

County School Column.

STATE TEACHERS' READING CIRCLE. To the Many Teachers of Oregon, This Comes Greeting: For the eighth time the committee on reading circle work for the state extend to you, through the manager, fraternal and cordial greeting.

The Teachers' Reading Circle work is so well known, and its aims and plans are so clearly understood by the majority of teachers and superintendents of Oregon that an extended explanation of its workings seems at this time unnecessary.

It has been well received and generally approved since its organization, but that there is still room for very great improvement no one will question. It is hoped that the various county superintendents will heartily co-operate with the manager, and will present the need and value of the work to every teacher in their respective counties.

It has also been suggested, in order to develop greater interest on the part of teachers, and to secure the very best results possible from the reading circle work, that at the various county institutes to be held throughout the state at the end of the school year a general discussion shall be had of the books read during the year.

This will give all teachers an opportunity of presenting their views of the practical advantages gained from a careful study of these books. It may be of interest to the teachers of the state to know that the questions on Theory and Practice, of Teaching, for county certificates and state certificates and diplomas, will be based on the texts of the Reading Circle. This plan has the hearty endorsement of State Superintendent Irwin.

A Reading Circle properly conducted is one of the most efficient means to teachers for professional and general culture. Each teacher owes it to herself, to her profession, and to the young whom she is instructing, that she take advantage of every means offered to better qualify herself for her responsible undertaking.

It is in the interest of this culture and preparation that the Teacher's Reading Circle was projected eight years ago by the department of superintendence. Teachers, or those desiring to become teachers, are eligible to membership.

A membership fee of fifty cents is charged which is used to defray the incidental expenses of the circle. The fee should be sent to the manager, who will at once mail a certificate of membership which will entitle the holder to all the benefits of the circle in the way of outlines and memoranda which are periodically sent out. A diploma signed by the State Board of Education and the manager for the Reading Circle will be presented to each teacher who successfully completes the course of reading.

The books recommended for the present year's work are White's School Management and Shepherd's Historical Readings. An Outline of Study for the year will be supplied free to teachers with each book.

Management is a book placed in the hands of one who is justly ranked among the great American educators of the present time; one who has not only developed the theory of education, philosophically and psychologically, but has also had the opportunity of submitting the theory and principles to a practical test, under his own supervision in an American public school. The School Management has been adopted already by the Reading Circles of twenty-seven states. This book has been designed to supplement "The Elements of Pedagogy" which has been so widely read. The chapters on "character building" treat the subject with much thoroughness. It is well known to all progressive teachers, that at no time has there been manifested a stronger disposition for historical investigation than at present, not only so far as historical facts are concerned, but also as to the comparative merits of historical writers, hence the selection of Shepherd's Readings.

In the book selected we have extracts from thirty or more great writers, embracing in the list Irving, Macaulay, Froide, Bayne, Gilpin, Arnold, Carlyle, Hume, Gibbon, Prescott, etc.—all selected so systematically and philosophically that the teacher who reads this book will not only be pleasantly entertained, but will also have acquired the key to the philosophy of historical reading. At the close of the book is given a short biographical sketch of each of the writers. The books can be obtained of the American Book Company, 289 Yamhill St., Portland, Oregon, at the following prices: White's School Management, by mail, \$1.00; Shepherd's Historical Readings, by mail, \$1.00.

Teachers, superintendents, or others desiring information concerning Reading Circle Work should write to the undersigned and their inquiries will receive prompt attention.

E. H. ANDERSON, Manager State Reading Circle, Salem, Oregon.

Following is the report of School District, No. 71, for month beginning September 23d and ending October 18th. Number of days taught, 20; number of days attendance, 453; number of days absence, 32; number of times tardy, 3; number of boys enrolled, 9; number of girls enrolled, 20; total number enrolled, 29; average daily attendance, 23.

