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COUNTY CHAIRMAN TONIGHT

The company that is to play "The County Chairman" tonight is here.



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Chemawa Notes.

The girls gymnasium which has been located near the dining hall has been recently moved several rods to the north end and is being remodeled and improved.

The roofs of several of the buildings are being repaired by the school force.

Captain O. Gunderson, of the Salvation army visited the school Tuesday and addressed the students during lunch hour. The captain is a forcible speaker and greatly impressed the audience with the necessity of education and the great advantages offered to the Indian race by the school.

Delightful Skating Party.

The masquerade given in the rink Tuesday evening was one of the most pleasant affairs ever given in the auditorium. The party was managed by Mrs. B. O. Shucking, Mrs. A. M. Cannon and Mrs. W. N. Gatens and great credit is due them for the delightful time on rollers. Four prizes were awarded, Mrs. Will Thellisen, as "The Indian Princess," winning first place as the best sustained character; the prize for the most elaborate costume was awarded to Mrs. W. N. Gatens who impersonated the "Witch of Endor." Mrs. Wilson as the "Military Lady," proved to be the best lady skater, while Mr. Fleming, in the role of "An Arab," was given first place as the most clever skater among the men present.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., February 8, 1907.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 3 o'clock p. m. on the 15th day of March, 1907, and then opened, for the Construction of approaches and Improving the Grounds at the U. S. Post-office, at Salem, Oregon, in accordance with drawing and specification, copies of which may be had at this office or at the office of the Custodian at Salem, Oregon, at the discretion of the Supervising Architect, James Knox Taylor, Supervising Architect. 2-16-6t-eod

30 strong, and it will be the theatrical event of the season. George Ade is the author, and Mr. Babcock is said to do credit to the production.

GESNER CONCERT.

Promises to Be One of the Best of the Kind Ever Given in the City.

Le Roy Gesner, who is booked to appear at the Grand Opera House Monday, February 25th, has just returned from a four years' stay in Europe, where he has been under the training of Sevik, the famous teacher of Kublick.

Gesner has the reputation of being an extremely gifted virtuoso, and has had several triumphs during his stay abroad.

A rich amateur has presented him with a \$6000 Stradivarius violin.

He was one of four chosen out of 78 as first violin to the Bohemian Philharmonic Society.

He was leading violin in the "Sevik string ensemble," which played before royalty.

Epworth League Entertainment.

Friday evening, February 22, the members of the Epworth League of the Leslie M. E. church, in South Salem, will give an entertainment in honor of Washington's birthday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Varley on Miller street, South Salem. The price of the tickets are ten cents, and can be obtained from members of the league.

TWO JOBS FOR TWO DEMOCRATS

Will R. King and W. T. ... May Go on Supreme Bench

The governor this morning Senator Coke's bill creating a preme court commissioner has now become a law. It provides that the commissioner shall be appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the court, and they shall continue in office for two years.

The salary attached is the same as the judge receives, \$10,000 per annum, and, in every respect, except name, the commissioner judges on the supreme bench.

It was generally conceded owing to the congested condition of the litigation before the supreme court, there should be an additional bench, but the number of justices cannot be increased until the constitution is amended to permit the being done. This step was taken in the emergency, and an effort was made to have the constitution changed in this respect in the interim.

It is believed the governor will make the appointments this afternoon or tomorrow, and mention of the appointment has been indulged in by the personnel of the appointees.

It is believed that the two judges, or commissioners, will be Hon. William Rufus Slater, of Malheur county, and Hon. Slater, of Salem.

It is known that these gentlemen stand high in the esteem of the governor, and that they will meet favorably the members of the bar.

It is believed that Governor Chamberlain has offered one of the places to Judge Thomas G. Ramsey, the retiring member of the bar, but that Judge Hatley declined the reason that he has already a supreme judge, and the place carry no additional honor, and his private law practice will him a much larger income than salary of this office.

Other men mentioned in connection with this appointment are Lord, of Salem, and Richard tague, of Portland.

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House Thursday Morning.

Jewell, of Josephine, sent up a report from the special committee on apportionment bill from the senate, was favorably reported. Freeman moved to make special order at 2 p. m. Campbell opposed. They had 60 senate bills on the calendar. Last, Rodgers moved to lay on the table. Carried.

S. B. 297, Bingham, for protection of forests. Substitute by forestry committee. House went into committee of the whole to consider amendments. Coffey in the chair. McCue moved that burning of slashings not apply to Clatsop and Tillamook counties. Washington, Clackamas, Coos, Curry, Yamhill, and Douglas were added. The bill was in danger of dying as a joke. When McCue called attention to the seriousness of the measure, Davey favored the bill as a measure for reforestation of Oregon. Mr. Vawter plead for the bill as being just what was wanted for all Southern Oregon. It was a bill to unite the state with the national forestry service, to save and protect the forests. Mr. Chase begged that the interests of the people he represented be considered. This bill would retard and cripple the industries of his section, as it would tie up logging operations.

