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MEETS THIS MONTH

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION HAS BEEN CALLED.

Will meet in Woodburn on May 14th and 15th—Letter of Instruction to the Various Schools.

(From Daily Statesman, May 5.)

The Sunday school workers of Marion county expect to meet in annual convention, in Woodburn, on May 14th and 15th, the date set for the meeting of the County Association. The executive committee, consisting of Robert Reid, president; Scott Bozorth, chairman executive committee, and Miss Anna Lindgren, secretary-treasurer, has issued a circular letter to the Sunday school workers of the county, urging proper preparation for the convention, and giving the program for the two days' sessions in detail. The letter says:

"The Marion County Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention at Woodburn on the 14th and 15th of May, 1900. There will be four sessions, on the evening of the 14th, and on the morning, afternoon and evening of the 15th.

All Sunday school superintendents should report their schools to their district presidents at their earliest possible convenience. This report should embrace the name of the school, and of its superintendent, with his postoffice address, the number of classes, whole number enrolled, average attendance, whether teachers' meetings are maintained, how the primary department is conducted, the condition of the home department work, the amount of funds contributed to the work of the association during the year, and all other matters of interest connected with the school.

"It is especially important that your district president be furnished with these reports at once, in order that he may be supplied with data for making his report to the convention. The names and addresses of the district presidents are as follows: Salem district, N. J. Damon; Woodburn district, B. D. Flint; Woodburn district, J. H. Baugman; Laurens district, Silvertown district, Alex. Thompson; Pratum; Stayton district, Henry C. Porter; Aumsville; Red Hills district, Prof. T. C. Jory, Rosedale.

"It is imperative necessary that these reports be made promptly as above indicated in order that we may have brought to our knowledge the condition of the Sunday school work in the county. The district presidents are expected, from this data, to make complete reports, each from his respective district to the county convention, in person, with such suggestions for future work as they may deem advisable.

"Our last county convention ordered an assessment of 2 cents on each member enrolled in the Sunday schools in the county. Only a portion of this has been sent in. The superintendents will please see that this is promptly remitted to Miss Anna Lindgren, Marion, Oregon, the secretary-treasurer of the county association.

"About a week previous to the meeting of the convention all delegates should give notice to B. D. Flint, of Woodburn, of their coming and specify whether coming by rail or team, so that proper provision may be made for their entertainment. It is very much desired that every school in the county be represented at the convention, and we would urge upon our dear fellow workers in all parts of the county, not to allow a little pecuniary inconvenience to cause them to become delinquent in this respect. Great pains have been taken to make this convention a grand success, and we sincerely hope there to lay the groundwork for the eventual evangelization of the county. And may God speed the day.

"The Oregon State Sunday School Association will hold its annual convention in Portland, June 13th to 15th. This convention will be favored with the presence of five International Sunday school workers from the East. These are men of great experience and ability, who have met with wonderful success in pushing the Sunday school work east of the Rockies and we hope that they will bring to us 'great things whereof we shall be glad,' and that will result in a general uplift to the cause in the state.

"President Morse of the state association will also be with us at our county convention, from whom we expect many good things.

"O, that all Sunday school workers in our county might become more thoroughly devoted to the work and pray earnestly for God's blessing on our efforts to make our convention a successful and profitable meeting."

Following is the program for the two days:

MONDAY, MAY 14.

7:30 p. m.—Usual devotional services, conducted by Rev. Boils.

8:00 p. m.—Address of welcome, by Rhone White.

Response—Dr. H. A. Ketchum; subject, "A Knowledge of God's Word the Supreme Need of the Present Hour."

8:30 p. m.—President's address.

8:50 p. m.—Appointment of committees.

Song.

Benediction.

TUESDAY, MAY 15.

8:30 a. m.—Devotional exercises.

9:00 a. m.—Sunday School Finances, J. B. T. Tuthill.

9:20 a. m.—How to Hold the Boys in Sunday School, Prof. G. A. Prentiss.

9:40 a. m.—Development of Missionary interest in the Sunday School, by Rev. T. Brouillette.

10:00 a. m.—Supplemental lesson, by Rev. W. R. Winans.

10:20 a. m.—How and to What Extent Should County Schools be Graded, Levi M. Gilbert.

10:40 a. m.—Report of committees.

11:00 a. m.—Election of officers.

Miscellaneous.

Afternoon Session.

1:30 p. m.—Devotional exercises.

2:00 p. m.—Qualifications of Sunday School Teachers, Rev. J. S. Richie.

2:20 p. m.—Sunday School Programs, Dr. E. M. Hurd.

2:40 p. m.—Uses and Benefits of the Primary Union, Mrs. Amelia Miller.

3:00 p. m.—Uses and Benefits of the Cradle Roll Department, Mrs. B. Boesch.

3:20 p. m.—Report of district presi-

dents.

4:00 p. m.—House to House Visitation, N. J. Damon.

