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A number of young ladies and young men have reached a very important stage of their careers in the Athena High School department. The period of their lives has arrived when they will close their work in the public schools, and take up the pursuits which are to qualify them to perform labors that will confront them later in life. The graduating class of Athena High this year numbers thirteen, and each member no doubt in looking back over his or her school work feels a pang of regret on reflecting that after graduation exercises, the old school will know them no more, yet on the other hand are elated to grasp the diploma for which they have labored so hard and earnestly.

The falsity of general supposition that opportunity is on the wane in this country is exposed in the consummation of a contract between Tom Mix, movie actor, and the F. B. O. producing company. F. B. O. gives Tom \$3,000,000 for two years' service. This amount should provide the young man with spending money and leave enough for a peck or two of oats for "Tony."

"Big Bill" Thompson has been given another jolt. His proposal to "draft" Coolidge into the race for the presidency has been turned down by party leaders, and the Chicago mayor (who is nothing else but) is completely without issue; having been vanquished by ridicule in his attempt to foist King George of England upon the nation as its arch enemy.

Baning, California, immigration officers broke up a Japanese transportation party the other day when they pulled five of the little Orientals from a false compartment in a wheat truck. This is the newest wrinkle to be introduced by the Jap's persistent effort to enter this country, but he has yet to try a sausage casing.

Just as we expected, the Houston convention is to be an informal Tammany affair; Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York, will place Governor Al Smith of New York, in nomination for the presidency, leaving nothing else for the rest of us democrats to do but formally accept.

Betcha the hardest part of the German-Irish Atlantic flight was the milling around in the ice and snow of Greenly Island, waiting for spare parts to repair the damaged Bremen. However, just over from the auld sod, the lads may "hae a wee drop i' the bottle for the mornin'."

With the abolishment of the Turkish harem seems to have had but little effect there on the art of osculation. Recently, on the advent of the first train into a town over a new railroad, the locomotive was "smothered with kisses" by the happy peasants.

Mr. Mecklem of Portland, took Mrs. Mecklem to a party. After the usual drinking bout, Mrs. Mecklem is in a hospital where her bullet wounds are being cared for and Mecklem is in jail. Apparently booze and gatts mix no better than do booze and gasoline.

Compilation of figures by the federal bureau of education show that private benefactors contributed more last year in support of higher education than either the government or students. We were aware of the fact that somebody was paying for it.

Keeping everlastingly at it finally took Captain Wilkins over the Arctic. His life's most cherished hope has been gratified, and in accomplishing his goal, the world credits him with having viewed land never before seen by man.

To attain the terrific speed of over 207 miles per hour, all that was found necessary was to place a 36-cylinder motor in the front end of an automobile. To find a damfool to drive it, wasn't hard either.

Hit by seven crop failures, along with about 1000 years of guerilla warfare, the inhabitants of the northern part of Shantung province, China, are telling the world that they are hungry.

Miles Poindexter is back in Washington state, telling the voters over there how bad they want him for United States senator again. Well, it's the voters and he for it.

Same old story: "Arkansas land and crops covered with flood waters." Still there is some talk of flood control.

Baseball has its thrills, as witnesseth the rally which won Sunday's game from Helix.

"Trail of liquor leads to prison," says headline. But more often to a blind pig.

JAMES H. E. SCOTT
(Oregon Voter)

Jas. H. E. Scott, Milton attorney, has two distinctions that will be appreciated generally, but particularly by those other mayors of Oregon cities who submit themselves to the ordeal of introspection. Mayor Scott has not been absent from a meeting of the Milton council during the six years of his incumbency, and the city over whose administration he presides has had a gradually declining tax rate for municipal purposes since 1923. Accomplishment No. 2 puts a punchful meaning into the second half of Candidate Scott's ballot slogan—"Lower taxes." He seeks one of two republican nominations for representative from Umatilla county.

Mayor Scott was born on a farm near Pontiac, Illinois, April 9, 1880; educated St. Olaf College, Dakota University, and graduate of Ellsworth College, normal course; also attended business college, Valparaiso University law school, and graduated with law degree from Illinois College of Law; taught school in South Dakota and Oregon; for two years was instructor in bookkeeping and accounting methods in Manila, P. I., business college; during World War was accounts clerk in quartermaster corps, U. S. A. Married Minnie Lane Gregg in Milton, October, 1914; has one son.

Member and trustee of Christian church; member of American, Oregon and Umatilla county bar associations; member Masons, Knights of Pythias and Odd Fellows; member executive committee Milton chamber of commerce; city attorney of Milton, 1913-1916; taxpayer on real and personal property.

Mr. Scott is opposed to an increase in Oregon gasoline tax without compensating increase in gasoline tax in other states; believes public service corporations using public highways for transportation purposes, should pay percent of their gross earnings for such privilege; favors neither \$3 nor \$5 auto license fees, but believes some adjustment in license should be made in favor of used cars; favors legislation that would provide assessor with name and address of grantee in sales of property, same to be noted on tax rolls, so as to prevent "injustice in numerous tax foreclosure sales as at present."

(Editor's Note—Mr. Scott is well known in Athena, where he was at one time a member of the faculty of the Athena schools. Leaving Athena, Mr. Scott next engaged in school work in the Manila P. I. schools for the government.)

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the Estate of O. W. B. Zerba, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account and report in the above entitled matter and that the above entitled Court has fixed Saturday, the

28th day of April, 1928, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day, as the time, and the County Court room in the County Court house at Pendleton, Umatilla County, Oregon, as the place, for hearing of said final account and report. Objections to said final account and report should be filed on or before that date.

Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 20th day of March, 1928.
Ernest A. Zerba, Administrator of the Estate of O. W. B. Zerba, Deceased.
Watts & Prestbye, Athena, Oregon, Attorneys for Estate. M30A27

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of April, 1928.
E. C. PRESTBYE
Notary public for Oregon. My commission expires July 10, 1928.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the Estate of A. A. Mayberry, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by order of the above entitled court, executrix of the last will and testament of A. A. Mayberry, deceased, and that she has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present them to me, with proper vouchers, at my store in Adams, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated April 16, 1928.
BERTHA DARR
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.
In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Bishop, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the above entitled court executrix of the last will and testament of William H. Bishop, deceased, and she has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers, within six months from the date hereof, to me at my home at the Umatilla Indian Agency, or at the office of my attorney, Stephen A. Lowell in Despain Block, Pendleton, Oregon.
Dated this 16th day of April, 1928.
LOUISA S. BISHOP, Executrix.
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