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### TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Will be Held at Dallas on October 12th to 14th.

Superintendent Seymour has just completed all arrangements for the Annual Teachers' Institute for this county which will be held at the Dallas public school building on October 12, 13 and 14.

The plan of work will be along school lines that Supt. Seymour has been working on during his time as superintendent and with the able instructors he has been able to secure the teachers ought to go back to their schools prepared to do excellent work.

Stress will be laid upon improving arithmetic, spelling and language work. Our present home is a mile out of Oregon City and an electric railway being built to Portland via Oswego goes through the corner of our garden. The scenery around here is grand. Mount Hood looming up in the distance. Several steamboats daily pass within a few hundred yards of where we live. The man after whom your Jennings Masonic lodge was named, lived within sight of our house, and the celebrated Dr. McLoughlin is buried in Oregon City. There are three paper mills here, employing over 1,000 men. The machinery never stops, half the men working at night. Eva, who was almost a baby when we moved to Dallas, is now teaching here at \$65 per month and has one of the prettiest schoolrooms in the county. We frequently meet people that we knew there.

### OUR OLD EDITOR

Sends Regards to His Former Readers and Gives News.

The Itemizer is a most welcome weekly visitor to our home and no wonder; for did not spend nineteen years in Dallas, eighteen of them as editor and proprietor of that paper. Within that time we became acquainted with almost every family in Polk county and was at most of their homes. My wife and daughter were almost as extensively known to the good people of the county, as they frequently rode in all directions in the interest of the Itemizer. Many of our friends have passed over the river or moved away and strangers have taken their places. Our present home is a mile out of Oregon City and an electric railway being built to Portland via Oswego goes through the corner of our garden. The scenery around here is grand. Mount Hood looming up in the distance. Several steamboats daily pass within a few hundred yards of where we live. The man after whom your Jennings Masonic lodge was named, lived within sight of our house, and the celebrated Dr. McLoughlin is buried in Oregon City. There are three paper mills here, employing over 1,000 men. The machinery never stops, half the men working at night. Eva, who was almost a baby when we moved to Dallas, is now teaching here at \$65 per month and has one of the prettiest schoolrooms in the county. We frequently meet people that we knew there.

### EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

What it Cost Candidates in Polk County to Run for Office.

The law now makes it obligatory on candidates to file with the county clerk an itemized account of the expenses of his campaign. The sum allowed them for expenses of said campaign is not to exceed 15 per cent of the amount they would receive as salary should they be elected to the office. This expense account must be in the hands of the county clerk by October 9th, and it is not, it is declared on oath of the clerk to at once report the same to the prosecuting attorney of the district and he must at once proceed against the party under the corrupt practice act for such violation of the law. Clerk Smith is today checking over the candidates to see that all have complied with the law, and those who have not done so will be given a friendly notification that they had better respond forthwith or be liable for the consequences. We have been looking over the accounts filed up to this time, and find the following items of interest regarding what it cost those who had the office itch:

- Clerk Smith is the first one we pick up, and he declares on oath that the total cost to him to get the nomination again was \$1.20, which he expended for 12 blank petitions.
- Jas. Simonton did not blow a nickel for justice.
- J. Warren Quick is in the same boat and says the nomination for justice was unsolicited by him.
- E. Beezley spent 60 cents for half a dozen petitions.
- G. W. Chapman spent nothing.
- Ira C. Powell, \$2 for petitions.
- J. H. Moran spent nothing.
- J. M. Grant spent 50 cents for petitions.
- Hardy Holman spent nothing.
- C. L. Hubbard, nothing.
- L. D. Brown went in pretty steep, as it cost him \$11.95 for advertising and \$7.80 for stamps and stationery.
- J. H. Flower, 40 cents for petitions.
- J. B. Teal, nothing.
- Tracy Staats, nothing.
- John D. Winn, nothing.
- W. L. Bice, \$1.20, petitions.
- B. Wilson wrote a letter, we suppose, as his account totals 2 cents.
- J. L. Castle, \$1, petitions.
- R. L. Chapman, \$2, petitions.
- W. S. McClain, nothing.

