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SCHOOL GARDENS.

The school gardening movement, which is under way in many localities is meeting with the genuine response it deserves. It is almost nation wide and the fifth annual report of the School Garden Association of America shows how rapidly support has been enlisted.

School garden work has spread into almost every state, to the insular possessions of the United States, and to the provinces of Canada. When we remember that the movement originated in LaFayette, Yamhill county, Oregon, and that L. R. Alderman, now superintendent of the Portland city schools was its originator, we are pleased to reflect that at least one phase of the "Oregon System" has met with universal approval.

Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, believes that "direct contact with the soil, with the fundamental forces of nature and with plant and animal life and the constant adjustments which must be made among these, is highly educative in itself and furnishes raw material of the very best kind for the work of the school."

In the opinion of one public man the School Garden Association of America is doing a very important educational work in the United States. Horticulture is the beginning of agriculture, which is the foundation of all wealth and commerce. Gardening, therefore, in this man's opinion, is the most important branch of education, but it has been sadly neglected and ignored in our public schools. It is the aim of the association to encourage local initiative, so that the communities may, in turn, share in the help of the government specialists. School gardening as a means of healthful employment and recreation, recommends itself. It is not so much what it is, however, as what it leads to that counts. If a child, at school, learns how to make plants develop and flowers bloom, he will inevitably carry such interest to his home. There is no limit to the possibilities which are thus presented.

FAT OR LEAN.

It is reported that the directors of a certain school district less than four thousand miles away have ruled that neither "fat" nor "flossy" candidates for positions are wanted for teachers in their schools.

The underlying reasons for this arbitrary ruling do not at once suggest themselves to one unfamiliar with the conditions in that district. There are persons who will find a part-explanation in the dogmatic dictum that "nobody loves a fat man," but this does not account for the sweeping scope of the ban, which evidently includes women candidates as well as men.

There is no law, nor even any maxim against loving a fat woman—on general principles, that is. Of course, certain conventionalities apply if she happens to be another man's wife; but that's another story. How true it is that times change and men change with them! The late lamented Julius Caesar, for instance, who execrated the lean and hungry look of Cassius, and expressed an impatient desire to have men about him who were fat—"sleek-headed men, and such as sleep o' nights"—could never have been elected as a teacher in that now-to-be famous district. The celebrated Jack Spratt might have succeeded in landing a position, but his wife wouldn't have stood the ghost of a chance.

It is safe to say that those school directors made their ruling without taking a vote of the schoolboy population, which, at least individually, would have declared a strong preference for being laid across a plump, cushiony knee, as against a sharp and boney one.

And then there are the "flossy" candidates. Dr. Noah Webster, in his rather pretentious book of words and definitions, tells us that "flossy" means pertaining to, made of, or resembling floss; hence, light; downy. If that board's objection is to lightness, the inconsistency of its position cannot be overlooked; for

absence of fat, on which the board insists, inevitably presupposes a degree of lightness as to weight. If the objection is to downy candidates, it should be an easy matter for him of pedagogic aspirations, just out of college, to dispense with his incipient moustache.

But if the inhibition is against candidates pertaining to, made of, or resembling floss—well, the Gresham frame of mind, long accustomed to the smoothest and daintiest school-marmers in the world, cannot be expected to comprehend the low ideals of some other communities. However, we wish the children of that other benighted district all possible joy in the slim and angular education which is in store for them.

The New York World says that the dancing of a bare-legged girl at the Metropolitan opera house was "deliciously wicked." So are some of the movie reels that the censors won't let us take a look at.

Our idea of a girl being natural and sweet is when she grabs the Outlook and reads the wedding stories while her daddy is snorting all over the place for a chance to read this column of floss.

Champ Clark says the people of a district ought to select a young congressman and keep him there. Nearly all the congressmen we ever knew held the same view, especially in the Oregon third.

When a fellow kisses his sweetheart's pet poodle he is just crazy enough to be joyously in love; and then he is also bashful or he wouldn't kiss the dog when there was a girl around.

Two of Assessor Reed's deputies are with us again for their annual round-up. How thankful we should be that we, in Oregon, don't have to pay poll tax.

From the number of requests we have received to run for office this year, we figure that it is going to be possible for us to resist the pressure and decline.

"Ego is a mental disease that is incurable," said an orator recently. Grandma used to have a remedy made up of a slipper and to bed without supper.

An automobile is a fine luxury for the man who can afford it, but a jitney canopy makes a good substitute for one person the people of this town know of.

"The republican party has no issue," says a democratic contemporary. But think of the presidential candidates it has on the waiting list!

Since parents quit naming their boys Washington, the "Wash" business in literature has felt a decline in the jokesmith department.

In our opinion County Clerk Coffey would be sure of a re-election if he were to give a cook book with each marriage license.

It's all right to be a party worker in a strenuous campaign like the one now on tap; but its often hard on the one you work.

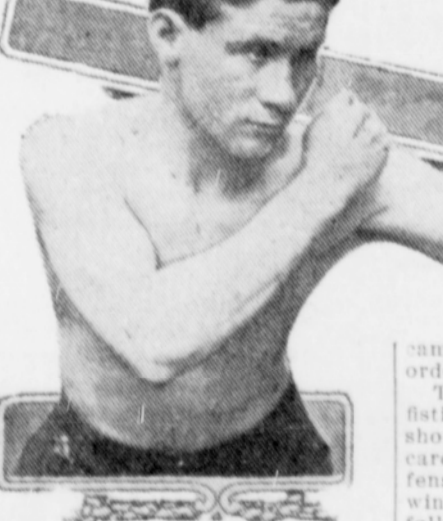
Only a week left in which to select that Easter bonnet, but let us all hope it won't rain on Easter Sunday.

