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PIONEER OF 1846

Enoch Wimberly Passes Away at an Advanced Age

VETERAN OF INDIAN WARS

Honored Pioneer Who Saw Oregon Transformed From Virgin Wilderness to Great State

ENOCH WIMBERLY.
April 16, 1820—Aug. 7, 1908.
Born in Warren county Missouri.
Died in Roseburg, Oregon.
Crossed the plains in 1846.
Served in Cayuse Indian War.
Walla Walla, Wash., 1848.
Mined in California in 1849.
Settled in Douglas county in 1854.
Served in Southern Oregon Indian war, 1856.
Married Miss Nancy A. Marks, in Douglas county, 1857.
Age at death, 78 years, 3 months and 22 days.

Sixty-two years of pioneer life was ended this morning when Enoch Wimberly passed peacefully to final rest in the great beyond. At 7:05 a. m. the spirit took flight from the weary body, just as the busy world about him was renewing its activities in the beautiful sunlight of a summer day. His entire family was at his bedside, but so gentle was the final summons that he seemed like sinking into the calmest sleep.

Two years later, enlisted as a U. S. volunteer in a campaign against the Cayuse Indians, who were then on the warpath in the Walla Walla valley. Returning in October, 1848, he remained near Salem until the spring of 1849, when, with a party of like adventurous spirits he went overland, to California, being lured by the gold mining fever that was then raging almost world-wide. Sickening a few months later in the intense summer heat of California, he returned home by sea from San Francisco in the fall of that year. That return voyage was one of the many thrilling instances of those adventurous days. Embarking in an ancient and unseaworthy brig, they were tossed higher and thither on the open seas for a period of 51 days before finally making a landing at the mouth of the Columbia river.

Coming to Douglas county in 1854, Mr. Wimberly located on a government land claim near Glade. Early in the year 1856 he again enlisted as a U. S. volunteer in the wars with the Indians of Southern Oregon, in progress at that time. On September 2, 1857, he married Miss Nancy A. Marks, who had come to Oregon, from Illinois, with her mother four years previous, and who now survives him, she being at this time past 70 years of age. Their golden wedding anniversary last September was rendered less enjoyable by Mr. Wimberly's illness, he then having been in failing health for nearly two years.

For the past 20 years the family has resided in this city, his son, L. Wimberly, being editor and proprietor of the Roseburg Review. The other surviving members of his family are: Ira Wimberly, of Drain; Mrs. C. L. Cleveland, of Grants Pass; Elmer E. and Miss Elyn Wimberly, of this city. Six grand-children also survive him.

Of the strictest integrity of principle, he ever endeavored to fashion his walk of daily life upon the imperishable precepts of the Golden Rule. Of kind and generous disposition, nothing gave him greater pleasure than to bestow some useful thing for the aid or comfort of a neighbor, or wayfarer along life's pathway. His family and friends were the continued objects of his loving care, and his greatest regret at the approach of final dissolution, his mind retaining a remarkable clearness and activity to the end, was parting from his beloved wife, who had been his constant companion for over 50 years.

GOVT. SUSPICIOUS

Contests Coal Entries on Land Heavily Timbered

FIFTEEN CASES IN ALL

Eight Claimants in Coos, Where Land Is Located—Seven From South Bend, Wash

Through the United States land office in Roseburg, contests have been instituted by the federal government against fifteen persons who filed entry on lands in what is known as the Edon Ridge Coal Field, in township 32-1 north of the Coquille River, in Coos county. All of the fifteen entries were made under the coal land act—that is, the lands were taken up as coal claims. It is the suspicion of the government, however, that the claims are wanted primarily for the magnificent timber they contain, and not for what coal they might possess. The lands are embraced in a forest reserve, but, under the law, if they are proven to be chiefly valuable for their coal they will at once pass from the reserve into the hands of the applicants, timber and all.

Of the fifteen persons filing the coal entries, eight reside in Coos county. They are Clara and Augusta Anderson, of Coquille; Cecil and Alva Carter and S. D. Palford, of Myrtle Point, and James H. Flanagan and Herbert and Louise C. Lockhart, of Marshfield. The remaining seven applicants hail from South Bend, Wash., headed by Arthur Hammond, an official of the International Bank of that city. His associates are O. D. and S. M. Reeves, and K. Daniel, Ell and Joseph Pearson.

