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ROSEBURG, OREGON, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1924.

AN EXPRESSION OF GOODFELLOWSHIP.

Yesterday afternoon a dozen friends of Hon. Binger Hermann called at his home to pay tribute to an event of more than ordinary importance occurring in the life of this distinguished and much honored citizen. Mr. Hermann was eighty-one years of age on the 19th day of February, 1924. So, his bevy of close friends thought it would be a pleasant way of expressing their respect to call and chat for a few moments during the afternoon period with this cheerful pioneer and present him with a small gift as a token of the high esteem in which he is held by those who know him most intimately. It has been said that "a friend is one who knows you best and loves you still," and this version very aptly applies to Mr. Hermann's friends who called on him yesterday.

And the occasion did prove, not only decidedly pleasing to the visitors, but a revelation in the fact that our fellow townsman having reached over ten years beyond the three score years and ten privileged the life of ordinary man, is a mere youngster in mind and body compared to the average human carrying a like number of years on his shoulders. Bright, cheerful, vigorous and robust, there is not visible a single defect in the pioneer's makeup that would in any way lead to the belief that this grand old man had reached such an advanced age as the records disclose. It is marvelous to listen to reminiscences told by him of pioneer days in Oregon.

Coincident with the visit to the Hermann home the fact was brought out, and commented on at some length by Mr. Hermann, bringing to mind history of sixty years ago, that he had pioneered with the father of every one of the visitors present with the exception of one, who had long been a close neighbor to the Hermann family in Roseburg. His reference to the ancestors of each of the visitors displayed a remarkable memory, and the minutest details of happenings long ago dismissed by the present generation, were a revelation to his listeners. Probably no man in all Oregon is better versed in early historical events of the south-western part of this state than Mr. Hermann and the alertness with which he refers to Oregon's first pioneers and other important happenings shows a wonderful store of knowledge harbored within his fertile brain.

The occasion was a happy one, indeed, and the many expressions of good fellowship made the world seem brighter for all concerned.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hermann are fine examples of the early pioneers locating in Oregon, and have been identified in no small degree with the upbuilding of the state at large.

Shop employees of the Delaware and Hudson railroad at Colonie, New York, claim the record for safety operation, inasmuch as 1035 men worked 200,000 hours in January without a single reportable accident. If American industry could be put on that basis throughout, one of the important costs of production could be cut out. Safety appliances are necessary, but they do not assure safety so long as many men have a tendency toward bravado in meeting risks. Some men dislike to show caution. They seem to think that they prove themselves good sports by taking frequent chances. Some day they take a chance too many, and perhaps are crippled for life and their productive power permanently lessened. They may become a burden on the community, plus whatever sum has been paid to them and added to the cost of merchandise for compensation for their injury. We need more shops competing for safety records.

Now that the house at Washington, D. C., has passed the Garner tax bill, which will, in a great measure, give relief to fellows with an income of more than ordinary proportions, we are wondering what the same body of legislators will do for the boys who staked their lives on the battle front at a dollar a day. If congress can give such relief to the prosperous it certainly cannot refuse a fair deal to our soldier boys.

Among the most excellent attractions now offered Roseburg is a revival meeting at a local church in this city. There's a lot of people left to make their peace with God—even in Roseburg—and a taste of religion would be beneficial to them and lighten their present day burdens.

Some progressive citizen has suggested the following slogan for this city: Roseburg—God's front yard." He's right, so far as the front yard goes. But what will we do about the devil in the back yard?

McAdoo will stay in the race for president. So will Johnson and Calvin Coolidge. The grand finale will be a pretty race.

Political parties, like ponds, must be drained occasionally to get rid of the polliwogs and mosquitoes.

D. A. R. TO PRESENT PUBLIC PROGRAM ON FRIDAY NIGHT

The Daughters of the American Revolution are arranging for a charming colonial party at the Heintze studio on Friday night. This will be a public event and everyone is invited to

be present. The Washington Birthday motif will be used and a delightful musical and literary program has been prepared. The social event promises to be one of the most enjoyable of the season, and it is expected that there will be a good attendance. The D. A. R. ladies are to appear in colonial costumes, which will add to the spirit of the occasion.

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PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—

The American Legion Fellers met last eve And adjourned after A short session as Dan'l Boone Hadn't heard any New ones lately.

DUMBLELL DORA THINKS

Pinochle is a new kind of candy.

The Bible tells us to turn our other cheek when we are struck but gives no instructions in case you are hit on the nose.

Oh, education, what sacrilegious are committed in thy name.

Beneath this stone Lies Amos Strunk, He tried to monkey With a skunk.

A famous New York beauty has disappeared. Perhaps she washed it off.

Clarice says men are like the moon. Shine best at night, and down to their last quarter a good part of the time.

Oh, boy, what a keen, high-toned stylish dresser! Absolutely could not be beat—had a perfect shape and well rounded corners, and graceful lines—superb legs that always attracted attention.