Those neither absent nor tardy during the month were: Hattie Edmondson, Carrie Shearer, Coral Baker, Daisy Watson, Leona Rymal, Ruel Baker, and Howard Lee. Josephine N. Heiler, Teacher.

SCHOLLS.

Farmers are grumbling at the prevailing dry weather on account of the delay to their plowing and seeding. Protracted meetings are being held at Unity Chapel this week. Miss Jack and Miss Barnes attended the institute at Forest Grove the latter part of the week.

We noticed Dr. Linklater pass through here Saturday, en route for Sherwood. J. D. Rowell, S. Seely and C. Gonnell attended a sale in Chehalis valley, Monday. Mrs. Geo. Schulmerich was visiting in Scholls last week the guest of Miss Estelle Elmrick.

Sheriff Plummer and family of Dallas and H. C. Plummer and son Ernest of Sherwood were visiting their sister, Mrs. Alice Cummings of this place. Rev. Skeels preached at Sherwood, Sunday.

Miss Bessie Schmelzer who has been visiting relatives in Portland the past two weeks returned home Wednesday. The singing class did not meet last Thursday on account of Prof. French being otherwise engaged.

A musical society was organized Thursday evening at Unity Chapel. The following are the officers elected: Leader, Mr. Emmel; President, Mrs. LeKue; Vice-President, Miss Miller; Secretary, Bert Powell; Treasurer, W. Hart. Mrs. Chas. Koeber and daughters Callie and Maggie were visiting at Mrs. Warren's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Baker is lying in a precarious condition at her parent's home near Sherwood. It is reported there is little hope of her recovery.

Harvey Jack of Farmington was visiting at J. D. Rowell's, Sunday. Grandma Little was visiting at Mrs. Seely's and Mrs. Rowell's last week.

GLENWOOD.

Mr. A. M. Scofield made a flying trip to Hillsboro, Wednesday.

T. T. Cox is improving his place with a new board fence.

Joe Granholm is building a house on his place. He is one of the get up and rustlers.

Mrs. Yorkshire of Forest Grove was the guest of Mrs. A. L. Smith the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Catching of Forest Grove are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Catching.

Miss Sylvia Baker spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Greenville.

Miss Dora Smith visited Forest Grove Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Scofield, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Allen were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Merrill Sunday last.

Mr. R. N. Varney and J. F. Allen made a business trip to Forest Grove, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Merrill spent Monday and Tuesday in Hillsboro.

Messrs. Ed. Murphy, W. Murphy and Hugh Griffin from Marion county arrived in Glenwood, Sunday, on a hunting expedition. They expect to remain a week.

We think we hear the sound of wedding bells.

CORNELIUS.

Joseph Cowse was in the city, Tuesday.

John Allen of the Grove was in town Tuesday.

C. S. McNutt took a load of supplies to his ranch last Saturday, over on the Nehalem.

Mrs. Keim did business in Portland last Saturday.

J. R. Miller has put down a new sidewalk east of the hotel.

Pete Jacquot and lady visited Hillsboro last Sunday.

M. Pizer started for the mines on Rock Creek in Columbia Co., Tuesday.

Geo. Sanders is moving into his new house this week.

Bob Banks and wife were visiting with friends in Cornelius last Sunday.

Messrs. Lieser and Sausbar are making a first class article of cider at their cider works in Cornelius.

Two couple of our young people attended the Farmington dance last Friday evening.

T. H. Lanender and wife of Vernonia visited friends in Cornelius, Sunday and Monday.

C. T. Dodds has sold out his barber shop to Charley Fairchild.

M. Cook and son went to Portland on business last Saturday.

C. M. Johnson's father and sisters of Portland visited with Charley last week.

Washington County Flour Mills

Are now completed and ready for business. Have been grinding since Monday, producing an excellent quality of flour, comparison of which with any other brand is invited. Two expert millers have been employed this week adjusting the machinery which is now in perfect running order. Farmers' trade is respectfully solicited. L. H. ALBERTS & CO. L. H. ALBERTS, C. C. CAPLES, J. W. BROWN, Forest Grove.

