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PEDAGOGUES HEAR FOREIGN METHODS

ORAL WORK ABROAD

MORE POPULAR THAN IN UNITED STATES—TEACHERS URGED TO SEEK TO PHYSICAL WELFARE OF PUPILS BEYOND MENTAL

This morning the session of the teachers' annual institute for Klamath county was continued in the Central school building with the same excellent attendance which characterized yesterday's session.

Miss Montana Hastings of the department of education of the University of Oregon, spoke on "Glimpses of Schools of England and Germany," and with her accustomed facility gave the hearers an insight as to what she had observed while abroad.

She remarked that in those two countries more oral work was done than in this country.

Abroad they let pictures tell many of the stories that are used to develop the minds of the young. She illustrated the English system of this detail of school work by the use of large pictures probably two feet square, which are given to the pupils in English schools to work from.

The teacher then gives an idea of the details of the picture to the pupils, who are then called on to go deeper into the characteristics of the representation and elaborate on the items mentioned by the instructor.

While in the United States there is a great deal of written work, such as an essay and composition, to test the mind of the pupil, while the two foreign nations mentioned above think that better results are attained by the use of more spoken tests.

Following Miss Hastings' address State Superintendent L. R. Alderman spoke on the new course of study and bore on points that are prominent features of it. He urged upon the teachers the necessity of bringing the child's physical condition to the proper point first of all, and then to give the study which would build it mentally.

It was necessary, he argued, that the child's health should be good, and his condition generally fit for mental growth, before he could properly assimilate knowledge which the schools were anxious to impart to him.

The school board convention was held today under the chairmanship of County Superintendent J. G. Swan, and there were 15 or 20 directors present to listen to discussions of the best means of facilitating board work.

Late in the morning teachers divided into groups and listened to argument as follows:

"Debate and Literary Work," M. D. Coates, Klamath County high school. "Language in Advanced Grades," Assistant State Superintendent E. F. Carleton. "Primary Numbers," Miss Maude Laughhead, Albany. "School Board Round Table Conference," State Superintendent L. R. Alderman.

Miss Hastings related how, when called on in Germany to talk United States history for a class of young people, she thought that they would get more quickly what they would like to know by asking questions. The dominant query was about Niagara Falls, with the Indians second and the high mountains third, which made

the discussion to that extent more geographical than historical.

This afternoon the program was divided as follows: "High School Discipline," Assistant State Superintendent E. F. Carleton; "Reading in Upper Grades," Miss Montana Hastings; "Sources of Primary Language Material," Miss Maude Laughhead; Discussion of topics suggested: "The School as a Social Center," State Superintendent Alderman; "How to Use a Course of Study," Miss Montana Hastings.

This evening there will be music and addresses at the high school auditorium for the institute and visiting school board delegates, and the public is cordially invited. There will be opportunity for all interested in the school work to inspect the new apparatus in the manual training department as well as the equipment for the domestic training section, both of these being undertakings new in this term of the high school.

OPINION BASED ON READING NOT TO DISQUALIFY JUROR

Judge in McNamara Trial Gives First Hint He Has Made Adverse to Defense—Two State Challenges Allowed

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24.—Judge Bordwell in the McNamara trial ruled that an opinion as to the cause of the Times explosion which would require evidence to remove, if framed from reading newspapers, not alone sufficient to disqualify a juror.

This is the first serious ruling adverse to the defense.

Judge Bordwell allowed challenges by the state against both Robinson and McIntosh this morning on account of their objection to circumstantial evidence.

EMERGENCY MEET FOR COUNCILMEN

SPECIAL SESSION TO BE HELD TOMORROW NIGHT IN HOPE OF CLEANING OLD BUSINESS OFF THE SLATE

Owing to the lack of sufficient councilmen at last night's meeting to pass emergency ordinances a number of these were not taken up for final passage. It requires eight councilmen to get through such business and the seven faithful who were on deck were Councilmen M. G. Wilkins, F. L. Fielder, C. B. Crisler, G. W. White, Ben S. Owens, Allen Stansbie and Charles McGowan.