4:20 p. m.—How to Secure Attendance at Teachers' Meetings, Miss Ethel Gardner.

4:40 p. m.—Mode of Teaching in the Primary Department, Mrs. B. Boesch.

Evening Session.

7:00 p. m.—Devotional.

7:30 p. m.—How to Teach Temperance in Sunday School, Rev. L. H. Pederson.

7:50 p. m.—Observance of Decision Day, Miss Mary Ketchum.

Song.

8:15 p. m.—Importance of the Home Department, President A. A. Morse.

Miscellaneous.

HER FEARS CONFIRMED.

"I suppose," said the woman who had sampled every kind of candy she could reach by thrusting her arm over the protective railing, and finally had bargained for five cents' worth of butter-scotch, "all this is adulterated. You couldn't sell it so cheap if it wasn't."

"Yes, ma'am," returned the salesman solemnly, "it's all adulterated. That butter-scotch you're getting for instance, has mighty little butter and not a bit of Scotch."—Chicago Tribune.

The London Graphic says that the queen's action in bestowing upon Lady Roberts the Victoria Cross, which was awarded to her ill-fated son, although of rare occurrence, is not altogether unique. The first case in which the much-coveted distinction was conferred upon a deceased soldier was during the Indian mutiny, when the fuse attached to some powder bags placed at the gate of one of the enemy's forts proved ineffectual, an officer coolly held his lighted cigar to the explosive and, with the gate, was blown to atoms. Another posthumous bestowal was that conferred upon Lieutenant Melville and Coghill, whose heroic behavior with the colors at Isandhlwana is still fresh in the memory.

I venture to suggest that the most developed man is he who has the least reason for not simply obeying his impulses or that perfect impulses mark the perfect man.—James Hinton.

Spring hangs her infant blossoms on the trees.

Rock'd in the cradle of the western breeze.

—Cowper.

A MYSTERIOUS CASE

A BABY BOY, ABANDONED IN OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON.

Said to Have a Mother in Salem—Sent to the Sound to Find a Christian Home.

(From Daily Statesman, May 5.)

On last Saturday evening, the city of Olympia, Washington, was thrown into a fever of excitement, by the report, which gained circulation and was found to be founded on fact, that a boy baby had been left on the doorstep of Mr. and Mrs. Trullinger, a well-known and highly respected family of the capital city of Washington. At that time it was believed the child had been brought from the White Shield, a baby home at Tacoma. Later it developed that this was an error, and the story gained credence that the child had come from Salem, being the offspring of a young society woman and an attorney, both residents of Oregon's Capital City, and that the Salvation Army had taken the child to Olympia for the purpose of providing for it a home. The Olympian, the Olympia, Washington, daily paper, printed the following story of the occurrence on last Thursday morning, which shows the connection Salem people are said to have had with the affair.

"The statement was made in the Olympian Tuesday morning that it had been pretty definitely ascertained that the child left at the Trullinger home Saturday evening last came from the White Shield home at Tacoma, and was brought by a woman who had some prior influence in these matters, and that the baby's parents were Thurston county people. It now appears that the above is not altogether correct. The police have learned that the child did not come from the White Shield home, but the statement referring to the bringing of the baby to this city by the woman of former experience in these matters is true. Yesterday a woman who is zealous in religious matters admitted that she had brought the child to this city on Saturday last and on that evening placed it on the Trullinger doorstep. Her motive, she says, was to help out parties whom she did not know, but she says she did know that Mr. and Mrs. Trullinger were Christian people and would give the little one a good home. According to

this woman's statement the baby came from Salem, Oregon, and as it to bear her out she shows a letter that has been received by her since the baby was abandoned.

"The woman who left the child on the doorstep says that some time ago she received a letter from a member of an adjunct of the Salvation Army at Salem telling of the birth of an illegitimate child and detailing without names the base betrayal of a prominent young woman of that city. The Olympia woman is over-zealous in what she considers her duty as a Christian, and she wrote the Salem sister that if the child was brought as far as Tenino it would be taken off the Salem woman's hands and provided with a home in Olympia. On Saturday last, as has been stated, this arrangement was carried out, and that evening at 9 o'clock the baby was left at the Trullinger home. The name of the woman who abandoned the baby is withheld for reasons best known to the police.

"On Wednesday night this woman says she received from her Salem friend a letter regarding the child in which some of the history of the affair is given. The extract follows:

"The child's mother is living in Salem, Oregon. She is too high in society to defy public opinion and claim her child. Its father is a first-class lawyer and he made the mother think that all engaged people are just the same as married. The marriage ceremony was hush. He believed in free love. But another girl appeared on the scene. She had money and influence, so he married money. The babe's mother is heartbroken. She was advised to marry a good man, who knows of her child's birth, but he thinks it best to have the child adopted by Christian people. The mother's name we will not divulge. In fact, she has never told her true name. This is all there is to tell about the baby. You can show this to the officers. No, indeed, the White Shield is not where the baby came from."

