

SENSATION IN SCHOOL BOARD.

Clerk J. B. Moreton is Suddenly
Displaced by Election of
L. P. Judd.

O. W. MOYLE MADE PRESIDENT.

New Treasurer Also Chosen and Con-
siderable Caustic Talk is Indulged
In—What Happened.

There was a shaking up in the board of education last night. It resulted in the ousting of Clerk J. B. Moreton, after 13 years of service, and the election of L. P. Judd, a salesman for the New York and Utah Paper company and a brother-in-law of Prof. Byron Cummings, as his successor.

The action was sudden and unexpected by the general public. The minority, consisting of Members Geoghegan, Cheesman, Nelden and Henderson, fought the new appointee with vigor and stood by Clerk Moreton. The remaining six votes were all cast for Judd.

MOYLE FOR PRESIDENT.

O. W. Moyle was chosen president, H. P. Henderson, vice president, and S. A. Whitney (McCormick's bank) treasurer. There was a lively race for the latter office. Joseph Nelson, representing the Utah National bank, was a candidate against the McCormick man. His insinuation offered to furnish the board any sum up to \$100,000 without interest, while Mr. McCormick placed no limit on the amount that might be borrowed from him. After considerable argument, Mr. Whitney was elected by a vote of six to four. He will qualify with bonds of \$500,000. The election of Moyle and Henderson was by unanimous action.

JUDD SUCCEEDS MORETON.

When it came to the clerk, President Moyle passed over to the clerk a communication which he read as follows:

"Should you contemplate making a change in the clerk of the board in the near future, I should be pleased to have you consider me an applicant for the place. Should you see fit to give me the appointment, my great ambition would be to assist you all I possibly could in every movement tending to the up-building of our school system.

"Thanking you in advance for your kind consideration, I am, very respectfully,
"L. P. JUDD."

After hearing this formal application, the name of Mr. Judd was placed before the board by Mr. Glaueque, who said that while he had known his candidate only a short time he was impressed with the man's personality and believed he would fill the office of clerk with credit.

Mr. Nelden took the floor to nominate Mr. Moreton. He spoke at length on what he considered the dangerous action of placing an untitled man, known to only one member of the board, in the office. He eulogized Mr. Moreton for his record and declared that his brief contact with Judd had convinced him that he did not possess the qualifications necessary for the office.

TROUBLE ENSUES.
Judge Henderson seconded Moreton's nomination, and Mr. Geoghegan, who had been waiting anxiously, then rose.

D. H. BARKER,

SHERIFF OF CHATTANOOGA,
GA. TENN.

Another Prominent Man, Finds in
Vinol the Only Cure for Stomach
Troubles.

Hon. D. H. Barker, Deputy Sheriff of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes:
"As I have suffered for years with dyspepsia and stomach troubles, and Vinol has driven that dreaded disease from my system, I am only too pleased to state my experience for the benefit of others. My system became so enfeebled by indigestion that I was unable to work half the time. Many remedies were given a trial, but Vinol was the only medicine that benefited, and finally cured me completely. I am so grateful to be rid of this trouble that I trust this testimonial will come to the eyes of other sufferers who may be benefited as I have been by Vinol."

What Vinol did for Mr. Barker, our friends, Druehl & Franken and Smith Drug Co., of this city, guarantee it will do for every person in Salt Lake City suffering from a tired, overtaxed, or worn out stomach which cannot properly digest food.



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He said he would not mince matters; that any man "who will prostitute his position as a member of the board to get a relative into a position—"

LANGUAGE OBJECTED TO.

Mr. Glaueque objected to the strong language, as did Mr. Cummings, who declared hotly that Judd was not there as a brother-in-law of the member, but because he was fitted for the position for which he had applied.

NOT THE SAME JUDD.

Quiet had been restored when Judge Henderson said, in speaking for Mr. Moreton, that he had been unable to find out anything about Judd, except from Mr. Cummings, but he had heard that the candidate used to run a cigar store.

A TRIED MAN.

