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## TELEPHONE COMPANY REELECTS DIRECTORS

The principal item of business at the meeting of the stockholders of the Multnomah & Clackamas Mutual Telephone company yesterday afternoon was the reelection of the entire board of directors, J. C. Shultz, Erma Shultz and K. A. Miller. The annual statement was read and was ordered to be published and copies sent to the stockholders.

The matter of providing the necessary capital for improvements and the natural expansion of the system was taken up and after some discussion it was decided to leave the question to a subsequent meeting to be held on Monday afternoon, February 25, after the stockholders have had an opportunity to consider the matter.

The necessity of taking care of possible losses on account of sleet storms and of taking steps to minimize the damage was recognized. It is hoped to put the 28 lines leading to the 12-mile corner in a cable and thus decrease the hazard from storms. It is estimated that such a cable would cost \$3000. After the storm two years ago it was necessary to use many poles which were short or imperfect. These need to be replaced, as well as many cross arms. To do all this and allow for the steady growth of the system equal or greater than that of the past year will necessitate not less than \$10,000.

The logical way to provide this capital, according to Mr. Shultz, would be to issue preferred stock, but this can be done only at the consent of all the holders of common stock. This is obviously out of the question. The issuance of bonds was suggested and the "open mortgage bonds" were explained by Attorney Henry S. Gray of Portland, who was introduced by Mr. Shultz. The company now has \$15,000 in bonds, which are notes outstanding, not mortgage bonds. In discussing the subject, A. Downsett, former president of the telephone company, said he believes that from \$15,000 to \$20,000 will be necessary to take care of the current year's expansion.

The treasurer's report was considered a satisfactory one and showed that careful, conservative management has been given the business of the company; \$2750 in notes have been paid off during the past year. The total liabilities at the present time amount to \$16,542.65, including the \$15,000 bonds. The total assets, according to the statement, amount to \$43,452.38.

The boundary line between the territory of the Pacific States and the local telephone company is under consideration, according to Mr. Shultz, by the public service commission. A tentative agreement has been made by representative of the two companies, which is now awaiting the action of the public service commission. This will obviate the encroachment of either company on the territory of the other.

Mr. Shultz asked the cooperation of stockholders and telephone users in the matter of saving loss to the company and keeping up the efficiency of the service. If a line falls across the driveway, he said, it should be laid down and covered but not cut, as the most careful splicing of the wires makes an imperfect medium and will cause more or less noise in the telephone.

Fifty-five new telephones were installed last year, all of which came unsolicited. Requests are coming in almost daily for telephone service and the growth of the system is assured.

### H. W. Lynch Re-elected President County Farm Bureau.

Herbert W. Lynch was re-elected president of the Multnomah county farm bureau at a well attended meeting held here last Saturday. Guy H. Robertson was elected vice president and director to succeed F. N. Lasley. The other members of the board are, Willard Bliss, Bert Boice and W. F. Robinson, who were re-elected.

There was a good representation of members and many visitors. Among the speakers were Dr. F. G. Taylor, representative of the national farm bureau, Chicago; H. E. Krueger of Roseburg, president of the state farm bureau; L. G. Smith of Scappoose and H. H. Chindgren of Molalla, both directors of the state bureau.

A resolution was unanimously passed favoring withdrawal from the old state bureau and the formation of a new state organization.

Name of Doll is Anna. Party holding this ticket must present it on or before February 2d to receive the doll. If not presented by that time Opal Jurell will be entitled to it and if that is not presented Wanda, the third choice, will receive it. GRESHAM DRUG CO. The Rexall Store.

All kinds of skids, hand saws, etc., at L. L. Kidder Hdw. Co.

### Minister Police Chief



Rev. Allie W. Leigh, Baptist Church Minister of Paducah, Ky., was so active in moonshine raids last year that he has now been made Chief of Police in that city of 25,000 residents.

### GROWERS TO HEAR SPEAKER AT TROUTDALE

An important meeting of celery and other vegetable growers will be held at Troutdale, in the city hall, next Wednesday evening, February 6.

The principal speaker will be C. C. Gignoux, supervisor of the agricultural department of the Union Pacific railway system. Mr. Gignoux comes from Omaha and will speak on special lines of agriculture and horticulture in the interest of the producers of this section.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 and producers are urged to attend, especially celery, cabbage, cauliflower and lettuce growers.

Special instruction and information will be given with respect to the growing of head lettuce and the market therefor, as well as celery and other crops grown in this section.

