

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY PASS RESOLUTIONS IN COUNTY CONVENTION

FOURTEEN GRANGES REPRESENTED AT COURT HOUSE TUESDAY.

ELECT DELEGATES TO GRANGE

It Was the Day That Farmers Had Their Inning in Oregon City—Ceres, Pomona and Flora Present.

Fourteen granges were represented at the Clackamas county grange convention held at the court house Tuesday afternoon for the purpose of electing delegates to attend the state grange which convenes in annual session at Hood River, Tuesday, May 28. A resolution was passed scoring the members of the last legislature for violating their pledges in not supporting the railroad anti-pass bill, and pledging themselves to make every effort to secure relief through the people by the aid of the referendum.

On the whole it was an enthusiastic convention and several matters were discussed.

Mrs. Mary S. Howard of Mulino, state deputy, was chairman of the convention, and C. E. Spence of Carus, was secretary.

The committee on credentials consisted of Thomas F. Ryan, E. Getchell and William Everhart, and reported the following delegates entitled to seats in the convention:

Molalla No. 46—R. A. Wright, H. Dimick, Mrs. Maple; alternates—Mrs. Knott, J. Knott, Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Tualatin No. 111—O. P. Sharp, T. L. Turner, H. A. Kruse.

Warner No. 117, New Era—Mae Waldron, George Randall, Thomas F. Ryan; alternates, David McArthur, George Lazelle, J. S. Dick.

Harding No. 122, Logan—W. M. Kirchem, G. A. Kohl, Mrs. H. S. Anderson.

Damascus No. 260—J. D. Chitwood, Mrs. J. D. Chitwood, S. C. Towney; alternates, H. Breithaupt, Frank Tee-ron, A. Newell.

Springwater No. 263—E. Bates, William Kandle, J. A. Shibley.

Milwaukie No. 268—Mrs. Maggie Johnson; alternate, Mrs. May Getchell.

Central No. 276, Carus—Mrs. N. Gardner, Mrs. Anna Spence, William Shannon; alternates, Fred Spagler, M. Grisenthwaite, William Jones.

Maple Lane No. 296—Louise Beard, S. T. Roman, A. J. Hobbie; alternates, E. A. Seeley, Anna J. Lewis, A. Mautz.

Eagle Creek No. 297—M. V. Thomas, H. C. Glover, J. Eby.

Clackamas No. 298—L. D. Jones, J. R. Landes, Frank Talbert; alternates, Hattie Robertson, J. H. Roadarmel, Erma Jones.

Mulino No. 310—William Everhart, J. V. Harless, George Ogle; alternates, Louis Moshberger, L. H. Colman, J. W. Thomas.

Garfield No. 317—A. R. Hawkins.

Barlow No. 341—Miss M. S. Barlow, H. J. Melvin, W. W. Jesse; alternates, L. L. Irwin, W. S. Tull, D. O. Freeman.

Aberneby No. 346—O. L. Clyde, Captain J. T. Apperson, S. J. Jones; alternates, Mrs. Brayton, Mrs. Jennie Butts, Minnie S. Ingram.

The following delegates and alternates were elected to attend the State Grange:

Henry Hoffmeister of Eagle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Turner of Stafford; Mr. and Mrs. William Beard of Maple Lane; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Jones of Clackamas; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Anderson of Logan. Alternates—M. V. Thomas, Bullrun; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Kruse, Stafford; Frank Talbert, Clackamas; George Kohl, Logan.

The following resolution was introduced by ex-Representative Geo. Ogle of Molalla, and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, at the late June election the voters by overwhelming majority declared in favor of a railroad anti-pass law and the said bill on account of technical error failed to become a law, and

Whereas, the legislature failed to ratify this wish of the people, but enacted a compulsory pass law which is believed to be wrong in principle.

Therefore, we, the Clackamas County Grangers, in convention assembled favor such action as will bring the referendum to bear on said compulsory pass law and to that end we ask the State Grange to co-operate with subordinate granges.

Tetter: Salt Rheum and Eczema. These are diseases for which Chamberlain's Salve is especially valuable. It quickly allays the itching and smarting and soon effects a cure. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Howell & Jones.

ACTIVITY IN SCHOOL CIRCLES

MARQUAM IS TO ERECT \$1500 BUILDING—WILL BE TWO STORY—OTHER NEWS.

