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RURAL TELEGRAPH.

Not alone have the residents of the outlying districts of this county felt the need of closer association and means of communication with the county seat but the people of this city have found at all times that it was impossible to transact business with the many communities of the county on account of the length of time required to reach persons by the use of the mails, but they have repeatedly feared to trust the mail on account of their unreliability in point of time.

It has been generally supposed that the telegraph instrument and line were for the use of metropolitan communities only and that they were luxuries beyond the reach of all rural communities who must depend for their communication with the outside and business world upon the slower moving mail, but the people of the Cape Horn Telegraph line have successfully demonstrated the success of the telegraph line for the transaction of country business.

THEY SWING INWARD.

President Harrison called the attention of the country to the fact that the gates of Castle Garden swing only inward. At this time the conditions have changed, and it is now figured out that two persons are leaving the country at the present time for every one that is coming in.

The business depression is the great cause of this change, and while the result so far as it effects emigration is not to be deplored, there is no reason to desire a continuation of the evils of the times solely for the purpose of turning the tide of travel.

VALUES SHRINKING.

Manufacturers will not risk their capital in the production of stock that cannot be sold until six months have passed between the time of the first step in conversion from raw material to that of its being placed on the market, if they fear that when the six months are ended they will be compelled to sell in unrestricted competition with the products of foreign manufacturers whose wage cost has been less than half that of their own.

Times are dull because money does not circulate. And it does not circulate because there is a shrinkage variously estimated at from 40 to 61 per cent. in the amount of money weekly paid as wages. This shrinkage according to the Chicago Inter Ocean, will be permanent—except as it may be increased—should a tariff for revenue only become a fixed fact.

If anyone labors under the delusion that the Kansas populist opinion is popular in the South and that it is in a fair way to carry every thing before it and go away with the solid south he would do well to consider these words from so eminent an authority as the Atlanta Constitution, which says: "The governors and the people of the southern states believe that this is one country with one flag and one destiny."

According to the St. Louis Globe Democrat there is more currency per capita in the country than there ever was before. That is to say, the country's money is growing faster than its population, and far faster than its business.

THE CITY AT THE FALLS.

Our Exchanges Look at the Future of the Falls With Bright Eyes.

The Hillsboro Independent says: The busiest place seen last week was Oregon City. The great enterprise in progress there is the Electric Light and Power company's improvement. The company already has a plant on the east side of the river, where the electricity is generated which is used in lighting Portland.

As seen by the Dayton Herald: It is our belief that Oregon City is one of the most prosperous cities in the northwest. While in that city last week the editor visited the locks and noted the great work and vast improvements going on there by the direction of the Electric Light company.

Letter List.

- The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, October 12th, 1893: Annis, Dr J W; Reed, Thos H; Arnold, Wm; Ross, Mrs C C; Armstrong, Harry; Simmons, Mrs Jane; Brooks, Miss L; Schneider, Joseph; Goodrich, R; Thoms, Ben H; Havens, Addison; Tucker, Miss Alice; Hughes, Miss Sarah; Ward, Miss Clerrinda; Miley, Miss Cattie; Ward, Miss Clerrinda; Nungersen, Miss Myr-Oregon City Nursery Co.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR CONVENTION.

Report of the Interesting Meeting Held at Milwaukee Friday and Saturday.

The second annual Christian Endeavor convention of Clackamas county was held at Milwaukee in the Episcopal church on Friday and Saturday, October 6 and 7.

The first session was opened promptly on time at 2 p. m., on Friday, by George Howard, of Park Place, who led the opening exercises with a song and devotional service.

Although there was not over a half dozen people present when the singing commenced quite a goodly number had gathered before the 20 minute opening was over.

An organization was effected by electing G. H. Bestow of Oregon City as temporary chairman, because of the absence of the president, and George Howard temporary secretary.

At 2:45 an intermission was taken for the purpose of getting acquainted, which pleasant opportunity was promptly put into good use.

The remainder of the afternoon was occupied with music and a paper, "How to Attract Interest and Keep it," by Mrs. Estella Ohlsen, of Oregon City, and an address, "My Duty at the Mid-week Prayer Meeting," by Rev. Gilman Parker, of Oregon City. Mrs. Ohlsen's main thought was a "Filled Leadership," filled with Bible truth by study; filled with Christ; filled with the Holy Ghost, and attractive services, singing, prayer, personal work.

Mr. Parker contended that we ought not to look upon the mid-week prayer meeting as a duty but a privilege; and if it is a live meeting it ought to be a privilege to be present and participate. If it is a dull meeting it ought to be a privilege to make it live.