The absentees were Councilmen Marion Banks, B. S. Grigsby and R. A. Alford. On the suggestion of Mayor Fred T. Sanderson it was decided to hold the next meeting Wednesday night, when a special effort will be made to take up some emer-

gency business and get it out of the road. All the councilmen at last night's meeting agreed to be present tomorrow evening, and at that time it is hoped to get the decks cleared of a lot of old stuff.

Miss Montana Hastings of the University of Oregon, Eugene, who has been here attending the teachers' institute, leaves tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Walter J. Schurz and daughter Ruth, who have been visiting Mrs. I. Jay Knapp on the West Side, for the past six weeks, left for their home in Los Angeles Monday on the 5:30 train.

To Establish Seventh Street Grade—Councilman M. G. Wilkins last night introduced an ordinance in the city council providing for the establishment of the grade on Seventh street, from the north line of Hill street to the north line of the government canal. The ordinance to establish the grade of Pine street passed second reading.

FREE DELIVERY GOAL IS NEARER

COUNCIL HAS ADVERTISED FOR STREET SIGNS, AND ALL THAT REMAINS TO BE DONE IS UP TO CITY FATHERS

When Fred T. Sanderson last night called on the committee on free mail delivery, which committee consists of Councilmen Charles McGowan, B. S. Owens and B. S. Grigsby, McGowan reported that the advertising for bids for street signs was now being done and that as soon as the bids were received there would be something doing.

Mayor Sanderson said he had had a talk yesterday with Postmaster Clyde K. Brandenburg, and that the government official had assured him that all that was needed to get the free delivery was for the city to meet the government requirements, which would be comparatively easy and economical.

"It won't cost us a cent," said the mayor. Evidently the mayor forgot that the street signs necessary to be established for free delivery would have to be paid for.

BUTTER AND CHEESE MEN TO HOLD ROSE CITY MEETING

Dairy Products of All Kinds to Be Represented by Delegates and Prize List Is an Exceptional One—Will Meet in December

PORTLAND, Oct. 24.—Dairy men and butter and cheese makers will gather in Portland December 6, 7 and 8 for the annual convention, and special plans are under way to make this year's gathering the largest and most important ever held.

Experts from the East will be in attendance to judge the different exhibits, of which there will be many, and well known authorities on various topics of interest will deliver addresses. There will be more and better prizes offered than ever before.

BOOST KLAMATH AT CLUB DINNER

PORTLAND COMMERCIAL ORGANIZATION HAS FEAST—MEANS FOR BROADENING TRADE RELATIONS ARE DISCUSSED

PORTLAND, Oct. 24.—A step of permanent constructive benefit was taken last Saturday night at the Portland Commercial Club, when business men gathered at a dinner to discuss the benefits of recent excursions to Klamath Falls, Central Oregon and Aberdeen, Wash. The big dining room was filled by men of affairs, and the experiences given and the policy outlined for future excursions were of great value.

The meeting developed into a symposium on the attitude of Portland business men to outside territory in the two states, and was a survey of conditions existing from Aberdeen to Klamath and in Central Oregon. The result will be a closer tie between Portland and the outlying country, and this promises to be of great aid in future development.

The following was the program of addresses:

"Portland at Aberdeen," E. F. West. "What Can We Do for More Business in the Grays Harbor Section?" C. C. Colt. "How Can We Develop More Business in Klamath Falls?" John F. Carroll. "Crook and Harney Counties, Tributary Territory of the Trip" S. C. Piser. "Trade Possibilities of Central Oregon," H. W. Mitchell. "Why Portland Business Men Should Participate in the Trade Excursions and Why They Should Do to Assist in the Development of the Country," Wilfred P. Jones. "The Trip to Burns," Paul DeHaas. "What Was Accomplished at the Southwest Washington Development Meeting at Aberdeen and High Lights on the Various Excursions," C. C. Chapman.

