

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT



MISS ELIZABETH CORNELIUS
Candidate for Republican Nomination for County School Superintendent.
Her Picture stands as Does She On This
PLATFORM

1. I believe that the Marion County Rural Schools should not take a backward step, therefore, I endorse the following principles:
1. State wide Standard Schools.
2. Trained Teachers, thereby strengthening the efficiency of the teaching force.
3. That Superintendents and Supervisors not only make personal and frequent visits to the schools, but that standardized tests be given that the scholarship of the school be lifted.
4. Best supervision at the least expense.
5. That Parent-Teacher Associations be organized in every community, to bring about a better cooperation between schools and home.
6. That Industrial Clubs be formed as a means of preparation for life's social and economic problems.
7. That Schools be consolidated when practicable.
8. That woman is entitled to recognition, and should give and be given a "Square Deal."

Better Schools for Good Schools, and every School the Best. (Paid Ad.)

BRIEF SKETCH OF A BUSY LIFE

Elizabeth Cornelius was born in Salem, and loves it and the big valley. She belongs to two well-known families, Absalom Cornelius and Lou, Samuel Parker being her grandfather. To the efforts of the latter is largely due the fact that Salem is the state's capital.

Her father was G. B. Cornelius, a leading republican, good citizen, and prominent in school work, serving 30 years on school boards. Her mother was a teacher in the early days.

She is a young woman of marked ability, graduate of Willamette University where her record as a student was record to none. Took special course at O. A. C. and at the State Normal School. Is a student of Public Speaking Club and an exceptionally fine reader.

Trained as a teacher, energy and

capability soon brought her to the front, and her success as principal of schools evidenced her efficiency as a teacher and her thorough understanding of young folks.

Was assistant principal at Chemun for several years, and Mr. Dorchester at that time superintendent says: "She is unexcelled as a teacher in Indian schools." Served with credit on boards of examiners for nine years. As supervisor of schools, she demonstrated, presented new methods, saw drinking cup and school towel go, had water tested, play ground equipments added, Parent-Teachers' association formed, industrial clubs organized, and schools made better. Under her direction the two biggest rallies were held at Victor Point and Macleay.

Miss Cornelius says she entered the race with "the boys" in the friendliest of spirit, but will beat them out if she can.

Editor Says Germany Will Run "Amuck" at Sea

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change the international law on the subject."

Ambassador in Bad.

Washington, Feb. 19.—"If this unfair propaganda is not ended, a certain ambassador will be shipped home."

This remark was credited today to a government official in a position to make it good.

German Ambassador Von Bernstorff, by the logic of the situation, is the ambassador meant.

Recent newspaper stories credited to Tanton sources conveying the impression that America had changed her position on the Lusitania case gave rise to a feeling that a rupture might be at hand. This feeling is said to have reached a climax last night when a correspondent asked Secretary of State Lansing if it were true he contemplated resigning.

Lansing is said to regard the report that he might resign, as part of a long campaign of misinformation about American negotiations with Germany. While he did not attribute this to the German embassy, but he is said to have felt that it grew out of a series of offenses against the diplomatic proprieties on the part of Bernstorff in the matter of giving out information about informal conversations at the department.

The upshot was a decision to call in Von Bernstorff and put the matter to him to deny or admit. Whether he has done this, is not known.

"There has been no change about the Lusitania," said an official, "and Germany understands it very well. We felt her armed merchantmen deserved removal, certain guarantees about future conduct of submarine warfare, which had been obtained earlier in the Lusitania negotiations. Until it was certain that these would hold good, we cannot call the case closed."

If we go in for preparedness, let us remember that the German government also prepares against factory fires and Eastland disasters.—New York Evening Post.

Germans Taken From American Ship China

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The Germans were refugees in the Orient who were seeking a haven in the United States during the period of the war. It is supposed that the British naval officers seized the Germans as being persons eligible for military service.

