

MORE SCHOOL MARMS.

County Examining Board Completes Work of Examination and Reports on Successful Applicants.

The county examining board has completed the work of examining the papers of applicants for teaching certificates last week. County Superintendent, C. L. Beer, reports the following as successful:

- 1st GRADE CERTIFICATES:**
 C. J. Graham, Falls City.
 Henry F. Buerer, Dallas.
 Harry C. Seymour, Falls City.
 Emily DeVore, Monmouth.
- 2nd GRADE CERTIFICATES:**
 Florence Westover, Bridgeport.
 Claud L. Shaw, Dallas.
 Carl F. Grover, Rickreall.
 Harriett M. Higgins, Salem.
 Mabel C. Stevens, Concord.
 Clement Jones, Independence.
 Fred E. Borneman, Monmouth.
 Jessie M. Wilde, Buell.
 Alice C. McKinley, Buell.
 Frank Cooper, Monmouth.
 Sadie Lynn, Dallas.
 Martha Wheatdon, Monmouth.
 Edie Sears, McCoy.

- 3rd GRADE CERTIFICATES:**
 Agnes Becker, Dallas.
 Mary Becker, Dallas.
 Ella Waters, Airlie.
 Jessie B. Wood, Independence.
 Leola Duham, Independence.
 Mabel E. Wheelock, Parker.
 Wintha R. Palmer.
 Ethel P. Brown, Independence.
 Maud Simons, Oak Grove.
 Esther W. Hampton, Rocca.
 Arthur K. Wilson, Dallas.

Come and Gone.
 The Turner Art exhibit under the auspices of the public school of Independence, entertained a large number of guests at the opera house last week and was the means of stimulating interest in art. The school also profited by it in clearing a sum that will be made a nucleus for supplying the public school building with similar specimens of art. The exhibit was arranged on the walls of the opera house which was thrown open to visitors Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons and a program was rendered each evening. The pictures, while only copies were taken from some of the world's high-priced and most famous paintings.

Married in Portland.
 Married, in Portland, Wednesday, February 24, Mr. H. E. Wagoner, of Portland to Miss Hazel Doll Butler of Dallas. Mr. Wagoner is well known in this city where he recently he was engaged in business. The bride is the third daughter of Hon. and Mrs. N. L. Butler of Dallas. She has a wide circle of acquaintance and one of Polk county's most popular young ladies. The newly married couple will make their home in Portland where the groom is engaged in business.

Hanna and Roosevelt.
 (BROOKLYN EAGLE.)
 Though they differ very much from one another, Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Hanna sincerely liked one another. Strong men are apt to like or hate one another. The personal feeling among these two strong men was one of real friendship. Mr. Hanna was always seeking to hold in or to admonish Mr. Roosevelt. The president always kindly listened to Mr. Hanna, and would then contend that the Senator had misunderstood the action of the executive or had not correctly stated his reasons for it. Be-

tween them was no distrust. Between them was little co-operation. Mr. McKinley knew how to handle Mr. Hanna. He made Mr. Hanna at times think that he was actually exercising the presidency in commission. Mr. Roosevelt never made that impression on any man, and has never tried to make it. Mr. Hanna's appreciation of Mr. Roosevelt's "possibilities" was based on the fear that Mr. Roosevelt, once-elected, would feel free to administer the presidency at will, and not under the imposition of a dead hand. We do not here say that that was a justifiable apprehension. It was entertained by Mr. Hanna. It is entertained by others. It will have to be overcome, in the case of Roosevelt's nomination, if he be elected. If it cannot be overcome he can hardly be elected, though his nomination is inevitable.

DIED TUESDAY.
 Mrs. Margaret A. Calbreath Passes Away at the Home of Her Son C. D. Calbreath in Independence Tuesday.

Mrs. Margaret A. Calbreath died in this city at the home of her son, Mr. C. D. Calbreath, last Tuesday evening, at the age of 71 years, 1 month and 6 days. She was born in Virginia Jan. 17, 1833. In early girlhood she came with her parents to Missouri, where October 20, 1851, she married Thomas H. Calbreath. There they made their home and there were born to them three children; Mrs. Collins, who now resides in Missouri; and Charles D. and David Calbreath, two of the highly esteemed citizens of Independence. Her husband died in Missouri April 13, 1882. Since that time Mrs. Calbreath has made her home with her children; part of the time with her daughter in Missouri, and part of the time with her sons in this city. She was a most estimable lady and beloved by all who knew her. The funeral occurred at the Presbyterian church on Thursday morning, conducted by Rev. Dr. Thompson, and the burial in the Odd Fellows cemetery.



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SALEM GETS IT.

Congressional Convention Will be Held in Salem April 13. Appointment of Delegates.

The republican congressional convention for the first district will be held in Salem April 13. Such was the decision of the congressional central committee at a meeting in Portland last Tuesday. Independence, through the committeeman from this county had asked for the convention, and Benton, Clackamas Lincoln and Polk counties voted for this place while Washington, Yamhill and Tillamook cast a complimentary vote for Forest Grove, but if they had been needed it is said would have also voted for Independence. But there was no use of the last three counties coming to the aid this place for Dr. T. W. Harris had proxies. Salem had eight votes against the seven Independence might have had. The eight counties whose votes selected Salem were, Douglas, Jackson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Linn and Marion.

