

Mutt Had to Butt in and Spoil Jeff's Good Time

By "Bud" Fisher



TEACHERS FAVOR EQUAL SUFFRAGE AND ELECT JORDAN

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 9.—To receive reports of various committees and elect a president to succeed Joseph Swain of Swarthmore, Pa., the National Education Association held today its annual business meeting. Harmony was the watchword, and the unanimous election of Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Leland Stanford University was expected.

The resolutions committee embodied in its report a resolution endorsing woman suffrage. The resolution does not specifically mention man or woman suffrage, but states that the educators of the country believe "political equality" for both sexes necessary for the best interest of the nation.

Idle boys with useless training become convicts while country boys, educated in a natural atmosphere, become doctors, lawyers and teachers, according to Rufus Turner of Elmira, N. Y., who spoke before the meeting.

Timid mothers who are afraid to allow their children out of the sight and are continually suggesting things to frighten them into obeying, are responsible for the great number of adult neurotics in this country, a prominent specialist of Washington, D. C., said.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Reported by Jackson County Abstract Co., Sixth and Fir Sts.

Probate

Estate of O. P. Jernstad, deceased—Petition for appointment of administrator; order appointing Phil Jernstad administrator, July 8, 1914; order appointing appraisers.

Real Estate Transfers

Loren E. Downing et al to John J. Brown, land in sec. 2 and 3; T. 37 S., R. 2 W., and in secs. 34 and 35, T. 36 S., R. 2 W. \$1.

F. F. Clark et ux to S. A. Penny, lot 5, blk. 3, Patterson Add. to Central Point.

Jessie Amy et al to John J. Brown, land in sec. 2 and 3, T. 37 S., R. 2 W., and in secs. 34 and 35, T. 36 S., R. 2 W.

Alice Bertha Canning to Mary A. Fewings, that portion of SW. of sec. 34, T. 35 S., R. 4 W., which lies west of the county road.

U. S. to Peter K. Nalley, lot 2, sec. 27, T. 34 S., R. 2 E. Patent

S. P. Burwell et ux to Chas. H. Stearns, lots 5 and 6 and 11 and 12, blk. 49, Summit Add., Ashland.

Charles W. Chestnut to E. C. Cassidy, land in sec. 8, T. 39 S., R. 1 E. \$500.

EX-MAYOR BUSSE OF CHICAGO DEAD

CHICAGO, July 9.—Fred A. Busse, former mayor of Chicago, and for years a well-known republican politician, died today at his home. He has been sick for many weeks and was taken to his home from Mercy hospital yesterday.

BUILDING SHIPS FOR PANAMA CANAL AND COAST TRAFFIC

WASHINGTON, July 9.—That American marine men actively are preparing for the opening of the Panama canal was indicated today in reports of the department of commerce showing that seven of the principal merchant ships built in the United States in the fiscal year ending June 30 were for the Isthmian trade. Each steamer averages more than 6000 gross tons.

During the year 1291 vessels were constructed. Of that number 917 were steamers, 319 unrigged and 53 sailing ships. They total 311,578 gross tons. In the year previous 1618 ships were built.

The largest vessel constructed—the Matson, for the Hawaiian trade—was of 9728 gross tons. It is the biggest ship built in the United States since 1905. The oil tanker John D. Archbold of 8374 gross tons, constructed during the year, is the largest ship of its class ever launched from an American yard.

More than half of the new ships—677—were built for the Atlantic and general trade, 234 for the Pacific, 144 for the Great Lakes and 139 for western rivers.

NOTICE FOR SEWER BIDS.

Notice is hereby given that the city council will receive sealed bids for the construction of an eight (8) inch lateral sewer on Dakota avenue, from Peach street to Newton street.

All bids must be filed with the undersigned at the recorder's office not later than 5:00 p. m. Tuesday, July 21st, 1914, and must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent (5%) of the bid.

Plans and specifications governing the construction of this sewer may be seen at the city engineer's office.

Dated July 8th, 1914.
ELMER T. FOSS,
Recorder of the City of Medford, Ore.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the county court of Jackson county, Oregon, and endorsed "Proposals for a bridge over Evans Creek," for removing old structure, for furnishing plans and specifications, all tools, labor and materials necessary for the construction of the concrete foundations, approaches and furnishing and erecting a concrete or steel super-structure complete for a highway bridge over Evans creek near the town of Rogue River, Jackson county, Oregon, will be received by the county court of said county and state at its office in Jacksonville, Ore., until 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, July 21st, 1914, and at that time and place said court will publicly open and read all bids.

The bridge will have an 18 foot roadway and will be not less than 116 feet or more than 150 feet in length with necessary wooden approaches or dirt fills to make the job complete and ready for use.

When the bridge is completed and before it is accepted by the county court, two ten ton road rollers running parallel or tandem will be run over the bridge to test it.

Each bid is to be presented under sealed cover and shall be accompanied by cash, a bidder's bond made payable to Jackson county, or a certified check made payable to the treasurer of Jackson county, for an amount equal to at least 5 per cent of the amount of bid, and no bid shall be considered unless such cash, bond or check is enclosed therewith; such bidder's bond shall be conditioned that if accompanying bid be accepted the party bidding will duly enter into and execute the contract.

Should the successful bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to execute the same within ten days from the date of notification of such award, such cash, bond or check shall be forfeited to Jackson county and the same shall be the property of the county.

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quired for the faithful performance of the contract in a sum equal to one-half of the total amount of the sum bid. The county court reserves the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept the proposal deemed best for Jackson county.

F. L. TOU VELLE, County Judge.
W. C. LEEVER, County Commissioner.
J. C. SMITH, County Commissioner.
G. A. GARDNER, County Clerk, Jackson County, Oregon, July 2nd, 1914.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the County Court of Jackson county, Oregon, and endorsed "Proposals for Pavement the Ashland-Medford section of the Pacific Highway in Jackson county," will be received by the county court of Jackson county at its office in the courthouse, Jacksonville, Oregon, until 2 o'clock p. m. of the 9th day of July, 1914, and at that time and place will be publicly opened and read.

All proposals must be made upon blank form to be obtained from the state highway engineer at his office, Medford National Bank building, Medford, Oregon; must give the prices proposed, both in writing and figures; and must be signed by the bidder, with his address.

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