Garland declared that his last advice indicated that about 100 Germans were scheduled to leave Kiao (Chao) on board the China, and he believes these are the persons who were seized.

The China is the only big passenger liner plying the Pacific which flies the American flag, since the Pacific Mail line discontinued business. The Togo Kisen Kaisha, Japanese steamship company and the British company operating from British Columbia ports to the Orient have refused to transport German refugees across the Pacific and the China is therefore the only haven of these refugees.

Supervising Field Deputy Named for Weights and Measures

Deputy State Sealer of Weights and Measures Fred G. Buchtel, announced today that Spence Wortman, of Portland, would be appointed Monday as supervising field deputy of the weights and measures department and would have charge of enforcing the weights and measures laws recently announced. All manufacturers of weights, measures and scales in this state are required to conform to certain standards and the products of manufacturers outside of the state are required to live up to the same rules.

Part of the duties of Mr. Wortman will be to travel over the state on the lookout for law violators and to collect evidence in the assistance of the district attorneys in enforcing the weights and measures statutes.

Of course the laymen realize they have undertaken a large job in attempting to convince domestic headstrong that Christian countries are Christian.

WILL INVESTIGATE AVIATION SCHOOL

Acting Secretary of War Orders Board to Go Into Matter Thoroughly

Washington, Feb. 19.—Acting Secretary of War Scott today ordered an exhaustive investigation of every phase of the administration and conduct of the government aviation school at San Diego.

Scott appointed the judge advocate general of the army, the chief of the war college and the inspector general as the board of investigation into the charges of service inefficiency made by Senator Robinson of Arkansas as an aftermath of the court-martial of Lieutenant Lewis E. Goodier, judge advocate general of the western department of the army.

"The instructions of the board are to go into every phase of the situation and to get all details," said Scott. "The board is empowered to remedy any wrongs and weaknesses, no matter who it hit."

The board will begin its work Monday and it will ask for all the correspondence alleged to have passed between Colonel Samuel Reber, head of the aviation service and Captain Cowan, in charge of the San Diego school.

It is hinted that the final action of President Wilson and Acting Secretary Scott in the Goodier case may be held up pending completion of the investigation. The senate military committee is likely to report favorably on Senator Robinson's request for an investigation after taking up the charges Monday.

Chairman Chamberlain favors a broad inquiry, and there is a possibility that a senate sub-committee may go to San Diego. Goodier was charged with altering accusations filed against Cowan. Much of the evidence taken in the court-martial has been presented to the committee. Robinson claims that letters passed between Reber and Cowan revealing bad conditions within the service and efforts to get certain appropriations for articles not properly within the province of the aviation business.

Whether army aviators have not fallen to their deaths from rickety machines, due to mismanagement at San Diego, is the real purpose of the probe which the senate military committee will order Monday.

Secretary Scott indicated his board of investigation had been named when the alleged mismanagement at San Diego first became known. This body will start work at once, regardless of the committee action.

Chairman Hay, of the house military committee said today "If Senator Robinson's charges are correct, there should be an immediate investigation of the army's new service. Testimony in the past concerning this branch has been conflicting. For my part, I have always advocated separation of the signal and aviation corps, and I believe that an investigation such as the senate will lead to it."

Representative Kahn declared his belief that the aviation service needs building up, as it is "fearfully weak."

Republicans Will Hold Mass Meeting March 18

It was decided at a meeting of the official county central committee of the republican party to hold a mass meeting at the armory in this city March 18 at 1 o'clock. At this time each of the candidates will deliver an address on the general subject "If I Am Elected."

Chairman R. E. Robertson who presided at the meeting today appointed L. T. Reynolds, E. T. Moore and N. D. Elliott on the committee to take charge of the mass meeting. On the resolutions committee were appointed M. L. Jones, John Stegmann and George Brown. The remainder of the meeting was given over to a general discussion.