Rodgers, Campbell, Edwards spoke for the bill in effective manner.

Dye, Chaso and others spoke against the bill. Davey said there was some excuse for omitting Clatsop and Tillamook, as they were under the deluge. Chase said he had been treated very unfairly in this matter by not excluding his section.

All amendments to exclude counties from the operation failed, except Clatsop and Tillamook. They were left out of the operation of the act, and it was favorably reported to the house. Vawter led the fight for the bill. On final passage Chase, Farrell and Gray made another plea for the exclusion of Coos, Curry, Douglas and Columbia counties, but without avail. After their pleas the members voting aye voted in subdued tones.

The bill passed in amended form, but the fight will be renewed in the senate.

The house concurred in the senate amendments to the Beveridge omnibus educational bill.

The senate irrigation code was taken up. Majority and minority reports. On division minority report substituted. Kubil moved indefinite postponement. Dobbin moved a call of the house. Several of the members had taken a dive to their cyclone collars. When all were back but Slusher, call was dispensed with. Ayes and noes and demanded and indefinite postponement, 31 to 28, prevailed.

S. B. 293, committee on claims, appropriating \$9465 to pay claim of Captain John Mullan for collecting moneys due the state. Mr. Vawter made a statement of the merits of the claim. Passed. Jones, of Clackamas being the only no.

House concurred in senate amendment to increase item for painting soldiers' home from \$1500 to \$3000.

S. B. 23, Hart, to authorize county courts to fix annual license fee for county vendors of jewelry, machinery or merchandise at \$200 to \$500. Passed.

S. B. 23, Hedges, amends section 18 code, relating to who may bring action as personal representative of decedent. Passed.

Passage of this bill was a compliment to Mr. Hedges, as no one said a word in explanation of the bill. Many voted for it, not knowing what change it made in the law.

House adjourned to 2 p. m.

Senate Thursday Morning.

In the senate this morning the following were disposed of:

H. B. 321, relating to the Coos Bay wagon road, was indefinitely postponed.

S. B. 4, relating to salmon trout was indefinitely postponed.

H. B. 43, Beveridge, providing for the betterment of schools. Enacted.

H. B. 466, ways and means committee, for payment of expenses at State penitentiary and other institutions. The bill carries the following appropriations:

Penitentiary	\$ 7,500
Asylum	138,500
Reform School	6,000
Blind School	8,250
Mute School	3,500
Total	\$161,750

Passed.

H. B. 7, to build locks at Oregon City. Appropriates \$200,000. Enacted.

S. B. 55, Schofield, to improve and keepway at Oregon City.

H. B. 423, ways and means committee, for the aid of eleemosynary institutions. Bill carries the following appropriations:

Boys' and Girls' Society	\$ 8,000
Florence Crittenden	10,000
Patton Home	10,000
Baby Home	6,000
Horticultural Society	10,000
Total	\$44,000

Passed.

H. B. 272, Holt, relating to print-

ing journals of each session. Enacted.

H. B. 414, Jackson, Pike and King, for the benefit of Soldiers' Home at Roseburg, \$15,000. Enacted.

H. B. 331, Chase, making appropriations for hatcheries on coast streams. Enacted.

H. B. 367, Perkins, amending the act for the protection of birds. Enacted.

Senator Siebel asked that H. B. 397 be referred to the committee on insurance. This was done.

H. B. 131, Freeman, relating to the perfection of deeds, was indefinitely postponed.

Salem's Largest.

C. E. Tuel, of the accommodating force of the McGillchrist restaurant, can claim the distinction of having the largest family in Salem and considering the ages of the parents the family would probably get the great northwest medal for numbers. At the family home, 326 Wilson street, Monday, February 18, was born to the wife of C. E. Tuel a 9 pound baby girl which makes the fifteenth child to grace the Tuel home. The mother is but 36 years of age and there are no twins in the family. Mr. Tuel is 40 years of age, and is a hard working, economical man, well known in the city. He says that if his family becomes much larger he will be compelled to employ a bookkeeper.

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She Started Right.

Mrs. Kathryn-Ward-Pope, of Oregon City, who has many friends here, wrote recently from New York, where she is studying music under Victor Harris the well known composer, that her teacher has encouraged her wonderfully, praises her voice and method and says that she has nothing to undo. Her former teacher was Mrs. Walter Reed, of Portland.

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"I've lived in California 20 years, and am still hunting for trouble in the way of burns, sores, wounds, boils, cuts, sprains, or a case of piles that Bucklen's Arnica Salve won't quickly cure," writes Charles Walters, of Alleghany, Sierra Co. No use hunting, Mr. Walters; it cures every case. Guaranteed at J. C. Jerry's drug store; 25c.

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