Mr. Cummings explained that Judd came here three years ago from Nebraska and that it was his brother who had the cigar store. Mr. Nelden wanted to know why it was known as "Judd Bros." Continuing, Mr. Cummings said that Judd had served two terms as treasurer of Boone county, Neb., and had also been a member of the legislature of that state.

MR. NELDEN'S ACCUSATION.

Before the discussion closed, there was more lively talk. Mr. Nelden accused the majority members of holding a secret caucus and agreeing upon Judd for the office.

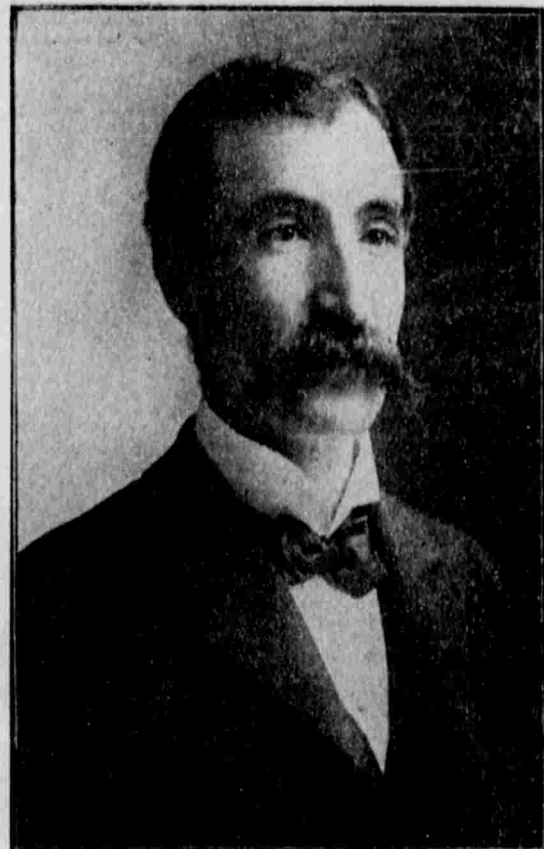
The ballots were then prepared with the result stated.

SALARY CUT DOWN.

The salary question provoked another animated discussion. Geoghegan suggested \$1,000 per year. Nelden was for \$1,200, Glaueque fought for \$1,500 and finally a compromise was effected by fixing the salary at \$1,500, on motion of Branting.

There was a motion that the president be authorized to retain Mr. Moreton until his successor becomes familiar with the work, but Mr. Nelden was on his feet quickly, saying that after the treatment accorded the clerk, he would see to it himself that he got a better position at once. Mr. Moreton then spoke briefly, saying he wanted merely a receipt for the books and he would be ready to step out as soon as Mr. Judd qualified.

The board decided to meet next Friday night to pass upon Mr. Judd's bond (\$5,000) and the new clerk will take charge Saturday noon.



O. W. MOYLE.

The New President of the Board of Education.



L. P. JUDD.

New Clerk of the Board of Education.

A SAD OCCASION.

Mrs. Alexander and Her Two Children
Laid to Rest This Afternoon.

(Special to the "News.")

Springville, Utah, Jan. 6.—The funeral of Mrs. Lulu P. Boyer Alexander and her two children took place from the Springville meetinghouse this afternoon, the house being crowded to its capacity.

Inspiring music was furnished by the Springville choir and a select quartet, the selections rendered being, "Sister, Thou Wast Mild and Lovely," "I Need Thee Every Hour," "Lead Kindly Light," and "Like As A Father." The Springville band led the procession to the meetinghouse and played on route an appropriate funeral dirge, and the obsequies were touchingly sympathetic from start to finish.

The speakers were all old friends of the deceased and included Elders James E. Hall, F. C. Boyer, L. John Nuttall and M. E. Crandall, Jr., each of whom referred to the terrible calamity which robbed Dr. Alexander and many others of their loved ones, and to the high character of the departed wife and mother who, with her beloved children, were made victims of the disaster. All expressed sympathy for the stricken husband and invoked the blessings of God upon him in his great affliction.

