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CLACKAMAS MAN MAKES BIG "HIT" AT SALEM

SALM, Feb. 19.—(Special)—Lord Byron went to sleep one night and awoke the next morning to find himself famous. Harvey Cross of Oregon City, is neither a poet, nor a publicity seeker, but a plain plug of the plain people, but he went Lord Byron one

Oregon Legislature yesterday as such a plain plug for the common people of his little old county, and 15 minutes or so afterward when he sat better. He arose in his seat in the down he was a celebrity. He made a speech that will be talked about in legislative annals when flag waving, the little red schoolhouse and all of the old stock in trade speeches have been laid away and forgotten.

Harvey Cross stepped out against a seething, mad multitude of legislators who were bound and determined to pass the McFarland bill, taking a slice off from Clackamas county and he stepped out all alone and plugged up the deal. No one in the house who knew what was going on when the steps for reprisal were being taken, particularly against Chris Schuebel, thought that Cross even had a ghost of a show.

"Let him talk," they were whispering. "Let him go as far as he likes and then we will put it over."

That is where they made their mistake. They let him talk, and as he talked, one by one the boys began seeing the error of their ways and some of the more radical wished that they hadn't let him start in at all.

While he only talked them into an adjournment as far as last night was concerned, it was one of the most signal victories any man has ever pulled off in the legislature by the bare use of his gift of gab.

It isn't much use trying to tell just what Harvey said to the boys to win them over, because his little spiel was so interjected with swift humorous jabs, parries and counterjabs that it would be impossible to transfer them to paper and get the proper effect.

But if anyone in Oregon City or Clackamas county doubts that he saved the day for the old county for one day at least, all they have to do is to ask any of the members of the lower house, or any of the hundred or so people who were in the galleries and they will tell you about just what kind of a stunt he pulled off.

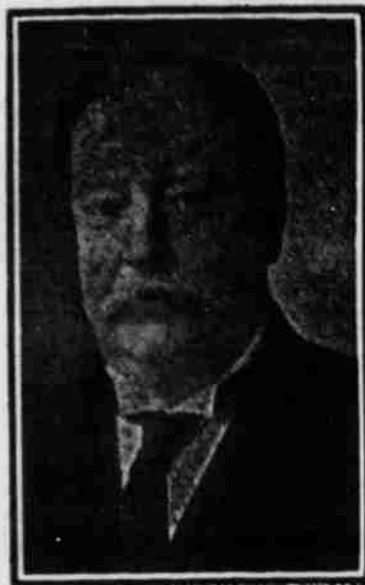
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ADDRESS GIVEN BY W. H. TAFT IN PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Oregon, Feb. 17.—Working for the first time with the concrete provisions for a league of nations, as proposed by the allied powers at the peace conference, lying before them as proof of how far human



William Howard Taft.

opinion has advanced toward the realization of the ideal they have been advocating, the delegates to the North-west conference of the League to Enforce Peace have entered upon the formal work of the conference with intense enthusiasm.

Visiting representatives from Eastern districts assert that the energy displayed in the present convention is the greatest they have yet encountered, and attribute this enthusiasm largely to the consciousness that is here, that in the constitution of the League of Nations, we have been ginning, at least, of the realization of the aims toward which the League to Enforce Peace is working.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Teachers institute was held at the high school Saturday with an attendance of about 75. The interest was good and Prof. W. A. McKinley, of Lincoln high school, gave a splendid talk on "English and Latin." Other speakers and a good program was enjoyed and dinner served by the ladies of the grange was very much appreciated.

There will be a basket ball game Friday evening between Milwaukie and Canby in the school gymnasium. Admission 15 cents for high school students and 25 cents for all outsiders.

TEACHERS' MEETING AT MILWAUKIE WAS VERY INSTRUCTIVE

An enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Clackamas County Teachers' Association was held at Milwaukie Saturday and many subjects of interest were discussed.

One of the main features of the day was the address by Professor A. P. McKinley of the Lincoln high school, Portland. He spoke on "The Most Vocational Subject." His theme was on Latin and he had many fine printed charts on the subject. He brought out the fact that Latin was essential to all vocations and the address was thoroughly enjoyed.

Miss Winnifred Hayes of Washington high school, Portland, gave a very interesting address on "English" which was well received.

State Superintendent J. A. Churchill gave an address on "Needs of the Schools," and a great many important features were brought out in the address.

The Grange provided a fine dinner to those in attendance.

MILITARY TRAINING EQUIPMENT TO BE GIVEN O. A. C. BY U. S.

O. A. C., CORVALLIS, Feb. 17.—That "his college will be expected by the government to carry on military work on a larger scale than at first contemplated, is indicated by a letter received by President W. J. Kerr. The college was asked to organize and maintain a unit of either field artillery or coast artillery. The question of which branch to choose has been referred by President W. J. Kerr to a special committee consisting of Colonel Alfred C. Sharpe, commandant, and Dean G. A. Covell of the school of engineering, who will investigate the situation and submit recommendations.

