

DEAD WERE REMEMBERED

MEMORIAL DAY FETTERING OY-SERVED AT SALEM.

Cemeteries Were Veritable Flower Gardens-The Day in Other Oregon Towns.

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Ceremony Was Under the Auspices of Odd Fellows—Address of Governor Geer.

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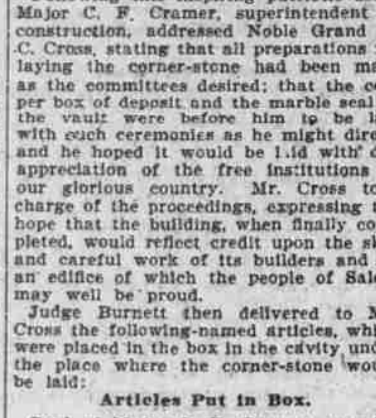
At Forest Grove. FOREST GROVE, May 30.—Business was suspended here today, and there was a general observance of Memorial day.

WON BY PORTLANDER

Columbia University Scholarship Given to Claude R. Fountain.

NEW YORK, May 30.—The winners of scholarships at Columbia University for the ensuing year have been announced by the university council.

The winner of the free scholarship in Columbia University is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fountain, of 235 Twelfth street.



Claude R. Fountain.

Portland. He was born in Ashland 21 years ago, and was graduated from the Klamath Falls High School in 1898.

Members Urged to Vote for Initiative and Referendum Amendment. ALBANY, May 30.—The state day's session of the Albany Grange has been one of business.

SMALLPOX AT WARM SPRINGS. To prevent Sheriff From Selling Bank Stock for Taxes. PENDLETON, May 30.—Application for an injunction against Sheriff William Blakeley will be acted upon in the Circuit Court next week.

WARM SPRINGS AGENCY, May 30.—The family of John T. Diney, the agency blacksmith, has been declared by the agency physician, Dr. Edgar Bates, to have smallpox.

Many on Way to Nome. SEATTLE, May 30.—It is estimated that 200 men are in the city waiting transportation to Nome.

Ordered to Alaska. WASHINGTON, May 30.—First Lieutenant G. S. Gibbs, Signal Corps, has been ordered to Fort St. Michael, Alaska, for duty under Major Frank Green.

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OIL STRIKE IS GENUINE

ONLY QUESTION IS EXTENT OF DIS-COVERY NEAR OLYMPIA.

Oil is So Thick That It Can Be Dipped Up With a Spoon—Boring Resumed.

OLYMPIA, May 30.—The Oregon correspondent today visited the scene of Tuesday's oil strike in Thurston County, about 12 miles from here.

Boring was resumed this afternoon, and the expert employed by the oil company are confident that within a week a flowing well, or even a gusher, will be developed.

SPORTS AND BUSINESS MEN WILL PROBABLY PLEDGE \$10,000. SEATTLE, May 30.—James W. Morrison of this city, has been authorized by the board of directors of the Seattle Athletic Club to offer a \$5000 purse for a 20-round fight at Dawson July 4.

Articles Put in Box. Card of Major C. F. Cramer, superintendent of construction, containing the names of the President of the United States, Secretary of the Treasury, Supervising Architect, architect, who designed the building, etc., was placed in the box.

Address of Governor Geer. "The happy event which calls us together upon this occasion is one which appeals to every inhabitant of our fair city, and especially to those of us who have the honor to be members of the Grange."

Pioneers' Reunion. RICHMOND, May 30.—Pioneers of Wheeler County will hold their third annual reunion here, June 25-28. There will be a grand barbecue, and the auspices of the Pioneer Women's Auxiliary and the Native Daughters.

Will Meet to Talk Creamery. DALLAS, Or., May 30.—There will be a farmers' meeting here June 23, the principal object being to discuss the establishment of a creamery here.

Description of Drowned Man. ARLINGTON, May 30.—Failure has attended the efforts to recover the body of W. B. Saunders, who was drowned in the Columbia river, near Cray.

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