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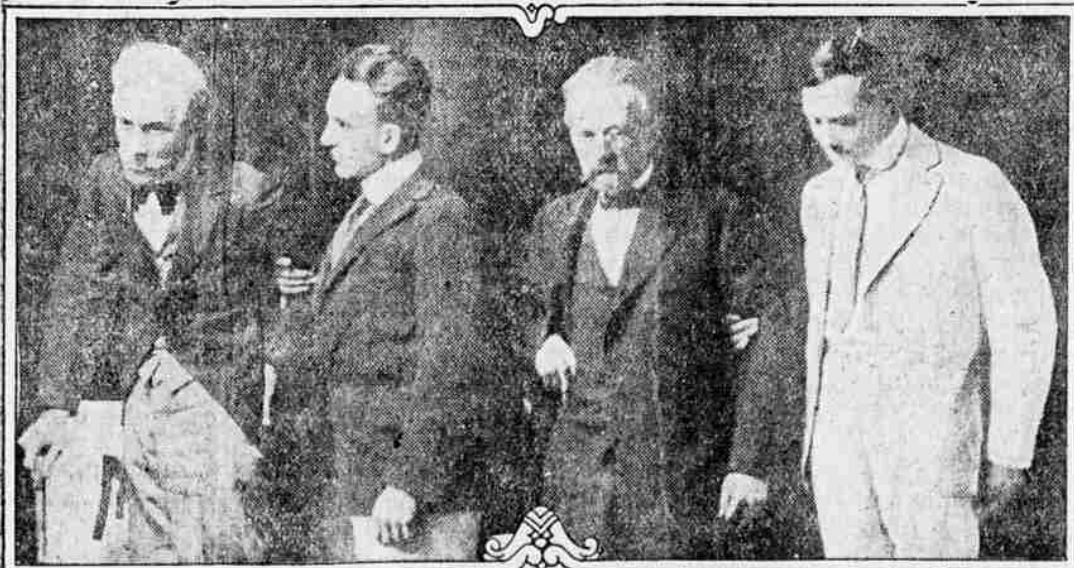
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MONTAVILLE FLOWERS, who is coming to Chautauqua with his great lecture, "Guarding the Golden Gate," has won a distinctive place on the American platform. He is a speaker of dynamic power, a man of brilliant mind and breadth of vision.

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MALE QUARTET PROGRAM SPARKLES WITH COLOR AND LIFE.



THE Musical Arts Quartet is a male Quartet, which was confidently chosen for the Western Chautauqua as being an attraction of stellar magnitude, one sure to please and to be gratefully remembered. In talent and training, both individually and collectively, these young men are splendidly equipped. The exquisite blending of their voices is a marked feature. Their program sparkles with life and color and will satisfy your every desire for variety.

North Powder News

Rev. Mr. Pratt Raises Money for Parsonage—Births Are Reported—Liberal Response to Red Cross—Chautauqua Is a Success—New Cashier in Bank—Wood Hauling Under Way—School Election Held—Grain Looks Well But Needs Rain.

North Powder, July 2.—(Special)—It is reported that Rev. Mr. Pratt, the M. E. minister, who preaches at the North Powder, has raised \$300 for the building of a parsonage.

Born, on June 28th to Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutchinson, a son.
Born, on June 29th to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bull, a son.

Born, on June 19th to Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson, a son.

Johnnie O'Bryant, Dr. Notz and Mr. McColoch, of Baker, were in town last week helping in securing funds for the Red Cross and we are glad to say met with a liberal response by the good people of North Powder and vicinity.

The recent Chautauqua was a complete success in every way and a unanimous vote was taken at the close to have one the coming year. Good crowds attended every day and they grew larger towards the end. The last night witnessed the largest crowd of all the time and the Chautauqua went out in a blaze of glory and resolutions that we would have a larger and better next year.

Chas. Law has been hauling wood from the mountains above Telocaset with his truck. By leaving his home early in the morning he can be back by noon whereas starting at the same time with a team it takes all day. He took a big truck to Union on Friday with his machine. The truck would take four big horses to haul it. The young man likes his machine very much and says that it does all that the makers guarantee it to do.

Mr. Simms returned to Portland last week and the new cashier Mr. Clure who succeeds him, took charge of the bank. Mr. Clure's wife and family will soon come to North Powder and make their future home here.

Grant Dalton is hauling in his winter's supply of wood. Jeff Pearce is cutting his and will haul it in later. Everyone is busy about their winter's supply of wood and most of the ranchers are hauling their wood in before harvest. It looks as if there will be no scarcity of fuel in this part of the state for the coming winter.

The school election in North Powder was very poorly attended and but few present. Chris Johnson was re-elected and Mr. Russell was re-elected as clerk.

A few of the people on Wolfe Creek met last week to make plans for the fourth. A meeting was held but owing to the small number present nothing definite was done. Another meeting will be called and it is hoped that more will be present.

Prof. Hall, superintendent of the North Powder schools, was in town during the Chautauqua and attended all the sessions. They were too good to miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starkweather and children arrived from their home at Stanfield and will spend some time here visiting with friends and relatives. Mrs. Starkweather was formerly Miss Carrie Gorham and has lived in this section practically all her life.

Mrs. Windom Carnes, who was taken to Hot Lake for treatment some time ago, is at home and is as well as ever.

