

CHANGE OF TEACHERS. WHO COME AND GO

Two Music and Five German Teachers Arrange for Physical Instructor

Practically all of the teachers of the public schools were re-elected at the meeting of the board of directors Thursday evening. Several teachers resigned in order to complete their education, while others did not apply for re-election.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY



W. C. WINSLOW

During the canvass of the county for the republican nomination for district attorney, I have been continuously asked this question: "Where do you stand upon our new prohibition law?"

I have been asked this question numerously both by those who favor the law and those who oppose it. And since I find that the people generally want to know where the candidates stand upon this question, I take this means of making my position known.

I am nominated and elected district attorney for Marion county. I shall do all in my power to enforce this law, and I make this statement publicly through the press, so that there may be no misunderstanding as to my attitude towards this matter.

Respectfully submitted, W. C. WINSLOW.

Spectacular Fire In San Francisco Tenement

San Francisco, May 13.—One man is dead today as the result of a fire which swept through a four-story tenement house in Scott Place during the night. Trapped by the flames, Joe Florenzi, janitor, was burned to death.

MEHAMA ITEMS.

Mrs. Loose, Mrs. Farrington and Mabel Vanpatton visited at the Luther Stout home last week. Mrs. Frank Berringer died Saturday night. Funeral services were at Lyons Monday. Mrs. Berringer was an old resident of Mehama.

where she has been teaching in the grammar grades.

Miss Lydia V. Bell will be the only new teacher in the Englewood school. She succeeds Miss Esther Ryan, who will attend an art school in San Francisco next winter.

Miss Yarn Stewart will teach in the Highland school, succeeding Miss Genevieve Robinson, who will return to her home in Michigan.

Miss Mollie Campbell of Honolulu will teach in the Richmond school, succeeding Miss Mary Ewing, who has accepted a position near Corvallis in order that her foster son may attend the O. A. C. Miss Campbell at present is teaching in the seventh grade in Honolulu.

The music in the schools will be in charge of Miss Minnetta Magers in the upper classes and Miss Jessie V. Miller in the primary grades, including the sixth. Miss Magers will receive \$100 a month for 1-3 hours work each week in the high school and \$75 each week in the junior high schools.

German will be taught in the high and junior schools. Five teachers will be employed at a total monthly salary of \$445.



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A. J. ANDERSON FOR ASSESSOR



A. J. ANDERSON

Candidate for Republican nomination for County Assessor. Ballot No. 72.

Fellow Taxpayer: A large portion of the expense of conducting the county assessor's office is chargeable to annual field assessment work. A great saving could be made by cutting down assessment of property values to once in four years.

This is only one of the many tax reforms which I have in mind and will advocate if nominated for and elected to this office, where experience, business training, efficiency and a true sense of justice and equality count.

My principal object in seeking the office is to readjust property valuations upon the bases of equity and impartiality. Do the principles apply to the present system? I think not, and in support of my convictions I respectfully submit the following condensed facts for your benefit and consideration:

Average annual expense of conducting Marion county assessor's office for four (4) years period, 1909 to 1912, inclusive, was \$4,899. Average annual expense of conducting same office for three (3) years period, 1913-15, was \$6,157, after allowing deduction of \$500 for increased expense due to change in law in 1913.

UNCLE SAM OFFERS JOB FOR SPIELERS

If You Can Wawa Anything Except Chimook the Job Is Open

Parlez vous Francais! or German or what is of more importance, do you speak Spanish? If you can, and speak it in such a manner that it can be understood by others besides yourself, the government wants you, and is willing to pay an annual salary larger than the average bank clerk, or school superintendent is earning.

Your Uncle Sam is hunting for men qualified to act as clerks to commercial attaches in foreign service. He also wants clerks qualified in foreign languages for service in the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, at Washington.

On May 17 the Civil Service commission will hold examinations for these positions, and while this is a trifle soon for those who have not been studying foreign languages, yet it shows the possibilities for those who are willing to put up on their Dano-Norwegian, Dutch, French, German, Italian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish or Swedish languages.

Clerks to commercial attaches are paid \$1,500 a year while those who qualify only for foreign languages are paid somewhat less. But these clerks are in a position to take advantage of vacancies that may arise in the higher grade positions of the field service.

Those interested in entering this service might write addressing their letters to the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. In the public schools of Salem, the only foreign language taught is German.

Mrs. L. H. Townes and daughter of Pendleton are visiting at the D. Townes home. Mrs. F. D. Thayer and Mrs. D. Bilby of Seio were visiting at the Floyd Shelton home Thursday.

ANNUAL MAY PARTY WAS GRAND SUCCESS

The Rebekahs' third annual May festival at the Odd Fellows' hall Friday night was largely attended and a success in every way, socially and financially.

