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COLLEGE AFFAIRS

Work for The New Students—Boarding Places Wanted

NORTHWEST CONFERENCE NEXT YEAR.

Daily Guard, Aug. 13

A GUARD man today elicited the following items of interest concerning the work of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian Associations from one of the members of the Y M C A.

"The work for new students? That was begun last spring by the appointment of the Fall Campaign and the Hand book committees. A sixty three page hand book will come from the press next week. This book will be mailed free to prospective students. Notices are being sent to the leading papers of the state in regard to our work and calling especial attention to the hand book. Every student new and old will receive a copy of this book at the opening of the fall term."

"Will your yellow ribboned committee meet the trustees again?"

"Yes, students of both associations will be at the depot to meet all the day trains and to render assistance to the new students in every way possible by that time we expect to have a complete list of the desirable boarding and lodging places in Eugene, and will take the students to any place desired. No charge is made to any one for this or any other of our services."

"How about the book exchange?"

"That will be conducted again in the south parlor of the Dormitory. Students desiring to buy or sell books should not fail to call early in the opening week of school."

"Do you do anything socially?"

"Yes. The Y W's give a reception to the young ladies and we give one to the young men. Then we give a joint reception for both sexes."

"Was the work of last year successful?"

"In many ways it was. The town people helped us liberally in a financial way and we have several new sustaining members. The year closed with money on hand to buy new song books for next year. Our Bible and Missionary classes were fairly well attended. Of the most of our work we are unable to tabulate results."

"We are cheered by the announcement from Mr. Dummett, our traveling secretary, that there will be a students conference for ten days at the close of the next year. It will probably be held near Astoria or some other central place for Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Our association has profited immeasurably by the work of the men who have gone to the California conference, although we have never had more than two men present at one gathering. Next year we should have at least ten."

"One thing we have tried to do for some time but with little success is to maintain an employment bureau where deserving, needy students might find places to work. If people who are willing to board or lodge students for work will notify us we can nearly always accommodate them."

"Don't fail to say that we rely on a continuance of the hearty support accorded us in the past by the citizens of Eugene. Many of them want boarders or lodgers or both they should address the Christian associations, soon."

Refuses to Pay the Insurance.

Monroe, Ore, Aug. 14.—The Oregon Fire Relief Association, of McMinnville, through its representative, has so far refused to pay any of the \$700 insurance held by Dr. T. K. Chapman on his recently destroyed property. It is asserted by the company that fraud is being used in the case to get the insurance money, and from all appearances it is not likely that the matter will end soon.

A Newspaper Transaction.

San Jose, Cal, Aug. 14.—It is reported here that Alfred Holman, the well known Oregon journalist, has acquired a large interest in the Daily Mercury newspaper of this city, and that he will shortly take editorial charge.

An article appears in the Heppner Times, whose editor is in the pest house with the small pox, with the following postscript: "The above brilliant epistle reached the printer thusly: The editor pens the original, hands it to another victim of the quarantine and she, standing in the yard, dictates it across two fences and several other obstructions to a neighbor, who copies it and hands it to Mr. Freeland, the present editor-in-chief."

Joe Pardon, formerly of Albany, has accepted a position as operator for the O R & N at Baker City. Besides being operator and agent at many of the prominent cities in Western Oregon, Pardon has been sheriff of Douglas county, a guard at the state penitentiary and a sergeant-at-arms of the house of representatives of the state of Oregon.

THE DIVINITY SCHOOL.

Pro-pets Were Never Brighter Than for the Coming Year.

Out of the twenty-five Divinity students present last year, twenty expect to return. E. M. Patterson is acting as assistant to J. B. Lister, state evangelist. E. B. Andrus is county evangelist of Lane Co. G. S. O. Humbert is traveling in Washington in the interests of the school. Harry Benton is spending the summer in Eugene working hard on the correspondence course. Inside of a month Mr. Benton, the director of the course, will have two excellent courses of Bible study to offer by mail. Other students are working on farms, in mills, canvassing and the like.

More inquiries have been received this year than ever. New students are already writing about boarding places. The students will come from Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

The addition of Rev. D. C. Kellem to the teaching force during the past year met with the hearty approval of all connected with the school.

At the Turner state convention the liveliest interest was expressed in the school and every one seemed satisfied with the work done. One of the best proofs of this is seen in the fact that the Christian church of the Northwest is continuing the financial, moral and prayerful support heretofore accorded the school.

