

RETURNED SOLDIERS WERE ENTERTAINED

Given a rousing Reception
Saturday Afternoon.

YARD BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED.

Nearly all the Washington County Volunteers Were Present. A Royal Welcome.

Saturday, August 19, was a great day for Washington county. The returned volunteers were given a royal reception in the courtyard and they realize that a whole people appreciate patriotism which goes forth in the hour of national trial. Guns were fired—the Forest Grove G. A. R. brought down their big "black Betty"—whistles were blown, speeches were made, and the boys were bouquettued to their hearts' content. Most of the boys were in Company H, and Captain C. E. McDonnell was invited to be present. Being unable to come, his letter of regret, which follows, was read by County Clerk J. A. Imbrie:

"We are all very proud of the record our regiment made in the Philippine islands, and I assure you that Washington county cannot do too much to honor the men who represented her in that regiment. My company went into camp on the 22d of May, 1898, and on the 4th of the boys from Hillsboro and Greenville came down and enlisted with me. I have never, from that time, ceased to congratulate myself that their choice fell to me. They came to us as strangers, but rapidly endeared themselves to us, and by their manner and soldierly conduct at all times they have won a place in my esteem that time will never erase. At the time there was no sickness in the regiment at Manila, C. P. Oliver came to me and volunteered to visit the sick men in company H who were in the hospitals, and to minister to their needs. This work he performed earnestly and faithfully until he was called. John Spierings was also taken from us. Both these boys occupied an exalted place in the hearts of their comrades, won by their own sterling worth. We endured many hardships during the 14 months of our service, and there were lots of times when everything went wrong, but I am happy to be able to tell you that I do not know of a single instance where a Washington county boy made a complaint. They accepted all trials cheerfully and performed all duties without a murmur. There is much that I could tell you of the boys, but I can sum it up in a few words: They proved themselves to be men and soldiers in every respect."

Representative Tongue made a five minute address, in which he said:

"It is fitting that this county and the whole state should unite in this welcome. We cannot honor these soldiers. They have done that for themselves. But in the universal and heartfelt greetings extended to them, the people of Oregon have honored the state and themselves. It shows that patriotism, the love of the heroic reverence for the highest and best citizenship, is not dead. It shows that we appreciate, and are in some degree worthy of the heroic deeds performed in our behalf. Let us show this still further by doing all in our power to lighten the burden and smooth the path of these soldiers in the life struggle that awaits them."

"I should like to pay some tribute to the heroic dead, some tribute to the noble women who have helped to relieve the sufferings of this war, but time is brief, and there are others equally entitled to your attention, and whom you will be glad to hear, claim your attention."

Hon. B. P. Cornelius was marshal of the day and organized the parade, in which were the Hillsboro band, the G. A. R., and the volunteers. Mayor W. N. Barrett welcomed the returning brave, and Al Latham then called the roll, to which twenty-four of the boys responded. After Mr. Tongue had spoken, and Captain McDonnell's letter had been read, short addresses were made by Hon. W. D. Hare, Dr. F. A. Bailey, and Dr. B. T. Linklater. All were in a happy vein and met with a hearty reception from the audience.

The banquet which followed was the grandest ever spread in Hillsboro, and the boys appreciate the welcome given them by the good people of the county in which they live.

The court-yard presented a very pretty scene with its huge streamers of bunting, and over 250 incandescent electric lights on five or six strands, lent a fairy-like appearance to the assembly grounds. Taken all in all, the reception was a grand success and Washington county exhibited a grand public spirit.

The volunteers who answered the roll call in the courtyard are: John Valentine, John F. Kelling, Lieut. E. J. Bryan, A. F. Doughty, J. P. Magruder, Thos. Belmont, Geo. Summers, J. C. Buchanan, Roy O. Latham, S. M. Luce, Thos. R. Mann, J. W. Perkins, Chas. E. Doughty, Chas. Purdin, Ezra Kirtz, Irving Dooley, Albert Spierings, H. H. Helms, Chas. J. Herd, Chas. Stephens, A. L. Stephens, Fred Boyd, Frank Buck.

WANTED.

