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PAID POLITICAL NOTICES

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for the office of District Attorney. If nominated and elected, I shall enforce all laws as I find them without fear or favor, and in a just, conscientious manner. I will give to the County's affairs the same careful, conscientious attention I would give to the affairs of private clients. I respectfully solicit your support, and if nominated and elected, will devote my entire time to giving you an administration of the affairs of this office such as may reward you for the trust and confidence placed in me.

WALTER L. TOOZE, JR.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Republican Voters of Polk County.

I am a candidate for District Attorney of said County, and if nominated and elected I pledge myself to diligently and faithfully attend to all the duties pertaining to said office and will fearlessly enforce all the laws in an impartial manner. I respectfully ask your support at the primary election on the 19th of May, 1916.

B. F. SWOPE.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters of Polk.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the republican nomination for county clerk of Polk county, and solicit the support of all republicans within the county, giving assurance that if nominated and elected I will use my utmost endeavor to render economical and efficient service.

LEWIS V. MACKEN.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters Of Polk County.

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the will of the voters at the primary election in May and respectfully solicit your support.

MRS. WINNIE BRADEN.
(Paid Adv.)

For County Assessor.

I hereby announce my candidacy on the republican ticket for the office of county assessor of Polk county, and solicit the support of all republican electors in the primary.

C. S. GRAVES.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Republican Voters.

Having been urged by my friends to again become a candidate for commissioner and having acceded to their demand, I most respectfully ask the support of all republicans in the primary May 19. My past record is my only platform.

G. A. WELLS.
(Paid Adv.)

To The Voters Polk County.

I am a candidate for School Superintendent of this county subject to the will of the Republican voters at the Primary Election in May.

I will not impair the efficiency of our school system, but will run the office as economically as is possible under our present laws.

W. I. REYNOLDS.
(Paid Adv.)

Local News Items

Try Chiropractic.

The best show at the Gem tonight
Walter L. Tooze, Jr., Lawyer,
Dallas, Oregon.

Potatoes for sale. C. L. Coonrad. Phone 156.

Mrs. Wm. Finley is quite sick with the lagrippe this week.

Jitney Railroad Dollar Watches, best in the world, guaranteed, at Persey's.

For Rent—6-room house and acre-ground. Inquire at News office.

Oscar Nelson of Salem was in the city Tuesday looking after his property.

Remember Geo. Ferrien, the meat man, always treat you well. On Sower's corner.

Fresh Bread, Cakes, Cookies, Pies, and other bakery goods, every day at the Falls City Bakery.

Rev. E. I. Harrington of Portland is here visiting his mother and brother.

Rev. Clotchback of Portland is visiting at the Harrington home this week.

Mrs. Wurtzberger and daughter Mable went to Dallas Monday afternoon.

Repair for all makes of sewing machines, also belts, oils and needles at Persey's Jewelry Store. 2t.

Clarence Powell and family have secured rooms with Mrs. Grace Hulbert. Mr. Powell is looking after the tie and pile contract for the Teal Creek Railroad.

The Teal & Cleveland saw mill on Butler creek made a record run of cutting 8000 feet of lumber with only three men in its employ. Two hundred and seven 6x8 ties were sawed besides the side lumber.

Mrs. A. C. Fleming and Mrs. Grace Hulbert walked up to Balderee's camp last Sunday returning Monday. They report having a great time. Both sides of the camp are at work now and everything is on the bum.

The Free Methodist church at their Quarterly meeting services Sunday will give a love feast at 10:45. Preaching will immediately follow, after which the sacrament for the Lord's supper will be taken. W. N. Coffe will have charge of the services.

G. W. Brentner left Tuesday noon for Mason City, Iowa to visit his mother who is very ill. He received a telegram Saturday stating that she was in a precarious condition and to come at once.

A birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Finley, Saturday of last week in honor of their daughter, Lucile's, 14th birthday. Games and other amusements were indulged in, after which ice cream, cake, and fruit were served.

MORAL—Don't buy mortgage or installment property before investigating its value.

TREES THOUSANDS—of all varieties, heavy on prunes, grafted Franquette pure strain of Vrooman walnuts, everything in the nursery line, seed potatoes. Buy direct from the man who grows, save 50% (no agents) by buying direct from us. We sell right. Write for planters price list. 25 years in business.

CARLTON NURSERY CO.
Carlton, Ore.

\$25 REWARD

I will give anyone \$25 who will apprehend the parties who pulled up and carried off the rosebushes I have set along the street near my residence. These roses were of a choice variety from California and were taken Monday night.

J. B. TEAL.

WARNING NOTICE

Don't buy mortgage or installment contract property, whether watches, diamonds or sewing machines before investigating its title. First see W. A. Persey, the Jeweler 3t.

When will the mill start? Echo:—When will the mill start!

