

Pioneer Laid To Final Rest

Henry Samson Sleeps the Sleep of the Dead--His Funeral Was Largely Attended

The funeral of Henry Samson mentioned in these columns last week was held at Needy in the county on last Friday and was the most largely attended funeral held in this county in recent years.

Mountain View

Born, to Mrs. Pearl Roe Jan. 3, a son. Mrs. Ringo is unusually happy lately. Hattie writes from California that Bert has another boy at his house.

Sent to Asylum For the Insane

Bert Bokes Declared a Lunatic and Ordered Incarcerated--Taken to Salem Monday

Bert Bokes, of Gladstone, has become violently insane. For several days past he has been acting queerly. On Sunday night Sheriff John K. Shaver was summoned to the home Mr. C. W. Johnson at Gladstone and Mr. Bokes, who is a relative of that family, was taken into custody.

"TROC POED"

Mr. Reichie and Miss Anna Frobaese were united in the holy bonds of matrimony Sunday, at the home of the bride's parents at Stafford. Rev. F. Reichie officiating.

Domestic Trouble

It is exceptional to find a family where there are no domestic ruptures occasionally, but these can be lessened by having Dr. King's New Life Pills around.

"Bob" Taylor's Political Farewell

His Address When Retiring From the Governor's Chair of Tennessee

Bob Taylor of Tennessee is one of the best public speakers in America. He has been Congressman and twice Governor of his native state.

"I am about to shuffle off this mortal coil of politics and fly away to the heaven of my native mountains, where I may think and dream in peace, safe from the sickening sting of unjust criticism safe from the talons of some old political vulture; safe from the slimy kiss and keen dagger of gratitude.

"While I believe that the good in politics outweighs the bad, yet how thorny is the path, and how unhappy the pilgrimage of him who dares to do his duty. There are no flowers, except a few bouquets snatched from the graves of fallen leaders; there is no happiness except the transient thrill of cruel triumph which passes like a shadow across the heart.

"Every honest man who runs for office is a candidate for trouble for the fruits of political victory turn to ashes on the lips. To me there is nothing in this world so like a mariner without a compass, drifting on the tempest-tossed waves of uncer tainty, between the smiling cliffs of hope and frowning crags of fear.

"As I have already presented my views on public questions in my recent message to the general assembly, I deem it unnecessary to further discuss them on this happy occasion--happy to our new Governor, happy to me, happy to all.

LAND OFFICE RECEIPTS. Big Money Taken in by the Local Land Office During the Last Quarter.

Table with 2 columns: Description of land parcels and Amount. Total aggregate receipts: \$23,748.67.

These are large receipts for the local land office. The business has been exceedingly good during the past quarter and Register A. S. Dresser and Receiver Bibbe and their core of clerks and stenographers have been kept on the move.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bismarck Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

First Meeting of New Council

Four New Members Take Their Seats and New Officers are Elected for 1904

The first meeting of the Oregon City council for the year 1904 was held in the city hall on Wednesday evening. All members of the council were present except Councilman Kuerer.

The Mayor appointed the following officers for the year 1904 all of which appointments were confirmed by the council without a dissenting vote.

Charles Burns, chief of police, salary \$50 per month; Ed Shaw, assistant chief of police and night watch, salary \$60 per month; John Green, street commissioner, E. P. Rands, city engineer; Gen. Story, city attorney; Bruce Curry, who for the past several years has acted as city recorder was unanimously re-elected to that position without opposition.

A petition to have an arc light placed at the mouth of Molalla avenue in Elyville was referred to the committee on streets and public property.

W. E. Wilson applied for a renewal of his saloon license which was granted.

The proposition of the Women's Lewis and Clark club to have the city purchase lot 51 in Oregon City for the purpose of making a park out of the same in which to erect a monument to Dr. McLoughlin was indefinitely postponed on account of the cost of the property.

The ordinance directing the lease of 26 feet of the alley below the bluff on fifth street to G. W. Church for the purpose of erecting a warehouse hereon at a rental to the city for \$26 per year was given its first reading and ordered published.

The Board of Water Commissioners held their first meeting of the year Monday evening at the office of Hedges & Griffith in the Weinhard building, all members of the board being present.

The report of the City Treasurer T. J. Myers was filed and ordered printed. The report in connection with the report of the City Recorder Bruce Curry shows that the receipts of the city last year from all sources was \$12,177.31 and that the expenses were \$9,394.21.

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The meeting was very harmonious and the best of feeling prevailed.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Odd Fellows Installed Officers Monday Evening.

The past week has been a busy one in Lodge Circles in Oregon City.