The cases of the two Andersons were heard in the Roseburg land office last week, but a decision will not be rendered for several days yet. It is reported that the Andersons divorced as husband and wife, continue to occupy a homestead together, the sole object of their legal separation, it is alleged, being to enable the woman to extend her land entry rights.

Depositions in the cases of the other six Coos county people are being taken at Marshfield this week preparatory to their hearings, which will open in the land office in this city next Monday. At the conclusion of these hearings, the land office will take up the cases of the South Bend entries.

In the hearing of these contests the government will use two expert witnesses, Prof. J. S. Diller, of the U. S. Geological Survey, and Prof. Day, of the University of Iowa, both of whom will testify as to the quantity and value of the coal contained in the claims involved.

Cured Hay Fever and Summer Cold.
A. J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: "Last year I suffered for three months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever and a doctor's prescription did not reach my case, and I took several medicines which seemed to only aggravate my case. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey and Tar and it quickly cured me. My wife has since used it with the same success." Red Cross Pharmacy.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE OF MUNICIPAL BONDS

The undersigned Recorder of the City of Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon, will receive at his office in the City of Roseburg up to 8 o'clock P. M., of Friday, August 21, 1908, sealed proposals for the purchase of Street Improvement Bonds of the City of Roseburg, in the sum of \$25,000.00 or any part thereof. Said bonds are in denominations of \$500.00 each, payable semi-annually, and are due twenty years from date of issuance. Full information as to this issue may be obtained upon application to the undersigned. Principal and interest payable in Roseburg, Portland San Francisco or New York, as the purchaser may elect.

All bids must be sealed and delivered to the undersigned not later than the hour aforementioned, at which time the Council will proceed to open said bids. Bids should be addressed "Proposal to Purchase Roseburg Street Improvement Bonds." The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated this 4th day of August, 1908.
A. N. ORCUTT,
Recorder of the City of Roseburg, Oregon.

LIFE INSURANCE FIGURES.

Biggest Policy, \$4,000,000, Carried by Philadelphia Man.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—There are seven men in the United States who carry \$1,000,000 and more insurance on their lives, two who carry \$1,500,000 and one who carries \$4,000,000. The latter is Rodman Wanamaker, of Philadelphia, who is the most heavily insured man in the world.

James B. Colgate, a stock broker, carries more insurance than any other resident of New York, his policies amounting to \$1,500,000.

The millionaires and multi-millionaires of Philadelphia, in proportion to their number, so in for life insurance heavier than those of any other city. Statistics gathered by the insurance press show that 184 residents of Philadelphia are insured for \$33,000,000, while New York with four times as many millionaires has 491 residents insured for \$57,000,000. Chicago has 185 millionaires insured for \$24,000,000.

There are 5159 men in the United States insured for \$50,000 or more, the total of their policies aggregating \$549,567,000.

CARNIVAL CO. A BIG SUCCESS.

The American Amusement Co., which will exhibit here next week, has this season been out 4 months and has been very successful in California and Oregon. The company travels on its merits. The five day shows are all good and are sure to well worth the price of admission. No matter what business the company does, the agent and manager, Ben Ferguson, contracts for over \$150 worth of debts in the city of Roseburg.

The company of 40 people all eat and sleep out, as no cook tops or sleeping accommodations are on the ground. It costs the company about \$100 a day for the necessities of life, so the town people benefit that much whether they take in a dollar or not. The free act of Eli Mangels, which takes place every night, is a rare-thing, thrilling event and free for all to see.

The Electric Theatre changes its features every night and is featuring the grand film of the "Black Pines." The price of admission is 10 cents. The company will be here all of next week and have permission to use the grounds belonging to the Catholic church.

See the shows, have a good time and join the merry crowd.

She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." Those painless purifiers sold at A. C. Marsters & Co's. drug store, 25c.

NOVEL CAMPAIGN IDEA.

RICHMOND, Ind., Aug. 7.—Sixty-three men, in brilliant uniforms, trained to march in four irregular divisions which spell, so that all may read the name T-A-F-T, is the idea of Captain Comstock, of this city. This novel marching organization will play a prominent part in the Taft demonstrations in Indiana during the campaign and is expected to attract most attention. As there are no curved letters in the candidate's name, the formation is comparatively easy.