Every body to know that we have, and for sale, lots of great big piles of all kinds of dry finishing lumber, and that we are making 18 M. foot every day, out from the best yellow fir that grows. All kinds of building material furnished. Correspondence solicited. Yard, north of Depot, Hillsboro, Ore. Mountaineer Lumber Co.

Frank Elsholtz, of Cornelius, will sell his stock of tin and hardware at cost. Stock laid in before recent rise in price. Next door St. Joseph Hotel.

Mrs. John Miller, of Vancouver, is in the city, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Susan Brown.

RAINS OF THE WEEK AND THE RESULT

From Five to Twelve Per
Cent Loss Sustained.

WHOLE FIELDS NOT AT ALL INJURED

While Others Have Sustained Considerable Damage.

The past week of rain has been one of intense anxiety to the farmers of Washington county. The rain came almost continuously for several days and nights and caught much wheat in shock—and much of it poorly put up, at that. The precipitation ceased Tuesday night, and Wednesday opened clear. Up to yesterday, a careful examination gives one the impression that not to exceed ten or twelve (and perhaps not to exceed five) per cent of the grain is injured. Badly shocked grain has suffered a little more than this, of course. As usual, many were very sure that the loss would be something very heavy, but these fears have not been fulfilled. The lowlands along the streams and foothills have suffered the most, but on the plains there is field after field with scarcely a sprout. If the clear weather continue, and farmers do not rush threshing too soon, and before the grain is dry, the loss will be surprisingly small.

The week has been an ideal one for the hop house, and where yards had not been thoroughly sprayed, he started in with his camp meetings. As yet they are causing no particular injury, while there are whole yards where his highness is not to be seen.

The greatest loss in the grain line is where it is yet uncut, and has lodged badly. This morning dawned dark and cloudy with no perceptible wind, and with the barometer falling, indicating more falling weather. A snudge in the courtyard, built for the specific purpose by Clerk Imbrie, showed wind from the north-west. So long as the wind keeps in that quarter there is little need of alarm. No rain had fallen up to this evening, but it looks rather like it had not cleared up. Heavy rain would now do incalculable damage.

MYERS-PARKER.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Cook, of Irvington, Portland, was Sunday, August 20, 1899, the scene of a very pretty wedding, the contracting parties being Mr. Frank Stott Myers, of Forest Grove, and Miss Lois West Parker, the accomplished daughter of Mrs. Laura A. Parker, of Irvington. The marriage took place at 5:00 o'clock p. m., the ceremony being performed by Rev. Staver, of Forest Grove, using the beautiful Episcopal service. Mr. Edward C. Luce, of Hillsboro, was the groomsmen and Miss May Leiser, Vancouver, was the bridesmaid. The Misses Anna, Minnie, Francis and Kate Myers, sisters of the groom, were maids of honor, Margaret and Mortimer Cook were pages, and Mr. F. R. Cook was the bride's escort. Mrs. Lois Cook executed the wedding march. The bride was tastefully attired in white organdie, and carried white carnations. The house was decorated with Oregon grapes and sweet peas.

The groom is a Washington county Native Son and is a son of W. H. Myers, of Forest Grove. For several years he has been a traveling salesman, and he is deservedly popular with all his associates. The bride is well known at Forest Grove, recently having graduated at Pacific university. In immediately after the banquet, Mr. and Mrs. Myers departed on the steamer State of California, for San Francisco and California points of interest. They will be at home to their friends after October 1, at 522 Tillamook Street, Portland, Or.

Lost: School report book of Miss Tinnie Weathered. Between court house and Christian church. Finder please leave at H. Wehrung & Sons, or at this office.

A Britisher who came over from Merrie England about 8 years ago, and who had ran short of legal tender, walked into the Shute & Foote Bank the other day and cashed in twelve gold sovereigns, which he stored away when he first reached the country. They were "gold, the best money in the world," but they don't bring \$4.8665 in America.

A complicated case of assault and battery will come before Justice Kraemer today. The complaining witness, Alfred Von Grunigen, a farmer from the west end of Multnomah county, charges three men—Otto Schultz, a Portland attorney; Fritz Biersteacher and Jacob Linden, Washington county farmers, with trying to drive him off the place by beating him. Von Grunigen, it is alleged, holds a ten year lease of the old Leonard place, only five years of which have expired, but the owner, before he died, traded a portion of the 160 acres to Biersteacher and Linden. Deputy Sheriff Mitchell was obliged to have his warrants endorsed at Hillsboro before arresting the Washington county defendants.—Oregonian.

