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TEACHERS IN DEMAND.

County Are Seeking Teachers—Rate Require 700 to 800 New Teachers Each Year.

The scarcity of teachers at this time is causing renewed agitation of the situation among the educational institutions of the state. It is difficult to secure competent instructors for the public schools, and the superintendents are beset with letters asking information as to the cause of the shortage. Superintendent Elmer, of Clackamas county,

There is always a greater demand than I can supply, owing to the fact of great industrial activity, and consequently better remuneration than the teachers' profession can offer. I command a better salary than an untrained profession, with its responsibilities, the latter cannot successfully compete with the former.

This county employs about 200 teachers, and for the past few years there has not been a sufficient supply at any time, except occasionally toward the close of the year, when some of the smaller schools close and release some of the teachers. At the beginning of the school year there is always a greater demand for supply of experienced teachers, and I have been obliged to go out to the county to secure a sufficient number. There is always a greater demand for men than I can supply. About 10 per cent of our teachers are men.

This is but natural and so many of the professions and trades offer inducements to the men, that they follow the vocation of a teacher. A large per cent of the girls who leave the work soon retire, owing to better wage inducements and matrimony. It is estimated that at least 10 to 200 new teachers are needed each year.

A worthy contemporary in a recent issue says: "Statistics show that annually the state requires between 700 and 800 new teachers. The largest number is needed from the much-talked-of normal schools, but owing to the limit placed upon the size of a normal school by its training department; over 70 graduates are all that can be expected from each school per annum. The limit meant is thus: Each senior is required to teach half a year in the training school for one semester. Counting an A and B in each of the nine grades, it takes room for 8 practice teachers half a year period, 26 a day, or, in 72 for the year. Multiplying by four schools there is a possibility of 288 teachers. Supposing the normal graduate goes immediately into active service, it still leaves a deficiency of close to 500 teachers."

Of course, the high schools, public schools and denominational colleges supply their quota, but nothing like this number. The condition is not lessened by the fact that there is still a greater scarcity of teachers in Washington and other Northwestern states than in Oregon.

"Washington spends nearly five times as much on its three normals as Oregon does on its four, and then goes a step farther and recognizes the normal diplomas from Oregon as teaching certificates, whereas the holder is required to take 22 examinations before the state board of education in this state in order to obtain legal permission to officiate in public school work in Oregon. The graduates ask, and with very good reason, why they should go through the sieve of examination which they have so recently passed in their respective institutions when they can go into the adjoining state and be granted a first grade certificate by taking the minor examinations, those in school law and state constitution, and at the same time receive a better salary than they would at home. If they teach five years they are granted life certificates. Practically all the states supporting normal schools accept the diplomas as teaching certificates, including Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Michigan, Idaho and California. In California only state-normal school and the state university diplomas are accepted."

"President P. L. Campbell, of the University of Oregon, who is considered an authority on public school matters, takes this view of the situation:

"The state ought to maintain the normal schools adequately, require thorough work in the training departments, and give at least a four years' certificate on graduation. On suitable evidence that the teacher has done good work, the certificate should be changed to a state certificate at the end of the four-year term. The limiting the first certificate to four years would obviate the danger that graduates of the normal schools who failed to teach subsequent to graduation would hold state papers. The superintendents should be required to exercise strict supervision and refuse to recommend the granting of a state diploma to a graduate whose work has not been satisfactory. It should be the policy of the state to induce as many teachers as possible to complete a normal course. The possibility of securing a state diploma would be a very strong inducement. As the situation is today, both Oregon and Washington are short of good teachers."

For the past three months every number of The Century Magazine has gone out of print within a few weeks of issue.

SALEM TO PORTLAND.

Oregon Electric Railway Now Working on Rock Cuts.

Portland, April 5.—Construction work on the Oregon Electric railway is being retarded by the unfavorable weather. Until the weather clears, preliminary work is being done on rock cuts and trestles in South Portland. Meanwhile the Willsonville bridge is being rushed to completion as fast as possible. Steel now on the way for the superstructure is expected to reach this city within a few days. Nine miles of track is being constructed from Tualatin to Willsonville for the purpose of transferring the bridge material from the Southern Pacific tracks to the bridge site.

The road will be approximately 50 miles in length and will follow almost an air line from Portland to Salem. It is expected to make the distance within an hour and a half with the heavy electric cars now being built in the east for the road.

The effects of the new electric line are being felt along the route and property is changing hands on account of the new transportation facilities which will give access to a large section that is not now available for residence by people having positions in Portland. There have been a number of sales of small acreage tracts lying along the route to newcomers, many of whom expect to engage in truck farming.

It is the plan of the builders of the road to have it in operation by October or in time for the state fair if possible. During the spring and summer large forces of men will be put to work and every means used to hasten the construction.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

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Life Guards.

The Life Guards are two regiments of cavalry forming part of the British household troops. They are gallant soldiers, and every loyal British heart is proud of them. Not only the king's household, but yours, ours, everybody's should have its life guards. The need of them is especially great when the greatest of foes of life, diseases, find allies in the very elements, as colds, influenza, catarrh, the grip, and pneumonia do in the stormy month of March. The best way that we know of to guard against these diseases is to strengthen the system with Hood's Sarsaparilla—the greatest of all life guards. It removes the conditions in which these diseases make their most successful attack, gives vigor and tone to the vital organs and functions, and imparts a genial warmth to the blood. Remember the weaker the system the greater the exposure to disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla makes the system strong.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY FOR THE DAILES

At The Dailes Monday night a mass meeting was held in response to a call by the mayor for the purpose of securing an expression from the people as to the proposition to obtain a donation from Andrew Carnegie for the erection of a library building. The meeting was well attended and was unanimously in favor of accepting \$10,000 and \$15,000, if possible. The offer of Mr. Carnegie to donate \$10,000 has been made, provided the conditions imposed are complied with, but The Dailes people want it raised to \$15,000. The meeting is described as an enthusiastic one, attended by all classes of its business men and many women were present who took part in giving the movement and added impetus.