Mr. Gignoux is making a trip from Omaha for the special purpose of talking to the producers in this section and it is hoped that the meeting will be well attended by producers from Troutdale, Gresham and other sections. Any one who has a small tract of land which he desires to make more profitable will do well to attend this meeting.

Anyone desiring further information or means of transportation to Troutdale, may apply to A. Meyers of First State Bank.

There will be other speakers that will make the meeting very interesting.

### COUNTY FAIR DATES SET FOR AUGUST 4-9

The time for the Multnomah county fair has been set for the week of August 4 to 9, which will be the beginning of the Pacific northwest fair circuit, according to an announcement in the Oregonian this morning.

H. A. Lewis was the representative of the local county fair at the meeting held in Seattle.

Efforts were made by H. A. Lewis, ex-president of the Multnomah county fair board, to have the date for the fair set forward to the week of August 11, but they were unavailing.

"We are satisfied," said Mr. Lewis. "We had the most successful week last year we ever had and although our 1923 date was a week earlier, July 31 to August 4, we had perfect weather and should have this year. We have no kick coming."

The state fair at Salem will be held the week of September 22 to 27.

The regular meeting of the fair board will be on next Monday evening, February 4, at the city hall.

### FAMOUS COW HOLDS GOOD ON MILK TEST

Word has been received by A. H. Burns, local Holstein breeder, from the Carnation stock farm near Seattle that the famous cow, Bella Veeman Segis Matador, sold by Burns to the stock farm, is continuing her great record in her milk test, and is giving more than 100 pounds of milk daily. This cow recently completed a seven-day test with 615 pounds of milk and 26.25 pounds of butter to her credit.

Mr. Burns has recently made several sales of purebred stock of the highest order to people in this vicinity. He has sold a 5-year-old cow to Percy Carlson and a 6-year-old to Mrs. A. B. Kerslake, sister of Mr. Burns, and a fine calf to Margaret Kerslake for a club work. A bull was sold yesterday to Mr. Keenan, a dairyman on the Sandy boulevard near Portland. This animal is undefeated in his class at the Multnomah county fair.

### KILBOURNE QUINTET HERE FEBRUARY 8



These Exceptional Entertainers will present a fine program under auspices of the high school.

### U. H. S. ALUMNI ASSOCIATION WILL BE ATTEMPTED FEB. 5

An attempt will be made to organize an alumni association of the high school at a meeting to be held in the high school building next Tuesday evening, February 5, at 8:15 o'clock. An effort has been made to get in touch with all graduates by postal card and if any have been overlooked it is hoped that they will take the general announcement as an invitation and will be on hand. All graduates are urged to take an interest in this important move for the good of the school and the community.

Three new students, Wayne and Lois Trimble and Beatrice Beehler entered school yesterday morning, bringing the total registration to 265.

During the first half of school this year the following students were honor students, which means they had an average of 90 or better in four subjects and 90 or better in citizenship. In order to be exempt an average of 90 in citizenship and 90 in the subject is required.

#### HONOR STUDENTS.

Freshmen—Helen Althaus, Dorothy Cooper, Melcher Duncan, Eleanor Gebhardt, Rachel Headley, Kenneth Horberg, David Lane, Evelyn Ledine and Amy Noreen.

Sophomores—Dora Hoffmeister.

Juniors—Geneva Simonsen and Hortense Soward.

Seniors—Golda Adams, Anna Hamilton, Mabel Jackson, Lillian Lekander, Mildred Metzger, Anna Nordblom and Doris Zimmerman.

Students exempt in recent examinations were:

English I—Helen Althaus, Dorothy Cooper, Daisy Daly, Lucille Dodson, Mildred Driesel, Melcher Duncan, Rachel Headley, Edith Johnson, Helen Karlen, Evelyn Ledine, Amy Noreen, Sylvia Weston and Kenneth Horberg.

English II—Eleanor Botkin, Margaret Cady, Dora Hoffmeister, Harriett Holmes, Helen Laudan, Myrtle Soderquist.

English III—Vada Anderson, Wilene Botkin, Harold Carlson, Wilma Chase, Louise Emerson, Elizabeth Hamming, Helen Hisey, Elizabeth Hornung, Louise Howard, Agnes Lundquist, Mary Owen, Gertrude Sharkey, Geneva Simonsen, Hortense Soward, Edward Stubbs.

English IV—Golda Adams, Sigrid Alm, Mable Jackson, Lillian Lekander, Valetta Macaw, Mildred Metzger, Anna Nordblom, Alice Walker, and Doris Zimmerman.

