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save their fellowmen, paid their debts, kept their contracts, obeyed the Lord, relieved the distressed, clothed the naked, and fed the hungry. Who can do more. They each believed in the God of the Christian and proclaimed in forms of sacred obligations the rules of conduct set forth in the greatest of Books.

These brothers were good Elks, and by such members is the order famous.

I do not say these brothers were faultless but I do say that in each life was much good.

We believe in that motto of our beloved order and have written what faults they may have had upon the sand, where the winds and waves, shall blot them out forever, and their virtues upon the Tablet of Love and memory.

Supreme judge T. G. Hailey of Salem, then took the floor as the memorial speaker of the day. He won the rapt attention of the audience by his assertion that as he alighted from the train yesterday morning and saw the beautiful valley and the picturesque hills, he was proud that he was a son of Union county; later when he saw the evidence of La Grande's prosperity, he was proud that he was born in La Grande. Judge Hailey was born in Old Town and his boyhood days were spent in what is now but a residence portion of the city, but at that time was the entire extent of La Grande acreage. His address was exceedingly instructive, and interesting, ably delivered and well received. Following are a few paragraphs taken from his address:

This sacred session in memory of our eternally absent brothers is one of the most beautiful and impressive services of any fraternal order. In that tender sentiment symbolized by our floral emblem, the sweet-for-get-me-not, it had its origin. Other orders build over the graves of their departed brothers monuments of marble or granite, carved with the virtues of the dead. Such evidence of affection and brotherly love are to be commended, but after all the same wasting of the years that laid low the human body shall likewise destroy the stone that marks its resting place. But we, knowing the hope in every human heart for life everlasting, remember that

"Life leaps the grave and the sleepers shall rise,

"Hope never ends and an Elk never dies," and have set apart this day when we meet each year to commemorate the lives of those who have gone before. The physical forms of our brothers are but their temporal bodies which soon vanish away and they are "seen no more; but the deeds and the words of their lives are their spiritual and eternal beings which live forever and ever. Our lives are our best and only enduring monuments and we should be careful how we build them. None of us can live forever in the body but all of us can live forever in the hearts and minds of those we leave behind. Charity for the dead is a splendid virtue, but if each of us shall exercise charity for the living we shall need no charity when we are dead.

This is not our lodge of sorrow where with bowed heads and aching hearts we lay away the earthly forms of our brothers who have solved life's problems. We come not here to mourn. The cares and burdens of this world trouble them no more, then why should we sorrow when they are at rest. They are not lost or gone, only the frail tenement of their earthly existence has passed away, their spirits and the influence of their lives are with us still and we can keep them with us forever.

"Let us then rejoice in their lives and learn the lessons of hope and usefulness that every life should teach. The great lesson of every life is action, unceasing action. When action ends, life ends."

"Life is action, life is duty. All around us are the needs which we alone can supply. Tributes of praise to the dead may ease for a time the heartache of those who mourn, but such relief is not lasting, for when the echoes of such praise have died away the sorrows of the heart are doubled. Let us then rather turn from the sorrows of the night to the joys of the day and of life and forget our own losses in brightening the lives and lessening the cares of others. The charities of this order, like the true charities of this world, are done in secret. Done by deed and by word.

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