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UP TO THE VOTER

It is up to the voter. Next Monday is congressional election. The voters of this county will have a chance to select a candidate for congress. On the one hand, the republican candidate is not at all representative of the wishes of the rank and file of the party.

Mr. Hermann's nomination is an insult to those in that party who want a clean cut man for the office. Mr. Hermann's record is well known to nearly every voter. He has been tried in the balance, time and again—and found wanting. He was dismissed as a land official by a republican administration in the seventies; he was again dismissed last winter from a portfolio of importance—and now seeks to lay the blame upon his superior officer.

The charge was that Mr. Hermann favored the corporations. Those charges are not made public, but Mr. Hermann could have procured publicity by the mere request. They still remain buried in Washington—but Mr. Hermann lost his position. Remember, that he did not face these charges, but resigned under pressure. He left the office under a cloud that has not been removed.

The President made no utterance in his behalf when here, and only suffered the candidate to ride in his car because of pressure from Senator Mitchell and a few politicians who are responsible for Hermann's nomination. We can not believe that republicans can vote for this candidate if they believe in good citizenship; and hold that a public office is a public trust—which all good citizens must acknowledge. A highminded man, before the people for public office, would demand that Hitchcock, or whoever his accuser might be, prove his charges.

Hermann is afraid of this and contents himself by telling stories to effect that Hitchcock has never understood his business—in all his explanations to the people he undertakes to tell the people that Hitchcock, of the Interior Department, is to fault—but why did not Mr. Hermann force an investigation before the president? Because he dared not. It would have been too black against the man who was turned out of office.

On the other hand, the voters of Washington county can vote for a young man of splendid talents, and a man who has the courage of his own convictions. He is a native Oregonian, and comes from a family of reputed integrity and solidarity. On the rostrum and in public life he is what he is—upright and sincere; a good debater and a man who can express himself. He has no "records" of dismissal. He has filled every position of public trust with credit to himself and his constituency. His nomination was unanimous, and was not blocked out by politicians. In no sense of the word was he anything but the choice of the people of his party. He will make Oregon a creditable representative in the National House. It is high time that the first district voted Mr. Hermann out of an office. Send a man there who was raised from the ground floor by the people directly—not a man who obtained a nomination against the wishes of a majority of his party.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, it has pleased the Supreme Chancellor of the Universe to remove from our midst our brother, Wm. A. Harriman, and initiate him into the mysteries of the life beyond the grave; Resolved, that we ever strive to emulate his many virtues, and will retain his memory fresh in our hearts. Resolved, that the charter and books of laws of this Lodge be draped in mourning for the period

of thirty days, and that the members of this Lodge wear the customary badge of mourning for the same period. Resolved, that these resolutions be spread at length upon the records of this Lodge, and a duly attested copy of these resolutions furnished to the family of deceased, and that a copy be sent to the Weekly Argus for publication.

J. C. COREY, H. F. JOHNSON, J. W. LUTHER, Committee

K. P. DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Knights of Pythias will hold their Third Annual District Convention and the First Battalion U. R. Encampment in this city, Friday, June 5. The program will be as follows:

10:30 A. M. to 11:30 A. M.—Private Battalion Drill at Recreation Park. 11:35 A. M.—Music by Band at Court Yard.

11:30 A. M.—Parade in the following order: Band, Uniform Ranks, K. of P. members, Rathbone Sisters. Line of March: South on Second street to Baseline; east on Baseline to Sixth street; north on Sixth to Main street, and west on Main street to Court Yard.

BASKET PICNIC.

1:30 P. M.—Music by Band. 2:00 P. M.—Address on Uniform Rank, by Past Grand Chancellor J. H. Aitken. Music by Band.

3:00 P. M.—Public Battalion and Company Drill, in the Court Yard, together with music by Band.

DINNER, AT 5:30 P. M.

7:30 P. M.—Secret Session at lodge room. Address of Welcome, by H. T. Bagley, of Hillsboro.

Response, by E. W. Haines, of Forest Grove. 9:00 P. M.—Competitive team work, with the following prizes: \$10.00, best Third Rank team. \$5.00, best K. \$5.00, best M. \$5.00, best P. \$5.00, best Senator. \$5.00, best V. C.

Judges—J. W. Maloney, G. C. W. L. Bradshaw, P. G. C. W. M. Cake, G. R.

Awarding of prize of \$10, to Company of Uniform Rank having in parade largest percentage of its membership.