The caskets were burdened with beautiful flowers and the interment was in the Springville cemetery, a large concourse of friends and relatives accompanying the remains to their last resting place.

KNOWS NOW.

Doctor Was Fooled by His Own Case
For a Time.

It's easy to understand how ordinary people get fooled by coffee when doctors themselves sometimes forget the facts.

A physician speaks of his own experience:

"I had used coffee for years and really did not exactly believe it was injuring me although I had palpitation of the heart every day.
"Finally one day a severe and almost fatal attack of heart trouble frightened me and I gave up both tea and coffee, using Postum instead and since that time I have had absolutely no heart palpitation except on one or two occasions when I tried a small quantity of coffee which caused severe irritation and proved to me I must let it alone.

"When we began using Postum it seemed weak—that was because we did not make it according to directions—but now we put a little bit of butter in the pot when boiling and allow the Postum to boil full 15 minutes which gives it the proper rich flavor and the deep brown color.

"I have advised a great many of my friends and patients to leave off coffee and drink Postum. In fact I daily give this advice." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.
Many thousands of physicians use Postum in place of tea and coffee in their own homes and prescribe it to patients. "There's a reason."
A remarkable little book, "The Road to Wellville," can be found in each package.

GETTING READY FOR ACTIVE WORK.

San Pedro to Rush Construction
To a Finish When the Snow
Ceases to Fall.

SEVENTEEN ENGINES ORDERED.

Material Being Stacked Up Against
Time When 4,000 Men Will be
Put to Work.

The Salt Lake Route is getting ready for a great campaign of construction as soon as the snow ceases to fly. In this connection material is being stacked up at every available point and 17 locomotives will arrive in Utah within the next two months for the pushing of the work and the transportation of material generally. It is anticipated that within a few weeks the contract for the closing up of the gap in Nevada will be let, and that there will be 4,000 men put to work on grading generally.

At present at both ends of the line the work now being done is possibly the biggest undertaking along the entire main line. After this is cleaned up progress will be rapid.
One of the biggest undertakings is a big cut in the Meadow valley wash which is now being dug by the Utah Construction company which has the contract for grading the first 75 miles out of Caliente. L. R. Wattis of this company was in the city yesterday having come up from Caliente for the purpose of purchasing a pumping outfit for construction work. At the point where the gang is now working water is from two to four miles distant, so the company considered that it would be cheaper to pump it than haul it.

OFFICIALS ARRESTED.

E. A. Martel Appointed Comptroller of
Macon and Birmingham Road.

Macon, Ga., Jan. 6.—General Manager J. R. Lane of the Macon and Birmingham railroad, has issued a circular announcing that E. A. Martel of Boston has been appointed comptroller of the road and that the former offices of auditor and cashier held by E. R. Henderson have been abolished. Both Lane and Henderson have been arrested on the charge of participating in the embezzlement of \$40,000 but both have given bond. They have demanded indictments by the grand jury and their cases will be heard next week.

EXPANSION OF RATES.

Western Roads Making Arrangements
On Tariff Beyond Chicago.

San Francisco, Jan. 6.—It was announced at the Southern Pacific company's offices today that the western roads, which have agreed upon the advance of west and east bound freight rates, effective on Jan. 18, are now arranging for an expansion of the rates to points beyond Chicago.
According to this announcement is another to the effect that the advanced rate in the new schedule is to be withdrawn on certain commodities, a list of which is now being prepared.

Missouri Pacific Feeder.

Muskogee, I. T., Jan. 6.—The track and the terminal building of the Muskogee Union railroad, a link between Muskogee and Corveta, crossing the Arkansas and Verdigris rivers, have been completed to this city. The road will be ready for operation as soon as the two bridges can be completed. They are under contract to be finished by April 1. This is a Missouri Pacific line and will give Muskogee another connection with Kansas City and St. Louis.

No Party Rates for Soldiers.