Mr. E. P. Cormack, committeeman from Marion, was perfectly fair, and so far as Polk county is concerned, was liberal toward this place in his presentation of the claims of Salem, and Independence accepts the result without murmur. It is now up to Salem to entertain the delegates and visitors to the convention and entertain them properly. If our neighbor across the river wants to borrow any chairs, meat or flour she can have them for the occasion. The convention will comprise seventeen counties and will be made up of 177 delegates, appointed as follows, comparison being made with the representatives of a year ago:

	1903.	1904.
Benton	7	7
Clackamas	17	18
Coos	8	9
Curry	3	3
Douglas	15	14
Jackson	12	12
Josephine	7	7
Klamath	4	4
Lake	4	4
Lane	19	19
Lincoln	4	5
Linn	13	14
Marion	22	23
Polk	8	9
Tillamook	5	5
Washington	14	13
Yamhill	11	11
Totals	172	177

This is five more delegates than the Eugene convention had.

ROSEBURG LAND OFFICE.

Lots of Candidates Ready For The Place-Late Dispatch Says Probably No Change.

A dispatch from Washington announces that Secretary Hitchcock will have neither Booth nor Bridges in the land office at Roseburg. Following this announcement the Roseburg Review gives an array of candidates for the two places, register and receiver:

J. M. Hansbrough, who expects the aid of his brother, Senator Hansbrough.

C. S. Jackson, who expects the endorsement of Special Agent Greene.

Geo. W. Colvig, ex-representative from Josephine county, who was elected on his pledge to vote for Congressman Hermann for senator.

T. M. Dimmick, of Marshfield, who voted for both Senators Mitchell and Fulton.

George W. Dimmick, county treasurer, who has been a staunch supporter of Senator Mitchell.

S. L. Moorehead, of Junction

City, who has been chief clerk of the last two sessions of the senate.

James Hemenway, of Cottage Grove, who voted for Senator Mitchell at the last moment and led the break to him. Enos Dixon, Ex-Forest Supervisor, whose claim is based upon Douglas County being entitled to one of the offices. Ira B. Riddle, of Riddle, who claims the promise of the office from Senator Fulton. S. C. Flint is also mentioned as a receptive candidate. F. E. Alley is spoken of as a compromise candidate. A later dispatch from Washington says: The President has assured the Oregon Senators that he will reappoint Register Bridges and Receiver Booth, of the Roseburg Land Office, ignoring Hitchcock's recommendation to the contrary.

Time to Get In.
 The Polk County Mohair Association announces that the time for entering the pool closes March 1. Arrangements have been made by which wool may be shipped from any point in the county to Dallas at 5 cents per pound. Mohair sacks will be furnished upon application to H. L. Fenton, at Dallas, secretary of the association.

A Solitary Quartet.
 Mr. Moneybag (who has recently acquired a fortune)—It's a shame and a disgrace the way everybody conspires to rob a rich man. Friend—What is the matter now? "Well, you see, I had a little party at my mansion last night." "So I saw by the papers." "And to amuse my guests I ordered some music." "Yes; I heard you ordered a quartet." "Just so. And, would you believe it, if four singers didn't crowd into the room and sing, and I had to pay all four of them, and, mind you, I only ordered one solitary quartet! That's the way I'm swindled every day of my life, and I'm tired of it."

Too Much For Cabby.
 The cabman was taking Mr. Algernon Ashton out of his way, and on being remonstrated with he shouted, "You'd better get out!" So the fare got out, with the remark, "You're a nice creature." The cabman then uttered the sarcasm, "And you call yourself a gentleman!" Upon which Mr. Ashton instantly said, "I never called myself a gentleman." The cabman naturally felt that language was unequal to a situation like this, and he drove away without another word. "I think I had him there," said Mr. Ashton in telling me the story.—London News.

Best For the Woman.
 It was a picture representing a young man at the feet of his lady-love that roused the ire of the crusty bachelor. "Before I would ever kneel to a woman," he said, "I would encircle my neck with a rope and stretch it." And then, turning to the girl who sat near him, he inquired, "Do you not think it would be the best thing I could do?" "It would undoubtedly be the best for the woman," was the quiet reply.

All His Fault.
 "You complain that I am cross," she said, "but it is all your fault." "My fault!" exclaimed the husband. "Certainly. You could keep me in good humor all the time if you only tried." "How?" "By always letting me have my own way."—Chicago Post.

Times Have Changed.
 The fond mother watched him over her coffee and toast. "Harry," she said, severely, "that Emerson girl kissed you last night?" "No, mamma!" responded the blushing Harry, "why should you think such a thing?" "Your shirt waist is rumpled."—Chicago Daily News.

The County Tax List is now at the Independence National Bank and tax payers can pay their taxes there as well as at the Sheriff's office. For Sale—One good set second hand harness and a second hand wagon almost new. Address box 135 Independence, Ore.

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