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STATE SCHOOL CENSUS

SHOWS INCREASE

172,567 Children in Oregon in
1910 As Against 166,
649 in 1909

Salem, Or., Feb. 21.—Reports from the county school superintendents show the total number of children of school age in Oregon to be 172,567, as against 166,649 in 1909. All children between the ages of 4 and 21 year are included in the enumeration. Divided as to sexes there were 85,481 males and 84,086 females. Following is the census according to counties for 1909 and 1910:

County	1909	1910
Umatilla	6,239	6,318
Union	5,274	5,279
Wallowa	2,633	2,803
Wasco	3,534	3,504
Washington	6,822	7,020
Wheeler	875	863
Yamhill	6,032	6,094
Baker	5,171	5,209
Benton	2,935	3,159
Clackamas	9,221	10,515
Clatsop	4,100	4,436
Columbia	3,916	3,302
Coos	5,427	5,489
Crook	2,153	2,130
Curry	635	647
Douglas	5,677	5,533
Gilliam	1,089	1,083
Grant	1,845	1,731
Harney	1,022	1,052
Hood River	1,955	2,031
Jackson	6,370	6,499
Josephine	3,048	3,040
Klamath	1,828	1,922
Lake	1,035	1,184
Lane	9,793	10,489
Linn	6,972	7,409
Malheur	2,208	2,402
Marion	11,256	11,753
Morrow	1,560	1,489
Multnomah	38,468	39,384
Sherman	1,066	1,061
Tillamook	1,687	1,727
Lincoln	1,519	1,886
Polk	4,127	4,162

Multnomah's increase is 896 and Marion's increase is 497. Lane increased in the year 696, and Linn 437. The following counties show a decrease: Wasco, Wheeler, Crook, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Josephine, Morrow and Sherman.

CAPTAIN SACHS ON

REVIVAL MEETINGS

Editor Daily Guard:—When I go to church courtesy requires me to keep silent, no matter what the orator of the pulpit may say, consequently I ask of you the privilege of explaining to the readers of your paper my feelings at such meetings.

The state church of Saxony is the Evangelical Lutheran. My parents also were Lutherans. In the public schools of Saxony we have regular hours for religious study and teaching. We are obliged to study the Lutheran catechism and Bible history. When I was twelve years of age I had for an instructor a man named Herr Bitterlich, who told us many good and valuable things concerning the Christian religion, which were not to be found in the Bible or catechism. Among them was the fact that in the churches built by man not always was the truth told; very often these buildings built by the hands of men are used for wrong purposes. Some of

the preachers use the churches as a lever with which to pry up money, as it were; and some of the church-going people use the church as a blanket with which to cover their evil doings and crimes. Often times it is used by the women as a fitting place to display their wardrobe and collection of nicely colored birds which were cruelly slaughtered for hat decorations; others going for curiosity's sake and others from force of habit formed by some of the above causes, and last, in later years, I remember well that this teacher told us the real and only true church of God was the one God made himself. If we go into the fields, meadows and forests, there as far as our eyes can cover all we see is the church of God, and the blue firmament, with all its planets, as its roof. Everything we see, the minerals, the waters, the planets, the insects, the birds, the animals and mankind, are all parts of God.

The pure air we inhale is God. The song of the skylark and all other kinds of birds glorify God, to which the song of man, in many instances, in and out of church, is nothing but mockery.

When we learn to appreciate, protect and cultivate all creatures, and inhale all the fresh air the lungs can hold, then we will be living nearer to God, for did not God put life into Adam with only one breath of air? But if we wantonly misuse, torture and destroy everything of God's creation, and inhale the foul air of closed rooms, we are only pleasing Satan, and become slaves and part of Satan.

Each one of us is a small temple erected to God, and we are our own architects. Here are a few little stories out of many Herr Bitterlich told us: A man with a span of horses and a heavily loaded wagon was driving along the road and struck a deep mud hole, and his wagon sunk in way up to the hubs. The master of the horses tried to pull out, and applied the whip unsparringly to his horses, and at the same time cursed his luck and all nature. After a long time at this he decided that perhaps prayer instead of the whip and curses would do him more good, and thereupon knelt down and prayed. After some minutes in earnest prayer a cloud in the heavens opened and a loud, clear voice spoke to him and asked what knave was asking help of him in such a manner, and told him that it was written to pray and work, for with prayer alone you can't accomplish much. "Put your hands to the wheel, speak a few kind words to your horses, apply all your physical strength and out of the mud you will come."

Another of Herr Bitterlich's illustrations: A thrifty farmer was hauling manure to his field one day and was obliged to pass a neighbor's field on his way. While engaged at this task he espied his neighbor kneeling down on his (the neighbor's) field, and inquired what he was praying for. The neighbor replied that he was asking God for a bounteous crop. "You go home and pray in private, and do like I, haul manure to your field, and you will get a good crop."

A tree can be trained to grow either straight or crooked, if it is taken in hand when only a sapling. So can the human being, if the training begins in infancy or childhood days. If the child is allowed to destroy flowers and toys when young, it will gradually develop to torture birds and animals in middle age, and perhaps in maturity have no respect for humanity and even aid in committing crime, and the parents and teachers permitting the child to do these things have been a hook for the gallows.

A man who believes in God and confesses religion and swears is a rascal; an infidel or disbeliever who swears is an idiot, for with one breath he denies God and religion, and in the next he curses that which he does not believe exists.

When I told my parents what Herr Bitterlich told us my father said: "Adold, your teacher tells you more than our teacher told us when I was young, but these are progressive times."

The church that was good enough for the high priest, Calaphus, was not good enough for Jesus; and the church of Rome that was good enough for Pope Leo X was not good enough for Martin Luther. Herr Bitterlich was a very good teacher. Investigate everything and keep the best.

From this time on I drifted away from orthodox, or first belief, and followed my own convictions. After I was seventeen years of age I spent several years in Catholic Bavaria, Austria, Hungary, Italy and reformed Switzerland. When twenty years of age I served three years in a Saxon artillery regiment, amongst twenty thousand other German soldiers in the fortress at Metz, which had an entire Catholic population. Again after that I spent nearly two years in Switzerland and Italy. Twenty-nine days I spent in the city of Rome; was in St. Peter's Cathedral at least forty times; twice in the galleries of the Vatican. St. Paul's cathedral I visited only once, and many other smaller churches.

I have heard many lectures in the way of religious ideas, but the lecture by Professor Howe, on "The Mission of Christ," I appreciate very much. The Oregonian, Daily Guard and Morning Register reported only part of the address, thereby destroying the essence of the entire lecture. The evangelists, Dr. Oliver and Mr. Brown, were not present, consequently had only from hearsay a small part of the address to decide upon, and did a great injustice to Professor Howe when they assailed his lecture. I will continue this in another issue at a later date. G. A. SACHS.

CALL FOR CITY WARRANTS

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