There was one drawback, though. Every morning my collar button invariably rolled underneath it.

It's a lucky thing for the movie star that she would not rather have a tooth pulled than be photographed.

"To be earnest, to be strong, To make light the way with song, Slow to anger, quick to praise, Walking steadfast through the days; Firm of purpose sure of soul, Pressing onward to the goal, Upright, ever, undismayed, Sure, serene and unafraid."

What an ideal brother Rudolph Valentino would make. He has 150 suits.

Horse sense is what causes a fellow to keep his flivver under control.

A woman's idea of a stunning gown is one whose price chocks her husband.

Women have decided to wear "Don't Crush" signs.

Geraniums in a bedroom are not harmful and are excellent for burglars to stumble over at night.

Hot air rises, in campaign years it rises to absurd heights.

Some very pretty girls have very ordinary ankles and prominent shin bones, which goes to show that a pretty face is not all the equipment a girl needs.

WE PROPOSE OUR OWN

It is said only three questions will be asked on the new income tax forms for persons earning less than \$5,000 a year. They should be if they aren't:

1. Which would you rather have, a new overcoat or a soldier bonus?
2. Under deductions for charitable contributions, have you included money spent for mah jongg sets?
3. Can you spare a match?

Experience teaches that there is no such thing as a good dirt road during the rainy season.

News from Paris. Men are supposed to wear knee trousers. Can't do it. Supports would show.

Safe Pickins Egg:

"If this here City Beautiful gang want to shine up the village why don't they make some of the of moss-backs wear collars?"

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 5 p. m.

Precipitation in Ins. and Hundredths Highest temperature yesterday... 56
Lowest temperature last night... 43
Precipitation last 24 hours... 0
Total precip. since first of month 1.21
Total precip. from Sept. 1, 1923 to date... 12.97
Aver. precip. from Sept. 1, 1877 to 1923... 22.09
Total deficiency from Sept. 1, 1923... 9.03
Average precipitation for 46 wet seasons, (September to May, inclusive)... 31.43
Rain tonight and Thursday.
WILLIAM BELLA, Observer.

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DIRECTORS LOCAL CHAMBER MEET

Roseburg Chamber of Commerce Affiliates With United States Chamber of Commerce—Umpqua Chiefs Thanked.

The board of directors of the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce met at the office of the chamber yesterday afternoon, all members being present except Messrs. Hochstadt and Crocker, who were out of the city on business. This was the first meeting since Mr. Holbein has been employed as secretary and much of the session was devoted to getting acquainted with the work to be done by the chamber.

The finance committee reported that the drive for membership was not yet completed, but that a very special effort would be made during the next few days to see all business and professional men who are not already enrolled as members in the desire to reach the amount of the budget set by the directors.

Dr. Seely and Bert Bates were selected as a committee from the chamber to confer with a similar committee from the Umpqua Chiefs relative to the selection of a trade mark to be used on the stationery of the two organizations, the desire of the directors being to secure something that would attract special attention to the Umpqua Valley.

A resolution was unanimously passed thanking the Umpqua Chiefs for taking over the details of the Strawberry Carnival, and offering the services and office facilities of the chamber to the Umpqua Chiefs in putting over the big event.

The board adopted a resolution asking our senators and congressmen to support the appropriation for the Tongue Point naval base at Astoria, Oregon, and the secretary was instructed to send copies of the resolution at once to the senators and congressmen as it is expected that action will be taken in Washington soon on the proposition.

The board unanimously adopted a motion to affiliate with the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America. The local chamber is already a member of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce, and the action taken in regard to the national chamber is in line with the desire of the members of the board to place Roseburg in the front ranks as a truly up-to-date and progressive city. The membership in the national chamber carries with it special services to be rendered the local chamber that are invaluable.

RUB THE SPINE

If you believe the spine is the seat of most of your physical ills and more people are thinking so every day, just give it a gentle massage every night with Joint-Ease and watch the helpful results. Many people are getting it daily from Nathan Fullerton, Roseburg, Oregon, and other good pharmacists.

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IMPROVEMENT IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

Prohibition Director Haynes Says That Enforcement Has Not Been Broken Down—Progress Is Cited

(Associated Press Tensed Wire.) ST. PAUL, Feb. 19.—Public support of the "facts as they are" is necessary to defeat the efforts in certain quarters "to create the impression that prohibition law enforcement has been broken down," Prohibition Director Haynes declared today before a citizen ship conference.

Lack of strong public sentiment in some localities in favor of enforcement, said Mr. Haynes has resulted in almost complete demobilization of citizenship forces until officers, court prosecutors, and juries have but little, if any sense of public support.

Such a condition, he added, is a "cripping shame and where enforcement is least satisfactory this situation is also found."

Commissioner Haynes declared, however, he did not believe the "finds of enforcement are discouraged" but on the other hand, it seems to be the enemies of prohibition very largely that are so concerned "over the failure" as they see it of enforcement, after a three or four year trial.