Chicago, Jan. 6.—A ruling in the negative as to whether regular soldiers of the United States traveling in parties of 10 or more are entitled to the "party rates" given by railroad companies to theatrical troupes and other such organizations was affirmed in an opinion announced by the United States court of appeals today. Counsel for the government contended that the railway companies in refusing to grant party rates to United States soldiers was unjustly discriminating and violating the interstate commerce law. The opinion states in substance that the denial of the party rates does not amount to a violation inasmuch as the government in the transportation of soldiers does not in any way come in competition of any kind with any of the parties who are given the party rates.

Was Not Due to Friction.

President Horace G. Burt is quoted in Omaha as saying: "My resignation as president of the Union Pacific railroad was entirely of my own volition and for purely personal reasons. The statements that have gone out through the press to the effect that I resigned because of friction between E. H. Harriman, chairman of the board of directors of the Union Pacific, and myself is absolutely untrue and without any foundation whatever."

STRIKE ALL OVER.

Vice President Kramer's Reply to Question Concerning Situation.

Vice President Kramer and General Manager Williams are at Castle Gate looking into the strike situation. It was rumored that Attorneys S. A. King and A. S. Fowler were to have had a conference with the coal company officials, but they left Castle Gate last night for Salt Lake without anything of the kind taking place. Vice President Kramer's reply to an inquiry as to whether negotiations with the strikers for a settlement were in progress was to the effect that the strike had been settled weeks ago.
The coke ovens at Castle Gate have not yet been fired and for the present the output from Sunnyside is enough to take of the Utah smelters.
There is practically no chance in the situation. Quite a large number of the strikers are said to be preparing to leave the state and seek work elsewhere as the United Mine Workers union has withdrawn support for the single men.

NEEDED REINFORCEMENT.

He was crying when his aunt stopped him in the hall.
"Hush, Willie," she said, "you mustn't make any noise."
"What—what's the ma-matter?" he asked between his sobs.
"You'll disturb your new brother," said his aunt soothingly. He dried his eyes in a minute.
"Have I got a new brother?" he asked. His aunt nodded. "One besides Jim?" She nodded again.
"Oh, golly," he exclaimed.
"You're glad or lit?" she asked.
"You bet!" Willie fairly shouted. "I'm glad and Jim and the new one can't look that feller next door we'd better move."
—Chicago Journal.

THE OLDEST MAN IN AMERICA

Tells How He Escaped the Terrors of Many Winters
by Using Pe-ru-na.

Mr. Brock's
Age is 115
Years.



MR. ISAAC BROCK, BORN IN BUNCOMBE CO., N. C., MARCH 1, 1728.

His age is 115 years, vouched for by authentic record. He says: "I attribute my extreme old age to the use of Peru-na."

Born before the United States was formed
Saw 22 Presidents elected.
Pe-ru-na has protected him from all sudden changes.
Veteran of four wars.
Shed a horse when 99 years old.
Always conquered the grip with Peru-na.
Witness in a land suit at the age of 110 years.
Believes Peru-na the greatest remedy of the age for catarrhal diseases.

ISAAC BROCK, a citizen of McLennan county, Texas, has lived for 115 years. For many years he resided at Bosque Falls, eighteen miles west of Waco, but now lives with his son-in-law at Valley Mills, Texas.

A short time ago, by request, Uncle Isaac came to Waco and sat for his picture. In his hand he held a stick cut

from the grave of General Andrew Jackson, which has been carried by him ever since. Mr. Brock is a dignified old gentleman, showing few signs of decrepitude. His family Bible is still preserved, and it shows that the date of his birth was written 115 years ago.
Surely a few words from this remarkable old gentleman, who has had 115 years of experience to draw from, would be interesting as well as profitable. A lengthy biographical sketch is given of this remarkable old man in the Waco Times-Herald, December 4, 1903. A still more pretentious biography of this, the oldest living man, illustrated with a double column portrait, was given the readers of the Dallas Morning News, dated December 11, 1903, and also the Chicago-Times Herald of same date. This centenarian is an ardent friend of Peru-na, having used it many years.