The government contemplates sending much military equipment to the college and the assignment of five special instructors to take charge of the specialized military features of the work, including instruction and

LOCALS

A surprise birthday party was given George Merriott, Thursday evening, February 13, 1919, at his home. Those present were: Alyce Funk, Opal Dowling, Margaret Spallaine, Ethel Knapp, Margaret Mills, Ruth Hart, Frances Harber, Muriel Payne, Beatie Sharron, Bernice Collins, Elizabeth Hart, Charlotte Merriott, Mrs. Merriott, Esther Henderson, George Merriott, Willis Pace, Danton Pace, Cecil McDonald, Raymond Thompson, Lewis Martin, Marvin Shrock, Ralph Gledhill, Clarke Miller, Everett Baker, Earl Shuber, Keith Snow, George Bohrer, Leslie Lane, Irvin Jackson, Harold Kukes, and Robert Henderson. Games were played and light refreshments were served. Everyone enjoyed themselves immensely and went home at an early hour.

A. M. Hamblin and family of Boston, Mass., have moved to the J. W. Ray house in the Quincy addition. Mr. Hamblin works on the Oregonian.

Mrs. Mullen suffered a stroke of paralysis last Saturday and is quite ill from the effects of the stroke yet. Dr. Besson is attending the aged lady and hopes are held for her recovery.

Wayne Arnold of Courtney station, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Arnold, arrived home from France Friday. Sergeant Arnold served at the Mexican border with Battery A and went to France with Battery B. Later he was transferred to another unit with two comrades and was sent home with that unit. Battery B is still in France. Sergeant Arnold was in action on the front lines for several months but must have had a horse shoe and rabbits foot with him for luck as he came out without injury and is in the very best of health and glad to be back in old Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wissinger returned from a 10 days trip to Hood River, Saturday. Mr. Wissinger is recovering from an attack of the influenza.

Edward Lee is home on a visit for a few days before reporting at Camp Lewis. Private Lee, a member of Battery B, 147 regiment was severely injured on west front early in August, since then he has been in many hospitals, but he has nearly recovered and will soon be discharged.

A business meeting of the Red Cross will be held on Thursday. Miss Minn, the president, called the meeting to order. The report of the work done was given by Mrs. Wellman and includes all work done since the summer vacation. 40 pinafores, 40 refugee shirts, 25 convalescent robes, 86 sweaters, 53 pair socks, 4 helmets, 1 pair wristlets. There is plenty of work on hand.

The regular monthly meeting of the Milwaukie grange was held Saturday with a good attendance and a very good program was given in the afternoon. At noon the grange served a grange

dinner to the teachers attending the institute at the high school building.

Several of the members of the Oregon Field Artillery auxiliary to Batteries A and B, attended a meeting at the court house Tuesday evening where arrangements were made to give a reception to all of the boys of Battery A and B who have returned from over seas. The reception will be held February 27. A strong protest was voted against the proposed action in congress to deprive the overseas men of their gold service stripes. The matter will be taken up with the auxiliary committee.

The Milwaukie grange held a business session Saturday morning. In the afternoon an open session was held with a goodly number of strangers and visitors present. At roll call each member responded with one war time practice that would be well to continue in peace times. As February 14th was the anniversary of the admission of Oregon to the union, H. G. Starkweather gave a very interesting talk on state affairs, sketching briefly its early history, resources, beauty and advantages of Oregon writers, Markham, Miller, Dunniway, Sam Simpson, Harvey Scott and others. Following him Mr. Wetherell added many more interesting facts concerning Oregon and closed by reciting "Beautiful Will."

PARK HAS NEW MANAGER.

A. H. Dowling of Milwaukie, has leased Riverside Park and will give the opening dance of the season next Sunday afternoon. Mr. Dowling has received a permit from the town council to conduct the park and he has secured a fine orchestra to furnish music during the season.

Mr. Dowling has been dance inspector at Crystal Lake park for several seasons and is well known to the dancing public as a strict manager who will not permit any rough dancing where he has charge. Riverside park is a beautiful spot and in the hands of a careful manager can be made a source of pleasure to the public.

We wish Mr. Dowling success in the venture and hope under his management it can be made a credit to the town.

CONGRESS URGED TO PASS MEMORIAL TO GUARD WATER SUPPLY

SALM, Feb. 17.—The house today passed the senate memorial urging congress to pass Hawley's bill withdrawing lands in watersheds as a protection to the municipal water supplies for Oregon City and Corvallis. Representative Cross declared it of utmost importance that this legislation be passed and it was also supported by Lafferty, of Benton county.

LICENSE TO WED

Gertrude Wesenberg, 19, of this county, and Gustaf R. Robertson, 30, of Portland, were granted a license to wed Saturday, and Florence Yoder, 25, of Molalla, and Ernest Gus Gaddat, 27, of Portland, and Florence Yoder, Saturday.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas, Martha Burka, Plaintiff,

vs. Jacob Burka, Defendant.

To Jacob Burka, the above named defendant:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the expiration of six weeks from the

date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit, on or before the 20th day of March, 1919, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in plaintiff's complaint, to-wit: For a decree of the Court, forever dissolving the marriage contract, heretofore, and now, existing between plaintiff and defendant, and restoring to plaintiff her former name of Martha Broux, and for such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and equitable.

This summons is served upon you, by publication thereof, once each week, for six consecutive weeks, in the Milwaukie Press, a newspaper of general circulation, published at Milwaukie, in the County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, pursuant to an order of the Honorable J. U. Campbell, Judge of the above entitled Court, made and entered on the 5th day of February, 1919.

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