

FOURTH CELEBRATION WILL BE HELD

Citizens Meeting in the Council Chamber So Decided Monday Night

\$1200 NOW IN SIGHT

General Committee of Three Will Have the Matter in Charge With Power to Draft Others.

The Fourth of July committee and representative business men of the city met in the Council chamber Monday evening to canvass the returns made by the committee as to the funds subscribed, and found that about \$1200 had been pledged.

Mayor Caulfield was in the chair and after the report was read the meeting decided to continue the committee in the hopes that the remaining \$300, desired to complete the plans laid out, may be raised.

The question then up for consideration was, Shall we have the celebration? After considerable discussion by Messrs. A. L. Beatie, L. Adams, J. E. Jack, John Cooke, J. A. Tufts, E. E. Brodie and Capt. Shaw it was decided unanimously to celebrate.

Then followed a long discussion of how the celebration should be managed. Capt. Shaw was inclined to the side of appointing a full complement of committees, each with its own work to perform, and all to unite in making the day one long to be remembered. L. Adams, E. E. Brodie and John Cooke were inclined to the plan of naming a committee of three with power to ask assistance of others and to employ one or more experienced men if deemed wise. Finally a compromise was offered by the choice of president, secretary and treasurer, these three men to comprise an executive committee of three, with plenipotentiary powers. To this was later added an auditing committee of three aside from the first committee and its personal appointees.

The meeting named the three officers, as follows:

- President—Dr. A. L. Beatie. Secretary—E. E. Brodie. Treasurer—Mortimore Latourette.

Dr. Beatie asked the secretary to take the names of every one present that he might have material for his committee to draft from later on.

Capt. Shaw moved that a committee of three be named by the chair to be known as the auditing committee. This motion carried and Mayor Caulfield named John Adams, W. A. Huntley and J. E. Jack.

During the discussions of the evening it was brought out that the citizens on the hill did not feel that they were properly treated in the matter of the entertainment in one or more celebrations of the past. It was reported that hill residents expected the most of the entertainment to be pulled off on Main Street, but were of the opinion that the parade, after forming on Main street, should march up to Seventh street and out Seventh to the park and there have the speaking of the day. The sense of the meet-

ing was that the request was reasonable, and that whatever committees were named should hold these facts in mind in making up their program. The committee appointed will name the officers of the day, arrange for the speakers, appoint sub-committees and take general charge of the celebration.

HOME FOR FEEBLE MINDED.

Salem, Ore., May 28—The board of building commissioners have under consideration a group of farms located two miles south of this city as a site on which to erect the proposed institution for the benefit of the feeble minded of the state. Principal in the group are the holdings of James Coleman, who owns one thousand acres and will sell at \$75 an acre. Extensive buildings will be erected and this city is anxious for the institution to be erected here.

THROWN FROM HIS HORSE

Horseback riding may be a pleasure but three in this city can attest to the fact that even this pleasure has its pain. Douglas and Todd Wolfer, sons of Mr and Mrs. G. Wolfer of Third and Center streets were horseback riding on Fifth street last night—one riding and the other leading the steed—when the animal suddenly became frightened, and threw its rider. While trying to hold the fractious animal the other boy stumbled and fell, and the horse passed over his body, stepping on it as it crossed. The first boy was able to crawl to his feet and went home as quickly as possible. On arriving there he told of the accident, and said that his brother was killed.

Mr. Wolfer quickly jumped on a horse and started for the scene of the accident at breakneck speed, when his horse shied on Center street, throwing him over its head and severely bruising his knees on the crushed rock roadhead. Dr. Meissner was summoned with all possible haste and he dressed the wounds. He says that while all were severely bruised and shaken, no bones were broken. They are reported today as being much improved.

GENEROSITY OF DR M'LOUGHLIN.

The recent dedication of the cornerstone to the new McLoughlin school in this city has brought to light a number of anecdotes of interest to those who love the old Doctor for his work in Oregon. One told by A. H. Garrison relates how his uncle, a Methodist minister in Yamhill county, was saved from worry and suffering by the Doctor sending to him provisions sufficient to keep the wolf from the door through a hard winter. It seems that the old Doctor knew no creed when it came to a worthy case needing assistance. It is that, perhaps, more than anything else that led to the present esteem in which he is held by those who knew him.