Puget Sound May Be Selected for Navy Yard

Washington, Feb. 19.—United States Senator B. R. Tillman let it be known today that he expects to ask congress to appropriate the necessary funds for the equipment of two more yards for the construction of battleships.

The yards will be located on Puget Sound, at Charleston, S. C., or at Norfolk, Va., he said.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels is having estimates and plans prepared.

Dallas Reports First Arrest During Year

The Dallas, Ore., Feb. 19.—The charm is broken. J. C. Sullivan, shepherd, came to town, imbibed freely of alcohol, was arrested for drunkenness and fined \$5. This was the first arrest here on any charge this year, which broke all local records. Sullivan told the police he purchased the alcohol to rub rheumatic joints.

TOOK SUICIDE ROUTE

Portland, Ore., Feb. 19.—Jilted by his fiancée and suspected of theft by the firm for which he worked, Lawrence Mitchell, aged 18, is dead today from the effects of poison which he swallowed last night. The fiancée, Miss Marion Brown, broke her engagement with him when she learned that he was charged with theft. Believing his arrest imminent, young Mitchell went to the girl's home and begged to see her once more. She refused. Then he swallowed poison and died on her doorstep. Officers with a warrant for his arrest arrived at the Brownell home just as the youth was in the throes of death.

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COURT HOUSE NEWS

The county court today appointed Charles Hartman, of Scotts Mills, as supervisor of road district No. 11. A. E. Adkins was appointed to this position at the first of the year but later removed from the district and vacated the appointment.

The county court today approved the contract and bond of Bunting & Son, who will construct the new bridge across Pudding river on the Salem-Pratum road at the Moser place. It is proposed to lower and shorten the bridge grading down two hills and cutting a new channel for the river. The present bridge is about 300 feet long. The work will cost \$2,574.97 according to the estimates of the viewers.

The famous road case brought up on petition of George W. Knight and others for a road across the Hovenden place has been finally settled by compromise. George B. Hovenden objected to the road and sought damages in the sum of \$10,000. The amounts set forth in the order to be paid to the property owners for damages are: George B. Hovenden and wife, \$125, George J. Walter and wife \$170, Arnold Christen and wife \$15. The land used for a road across the place of Ella Coyle was donated gratis.

A suit for divorce was filed in the circuit court today by Fred L. Wilcox against Ella Wilcox. The couple were married in Oregon in 1909 and have one child, Doran Wilcox, aged eight months. The plaintiff alleges that his wife deserted him last year. He is now employed at Mill City. Weatherford & Weatherford, of Albany, are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Nellie King today filed suit for divorce from Hiram T. King, alleging desertion for cause. The couple were married in 1909 and the plaintiff claims she was deserted by her husband in November 1914. There are no children or property rights involved in the controversy. She seeks to recover the sum of \$51.35 which she states was spent for medical attention and asks the right to resume her maiden name of Nellie Betsy Stephens. McNary & McNary represent the plaintiff.

Judge Bishop today appointed Albert Whitlock as administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Whitlock who died December 16, 1915, leaving real and personal property to the value of \$3,000. The heirs are Albert Whitlock, and Lorenzo Whitlock, of Silverton; Mrs. Louis Ames, of Ellerton, California; William Whitlock, of Klamath Falls; Elizabeth Lamb, of Salem; Columbus Whitlock, John W. Whitlock, and Howard Whitlock, of Silverton; Mrs. Eva Zimmermann, of Silverton, and James Whitlock, of Bend. S. Ames, John W. Wolfard and George Morley were named as appraisers.

An order was issued today by Judge Bishop cancelling the order confirming sale and withdrawing the report of sale in the matter of the guardianship of Albertine Bickett. The sale was intended to be made to A. C. Borthick of the west 1-2 of the east 1-2 of the south-east 1-4 of section 9, township 18 south, range 3, east of the Willamette meridian, and the purchase price was \$800. It is stated in the petition that the terms of the sale were not carried out.

