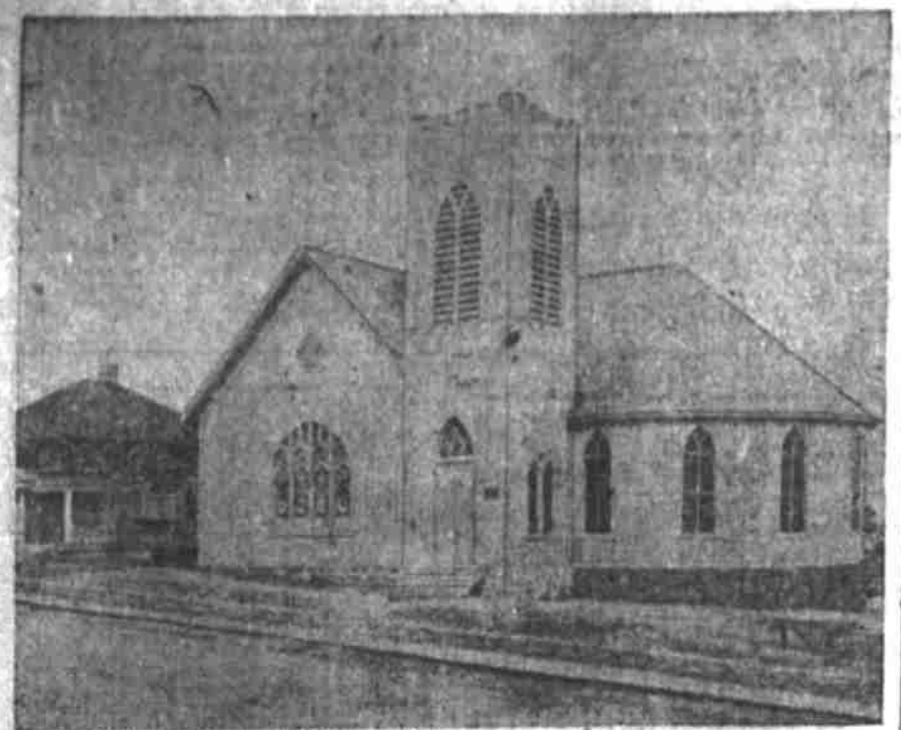


SYNOD AND PRESBYTERY CONVENES AT ASHLAND



Where the Synod is Being Held. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Ashland, Or., Oct. 8.—A large number of delegates and visiting ministers are in this city today in attendance at the synod and presbytery which convened here Tuesday. An excellent program has been arranged.

The annual synodical Sunday school conference, under the direction of Dr. James V. Milligan, former pastor of the Ashland Presbyterian church, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock. This evening there will be an election of a moderator and synodical clerks. A sermon will be delivered by the retiring moderator, Rev. W. S. Gilbert of Astoria, former chaplain of the Second regiment of Oregon volunteers, in the Philippines.

Friday morning at 8:30 devotional service will be led by Rev. Dr. Seeman of La Granda. Routine business will be transacted and addresses will be given by prominent members of the synod; in the afternoon devotional services led by Rev. Walter L. Van Noy, of the report of the San Francisco Theological seminary will be read and address given by Professor Warren H. London. The report of the temperance committee will also be read by J. K. Knodell.

Friday evening's program is as follows: Foreign Missions, Rev. Harry N. Mount, presiding; address, Rev. Dwight E. Potter, field secretary for the Pacific coast; special music and addresses by others. Saturday's program: Morning, devotional services led by Dr. Edward M. Sharp; 9 o'clock, business session; 3 p. m. devotional service led by Rev. A. M. Williams; address by President Crooks, Albany college; 7:30 p. m., Home Missions and Education, in interests of Albany college; special music and short addresses by others.

BRIGHT PROSPECT OF SWINGING OREGON IN DEMOCRATIC COLUMN

Oregon is in the doubtful column and there is strong possibility of carrying the state for Bryan and Kern. Over the state as voters of all party affiliations become informed on the questions at stake in the present presidential campaign they are turning to Bryan for relief from existing abuses and lack of remedial legislation. This sentiment is growing coincident with the spread of Bryan literature and the education of the voters of the state. It is vital for the complete success of these principles in Oregon that the campaign be carried on vigorously and continuously in every district and county. Such a campaign for the remainder of the time between now and election day will probably mean a majority for Bryan and Kern in Oregon.