SHORT RECESS.

Awarding of prizes for team work.

BANQUET.

L. A. Long, Toast-master.

After Banquet—Discussion of following subjects: "Why I am a Knight of Pythias," opened by E. P. Cornelius, of Hillsboro.

"The Lodge Kicker and Non-Attend," opened by Ira G. Nelson, of McMinnville.

Exemplification of Secret Work, by W. M. Cake, P. G. R., of Portland.

"What is True Pythianism?" opened by J. P. Kennedy, P. G. C., of Portland.

LAST CALL FOR GUESSES.

Fourteen Cash Prizes for the Best Ones.

We have been getting just bunches of the brightest kind, but if there are any more little folks in the state, who have not sent their guesses in, they have until the 31st of May to give the best reasons why Eilers Piano House can afford to sell pianos as it does, at from \$100, to \$150 less than any other store on the coast.

The best guesser gets \$25 in cash. The second best guesser gets \$20 cash. The third best guesser gets \$10 cash. The fourth best guesser gets \$5 cash.

The ten next best each \$1 cash. Seventy dollars all in cash. Everybody knows this is the largest piano store on the coast, and that it carries the greatest varieties and finest pianos, that its business is immense; that it has four prosperous stores, the great big one here in Portland, another large one in Spokane, Wash., and still another one in Sacramento, Cal.

Now, if we order pianos in large quantities from the factories at one time for all these stores, what sort of discounts are we liable to get? And also shipping so many at a time, are we liable to get advantageous freight rates, and then if they are not put into great heavy boxes, would there be any saving in weight, and what sort of advantage would that be? Then, remember that big warehouse of ours down on the railway tracks in Portland, where the cars of pianos are switched right up to the door, would not that be much cheaper than if the pianos had to be carted to the warehouse? There, now! we have given you just lots of hints. There are a great many more good reasons. See if you cannot find them out. Remember, the child who gives the most and the best reasons get the largest prize. Children of Oregon, 16 years old and younger, can come into the contest, letters not to be longer than 100 words, and contest closes May 31st. Be sure your letter is mailed by that date, because any bearing a later postmark will not be accepted. Prizes to be awarded as soon after contest closes as possible. The gentlemen who have kindly consented to act as judges are: Mr. C. J. Owen, managing editor of Evening

Telegram: Mr. S. J. Connell, president of the Northwest Door Company, and Secretary of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, and Mr. Thos. Milburn, Ad Agent, Morning Oregonian. All are men of marked ability and excellent judgment.

EILERS PIANO HOUSE, Washington street, cor. Park, Portland, Oregon.

YOUNG OREGON

This Percheron stallion, out of Oregon, two and one-half years, weight 1,500, iron gray, will stand the season at the Forestal place, 1 1/2 miles northwest of Cedar Mill, breeding a limited number of mares. J. A. VANDEHEY

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The home of Mr and Mrs Emil Kurath, of this city, was last Saturday eve the scene of a farewell party in honor of Miss Carrie N. Haley, of Monmouth. Those present were: The Misses Stella Boscow, Edna Imbric, Ethel Wehrung, Maud Wilson, Mabel and Ruth Moreland, Bessie Sigler, Mrs. Alonzo Sigler, Messrs. Willis Ireland, John Gault, Wesley Boscow, James Butler, Carl Heitler, Fred Vrooman, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kurath, Hillsboro; Henry Kurath, Phillip; Miss Zoia Haeden, Portland; Miss Olive Wilson, Tigardville; Miss Wilsey, North Yambill, and Miss Haley.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

George J. Peterson, Plaintiff, vs. Vendia Peterson, Defendant. To Vendia Peterson, defendant above named:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby notified that the plaintiff herein has filed a complaint against you in the above entitled Court and cause, and you are hereby required to appear and answer said complaint on or before the last day of the time prescribed by order of publication hereof, to wit: on or before the 3rd day of July, 1903; and you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint herein or to plead thereto, the plaintiff will cause you default to be entered, and will apply to the Court above mentioned for the relief prayed for in the complaint herein, that is to say, for a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony that may be existing between plaintiff and defendant herein, and for such other relief as to the Court may seem meet and just. The date of the first publication of this summons is Thursday, the 21st day of May, 1903, and the last publication thereof, Thursday, the 2nd day of July, 1903, and the said summons shall be published on the said Thursday of each week for a period of six weeks between said dates.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of said Court, made in chambers in said cause, and dated the 19th day of May, A. D., 1903. CHAS. J. SCHNABEL, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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Grand Railway Excursion!

