

HIGH SCHOOLS HOLD DEBATES

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All negative teams will travel and all affirmative teams will remain at home to meet the negative team from some other school. All teams, both winners and losers, handled the subjects like old debaters and were a credit to themselves, their schools, and the county. Any one having literature upon the next subject will be adding the different teams if they will loan this literature to some of the schools.

The different schools were represented by the following pupils: Independence—Bessie Hartman, Marie Jones, Gretchen Kremer, Clyde Dick, Florence Gebb and Marion Butler; Dallas—Ruth Shaw, Ruth Campbell, Jessie Howard, Anna Garner, Lorin Butler and Roberta Ballard; Ballston—Clara Summers, Harry Bissell, Carl Gregg, Warren Gould, Phene Anderson and Gerald Tillery; Perrydale—Ed Parker, James Jones, Francis Kurtz, Nellie Keyt, Max Flannery and Lester White; Falls City—Ella Mehring, Leslie Toose, Lamar Toose, Herbert Nansen, Edna Seymour and Dale Gottfried.

SEN. BOURNE PREPARES BILL

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shall cultivate at least one-eighth of his land the second year, one-fourth the third year, one-half the fourth and fifth years and that he must file in the local land office by the first of December of each year a sworn statement verified by the affidavits of two persons having knowledge of the facts, showing the character, quantity and value of the crops produced by him.

I would be pleased if the people of Oregon would advise their delegation in Congress of their views of this measure. Yours very truly,
JONATHAN BOURNE, JR.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calvary Presbyterian

At Calvary Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, Dr. Dunsmore will preach on the subject, "The Fruits of Christianity." At the morning service baptism will be administered and new members admitted into the fellowship and communion of the church. At the evening service, Dr. Dunsmore will resume the delivery of his series of sermon-lectures, presenting the subject of "Abigail, The Wife of Nabal." Although but little has been recorded about this grand woman, yet hers is one of the noblest female characters of sacred literature. All are cordially invited to all these services.

Baptist Church

On Sunday morning the ordinance of Christian baptism will be administered to others of the new converts who wish to be "buried with Christ in baptism." The pastor will give a short Bible talk on "The Form and Symbolism of Christian Baptism." Those still wishing to be received for membership should come at this time. The evening subject will be "The Old-Time Gospel Salvation." Bible school meets at 10 a. m. and the young people at 6:30. The advisory board of the church meets Saturday at 10. The church holds its monthly meeting Saturday afternoon at two. It is very important that all members, new and old, should come to this meeting.

Methodist News

The spirit of Christian enthusiasm and fellowship is increasing in a very substantial way at the Methodist church. Last Sunday twenty-four united and a number came Wednesday evening. About twenty-five more expect to come into this church in the near future. The Sunday morning services will be long remembered for the wonderful spirit and power manifested. On Wednesday evening the "old" church received the "new" church—the latter outnumbered the former two to one. Many voluntarily led in prayer and, in less than ten minutes, over one hundred testified. Rev. Albert Ayers, now agent for the American Bible Society, formerly a very able missionary to India, told the pastor that he never was in a more wholesome meeting in America

since his return from India six years ago—and he has traveled considerable during that time on the Pacific coast. "In India" he said, "we have such fellowship feasts very frequently but this is the best I have seen in America since my return." Light refreshments were served and all rejoiced in tender fellowship and, hand in hand, they pledged each other their faith and love.

Hereafter, the following will be the regular plan of services: On Sundays—Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11 followed by class meeting; in the evening, Epworth League at 6:30 and preaching at 7:30; on Monday afternoons at 3:30 all children of the first, second and third grades meet the pastor for one half hour in the church and at 4 o'clock all children above the third grade meet for a half hour; the mid-week service will be on Wednesday evening. It is our purpose to make Sunday nights and Wednesday nights entirely evangelistic—revivals all the time. Everyone is welcomed to these and all other services. On Friday nights will be the young people's and young converts prayer meetings. Others are welcome but these have right of way.

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Funeral of Mrs. Sophia Baker

At four o'clock last Monday morning Mrs. Sophia Baker died at the home of her son, L. V. Baker of south Fourth street. "Grandma Baker," as she was fondly called, had been ill but a short time, and passed away easily while sorrowing loved ones were gathered about her. She had reached the ripe old age of nearly eighty-three years.

Mrs. Baker, formerly Miss Sophia Vickers, was born in Illinois, March 17, 1827. In August 1845 she was married to Jacob Baker who died in this place December 31, 1899. There have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Baker twelve children, eight of whom survive their parents. The names of these are Mrs. Harriet Walker and Mrs. Mary Gibson of Michigan, Philip, of Leadville, Colorado, William and S. C. Baker of Portland and L. V. and E. L. Baker of this city. The parents moved from Illinois to this state in 1881, locating on a farm in Polk county. Sixteen years later they removed to Independence where Mrs. Baker has since resided.

Grandma Baker was a consistent Christian woman the greater portion of her life and counted all her acquaintances as friends. She was a true wife and faithful, devoted mother.

The funeral was conducted Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock at her late residence, by Rev. Maynard R. Thompson, who spoke on the simple yet beautiful theme, "Mother." Besides singing by a local quartet, the gospel singer, F. F. Leonard, just before his final departure from town, came and sang the solo, "Shadows." "When we cross the valley there need be no shadows."

Interment was made at Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Lame Shoulder.

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VISTS MANY LODGES

Mrs. Carrie Hubbard returned Sunday after an absence of several weeks visiting Rebekah lodges of southern and western Oregon. She reports her visit as one of much pleasure to her, she having found all the lodges which she has visited to be in a flourishing condition. The Rebekahs of Oregon have learned to love Mrs. Hubbard. During this trip she visited nineteen lodges making a total of fifty to her credit since last October. She will leave Monday for Astoria and during her absence will visit twelve lodges in that section of Oregon.

Mrs. Hubbard is pleased to be home for a week's rest. The trip has been very trying to her on ac-

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The city council met in regular session Wednesday night in the city hall. Besides the auditing of a number of bills, little other business was transacted. The city marshal was instructed to prepare a dog pound and proceed to collect licenses on all canines.

After considerable discussion of the matter the council decided to refund all moneys collected for near beer licenses and to take up the permits from the near beer institutions of the city. The licenses were granted last December by the old council and were to cover the first quarter of the year 1916.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Newman, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, and that Monday, the 7th day of March, 1916, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Court room of the said County Court in the city of Dallas, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

B. Wilson.

Administrator of the estate of Andrew J. Newman, deceased.

Oscar Hayter, attorney. Dated and first published February 4, 1916. 36-40

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count of the severe weather of the last ten days. When her visits are completed she expects to have visited eighty lodges.

Rev. Albert Ayers, representing the American Bible Society, visited Independence and has left a good supply with dependence on Tuesday evening. This society works in all the churches and publishes the Bible, or portions of it, in 500 different languages. It is not a commercial but a missionary concern. People get their Bibles at actual cost. Rev. Mr. Ayers disposed of about \$30 worth while in the city and has left a good supply with Rev. W. J. Weber for sale.



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