Lantern slides of Aberdeen, Klamath Falls, Bend and Burns, furnished by the Hill and Harriman lines; moving pictures of the Portland Livestock show and the state fair at Salem, never shown before, were exhibited.

GET ORDINANCES INTO SHIPSHAPE

MAYOR ANXIOUS FOR THE CITY FATHERS TO PUT LOCAL LAWS IN ASSEMBLED FORM, BUT NO ACTION IS TAKEN

"What about codifying the ordinances?" asked Mayor Fred T. Sanderson of his worthy fellow legislators in the halls of the municipal council Monday evening.

Councilmen G. W. White and M. G. Wilkins reported that nothing had been done.

"Why not hire a man to do it?" suggested the mayor. "We had a man started on it once, but he was paid and quit," said Councilman C. B. Crisler. No action was taken.

The fact is that Al Leavitt was engaged some time ago by the council

at a time when it was thought that the work could be done for \$150. But ten times that sum would be nearer the cost, so the work was not completed. It's a big job, and would not only take money, but weeks of arduous labor.

MORE VAUDEVILLE SHOWN AT HOUSTON'S THEATRE

A good audience assembled last night at Houston's opera house, where the J. W. Flood company began a three nights' engagement with vaudeville numbers. The company includes La Belle Marie, contortionist, who is as limber as can be; Flood and Hays in a comedy sketch, "Jimmy James," and Lois James, xylophone manipulator, as well as the sudden change act of the Hays sisters and "Jumping Jack" Flood, whose aerial leaps are unique and interesting.

OAK AVENUE BAD WHERE TRACK IS

CITY ENGINEER SAYS CROSSING ESTABLISHED THERE WOULD BE DANGEROUS, AND HE CONDEMNNS PROPOSED OPENING

City Engineer Don J. Zumwalt reported to the council last night against the proposed extension of Oak avenue across the Southern Pacific tracks, as it would go through where the passenger trains stop, is so close to the depot that teamsters could not see trains approaching from the south and frequent switching at the spot would hold up traffic most of the time. He said his men and himself were delayed a long time by trains the morning they went to look over the ground.

Councilman Owens said that if the people of Mills addition had to go to Wantland avenue it would mean much out of the way travel for them to get to and from the main part of the city, the distance from Oak to Wantland being 2 600 feet. On the mayor's recommendation that all the councilmen who could take a look at the proposed crossing before the next meeting the subject was deferred.

City Engineer Zumwalt reported that he had surveyed, staked and plotted the proposed extension of Wantland avenue across the tracks, which will involve 8-10 of an acre owned by the railroad and 73-100 of an acre owned by the Klamath Development company.

PANAMA TONNAGE SHOWS INCREASE ON RAILROAD

Government Officials See Forerunner of Big Canal Business in Traffic on Steam Line, Which Now Hinders Canal Progress

WASHINGTON, D. C. Oct. 24.—Government officials see a forerunner of the huge traffic to be handled through the Panama canal in the increase of through freight handled by the Panama railroad.

In the last year there has been an

REDEEM WARRANTS BY ISSUE OF BONDS TO BETTER CREDIT

OF MUNICIPALITY COUNCIL ORDERS CITY ATTORNEY TO DRAW UP ORDINANCES NECESSARY FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

increase of 23.04 per cent in the tonnage handled by the railroad for revenue purposes. This increase has taken place in the absence of any systematic effort upon the part of the road to increase its business. In fact those in charge of the canal construction are already complaining that the revenue traffic interferes seriously with the use of the road in connection with the work on the canal.

On the Pacific coast this freight is handled by two competing steamship lines, who deposit their cargoes at Panama. The Panama railroad transports it across the Isthmus, to Colon, whence it is taken up the coast by steamships owned by the railroad company.

On westbound freight this process is simply reversed. Peter Cravetti is the new chef for the White Pelican Hotel, and will be here in time to undertake to furnish good things for the inner man when the hotel opens. He is from the Hotel Breslin, New York.