Fred Chapin is still very poorly. Geo. Mix has moved to Portland. Mrs. Wm. Tichenor is still very ill.

George Brown of Salem was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Maggie Talbott is visiting in Portland.

Mrs. J. R. Moyer was on the sick list this week.

J. E. Beezley of Salem was in this city Wednesday.

Miss Vola Selig was in Portland Saturday and Tuesday.

Mrs. J. C. Frink made a trip to Dallas on Wednesday.

Mrs. N. Selig has returned from a visit in southern Oregon.

The Drug Store will be open on Sunday from 9 to 11 A. M. only.

Mrs. Esther Montgomery spent a few days in Corvallis last week.

Wm. Alderman was brought home from the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Nita Gilbert and daughter Barba went to Dallas Friday evening.

W. P. Lewis of Dallas was transacting business in Falls City last Saturday.

Mrs. Geiger came from Portland to be with her sisters, Mrs. Wm. Tichenor, who is quite ill.

Miss Mabel Sheppard played Thursday evening at the show during the absence of Miss Wilson.

Mrs. Chapin and daughters have gone to Portland to see Verl Chapin who is soon to be sent to Mexico.

W. A. Persey received a card Thursday from the nurse at the sanitarium in Portland stating that Mrs. Persey is improving rapidly.

T. M. Thrasher went to Dallas Thursday noon to have an X-ray photograph taken of his knee that was injured in a logging camp recently.

Mrs. Winnie Braden, candidate for county treasurer was in the city Thursday. Mrs. Braden is very well satisfied with the political outlook.

Saul Ouderkirk and family and Will Wood and wife moved to mill 8 the first of the week where they will work on a wood contract for the donkeys.

A few of Mrs. Sayer's friends met at her home on Thursday and gave her a surprise. This was in memory of her birthday. There were 19 present.

For Sale—Very choice, young family cow. Splendid milker, perfectly gentle every way, fine week old heifer calf by her side. J. O. Mickalson's realty office.

J. C. Talbott and a number of others left Thursday morning for the Siletz reservation to look over the land that is to be opened up for homesteading the first of the month.

The County Commissioners were here the first of the week viewing the old bridge on Dayton street with the view of rebuilding. It is probable that they will put in a new wooden structure.

Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Thompson motored to Independence Wednesday. The doctor says that the road work between there and here is progressing very good and in a few days will be in first-class shape.

As a result of a membership contest recently held by the "Anti-Cants", the young people's Sunday School class of the M. E. Church, the girls of the class entertained the boys in Talbott's hall last Wednesday evening. Besides many interesting games, a short program was rendered which was enjoyed by all. One of the most interesting and enjoyable features of the evening was the playette given by five girls. After light refreshments were served, sixty-five members departed for their respective homes, all with light hearts, the boys because they had been so royally treated, and the girls because of the joy of giving.

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE VOTERS OF POLK COUNTY

March 12, 1916.

Supt. S. S. Duncan of Yamhill County with the consent of the County Board, is looking after the school interests of his county, which is larger than Polk, without a supervisor.

I believe that, if our County Educational Board thought it would be for the best, that I could do the work in our county as well as Mr. Duncan can in Yamhill, and I am willing to try it. I know that I can, with the very efficient office help that I have, visit every school in the county every two months.

Whether it will be best for our schools or not is with the Board.

Respectfully,
W. I. REYNOLDS.

WANT THE BOY SCOUT BUILDING

The city council are making an effort to secure the Boy Scout building to be used as a city hall and public library. The Boy Scout building was erected by donations and it is the intent of the council to refund such contributions and take the building and make the necessary changes to accommodate the city council and the library. The idea is a good one perhaps, although the location is not an ideal one for a city hall and library. A special meeting of the council has been called for Monday night to take such steps as may be necessary to secure it.

DALLAS WANTS FALLS CITY ROCK

The city council held a special meeting Thursday night to confer with a special committee from the Dallas city council with regard to the purchase of rock for macadam purposes. The committee from Dallas was composed of John L. Sweeney, W. L. Barber and John Miller, chaperoned by Walter L. Tooze, Jr.

The city council offered to sell them four lots for \$300, or the rock in the quarry at 1c per yard. Dallas is expecting to do considerable street improvement the coming year.

FISHING SEASON TO OPEN FIRST OF APRIL

I. A. Johnson was in Dallas on business Wednesday and while there he was informed by the fish warden that the fishing season would open the first of April. The warden also said that if it was possible a carload of fish would be put in the streams to help replenish the finny tribe that have been caught out during the last season.

Lester Dodd of Junction City is visiting his parents.

Mr. Bentley visited C. J. Pugh Monday on business.

THE LITTLE GIANT

By Falls City Church School Pupils.

Leslie Griffin left Sunday morning for Salem where he has employment.

Walter Gibson, Mable Bedient, and Harold Harrison were absent from school last Thursday.