Here's hoping that Easter Sunday ball game won't be prolific of another installment of goose eggs.

We are not advised as to the fashions in Easter dyes this spring, but they won't wash.

Bargains in the Want Ads.

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION BOXER OF THE NORTHWEST

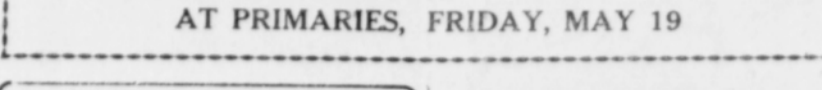


Albert Beyers, the crack boxer of the Multnomah Athletic club, who holds the Pacific Northwest lightweight championship.

If faithful training and clean living will bring success to any athlete it is coming to Beyers for Tom Tracy, the veteran boxing instructor of the "Winged M" club and former welterweight champion of the world, recently stated that Beyers was the best boy he ever instructed when it

Candidates for Nomination

AT PRIMARIES, FRIDAY, MAY 19



W. B. STEELE

Republican Candidate for County Commissioner

In the interest of the taxpayers, W. B. Steele stands for no favoritism in county business affairs. He has had years of experience in construction work. He proposes, if elected, to work for and favor the awarding of all contracts to the lowest responsible bidder and to exact strict compliance with the specifications. Economy being his motto at all times.

He stands for strict economy, sound business principles, protection of the industries we now have, the encouragement of new ones and the development of the natural resources of Oregon.

Paid Adv.

FRED J. MEINDL
Republican Candidate for State Representative
Tax Limitation, Fewer Laws, Constructive Legislation, Lower Taxes, Economy, Efficient Service.
—Paid Advertisement

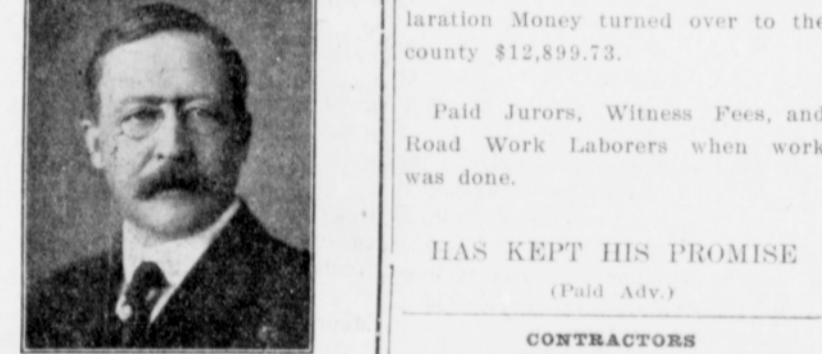
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JOHN B. COFFEY
Republican Candidate for County Clerk.

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For Sale.
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HORSES
STRAYED—Bay mare about three years old, white spot in forehead. Mrs. Catho, R. 2, Oregon City, Ore.

Notice of Public Sale.
Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction on Saturday, the 22d day of April, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., at my place, half mile north of Victory schoolhouse, a 3-year-old sorrel horse, white face, no marks or brands, taken up by me on Tuesday, April 4, 1916, and advertised according to law.
A. H. BURNS,
R. 1, Troutdale, Ore.
Dated this 14th day of April, 1916

FOR SALE—A good heavy team, Oregon and harness. Contract for hauling wood 5000 with them. First State Bank, Gresham, Ore.

WANT TO SELL OR TRADE for an automobile, team horses, weight 1900 and driving horse about 1250. A. Surber, R. 2, Troutdale, or phone Corbett 11x1. *15

FOR SALE—Team of horses, 2900 pounds, with harness. Cheap. A. D. McMillen, Gresham, R. 4, box 22; phone 283.

TAKEN UP—Irongray horse, about six years old, on the Tom Ward place 2½ miles northeast of Gresham. Owner may have same by paying for this advertisement and expenses of keep. Charles Van Walagher.

POULTRY

RHODE ISLAND RED EGGS \$1.00 per setting. Mrs. Cora Ogden, Dammeier place, near O. W. P. Depot, Gresham. 13

HATCHING EGGS—White Wyandotte, \$1.50 for 15; White Leghorn, \$1.00 for 15 and \$5 for 100. Orders wanted for baby chicks to be delivered after April 22. A. R. Lyman, R. 2, Gresham.

EGGS, BABY CHICKS and PULLETS. Put in your order early if you expect to get some of the reliable White Knoll stock. New hatch off April 15. H. W. Cooley & Son, Troutdale, Oregon. Phone 434.

Trapnested White Leghorns, bred to lay. Baby chicks or eggs for hatching will solve your winter egg problem. Get our prices. Crystal Springs Poultry Farm, Gresham, Oregon. Phone 30x2.

REAL ESTATE, RENTALS

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE, Cleveland avenue, Portland, to exchange for raw land, rolling, with creek or spring on it. Price \$2000. See Mr. Gotzhausen, 605 McKay Bldg., Portland.

FOR RENT—5-room house in Gresham, electric lights, bath, fine place for garden. \$8. Phone 334. tf

HOUSE TO RENT—Either a 4- or 5-room house, furnished or unfurnished. Mrs. P. A. Gould, Gresham. tf

MISCELLANEOUS

LOOSE HAY for sale.—J. T. McCulloch, Phone 296. tf

BURBANK SEED POTATOES for sale. Grant Sloop, Boring. Phone 76x2. tf

FOR RENT—Twelve acres of hay land at Hogan station. A. J. Stout. 13

FOR SALE—Several used cook stoves for sale at Sterling & Kidder Hdwe. Co.

BALED TIMOTHY hay for sale. F. A. Welch, R. 4, Gresham, phone 77x.

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Office: First State Bank Building GRESHAM, OREGON

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