Walter Gruel and E. Storm of Redlands are attending to business interests in this city.

MEMBERS OF G.A.R.

Visit the Barclay and Eastham Schools Tuesday

PROGRAMS BY PUPILS

All Grades Participate—Short Addresses by Visiting Members from the Grand Old Guard.

It has been the custom for a good many years for the veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic to visit the schools in Clackamas county. Tuesday, May 28, was the day chosen this year. At 10 a. m. the Barclay schools were visited by comrades J. C. Sawyer, George A. Harding, J. A. Tufts, H. Blankinsblp, and Color-Bearer Frank E. McArthur of New Era, and Rev. P. K. Hammond.

At the approach of the veterans four little girls dressed in white met them with roses and gave each a bouquet. Commander J. C. Sawyer, in a few remarks explained that while they would all enjoy the progress of the children they had brought with them a man to talk for them. He said that fifty years ago children did not have the opportunity of becoming speakers they have had in these later years, and gave up his place to Rev. P. K. Hammond who began by saying he considered it a pleasure and an honor to speak in behalf of the G. A. R. but as he had not prepared for a speech, meeting them on the street and obeying orders by coming, it would have to be short. He laughing said, "I expect you will be glad of that." He said he had heard of a man who after a somewhat lengthy talk to the children had asked if there was anything more they would like to have him say; a little boy rose up and said "Yes, say Amen and sit down."

He told them the noblest way to honor the flag was to hold themselves loyal to what the flag stood for. The program of the first, four grades was then carried out in the assembly hall, as follows:

- Second Grade. Opening Song, "Marching Through Georgia"..... Salute..... Song, "Gather the Flowers"..... First Grade... Concert Exercise, "Our Country and Our Flag"..... Second Grade. Song, "Soldier Boys"..... Two girls and two boys. Flag Drill.....Six Little Girls Third Grade. "We Love Our Flag"..... Claire Ulschoeff "The Dear Old Banner"..... Geneva Park Fourth Grade. Recitation, Cover them Over With Flowers"..... Edmond Bollack Song, "The Good Old U. S. A.".....

The upper grades in the Barclay schools joined in exercises in the High School room. Following is the program: America..... School Recitation, "Death of Stonewall Jackson"..... Hazel Gunther Whistling Solo, "Star Spangled Banner"..... Harold Swafford Song, "Our Country's Grant"..... Sixth Grade Recitation, "Barbara Frietchie"..... Winnie Jackson Song, "Fling Out the Joyful Tidings"..... Girls of Seventh Grade Recitation, "You Put No Flowers on My Papa's Grave,"..... Myrtle Cross Whistling Solo, "Listen to the Mocking Bird,"..... Harold Swafford Song, "Marching Thro' Georgia"..... School The decorations over the building were beautiful, the arrangement of the sweetbrier in the lower hall was particularly effective and there were many bouquets of roses. The two high rooms upstairs were thrown together where the exercises of the higher grades were held. The decorations here consisted of flags, bunting, red, white and blue flowers, Barclay school pennants and wreaths of Oregon grape, tastefully arranged by the pupils of the high school.

Rev. Hamond spoke again to the older children and kindly admonished them to resolve in their work or play to make of themselves good citizens

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BRIDGE REPAIRS

Will Now Go Forward as Rapidly as Possible

CABLES TO BE CUT

And Steel Extension Inserted Without Further Delay.—Steel Repairs for West End Towers Ready.

Work on the repairs to the suspension bridge across the Willamette river at Seventh street is being pushed as fast as possible. There has been considerable delay in securing the steel supports to be placed across the top of the abutments, designed to carry the saddle over which the cables run, but this having been accomplished the work of putting them into position will be rushed to completion. The clamps for use in holding the cables while the new steel extensions are put into place have arrived, and work on that portion of the repairs can now go forward.

The only men working the past week have been the carpenters, and their portion of the work having been pushed ahead of the other repairs, the men employed on that portion of the work were given a temporary lay-off Tuesday.