GREAT BIG, JUICY APPLES WILL BE SHOWN AT EUGENE

Coming Show of King of Orchard Products Will Eclipse All Past Endeavors That Town Has Made in That Line

EUGENE, Oct. 24.—Eugene will hold its biggest apple show on November 3 and 4, the coming exhibit throwing all previous shows far in the shade. The annual fruit exhibition is growing all the time in importance because of increasing orchard acreage around Eugene, and this year the festival will take on more than local interest.

Prizes have been offered that make it an object for fruit growers to compete.

CHARTER PEEVES ONE COUNCILMAN

G. W. WHITE SPEAKS SLIGHTINGLY OF MAGNA CHARTA BY WHICH PEOPLE OF KLAMATH FALLS SHOULD BE GOVERNED

"If I may say it—our fool charter does not provide for the city engineer to keep a record book for surveys," said Councilman G. W. White, when he brought up the fact that the charter provides that the police judge, who is T. F. Nicholas, shall keep such a record. It appeared that the police judge had no such tome in the official archives, and City Engineer Don J. Zumwalt volunteered the information that he had such a book in his office, and had been using it to enter a survey.

"I think it belongs to the city anyway," said he. "All right, it'll save us buying one, anyway," said the councilman.

Then Councilman White moved that City Attorney E. L. Elliott be instructed to draw necessary ordinances to provide for a special election to issue refunding bonds for the outstanding debt of the city, which motion was seconded by Councilman C. B. Crisler, and prevailed without a dissenting vote.

The floating debt amounts to \$46,000, approximately, while the legal limit is \$50,000.

Rev. George H. Fesse, pastor of Grace M. E. church, has been made the recipient of a unique gift by his congregation. He is the donee of a trip to Seattle, where he goes to hear the series of evangelical meetings being held by "Gypsy" Smith, the English revivalist, who is probably the foremost revivalist of any Christian denomination in the world today.

Semi-Annual Ankeny Report

Mayor Fred T. Sanderson last night called on the committee on acquisition of the Ankeny canal, consisting of Councilmen G. W. White, C. B. Crisler and B. S. Grigsby, to report at the next meeting.

"We cannot report for three months," said Councilman White. "This is a slow proposition and cannot be rushed."

"Semi-annual reports," suggested Crisler, and a laugh came forth.

Keep Chloride Of Lime From City Water; Mayor Will See Company

Councilman M. G. Wilkins is strongly opposed to any chloride of lime being used by the Klamath Falls Light and Water company for purification purposes.

"Let's order them to stop the use of it," he told the council last night. "If you boil the stuff and it runs over on the stove the sediment boils up surprisingly. I got ahead of you on telling them to quit it, for I've already told them so."

Mayor Fred T. Sanderson said he would have a talk with Manager Geo. J. Walton of the company. He told

the council that the company uses chloride of lime to clean out the reservoirs only, and does not put it in the water supply.

The sentiment of the council, without any vote being taken, was to keep the chloride from the water.

Ewauna Lodge No. 1090, M. W. O. A., initiated two first and one second degree candidate last night and had a supper afterward. A committee has been named to arrange for a dance about Thanksgiving time.

A Little "Campaign" Of - Want Advertising in The Evening Herald Will Make Any Good Boarding House Pay

Mercantile Tax Proposed By Mayor And City Attorney Will Draw Ordinance

Mayor Fred T. Sanderson has in mind the raising of revenues for the city by the installation of regulations which will require taxes from people in the various trades and occupations, and as a result of his mention of the proposition at the council meeting last night it was determined to put the matter into the hands of the city attorney, E. L. Elliott, to draw up an ordinance which will provide for such fees. Council will fix the amount of taxes later.

"There are lots of people here doing business, not paying any rent or taxes either," said his honor, in addressing the city fathers. "The recorder here says he is surprised at the number of people that float into his office asking what the license fees are for various things, and have to be told that there are no taxes imposed on them. We have a copy of a license act that would cover the matter."

"I'm in favor of every business house in town paying a tax," said McGowan. "That's my idea," echoed Crisler.