

ELECTION FOR COQUILLE NOW

Propose to Settle School Controversy by Special Vote Skeels to Run Again.

Coquille, Or., Oct. 17.—The Coquille school fracas which has been the center of interest here for several months, will probably be settled for all time at a special election to be held a week from today.

C. M. Skeels, whose election as director was declared void because the tie result between him and Mr. Anderson was not decided by lot, has announced that he will dismiss his appeal to the Oregon Supreme Court and let the Coquille voters determine it. He says he will be a candidate for election against any and all candidates who wish to enter the field. The special school election is being arranged for next Friday.

Mr. Anderson, who ran previously and who had the support of the Mast faction, it is understood, will not run again. Who will be a candidate against Skeels is not stated.

An endeavor will be made to keep the controversy over the school site out of the election over the director.—Coos Bay Times.

Revival Held in Saloon.

Macon, Mo., Oct. 14.—Robert Jones, an evangelist, turned "Bob" Thomas saloon into a revival meeting here yesterday mounted a beer keg to deliver a sermon and converted a dozen frequenters. The evangelist had been invited to the saloon by its owner.

"The proprietor of this place" said Mr. Jones, "has invited us to hold religious services, giving us an opportunity to talk to men whom we might not otherwise have met, I love him and all these men about me, but I am against the liquor business. A saloon keeper, however, is not as bad as the church member who slips in at the back door and gets his drink."

\$10,000 Omitted From U. of O. Ballot Title.

There is an error in the state university appropriation referendum ballot title, and it is an open question as to what effect this will have on the result of the special election so far that measure is concerned. The error is due to the failure of the

attorney general to include all of the appropriation items mentioned in the measure in the title. According to the title the referendum is on appropriations aggregating \$65,000 while the correct amount is \$75,000. In drafting the title the attorney general evidently overlooked the item of \$10,000 for the men's dormitory. Secretary of State Olcott certified to the county clerk's ballot titles as drafted by the attorney general, so it is said to be too late to make a correction.

Forest Notes.

Squirrels collect much of the seed used for planting by the forest service.

A growing scarcity of willow, generally used for wooden shoes in Europe, is leading to an adoption of poplar.

Torrey pine, a distinct California species, has been found in only two isolated localities in the southern part of the state.

One hundred acres on the Florida national forest will be sown to maritime pine seed this fall. Maritime pine is the source of the French turpentine industry.

San Francisco recently received first cargo of lumber from the Tongass national forest, Alaska. The shipment consisted of 1,500,000 feet of Sitka spruce.

Three native species of larch furnish timber in the United States.

One grows in New England and the lake states, another in the Pacific northwest, and the third in the high mountains of the northern Rockies. European larch has been planted extensively in the prairie states.

Your home newspaper heralded to the world your birth. It told of your entry into school. Mentioned your birthday party when you were sweet sixteen. Applauded your graduation from the high school, started you to college, and when you returned mentioned the first job you secured. Told of your marriage to the sweetest girl in town and also mentioned the advent of your first born. Told of your visits to your ma and pa, sympathized with you in your sorrows, laughed with you in your joys, and when you die it will do its best to get you through the pearly gates, and all this for less than 3 cents a week, says the Myrtle Point Enterprise.

Miss Ebba Wren sailed on the Elizabeth for San Francisco and from there will go to San Jose where she will enter the California normal school.

CURRENT WINDS WATCH.

Timepiece Lost in Stream Two Years Ago Found Running.

Unlabeled. Pa.—That a swift current in a mountain trout stream kept his gold watch wound up and running for a full two years is the assertion of Albert Miller of Chalk Hill, who lost his timekeeper in the stream two years ago. When the watch was picked out of the sand by Mrs. Miller near the spot where her husband lost it the dial showed nearly the correct time.

Mrs. Miller, while gathering wild flowers, noticed a glittering object in the clear water of the stream. She investigated and found it to be her husband's lost watch. She was greatly surprised to find the watch running and keeping good time.