The Marquam school district has adopted plans for the erection of a new 2-story school building that will cost in the neighborhood of \$1500. It will be a modern structure in every detail.

Miss Lillian F. Gans recently resigned her position as a teacher in the Aurora schools and began a term in the New Era district, Monday.

The school in district No. 99, east Mt. Scott has been closed down for a week on account of the serious illness of the teacher's mother. Miss Grace Mann is the teacher.

Miss Laura Purcell of Parkplace has closed a term of school at Dickey's Prairie.

APPOINTED NEW RESIDENT MANAGER

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lewthwaite arrived Tuesday morning from Norwood, N. Y., and are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Harding. Mr. Lewthwaite will be the resident manager of the Crown-Columbia paper mills in Oregon City and LaCamas. His office and residence will be in Portland. Mr. Lewthwaite is to be congratulated on his promotion. He has the right stuff in him, and long held an important position in the local paper mills before going east, where he has been connected with some of the largest paper mills for the last six years.

MONEY STILL DUE SPANISH VETERANS

The adjutant-general has discovered that a number of the soldiers that served in the Second Oregon regiment during the Philippine war have various sums of money due them from the state on account of clothing and service before the muster in. Some of these sums are small, but others reach as high as \$33. The following members of Company I that went from Oregon City and Albany have various sums due them that have never been called for: E. L. McFarland, George A. Bruce, J. F. Henly, Frank Patterson, J. E. Harding, F. L. Poindexter. E. L. McFarland is now in the employ of C. W. Kelly in Portland, Bruce is in Linn county, Harding is in Manila, and Poindexter an officer in the regular army somewhere in the East, and Henly is in Boston.

PRUNING ORCHARD.

Dover, March 6.—C. E. Seward is pruning J. W. Exon's orchard.

William Roberts and family spent Saturday and Sunday with their daughter at Kelso.

Donald Bodley has returned to Portland, having spent a month on his brother's ranch.

Mr. Udell, J. L. Robertson and C. A. Keith were Portland visitors last week.

Joe DeShazer, Guy Woodie, J. W. Exon and George Wolf are in Portland this week, witnesses on the Kitzmiller contest case.

J. L. Robertson is helping Charles Keith clear some land.

The quarterly meeting services were well attended.

FLOURING MILLS RUN.

Mulino, March 7.—Albert Erickson and Chas. Daniels have gone down the Columbia to work.

Frank Albright was in our midst one day last week shaking hands with old friends.

August Erickson and family spent a few days with relatives near Dickey Prairie last week.

The change was made from the ground wire system to the Metallic circuit a few days ago which greatly improves the talking.

D. L. Trullinger is running his flour mill.

Fred Erickson took some chickens to Liberal for which he received 14c per pound.

Mrs. Lee is working in Oregon City for Mr. Albright.

A number are starting to clean up their hop yards around here.

Mr. Woodside has completed his job of pruning which greatly improves the appearance of his place.

BETTER FACILITIES AND MORE ROOM

ANNEX WILL BE 34x24, FIRE-PROOF AND SUBSTANTIAL STRUCTURE.

SUPPORT HEAVY WEIGHT PRESSES

Will Make Room for New Presses and Material, and Add to Newspaper Facilities.

Within a few weeks the Star Press will have one of the best equipped and roomy offices south of Portland. Already the contract has been let to Harry Jones for the construction of a 2-story addition 34-24 to the rear of the building now occupied by the cylinder presses, typesetting machines, business and editorial rooms, etc.

The addition to the structure will be two feet wider than the main building and it will be fire proof. It also will be a substantial structure, and the upper floor of the annex will be used principally for a press and mailing room. The floor will be supported by strong columns underneath, so that the movements of the big presses will not shake the structure or walls in other parts of the building. New presses, machinery and additional faces of job type will be installed, and it will be the most complete job office in the state.

The annex will provide more room for added facilities in getting up the Daily Star and the Enterprise, and improvements will be made in these journals commensurate with the added facilities.

The annex will be well lighted and specially constructed for the purposes intended. When the new improvements are completed, changes will be made in the Daily Star and the Weekly Enterprise that will be appreciated by their patrons.