"Now that there is some clue as to the child's paternity, Mr. and Mrs. Trullinger will probably keep the boy and adopt him.

"While investigating this case the police officers were informed by reliable parties that a Thurston county couple, without the formality of marriage, had brought into existence a child, and that this child was at Tacoma in an orphan asylum. This will account for the statement that the abandoned baby of Saturday night came from the White Shield home at Tacoma."

Representatives of the Statesman yesterday interviewed a number of Salvation Army people on the subject, but all claimed that no such case had come to their knowledge; that no illegitimate child had been given into their keeping, nor had they any knowledge of parties, situated as were those described in the above article. A further investigation will be made, however, and the names of the parents of the poor abandoned infant will be ascertained, if possible.

ANOTHER EVIDENCE OF "COLD FEET."

University of Oregon and Pacific University Debaters Fail to Reach an Agreement—No Debate.

(From Daily Statesman, May 5.)
The final of the intercollegiate debates in this state was this year scheduled to be held at Eugene last evening between a team from the Pacific University of Forest Grove and representatives of the state university, but owing to the inability of the two teams to agree upon some plan for conducting the contest, the debate has been declared off.

Yesterday's Eugene Register had the following on the subject.
"The championship intercollegiate debate between Pacific University and the University of Oregon, which was to have been held in Villard hall tomorrow evening has been declared off, as the debaters from the former institution could come to no definite agreement with the U. O. men in the matter of time for speeches. The whole question hinged upon the desire of the Pacific men to allow only 5 minutes for rebuttal, while the U. O. men wished to. Compromise after compromise was made until U. O. offered the proposition of 7 minutes rebuttal, which P. U. declined to accept. U. O. offered to change the entire scheme of debate and follow the Yale-Harvard system, but again P. U. failed to meet the proposition.

"The affair is to be regretted as both teams had spent weeks in preparation and everything pointed toward a hot contest."

AN HISTORICAL SPOT.

Governor Geer Locates the Spot, Occupied by Jo Meek, When Oregon's Fate Was Decided.

(From Daily Statesman, May 5.)
Gov. T. T. Geer and Hon. F. X. Matthieu, on Thursday, located the exact spot where Jo Meek stood, on May 2, 1842, on the occasion of the meeting of the Oregon settlers, held for the purpose of organizing a provisional government for Oregon, at Champege, when Meek called for a division on the question of organizing, which was carried by the Americans by a vote of 52 to 50. The spot was pointed out by Mr. Matthieu, the only survivor of those stirring days and was marked with a stake, and it is proposed to erect a suitable monument to permanently mark the spot.

REPAIRING BRIDGES—Judge G. P. Terrell has returned from the Clackamas river bridge, near Woodburn, where he and County Commissioner R. Scott, of Clackamas county, arranged to have needed repairs made, at an expense not exceeding \$35 or \$40. He also arranged with Judge G. D. Barton, of Linn county, to have the bridge at Jefferson repaired. The lateral braces have to be renewed and a new bent put in on the Marion county side, the entire cost not to exceed \$44.

INSURANCE PAID—Mrs. A. Northcutt, whose household goods and personal effects were destroyed by fire about two weeks ago when the building in which she was living burned to the ground, yesterday received through the company's local agent \$400 from the Home Insurance Company of New York City, her loss being adjusted at that figure.

In the career of nations no less than of men, the error of their intellect and the hardening of their hearts may be accurately measured by their denial of spiritual power.—Ruskin.

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Every man should know something of law; if he knows enough to keep out of it, he is a pretty good lawyer.—H. W. Shaw.



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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Marion County.

B. F. Durphy, plaintiff, vs. Sadie S. Durphy, defendant.

To the said Sadie S. Durphy, above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court and cause on or before two days after the time prescribed in the order for the last publication of this summons, which order provided that the first publication be made on Tuesday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1900, and the last publication thereof six weeks thereafter, to-wit: On the Tuesday, the 5th day of June, A. D. 1900.

You will therefore appear and answer on or before the 5th day of June, A. D. 1900; if you fail so to appear and answer, the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant and for such other and further relief as to the court shall seem meet.

This summons is served upon you by publication, and is published in the Oregon Statesman by virtue of an order of the Honorable R. P. Boise, judge of the above entitled court.

Dated this 21st day of April, A. D. 1900.

First insertion April 24th, A. D. 1900.

MILLER & MILLER,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

4-24-w7l.

ADMINISTRATOR'S FIRST NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Scott Bozorth has been appointed administrator of the estate of Frank S. Dearborn, deceased, and has qualified as such, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly verified, to me at No. 263 Commercial street, Salem, Oregon, within Six Months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, April 20, 1900.

SCOTT BOZORTH,

Administrator of the estate of Frank S. Dearborn, deceased.

By Bonham & Martin, Attorneys for said estate.

4-22-d6t, w5t.

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