

THE GRANGE

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THE GRANGE NEED NOW.

The "Sign of Caution" is Necessary on Account of Increasing Membership. [Special Correspondence.]

I am just home from the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the first grange organized in the world, at Fredonia, N. Y. It was a notable occasion. The master of the national grange, the executive committee of the national grange, master of the state grange and past officials of the national and state granges were present, together with many visitors from adjoining states and counties.

Forty years have passed since our Order commenced its pilgrimage. Its first years of journeying were slow; various and many were the obstacles it had to overcome, trials to endure. The Egyptians took off its chariot wheels, and they draw heavily, but it has ever gone onward.

It seems to me there is need of the "sign of caution" right now. In the form of prayers in one of our churches occur these words: "In all time of our prosperity, good Lord, deliver us; pride goeth before a fall." It is not who to take in, but who to keep out, now that it is fashionable to join the grange and the tide is running strong in that direction.

SALARIES OF OFFICIALS.

A Question Asked and Answered on Salary of National Officers. Will the editor of the grange department tell us what salaries the various national grange officers receive?

At the last meeting of the national grange the finance committee submitted its report on this matter, which was adopted. In brief it was as follows: The officers and voting members of the national grange receive \$3 per day for time occupied in traveling to and from the place of meeting and for time of attendance during the session and 3 cents a mile for the distance traveled to and from the meeting by the most practical route.

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OREGON GRANGE FAIRS.

State Master Buxton Te... the Advantage of Such Exhibitions. A. S. Buxton, master of the Oregon state grange, believes that grange fairs serve a very useful purpose to the Order in two ways:

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Second.—These fairs are attracting a great deal of favorable attention from the press and the public. Every one sees that the grange is fostering what is universally recognized as a valuable line of work. At many of these fairs as well as at the state fair speakers have been provided who have in this way been able to present the work of the grange and its claims for their support to thousands who could not otherwise have been reached.

Grange No. 1283, Clearfield county, Pa., surely ought to go straight. Among its eighty members there are ten schoolteachers and three justices of the peace.

Seven Years of Proof.

"I have had seven years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of the throat, chest or lungs," says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for cough and colds, la grippe, asthma, hay fever, bronchitis, hemorrhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. It timely use always prevents the development of pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at Jones' Drug Store, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A NICE BIT OF ... NECROMANCY.

(Original.) The first prestidigitator to attract wide attention in America was Signor Blitz half a century ago.

One day the little caravan came upon a man who was crazed with distress. He had been traveling with his wife and two children in a single wagon. For some reason he had left them for a few hours and when he returned found his wagon plundered of its contents, his stock run off and his wife and children missing.

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The weight was connected by wires with a powerful magnet, the current being turned on or off by a key under Blitz's foot. Blitz next took up a pistol and invited the chief to come back and kill him with it. The chief, in hopes of redeeming himself before his warriors, returned. Blitz offered him a cup with leaden bullets in it and asked him to take out one and mark it so that he would know it again. The redskin did as he was told. Blitz took the bullet, put it in the pistol, cocked the weapon, handed it to the Indian, stood off at the other end of the stage and told him to fire.

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The Squatter.

[Copyright, 1909, by T. C. McClure.] One day when Pop Jackson, the squatter, was sitting in the sunshine with his back against the wall of his pole cabin, an event happened.

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"Now, then, what you all don't yere?" "Surveying" was the brief reply. "What fur?" "A railroad." "One o' them things that hoots and draws kyars behind 'em?" "Yes."

"Then git off my squatt! You all can't build no railroad yere. I don't want the hootin', and I won't have it." The men laughed at him, and he went to the cabin and got his gun and threatened them: "For this he was arrested and given three months in jail. His old wife and his son Joe took it philosophically."

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WAS PIONEER PAPERMAKER

WILLIAM LEWTHWAITE, WHO IN STALLED CLACKAMAS MILL, PASSES AWAY.

BORN ON ISLE OF MAN

Retired From Paper Mill Business 24 Years Ago and Lived on a Farm at Clackamas Until His Death.

The funeral of the late William Lewthwaite took place Monday afternoon at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Effie Gay, at Gladstone, under the auspices of Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., of which deceased was a member. Rev. T. F. Bowen, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, was the officiating clergyman. The interment was in Clackamas Cemetery.

Mr. Lewthwaite died last Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Gladstone. He was born in Douglas, Isle of Man, January 10, 1838, and in 1855 he left home and sailed to different places until 1858, when he arrived at San Francisco, where he worked at mining for some time and then went into the paper mill business.

MRS. M. HENRY IS DEAD.