SUES FOR DAMAGES LOGGING ACCIDENT

Jerome P. Smith, guardian of Arthur Uch a minor, filed a suit in the circuit court Tuesday afternoon asking damages in the amount of \$5300, against O. A. Palmer, a Clackamas county logger. The complaint alleges Uch worked as a hook tender in Palmer's logging camp where the logs were handled by means of a donkey engine; that the yard line used in moving the logs was too weak to bear the heavy strain and should have been 3-4 of an inch in thickness instead of 3-8; that when he was working in said logging camp November 25, 1906, the small cable broke and Uch was struck on the head, fracturing his skull and sustained permanent injuries. Five thousand dollars damages is asked and an additional \$300 expended for surgical and medical attendance and hospital fees.

TELFORD'S ENTERTAIN.

Twilight, March 6.—Superintendent Zinsler visited Twilight school last week.

Miss Eva Smith spent Sunday with her parents in Newberg.

Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Thompson made a business trip to Oregon City last Monday.

George Lazelle and James Hyllton attended the funeral of Thomas Charman last Sunday.

Miss Anna Wilehart is at home on account of her father's illness.

Mrs. George Lazell went to Newberg last Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Thomas Duncan.

Samuel Stevens, bookkeeper in the Oregon City bank, was seen in Twilight last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Woylan made a trip to Portland to see their brother Ernest who is in the hospital with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Telford entertained a few of their friends at their home last Wednesday evening. The time was most pleasantly spent with music. Light luncheon was served.

A delightful surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Swick Saturday evening at their residence on Twilight avenue. The evening was most enjoyably spent in dancing and pleasant conversation. The guests were served to a delicious luncheon.

RETURNS FROM EASTERN TRIP.

A. M. Shibley of the Springwater neighborhood has recently returned from a visit to his old home in the East. At Shibley Point, Missouri, a town of which Mr. Shibley is founder his parents Jacob B. and Elizabeth Shibley are buried. After visiting their graves Mr. Shibley composed the following lines:

"Recollections come to me of when I was a child. I could almost hear my mother's voice singing:

Hush, my child, lie still and slumber,
Holy angels guard they bed,
Heavenly blessings without number,
Gently falling on thy head.

What tender memories reach far back through the years and cluster about the songs and words of our infancy. If there is one thing in all this world it is the soothing songs and words of our dear mother that help us over the rough places in our lives and brings to us the fairy land of an unforgetten home. Perhaps we can not remember all the words of the simple hymn that our mother sang to us when a child, but the gentle tune is in our heart indelible and all enduring. Our mother's song was low and sweet, and well remembered. I suppose I have heard more cultivated voices, but the sound is not so soothing and sweet.

GRANGE ENTERTAINMENT.

Eagle Creek, March 5.—An entertainment and basket social was given by Eagle Creek Grange, No. 297, Saturday evening, March 2.

There was present a goodly number and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The program was entertaining and very ably rendered. It was as follows:

Welcome song by the Grangers; recitation—"Kate Shelley's Bravery," Mrs. L. V. Gibson; recitation, Bernie Looney; song, "Under the Shade of The Old Apple Tree," Miss Freda Daus; dialogue, "Out All Around," Percy Forman, Misses Martha Zeek and Blanche Miller; recitation, "The Last Hymn," Mrs. Mary Brower; song, "I'll Be Busy All Next Week," Mildred Brower; tableau, representing Faith, Hope and Charity; recitation, "The Best Trade I Ever Made," Herman Daus; recitation, "The Parson's Donation," Miss Helen Brover; duet, Messrs. Joseph and Robert Cahill; play, "A Pair of Shoes," Misses Freda Daus, Dora Brackett and Minnie Steinman, Messrs. Guy Clester, Homer Glover, Marshall Allspaugh and Eugene McConnell; recitation, Guy Reynolds; song, "The Parting Hymn," by the Grangers.

After the program was rendered about 20 baskets were sold to the highest bidder, netting the sum of \$80.75, which will help to liquidate the indebtedness on the hall.

BUYS TIMBER LAND.

Shubel, March 6.—John Heft is busy clearing land.

Otto Moehne will finish sawing shingles this week.