In order to secure the very best possible exhibit of grain and grasses at the next meeting of the Portland Industrial Exposition, which opens September 26th, continuing until October 26th, the management has decided to offer three premiums; first premium, \$100.00; second, \$70.00, and third, \$30.00, to be given to the county making the best exhibit of grains and grasses from the states of Oregon, Washington and Idaho. They will take from each station 50 bundles of wheat, 25 of oats and 25 of alfalfa or other grasses, one hundred bundles in all. The bundles should be about 6 inches in diameter, cut full length and closely tied together in such a manner as to permit handling with out damage.

The case of State vs. Jas. Dillery, aged about 19, was tried before Justice Humphrey and a jury Tuesday, and resulted in a disagreement. Young Dillery was charged with assault and battery, the complaining witness being Elmer Borwick. Young Borwick, who is fifteen or sixteen years old, claims he was returning to his home near Reedville after having been to this city to have a gun-shot wound dressed by a physician, when young Dillery tried to cause his horse to run away, striking the animal with a whip. Dillery denied the incident and tried to prove an alibi. It is said that the jury stood four for acquittal.

The article in Sunday's Oregonian relative to the Washington county volunteer reception was headed so as to make it appear that it was a "Company H affair." The article did not so read, and it was a county volunteer matter. The caption writer probably drew his conclusions because Capt. McDonnell of H Company was on the program for a response to the address of welcome.

Clyde W. Reeves, who is a well known Washington county son, departed this evening for Stanford University, to attend the fall and winter terms. He is taking a course of mining engineering and hopes to get through this winter. Mr. Reeves is industrious and that he will eventually be a credit to his Alma Mater goes without saying. THE ARGUS wishes him every success.

Probate: Inventory and appraisal of estate of Silas Beatty, filed and approved at \$250.—Final account of estate of Claus Peterson, deceased, approved and ordered that residue of estate be turned over to heirs, and administrator discharged.—Final account of estate of Lovine Warren, deceased, confirmed for hearing.

Hillsboro mill men report that many become excited at the fair prospects and have been buying flour enough to last until a year hence. They were afraid that this year's grain might not make a good article. Farmers were amongst those making the purchases.

D. W. Best, a brother of I. E. Best, left Tuesday morning for Portland and the east, after a several weeks' visit in this city. He has been running a locomotive on the San Francisco and St. Louis road, in a Missouri division, for several years, and goes back to again take an engine.

Rev. Evan P. Hughes has returned from his annual summer vacation and will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational Church next Sunday. The theme of the morning's service will be "The Standard of a Splendid Life." All the other regular services will be held at their usual hour.

How about that bicycle parade, this year? Last year Hillsboro had a large and imposing parade, but this season we should have one two or three times as large. The Washington county bicycle club should take hold of this and make arrangements for a parade in the near future.

Geo. H. Carleton went to Portland, today, to visit with G. G. Chapin, one of the federal tea examiners of the Pacific coast, and with headquarters at Tacoma. Mr. Carleton knew Mr. Chapin in New York.

The stores of R. E. Bryan & Son and H. Wehrung & Sons were noted Saturday, for the window displays of Philippine curios. There were guns, knives, sabres, spears and warlike implements of all kinds, galore, and they exacted considerable attention.

Lost: On Aug. 9, at Hillsboro, a small, brown spaniel dog; answers to the name of Tip. A suitable reward will be paid for his return. Communicate with Burt Wilkes, Cornelius, or O. G. Wilkes, Hillsboro.

Revs. Evan P. Hughes and S. A. George returned Saturday evening from three weeks on Wilson river, at Tillamook and Garibaldi. They return well pleased with their trip, and talk about fishing stories!

John McNamer, one of the most popular of Forest Grove citizens, was in the city this afternoon, accompanied by his brother Con, who recently returned from the Alaskan mines.

Henry Woolly, who was here in the early fifties, and out from Tillamook yesterday, was today, shaking hands with our old pioneers.