Latin I—Helen Althaus, Dorothy Cooper, Daisy Daly, Eleanor Gebhardt, Elsa Johnson, Edith Johnson, Helen Karlen, Mildred Kummel, Amy Noreen, Margaret Cady, Hervey Ide, Milton Lake.

Spanish I—Rachel Headley, Rosamond Kitzmiller, Helen Sandstrom, Gertrude Sharkey.

Spanish II—Margaret Koerner, Myrtle Soderquist, Hortense Soward, Lillian Lekander, Alice Walker.

Latin II—Allie Bartell, Dora Hoffmeister.

Algebra I—Helen Althaus, Dorothy Cooper, Daisy Daly, Rachel Headley, Alta Hendrickson, Kenneth Horberg, Reuben Jacobson, Edith Johnson, Elsa Johnson, David Lane, Evelyn Ledine, Melvin Magnuson, Amy Noreen, May Sloan, Mildred Surber, Edna Wood, Melcher Duncan, Rosamond Kitzmiller, Marjorie Heacock, Margaret Hemmers, Eleanor Botkin, William Elliott, John Hillyard, Helen Maxwell, Addie Pullen, Frank Smith, Myrtle Buckner.

Algebra 3d Semester—Allie Bartell, Olivia Beahrdt, Glen Full, Dora Hoffmeister, Irene Schweitzer, Myrtle Soderquist, Mabel Jackson, Beulah Beehler, Eldore Johnson, Mary Kniefel.

Bookkeeping—Clara Baumann, Hazel Cooley, Vearl Howell, Hervey Ide, Grace Lyon, Elvera Salquist, Irene Schweitzer, Albert Brannan, Claire Stockton, Irvin Ickler, Ray Strong.

Ancient History—Helen Althaus, Eleanor Gebhardt, Beatrice Beehler, Archie Stone, Sylvia Weston, Emma Langford, Helen Laudan, Louise Howard, Ina Smith, Doris Zimmerman.

General Science—Elsa Johnson, Helen Karlen, Evelyn Ledine, Amy

Noreen, John Ott, Mary Owen, Melcher Duncan, Margaret Cady, Helen Laudan.

Commercial Arithmetic—Melcher Duncan, Rachel Headley, Alta Hendrickson, Reuben Jacobson, Rosamond Kitzmiller, Evelyn Ledine, Amy Sloan, Geneva Simonsen, Mildred Metzger, Clara Hoffmeister.

Plane Geometry—Wilma Chase, Leslie Lynch, Helen Lawrence.

Domestic Art—Wilma Fensky, Reta Hunter.

Domestic Science—Dorothy Cooper, Eleanor Gebhardt.

House Decoration—Helen Hisey, Joyce Kidder, Ina Smith, Etta Anderson.

Shorthand I—Florence Arnot, Golda Adams, Margaret Anicker, Anna Hamilton, Mable Jackson, Estelle Johnson, Valetta Macaw, Dorothea Smith.

Shorthand II—Geneva Simonsen, Frances Arvidson, Myrtle Buckner, Sigrid Alm.

Commercial Geography—Rinar Mattson, Guernsey Wood, Sigrid Alm.

Biology—Vada Anderson, Wilene Botkin, Louise Emerson, Ernest Nelson, Hortense Soward, Edward Stubbs, Anna Nordblom, Dorothea Smith, Alice Walker, Anna Hamilton, Sarah Metzger.

Chemistry—Anna Hamilton.

Physics—Mildred Metzger.

Civics—Golda Adams, James Brown, Violet Brooks, Myrtle Buckner, William Fritz, Blanche Harris, Mable Jackson, Lillian Lekander, Valetta Macaw, Mildred Metzger, Anna Nordblom, Rose Potter, Doris Zimmerman, Louise Howard.

M and M History—Allie Bartell, Eleanor Botkin, Dora Hoffmeister, Ernest Meyer, Sarah Metzger, Clifford Middleton.

American History—Anna Nordblom, Vada Anderson, Harold Carlson, Stafford Dowsett, Orville Davidson, Helen Hisey, Ernest Karlen, Agnes Lundquist, Leslie Lynch, Daniel Macfarlane, Rinar Mattson, Ernest Nelson, William Sandstrom, Gertrude Sharkey, Edward Stubbs, Hortense Soward, Walter Tilstrom, Mable Winters, Esther West.