The encampment of Odd Fellows No. 4, installed their officers for the next six months. The following were installed: John F. Clark, chief patriarch; A. H. Finnegan, high priest; C. O. T. Williams, scribe; Judge Thomas E. Ryan, treasurer; J. L. Waldron, junior warden.

The encampment of Odd Fellows has more than 100 members. It is in a flourishing condition and is one of the best encampments in Oregon.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD

A festival for fraternalists occurred Tuesday evening at the Armory. Two electric cars arrived from Portland early in the evening with about 80 members of Portland Lodge No. 299 of the Fraternal Brotherhood of America of which Col. S. E. Spencer is president with Dr. Keeper, secretary, and Mrs. Essie Hawley, treasurer. Col. C. W. Stone, supreme representative accompanied by General Organizer G. E. Stryer were the guests of honor.

The important work of the evening was the installation of officers of Oregon City Lodge No. 302, which was elaborately performed by Portland Escort Team, composed of ten uniformed ladies headed by Mrs. Savage and Miss Sharp under the direction of D. Trengrove.

The officers installed were President, J. F. Nelson, vice-president, Mrs. M. A. Ingram; P. P. Mrs. C. H. Loocy; chaplain, Mrs. J. F. Nelson; treasurer, Jesse George; secretary, Mrs. N. M. Cooper; escort, Thos. Haley; sergeant, Mrs. E. S. Cleverger; M. M. Mrs. Lydia Cleverger; J. D. K. G. H. Eisenheiser, O. D. K., A. H. Ward; physician, T. E. Beard.

The Fraternal Brotherhood has home offices at Los Angeles, Cal., and adopted over 1,000 new members in December, and the order is only six years old.

Salvation Army.

Meetings of a special character will be held in the Salvation Army hall every Tuesday night, from now on. "A pumpkin seed and watermelon seed," will be the title of next Tuesday evening's lecture. Fathers and mothers are specially invited to attend. Everybody welcome.

G. H. R. Post and Relief Corps

Openly and Jointly Install Their Officers. Grant B. Dimick Delivers an Oration

Meade Post, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps held a joint open installation of officers at Willamette hall Monday evening. The officers of the Meade Post installed for the next six months' term were: J. Doremus, commander; L. W. Ingram, senior vice-commander; Fayton Hayford, junior vice-commander; C. A. Williams, adjutant; George A. Harding, quartermaster; A. B. Moore, sergeant; J. R. Williams, chaplain; David Calkins, officer of the day; J. R. Nelson, officer of the guard; F. H. Beach, sergeant major; E. W. Midlam, quartermaster sergeant.

The officers of the Women's Relief Corps were installed by Mrs. Mary Bradley. The officers installed were as follows: President, Mrs. Margaret Williams; S. V. P., Louise Freeman; J. V. P., Mrs. L. W. Ingram; chaplain, Mrs. Fitzgerald; secretary, Mary E. Bradley; conductor, Pauline Schwartz; assistant conductor, Mrs. Nelson; guard, Mrs. Ketchum; assistant guard, Mrs. Shank; first color-bearer, Mrs. Doremus; second color-bearer, Mrs. Moore; third color-bearer, Mrs. Matthews; fourth color-bearer, Mrs. McAnulty. Meade Relief Corps is a capable auxiliary organization to the G. A. R. Post and has a large membership.

After the installation, speeches were made in honor of the occasion. The post having been presented with a new flag, Mayor Grant B. Dimick delivered an excellent oration upon his theme which was well received by the large audience in attendance. Judge William Galloway also made an address, as did his wife. Other speeches and recitations were made by Department Commander Turner and Deputy Inspector J. Foss. After the installation and speech-making an elegant lunch was served and the affair was voted one of the pleasantest that has come off in Oregon City in a long time.

Water Board Meets.

The Board of Water Works Commissioners of Oregon City held their first meeting of the year Monday evening at the office of Hedges & Griffith in the Weinhard building, all members of the board being present. The \$10,000 in bonds owned by the city for water works and maturing at this time and bearing 6 per cent interest were ordered taken up and warrants issued in their place bearing the same rate of interest. The object in doing this was to avoid the necessity of issuing new bonds at this time. The warrants can be issued at any time and paid off at pleasure and whereas the bonds can only be redeemed at a fixed period.

Regular routine business was transacted, current monthly bills paid. Chairman J. E. Hedges was directed to confer with the Southern Pacific Railroad Company and have stopped the leakage in the company's water tank on Seventh street.

The little folks love Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Pleasant to take perfectly harmless; positive cure for coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma.