Mrs. Miller said that the timepiece was lying in such a position that the fast running water had evidently acted as a winder and kept the movements going.

AUTOS FOR PARCEL POST.

Forty-one Motor Trucks to Be Put in Operation, Three in Brooklyn.

Washington. — Postmaster General Burleson announced the purchase by the postoffice department of forty-one automobiles to be used in the collection and delivery of parcel post matter. Twenty of the machines are powerful trucks, designed and constructed especially for the needs of the parcel post in large cities.

Three of the trucks will be sent to Baltimore, three to Brooklyn, N. Y.; two to Buffalo, two to Louisville, four to Minneapolis and six to Philadelphia. The postmasters of those cities have been instructed to keep a minute account of the expense of operation and maintenance of the vehicles, so that comparisons may be made with the cost of rented machines.

\$15,000,000 IN SALMON.

Coast Fishermen Making \$500 a Week Apiece.

Tacoma.—Five hundred dollars a week for one fisherman is the average earned by salmon fishers who have begun to return from the banks to Tacoma with shipload after shipload of their catches and their faces wreathed in smiles over what they declared was the most successful season in history.

Jack Anich, one of the dozen of the salmon fishers of Tacoma, said that during the comparatively short period, four weeks, during which they are allowed to fish, no less than 2,000,000 cases of salmon had been caught in Puget sound and British Columbia waters, valued at \$15,000,000.

Tacoma and Gig harbor fishermen are bringing \$750,000 worth of salmon to Old Town alone.

PUGILIST BY NIGHT; A STUDENT BY DAY

Young McGann Fighting Way Through Law School.

Chicago.—George Howard Lovequest, formerly of Chicago, now of Racine, Wis., is literally fighting his way through the law school of the University of Wisconsin. He fights at 133, Marquis of Queensberry, when he is not wrestling with Blackstone. He is known in the ring as "Young McGann," and is the only man known here who has adopted pugilism as a means of paying his expenses in school.

Lovequest was born on the south side in Chicago, where they develop "scrappers." In 1910 he entered Wisconsin as a law student and will be graduated next year. When he entered he cast about for a means of paying expenses. His friend Peter McGann suggested boxing. He approved of it, and his first professional bout was with a man named Britt, at Oregon, Wis. McGann stopped him in the first round. This brought him to the attention of promoters, and since then he has had no trouble in getting matches whenever he needed money. He ranks high as a student and says that as soon as he is through school he also will be through with the ring.

POLL OF FARMERS' WIVES.

Secretary of Agriculture Sends Letters to 50,000 of Them.

Washington. — David F. Houston, secretary of agriculture, wants the women on American farms to tell him what the department of agriculture can do to best serve their needs. Accordingly he has prepared a letter which will be sent to the women of 50,000 farm households, requesting them to make suggestions.

Copies of the letter will go to about twenty farms in each of the 2,500 counties in the United States. Secretary Houston expects that the replies received will represent the views and opinions of more than 500,000 farm women.

Want Argentine Corn.

Topeka, Kan.—Kansas farmers and stockmen, owing to the bad effect of the drought upon the corn crop, will ask the removal of the tariff duty on Argentine corn so it may be imported and fed to Kansas stock. It is estimated that Argentine grain can be delivered to the Kansas farmers at about 10 cents a bushel less than the present price of corn in the state.

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This man is evidently in a hurry. He is going away from here.

You never can get some men into action without a powerful stimulus. You can hardly say this man is having a bully time, although the bull may be. It is all in the point of view.

Anyway, the man is going some, and THAT IS GOOD FOR HIM, or is it if he goes fast enough. He has developed a burst of speed for once in his life.

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WHY NOT HERE?

We may not be able to get the whole 2,000,000, but even a fraction will help.

Why not go after them?

We believe this is a good town else we would not live here.

Why not tell others and let them SHARE ITS BLESSINGS?