The rooms were artistically decorated with oceans of ferns and flowers among which was the beautiful wisteria. The queen's throne was a veritable fairy bower, and the first number was a greeting from the fairies, who had just been awakened by the singing of the invisible chorus.

The singing and dancing of the fairies was especially pleasing, as was little Miss Cleeta Peery's solo.

The May queen's procession was the next, and was quite a revelation in the way of costumes, etc., the queen, Miss Malina Sestak, looking really regal in robe and crown.

The May pole dance by 12 young ladies, brought forth much clapping of hands and cheers, while Clyde Hoffer and Chas. Burmaster kept the crowd amused afterward with several comic readings. Mention should be made of the solos by Miss Mae Smith, of Avonville, and the Stanton Male quartet, composed of Dr. H. A. Beauchamp, Dr. W. N. Pinter, C. A. Beauchamp and Stanley A. Starr, who were encored many times.

It was a splendid evening of entertainment, and the Rebekahs are to be congratulated not only for the program but for the dignified refreshments served afterward.—Stanton Mail.

and all are cordially invited to come. Mrs. P. H. Lambert was entertained at the D. Townes home Monday.—Stanton Standard.

KINGSTON ITEMS

There will be preaching services at Kingston next Sunday, topics will be "Death of Christ", everybody come. Chas. Schaefer wife and son Lloyd and Miss Bertha Schaefer were Sunday guests at the G. F. Harold home.

Wm. Downing was buying beef cattle in this neighborhood one day last week. Mrs. Curtis Cole and little son Howard are visiting relatives near Salem. James Leffler and Bud Voeman attended court in Albany last week.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given in Moose hall Tuesday evening that was in the nature of a farewell to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stangel, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlos and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bunting, who will shortly remove from our city.

The evening was enjoyably passed in cards and dancing and lunch was served in the banquet room. The first prizes were awarded Mrs. W. C. Miller and Mr. Ivan Dimick, Mrs. Benton Killin receiving the consolation.

All present expressed their deep regret at soon losing these estimable families from their midst. They will be greatly missed in not only the social circle, but in the promotion work of the city. The honor guests were wished the best of success in their new homes. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Carlos, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stangel, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bunting, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Arista Nendel, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Broyles, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Killin, Mr. and Mrs. Elyswarth Biches, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Nehl, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Nohl, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Scollard, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Dimick, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Becker, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Drake, and Messrs. Dr. Hartford, base and Fleener.—Woodburn Independent.

Polk County Observer: One of the most important discoveries ever made in Polk county is that of outcroppings of canal coal near Crowley station, specimens of which have been submitted to the proper department of the Oregon Agricultural college, and from which favorable reports have been received.

Not only coal has been found in this neighborhood, but oil blossoms are apparent in many places, indicative of the existence of coal, and the probable existence of gas. A considerable quantity of the coal outcroppings have been gathered from hillsides, and when tested burn with a bright flame like a candle, from which peculiar characteristic canal coal derives its name in this country.

Roy Mollett and wife visited at the Geo. Thomas home Saturday and Sunday.

The Wallula club met Thursday May 4th, with Miss Ida Geer with eleven of the members in attendance. The time was spent doing fancy work and chatting. A dainty luncheon was served by the hostess assisted by Miss Dora Rabens. The next meeting will be with Mrs. M. Gilmour.

Wayne Ashby made a business trip to Salem one day last week. Adolph Heister purchased six head of fine full blood Durham cattle down by Silverton last week. Will Carter and Walter Heister each bought one head at the same place.

MADE FINE RECORD



Thomas Brown, candidate before Republican Primaries for re-election to legislature.

The proverb says "judge a tree by its fruits and a man by his works." Following this advice would make the selection of Thomas Brown as one of the republican nominees for the legislature a certainty. He is a lawyer of marked ability and with his experience in the legislature at the session of two years ago, he is well equipped to render the people splendid service.

The governor and noble bounty act. The act to increase reserve of farmers' mutual insurance companies. Act to tax trading stamp companies. Efforts in house succeeded in abolishing expensive accountancy department.

His slogan follows: "Economy; less legislation; fair treatment of state institutions in Marion county."

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sentinel proposals will be received at the office of F. A. Legg, architect, Murphy building, Salem, Oregon, until 2 o'clock p. m. Monday, May 15, 1916, for the furnishing of all labor and materials and the erection of a four room, frame school building with concrete basement in Keizer District No. 88, Marion county, Oregon, according to plans and specifications prepared by said architect.

Plans and specifications may be had at the office of the architect. The school board request that the contractor give local workmen preference, everything being equal. A certified check for five per cent of the amount of proposal, payable to W. E. Savage, clerk, must accompany each proposal, to be forfeited to the district in case the bidder refuses to qualify upon being notified of the acceptance of his proposal. The board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

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