### Voters, Attention!

At the court house October 11th, Leon Myers, who was actively engaged in the campaign which gave Lane county to the dry column with such a large majority, will reply to the speech made by David Rose last Monday night. He will produce figures that will make you think. The battle today is waged on economic and commercial ground. Mr. Myers' intense earnestness and keen sense of humor will entertain as well as convict and convert. Every fair minded voter wishes to see both sides of the question. Come Tuesday night and hear facts which will cause you to pause, consider and vote dry. Mr. Myers will prove by proof equivalent to a mathematical demonstration that (1) Oregon will go dry in November (2) Prohibition does prohibit. (3) Conditions are better in a dry town than in a wet one. (4) That prohibition does not interfere with personal liberty. (5) A dry town is beneficial to business men. (6) Not as much liquor is consumed under prohibition rule as under license. (7) That home rule is constitutionally wrong. The prohibition wave is not the product of mere sentimentality.

### Twenty One Years More.

Green Campbell says he can beat Uncle John Wiseman's record as a long time subscriber to the Itemizer, in fact can double it; for he has been a steady patron of the paper 42 years, since 1868, only a half dozen years after it was started by J. H. Upton. It was not then known as the Itemizer and we have not been able to find out under what heading it appeared, as no files back of 1872 are in our possession. We are of the opinion that it was known as the Republican, but are not sure. In accordance with our promise of last week everyone who has been a continuous subscriber for as long as Mr. Wiseman, 21 years, will on January 1st be entitled to a handsome 1911 calendar. Who is the next to go on the roll of honor?

### LETTER LIST.

The following letters were left uncalled for in the Dallas post-office Tuesday:

- Miss Edith Allen.
- Conidas G. Axieotis.
- Mrs. A. A. Bennett.
- Morris C. Berry-3.
- Mr. J. Brodie.
- Miss Florence Burns.
- Miss Nora Cole.
- Miss Florence Corbin.
- Mr. J. H. Delore.
- Miss Edna Downs.
- Mr. R. L. Emsey.
- Mrs. Myra Franklin.
- Mr. Robert Gates.
- Miss Frances Gordon.
- Mrs. Martha Hannon.
- Jenneva Harris.
- Mr. A. T. Hayes.
- Arthur Horton.
- Miss Dora Kohlian.
- John McDonald.
- Mr. S. M. Martin.
- Mr. Ralph P. Newland.
- Mr. Karl Nordstrom.
- H. W. Onions.
- Mr. Sam Orino.
- Mr. T. P. Phillips.
- Mrs. A. M. Talcott.
- Mr. John Taylor.
- Mr. Wid Taylor.
- Mrs. Zola Taylor.
- Mr. Jim Vaughn.

### An Ideal Home.

We have a 5-acre tract in Dallas, with good improvements, 2 1-2 acres in prunes, rest meadow, all good land, for sale now for \$3,700, as the owner has to leave town. -Itemizer Realty Concern.

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Here are clothes we're glad to sell; clothes you'll be glad to get; that you can't get anywhere else in town. We got the sole right to handle these garments because we knew they would be the best for you. And what's best for you is always best for us.

If it's style, if it's quality, if it's price—you'll find your wants have been anticipated here. You'll see why this is the best store for you; understand why XTRAGOOD clothes are the best.

During this month we are making special prices. Hats and Caps Free with suits at from \$5.00 up.

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## Guy Brothers, HARDWARE AND PLUMBING

No vacancies. Alice B. Tuesday. Grover J. on business. Hazel V. Tuesday to Peter C. day on bus. Mrs. J. were in St. James. Cass Gibbs. Pauline and Staud. Walter. High school. R. C. C. week to family. Peter P. Bill to via Mrs. Pete Forest (purchased) move to St. Peter C. burg fair and a good School. Miss Ma. Bertha A. Georgia over from R. F. Lane. Grell P. Hazel Van son, Kent hunting T. Mr. All Saturday. J. K. N. pendence. Charles woodshed. Mr. and dependen. Mr. and pers in B. W. S. 3 need graze. J. R. L. deuse she and wife. The rail that the f ing agsin. Mrs. L. business. Vieta Sati. Mrs. Be in Oregon with Irwin. Fred Lo adled a c prooves th. T. D. M. farm near cage, tow bird. Fred Lo from J. B. in case. J. is sad.