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March 3 in American History.

1823—Dr. Dio Lewis, noted hygienist, born; died 1893. 1899—Rear Admiral George Dewey became admiral by the operation of the law reviving that rank.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 5:54, rises 6:29; moon rises 6:20 p. m.; 3:30 a. m., eastern time, Jupiter's satellite No. 2 missing, being in transit across face of planet.

HOW A MINORITY HOLDS MISSOURI.

In the last Missouri election, that of November, 1910, the total vote was, Republican 223,074, Democratic 319,909, Socialist 19,831, Prohibitionist 6720, Socialist Labor 2229. The Democratic vote was smaller than the Republican vote, and 15,900 less than half the total vote. At the same time a legislature was elected and the State Senate, as for forty years past, was strongly Democratic. The division of parties in the State Senate was, Democrats 22, Republicans 12. Half the State Senate of 1909 held over. That was made up of Democrats 23, Republicans 11. The Democratic lead in this body has been two to one for many years, and remains just the same when the Democrats lose in the popular vote of Missouri. It will be seen that the State Senate is no longer subject to party change in elections. One party has a two-to-one majority nailed down, no matter how the people vote. At the last election the Democrats polled only 47 per cent of the total vote of

the State, but their share of State senators was 64 per cent. The trick is turned by crooked districting. For forty years the State Senate has been continuously Democratic and is Democratic now by the surprising disparity of two to one, though the State went Republican at the last election. Voters of other parties and independent voters are equally sufferers with Republicans. This surprising block of Democrats in the State Senate holds one branch of the legislature no matter how the vote of Missouri goes, and to hold one branch is sufficient to defeat any change in the laws of the State. Only one way seems open by which this outrage on a representative form of government can be redressed. The voters of the State can do the districting themselves by the initiative and the question will thus be put up to them next November. A petrified State Senate has much to do with the decline of population in seventy Missouri counties. Intelligent, progressive legislation is impossible as long as the incubus defies the ballot.

LANE DECLINES TO ENTER SENATE RACE

PORTLAND, March 2. (Special)—Dr. Harry Lane will not be a candidate for United States senator, or for any other office at the coming primary election. After long consideration, during which he has been the center of political attention in both parties, he flatly declares he has resolved to keep out of the political whirlpool. "I will not be a candidate because I do not want the office of United States senator badly enough to make a campaign for it," he said. "I have all along been personally disinclined to go out and make the fight that would be necessary if I entered the campaign. I believe if I became a candidate I could win, because I could go out and show the people wherein the leading Republican candidates do not stand in position to give this state the right kind of representation at Washington. I have not considered what the political effect may or may not be. I have reached my decision solely for the reason I stated before, that I do not want the office enough to make the campaign. It would be a great honor, and I appreciate the nice things that some people have said of me in urging me to run, but my mind is fully made up. "No, I will not be a candidate for Congress. If I were to seek any office now it would be United States senator. I am seeking no office at all." Dr. Lane's decision leaves a list of three Democratic candidates for United States senator. These are Walter M. Pierce, of Hot Lake; Milton A. Miller, of Lebanon, and Oliver Perry Cohen, of Roseburg. Miller is a member of the state senate and both the other aspirants formerly served in that body. All three are actively seeking the nomination. With no candidate among the Democrats from Portland the three outsiders will fight for the Multnomah vote on equal terms, and the result will be watched with peculiar interest.

Wants, For Sale, Etc.

Notices under these classified headings will be inserted at the rate of 10c per line per week. Cash must accompany order unless an account with the paper. No responsibility for errors; special errors occur free corrected notice will be printed for patron. Minimum charge 10c.

WANTED—Everybody to know that I carry the largest stock of second-hand furniture in town. Tourists or local people looking for curios Indian arrow heads, old stamps or Indian trinkets should see me. Will buy anything of value. George Young, Main street, near Fifth.

We will buy General and Road Fund Oregon City warrants. The Bank of Oregon City.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire O care Enterprise.

FOR SALE—Having leased my place, I have for sale 7 head fine young horses, also 2 buglies and 1 surrey. W. M. Robinson, Oregon City, R. F. F. No. 5 Tel. Farmers 76.