G. A. Shubel had a horse seriously injured by barb wire one day last week.

E. W. Hornshuh has purchased 25 acres of timber land from what is known as the Hood claim near Maple Lane.

Oregon City R. No. 4 can hardly be included among the routes that are a thankless lot, as our carrier is frequently served to a cup of coffee and sometimes a warm meal by patrons of his route.

Misses Annie and Emma Grossmiller and Miss Mabel Clark spent a pleasant afternoon with Mrs. Robert Gunther, Friday last.

Many of the neighbors here attended the funeral of Mrs. Emil Staub who was buried in the Clarkes cemetery Sunday.

Our debating society had another successful meeting Saturday night. The question was, Resolved that War causes more misery than temperance, and was so decided by the judges. Our question next Saturday night is, Resolved that devotion to fashion is greater evil than the tobacco habit.

G. R. Miller is leader on the affirmative and Mrs. Ada Moehne leader on the negative.

SELLING POTATOES AND BEEF CATTLE.

Clarkes, March 6.—The month of March has brought frosty nights and cool winds.

The funeral of Mrs. Minnie Staub was held Sunday, March 3. It was a large funeral.

Rev. W. H. Wetlaufer is hauling lumber from Durst's saw mill.

Mr. Clark from Colton sold beef cattle and took them to Oswego last Saturday.

Mrs. Paulena Schruble is on the sick list and is very weak.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall from Portland came out to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Krender.

Henry and Joe, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Krender, came from Portland to make a visit.

Division 14 has a business meeting next Friday, March 8.

Wm. G. Kleinsmith came home to visit his family. He is still working in Portland.

Mrs. Carrie Tallman is ill and is confined to her bed, but was improving a little at this writing.

Pete Schiewe took a load of potatoes to town and sold them for 80c per sack to Mr. Jagger.

Roland Robinson cleaned 50 bushels of seed oats last Friday for Wm. Bottemiller.

LAND OF MILK AND HONEY AT SPRINGWATER

MORE BABIES.

Redland, March 6.—Farmers are taking advantage of the good weather by spraying their orchards and making garden.

Mrs. Ray Miller of Portland visited relatives here a few days ago.

Miss Ida Barrett of Cottage Grove was visiting her brother a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. A. O. Hollingsworth and son George visited relatives in Portland recently.

Mrs. F. F. Wilcox and Mr. Calkins, who were school mates in Wisconsin, more than thirty-five years ago, were talking over old times Sunday. This is the first they have met since they were children.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Brown are the proud possessor of a baby girl.

Dr. Rowland will preach at the Redland M. E. church next Thursday night and also Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

RHUBARB PIES IN ORDER.

Stafford, March 7.—Most of the farmers are getting well along with plowing and seeding. Some fields begin to look green, crocuses have been in bloom a number of weeks, and other early bulbs in bud. The busy housewife is having the yard cleaned and the good man looks well to his orchard and berries.

The new homeseekers in our midst from blizzard Dakota can hardly realize what month it is, as they go forth to plow, minus coat, minus ear-protectors.

Mr. Weddle went back to Ashland, Monday. He said he thought he wanted to sell out last fall when he left here, but Stafford looks pretty good to him, and he thinks he will keep his home.

Mrs. Geo. Bickel has started out as a book agent, and is in hopes of doing well. Said she made over nine dollars the first day, which was quite encouraging. Her sister at Oregon City takes care of her little girl.

The Rev. Mr. Waehlte preached to quite a full house Sunday evening. He is the German Baptist minister, but gives a sermon in English the first Sunday evening of each month.

Curly is better of his rheumatism. Will Fredrich is still quite ill at his father's home on the mountain.

Mr. Fredrick, and Mr. Gage, each sold one of the new comers a cow.

Smelt begin to travel out into the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Gage entertained a number of their neighbors on Tuesday evening.

Henry Schatz was out on business a few days ago.

Mrs. Elderhoff is no better.

Mr. Jaster's daughter died at Oregon City of cancer and was taken to her home for burial where a husband and five children mourn her demise.

Have you had any rhubarb pie?
Mr. Nimic has not sold his hops yet.

BUYING MORE TIMBER.

The supposed representative of some Eastern syndicate is still buying timber lands owned by settlers in the Eastern part of the county and paying cash for the goods. After purchasing several claims in the vicinity of Highland and Clarkes, the timber land buyer has made an onslaught on the Elwood neighborhood, and is making efforts for everything in sight that has a reasonable growth of commercial fir timber.

