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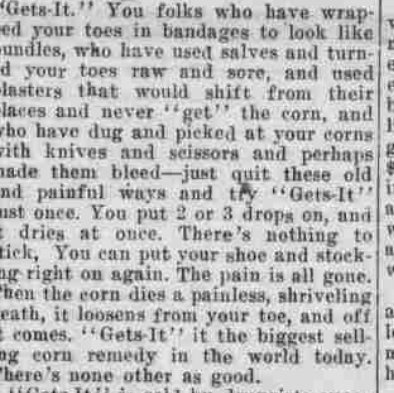
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JOHN W. TODD WILL CONTINUE IN POSITION

Re-Elected City Superintendent and Salary Substantially Raised

John W. Todd, who has been superintendent of the city schools for the past year, was re-elected by the board of directors for another term of one year at a salary of \$2750, an advance of \$500 over his present salary.
Every member of the board praised the work of Mr. Todd in the re-organization of the schools wherein the district had been saved thousands of dollars and at the same time adding greatly to the efficiency of the general work. The board paid Mr. Todd the compliment of not only being an educator of unusual ability, but of also being a first class business man, a rare combination.
Upon the recommendation of Mr. Todd, Principal J. C. Nelson of the high school was re-elected for the coming year at a salary of \$1,800.
Mr. Nelson's work received the highest commendation not only from Superintendent Todd but from all the members of the board.
Miss Margaret Cooper was re-elected as supervisor of grade schools at a salary of \$1200 for the year upon the recommendation of superintendent Todd who said that her work makes her indispensable to the schools.
John Ross, head janitor of the school system was chosen to succeed himself at a salary of \$900 a year. Mr. Ross has been of much aid to the building and supplies committee and the board thought he had saved the district enough money to entitle him to the increase of \$5 a month.
The tuition problem once more came before the board. The supreme court recently ruled that the district could not claim interest on the investment in figuring the cost of education. But the board claims that interest is owed to pay on bonded indebtedness is a purely an expense and it is probable a suit will be brought again to ascertain whether the amount the district pays each year on this bonded indebtedness may be figured as an expense.

Supreme Court Hands Down Several Decisions
Reversible error on the part of Judge Coke, of Coos county, in denying the motion of the defendant in the case of W. J. Mitchell and L. G. Carpenter, respondents, against Alice A. Coach, administratrix of estate of J. W. Coach, deceased, appellant, for non-suit because the alleged contract made for detective services in deterring the prosecution was against public policy, is the reason given by Judge Benson for reversing the case as decided by the lower court.
In the original action, the defendant was convicted of giving liquor to two minor girls named Simpson. He appealed from the conviction. He was threatened with an action for damages for being the father of an unborn child believed then to be carried by one of the girls. He employed the plaintiffs at \$12 a day to render services in attempting to defeat the course of justice, and a total sum of \$3,286.80 was incurred, of which he was credited with \$1,622.30 and judgment asked for \$1,664.50. This was for services rendered only.
In the trial, the defendant moved for a non-suit because the contract was illegal and should not be allowed. The motion was denied and the denial is held by the supreme court to be error.
The three other opinions handed down this morning are as follows:
National Sales company, appellant, against H. Mancini et al, respondents, appeal from Coos county; Judge Skipworth; action to recover money; reversed and remanded by Judge Moore.
W. L. Provoost, appellant, against Mary J. Cone, respondent, appeal from Tillamook county; Judge Bagley; appeal from decree dismissing a suit to recover an alleged delinquent tax certificate; affirmed by Judge Moore.
Henry Roth, et al, appellants, against Troutdale Land company, et al, respondents; appeal from Multnomah county; Judge Gantenben; suit to foreclose a second mortgage to secure three notes valued at \$24,928; affirmed by Judge Bean.

