater, although it is only one of those many attributes with which imagination is wont to invest a towering and—for the many—somewhat mysterious personality. Those, however, who know Lord Kitchener best are aware that such a sentiment is wholly inconsistent with what constitutes the real greatness of his mind—the ever-present, overmastering passion for efficiency, and intolerance of all the petty subtleties and makeshifts interposed by either personal or political interests to impede the straight path to its attainment.

It is only when obstacles to this

ideal have been directly traceable to the influence of the eternal petticoat that the resolute and unimpressible field marshal has seemed ruthless to the pretty butterfly.

It was when Kitchener's star was rising in Egypt that he first began to trample on such influences, and many a knight was provided with a return passage to London. But the butterfly continued to stamp, and K. of K. will never forget one awful adventure which befell him at this time.

A fair and influential woman, interested not wisely but too well in a certain warrior, besought an interview of the Egyptian Sirdar. The immovable one, knowing things, excused himself. The woman announced her intention of calling upon him. He posted an officer at his door, with definite instructions. The fair one presented herself and learned that the Chief was "not at home."

She repeated her visit several days in succession, but the faithful one still stood in the breach. At last, one desperate morning, having listened to the invariable formula, she gasped, "How dare you tell me he is not here? You shall not stop me!" And before the astounded officer could muster sufficient courage for active opposition the fair foe had rushed the position with a wild rustle of silk petticoats and parasol at the charge.

Down the passage went the attack, and with that wonderful instinct on which women plume themselves, into a room at the far end, where, behold, a tall man, scantily disguised in shirt and trousers, was revealed at his abductions. Instantly, like the resourceful warrior he was, he took cover behind a sofa of a table and a couple of chairs, and reinforcements being at hand, a series of masterly movements speedily raised the siege. The enemy retired to reflect on the vanity of even a surprised attack upon iron-clad susceptibilities, which are not to be diverted from the public service by all the private and personal interest in the world.

But K. of K. confessed it was the nearest shave he ever had, and but for the furniture might have been a "regrettable incident."

PRINCE OF WALES TO BE MADE MASON

London—Just as soon as he is of suitable age the Prince of Wales will be initiated into the mysteries of Free Masonry. His august grandfather was an enthusiastic Free Mason and Great Master of the order for Great Britain. When he ascended the throne the supreme dignity of Grand Master of English Free Masons was transferred to the Duke of Connaught in consequence of the fact that the then prince of Wales was not a member of the fraternity. But there is no reason to suppose that his majesty will interpose any obstacle to the initiation of his sons as they severally attain years of discretion. It may be confidently assumed that the ceremony of initiation in the case of the Prince of Wales will be conducted by the Duke of Connaught himself.

The court entourage is naturally indulging in speculations as to his majesty's intentions with respect to Prince Albert, who is 18 months younger than his elder brother, and will attain his legal majority on December 14, two years hence. There is no actual precedent that would require his admission to the noble order for the time being nothing can usefully be said on that point. But it is well to remember that the conferment of a dukedom upon a minor is perfectly regular, and it is not in the least likely that King George will wait so long before raising his second son to a formal place in the peerage, by making him duke of York. This is the title that by common consent is chosen for this purpose. It may be taken for granted that Prince Albert will receive this honor at an early date, and in quarters likely to be well-informed the date marked out for this purpose is his birthday two years hence.

RUSSIANS POOR MECHANICS.

Efforts of Scotch to Teach Warship Construction Fail.

St. Petersburg, Russia.—The incompetence of the Russian departments is once more demonstrated by the situation in the naval shipyards that has led to the appointment of a special commission. For even Russian jingoes have had to admit that if the fleet is to be restored with any speed the work cannot be done in Russia.

They have tried to build entirely Russian ships. The duma declared they were to be built in Russia, with Russian material, so the navy department ordered four new Dreadnoughts from a Scotch firm on the condition that the Scotchmen brought their experts to the mouth of the Neva to teach the Russian mechanics.

The work was begun several months ago, but it has progressed with the slowest speed, because there were not enough Scotchmen, and they found the Russians practically useless. As the rapid construction of the fleet is regarded as of paramount importance, the navy department has decided to ignore the duma's demand for Russian manufacture and so a big order for heavy guns has just gone to the Creusot works in France.

The jingoes are screaming vigorously of raising the question in the duma, but the council of imperial defense has the last word, and they have declared that the kindergarten instruction of the Russian mechanics must wait. First of all the army and navy must be fully equipped with foreign supplies, then the ordnance and naval yards in Russia can be tackled.

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SOME SHORT NEWS NOTES FROM WESTON

(Special Correspondence.)

Weston, Ore., Oct. 14.—The young son of James Kirkpatrick, who has been ill at the Walla Walla hospital with typhoid fever has so far recovered as to return to his Weston home.

Ray Morley of Wisconsin, who has been here on a visit at the homes of some of his relatives in and near the city, has decided to remain and has accepted a position with C. L. Barnes.

Miss Minnie Walker left this week for a short visit with friends at Spokane, Wash.

P. A. Worthington of Portland and a former member of the board of regents of the E. O. S. N. S., spent a day during the week in the city meeting some of his old time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Weeks and Miss Edith Garrett, of Wisconsin, are among recent new arrivals from the east and they will remain permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jones of Prosser, Wash., are the guests of friends in and near the city. Mr. Jones was formerly a farmer on the Weston mountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gerberding are away on a visit at the home of their son Fred, who is farming near Pine Valley, Ore. R. L. Wilson is holding down the mail messenger service during the absence of Mr. Gerberding. I. W. Godfrey, city recorder, has tendered his resignation and will shortly move with his family to the Hudson Bay country, where he has leased an alfalfa farm.