Commissioners Court.

- J. B. Hills, viewer Young road..... 2 10
- Thomas Hardy, viewer Young road..... 2 60
- C. F. Humphrey, viewer Young road..... 2 80
- Fred Hills, chairman Young road..... 2 00
- Ed. Eaton, chairman Young road..... 2 00
- R. J. Hills, marker Young road..... 2 00
- C. M. Collier, county surveyor Young road..... 9 00
- A. E. Wheeler, making plat of strip around public square..... 5 00
- W. R. Dillard, viewer Hayes road..... 3 20
- J. W. Gordon, viewer Hayes road..... 3 00
- N. M. Marshall, viewer Hayes road..... 2 80
- J. E. Nolan, chairman Hayes road..... 2 00
- J. M. Gibson, work on rock crusher..... 22 50
- William Jeas, work on crusher..... 22 50
- C. A. Belknap, work on crusher..... 22 50
- Orb Fisher, work on crusher..... 21 25
- B. Fisher, work on crusher..... 45 00
- J. Gibson, work on crusher..... 46 50
- A. T. Stingley, work on crusher..... 20 25
- F. M. Jones, work on crusher..... 12 75
- F. L. Shove, work on crusher..... 16 75
- George W. Orcutt, bridge work..... 62 50
- Williams & Parvin, pauper supplies..... 13 00
- B. B. Jeas, lumber..... 5 20
- A. Brucker, road work..... 2 50
- In the matter of the Graham road; road established, as petitioners had paid J. G. Conger \$10 damages. County warrant 2923; ordered cancelled.
- D. P. Burton, assessor..... 79 10
- Moss D. Evans, work on crusher..... 7 50
- A. J. Schrag, work on crusher..... 5 20
- Jerome Wilson, work on crusher..... 11 00
- Arns Johnson, work on crusher..... 9 00
- Geo. Bryant, work on crusher..... 4 10
- M. B. McCann, deputy assessor..... 50 00
- S. J. Wilson, deputy assessor..... 44 00
- Albert Walker, blacksmithing..... 6 00
- J. T. Richardson, road work..... 10 00
- H. Rebmien, road work..... 10 00
- Otto Petzold, road work..... 10 00
- P. J. Hanson, road work..... 10 00
- J. W. Canady, road work..... 10 00
- H. Rebmien, work on crusher..... 5 60
- Leslie Haggard, work on crusher..... 8 75
- A. W. Countryman, work on crusher..... 4 50
- Thos. Howell, work on crusher..... 2 25
- F. A. Ray, work on crusher..... 2 25
- Trent Lumber Co, lumber..... 64 25
- D. P. Burton, expenses attending assessor's convention..... 16 65
- C. Cole, lumber..... 99 45
- Silas Wentz, bridge work..... 1 50
- J. Wilson, road work..... 4 00
- F. M. Hembrick, work on crusher..... 22 50
- C. C. Hembrick, work on crusher..... 62 50
- V. Allison, work on crusher..... 2 50
- U. M. Dority, work on crusher..... 55 00
- C. J. Billadeau, work on crusher..... 31 50
- T. E. Creed, work on crusher..... 120 00
- Eugene GUARD printing..... 40 00
- W. T. Bailey, county commissioner..... 32 50
- A. W. Bond, supervisor road district No. 69..... 8 60
- Clarence Bryant, road work..... 7 50
- Wheeler Bros & Owen, lumber..... 18 70
- H. B. Robinson, chairman Hayes road..... 2 00
- T. O. Martin, marker Hayes road..... 2 00
- C. M. Collier, county surveyor Hayes road..... 8 40
- E. Schwarzschild, stationery..... 16 75
- John Keeney, work on crusher..... 28 75
- J. W. Stewart, work on crusher..... 15 00
- J. M. Berkshire, work on crusher..... 16 75
- Roney Bros, work on crusher..... 16 75
- P. Berkshire, work on crusher..... 7 50
- Roy Love, work on crusher..... 15 75
- F. B. Dillard, work on crusher..... 16 50
- Clyde Love, work on crusher..... 22 50
- Lane Matlock, work on crusher..... 30 00
- Wm Stewart, work on crusher..... 28 75
- J. E. Martin, coyote scalp..... 2 00

Wild ducks are arriving. Does this mean that winter is coming shortly?

AN EXPERIENCE

A Soldier of C Company Took the Only Chance.

WAR RECORD OF HENRY WAGNER.

