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BUSINESS FOR THE PUBLISHERS

RESULTS OF TEXT BOOK ADOPTION

Nearly an Entire New Set of Public School Texts Imposed on Oregon

After all the talk at the beginning the State Textbook Commission has abandoned its program of making a few changes only, and seems to be making a complete change in text books, with few exceptions. New texts for grammars, arithmetics and history and civil government, and most of the readers have been chosen. If what the Grange said in a resolution is true, that each change made in a single textbook means an expense of \$25,000, the people will have several hundred thousand dollars of bills to pay in the new adoption for the next six years. In a statement given out by the commission it is said the commission "remembered the large and small publishing houses," and it seems to have been a harvest for the book agents all around.

It should be understood that wherever the word "exchange price" is used, there has been a new book adopted.

Here follows the list of the books that will be used in the grammar school grades for the next six years. The name of the publishing house, the title of the textbook, its exchange and retail price are also given:

Reading—W. H. Wheeler & Co., of Chicago, Wheeler's Graded Primer, exchange price, 10c; retail price, 25c; First Reader, exchange price, 10c; retail price, 25c; Second Reader, exchange price, 15c; retail price, 35c; Third Reader, exchange price, 20c; retail price, 45c; Ginn & Co., Boston, Cyr's Fourth Reader, exchange price, 30c; retail price, 50c; Fifth Reader, exchange price, 30c; retail price, 60c.

Geography—American Book Co., Natural Introductory Geography, exchange price, 27c; retail price, 54c; Natural School Geography, exchange price, 57c; retail price, \$1.13; Arithmetic—Ginn & Co. of Boston, Smith's Primary Arithmetic, exchange price, 15c; retail price, 35c; Smith's Practical Arithmetic, exchange price, 35c; retail price, 65c; Mental Arithmetic—Ginn & Co., of Boston, Text to be used same as for written Arithmetic.

History—D. C. Heath & Co. of Boston, Thomas' Elementary History, exchange price (in use); retail price, 60c; Doub & Co. of San Francisco, A History of the United States, exchange price, 70c; retail price, \$1.

Grammar—Heath & Co. of Boston, Buehler & Hotchkiss' Modern English Lessons, exchange price, 20c; retail price, 40c; Buehler's Modern English Grammar, exchange price, 30c; retail price, 55c.

Civil Government—Doub & Co. of San Francisco, Doub's History adopted as text.

Physiology—D. Appleton & Co. of New York, First Book in Hygiene, (Krohn), exchange price, 18c; retail price, 35c; Graded Lessons in Physiology and Hygiene (Krohn), exchange price, 30c; retail price 60c.

Writing—O. P. Barnes of Chicago, The Outlook Writing Books, series from No. 1 to 7, retail price, 5c; The Outlook Copy Slips from No. 1 to 6, retail price 5c; Outlook Practice Books, A, B, C, D, retail price, 5c; Empire Writing Speller, retail price, 5c.

Speller—Maynard Merrill Co. of New York, Reed's Word Lessons, exchange price, 12c; retail price, 22c.

Music—Ginn & Co. of Boston, First Music Reader (New Educational Course), exchange price, 15c; retail price, 30c; Second Music Reader, exchange price, 15c; retail price, 30c; Third Music Reader, exchange price, 18c; retail price, 35c; Fourth Music Reader, exchange price, 20c; retail price, 40c; Fifth Music Reader, exchange price, 25c; retail price, 50c.

Nature Study and Science Work—Ginn & Co., of Boston, Agriculture for Beginners (Burkett, Stevens & Hill), exchange price, 28c; retail price, 75c.

Drawing—Prang Education Co., of San Francisco, Art Education Drawing Book Course, series from No. 1 to No. 2, retail price, 15c; No. 4 to No. 8, retail price, 20c.

Changes are as follows: Reading—First, second and third readers changed from Cyr's to Wheeler's. Geography—Introductory and

school texts from Frye's to American Book Company's text.

Arithmetic—Primary and practical from Wentworth's to Smith's.

Mental arithmetic—Text of written arithmetic substituted.

History—Thomas' History of United States to "A History of the United States," by Doub & Co.

Grammar and language all changed.

Civil government—Doub's History substituted for present text.

Physiology—Two new texts. Writing—New texts. Music—New texts.

Nature Study and Science Work—New, one text instead of two. Drawing—New texts.

WARM GAME FRIDAY

There is going to be another chance to see a hot baseball game here tomorrow afternoon, when the University of Oregon team goes up against the Salem high school.

The U. of O. team will play at Chemawa Friday morning, but will bring enough men so that there will be no chance of being weakened for the game with S. H. S. in the afternoon. The game will be played on Willamette field, and will probably draw the largest crowd of the season, as the high school is getting a reputation among the local fans, who expect to turn out in a body and root themselves hoarse.

The team turned out this year, under Captain Paine, is considered the strongest in the state, and has not yet been beaten by any Oregon team. They lost a couple of games on their Washington trip, but beat the Columbia Athletic Club at The Dalles 7 to 1. They have also won two games from the Multnomah club.

