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## MET AT HOOD VIEW

**Fifth Annual Gathering of Congregational Societies.**  
AT THE BASE OF MOUNT HOOD  
Entertaining Description of the Meeting by One of the Special Correspondents of the Enterprise.

Hood View, April 22.—The fifth annual meeting of the West Willamette Association of Congregational Ministers and Churches was held Tuesday and Wednesday, April 16 and 17, 1901, with the Hood View church near Wilsonville, Oregon.  
The morning of the 16th dawned clear and bright and nothing arose to mar the harmony of the arrangements previously made. Hood View and its surrounding neighborhood was in the height of nature's decorations. The erecting of a spacious tent was soon completed, where the sumptuous lunch was to be served. As evening drew on, the delegates from far and near began to arrive, and at 7:30 o'clock about thirty guests had assembled. Ministers and their wives, delegates and their wives, guests and their husbands from Salem, Forest Grove, Hillsboro, Portland and all over the state were in attendance. Following is the program.

**GENERAL THEME: OUR WORK FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.**  
**TUESDAY.**  
8:20 p. m. Organization.  
8:15 p. m. Devotional meeting. Led by Mr. Benj. Schroeder.  
8:30 p. m. Associational Sermon, Rev. H. L. Bates.

**WEDNESDAY**  
9:00 a. m. Devotional Meeting. Led by Mr. E. X. Harding.  
9:15 a. m. Echoes from the Churches.  
9:40 a. m. The Sunday School and Publishing Society, Rev. E. A. Rowley.  
9:55 a. m. Christian Responsibility in the Home. Rev. Daniel Staver.  
10:15 a. m. Christian Responsibility in the Church. Rev. A. W. Ackerman.  
10:40 a. m. The Work of the Holy Spirit in the Coming Century. Rev. D. B. Gray.  
11:00 a. m. Discussion.  
11:15 a. m. Report of the Missionary Committee.  
11:30 a. m. Business.  
Adjournment.

Dinner was a special feature. There was hot coffee and tea. Boston baked beans, potato salad, pickles, chicken, ham, beef, pie, cake—yes, all the good things in the culinary line that heart could wish or appetite crave were at hand, provided by the able and substantial farmers and their good wives. Basket after baskets of lunch was devoured by the hungry guests. All was commotion in the parsonage for a time, until almost before the lunch committee and young lady waiters were aware of time, the bell chimed 1:30 o'clock p. m., and the afternoon program was in order. Nothing was to be missed by anyone, and all hustled to the church again to listen to words of eloquence by able speakers.

The following program was carried out:  
1:30 p. m. Woman's Part in the Work, Mrs. F. Eggert.  
1:50 p. m. Our Work in Porto Rico, Mrs. C. F. Clapp.  
2:10 p. m. Our work in Hawaii and the Philippines, Rev. E. P. Hughes.  
2:35 p. m. The outlook in Japan and the Far East, Rev. M. D. Dunning.  
3:00 p. m. Responsibility of the Pacific Coast for Foreign Missions, Mrs. E. M. Thorne.  
3:30 p. m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.  
Adjournment.

Again there was a busy crowd of ladies in the parsonage preparing the evening lunch, which was soon over. Meantime, all guests, with alpine sticks in hand, climbed the hill and viewed the magnificent scenery of "Old Pleasant Hill" and the cemetery, a half mile distant.

At 5:30 o'clock, a special musical concert was given by the young people, which was as follows:  
Song, by the Hood View choir.  
Violin Solo, by little Gladys Baker.  
Instrumental music by Miss Ellen Brobst.  
Song, "Down in Tennessee," with guitar accompaniment, by Miss Templement and Chester Toome.  
Song, by the choir.  
Violin music, by little Gladys Baker.  
Miss Barber was called on for "The Song of the Coo and the Watermelon," but instead we had a song by the Misses Templement and Chester and Bert Toome.  
Instrumental music, Miss Sarah Brobst.  
Song, by the choir.  
This closed the concert, which all enjoyed. All performed their parts so well that no special mention is made excepting little Miss Baker, who must be complimented for her self-composure and the skillful way in which she handled the in-

strument, also the great accuracy in time. After the adjournment at 6:30 o'clock p. m. the time was spent by the older members of the assembly discussing the topics of the day, while the young people, crazed with the "Japanese napkin souvenir fad," rushed hither and thither getting names on their napkins.