"It was not expected that enforcement would closely approach 100 per cent success, in three, four, ten or twelve years after the adoption of the law. We expected reasonable progress through persistent, calm, patient, sincere application to that end."

The commissioner pointed to a total of 19,916 cases made by federal agents against violators since last July with \$14,721 convictions and nearly three million dollars in fines as indicating progress in enforcement.

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ROSEBURG GUARDSMEN WIN GAME WITH COTTAGE GROVE

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11. The first half of the game was fast and exciting, with Roseburg well in the lead at all times. The last half, however, was considerably slower but was quite interesting. Both teams played hard, and there was some roughness. The game was refereed by Bill Burr. Tonight the Roseburg team goes to Eugene to play.

HUGHES IS PRAISED

(Associated Press Tensed Wire.) TOKIO, Feb. 20.—A three day chorus of praise for Secretary of State Hughes' attitude regarding the exclusion of Japanese from the United States, expressed by him in a letter to the house immigration committee, has been sung by the Tokio press, which paid glowing tribute to Hughes' "sagacity and fairness" and to the American people's "love of justice and fair play."

A noteworthy change in opinion followed the Hughes' statement, thirty-veiled hostility giving way to extravagant praise in the course of a few days.

CHRISTIAN MAY NOT GET POSITION

(Associated Press Tensed Wire.) WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—The nomination of George B. Christian, Jr., former secretary to President Harding, as a member of the federal trade commission is expected to be withdrawn from the senate by President Coolidge shortly.

Mr. Christian himself had requested it because of opposition that has developed to his confirmation.

Senate opposition to appointment of George B. Christian, secretary to President Harding, as a member of the federal trade commission, led to withdrawal by President Coolidge today of Christian's nomination.

Opposition to him was expressed by several labor leaders and recently the senate interstate commerce commission was told by Huston Thompson, chairman of the trade commission that Mr. Christian called him to the executive offices early in 1923 and inquired as to the reasons for proceedings by the commission against the Famous Players-Lasky moving picture corporation.

Mr. Thompson declared he regarded Mr. Christian's course in regard to the picture corporation as "unusual" and said it appeared that "someone" was using the office of the secretary to prevent action. The committee immediately invited Mr. Christian to appear before it today, but he requested a postponement and last night asked Mr. Coolidge to withdraw his name.

The White House made public a letter to the president from Mr. Christian saying:

"When I informed you that this appointment would be both acceptable and gratifying I believed that it would afford an opportunity for the rendition of real service and the doing of constructive work. Since you sent my name to the senate, Huston Thompson, a member of the federal trade commission, has appeared before the senate interstate commerce committee and informed that body, in substance, that 'May 1921 I made inquiries of him with respect to the committee's proceedings against the Famous Players-Lasky corporation in such a way as to convey the impression that I was endeavoring to interfere with or influence their proceedings.'"

"In view of the facts, Mr. Thompson's impression of our conference has amazed me. I called Mr. Thompson to the executive office in the performance of an official duty solely and for the sole purpose of securing information as to the status of this case. I frankly stated to him that representations had been made that this company was under investigation and that a hearing had been denied them. I further stated that I knew nothing of the methods of procedure of the committee or its rules of practice and asked him for the facts."

"Mr. Thompson was most courteous and painstaking in explaining the committee's procedure to me and that explanation made it perfectly plain that the company involved had no reason whatever to apprehend that any governmental action respecting it would be taken without the fullest effort to protect its right. I made no request of Mr. Thompson; I made no suggestions and voiced no criticism."

Mr. Christian added that he would be very reluctant to serve on a committee, a member of which was objecting "to my appointment."

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SPEED URGED ON INCOME REPORTS

PORTLAND, Feb. 20.—Taxpayers are urged by Clyde G. Huntley, collector of internal revenue, not to postpone the task of filing their federal income tax returns. Only one month remains of the filing period and returns must reach Collector Huntley's office not later than midnight Saturday, March 15, in order for the individual to escape severe penalties for his delinquency.

"Ever since it was announced from Washington that a plan was under consideration to reduce by 25 per cent the tax on earned incomes for the year, 1923, there has been a noticeable falling off in the number of returns," explained Collector Huntley today. "There is no doubt but that this reduction in the federal income tax rate will be met by the congress but it is a reasonable certainty that it will be equivalent to the expiration of the filing period before the law can be amended."

"In the meantime, taxpayers should make their returns of income. Those who pay their tax full at the time of filing will promptly and automatically receive that portion of the tax paid in cases where the taxpayers pay a part of his tax at the time of filing, the remainder of the tax will be adjusted on the basis of the reduction that is ordered. But the remains that federal income tax returns for the year 1923 must be not later than March 15—only two weeks hence. Taxpayers will well not to put off longer making out their returns. By acting promptly, they will avoid the complications of the closing days of the filing period which gives promise of being a serious this year than ever."

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