THE OLD RELIABLE



Absolutely Pure THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Registration Of the Voters

Of Clackamas County Has Commenced--Few Legal Voters Registered Thus Far

On Monday morning County Clerk F. A. Slight opened up his registration books at the county court for the registration of the voters of Clackamas county. Every legal voter in the county who desires to vote for county officials in June or for the Presidential electors in November must register. You can register at any time between this date and the first day of May next and can register at the office of the County Clerk or before any notary public in any part of the county. Not a single voter registered during the first day of the registration period and only a few availed themselves of the privilege on Tuesday, the second day. From now on, however, it is expected that the number who register will increase from day to day and that in the end it will be found that fully 5,000 voters have been registered in all. As a party does not have to state his party affiliation in this state there will be no way of determining who or which party is getting the best of the figures.

Letter List

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Oregon City postoffice on Jan. 7, 1904: Women's List--Miss Grace Anderson, Miss Nettie M. Collins, Mrs. Kate Clapp, Miss Paul Decker, Mrs. Susie Griffin, Miss Retta Harlan (?), Mrs. Mary Holmes, Mrs. E. A. Holmes, Miss Marion Haynes, Mrs. Peter Karasue, Mrs. Lerton Miller, Mr and Mrs M. B. Milliner, Mrs. I. P. Robbins, Miss Sophia Stenback. Men's List--Adam's Expree Co, A. Buckles, Alexander Brown, O. C. Cady, Emil Calger, Taylor Church, F. J. Dowe, G. P. Eaton, R. L. Ferguson, H. M. Henry, Elmer Jennings, Wm McCormick, Hank Olson, W. Porter, Ray Scott, Walter Shepherd, Ernest Sonicy, Hugh Tallman, T. H. Taylor (?), O. H. Taylor, Frank Tatro, T. J. Wirtz, J. Wolfner. TOM P. RANDALL, P. M.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

DR. GEO. HOEYE DENTIST. All work warranted and satisfaction guaranteed. Crown and Bridge work a specialty. Casfield Building OREGON CITY, OREGON.

M. C. STRICKLAND, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. Does an Up-To-Date General Practice. Special attention given to surgery and diseases of women. Office in Garde Building, 7th and Main Sts. OREGON CITY, OREGON.

C. D. & D. C. LATCURETTE ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Commercial, Real Estate and Probate our Specialties. Office in Commercial Bank Building OREGON CITY, OREGON.

ROBERT A. MILLER ATTORNEY AT LAW. Real Estate bought and sold, money loaned, titles examined and abstracts made, cash paid for county warrants, Probate and commissions' court business and insurance. ROOM 3, WEINARD BUILDING OREGON CITY, OREGON.

GRANT B. DIMICK ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Will practice in all Courts in the State, Circuit and District Courts of the United States. Insolvent debtors taken through bankruptcy. Office in Garde Building, Oregon City, Or.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF OREGON CITY CAPITAL \$100,000. Transacts a general banking business. Makes loans and collections, discounts bills buys and sells domestic and foreign exchange and receives deposits subject to check. Open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. D. C. LATCURETTE, President. F. J. MEYER, Cashier.

C. N. GREENMAN THE PIONEER EXPRESSMAN (Established 1888). Prompt delivery to all parts of the city OREGON CITY, OREGON.

OSTEOPATHY DR. C. D. LOVE OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN. Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Successfully treats both acute and chronic diseases. Call for literature. Consultation and Examination Free. Office Hours: 11 to 12 A. M. 1 to 4 P. M. (Or by appointment at any time. Rooms over Dr. Morris' Dental Parlors, next door to Courier Office. OREGON CITY, OREGON.

G. SCHUBBEL W. S. UREN UREN & SCHUBBEL ATTORNEYS AT LAW. Deutscher Advokat. Will practice in all courts, make collections and settlements of estates, furnish abstracts of title, lend you money and lend your money on first mortgage. Office in Enterprise building. OREGON CITY, OREGON.

Oregon City Machine Shop

BUCKLEIN & KLEINSMITH, Props. Having First-class Machinery Doing First-class Work. Keeps in Stock a Line Shafting and Pulleys, New and Second Hand. Also Engine and Saw Mill Machinery.

1904 The Bank of Oregon City 1904 WISHES ITS FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS A HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR 1904

SPECIAL 30 DAYS SALE At Bradley's Second Hand Store All Goods in Hardware Line Greatly Reduced. We can save you money if you want anything we handle. New and second hand goods kept in stock. Examine our stock before buying elsewhere. W. W. BRADLEY Next door to Heinz Bakery.

We Want Your Trade AT Harris Grocery And are going to make special inducements to close buyers. Cash and Small Profits is Our Motto.