In speaking of his good health and extreme old age, Mr. Brock says:

"After a man has lived in the world as long as I have, he ought to have found out a great many things by experience. I think I have done so.

"One of the things I have found out to my entire satisfaction is the proper thing for ailments that are due directly to the effects of the climate. For 115 years I have withstood the changeable climate of the United States.

"I have always been a very healthy man, but of course subject to the little ailments which are due to sudden changes in the climate and temperature. During my long life I have known a great many remedies for coughs, colds and diarrhoea.

"As for Dr. Hartman's remedy Peru-na, I have found it to be the best, if not the only, reliable remedy for these ailments. It has been my standby for many years, and I attribute my good health and extreme old age to this remedy.

"It exactly meets all my requirements. It protects me from the evil effects of sudden changes; it keeps me in good appetite; it gives me strength; it keeps my blood in good circulation. I have come to rely upon it almost entirely for the many little things for which I need medicine.

"When epidemics of la grippe first began to make their appearance in this country I was a sufferer from this disease.

"I had several long sieges with the grip. At first I did not know that Peru-na was a remedy for this disease. When I heard that la grippe was epidemic catarrh, I tried Peru-na for la grippe and found it to be just the thing."

In a later letter dated January 31, 1903, Mr. Brock writes:

"I am well and feeling as well as I have for years. The only thing that bothers me is my sight. If I could see better I could walk all over the farm and it would do me good. I would not be without Peru-na."

Yours truly,

Isaac Brock.

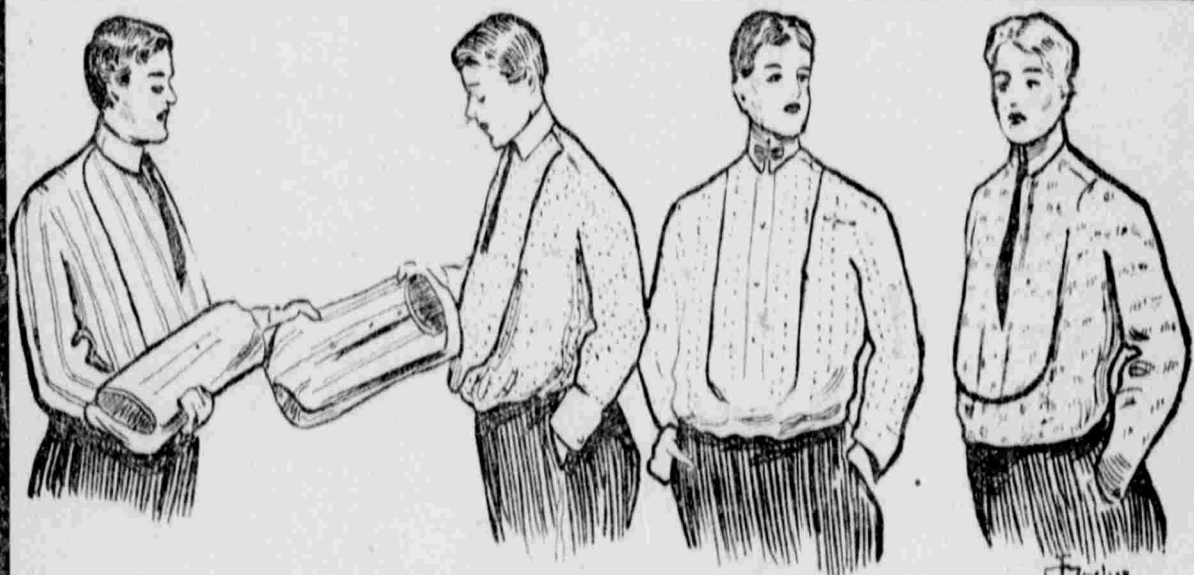
For a free book on catarrh, address The Peru-na Medicine Co., Columbus, O. If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

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