

ASTRONOMICAL TALKS BEING BROADCAST

From the Astronomical Society of the Pacific in San Francisco comes an announcement which will be welcomed by any who are interested in the wonders of the sky. By arrangement with the Radio Corporation of America, a series of astronomical talks, 10 minutes in length, are being given by Henry M. Hyde, whose work in this connection has elicited widespread appreciation from those who have heard him.

These talks are being broadcast over the Pacific Coast Network of the National Broadcasting company every Saturday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock. The programs consist of musical selections of a high order and Mr. Hyde's brief talks on astronomy.

Tell it to One-Five-Six-One.



RE-ELECT

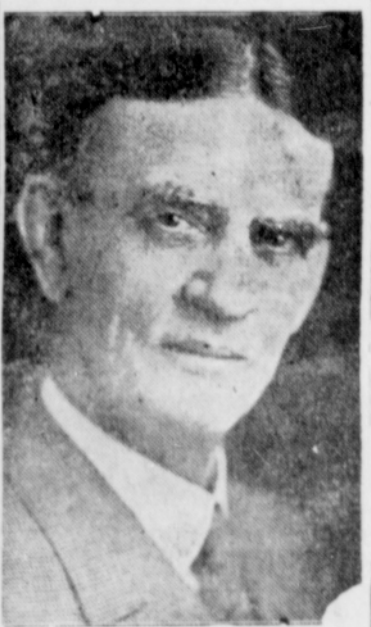
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Republican Primaries
May 18

Paid Adv.



THOMAS R. HAMER

Republican Candidate
FOR

State Representative

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Former member Idaho Legislature.
Former Justice Supreme Court Philippines.

VOTE X 85

Paid Adv. by J. J. Crossley.

Clinic Is Planned for Orient School

A health clinic will be held at the Orient schoolhouse Tuesday, May 8, beginning at 1:30 o'clock. Children from two weeks to six years will be examined, and it is especially important that parents of children who will be beginners next year accept this opportunity of determining their health conditions.

Dr. C. U. Moore will be the examining physician and he is considered one of the best to be obtained. The Multnomah County Health association is in charge of the clinic. All services will be given free of charge.

Pleasant Home Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor are the proud parents of a baby daughter. There are two boys in the family but this is the only girl.

Mrs. Helmer Johnson, who was operated on for toxic goiter Tuesday morning at Portland sanitarium, is reported to be making a splendid recovery.

Work is progressing rapidly on the house being erected by Joe Drew opposite the W. E. Markell home.

The services at the Pleasant Home Baptist church Sunday will be in charge of the pastor, the Rev. Gordon Johnson, who will preach at 11 o'clock and also at 8 o'clock. The B. Y. P. U. will convene at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. John Campbell as leader. Sunday school meets at the regular hour of 10 o'clock.

Mrs. J. P. Brower has left for a trip to California where she will visit her three daughters, two of whom live in San Francisco and another in Sacramento. She will also visit her brother, Henry Michael of Santa Cruz. Mrs. Brower expects to be gone until about May 10.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Oleman have been spending much time at the bedside of a niece of Mr. Oleman who is critically ill in Portland. It is reported that the niece is improving. Hopes for her ultimate recovery now prevail.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Melton and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Melton Sunday. The mother of Mr. Melton was also present.

Fred Marshall, grandson of Fred Fisher, has gone to Bend, Oregon, where he expects to find employment with the railroad company serving that community.

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Handwriting Expert Warns the Unwary

THE UNDER DOCUMENT

Mr. Williams, of Portland, is a handwriting expert and forgery detector and his testimony is often called for in court cases involving questions as to genuineness of signatures. He experted the Hickman writing, the McJee murder case, the Mabel Warner will case, and a long list of other noted cases. In the following article, and others that will appear in the Outlook, he will tell some of his experiences and give valuable advice.

By W. W. Williams

From childhood to the grave we sign documents. Documents have evidential value of great importance, to prove who we are, what we are, what family we belong to, what part of the world we own, whether we have paid our taxes, lodge dues, grocery bill, etc. If we could see the great stream of documents of the world for one hour we would be amazed both at the volume and our own ignorance.