FOR SALE—Pure bred S. C. White Leghorn and S. C. Buff Orpington eggs for hatching. Christian Meyer, Molalla ave., home phone, Beaver Creek, A-35.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

IMPROVED and unimproved building lots for sale. Lots in Oregon City \$150 to \$200. Lots in city of Glacstone \$225 and upward, half cash, balance monthly installments, 100 ft. square, (2 lots), in Sellwood, (Portland), \$3,000, half cash, terms on balance. Also have several desirable residences for sale on easy terms. William Beard, owner, 1902 Molalla avenue, Oregon City.

FOUND.

FOUND—A nice bunch of blue chambray shirts; will fit most any man. Owners can have same by calling and paying small charge. Stafford's Bargain Store, 608 Main St.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Good comfortable five room house in Canemah; 4 lots, \$6. Cross & Hammond.

WOOD AND COAL.

OREGON CITY WOOD AND FUEL CO., F. M. Blumh. Wood and coal delivered to all parts of the city. SAWING A SPECIALTY. Phone your orders Pacific 3502, Home B 110.

FARM LOANS.

FARM LOANS—Dimick & Dimick, Lawyers, Oregon City, Or.

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U'REN & SCHUEBEL, Attorneys-at-Law, Deutscher Advokat, will practice in all courts, make collections and settlements. Office in Enterprise Bldg., Oregon City, Oregon.

INSURANCE.

E. H. COOPER, For Fire Insurance and Real Estate. Let us handle your properties—buy, sell and exchange. Office in Enterprise Bldg., Oregon City, Oregon.

PIANO TUNING.

PIANO TUNING—If you want your piano tuned, at moderate cost, notify Piano-Tuner at Electric Hotel. Strongly endorsed by the director of the Philharmonic, who will personally vouch for his work.

SPRAYING.

TREE SPRAYING—We are prepared to spray fruit trees with best of spray. Guaranteed satisfaction. John Gleason. Phone 1611.

DYEING AND STEAM CLEANING.

OREGON CITY DYE WORKS—319 Main street, French dry and steam cleaning, Renforcing, alterations and reeling. Ladies' and gent's clothing of all kind cleaned, pressed and dyed. Curtains, carpets, blankets, furs and auto covers. All work called for and delivered. Phone Main 389. Mrs. J. Tamblin and Mrs. Frank Silvey.

PROPOSAL INVITED.

Bids will be received for the erection of an addition to the Willamette school building until 5 P. M. Monday, March 4th. Work to start June 1, to be finished September 1, 1912. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. A certified check for \$100.00 must accompany all bids as a guarantee of good faith. Plans and specifications can be had of G. S. Rogers at Rury jewelry store, Masonic building, Main street, Oregon City, Or.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LADIES—Spring hats are ripening. Better call and pick one. Stafford's Bargain store, Corner 6th and Main.

ORCHESTRA DRAWS 3 FINE MUSICIANS

The fame of the Oregon City Philharmonic Orchestra has traveled a long way for letters are received by Director Johnston as well as the Publicity Bureau of the Commercial Club from points as far distant as Helena, Ark., from competent musicians who are desirous of coming to Oregon City. The Arkansas man, who is on his way here, is a civil service employe and is trying to arrange with Postmaster Randall for a possible transfer here. He is a widely experienced trap drummer and tympani player, and has his own instruments. Arnold Kohler, flautist, is perhaps the most valuable acquisition the orchestra has had for some time. He is in business here, but he has had a wide experience as a band musician. In Gustave G. Fletcher, Oregon City has gained a valuable man. Five years in a German army regimental band, followed by three or four years in Uncle Sam's cavalry band work, has given Mr. Fletcher much scope and practical experience.

Special at Jones' Drug Store Quality and Quantity of Flowers Carnations 50c Doz. Daffodils 25c Doz. Oregon Violets 25c Doz. Sweet Peas 25c Doz. Also Potted Plants and Ferns. Orders taken for floral work and decorations for all occasions.

CLEAN SANITARY THE NEW WRAPPED LOAF BLUE RIBBON BREAD FOR THE PARTICULAR CUSTOMER At Your Grocers in Oregon City. SWEET DELICIOUS Made by the Log Cabin Baking Co.