At 7:30 p. m. the bell tolled the time, and the church was packed. People came from far and near to hear the words of the missionary workers, and many were compelled to stand.

Following is the program:  
7:30 p. m. Devotional meeting. Led by Rev. M. D. Dunning.  
7:45 p. m. Tualatin Academy and Pacific University, Rev. H. L. Bates 8:00 p. m. The Need and Inspiration of Missions, Rev. B. S. Winchester.  
8:30 p. m. Personal Responsibility for the Work, Rev. C. F. Clapp, Rev. C. F. Clapp, of Forest Grove.

Closed this day's good work by a few well fitting remarks, and by touching lightly on all the speakers of the day, in which he quite rightly named a great many of them as "the fluent speaker," "the genius orator," "Mr. Silver Tongue, etc." Mrs. Egger's paper was excellent, as also was Mrs. C. F. Clapp's, in the very plain language they used to bring to the listeners the real facts in the missionary work.  
While we cannot help mentioning the eloquence of the Rev. M. D. Dunning, in his off hand speech the Rev. H. L. Bates needs a word in favor of the way in which he brought out all the good points of the Tualatin Academy and Pacific University, which, by the way, is a good thing to impress on the minds of parents from time to time, lest they grow a little negligent in regard to the education of their young people.

The visiting ministers and delegates were very hospitably entertained by the people of the neighborhood, and all joined in a hearty resolve of thanks to them, and great was the praise of the beauty of scenery and the fine farming country. Old Mt. Hood, from which the name is derived, loomed up in all its magnificence, a sight to the guests. Thursday morning all bid adieu to Hood View with good wishes for its future prosperity.

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.**  
Regular April Term of the County Board.  
J. R. Morton, John Lewellen and T. B. Killin, Commissioners.

(Continued from last week.)  
In the matter of the care of James Wilson, an indigent person.  
This matter coming on and the Board being fully advised, it is ordered that James Wilson, an indigent person be placed in the charge of E. Arnold and that the said E. Arnold be allowed \$15 per month, dating from March 8, 1901 for the care and keeping of the said James Wilson.

In the matter of H. E. Cross and Orpha F. Cross, taxes for the year 1897.  
In the matter of the taxes of H. E. and Orpha F. Cross on the following described premises, to wit: block 20, block 124, block 145, lots 1, 2, 7, 8, block 151, lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, block 100, all in Oregon City, Oregon, lot 3, blk 1, Darrell's addition to Oregon City; lots 5 and 6 blk 2, West Side addition to Oregon City; lots 1, 2, 7, 8, block 17 in Canemah, and 10 acres of land in the Abernethy claim, having been made by said county by a sale of the same, and a deed therefor being duly executed by the county to the purchaser, having the effect of cancelling any and all prior taxes due thereon, and the parties desiring to make redemption from all tax sales and pay all taxes legally due on said property, and it appearing that the taxes due for 1898, 1899 and 1900 amount to \$497.81. It is ordered that upon the receipt of said sum during the month of April of this year, the clerk issue a receipt in full for all taxes due against said property, as shown by the records, and tax redemption certificates issued therefor.

In the matter of the indigent soldier fund.  
This matter coming on and it appearing that the indigent soldier fund has become depleted, it is ordered that the county treasurer transfer \$200 from the general fund into the indigent soldier fund.  
In the matter of the Molalla and Noland's Mill road.  
This matter coming on and the Board being fully advised, it is ordered that said road be viewed and surveyed as to relocate or establish said road, commencing at or near William Dart's farm on Rock Creek, and following said road southeasterly for a distance of about four miles and that F. E. Albright and be and are hereby appointed viewers and E. P. Rands, surveyor, to view, survey and relocate said road.