Attorney E. B. Tongue was in attendance at the Astoria Regatta this week.

New, light hack for sale. W. A. Finney, Hillsboro, Oregon.

W. G. Hare is visiting at Astoria.

COUNTY TEACHERS' ANNUAL INSTITUTE

Will Commence in Hillsboro
Next Monday.

WILL BE A VALUABLE MEETING.

Able Instructors and Lecturers will be Here. Teachers Must Attend.

County Superintendent H. A. Ball has sent the following circular to the teachers of Washington county: "The annual teachers' institute for Washington county for the year 1899 will be held in the public school building at Hillsboro, beginning at 9 o'clock a. m. on Monday, August 28 and continuing five days.

Mr. E. A. Milner, of the Portland high school, Mr. D. A. Groat, Principal of Park school, Portland, and Miss Mary Hargrave, of Kelso, Wash., have been engaged as instructors. The following division of work has been made. Mr. Milner, Arithmetic, Grammar, Vocal Music; Mr. Groat, Geography, History, Orthography, Miss Hargrave, Primary methods, Reading.

State Superintendent Ackerman will be present on the opening day. He will explain the new course of study which must hereafter be used in all public schools of the state.

At least two evening sessions will be held, at which literary and musical programs will be presented, including lectures by the best available talent.

A program will be prepared, ready for distribution at the opening session.

The law requires all teachers in the county to attend this institute, and the county superintendent may revoke the certificate of any teacher who is absent without cause.

The hotels in Hillsboro have agreed to grant the following special rates to teachers attending the institute: From Monday noon to Friday noon inclusive, table board, \$2.50; board and lodging, \$3.00. In order to secure the above rates it may be necessary for two to occupy the same room. It is almost certain that equally as good rates may be secured at private houses.

Unless absolutely impossible, teachers should attend during the entire session. By so doing, the benefit derived will be proportionately greater and the expense incurred proportionately less.

The following books will be used in the institute: Fourth Reader, Elementary Geography, Elementary Grammar, Fish's Arithmetic No. 2, Reed's Speller, "Uncle Sam's School Songs."

Let us co-operate to make this the most profitable teachers' meeting ever held in the county and also maintain the high reputation for professional interest that the teachers of this county have hitherto enjoyed.

Respectfully,
H. A. BALL, Co. Supt.

The lectures referred to in the above are: Monday evening, J. H. Ackerman, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Tuesday evening, Pres. Whitaker, Portland university; Thursday evening, Pres. Newlin, Pacific College, Newburg.

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Several good teams to haul wood. Distance, 14 miles. Price, 65 and 70 cents per cord. All down hill. HOLMES & McBRIDE.

Binding twine at lowest prices, at Schulmerich & Son's.

H. T. Bagley was a Portland visitor yesterday.

Go to Hoyt's for your colored glasses and goggles.

This has been very poor watermelon weather, eh?

Fred Hill, Mine Host of the Quimby House, Portland, was in the city this afternoon.

John Pugh, of Newburg, is in the city this week, receiving medical attention from Dr. W. D. Wood.

A. LeRoy, D. D., Grand Chaplain of the Oregon I. O. O. F., was in the city yesterday. Mr. LeRoy resides in LaGrande.

Apply to H. T. Bagley, Agent for the Great Northern Railway, for information and rates to all points east. Hillsboro, Oregon.

H. W. Staley, representing the Bankers Life Association, of Des Moines, Iowa, was in the city this week, looking up the insurance business.

Wm. Clark, editor of the Gervais Star, and postmaster of his city, a great "prosperity shouter," and an all round good fellow, at that, was in the city yesterday.

The county court will, on September 6, receive bids for the construction of two bridges, one near the W. F. Hollenbeck sawmill, on Dairy Creek, and the other near Beaver-ton, and for a fill at Nickum's Hill in the neighborhood of Cedar Mill.

Henry Woolly, who visited yesterday and today with his niece, Mrs. R. Cave, was a pioneer of 1845 settling at Leisville. There are very few of his old companions left.

He returned home this evening.