Salem Statesman.

Henry Wagner was a member of the Eugene company of volunteers in the Philippines. He went from Cottage Grove. Throughout the trying times, doing guard duty in the city of Manila, and in all the battles and skirmishes and marches, he acted the part of a soldier, although he was only a boy in years. In the last battle, the battle of Taitai, just before the Oregon boys went onto the transports, and after they had been called in from the field, Henry was wounded. He was in Major Willis's battalion, and that officer saw him fall as they were making their charge up the hill. At first it was thought Wagner was only wounded in the leg. But when he was taken to the hospital it was found that he had a Mauser bullet hole through his stomach. The supplies had not kept up with the march made by the boys, and none of them had partaken of food for thirty-six hours. Henry's empty stomach saved his life. When the surgeon was dressing his wound he spoke to him, saying, "Young man, you have just one chance for your life." The answer was, "I'll take that chance!" And he took it.

He told one of his comrades standing by that he did not propose to die there, in a strange land, and be planted in that soil, ten thousand miles from home. "Not much?" He was going home. And he came on the hospital relief ship that followed the homeward-bound transports. Upon his arrival at San Francisco, he proceeded to Southern California, for rest and recuperation, and he will soon be with his Lane county friends and relatives. He is a stepson of John Sherwood, the landlord of the Sherwood House at Cottage Grove.

ZION NEWS.

August 14.

Through a Mistake a Child Was Fatally Poisoned.

We are having heavy rains, and lots of grain standing in the shocks.

Miss Beulah McGuire spent a few days visiting friends in these parts last week.

Miss Connie Handsaker returned to her home in Salem after a short visit here.

Th. Hunsaker will visit the Kilton Springs this week hoping to regain lost health.

Miss Carrie Hunsaker of Frisco, came upon the 12th inst to visit friends and relatives here for a time.

D. S. Hunsaker of this place passed through Eugene on his way to Portland. Mr. H has been spending the summer in California.

It is with sadness of heart we have to chronicle the death of little Mary Mayo, aged 2 years. Through a mistake his mother gave it a medicine which she supposed to be Winslow's Soothing Syrup, but which proved to be a poisonous compound. Everything was done by kind neighbors to save its little life, but everything proved futile. No blame can be attached whatever as the mother is sure this the identical bottle which she had given it medicine from sometime before.

HOPS.—Salem Statesman: "A prominent local buyer yesterday intimated that the demand for hops grown in this country for the foreign market might not be as great this year as last. He said that the report, received some time since, to the effect that there would be an increased yield in Germany and other European countries, is being confirmed by the receipt of letters which predict that there is now in the foreign market fully two-thirds of last year's exportation in addition to the increased yield soon to be harvested. Advice indicate that the yield in Germany and other hop raising sections of Europe this year will probably largely supply the foreign market, thereby diminishing the demand for the crop from this country."

ABOUT HOPS.—Albany Herald: "Haley Cooper, the well known hop grower, was in town yesterday. He says the rain thus far has done no damage to hops. Cold rains, he says, do not produce hop lice, neither does dry warm weather, but warm damp weather is to be dreaded. Hops are now free from lice and promise a good yield."

AT HARMONY SCHOOL HOUSE.—D. C. Kellem and T. S. Handsaker will preach at Harmony school house Aug. 27. A basket dinner being arranged.

MCKENZIE NEWS.

Dance at Frizzel's Log House Hotel.

One of the grandest affairs ever held on the upper river was the dance given at the Log House hotel, McKenzie Bridge, last Thursday evening. Before the sun had set the guests began to arrive from every direction, in carriages, wagons, hay racks, on horseback and on foot, until about 25 couple had assembled beneath the roof of the old log house.

Just after dusk an immense bonfire was built on the beautiful lawn facing the hotel, which lit up the country for miles around. A short time thereafter Forest Ranger Dood rode up with the speed of the wind, thinking the entire reserve was ablaze, and it was with difficulty that he was restrained from attempting to extinguish this immense fire.

Promptly at 9 o'clock the grand march commenced, led by Mr. George Frissel, main host of the Log House, and Mrs. Monteith, of Portland, ably assisted by Capt. Dodd, of the Forest Rangers, and Mrs. J. Myrick, Jr., of San Jose, Calif. The music was furnished by the Wycoff orchestra and was all that could be desired by anyone.