A bit of baseball skill will undoubtedly be put in the tomorrow morning's game, as the Indians themselves have been going into it in a scolding way. Besides beating several times around here, they won from the Columbia A. C. 4 to 0, and would like to dangle a victory from U. of O., but the University men probably look at it in a different way, and intend to make good against the Chemawas.

The game with the high school in the afternoon will be no walk-over, and the university men are not expecting one. The fact that they gave the high school a game is considerable recommendation for the local team, as it is going out of the university class. U. of O. probably expects to win, but if the S. H. S. record will be looked into a little, it will be seen that they will have to be right on their feet if they expect to come out on top.

The Oregon team plays at Corvallis Saturday afternoon.

Sunday School Parade in Brooklyn.

Brooklyn, N. Y., June 6.—This is the greatest of days with the Brooklyn Sunday School children. They turned out today on the annual anniversary parade 125,000 strong, children and teachers. This is the largest number ever shown in parade in this city where the parade is the great event of the year. Governor Hughes reviewed the procession in Prospect Park. For the first time the schools of Williamsburg and Green Point joined in the parade. The parade consists really of twenty-four distinct parades. After reviewing the principal action of the parade in Prospect Park, Governor Hughes will be carried around in an automobile to see the other sections of the marchers. The city is literally full of children. Many visitors have come to the Borough to witness the parade, which draws spectators from far distant cities, it being the most famous Sunday school parade in the world.

Century Old Firms Hold a Reunion.

Philadelphia, June 6.—Twenty-four venerable business firms belonging to the Association of Centenary Firms and Corporations of the United States will hold a reunion dinner at the Bellevue-Stratford tonight. The first dinner was held in the old Bellevue May 4, 1893, at which time twenty-five firms which had been in business one hundred years or more were enrolled as members. There are no annual dues and the reunions are held only at rare intervals. Of the present members twenty-one are Pennsylvania firms, and the majority of these are in Philadelphia.

We Were Surprised to Receive By Express

Another Shipment

Ladies' Long Silk Gloves

We haven't been able to supply one-half of the demand this season for ladies' long gloves, and, although this is a rather large lot, we expect that they will all be sold in a few days.

Ladies' Summer Parasols

Our delayed shipment has arrived at last, and we have an assortment of the choice novelties that will interest you.

OUR PRICES ARE FIGURED ON THE SPOT CASH BASIS

Ladies' Sombrero Hats

In Semi-stiff and Stiff Unbreakable Brims

\$1.95 and \$2.45

These are very high grade fur hats that will hold their shape as well as any hat on the market.

Barnes' Cash Store
E. T. Barnes, Prop.

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS

Stockholm, Sweden, June 6.—The king and queen celebrated their fifty anniversary of their wedding.

Philadelphia, June 6.—As a mark of respect to the sovereign of their own land, Swedish people all over America have prepared addresses of congratulation to be presented to King and Queen of Sweden tomorrow when they celebrate the fifteen-anniversary of their marriage. The preparations were made to celebrate the gracious event in an enthusiastic and glad manner. Addresses sent from this city are engraved upon beautifully illuminated sheets, and have the signatures of many prominent Swedish Americans attached. All the Swedish residents in this city have manifested great interest in the addresses, and hundreds of others have flocked from all the cities in the United States, the signatures being most numerous in the West, where the Swedish element is strongest and most vigorous.

His Candidacy Strongly Pressed.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 6.—The candidacy of Senator Knox is being strongly pressed by Col. Oliver and his paper, and there can be no doubt that the Republican State Convention which is called for today, will strongly endorse him. It is claimed for Knox that he can claim what no other candidate can do, and that is, there is no opposition to him by anybody in his own state. This is put very strongly, and Taft is especially assailed. It is also claimed that neither the President nor any other prominent Republican will experience any sorrow over the decadence of Taft's Pennsylvania will also claim as she is the banner state, although rolling up a tremendous Republican majority she is entitled to presidential candidate, especially as she has but a slim lot of appointments from the general government.

Mission Destroyed.

Panghai, China, June 6.—The mission at Kailshin, in the province of Suan, almost on the border of Tibet, has been destroyed by a

Colic and Diarrhoea.

Colic in the stomach, colic and diarrhoea are quickly relieved by the Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

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HIGH PRICED LANDS.

Southern Oregon Orchards Bring Hood River Prices.

The record sale for Rogue River Valley orchard property was made last week when the beautiful J. E. De Hart orchard near Medford was purchased by C. E. Marshall of Bensenville, Ind., for \$33,000.

The sale demonstrated that the value of orchard properties in the Rogue River Valley is rapidly increasing, and it is a foregone conclusion that Southern Oregon lands will, in the near future, bring the same prices that prevail in the Hood River Valley and Yakima country.

Considering the fact that this season's fruit was withheld by Dr. De Hart, and that its estimated value is \$10,000, the sale of the orchard was in reality on a \$43,000 basis, and as the acreage totals but 76 1-3 acres, the price may be estimated at \$563.50 per acre, which is the highest price per acre as well as the largest sale for an orchard ever made in Southern Oregon.