Cornelius: Roy O. Latham visited with Cornelius friends, Monday last.—G. A. Brinn, of St. Helens, visited over Sunday, with A. B. Lewis.—Walt Johnson arrived last week with a band of horses, from eastern Oregon.—F. H. Mullington, late of the battleship Philadelphia, has located in this city.—A. S. Briggs arrived, Tuesday last, from the Atlin district.

S. J. Rafferty, of Mountaineer, was in town the first of the week. He thinks that Grover Cleveland is responsible for the bad weather which has prevailed for some days. He says it is a poor rule that won't work both ways, and that a few years ago that statesman was blamed for all the bad weather.

Francis Large, a resident of Forest Grove, and the father of Dr. C. L. Large, died last Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, and was buried Sunday in the Congregational cemetery, under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. He was 81 years of age and came to Forest Grove in 1881.

C. M. Cartright, of Hay Creek, Or., a prominent eastern Oregon sheepman and capitalist, was in the city Tuesday, looking after some of his Washington county business. H. P. Ford, now of Portland, came out with him and was shaking hands with his old friends.

While Grant Mann was working on an outbuilding the other day, south of this city, he fell a distance of twelve feet and broke one of the wrist bones of his right hand. He will be laid up through harvest.

For the neatest shave or hair cut to be had in Washington county, go to E. E. Colestock's Shaving Parlors, Main street, Hillsboro, Or. Finely equipped bath room connected. Popular prices.

Capt. A. B. Cady, County Treasurer, went up to Fir, Tuesday, and spent the day fishing with B. M. Collins. His catch was not very large, numerically, but they were all good sized.

A sixteen-year-old daughter of C. E. Baggerly, living east of town, fell from her horse on Monday, and broke the right arm near the wrist. Dr. Bailey was called and set the fracture.

Thomas Connell, who owns the big farm just west of and adjoining the city, was out from Portland yesterday to see what damage Jupiter Pluvius had done to the grain crop.

Surveyor Morrill's family has returned from the mountains, and he is no longer keeping bachelor's hall. He says he feels better and his contentment sustains his statement.

W. R. Hoyt, the photographer, has some fine negatives of the banquet table in the court yard, both before and after the volunteers were seated, taken Saturday last.

J. B. Imlay, the Reedville warehouse man, was up Tuesday, and spent the day in the city. He says he has received about 2,000 bushels of wheat, so far, this year.

Cashier F. T. Kane, of the Forest Grove bank, was in town Tuesday. We also noticed Col. J. B. Eddy in the city, looking as winsome as ever.

Fred Boyd, one of the Washington county volunteers with the Second Oregon at Manila, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. R. Cave.

Editor D. M. C. Gault was in Astoria, this week, in attendance at the State Editorial Association annual. Mr. Gault is president of that body.

Col. A. K. Watson, Mountaineer, who has catered to the mercantile needs of his neighbors for years, was in town the first of the week.

J. J. Garlington has gone to the Coos bay country and California points, where he will consider locations if he can find what he desires.

A. W. Lane, who resided here for a number of years, and who was engineer at the waterworks, was in the city yesterday.

Arthur Kerr, with Russell & Blyth, Portland financial agents, was in the city last week, the guest of J. W. Bailey.

Geo. H. Wilcox came down from Gaston Saturday evening where he has been employed in the Purdy mill.

W. H. Rucker, who is now located at Sunnyside, was out Tuesday, attending to unfinished business.

Mrs. John W. Bailey is visiting this week with Mrs. Hovey and Miss Contrie, of Forest Grove.

Thomas Tucker went to Kalama, Wash., Monday, to attend a lawsuit in the capacity of a witness.

If you want a wagon you can save from \$10 to \$15 by buying from Schulmerich & Son.

H. W. Miller was in town from Glencoe, Tuesday last and made this office a pleasant call.

Schulmerich & Son are having closing out bargains all the time; come and get prices.

John Thomas, now employed in Portland, visited in Hillsboro Friday last.

One thousand bargains, all for you—at R. E. Bryan & Son's closing out sale!

J. W. Vandervelden was in town from Centerville the first of the week.

Schulmerich & Son for bargains in gloves.

THE ARGUS

AUGUST, 1899.

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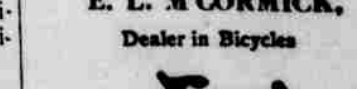
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