War With Germany Is Root's Suggestion

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are opening to our republican friends? "What interests have they found that want war against Germany?"

"War now? When 16 years of republican left us with no navy and no army?"

Senator Smart defended Root and denied the latter had ever obstructed action for the defense of the national honor, although he might have doubted the advisability of persecuting Huerta.

WILLIE HAD THE ANSWER

As the subject for the weekly essay the school master asked his pupils to say what they could do if they had \$5,000,000.

At once all heads were bent save one, and pens scratched busily. The one exception was little Willie. He calmly sat doing nothing, twiddling his fingers and watching the flies on the ceiling.

At the end of the time the master collected the papers, and Willie handed over a blank sheet.

"How's this, Willie?" asked the master. "Is this your essay? Why, all the others have written at least two sheets, while you do nothing?"

"Well," replied Willie, "that's what I would do if I were a millionaire."

Philadelphia Record.

Commercial Club Indorses the Plan

The following resolutions were adopted by the Salem Commercial club February 16, 1916:

Whereas, Honorable Edward T. Taylor, of Colorado, has introduced in the house of representatives of the United States (H. B. No. 10400), on January 29, 1916, a bill providing for the appropriation of ten million dollars, one million each year for the next ten years, to be expended for the survey, construction and maintenance of roads and trails within or partly within the National forests, when it is necessary for the use and development of the resources upon which communities within and adjacent to the National forests are dependent, and that the same shall be repaid by applying part of the receipts from the forest reserves within the counties taking advantage of the act, and

Whereas, A large per cent of the land in the state is within the boundaries of the National forest reserves, and therefore, is not taxed and taxes cannot be levied thereon for the construction and maintenance of highways, and this condition greatly impedes the development of the state's resources, and

Whereas, It is necessary for the welfare of the people of the state of Oregon that its resources be developed to the fullest extent practicable, and

Whereas, Because of the topography of this state the construction of proper highways through the forest reserves will be of great military benefit in the defense of this country in case of attack, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the members of the Salem Commercial club assembled, as follows:

That we heartily endorse the principles of said bill and approve of the government making the appropriation therein provided for.

That we respectfully urge Honorable Willis C. Hawley, the congressman from this state of Oregon to give their support to this bill.

Looking for Crones In All Big Cities

New York, Feb. 19.—With Crones' description given to 10,000 patrolmen and special search made at churches, public buildings, ferries, railroad stations and reading rooms, clubs were warned today to be on the lookout for him as he might apply for a position as chef.

Federal officials went to Middletown, Conn., to demand that Crones' brother, Paul, surrender any letters Crones may have sent him.

Think Letters a Ruse.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—The police are convinced that John Crones, alleged prisoner, is still in hiding in this city, and that letters purporting to come from him in New York, are merely mailed to a friend there for forwarding. The authorities are continuing their hunt on this theory.

THE NAME SHE PICKED

Miss Six-Year-Old had been given a large teddybear as a birthday present. It was a very fine bear, but had a pronounced squint.

The owner was hard put to it to find a name sufficiently descriptive for her new toy. At last she solved the difficulty to her own satisfaction—and christened the animal "Glady."

Questioned as to the reason for such an extraordinary name for a bear, she quoted as her authority the line in a well-known hymn, watch she rendered thus, "Glady, my cross-eye bear!"

TRIED TO SAVE PARTNER

Visalia, Cal., Feb. 19.—Seventeen year old John Deering was sentenced today to serve eight years in San Quentin penitentiary for arson while his partner Fred Davis was sentenced to four years.

Deering burned a \$100,000 property January 10 and a Japanese woman and child perished. Davis planned the fire but weakened at the last, leaving the execution to Deering.

In court, Deering made a plea for clemency for Davis.