The towers at the west end of the bridge have been reinforced and are now practically new. They have been extended four feet above the old cable level, and it is this extension that is expected to furnish the leverage for raising the cable while the new steel eyebeams are being put in place. Eight screws will be brought to bear on the cable from the cross-pieces at the top of this extension and it is believed that the cable can be lifted high enough to allow of the insertion of these new steel eyebeams and a new saddle, with which the cable is supported when in proper place.

In order to raise the cable it will be necessary to take the slack from the center of the bridge—that is to raise it above its present level—sufficiently to permit of the insertion of the new portions of the bridge. This it is believed, can be accomplished.

The towers at the east end of the bridge are in fair condition. The decay at the west towers comes from the giving way of the saddle and its supports, due to the greater strain on that portion of the bridge.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS MRS. MCKINLEY'S FUNERAL

If no new complications arise it is believed that the bridge will be ready to open to public traffic within a week or ten days.

DECIDE ON ROUND TABLE.

The executive committee of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua has decided on the installation of a Round Table, or parliament. Meetings will be held daily from 11 to 12 noon, with Mrs. Eva Emory Dye in charge. All interests will be given consideration by Mrs. Dye, and an effort will be put forth to make it one of the most profitable features of the Chautauqua. This same feature was in vogue several years ago, with daily sessions at 5 p. m., but the interest in baseball called more loudly than the interests of parliament and so it was discontinued by the association. With Mrs. Dye as leader the executive committee feel that this season the Round Table will not only take on a new lease on life but that it will become one of the more popular features of the big show.

SOCIALISTS WILL MEET SUNDAY.

The Socialists will hold their regular monthly meeting next Sunday in Knapp's hall at 1:30 p. m. The program will consist of several addresses and a debate on the question of the attitude of the Socialists on the question goodness and unselfishness. The proposed celebration on the Fourth of July will be discussed and full plans announced. This will be the first time in Clackamas county that the Socialists have made a special demonstration on the Fourth and the American revolution will be revealed in the light the Socialists see it. Several business propositions will come before the meeting for consideration.

Bitten By Strange Dog.

The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hughes of Abernathy was severely bitten by a dog Monday afternoon. The child started to play with the dog when the animal, which is a strange one, resented the child's caresses, and bit her severely on the face, leaving cuts on her cheek, nose and forehead. Dr. Stuart was summoned, and alleviated the pain as far as possible. Today she is reported as much improved.

Mrs. J. E. Jack was in Portland the last of the week to meet her uncle, A. J. Miller, of Tacoma, Wash., who was on his way to Brooklyn to join Mrs. Jack's father in a visit to their sister in that eastern city.

President and Cabinet Members Pay Last Respects to Dead

CZOLGOSZ'S BROTHER

Reported in Canton to Assault President Roosevelt—Detectives Could Not Locate Him—All Quiet.

Canton, Ohio, May 29—The funeral of Abbie Saxton McKinley, the widow of the late President McKinley, was largely attended by friends in this city this afternoon. The remains were interred by the side of the late President.

Those present from abroad included President Roosevelt, Secretary to the President Loeb, Secretaries Root, Wilson and Garfield and General Corbin.

There were rumors afloat that the brother of McKinley's assassin, Michael Czolgosz, was in Canton with designs on the life of President Roosevelt. Detectives were on the lookout for his appearance or for any special demonstration of a hostile nature, but none occurred, and no trace could be found of the suspected Czolgosz.

GENERAL WEATHER SUMMARY.

The past week, on the whole, was very favorable. Good rains fell on three days in southern Oregon and in the southern coast counties. Elsewhere there was a light fall of rain in scattered places in one day, and the weather generally was partly cloudy, with no high winds. The temperatures averaged below normal everywhere except in the Willamette valley, where it was warmer than usual, both during the day time and at night. The early part of the week was the coolest, and the last two days were the warmest. Light frosts occurred in some of the eastern counties on the 21st and 22nd, but they did no harm of consequence. Notwithstanding the sunshine was deficient, and there was considerable fog in the coast counties, the afternoons, as a rule, were mild and pleasant.

John Vick, Jr., of Molalla is in the city on business.

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