Commercial Club Buys Fiber Flax Seed From State for Local Use
The great scarcity of flax on account of the European war and the fact that a few localities in the country are adapted to the raising of flax, has focused the attention of linen and flax men throughout the country on the Willamette valley. Since it has been demonstrated that this valley can raise flax equal to the best of Belgium and Ireland, the Commercial club has received numerous inquiries from the east and several firms have sent representatives to make personal investigation.
Since all the men who propose to erect a linen mill ask it that sufficient acreage be planted, estimated from 4,000 to 6,000 acres, to justify the erection of a mill, the board of directors of the Commercial club at a meeting held last evening decided to buy from the state 2,000 bushels of flax seed at the present linseed oil quotation, \$2.40 a bushel, or 33 cents cheaper than the board of control would sell to any outside parties. This concession is made in order to keep the seed for the development of the industry in the valley. The Commercial club will sell the seed to any firm desiring to build here, thus guaranteeing them at least 2,000 bushels to deliver to the farmers in the vicinity.
As a committee to inspect the seed, the directors of the club appointed Theodore Roth, Charles H. Archer and Harley O. White.

Court House News
Appealing from the decision of the circuit court, which decided in favor of the plaintiff in the recent case of Katie Vogt vs. Marshall-Wells Hardware Co., the defendants filed notice of appeal in the county clerk's office this morning.
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JUDGE McCAMANT SPEAKS ON LINCOLN

Six o'clock Club Meeting Last Evening Was Occasion For Address

Associate Justice Wallace McCamant of the supreme court delivered an address last evening before the Six o'clock club of the Methodist church before the largest number that has ever attended any meeting of the club. The address was in commemoration of Lincoln's birthday. He was introduced by Judge Daniel Webster who briefly told of his experiences in Arkansas when it was rather dangerous to laud the memory of Lincoln.
In sketching the political life of Lincoln, Judge McCamant told of the 45 years of preparation and of the eleven years of active service. Lincoln was never a money maker, he said, and when he retired from congress in 1849 he believed his political career was ended. But when in 1854 congress repealed the Missouri compromise and in 1858 the Dred Scott decision was given out by the supreme court, Lincoln was called again into public life to support the cause of those opposed to the extension of slavery.
Judge McCamant told of the strong anti-slavery sentiment in New England how New York was following New England's lead, the situation in Pennsylvania, and how the politicians of that day felt the need of a strong western candidate. Lincoln had become well known in the east through his debates with Stephen A. Douglas, and when Seward of New York was named to be unavailable on account of a stand he had taken about dividing the state school fund with the church, the Chicago convention nominated Lincoln.
While several of the leading men of New England and New York favored some sort of a compromise when the southern states were seceding, the speaker told of Lincoln's firm stand against the spread of slavery and in support of the Chicago platform, where Lincoln said that any compromise would be a step backward in human rights. While many of the leading men in the east as well as in the south were anxious to compromise with the secession states, it was through Lincoln's influence and firm stand that the north was rallied to a firm opposition to the doctrine of state's rights and the spread of slavery.
"The name which Americans will ever write first in that epoch-making age," said Judge McCamant, "is that of Abraham Lincoln."

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For many years physicians have agreed that the vast majority of human ills were caused by accumulated waste in the lower intestine; that in our present way of living nature could not remove all this waste without assistance, no matter how regular we might be; and that the poison from this waste circulated through the blood pulled us away down below par and was responsible for many diseases of a serious nature.
During this time the "J. B. L. Cascade" for internal bathing has, because of their recommendation and those of its users, been steadily growing in favor.
Recently, however, the startling news which has been covering this country that great surgeons and specialists have been operating on the lower intestine for the most chronic and serious diseases has caused Americans to become thoroughly awake to the importance of keeping this lower intestine free from all poisonous waste matter, and over 500,000 are now using internal baths.
If you try the "J. B. L. Cascade," you will find yourself always bright, confident and capable—the poisonous waste matter in your system is removed. Internal baths are dull and nervous. Internal baths are a natural cure for constipation—just warm water properly applied. Force drugs nature—the "J. B. L. Cascade" gently assists her.
Call and see it at Daniel J. Fry's Drug Store in Salem, Oregon, or ask them for "Why Man of Today" is only 50 per cent Efficient," a booklet of great interest, which is given free on request.—Adv.

Britain Mar Land Soldiers In Mexico to Protect Interests
Washington, Feb. 13.—Great Britain is considering landing soldiers to protect her oil interests at Tampico, according to strong intimations in diplomatic circles this afternoon.
This is understood to be the direct result of General Carranza's note yesterday which suggested the cutting off of supplies to the allies, and it is aimed at preventing any possible interference with the British navy's fuel supply.
Landing of soldiers merely as a guard would not constitute a violation of supplies to the allies, and it is understood an expression sought to obtain territory.
Carranza's note showing signs of German influence is giving officials greater concern than they manifest on the surface.