The Third Annual Excursion and Picnic Given by the Sunset Lodge, Number 130—Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen—To Portland, Sunday, May 31

Trains will be run from The Dalles on the O. R. & N., and from Sheridan, Monmouth, Eugene and Coburg, on the Southern Pacific, and several boats will be chartered to carry the large crowds of excursionists to Portland, where they will be entertained the entire day by first class, wholesome amusements.

HAWTHORNE PARK

Situated on Hawthorne Avenue and East Twelfth, has been leased for the occasion. This park contains an area of nine acres, is abundantly shaded by beautiful trees and shrubbery, has within its confines a beautiful lake which is fed by everflowing springs of purest water, and is an ideal place to spend a day of recreation.

The program of amusements consists of first class music, popular songs by talented quartets, trapeze and acrobatic features, and other first class attractions. This excursion is given for the purpose of obtaining funds to assist in providing relief for sick and disabled railroad men and their families. You are cordially invited to come, bring your families and friends and spend a day of wholesome amusement. Lunches and light refreshments served on the grounds.

Some of the Various Attractions

Sensational Feats of Equipoise on the High Wire. Imperial Troupe of Royal Japanese Acrobats in all their Oriental Splendor.

A company of Colored Jubilee Singers in Songs and Scenes from the Sunny South.

Wonderful feats of Strength and Skill on Roman Rings. Marvelous Hoop Rolling and Juggling. Grotesque Acrobats Gymnasts and Funny Clowns.

You will see all these and many others at the trainmen's Excursion and Picnic at Beautiful Hawthorne Park.

Round trip Rates including admission to Park, all Washington County Points \$1.00

For further information ask any agent or write C. C. Loucks, 28 Multnomah Block, Portland, Ore.

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The Percheron Stallion

Will make the Season of 1903 as follows:

Mondays, at E. J. Ward's, Gaston; Tuesday noon and night, at James H. Sewell's farm, northeast of Hillsboro; Wednesdays, at Frank Holcomb's, West Union; Fridays, at William Thornburgh's, Banks; Saturdays and Sundays, at Cornelius & McNameer, Stables, and Varley's Feed Barn, Forest Grove.

Single Service, \$5; Season, \$8; To Insure, \$12.

ST. MICHAELS,

A beautiful bay Trotting Stallion, sired by Prince Almont, 2:11 1/2; 16 hands; weighs 1200; also in stud at the above places.

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Also has a fine lot of Barred Plymouth Rock Chickens for sale. Breeding fowls are purchased from E. J. Ladd, whose chickens have won the most of the prizes at the Oregon Poultry Show. Eggs in season, \$1.00 per setting. Cockerels for sale.

CITATION.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of John W. Lemmon, deceased.

To Mrs. Bell Lemmon, Dr. Charles F. Lemmon and all parties interested in above estate, Greeting:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, at the Court room thereof, at Hillsboro, in the County of Washington, on Monday, the 29th day of June, 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order of said Court should not be made, authorizing and directing the administrator of said estate to sell the following real property belonging to the estate of the said John W. Lemmon, deceased, to-wit:

Lots numbered one (1) and two (2) of Section seventeen (17) in T 1 N R 1 W of the Will. Mer. in Washington County, Oregon, as prayed for in the petition of Erwin Ritter, administrator of said estate, and filed herein.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Rood, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 21st day of May, A. D., 1903.

Attest: GEO. A. MORGAN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Ellen Donovan, deceased, have filed their final account as executors of said estate with the County Court of Washington County, and that said Court has fixed Monday, June 29, 1903, at the Court House at Hillsboro, as the time and place for hearing objections, if any there be, to said final account and the final settlement of the administration of said estate.

JAMES BARRY, Executor of the last will and testament of Ellen Donovan, deceased. Dated at Hillsboro, this 25th day of May, 1903. John M. Wall, Attorney for Executors.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Adm'r of the estate of Carlton Tupper, dec'd, has filed his final account as administrator with the County Court of Washington County, State of Oregon, and that said Court has fixed Monday, June 8, 1903, at the Court House at Hillsboro, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time and place for hearing objections to said account and the final settlement of administration of said estate. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 6th day of May, 1903. E. X. HARDING, Administrator of the estate of Carlton Tupper, deceased. Geo. R. Bagley, Attorney for Adm'r.

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