Roscoe King has leased the McKinnon ranch east of town on Weston mountain.

Mr. Adam Schriener, of Walla Walla has leased for a period of years, the 240 acre farm of S. R. Caplinger, and has taken possession. Mr. Caplinger will in a short time leave for the coast cities where he will spend the winter.

The residence of O. C. Turner is about completed and will be ready for occupancy during the coming week. For beauty of architecture and up-to-date modern conveniences, it takes the lead among Weston's private residences.

Henry Dowd, who has been down for the past two months with typhoid fever, is now convalescing, and able to take an outdoor drive.

Miss Pearl Connell of Albee, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Davis.

The resignation of F. L. Pittman as rural carrier on route No. 2, Weston, Ore., has been accepted by the department. John Hager is at present acting as temporary carrier on the route. A permanent carrier will be appointed as soon as one qualifies, a civil service examination having been ordered to take place on the 29th inst. for the purpose of filling the vacancy.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Harris accompanied with their daughter Miss Maude, arrived this morning from

Platte, S. Dak. They are at present stopping with their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Hogue, wife of the agent, but will rent a house later and remain for the winter and perhaps permanently, owing to the effect of this climate may have upon the health of Mrs. Harris, who is an invalid.

Saturday evening a "hard times" party will be given by the students of the Weston high school.

IRISH MUST STOP BETTING.

Laws on Gambling Being Rigidly Enforced.

Dublin.—The laws against betting as a business is being enforced throughout the country. The betting practice has become pretty general because of the horse racing season. The police have been instructed to stamp it out and they are being backed up by the clergy and the judiciary. At the Limerick petty sessions recently Edward Daly and John Cronin were charged with being concerned in street betting.

U. E. O'Donnell, solicitor, who appeared for the defense, pleaded guilty on behalf of his clients, but said Lord Derby had a bet of 10,000 pounds, to 1000 on his horse and was at large.

Justice J. H. Roche said street betting was causing much ruin and misery. A fine was imposed on each man and they received a warning.

Paris—Sport for lying sportsmen is

Paris Sport for lying sportsmen is a new idea here. A game dealer in the basement of his shop a popgun and a supply of pellets, and unsuccessful sportsmen who wish to affirm that they shot the birds they purchase may, on payment of 25 cents, fire some small shot at their purchases.

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SOME SHORT NEWS NOTES FROM ATHENA

(Special Correspondence.)

Athens, Oct. 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Robt. W. Reist of Portland, were here during the week attending the funeral of L. A. Githens, the father of Mrs. Reist.

The pastry sale at the store of H. O. Worthington on Saturday last netted \$37.30. It is said that the Aid Society will hold a pastry sale monthly hereafter.

Dr. S. F. Sharp has been on the sick list this week. His symptoms resembled those of appendicitis. Dr. Plamondon attended him.

Col. F. B. Boyd, H. O. Worthington, C. O. Henry, went "for to hunt bar" on the Grand Ronde river.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barrett were in Walla Walla on Wednesday.

Mrs. B. S. Hawks was in Walla Walla visiting friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koepke were Pendleton visitors a couple of days this week.

The Kidders boys, Max and Ralph, have arrived in Tacoma after an exciting overland journey on the hurricane deck of a cayuse.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank King of Weston, are visiting at the home of W. R. Taylor near town.

Mrs. H. H. Hill arrived home from Lewiston Wednesday evening.

Mr. Jesse D. Campbell is here from Spokane to attend the closing out of his department store.

Miss Doris Barnes, a teacher in the public school, spent the last part of the week with her parents in Weston.

Miss Norma Smith, an employe of a mercantile firm in Walla Walla, visited her parents in this city on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tompkins were guests at the McBride ranch in the country Tuesday.

Clark Walter is reported dangerously ill in Walla Walla. Mr. Walter has been in declining health for some time.

Mr. S. Lamb and wife of Oklahoma, are in the city visiting at the home of relatives, the Sharp brothers. They will probably locate here.

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ADAMS NEWS AND PERSONAL ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)

Adams, Ore., Oct. 14.—J. T. Llewellyn and H. Bane made a business trip to Athena Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Merritt left Wednesday for Echo, to visit friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lewis visited in the city of Pendleton Wednesday.

Bert Kirby of the Inland Mercantile Company of Adams, was an Athena business visitor Friday.

Walter Adams and E. A. Merritt went to Weston Tuesday to remain a few days on the ranch.

Lew Murray of Athena, was called to Adams Monday to see Mildred Rogers, who has a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Marquis of Pendleton has moved back to Adams on account of their health. Mr. Marquis has been sick for some time with rheumatism and his condition remains about the same. Dr. McKenny of Adams, is attending the case.

Mrs. M. A. Lewis visited in the city of Pendleton Friday.

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Convicted Woman to Marry. Rome.—The Countess Tarnowska, who is eagerly awaiting the result of her appeal against the sentence passed upon her at the Kamarowska murder trial, is reported to be contemplating marriage with a nobleman belonging to Turin. Count Tarnowska, who is eagerly awaiting the news to the synod of Klief for a divorce from his wife. The countess is in jail at Venice.

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