One very small pupil, Who tried to be supple, Threw chalk in school, And had to sit on the stool.

Merle Griffin of McCoy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Griffin Monday and Tuesday.

One of the most prominent students is all stuck up over a few gallons of pitch.

Lewis Olsen visited school Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Griffin have moved to camp eight.

One of the boys came to school a few mornings ago looking very proud. We were not surprised when we found that he had a shuttle and intended to be a splendid tatter some day.

That some students overloaded with knowledge attend this school will be seen from the following:

Teacher—What is the capital of Alaska?
Pupil—Capetown.

The Man With The Hoe
Is In Evidence In Springtime

See our new stock of Hoes, Rakes
Garden Plows and Farm Implements.

25-VOTE COUPON IN PIANO CONTEST GIVEN WITH EVERY \$1 CASH PURCHASE.

J. C. TALBOTT

R. E. WILLIAMS, M. L. THOMPSON, W. F. NICHOLS, R. G. WHITE,
President Vice-President Cashier Assistant Cashier

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THE JOKER

Edited by Falls City High School.

Sylvia Phillips was in Dallas on business Thursday.

Viola Lane is out of school on account of sickness.

The Art Club met at Mrs. C. J. Pugh's on Tuesday afternoon.

La Verne Mickalson was absent Wednesday on account of illness.

W. B. McKowan made business trips to Dallas Tuesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Alderman was brought home from the Dallas hospital on Thursday.

La Verne Meyers was absent from school Wednesday on account of illness.

Mrs. Mary Thor is spending a few days in Portland visiting her daughter.

A. B. Hubbard and Al Young are spending a few days in the mountains.

Miss Flossie Davis of Bridgeport is spending a few days visiting her brother Wilbur.

Dr. McCallen of Dallas was in this city on business Wednesday and Thursday.

A piece of Drum music was found in the second grade room this week. Look out, Lester!

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Barnhart of Oakdale spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Newman.

Vera Ouderkirk of the sixth grade was absent this week on account of sickness.

Jessie Paul and Ira Lane of the fifth grade were absent this week on account of mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kuorr and small daughter of Portland are visiting the J. A. West family.

Miss Sydia Champlin of Corvallis visited her friend, Miss Shields, Home Economics teacher, this week.

The attendance of the first-grade was reduced this week on account of the mumps. Five of the pupils are ill with the mumps.

The Manual Training shop of the High School is to be enlarged so that it may more easily accommodate the pupils and their work.

The Domestic Science girls gave an excellent dinner Friday evening to Lamar Tooze, the teachers of the school, the officers of the parent-teachers association, and the members of the school board. As everyone was highly pleased and seemed to enjoy themselves thoroughly, we must draw the conclusion that the girls are excellent cooks.

Gordon Sammon and Lucile Tichenor visited the Bridgeport school Tuesday. Visiting rural schools is not required in the Teachers Training course but the Falls City pupils are doing this extra work that they be better qualified to take the work of teaching rural schools. As many of the class have never attended any, except a graded school this requirement of visiting rural schools will aid them greatly.

Assistant Supt. F. K. Wells visited the High School Tuesday morning. He delivered a forty minute address on the value of education; to the High School pupils. Supt. Wells expressed himself as being well pleased with the High School and especially the Teachers Training class. He also said that the High School would be standardized for the following year provided the necessary library reference books are added to the school library.

Visit Fir Grove School

Elizabeth Sammons, Loleta West, Lloyd Miller, and James Bohle of the Teachers Training class, and Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Treat, visited Fir Grove school last Friday. As it happened to be Rally Day, all the parents and young people of the community were present. Everyone present seemed to be intensely interested in the welfare of the school and from all appearances, the knockers were conspicuous by their absence.

Miss Helen Treat, the teacher of the school, was highly recommended, and from the appearance of the school, the grounds and the work, and from the attitude of the pupils it is certain that she has made good.

The programme for the day was: A short programme in the morning after which a delicious lunch was served. The following programme was rendered in the afternoon:

Song—America All.
Story by a primary pupil.
Lincoln's Gettysburg speech.
Little Boy Blue and Bear Song, Primary.

Songs by primary pupils.
Home going song. Pupils.
Star Spangled Banner, All.
After this programme several questions which had been passed out among the people of the community were answered. A number of these questions were:

What can we do to improve industrial work in the school?
How can we better the attendance in our school?

What improvements can be made in our school?
Shall we have a play shed where our children can play on rainy days?

Is the sanitation of our school all that can be desired?

Shall we organize a Parent-Association?

Are you in favor of eight months school?

What do you think of the teacher's visiting day as recommended by the school officers of Polk Co.

Judging from the way in which these questions were answered, a bright future is assured for the school.

Mr. Parsons, Rural School Supervisor, gave several interesting talks and an illustrated lecture on club work, which were enjoyed by everyone.