In the matter of the petition of the Roman Catholic Archbishop to pay taxes.  
This matter coming on upon the written petition of the Roman Catholic Archbishop by Hedges & Griffith, his attorneys, and the Board being fully advised, said petition is hereby granted and that the said petitioner be allowed to pay the taxes as set out therein, amounting to \$16.40 without costs or penalties.  
In the matter of the petition of S. Owens et al in regard to bicycle path.  
This matter coming on and the Board being fully advised, it is ordered that said petition be referred to the committee on bicycle paths.  
In the matter of the petition of O. L. Fay for rebate of taxes.  
This matter coming on upon written petition of O. L. Fay, and the Board being fully advised, it is ordered that the same be and hereby is denied.  
In the matter of the reports of officers for the month of March 1901.

## TWO BANKS FAIL

**Banks at Vancouver and Salem Suddenly go to the Wall.**

**WERE BOTH BADLY MANAGED.**

**President and Cashier of the Vancouver Institution Shot Themselves With The Same Revolver.**

VANCOUVER, Wash., April 25.—The First National bank is closed and the cashier and president have both shot themselves. Last Friday Bank Examiner Maxwell ordered the bank closed because it was being conducted in a fraudulent manner. Charles Brown, the president and E. L. Casby, the cashier, left the bank together. It was thought they had fled to escape prosecution. Warrants were sworn out for them but they could not be found. Sunday an umbrella and coat belonging to the men were found in the woods. This gave rise to the belief that they had committed suicide for they talked of doing so when they left. A searching party started out Monday morning. After going a short distance the party found both men lying dead on the ground within two feet of each other. They had shot themselves in the mouth with the same revolver. Their bodies were brought to Vancouver and buried. Both leave families.

The condition of the bank is bad for the depositors, and it is thought they will lose nearly everything, as the bank has been rotten for fifteen years. The officials simply robbed the bank as fast as the money was brought in.

**Salem Bank Fails.**

SALEM, Oregon, April 25.—Last Tuesday morning the doors of the Gilbert Brothers' bank failed to open for business. The failure was caused by the bringing of a suit in Portland against the Gilbert Brothers, by the heirs of the late William Cosper. The Gilbert Brothers handled the money of William Cosper, and it is charged that they got away with \$300,000 of the old gentleman's estate.

The closing of the bank is a serious blow to the business interests of Salem. Many of the people had their small savings there, and it will be a great loss to them. The deposits were about \$125,000, and if the bank was swept with a whisk broom enough cash could not be found to pay off one depositor.

**Free Trade for Porto Rico.**

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Porto Rico is to enjoy free trade with the United States on and after July 1 this year. The act putting into effect the present tariff between the United States and Porto Rico provided that whenever the Porto Rican assembly shall have enacted and put into operation a system of local taxation to meet the necessities of the government the president shall make proclamation thereof and thereupon all tariff duties on merchandise and articles going into Porto Rico from the United States or coming from Porto Rico into the United States shall cease.

The Porto Rican assembly has enacted a local tax law in the so-called Hollander law, some features of which have already gone into effect and all of which will be in effect July 1. Under the original Porto Rican act it will therefore be the duty of the president to issue a proclamation establishing a complete free trade between the United States and the island. This will be of great benefit to the sugar and tobacco growers of the island, and it will not be regarded with favor by the sugar and tobacco growers of the United States. The New England tobacco interests, in particular, have been very much opposed to free trade in Porto Rican tobacco, though some of the best-informed men in the tobacco trade insisted that owing to the difference in quality of the Porto Rican and New England tobacco the free importation of the insular tobacco would not affect the New England growers in any way.

**The Y. M. C. A. to Resume Work.**

The Oregon City Y. M. C. A. is to again resume work after a season of inactivity due to a lack of funds with which to employ efficient men for general secretary and physical director.

The chief impetus at the present time is the kindly assurances from the five large corporations of the city of handsome contributions toward the work and in view of this fact and the great need of the institution in Oregon City, the Y. M. C. A. management cordially invites the hearty co-operation of the citizens of Oregon City in permanently establishing the association.

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