At 12 o'clock the dining room was thrown open and the guests invited to partake of the sumptuous repast prepared by Auntie Frizzel, after which they adjourned to the ball room and danced until the wee small hours had slipped away and the crowing of the cocks warned them that daybreak was soon at hand. Then the guests departed, one and all pronouncing the dance a grand success and one long to be remembered.

The ladies were all attired in evening dresses with diamonds as ornaments. King Henderson was becomingly dressed in a soft shirt, cut low at the neck, and studded on the chin. He was the favorite of the evening. To see him swing the ladies on the corner, one would not wonder at his popularity.

F. E. Dunn wore a coat cut off at the arm-holes, and cowhide shoes laced to the knees.

Geo. Hall was somewhat handicapped by splices in his shoes, but he managed to do his share.

T. Nicklin wore a smile and ten days' whiskers.

T. D. Linton and Jno. Henry were to attend but some one confiscated their full dress suits, so they had to stay at Foley.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs F. E. Dunn, Mr and Mrs Geo. T. Hall, Jr., E. K. Henderson and I. T. Nicklin, Eugene; Mr and Mrs M. J. Monteith, Portland; Mr and Mrs J. Myrick, Jr., San Jose, Calif.; Mrs E. M. Morrison, Astoria; Mr Welch, Astoria; Mr and Mrs Wycoff, Mr and Mrs Geo. Frizzel, Meadames Sims and Ward, Misses Sims and Belknap, and Messrs Bert Belknap, Wm Ward, Capt. Dodd, Jas. Magnus, A. White, C. Todd, Sherman Powell and Mr Potter, of McKenzie. REX.

LARGE ATTENDANCE PROMISED.

Professor John Straub, acting president of the University of Oregon, reports that the indications are the University will have a largely increased attendance this year. Already every room in the dormitory has been engaged, and communications are being received daily from parties in all parts of the state who are arranging to attend school here the coming year.

COL. BANGS.—Our popular liveryman will doubtless be surprised to learn that he bears military honors. The Salem Journal copies the picnic and dance article from a recent number of the GUARD and heads it "Col. Eli Bangs."

AT DEXTER.—T. S. Handsaker, of Dexter, Mo., Iowa, will preach at Dexter next Sunday, August 20.

Wm. Frazier, sheriff of Multnomah county, is here purchasing cavalry horses.

AN EDITOR PLEASD

Compliments the Entertainment Afforded at Eugene.

LIKED TROUT AND BEAR.

Nashville, Illinois, Journal, August 10.

On the morning of July 10 we awoke and found our train sidetracked at Eugene. On stepping out on the sleeper platform we were confronted by a hill which arose from the front of the depot. From the top of the hill one could see smoke curling up through the clear atmosphere and we were informed breakfast was to be served up on Skinner's Butte. After a short climb every one was more than paid by a most appetizing breakfast and a splendid panorama. On one side far below lay the Willamette river, hop fields and fine farms. To the other side lay Eugene City containing its 6000 enterprising citizens. We enjoyed the scene so much that before we were aware of the time passing so quickly, the engineer of the train gave the leaving signal and we were much disappointed in not being able to go over what appeared to be one of the choicest of the many fine Oregon cities.

The star dish on the breakfast menu at Eugene was the fine mountain trout. Two days before our arrival eight young men went out and caught hundreds of fine mountain trout. They were beauties. The party also killed a large black bear which was exhibited. This, as well as most any part of Western Oregon, is the fisherman's and hunter's paradise. The Boards of Trade of the different cities will talk you into the belief that Western Oregon is a paradise for anyone but the sportsmen only needed to make their exhibits without any talking.

From Pendleton.

PENDLETON, Aug. 13, '99.

MR. EDITOR:—It gives me great pleasure to drop you a few lines in which I can tell about how the treatment of Eugene people at home and abroad has touched the hearts of company D.

In speaking with some members of the company I heard so much good that I can not resist the temptation to write and tell you about it.

One of the boys remarked, "That, Col Summers is the best man on earth, but Chapman Gilbert is better." Another one said that, "No man on earth would have taken the pains to hunt a well, then go down on a small bamboo pole and fill all their canteens and bring it to them in the trenches to quench their thirst." This is only stated briefly of how they praised the chaplain.

In regard to the hospitality extended the company by Eugene people, I have been told that some members had such a good time that they missed their train. Pendleton gave me boys a hearty welcome, and it made me wish more and more that I could have been in Eugene to help welcome the boys home.

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