#### Journal-Outlook Bargains.

Act quickly! These bargain rates hold only until February 5. Daily Morning or Evening Journal, \$5; Daily Sunday Journal, \$7. Outlook with Daily Journal, \$6; Outlook with Daily and Sunday Journal, \$7.50.—Adv.

Maybe what you don't need some one else wants. Try an ad in the classified.

### Bryan's Candidate



Albert Alexander Murphee, Gainesville, Fla., President of the University of Florida, whom Wm. Jennings Bryan announces as his choice for the Democratic nomination for President.

### COMMUNITY CHORUS TO BE ORGANIZED

Steps have been taken to organize a community chorus for Gresham under the direction of Joseph A. Finley of Portland, who is well known in this vicinity and who has done work of this kind here on former occasions with splendid success. A meeting for organization will be held in the Methodist Episcopal church on Tuesday evening of next week at 8 o'clock, and all singers of the community are invited to join. Work will begin at once on the sacred operetta "Ruth," by Astor Brook, which will be presented some time in April. A small membership fee will be charged in the chorus to cover cost of music and other necessary expenses. The operetta will be given in a large auditorium and may be in costume.

Mr. Finley will bring his chorus from Portland on February 15, and will repeat the oratorio "The Messiah," which was recently sung in the Portland civic auditorium. It will be under local auspices and the place will be announced later. Mr. Finley will conduct the chorus and Miss Ruth Heinrich will be accompanist. The solos will be taken by Mrs. Finley and Mrs. Edgar Hoak, sopranos; Mrs. O. W. Reif, alto; Guy D. Jones, tenor; Jos. A. Finley, bass. These will be supported by a chorus of at least 50 voices.

The case of the state against L. Latourell came up for hearing before John Brown, justice of the peace, this afternoon and was dismissed on account of the faulty complaint. Frank Spyrbrock was the complaining witness. The case was over the alleged stealing of a lap robe. Deputy District Attorney Graham appeared for the state and Frank Manning for the defense. Latourell was fined \$10 by Recorder S. G. Schneider in municipal court on the charge of drunkenness in connection with the other charge.

See the bargains listed in the Want Ads.

### W. D. KINDER IS NEW COUNTY CLUB AGENT

Definite word has been received from H. C. Seymour, state club leader, of the appointment of W. D. Kinder as county club agent for Multnomah county, the position until recently held by Ethel Calkins.

Mr. Kinder was recommended by the state club leader and his appointment has been passed by the president and board of regents of the agricultural college.

Mr. Seymour says the extension service made very thorough and careful canvass of the applicants available for the position and in selecting Mr. Kinder feel that they have secured the most suitable person for the place.

Multnomah county in the matter of club work is considered one of the best counties in the state. The work is well organized and the children are very enthusiastic in their work. The club leaders are organized to back up the club agent in all his work and the cooperation is a helpful feature of the work.

Mr. Kinder comes to this new and important field with the education and experience requisite to assure success.

He was graduated from Oregon Agricultural college in the class of 1922, and has spent the greater part of his life on a farm and is thoroughly familiar with live stock. He has been for the last year and a half county club agent for Malheur county. This past year he had 80 per cent completions in club work and a large percentage of the clubs finished as 100 per cent clubs, with a total profit for club work for the year 1923 of \$4,064.61. Kinder has been a tireless worker, going day and night to whatever part of the county he might be needed. He has been especially strong in the training of live stock judging teams and in assisting in the live stock work for club members. Mr. Kinder has secured the best of cooperation of the local leaders and also with the parents and is well liked by the club members. He brought a large delegation to the summer session at the college last summer. When you consider that he had to travel by auto over 500 miles to reach the college, you know that he had developed an interest in the work.

In accepting the position in Multnomah county, Mr. Kinder said to H. C. Seymour that he was particularly pleased to come to Multnomah county because it was going to give him an excellent opportunity to work with the local leaders. He also stated that he realized Miss Calkins had put over a most wonderful piece of work in the county and that the person who followed her was going to have an enormous job, but with the organization that she has left and the excellent cooperation of the people in the county were going to club work, he knew he would enjoy working there, and that he hoped to give the people club work that they would continue to be proud of.

Mr. Kinder will begin his work at once and will move here with Mrs. Kinder.

The county club leaders will give a reception to Mr. and Mrs. Kinder on Monday evening, February 4, at the home of the ex-president, Mrs. John Lynch. All club leaders are invited.

### A DIFFICULT FOCUS