COUNSEL SAY SUICIDE

Waukegan, Ill., Feb. 19.—Counsel for William Orpet, university lad, accused of murdering his sweetheart, Marian Lambert, claimed today that the fact that cyanide of potassium, found beneath her fingernails, was also the poison found in her stomach proved that she had committed suicide. The attorneys maintained that she had obtained the poison herself, perhaps from greenhouses on the estate where her folks lived or from the one of which Orpet's father was caretaker.

HE STIRRED UP TROUBLE

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 19.—Indicted at Los Angeles for publishing alleged inflammatory articles in El Regeneracion, a Mexican newspaper there, William C. Owen will, it is expected, be arrested near here today. Owen has been at home in Tacoma, an anarchist settlement on Puget Sound, for about two months. He is said to have been staying with a family named Lane in the woods two miles back from the bay.

STILL AFTER BRANDEIS

Washington, Feb. 19.—The United States Shoe Machinery company today distributed throughout the country a booklet "The Defendants in the Case" in opposition to Louis D. Brandeis, appointed to the supreme court bench. It referred to Brandeis' position in favor of the company's lease while he was a director and his opposition to them when he was employed independently.

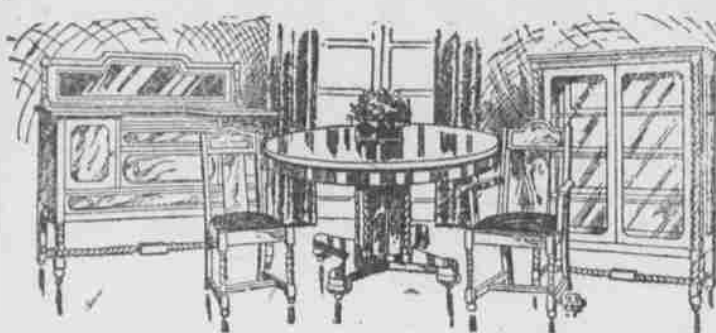
NAN SMITH CHARTERED

Portland, Ore., Feb. 19.—The steamer Nan Smith, out of Coos Bay, has been chartered by the U. S. Navy company of San Francisco to carry two cargoes of war orders to the Far East, the merchants exchange was notified today. The charter begins April 1.

The colonel declares that he will enroll with his party. But his party is not rushing to enroll with him. It is enrolling in the republican registration.

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SOME RECORD PITCHING

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 19.—What is considered a record in interscholastic baseball was set here today by Lafayette Henlon, pitcher for the Sherman school club, when he shut out the Florence school without a hit, fanned 21 batters and allowed only 27 men to face him during the entire nine innings. Sherman won the game, 14 to 0, and the city grammar school championship.

LIBELLED THE APPAM

Norfolk, Va., Feb. 19.—British and African Steamship company of Liverpool today brought libel proceedings against their liner Appam, seized by a German raider and brought into this port.

NEEDED THE EXERCISE

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 19.—Asked if she had a motive for attempting to commit suicide with poison, Irene Lane, aged 20, told the doctor, "No, I took it for the exercise."

A LONG FAST

Auburn, Cal., Feb. 19.—After fasting for 72 days "For the sake of his stomach," Andrew Thommen, a rancher, died in agony in a hospital.

HARD WORKING BURGARS

Stockton, Cal., Feb. 19.—Burglars who were not afraid of work broke into the office of the H. Rosenberg company, junk dealers, last night and carried away the safe, broke open the door and got away with \$400 cash and \$1,400 in checks.

The safe weighed 500 pounds and was found a quarter of a mile from the building.

ANARCHISTS BLAME POLICE.

San Francisco, Feb. 19.—Local anarchists are on record today as charging the Chicago police with making the poison soup banquet plot appear as an anarchistic move. In a meeting here they scoffed at idea of a national anti-clerical and anti social conspiracy, and incidentally denounced Supervisor Gallagher as inimical to the laboring man.

HOW COULD THEY?

Sandusky, Ohio, Feb. 19.—Girls in candy stores, restaurants and post card shops threaten to strike unless permitted to wear shorter skirts.

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