To carry on this campaign in Oregon it is necessary that the campaign committee and State Chairman Jeweck be supplied with adequate funds. The special committee, headed by Jefferson Myers, is working steadily to secure these funds and is meeting with response but it is necessary that their hands be upheld by the friends of the Bryan and Kern policies. Therefore it is requested that the friends of the Campaign Fund in Oregon Daily Journal, due credit will be given for the offering and wise use made of the money. Cut out this blank and accompany it with a campaign contribution:

To the Bryan and Kern Campaign Fund, care Oregon Daily Journal, Portland, Or.: I herewith contribute \$..... for use in the Bryan and Kern campaign in Oregon.

SIDELINE STORIES OF GREAT NORTHWEST

STATE LAND SALE 1,000 Acres Under Payette-Boise Project Are Sold. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Nampa, Idaho, Oct. 8.—Under the direction of the state land board, George L. Day, special land agent for the state, conducted the sale of the state lands under the Payette-Boise reclamation project, disposing of about 1,000 acres. Practically all of the land sold went to local people. It had been appraised at \$25 to \$30 per acre, and most of it was sold at the appraised value.

W. W. Snell of Nampa was the largest individual purchaser, purchasing four 40-acre tracts. The terms of the sale were one-tenth of the purchase price and one year's interest on the deferred payments, the balance in 15 annual installments at 6 per cent interest. One thousand eight hundred and forty acres in 40-acre tracts, were offered for sale. The same number of acres in the vicinity of Caldwell will be offered for sale October 20, the appraised value of which ranges from \$25 to \$40 per acre.

TO DEVELOP LANE Prominent Merchants of Eugene Incorporate Asset Company. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., Oct. 8.—The Lane County Asset Company, with a capital stock of \$100,000, has been incorporated in this city. The incorporators are F. E. Dunn, Alton Hampton and Joseph Fellman, all prominent merchants of this city. The object of the new company is to assemble assets and offer them to capitalists to induce them to come to Lane county to develop its resources. Railroad enterprises, especially, will be encouraged. The first effort will be directed to securing a line from Eugene to the mouth of the Siuslaw river. Right of way and terminals will be secured and the company will offer them to any person or corporation who will guarantee to build the road within a certain time.

A Sample Shoe Shop STOLE CHECK BUT THAT WASN'T ALL

SAMPLE SHOEMAN WRIGHT OPENS SHOP SATURDAY Locates in Room 600, Oregonian Building, Sells Women's Shoes at \$2, Men's Shoes \$2.50 Pair.

Sample Shoeman Wright will open one his sample shoe shops in this city next Saturday on the sixth floor of the Oregonian building. Sample shoe shops have been opened in most all of the large cities, and now comes Portland in line with one of them. Sample Shoeman Wright contracts with the manufacturers for their sample shoes. He sells all women's shoes for \$2.00 a pair and all men's shoes for \$2.50, and never charges more. The finest makes of shoes in the world will be sold at these prices, shoes that are worth from \$3.50 to \$7.00 a pair—such makes as Laird, Schuber & Co., Burt & Packard, Ziegler Bros., C. P. Ford's Rochester made shoes, and dozens of other high-grade makes. These Wright's sample shoe shops scattered throughout the country in the large cities have created a shoe sensation wherever they are opened, and the people of Portland will certainly appreciate the opportunity to buy these samples at less than half the prices they would have to pay for the same quality of goods in regular shoe stores.