Portland Market Report.

REVISED WEEKLY

The following are the latest quotations of the local market.

Wheat—Market has a better tone. Willamette valley, 80 to 82 1/2c. Walla Walla, 75 to 77 1/2c, nominal.

Barley—Prices steady; good feed quoted at 50 and 51 1/2c. Oats—Dull; No. 1, white, 20 and 21c; gray, 18 and 19c for choice.

Hay—Choice timothy, \$7.00 to \$8.00; choice chest 45.00 to 50.00 per ton. Hops—Choice, 6 to 6 1/2c; medium, 2c, nominal. Flour—Market steady with an upward tendency. Snowflake, \$2.75; Portland, \$2.75; Dayton, \$2.60; Gold Drop, \$2.75; Graham \$2.25 to 2.35.

Milled—Rye, \$1.50; shorts, \$2.25; ground barley, \$2.25 to \$2.50; chop feed, \$2 to 2 1/2; chicken feed, 20c per cental. Hides—Firm, 15 to 14 1/2c for dry. Wool—Valley will command 25 to 28c and Eastern Oregon 2 to 2 1/2c; choice light, 15 to 18c in San Francisco.

Smoked Meats and Lard—Large supply with small demand. Sides, Eastern, 9 1/2 to 9 3/4c; hams, Eastern, 11 to 12c; pork lard, 8 to 9c; country cured sold at lower prices.

Butter—Firm, brine, 28c per roll for No. 1; store, in rolls, 25 to 26 1/2c per roll; for choice dairy, 20 to 22c per roll. Creamery, 27 to 28 1/2c per roll.

Cheese—California 7 to 8c per lb. Young America, Oregon, 20 and 18c; Oregon full cream; medium to fancy, 8 to 10c; New York cream, 13 to 14 1/2c. Dried Apples—Evaporated, bleached, 4 to 5c per lb. evaporated, unbleached, 4 to 4 1/2c; sundried, 3 to 4c; and boxes, 3 to 4 1/2c.

Dried Prunes—Sorted 4 to 5c per lb.; machine dried, 3 and 3 1/2c; prunes, Italian, large, 5 to 7c; French, 3 to 5c. Quilts—Oregon fancy, 50 to 75c per sack; inferior, 25 to 40c per sack.

Fears—Evaporated 5 and 6c; sun 5 and 6c. Poultry—Chickens, old 4 1/2 to 5 1/2c per doz.; broilers, \$1 to 2 1/2c per doz.; live turkeys, 12c per lb.; old ducks 2 1/2 to 4 1/2c per doz.; young ducks, \$1.50 to 4 1/2c per doz.; young geese \$5 to 6 1/2c per doz.

Eggs—Firm, 30c. Wheat bags—California, 5 1/2c; hop cloth, California, 12 1/2c; California, 12 1/2c. Potatoes—Oregon 22 to 25c per sack. Corn—Oregon 10 1/2c and upwards. Sugar—Cuba, 12 1/2 to 13 1/2c; S. S., 12 1/2 and upwards, 6c; No. 3, 13 1/2 to 14 1/2c.

Salt—Liverpool, 50c, strong at \$3 and \$3 1/2 per ton; sea, \$2 50, 2000, \$12. Fruits and Vegetables—We quote: Grapes, 8c to 7c per box; Oregon peaches, 40 to 50c per box, apples 60 to 90c; Oregon tomatoes, 20 to 30c; watermelons, \$1 to 1 1/2 per doz; cabbage, 1 and 1 1/2c; sweet potatoes, 2 1/2c per lb; cucumbers, 5c per doz.

Market Quotations.

FOREST GROVE.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY GREEN THE GROCER.

PRODUCER'S SELLING PRICE.