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CITY NEWS

The annual board meeting of the Y. W. C. A. will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. rooms. Reports by the chairmen of various committees will be read. All members are invited to attend.
"Just a few lines. Be a good girl." But the good girl never received that postal as the person who was so interested in her welfare forgot to write any address on the postal card and it is now posted in the bulletin of the un-called at the postoffice.
The Deacons Hospital today reports 19 patients with many coming from a distance. This is about the full capacity of the hospital and F. B. Wedel, who is at the head of the institution, hopes to make arrangements whereby the hospital can be enlarged in order to care for its increasing business.
According to instructions from the grand lodge of Oregon to the effect that each Masonic lodge in the state should dedicate a flag for its lodge room, Salem lodge, No. 4, A. F. & A. M., last night held dedicatory exercises in the Masonic temple. The address of presentation and dedication was delivered by William Wallace Youngson, of Portland, grand master of the grand lodge of the United States. During the ceremonies, the lodge was presided over by Loï L. Pierce, past grand master of the state of Oregon and past master of Pacific lodge, No. 50. An address on "The Flag," was delivered by Justice Lawrence T. Harris. Other speakers were Justice Wallace Mc-

Camant, Frank J. Miller and W. J. Kerr, president of the Oregon Agricultural college. Five of the supreme judges were present: Thomas A. McBride, Henry J. Bean, Wallace McCamant, George H. Burnett and Lawrence T. Harris. Among the past grand masters present were H. B. Thibsen, Frank J. Miller and J. C. Moreland.
With the Ladies' club concert billed for tonight, the members are assured a capacity house. Advance sale of tickets has progressed very well. That the patrons may not be disappointed the club has been rehearsing daily for some time. Most of the numbers are difficult but even practices prove their entertainment in quality.
E. Cooke Patton, chairman of entertainment committee of the Elk lodge promises an entertainment Thursday evening somewhat different from the last. This time there will be about 20 young children to sing pretty songs and execute their little dances. The children come under the name of "The 20 Kids' Jolly Entertainers." They are from Washington, not so very far from home and are making a vaudeville circuit tour.
The Business Men's League of the Commercial club will meet this evening and discuss several matters that have been under consideration this winter. Among other interesting reports there will be one from the warehouse committee and from the legislative committee which will report concerning the trading stamp bill. Then the bridge question will come up for a discussion. The chances are there will be enough important matters under discussion to make it a lively meeting.

The cafeteria system in the high schools and the three junior high schools seems to have filled one of those long felt wants as the reports of Superintendent Todd at the board of directors' meeting last evening showed that the Grant and Lincoln cafeteria were making expenses and that the Washington school was little ahead for the semester. The high school cafeteria has been a success from the first day it was opened for business. The Grant and Lincoln schools serve from 40 to 50 meals each day.
After carefully considering all sides of the question, the student body of the high school decided that the one day period was about the right thing. This would bring the day's work from 8:45 a. m. until 2:15 p. m., with about 20 minutes for lunch. The plan was presented to the board of directors last evening. As things are running along pretty smoothly with the present system which allows an hour for the noon lunch and as a change would interfere with the workings of the school, the board decided not to make any change in the present system.

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Allen's Foot-Ease, the antibiotic powder to be shaken into the shoes and sprinkled in the foot-bath. It relieves painful, swollen, smarting feet and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Use it when you put on rubbers or heavy stockings. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain relief for sweating, chafing, tired, aching feet. Sold by Druggists everywhere, 25c. Always use it to Break in new shoes. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Utting, Le Roy, N. Y.

Five sacks of potatoes gave mute evidence to their theft by Ray Shantz, and others who have not been apprehended, a few nights ago. They were discovered Tuesday by their former owner, Mrs. Augusta Kantelberg, of North 12th street, at the Highland Grocery, where the boys sold them, representing them as their own property. Chief Cooper stated that the Shantz acknowledged the theft, stating that it was the first time he had ever been in trouble. Mrs. Kantelberg reported that six sacks of potatoes were missing, although only five were found.



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