Born in Ireland in 1843 and Lived in Oregon City Nine Years. Mrs. Margaret Henry died at 10:30 o'clock Saturday night at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Hanflin, 514 Fourteenth street, after a long and painful illness.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Catherine Murphy of Hamilton, Ontario, and Mrs. Herbert Hanflin, of Oregon City, and three brothers, J. and D. Foley, of Ontario, and T. J. Foley of Chicago. The funeral service took place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at St. John's Catholic Church, and the body was taken by Herbert Hanflin to Hamilton, Ontario, where the interment will occur. Mrs. Henry's husband died many years ago.

Mrs. Daniel Williams Dies.

At the St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, Mrs. Daniel Williams died at 5:30 o'clock Friday morning. Mrs. Williams had been ill for several months, and as a last resort was taken to Portland for an operation. She was born at Lansdowney, Carmarthenshire, Wales, December 31, 1840, and at her death had just passed her 65th birthday. She leaves a husband, three daughters and one son—Mrs. E. H. Barker, of Seattle; Mrs. C. G. Norberg and Mrs. J. E. Salmons, of Kellogg, Idaho, and Hiram Williams, of Koeber, Cal. Her son, Daniel W., Jr., died last April. Mrs. Williams has been a worthy member of the Congregational Church ever since she was a young girl.

George Diebro.

The funeral of George Diebro, who died at his home in Woodstock, January 2, aged 64, was held Monday at Felin Chapel, and the body will be held for shipment to Chicago. Mr. Diebro removed from Chicago to Oregon City, and thence to Portland a short time ago, starting the erection of an attractive home at Woodstock, where he planned to live. He leaves a widow. He was a man of considerable means and made many friends during the short time he had lived in that suburb.

William Scanlan of Beaver Creek.

The funeral of the late William Scanlan took place Monday morning at St. John's Catholic Church, Requiem Mass being offered by the pastor, Rev. A. Hillebrand. Mr. Scanlan died at his home in Beaver Creek last Saturday. The interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

Mrs. Rebecca C. Clark.

Mrs. Rebecca C. Clark, wife of T. Gilbert Clark, of Mount Pleasant, died at 1 A. M. Tuesday, January 5. She had suffered from consumption for several months.

Mrs. Olive Maud Green.

Mrs. Olive Maud Green died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. La Doex, of Parkplace, Oregon, on December 28, 1908, aged 24 years. Last April Mrs. Green came from Little Falls, Minn., and soon after her arrival was taken down at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Clyde with typhoid fever, finally resulting in that dread disease consumption, which was the cause of her death.

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The Satisfaction of Getting Real Bargains

Those who have taken advantage of our GREAT MONEY-RAISING SALE have been fully satisfied of the Tremendous Bargains we have been offering during this sale. Our supreme effort during this sale is centered on disposition of the lines itemized below:

- \$12.50 to \$15 Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats \$ 8.35
- \$18 to \$20 Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats \$13.25
- \$25.50 to \$25 Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats \$16.25
- \$27.50 to \$35 Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats \$19.25

Which includes such well-known makes as Michaels, Stern & Co. and W. S. Peck & Co. of the latest fabrics and hand tailored throughout. Sizes 32 to 46.

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FETE OF NATIONS.

Mount Pleasant Club Gives Very Successful Entertainment. The Fete of Nations given by the Mount Pleasant Civic Improvement Club in the assembly room of the school house was one of the most successful entertainments ever given by this organization, the proceeds of the evening amounting to \$20.65.

MRS. REBECCA T. BRAY.

Was Daughter of Late County Judge White, of Clackamas County. News was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Rebecca T. Bray, at Seattle at 10 o'clock Tuesday night, after a long illness. She was the daughter of the late Colonel White, who was county judge of Clackamas County when the present court house was constructed.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters at the Oregon City postoffice for week ending January 8: Woman's List—Gess, Mrs. C.; Mast-ching, Martha; Small, Mrs. W.; Men's List—Deering, Ash; Davis, E.; Gregory, Arthur; Lunceford, Leonard; Leonard, Edwin; Smith, W. H.; Thornton, Joe A.

Piles! Piles! Piles!

Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, always itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and Itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00, Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O. For sale by Jones Drug Co.

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Womanly Wisdom.

There's never a trouble that comes to stay; There's never a grievance but fades away; Forget the heart-ache and bravely lend A helping hand to some sadder friend.

STEP IN PLEASE!

We want you to closely examine our Dried Apricots at 12 1/2c a pound. They are something that everybody fancies once they learn their fine quality.

- Extra Dried Peaches 10c lb.
- Large Italian Prunes 7 1/2c lb.
- Mission Figs 10c lb.

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8th and Main Streets

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