For 40 years I have been an examiner of questioned documents and have learned much about the mode of operation of the criminal as he endeavors to taint the stream and obtain that which does not belong to him by forgery. Some of the tragedies are pathetic in the extreme and I have of late been impressed with the need of education and suggestions for the public generally. I have thus decided to prepare a series of articles on my own experiences and point out the way the trick was put across or attempted with suggestions as to procedure if a person is unavoidably a victim.

Jones and his wife had worked hard to pay for their home. The mortgage had been burned and happy contentment reigned in their modest home. One day they received a phone call from a real estate man who suggested a trade for acreage which a lady owned and could not work it because she had recently lost a husband. The parties met at the real estate office and to Mr. and Mrs. Jones it seemed to be too good to be true. Agreements to exchange properties were immediately drawn up and signed and each were to deliver abstract and deed to the real estate office. If abstracts were OK the deal was consummated. Mr. Jones delivered his deed and abstract but the widow did not. In about three months after frequent inquiries at the office in regard to performance of the other party Jones demanded his deed and abstract to his property.

erty and received them. About two years after he read one day of the sale of his home, where he was then living, to a clerk in a music store. He hastened to an attorney and with him to the courthouse.

Two transfers had taken place. They located the wicked deed which had made the first transfer. Jones looked at it. "It is a forgery. I did not write that signature." His wife was called. She said it was not her signature. A lady friend who acted as one of the witnesses to agreement to exchange was called and she said it was not her signature.

The day before case was called in court I was called to testify the next day that the signatures were not written by Mr. and Mrs. Jones and friend. When I told the attorney that I would have to examine the writing and form my own opinion he considered it as an insult to himself and his clients. He yelled out, "Man, Jones and his wife are honest people and they said they did not write it." I finally persuaded him to take me to the courthouse so I could have time to examine the writing. I soon discovered that the signatures were that of Mr. and Mrs. Jones and friend. The lawyer boiled over and said, "You fool, you don't know your business." I withdrew from the case and the next day they lost every chance of recovering their home by proceeding on the wrong theory. The lady was not a widow, had no acreage to exchange. Jones and his wife were lured to their office deliberately. With their signatures on two documents, which were positioned so the lower one came down far enough below the other so it could be signed without lifting them from the desk they had what they wanted, viz.: the signatures to a blank deed. When Jones furnished an abstract, it contained description which was filled in. The real estate man signed for the other witness.

Jones should not have signed any document without having a view of its face and reading it immediately before signing. When he found he was in a mess he should have secured a good attorney. He should not be so sure he could recognize his own signature.

COTTRELL

Miss Marjorie Andrews and Miss Jaydene Nelson, students of Sandy Union high school, entertained listeners with a Journal Junior musical program over KFJR Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. McGraw and two children of Seattle have been visiting Mrs. McGraw's mother, Mrs. Fred Wagner. They are on their way to Hutchinson, Kansas, where Mr. Wagner will take charge of the office of the Skaggs Grocery company.

Officers for the Cottrell Parent-Teacher association for the coming year were elected at the last meeting as follows: Mrs. Joe Caldo, president; James Fowler, vice president; Mrs. Lee Wood, secretary; Mrs. James Fowler, treasurer. A fine program was presented, including musical numbers by Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Baxter and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. George Hoyt, all of Portland.

James Fowler is installing a new electric water system on his farm.

Should Business Hesitate?

A number of great industries that rely on Washington are asking questions in Washington with the view of trying to discover whether business is going to hesitate in this presidential year. So far as Washington knows anything about the situation there is no danger of a let-up in business activities incident to the political or industrial condition of the country. Too much, unfortunately, seems to depend upon Wall Street, where gambling is booming.

10-Acre Bargain

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J. O. BAILEY

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State Senator

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Paid Adv.

RE-ELECT

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Legislature

Joint Representative Multnomah
& Clackamas Counties, 30th Dist.

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Multnomah County

57 | X | NORTH, W. C.

Clackamas County

Paid Adv. by Richard Deich



"A Business Man for a Business Office"



VOTE FOR

JOS. W.

BEVERIDGE

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR

County Clerk

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Primaries, May 18, 1928

Paid Adv.



HAL HOSS

of OREGON CITY, CLACKAMAS COUNTY

Republican, for

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... Familiar with work of secretary of state, and interested in development of Oregon resources.
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