Rinbrecht-Dietz.

A marriage license has been issued to August Rinbrecht, of Washington, aged 58, and Mrs. Johanna Dietz, of Salem, aged 50; Samuel Ludi, acting as witness.

The Knock-out Blow.

The blow which knocked out Corbett was a revelation to the prize fighters. From the earliest days of the ring the knock-out blow was aimed for the jaw, the temple or the jugular vein. Stomach punches were thrown in to worry and weary the fighter, but if a scientific man had told one of the old fighters that the most vulnerable spot was the region of the stomach, he'd have laughed at him for an ignoramus. Dr. Pierce is bringing home to the public a parallel fact; that the stomach is the most vulnerable organ out of the price ring as well as in it. We protect our heads, throats, feet and lungs, but the stomach we are utterly indifferent to, until disease finds the solar plexus and knocks us out. Make your stomach sound and strong by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you protect yourself in your most vulnerable spot. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures "weak stomach," indigestion, or dyspepsia, torpid liver, bad, thin and impure blood and other diseases of the organs of digestion and nutrition.

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Spencer's Butte Is 2056 Feet High.

Ward L. Ray and John Penland, juniors in the engineering department of the university, have finished running a survey to Spencer's butte and find the height of the mountain to be 2056 feet above sea level. Three years ago two students did the same thing and measured the height as 2055. Spencer seems to be growing quite rapidly. The geological base at Villard hall is 459 feet above sea level.—Eugene Daily Guard.

Bitten by a Spider.

Through blood poisoning caused by a spider bite, John Washington of Bosqueville, Tex., would have lost his leg, which became a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes: "The first application relieved, and four boxes healed all the sores." Heals every sore. 25c at J. C. Perry's, druggist.

Man Who Got Back His Pin.

Chicago, April 4.—Edwin E. Omalley and his 17-year-old nephew, of Los Angeles, California, alighted from a train at the Polk street station this morning. It was long past daylight, and they started to the home of his nephews parents in this city. A man tried to grab Omalley's diamond pin, worth \$500. Three others helped him, when Omalley resisted and escaped. Omalley chased the four through the depot, captured one, and recovered his pin.

EUREKA!

Yes, I Have Found It at Last. Found what? Why that Chamberlain's Salve cures eczema and all manner of itching of the skin. I have been afflicted for many years with skin diseases. I had to get up three or four times every night and wash with cold water to allay the terrible itching, but since using this salve in December, 1905, the itching has stopped and has not troubled me.—Elder John T. Ongle, Rootville, Pa. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

Military Athletic Tournament.

Brooklyn, April 5.—The military athletic tournament which has heretofore been held in the Madison Square Garden, will be held in the Thirtieth regiment armory, this city this year, tonight and tomorrow night. It will consist solely of athletic sports this year.

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For Sale—A 4-year-old gelding, weight about 1600 pounds, well broke and in fine condition. Inquire of W. H. Eagan, Gervais, R. F. D. No. 2. Phone Farmers 36. 4-4-1wk*

Unusual Opportunity—245 acres of good land at railroad station, well improved, six-room house, spring water; will sell or rent; don't write, but come and see it. I will certainly trade with you. D. W. Hoffer, Divide, Oregon. 4-4-3dlw*

Cows and Horse for Sale—Two good milch cows and a draught horse. Apply at 1529 Fourth street North Salem. Chris Bass. 4-3-6t*

For Sale—233 acres, 150 under plow, balance timber \$35 per acre; 151 acres, good house, barn and windmill, best farm in valley, \$10,000; 21 acres, good house, barn, 9 long by 100 feet wide, \$3500; 80 cows; 10 acres, wagon, buggy, all the farm implements and house furniture; 21 acres near town on the lowland, good 6 room house and barn, \$6000; big lot 200 feet long by 100 feet wide, \$3500; 80 acres 3 miles south of town nearly all in grain, \$65 per acre; 8 acres 2 miles west of town with house and barn, \$800; 90 acres, 12 miles east of Salem, \$40 per acre; 1 1/2 acres, good house and barn, \$850; 1 acre with five room house and barn, \$700; 5 acres with good 6 room house and barn, \$1600; 4 acres with good house and windmill in town, \$2200; 4 acres with house and barn in town, \$2600; also from 20 to 30 good houses from \$600 to \$4000. For sale by J. C. Schultz, 747 South Twelfth St. Salem. 4-1-1mo.

For Sale.—A five and a six-room house, with from one to six lots with each, well located in East Salem. Good bargains. Isalah Schenckfeld, 21st and Marion Sts., Salem. 1-28-1f

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Wanted—A good boy to learn a trade, including an education. Call at Capital Journal office. 4-3-3t*

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LODGES.

Foresters of America—Court Sh. r-wood Foresters, No. 19. Meets Tuesday in Hurst hall, State street. Les Abbie, C. R.; A. L. Brown, F. S.

Central Lodge No. 18, K. of P.—Castle Hall in Holman block, corner State and Liberty streets. Tuesday of each week at 7:30 p. m. E. W. Hazard, C. C.; W. L. Staley, K. of R. and S.

Modern Woodmen of America—Oregon Cedar Camp No. 5246. Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Holman hall. W. W. Hill, V. C.; F. A. Turner, Clerk.

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