The evening meeting was opened by a model devotional service, led by W. H. Morrow, of Portland, which was followed by the address of welcome by T. J. Gary of Milwaukee. Mr. Gary was most hearty and cordial in his welcome, and the people of Milwaukee seconded every word he said by the good cheer given with the hospitality shown to the delegates from abroad.

J. K. Groom, of Park Place, a new comer to the county and state, responded to the welcome in a very felicitous and earnest address, in which he complimented the Milwaukee society and declared his conviction that as reinforcements often win a victory when an army is about overcome, so the army of the living God will sweep the powers of sin and darkness from the land because of the reinforcements by the Society of Christian Endeavor and kindred young people's organizations.

An able paper, "How can I get the most Good from the Convention?" by J. H. Black of Oregon City, was read by W. G. Beattie.

The paper, "Stumbling Blocks," was not forthcoming, but the subject nevertheless was well handled by Erastus Smith, W. H. Morrow and others.

Chairman Bestow at this session appointed committees as follows:

Nominating—T. J. Gary, Mr. Muer, Mr. Hornshub, Mrs. Ohlsen, Mrs. J. E. White. Place of Meeting for next Year—W. H. Beattie, Miss Mattie Gray, George Howard.

Program for next Year—J. K. Groom B. M. Fisch, Miss Maggie Williams, Miss Gertrude Humphrey, George Hamilton. On Saturday at 6 a. m. there was a prayer meeting, led by Mrs. Margaret A. Wilson. The number present was small, but undoubtedly the large attendance and intense interest manifested during the day, was largely due to the earnest prayers of those few consecrated souls.

After the devotional exercises opening the morning session, instead of the president's address a letter was read from him expressing his regrets because of necessary absence, and sending christian greeting.

There were reports from ten societies—Beaver Creek, Presbyterian; Logan, Baptist; Milwaukee, Union; Oregon City, Baptist; Congregational and Presbyterian; Oswego, Congregational; Park Place, Congregational; West Side, Baptist; Springfield, Baptist.

The reports of committees being called for, the nominating committee reported, for president, T. J. Gary; 1st vice president, E. A. Smith, 2d vice president, Richard Hargraves; 3d vice president, George Hamilton; secretary, W. G. Beattie; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. White.

The committee on place of meeting reported in favor of the Presbyterian church of Oregon City.

Both reports were unanimously adopted. A committee on by-laws was appointed to report at the next meeting. The committee consists of C. H. Dye, Miss Gertrude Finley and J. H. Black.

In the absence of Miss Ella Currie of Currinsville, her subject, "Relation of C. E. societies to Missions," was discussed by several of the delegates.

"The Relation of Christian Endeavor Societies to Temperance" was well handled by Miss Finley.

"The Associate Members," by Rev. Gilman Parker, was full of encouragement and helpful thought.

The afternoon praise service was led by C. H. Dye, of Oregon City. From 1:50 to 2:15 was occupied by short papers on committee work, by O. S. Ohlsen, Erastus Smith, C. H. Dye, Miss Maggie Williams, Mrs. J. E. White, and W. G. Beattie.

The event of the afternoon was "Good Literature Committee and Kindred Work," by Miss Caroline Strong, of Portland, editor of the Oregon "Christian Endeavorer."

A free for all discussion of all the papers brought out many helpful suggestions. Another good paper was Mrs. Gilman Parker's on "Junior Work." This was quite a treat too, as Mrs. Parker is at the head of what is believed to be the largest Junior society in the world, at least the largest reported up to date, and it was interesting to hear of the methods which had been used to produce this growth.

The Question Box, by E. S. Miller, of Portland, brought out questions which were timely and answers which were pointed. Messrs. Dye and Hargraves led a praise

and prayer service in the evening, after which Rev. Thos. Boyd, of Portland, delivered an eloquent and stirring address on "What the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor has Accomplished," in which, after reminding the audience that the movement was only twelve years old, he showed seven things which it has accomplished for God and the church. The reporter would like to give a summary of his address, but this report is already too long.

The consecration service was conducted by Rev. Gilman Parker. During the afternoon \$8.00 were pledged by the representatives of the different societies to defray the expense of the meeting.

Mrs. Martha A. Wilson and Mrs. J. E. White acted as organists. Quartettes were rendered by Mrs. J. E. White, Miss Minnie Graham, G. H. Bestow, and J. E. Hoffman with Miss Anna Baird as organist, of Oregon City, and by Misses Sansom, Bonnett and Rogers and Messrs. Fisch and Weisinger of Milwaukee.

Vocal Solos were rendered by Mrs. E. E. Charman and Mrs. J. W. Gray of Oregon City.

The convention was a success every way. It grew in spirituality and power from beginning to end, and although a country affair, and held during an bad weather as could possibly be had, it was greater in point of numbers than the first three state conventions.

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