Mrs. Blevins, who has been ill for some time was able to be out during the Chautauqua.

R. H. Evans, of Portland, has purchased an interest in the Telocaset store and will take charge of the store. Mr. Hyatt will take up his farming interests but will still retain an interest in the store. Telocaset is a good town and the new firm will do a good business.

Mrs. J. T. Shaw has been at Medical Springs taking a vacation and a much needed rest.

The road on Wolfe Creek was so badly washed out during the recent high waters that people living in that vicinity could not get out. The roads are now being repaired and if the road was changed in a few places this

trouble would not occur again.

Several of the men in and around North Powder have staked out mining claims at the Wolf Creek mines as they were called in the early day. They are now busy doing assessment work. What they expect to uncover is not known. These mines were said to be rich producers several years ago. There is also a legend about a famous mother lode in that part of the country that has never been found. We hope that these miners will find all kinds of rich minerals.

Harry Hall spent a few days in town during the Chautauqua. He had just returned from Portland where he had visited with his mother and family.

This section of the county needs rain very much. The grain is looking fine in the warm spell we have been having but showers just now will help immensely. The dry belt will have very little grain unless we have rain in a short time.

Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Now is the time to buy a bottle of this remedy so as to be prepared in case that any one of your family should have an attack of colic or diarrhoea during the summer months. It is worth a hundred times its cost when needed.—Adv.

COVE ADOPTS ELABORATE FOURTH OF JULY PROGRAM

Cove, Or., July 2.—(Special)—An old-fashioned Fourth of July picnic program has been adopted here. It includes a sunrise salute, a parade and march to Ascension grove, a basket dinner, reading of the Declaration of Independence, an oration, sports, unfurling a war flag, a relic of the Spanish-American war, on a 150-foot pole, a salute to the flag and a declaration of allegiance by all present. "The Star Spangled Banner," the "Marseillaise" and "Rule Britannia" will be sung by all, led by the Cove orchestra.

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Few medicines have met with more favor or accomplished more good than Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy. John F. Jantzen, Delmonoy, Sisk, says of it, "I have been Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy myself and in my family, and can recommend it as being an exceptionally fine preparation."—Adv.

Union Woman Elected.

Forest Grove, July 2.—(Special)—Minnie Baird of Union was elected department president of the W. U. C. In a spirited contest Albion was the incumbent. The 125th and other clubs contesting the honor being Portland, La Grande and The Dalles.

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J. L. Mars, real estate and rent agent buys and moves house. Prices talk.—Adv. 6-7-tf.

Local Bankers Named.
Fred J. Holmes, Fred L. Meyers, William Miller and T. J. Scroggin, executive officers in local banks have been named as a local committee of the Military Training Camps, association and the committee is authorized to receive applications for those desiring to enter the second training camp to be held at San Francisco beginning August 27. The committee is in possession of full information relating to the subject and those desiring to attend the camp are asked to take the matter up with them.

Second Hand Furniture.
We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 8351.—Adv. 12-4-tf

Surveying.
and general engineering at reasonable rate. R. R. NEAL, Office of City Engineer in City Hall.—Adv. Mon.—Sat.

Convention Opens Thursday.
The convention of the Churches of Christ opens Thursday night, when the sermon will be preached by C. H. Hilton.

Pioneers' Reunion July 5.
Annual Pioneer Reunion July 5, 1917, at City Park. All pioneers and their friends are invited to bring their baskets and to spend the day. Cof-

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Letters From the Front.
The Observer would like to receive "letters from the front" from the boys who have volunteered in the army, navy, marine corps or other branches of Uncle Sam's service.—Adv. 6-8-tf.

Presbyterian Sunday School Program.
The Presbyterian Sunday School carried out a patriotic program Sunday evening July 1st. It was suggested by the recent General Assembly of the church, and by the Oregon State Sunday School association. The program was as follows: Purpose of Patriotic Sunday, by the Superintendent; Song, "God Bless Our Native Land"; Responsive Reading, Psalm 33:12-22, Psalm 44:1-8; The Deliverance of the General Assembly, by Rev. G. L. Clark; Prayer; Recitation, "Your Flag and My Flag," Merle George; Salute to the Christian Flag; Salute to the American Flag; Bugle Salute; Song, "The Star-Spangled Banner"; Brief Statement of the Work of the Red Cross, by Rev. Clark; Message from the President of the United States, by Ralph Position; Offering for the Red Cross and Army Y. M. C. A.; Recognition of Soldiers present; Roll Call of Enlisted Boys in the Present War; Song, "Battle Hymn

of the Republic"; Lesson period, reports, etc.; Closing Song, "America"; Benediction.

Shaver Sewing Machine.
New and second-hand machines sold on easy terms. No interest. Repair work a specialty on all machines.—Chas. M. Sheppard, agent, New Foley Bldg. Phone Black 1051.—Adv. 1-17-tf

Peoples' Meat Market.
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To Aid Mrs. Owen N. Denny.
A movement has been started by the Oregon Sportsmen's league to raise \$10,000 for the relief of the wife of Judge Owen N. Denny, at the time consul general at Shanghai, who equipped the first Chinese pheasants to America in 1882.

Drive at Zuber Hall every Wednesday and Saturday nights. 5-18tf

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