Thief Found Saloonkeeper Who Gave Him \$36 to Make It Even Better. William Thompson, a saloonkeeper at First and Davis streets, unwittingly beat himself out of about \$36 a day or two ago, and thereby brought embarrassment to several innocent persons and a problem which has so far proved baffling to Constable Lou Wagner and his deputies. An unknown man came into Thompson's saloon and presented a check which he asked Thompson to cash. Thompson obligingly did so. He glanced at the paper, made it out to call for \$40.00 and handed over that amount to the stranger, who promptly faded from the saloon. Thompson was not seen since. Later, when Thompson again examined the check, he discovered to his consternation that it did not call for \$40.00, but for \$4.00. The check was drawn by William Cordner of Latourelle Falls and was made payable to J. W. Evans, prominent creamery man of Corbett, Or. Evans appears in hurry. The inference, of course, was that Evans was the man who had cashed the check, and accepting the unexpected windfall as a golden favor of the gods, had annexed the extra \$36 and disappeared. A warrant was at once sworn out for Evans. Evans heard of this and promptly fled into his automobile and burned up the miles between Corbett and Portland. He appeared at the constable's office and explained that he had not cashed the check, but that he had turned it over to one of his employees named Larsen. Larsen, therefore, must be the guilty man. A warrant was accordingly sworn out for Larsen. He was arrested and brought to the constable's office, where he was confronted with Thompson, the complainant. Thompson promptly stated that Larsen was not the man who had presented the check for payment. Larsen's Little Escape. Larsen was questioned and stated that he was in the north end a night or two before that unsavory quarter was denuded of its glory, and got drunk—very drunk. While in this state his pocket was picked and the check taken. As he was not the man who defrauded the saloonkeeper, he was released. And now the constables are back just where they started. The know that Thompson was defrauded on a check by some man, but they don't know who the man is.

NO DIPHTHERIA IN THE LADD SCHOOL

Alarmed by a misleading press report that School Inspector Gellert had found four cases of diphtheria in the Ladd school on his first inspection tour, parents have been keeping their children at home and the attendance was demoralized yesterday. City Superintendent Rigler and Dr. Parker of the health office want the public to understand that the report in a local paper was erroneous and that there is absolutely no danger of contagion in the Ladd or any other school. Dr. Gellert did report that there were four cases of diphtheria in the Ladd school district, but these were all confined to the homes of the children affected and the school was not exposed as parents have been led to believe. Medical Inspectors Gellert and Storey and Mrs. Rachel Doremus Shatto, school nurse, were in consultation all morning at the health office with Dr. Parker as to the best method of carrying out the work which has been started for the first time in Portland by the health department. Mrs. Shatto has just returned from a trip to Seattle, where she armed herself with a formidable array of literature and a mass of useful information which she will put to good use immediately in performing her duties here. The school nurse does not, as many people imagine, take care of a child during sickness, as there are so many cases in a city that the size of Portland that this would be impracticable. The nurse simply advises the parents as to the best procedure to follow in treating any disease with which the child may be affected.

CORBETT HOME FROM HONEYMOON

Henry L. Corbett, president of the Portland Hotel company, and who is connected with a few other little things in this neck of the woods, accompanied by his bride, arrived yesterday after a trip of several months abroad and in this country as well. Mr. and Mrs. Corbett will be at the Corbett home at West Park and Madison streets for the winter. Mr. Corbett has been away from Portland three months. His marriage to Miss Gretchen Hoyt of New York early in the summer was one of the social events of the season in the metropolis. From New York Mr. and Mrs. Corbett went to England, and continued on to the south of France, making the trip in an automobile. They were touring the country in this way for about six weeks. Mr. Corbett is glad to get home. He said so this morning, but said that he wished he could have stayed in the east.

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to see the big ball games. Every one in the east wanted to know about politics in the west, he says. And Mr. Corbett said he had to explain how he didn't know much about the recent happenings out here, as he had just come from across the Atlantic, and all that sort of thing. But in the east, he said, every one was talking baseball and politics.

APPRAISE ESTATE OF ANTONE LABBE

In the appraisal of the estate of Antone Labbe, Appraisers Robert Livingston, D. W. Wakefield and William Mackenzie have filed their report fixing the value at \$142,154. The estate consists of a one third interest in valuable Portland real estate, the other two thirds belonging to the estate of Blaise and John Labbe, brothers of Antone Labbe. Under a provision in the will of Antone Labbe the appraisers were appointed by Judge Gilbert of the Federal court.



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