Butter 30 to 35c per lb. Eggs 18 to 19c per doz. Cheese 10 to 13c per lb. Bacon sides 15c per lb. Ham 20 to 22c per lb. Shoulders 18 to 20c per lb. Lard 10 to 12c per lb. Potatoes 10 to 12c per hundred lbs. Onions 4 to 5c per hundred lbs. Beans 10 to 12c per lb. Apples 25 to 40c per box Dried Apples 4 to 6c per lb. Dried Prunes 4 to 6c per lb. Yellow 25 to 30c per lb. Chickens, old 4 to 5c per doz. Ducks 2 to 3 1/2c per doz. Geese 10 to 15c per doz. Turkey 15 to 20c per lb. alive. Hides 10 to 12c per lb. Sheep Pelts 15 to 20c each. Beef 12 1/2 to 15c gross weight, 4 to 5c dressed. Mutton 10 to 12c. Pork 4 1/2 to 5c per lb. dressed. Veal 4 to 5c. Wheat 5 to 6c. Oats 3 to 4c. Rice 8 to 10c. Hay 20 to 25c baled.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County.

E. A. Hyde, Plaintiff, vs. N. L. Thatcher, W. C. Purdin and George M. Kreamer, Defendants.

To N. L. Thatcher, W. C. Purdin and George M. Kreamer, the above named defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon you are commanded hereby to appear and answer the plaintiff's complaint in the above entitled court and cause by Monday the 23rd day of November, 1895, the same being the first day of the next regular term of said court following the expiration of the time prescribed for the publication of this summons. And if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint, to-wit: For a judgment against you, and each of you, for the sum of \$152.50 with interest thereon since October 4th, 1894, at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and for the sum of \$5.00 attorney fees, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit, and for the decree foreclosing a certain mortgage executed by you and each of you, on July 20th, 1894, which mortgage is recorded on page 59 of book "V" of records and mortgages of said Washington county, Oregon, and that the land described in said mortgage, to-wit: Being part of the Harmon Thatcher donation claim, in township No. 1 north, range No. 4 west, in said Washington county, State of Oregon, and being part of Lot "H" in the subdivision of said claim. Commencing at a post on the north line of said lot "H" in the center of the county road leading north and south, thence S 89 degrees and 24 min. w. 23 1/2 chs. to a post in the center of the county road leading east and west, thence S 50 degrees and 30 min. E. 4 1/2 chs. to a post, thence S 66 degrees and 20 min. E. 17 1/2 chs. to a post in said county road that leads north and south, thence north 20 degrees and 45 min. E. 10 1/2 chs. to the place of beginning, containing 13 1/2 acres, all in Washington county, Oregon.

Be sold in the manner provided by law and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction of plaintiff's said judgment and for such other and further relief as to the court may appear equitable. This summons is served upon you by publication, by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the Fifth Judicial District of Oregon. Dated at Chambers at Astoria, Oregon, on October 5, 1895.

SMITH & BOWMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Notice for Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator of the estate of Clara T. Vaughn deceased, in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, and that said Court has appointed Monday, Nov. 25, 1895, at the hour of 10 a. m. as the time for hearing objections to such final account and for the settlement thereof. J. P. Vaughn, Administrator of the estate of Clara T. Vaughn, deceased. Dated at Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, this 19th day of Oct., 1895.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of Jacob Wirtz, deceased, has filed her final account as such executrix in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, and said Court has appointed Monday the 18th day of November, 1895, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., as the hour for hearing such report. Dated at Hillsboro, Washington county, Oregon, this 16th day of October, 1895. AGNUS WIRTZ, Executrix of the last will and testament of Jacob Wirtz, deceased.

Dissolution of Partnership. The partnership heretofore existing between Melki Johnson, S. B. Gilpin and T. J. Harris, doing a real estate business at Forest Grove, Washington county, Oregon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Dated this 9th day of Oct., 1895. Melki Johnson, T. J. Harris, S. B. Gilpin.

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