P. Cheavy has sold his 160 acre place to the timber land agent for \$4000 per acre, and other purchases have been made in the neighborhood. Before an offer has been made for a farm or tract of land, the timber is carefully cruised.

Cause of Stomach Troubles.

When a man has trouble with his stomach you may know that he is eating more than he should or of some article of food or drink not suited to his age or occupation or that his bowels are habitually constipated. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to regulate the bowels and improve the digestion and see if the trouble does not disappear. Ask for a free sample. Sold by Howell & Jones.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

B. F. Crocker, Esq., now 84 years of age, and for twenty years Justice of the Peace at Martinsburg, Iowa, says: "I am terribly afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my left arm and right hip. I have used three bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it did me lots of good." For sale by Howell & Jones.

Thirty days treatment for kidney and bladder trouble saved rheumatism for \$1.00.

Your money refunded if not satisfied. Pineules contain no alcohol. Do not derange the stomach. Easy to take. Sold by Huntley Bros.

Wayne Howard, who had been visiting at home for several days, returned Tuesday evening to Crabtree where he is engaged in business.

FRANK HABELT PASTURES HIS BEES ON WILD FLOWERS AND THEY THRIVE.

PURE PRODUCT WILL NOT SUGAR

Markets About Three Tons Annually—Change of Pasture Proves a Success and No Extra Feed Required.

When the early settlers discovered Springwater, located at the base of the Cascade mountains it was called "Horae Heaven" on account of the luxuriant growth of grass and wild flowers.

Since that time Springwater has become noted for the extraordinary quality of milk produced, a considerable quantity of the separated product being taken to the Stone creamery.

It also has become noted as the natural breeding place of the honey bee that thrives even late in the season on account of the late blooming flowers that thrive in the woods and mountains.

Frank Habelt employed in the local paper mills for several years, is now the owner of a desirable farm in the Springwater district, close up to the mountains, and has earned the title of the honey bee king of that section. He has the business reduced to a practical science, and what he don't know about bees wouldn't make a diminutive pamphlet.

His output of honey will average three tons or more annually, and he receives something in the neighborhood of \$3.75 per case—24 one-pound boxes. He usually keeps from 100 to 125 stands of bees each year, the number depending on the quantity of flowers in bloom in May of each season. About 45 pounds of honey is the average amount received from each colony. After the alaska and clover hay is cut, or soon after the Fourth of July Mr. Habelt moves the greater number of his stands of bees three miles further back into the mountains except a certain number that are kept on the home place for breeding purposes. Here on two or three burned off sections of land the elk weed or brewweed grows luxuriantly and blooms continuously from August to November. This weed grows to the height of two and three feet and produces a little white and yellow blossom. It affords luxuriant feed for the bees and is rich in honey nectar.

The stands and colonies of bees are left in the mountain location during the entire winter where they thrive without any feed. In the spring they are returned to the home place to feed on the early spring flowers, etc. The honey is taken from the hives before they are removed to the mountains, and again late in the fall, thus securing two harvests. This honey is the purest in the market, and purchasers assert that it will not candy even after being kept for months, as does the product where the bee food does not come entirely from Nature.

There is a great demand for Mr. Habelt's product among honey buyers as it is the pure stuff from Nature's laboratory, and will stand keeping in stock.

Mr. Habelt who was in Oregon City yesterday stated that he was busy now breeding queens.

RAILWAY COMPANY BUYING PROPERTY

M. V. Thomas of Bullrun, in Oregon City Tuesday, states that the Portland & Mount Hood Power and Electric company is making extensive purchases of lands in that section. Mr. Thomas sold 43 acres to the company for the consideration, it being the intention to use the acquired property as a reservoir site.

Mr. Thomas states that in addition to purchases made along the proposed line of railway, the company is acquiring tracts of timber lands back in the hills.

J. M. Turner, supervisor of the Willamette district, has been repairing the Democrat road leading from Turner's corner to Stafford. This roadway is so named for the reason that when William Brobst was commissioner from the West Side, the petitioners for the road were principally Democrats. It shortened the distance over the hill about one mile.

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