Among those who are thoroughly familiar with conditions in the Rogue River Valley it is conceded that Mr. Marshall has made a splendid purchase, for not only has he obtained one of the most beautiful homes in this delightful valley, but he has also become possessor of a 30 per cent dividend-paying proposition, which should increase to 40 per cent on the original investment when the entire orchard comes into bearing.

Circuit Court Convenes.

Judge Galloway this afternoon convened the June term of circuit court, and transacted the following business:

The divorce suit of Conrad Long vs. Olena Long was dismissed without prejudice, on motion of the counsel for the plaintiff.

The divorce suit of Maud E. Neal vs. E. M. Neal, as to alimony, pending suit, will be heard June 10th, at 1 p. m.

The equity suit between F. J. Eldridge and John F. Hoefler, et al., is being heard this afternoon.

Live Toad in Lump of Coal.

John Savage of Buck Hill, Md., a miner in the Enterprise mine, was greatly astonished when in breaking a solid lump of coal he saw a live toad jump out and hop around his feet. The hole in which the toad was confined was not large enough to permit any exercise on his part. It is supposed the batrachian centuries ago dug a hole in the ground for himself and went to sleep.

How Odd.

Galley—I tell you, we had a hot old time last night.
Acum—Really? What was the cause of it?
Galley—Cold bottles.

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MONEY TO LOAN.
THOMAS K. FORD
Over Ladd & Bush's Bank, Salem, Or.

Editor's Wife Gets Assistance.

Editor Whisnant of the Coos Bay Harbor does not make as much of a display over it as did the young King of Spain under similar circumstances, still he does pretty well, though it is evidently his first attempt in that line. In the last number of the Harbor he says: In our bachelor days we were unregenerate. Shingle nails were handier than buttons, and a puff tie easier to handle than clean laundry. We caved tailor bills by not brushing our clothes, we bummed around all night, and slept all day. We thought the man who could wear a clean collar all day and not get it dirty was not fit for anything else. We entertained a fine contempt for the conventions of life, its little niceties, its finer frills, until we met Her, then we got busy being respectable. First thing we did we catalogued every fault and shortcoming clearly on several sheets of legal cap paper, had it attested by a notary and gave it to Her. This was a good start, for in two years we had Her convinced that it was Her mission in life to reform us. In order to accomplish this task more quickly she agreed to come and live with us. Securing legal permission and ministerial consent she took up her new duties with a vim. Hitherto we had hung our breeches where we pleased, but we soon learned a proper peg in the proper corner of the wardrobe and the proper way to hang our trousers. Our gun, fishing rod and bird dog were banished to the office, hunting jacket and shell vest were thrown out in the woodshed, and the nails they encountered were adorned with garments of strange design and unknown name. Much to the surprise of our friends, we began to assume appearance of respectability in person and dress. The razor found our face every other day, we found the bath tub at stated intervals—cleanliness became a habit rather than an accident and we were surprised at its efficiency, but combated its right to interfere with man's prerogative, i. e., to clean up and be decent when he felt like it, instead of being perpetually that way. Time passed and we began to feel as though we needed help in this unequal contest, for no one man can successfully contend with any one woman. We thought if we had a little assistance in the matter, a little fellow to get so bloomin' dirty his

mother would not know it was her child or not until she scraped him with a hoe, a little fellow who would yell like thunder when he was getting his ears and neck scrubbed after being in "swimmin' tree times t'day." A little fellow that could go out looking like an angel in white and come back looking like the devil in black, in an hour's time; a little fellow who would dig angle worms by the hour for dad and him to go fishin' with, a little fellow who abhorred water for cleaning purposes, we thought if we had that kind of a fellow to assist us we would run some chance to retain our identity and personality.

So we inserted an ad in the Want columns of the papers of the Great Unknown for a boy to help us win out.

But the typo must have got our copy mixed for the package arrived Memorial Day morning at the Mercy Hospital and Dr. Gale said, "It's a girl."

Did not consider our feeling a moment about the matter and they tell us we can't return the goods and get them exchanged. After sising up mother's little-help-in-father's-reformation we decided we wouldn't exchange for two boys and so we are making the best of the bargain and keeping busy being respectable. Sister Mary Lawrence, who plays with the baby all day, says she is the finest ten-pound bunch of a little lady she ever saw, and Dr. Gale says excepting one he knows, she is. Dad says nothing only shaves every day and hopes her kinks and wrinkles will straighten without serious injury. Come in, boys, its on the Editor.

The Apt Pupil.

The philanthropical Fifth-avenue lady was visiting a lower East Side Sunday school. To test the aptness of a particularly indigent cluster of pupils, she took the class in hand to question them.

"Children, which is the greatest of all virtues?"

Not one answered.

"Think a little. What is it I am doing when I give up time and pleasure to come down among you for your moral good?"

A grimy flat went up.

"Well, what am I doing, little boy?"

"Buttin' in!"—Life.

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