"Get the Habit." The Crescent Theatre, 5c.

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FIRE GETS CLOSE

Hard Battle to Save Big Trees of Calaveras Grove

PEOPLE FLEE IN A PANIC

Roosevelt Saves Negro Votes For Taft—Another Example of John D's. Generosity

Special to the Evening Review.

SONORA, Calif., Aug. 7.—A terrible fire which has been raging for several days in the Stanislaus forest, now threatens the great trees of the Calaveras Grove. Hundreds of men are fighting the flames, which are approaching the hotels and surrounding cottages in the grove. Families are fleeing panic stricken. The trees in the grove are the largest in the world.

Taft Rescued by Teddy.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7.—Lieut. Gen. Henry Corbin, retired, today made public an unpublished dispatch from President Roosevelt, ordering the dismissal of the negro troops involved in the riot at Brownsville, Texas. This assumption of sole responsibility by the president is evidently for the purpose of saving Taft from criticism and antagonism by the negroes, who blamed Taft, while he was secretary of war, for the issuance of the order of dismissal.

John D. Gives Away \$1.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 7.—A new story of John D. Rockefeller's generosity was related today by William Krause, a poor man, in debt, living on a farm which was the old marauder's boyhood home. Rockefeller stopped at the place the other day and upon learning that the family was in distress financially pulled from his pocket a roll of bills large enough to shake a cow. Then carefully selected from the roll a \$1.00 bill, which he handed it to Krause, at the same time saying: "Please accept this from me to help pay off your debt."

Children Burn; Mother Crazy.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 7.—Upon returning to find her home in ashes and her three children burned to death, Mrs. J. Lindberg went insane today.

China Complains.

PEKIN, Aug. 7.—The Viceroy of the province of Chih has notified the home government that he possesses positive evidence that the revolutionists in southern China are receiving arms and ammunition from the Philippines. The government has been asked to refer the matter to Washington. A communication says that the Japanese in the Philippines are aiding the Chinese rebels.

Body Nearly Complete.

CHICAGO, Aug. 7.—The arms and right foot of Tiffa Shishien, the Syrian boy, who was murdered and his dismembered body cast into the drainage canal, were found today in a clay hole one-half mile from where the head was found and one mile from where the torso was found.

The police have arrested John Hanson on suspicion of his being the murderer of the boy. In Hanson's room the police found a blood-stained garment and several blood-stained saws and an ax. The body gave every indication of having been dismembered with such instruments.

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AFTER CANNON'S SCALP.

Labor Unions, However, Undertake Gigantic Task.

DANVILLE, Ill., Aug. 7.—Without blare of trumpets or roll of drum but by gunshoe methods, the labor forces of the country are preparing silently and stealthily to center their political battle in this congressional district. For weeks the political lieutenants of President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, have infested this district, making inquiries, conducting investigations, and analyzing the political atmosphere. As a result, it is declared that the signs are propitious and that another warfare will be waged, with the object of relegating "Uncle Joe" Cannon to private life.

The labor union politicians are not particular as to Cannon's successor. They would prefer a candidate favorable to unionism, but would willingly accept a foe of labor. If thereby Speaker Cannon could be made a permanent resident of Danville. In the eyes of Gompers, the Danville statesman is the biggest barnacle on the ship of state, and the command has gone forth that he must be removed at all cost.

There is a big labor vote in this district, and the union men declare that the outlook for the defeat of Cannon is more favorable than it ever was before. Republican political leaders, however, scoff at the idea that Cannon can possibly be defeated, and assert that Uncle Joe is safe in his berth as long as he will accept it, and that nothing short of death or voluntary retirement can remove him from the political arena.

LINEMEN ELECTROCUTED.

SALEM, Or., Aug. 6.—George A. Goss, aged 38, was instantly killed this afternoon by grasping a live wire carrying 2200 volts.

Goss was employed by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company and was engaged in rebuilding the company's overhead system on State street. He was out a pole when he grasped the wire which it is claimed was an old wire with the insulation worn off, and hung there until tumbled to the ground with ropes.

Goss leaves a wife and baby.

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