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Punch Boards Must Go From Falls City Stores

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Falls City, Or., Dec. 9.—The punch board game of chance that has been permitted to be carried on here by the confectionaries and drug stores must be discontinued.

Administration Will Not Brook Tedious Delays

Washington, Dec. 9.—Prompt action—not delays through endless debates and exchanges of notes—is apparently to be the new American policy in the matter of submarine attacks involving American lives.

The Minnesota Troubles Were Entirely Mechanical

San Francisco, Dec. 9.—Fears that the Hill liner Minnesota had been crippled by spies or that a mutiny had broken out were quieted today by the radio-

gram from Captain Thomas Garlick, in which he stated that the Minnesota's difficulty is due solely to mechanical trouble.

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Officers' Convention of Polk County Schools

The annual school officers convention convened Saturday, December 4th. Mr. H. J. Elliott, of Perrydale, was elected temporary chairman and the first number on the program was a paper read by Mrs. Fletcher pertaining to some things that school boards may do to help the teacher.

The day was spent in the discussion of this paper, the annual school budget and other matters of interest to the schools of the county.

The school board convention passed a resolution instructing the county superintendent to have every teacher take one day for "Visiting Day" in which she should visit, under the direction of the superintendent, some other teacher in the county doing similar work to hers, the convention being of the unanimous opinion that this would strengthen the school work of the county.

Mr. T. W. Brunk, president of the association, appointed Mr. P. C. Ewing, Mr. H. J. Elliott, Mrs. Ora Cosper, Mr. E. E. Paddock, Mr. Henry Voth, as a resolution committee.

Mr. H. J. Elliott, of Perrydale, was elected president for the ensuing year and H. C. Seymour re-elected secretary.

The spirit of the convention was of the best, all working for the best interests of the county.

The following resolutions were passed:

THAT we do heartily endorse the teamwork and general co-operation that is being exercised at present over the county by the school officers and teachers, for the advancement of our schools.

WE do earnestly endorse and recommend the industrial club work and express our willingness to lend our help and co-operation to this work. And, we feel that this work should be confined especially to the more advanced grades.

WE favor the organization of a parent-teachers' association in each district.

WE recommend the further improvement and beautifying of school grounds by the planting of trees and flowers.

WE would urge that County Superintendent Seymour use his influence to the end that a visit by one member of the school board each month be again made one of the requisites in the state standardization of schools.

WE are unanimously in favor of the resolution passed by Mr. Schuch at the convention on December 4 that there be a day set aside for "Teachers Visiting Day" and we suggest and recommend that this day be made a point in the rules for standardization of the schools.

BE it resolved that a vote of thanks be extended to State Forester Elliott for the excellent maps of Oregon schools he has donated to the different schools of the county, and which are appreciated by the teachers, children and school boards.

WE express our appreciation of the splendid talks rendered by the different speakers at the convention on December 4 and expressly recommend that the paper of Mrs. Fletcher be published.

Respectfully submitted, P. C. EWING, MRS. ORA COSPER, MR. H. J. ELLIOTT, MR. HENRY VOTH, MR. E. E. PADDOCK, Committee on Resolutions.

Table with 5 columns: Dist., Parents, Parents Visiting, Other Visitors, Total. Rows list districts from 1 to 47 with their respective statistics.

This report has been delayed for nearly a month owing to the fact that two school districts were late in sending in their reports and we are still waiting for these two. Otherwise, the



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Says Wife's Ill Health Was Cause of Her Peevish Disposition

That his wife, by reason of her ill health and suffering from an incurable malady, became peevish and fancied wrongs which never existed in the allegation set forth in an answer filed in the circuit court today by George Fichtel.

Mr. Fichtel states that at the time of their marriage in 1901 they were affected with the common ailment of poverty but Mr. Fichtel was possessed of a robust physique and a willing disposition to work. He exhausted every means to remain steadily employed at his trade but when not able to find work at his trade, worked at anything that came to hand.

By reason of his wife's ill health the defendant answers that it was only by strict economy that they were able to purchase a home from his savings and to pay \$205 on an adjoining five acre which they were afterward obliged to allow to revert to the former owner.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

Six German submarines unsuccessfully raided the admiral's harbor at Dover. Germans captured Praysasz in their drive on Warsaw from North Germany. France and Russia discussed peace terms but did not agree.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT
Notice is hereby given that the final account of Noah Welch as administrator of the estate of Frank G. Welch, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, and that the 13th day of December, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been duly appointed by such Court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in such estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY ON FORECLOSURE.

Notice is hereby given. That by virtue of an execution duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion and to me directed on the 6th day of November, 1915, upon a judgment and decree duly rendered, entered of record and docketed in and by said Court on the 28th day of October, 1915, in a certain suit then in said Court pending, wherein R. A. Cavanaugh was plaintiff and Richard Dakin, a minor, C. A. Lee and J. M. Lee were defendants in favor of plaintiff and against said defendants by which execution I am commanded to sell the property in said execution and hereinafter described to pay the sum due the plaintiff of Eighteen Hundred (\$1,800.00) Dollars, with interest

Weekly Report of Union Stock Yards

North Portland, Ore., Dec. 8.—Cattle: There being no choice stuff offered today, the real strength of the market could not be ascertained. Top steers, however, are quoted at \$7.25. A few cows brought \$5.50. Today's run was more liberal than for some time.

Over 7,000 hogs were on the market. Prices were maintained and trading was active throughout the day. Quality was somewhat better and buyers were more liberal than usual. Tops brought \$6, bulk at \$5.95.

Sixteen hundred head were received for today's market and buyers were eager to buy at slightly advanced prices. Lambs again brought \$7.50, after a weakness in the market for a couple of weeks, all other classes remain steady.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Price. Lists prices for various types of livestock like 4 steers, 23 steers, etc.

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Notice is hereby given that the final account of Caroline Selee as administratrix of the estate of Fred W. Selee, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, and that the 27th day of December, 1915, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., has been duly appointed by such Court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in such estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

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Notice is hereby given that the final account of Caroline Selee as administratrix of the estate of Fred W. Selee, deceased, has been filed in the County Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, and that the 27th day of December, 1915, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m., has been duly appointed by such Court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in such estate may appear and file objections thereto in writing and contest the same.

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Colonel McLoughlin Pays Official Visit To Co. M of This City
Colonel Cleonard McLoughlin, of the Third Regiment, O. N. G., paid an official visit to Company M last night at their regular drill at the armory. Colonel McLoughlin complimented the company on their excellent rating last