MISSIONARIES SLAIN; POWERS SEND TROOPS PEKIN, March 2.—Many missionaries have been slaughtered by mutineers who rose last night in Pao-Ting Fu, according to a report received here today. It is thought probable, however, in well informed circles, that only one or two have been killed. It is believed they are Roman Catholics. Many civilians are killed. It is reported and the soldiers looted a large number of stores. There was a recurrence of serious disorder here today when a detachment of artillery, headed by a band, marched to the palace of Duke Kuel-Hsian, father of the Empress Dowager, and shelled down the gate. They looted much property and burned a portion of the palace. The foreign ministers here, after a conference, have decided to bring into Pekin all the available foreign troops stationed in adjacent parts of China. A force of 1000 troops of various nationalities will arrive here tomorrow. A strong detachment of United States troops has been ordered to come from Tientsin immediately. The populace has been notified that all persons found in the streets at night after 8 o'clock will be shot. The soldiers of the Imperial Guard and those belonging to Chang Huan Chi's army are now nominally in control of Pekin. It remains to be seen whether they are much better than mutineers. The army commanded by Chang Huan Chi last night were themselves engaged in looting they fought the looters today outside the city. Prisoners were summarily decapitated and many headless bodies are lying in the streets. In the distant part of these West City considerable trouble occurred. Whole streets of shops were looted and many houses were set on fire. The civilian populace has armed and fortified private premises, while barricades were erected in the streets.

MRS. C. N. LEWIS DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS Mrs. Mary Lewis, wife of C. N. Lewis, died at her home on Fifth and Monroe streets Saturday morning at 1 o'clock, after an illness of five months. The funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence, and the interment will be in the Mountain View cemetery. EBY GOES TO SEATTLE TO REPRESENT CLIENT O. D. Eby will go to Seattle today to represent the defendants in the suit of C. M. Hayes against N. Edwards and wife of this county. Edwards formerly was foreman at Wall Lake, Wash., for the Columbia River Orchards Company, where he bought goods from a store upon the order of the company. The suit involves merchandise valued at \$800. BURGLARS FIND KEY AND STEAL JEWELRY Several articles of jewelry were stolen from the Kibberling home on Jefferson street, between Eighth and Ninth, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Kibberling, upon leaving home shortly after noon, placed the front door key under a door mat where her son could find it when he returned home from school. It is thought that the burglars saw her when she left the house, for they entered through the front door. The jewelry was stolen from a trunk. Turner Estate \$10,000. County Judge Beatle Saturday named Mrs. Kate E. Turner administratrix of the estate of the late Albert F. Turner, of Stafford. The estate is valued at \$10,000. The Morning Enterprise is the best breakfast food you can have.

FRUIT EXPERTS URGE SPRAYING OF TREES

W. M. Williamson, secretary of the State Board of Horticulture, C. Goodrich, commissioner of the First Horticultural District; O. E. Freytag, County Fruit Inspector, and M. J. Lazelle, secretary of the Promotion Department of the Commercial Club, addressed an enthusiastic meeting at Twilight Saturday night on "Taking Care of Fruit Trees." Twilight is the center of a fine fruit section and more than 100 persons attended the meeting. Many brought samples from diseased trees and the experts explained to the growers how to combat the diseases. The importance of spraying was dwelt upon by the speakers. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Community Club and George M. Lazelle, president of the club presided. The same speakers addressed a meeting Friday at Molalla, which was attended by about fifty horticulturists. HOTEL ARRIVALS. The following are registered at the Electric Hotel: Alice McGugin, Bull Run; O. P. Barnum, Oakland, Cal.; Henry Mahlerd, Minneapolis, Minn.; Herbert W. Copeland, Parkplace; E. Robbins, Molalla; J. V. Harless, Molalla; E. Hope, Salem; S. C. Goodrich, Yamhill; Fred Schaefer, Molalla; Jas. Adkins, Otto Moehke, Oregon City; S. D. Mulkey, Eugene; Peter Moritz, Clackamas; Mrs. Tull Barlow, G. L. Jenkins, Portland; B. A. Maurey, Portland. Watch the automobile contest.

SEEDS—LAND PLASTER HAY—GRAIN—FEED POULTRY FOOD FLOUR HOUSE PLASTER LIME—BRICK COAL—CEMENT HAMS—BACON Oregon Commission Co ELEVENTH AND MAIN STS. Oregon City, Ore.

A Few Hundred Dollars is often the making of one's success. Systematic saving will soon result in the accumulation of the few hundred dollars. The best way to save is to open an account with us and add to it weekly or monthly, as you can. The Bank of Oregon City The Oldest Bank In The County. D. S. LATOURETTE President F. J. MEYER, Cashier THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of OREGON CITY, OREGON CAPITAL, \$50,000.00. Transacts a General Banking Business. Open from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

FORD Five cars sold this week in this city from Elliott's garage. WHAT'S BEHIND IT? What is it that is selling 75,000 Ford cars in 1912? What is it behind this enormous demand? Is it unusually clever advertising? NO! Ford advertising never attempts to be "clever"—never aims at the spectacular—never dallies with the English language—merely states the facts of the case so that he who runs may read, and, reading, stop running and buy a FORD. Yet that is not the big factor. Is it unusually clever dealers? NO! Ford dealers rank at the top—are all wideawake, clean, obliging, proud of the car and the good name of firm. But there are many clever dealers trying to sell other automobiles. WHAT IS IT? Nothing but this—the guarantee of accomplishment. What sells these 75,000 is the 100,000 Ford cars already in use (one out of every five on the street). Satisfied buyers are the backbone of the Ford success. Ford Distributors and Branches in all the principal cities and towns in this country are at your very elbow to give you the service we maintain. Ford Model T Touring Car, 4 cylinders, 5 passengers, fully equipped, f. o. b. Oregon City ..... \$785 Ford Model T Torpedo, 4 cylinder, 2 passengers, fully equipped, f. o. b. Oregon City ..... \$685 Ford Model T Commercial Roadster, 4 cylinders, 3 passengers, removable rumble seat, fully equipped, f. o. b. Oregon City ..... \$685 Ford Model T Town Car, (Landaulet) 4 cylinders, 6 passengers, fully equipped, f. o. b. Oregon City ..... \$1025 Ford Model T Delivery Car, capacity 750 pounds merchandise, fully equipped, f. o. b. Oregon City ..... \$815 Write for booklet, "The A B C of Ford Model T" and learn in detail the superior merits in design and construction of Ford Model T. ELLIOTT GARAGE 4th and Main Streets. Telephone Main 119 A72

The Public Health Is Prey to Danger. Doctor For the Nation Wanted. HERE IS ONE NATURAL ASSET, LYING AT THE VERY BASIS OF THE PROSPERITY OF THE COUNTRY, WHICH IS SOMETIMES OVERLOOKED—NAMELY, THE NORMAL FUNCTIONING OF THE HUMAN BODY, WHICH IS COMMONLY EXPRESSED BY THE TERM "HEALTH." Persons afflicted with incurable diseases or who are imbecile or otherwise grievously beset should be prohibited from marrying. Man is entitled to the protection of the state when he exists only as a mere possibility. I therefore urge the establishment of regulations by the state to limit marriage to HEALTHY and NORMAL individuals. The invested health of this country, in the health of its citizens, is threatened by POOR NUTRITION. The organism not only needs the normal amount of food to enable it to perform its functions, but also to enable it to keep a small reserve for use in emergencies. I am not a believer in the starvation theory of diet. The invested health securities of the country are constantly threatened by DEBASED AND ADULTERATED FOODS. It is a mistake to suppose that any exigencies of the food market ever justify the debasement or adulteration of food. There is no condition of JUST political economy which can be urged as an excuse for such an action. The two great diseases which decimate the human race at the present time are tuberculosis and typhoid fever, both of them specific, infectious and contagious diseases. We segregate those suffering from smallpox, yellow fever and leprosy, while we permit without sufficient regulation the existence of peripatetic tuberculosis and typhoid fever. It is the DUTY of the state, in my opinion, to segregate those suffering from these threatening dangers. The congress of the United States should take early steps toward securing in the councils of the nation an ADVISER TO THE PRESIDENT, charged with the protection of the health and the proper education of the people of this country in matters relating to their well being, both moral and physical.