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THE GREAT WAR GOVERNOR.

Andrew Gregg Curtin, one of the last and certainly one of the greatest of the famous "war governors," died at his home in Bellefonte, Pa., Sunday morning, October 7th. He was born in Bellefonte, Pa., April 22, 1815. His father came from Ireland in 1793 and established one of the first iron manufacturing in the state near Bellefonte in 1807. The son studied law and was admitted to practice in 1839, soon becoming prominent. He entered politics as a whig laboring for Harrison's election in 1840, and successfully canvassing the state for Clay in 1844. In 1860 he was the republican candidate for governor and carried the state by a majority of 32,000. In his inaugural address he advocated the forcible suppression of secession. He foresaw the magnitude of the war, and when the first call for troops was made, supplied 25,000 more than was called for. Although this action was repudiated by the secretary of war the governor obtained authority from the legislature to equip them at the state's expense, and they became known as the "Pennsylvania Reserve," and it is needless to add were accepted by the government a few weeks later. In the early days of the war when even the immortal Lincoln hesitated about calling for more troops, Governor Curtin called a council of the governors and boldly pledged Pennsylvania to furnish her quota of troops however large it might be. This action was followed by Governor Tod of Ohio, and Morton of Indiana, so holding up the hands of the president during the very darkest hour of the rebellion. His devotion to the cause, his tirelessness in looking after and providing for the children and widows of soldiers slain in battle gained for him the title of "the soldier's friend." He supported Horace Greely for the presidency, and subsequently joined the democratic party and was by them elected three successive terms to congress, serving from 1881 to 1887. In his death the country loses a true patriot, and one of the few really great figures of those great days.

PLAIN FACTS.

What we said yesterday concerning the fire and the waterworks made one or more persons feel sore. We regret that it did; but we regret more that the circumstances compelled us to say just what we did. The very existence of the city depends on the water supply and the fire department. Loose or careless methods in either cannot be tolerated, and surely a newspaper that is so tender of some one's feelings as to remain silent under the circumstances is derelict in its duty to the public. The article was not written to find fault with what has been done, but to protest against a further continuance of any system, either in the management of the water supply or the fire department, that does not give us the very best service in both.

The members of the fire department are all excellent men, but there is room for improvement in the department. A hook and ladder company is needed, and when that is provided the boys should get in and drill. The pressure, and the full pressure, should be kept on the mains, especially at this season of the year.

The first five minutes at a fire generally decide whether it is to be a trifle or a calamity. Let the past go, for we cannot change it, but the future we may make for ourselves. Let us see that we make it as we would have it.

We will add, however, that Mr. Norman states positively that the full force of the water from the upper reservoir was on the mains at the time the fire broke out. The statement is corroborated by others. We have no reason for doubting Mr. Norman's word, or that of others who are in position to know. This relieves him from any blame in the matter. Mr. Worsley is positive the plug was open, but there might have been something out of fix with it. However the evidence backs up Mr. Norman's statement, and as the matter is past, the less said about it the better.

IT WAS HOOD RIVER FRUIT.

Brother Gourlay, of the Klickitat Republican, in speaking of the Hood River fruit exhibit last fall, says the "largest and finest apples of that exhibit were raised in Klickitat county." The largest apple of that exhibit was raised in Klickitat county, but not the finest. White Salmon raises apples the same as Hood River, but outside of one or two small selections, White Salmon took no part in the exhibit. The finest apples in that exhibit, where all were fine, were raised in the foothills, ten to fifteen miles south of the town of Hood River, and were grown by A. Diabrow and Dave Cooper. White Salmon could make an astonishing apple exhibit, but on the occasion spoken of did not do so. As a matter of fact, the White Salmon country and that of Hood River are

practically the same in soil and climate, and consequently in productions. The same may be said of a portion of Skamania county, the Underwood brothers owning a ranch near the mouth of the White Salmon that cannot be beaten in either Oregon or Washington.

HILL ACCEPTS.

Senator David Bennett Hill has been formally notified of his nomination for governor of New York and has accepted. He says he did not want the nomination, and we believe him. It is no ripe plum his democratic brethren offered him. They told him frankly they wanted him "to lead them in their hour of danger." Hill was equally frank and gave the committee to understand that he had little hopes of winning, and said: "If we win this contest it will be the party's victory not mine; if we lose, it will be the party's fall which will be involved with my own." If there is a man in the country who can read the political situation, that man is Hill, and that he sees and interprets the writing on the wall is self evident. He goes into the fight half-heartedly, but nevertheless will make a royal battle when once his blood is up.

The campaign in New York will be the most exciting ever fought in this country.

The district fair opens today, and we hope when it closes to note the fact that it was the best and most liberally patronized meeting the society has held. Some of our merchants are preparing exhibits, and others should follow their example. The fairs heretofore have not been as successful as they should have been, consequently the interest now is not so great as it should be. To remedy this a start must be made some time, and that time is at hand. Make a good showing this year, and next year you will see the results in the interest taken by other exhibitors and the larger attendance. Build the matter up; and commence now.

EXHIBITS AT PAVILION.

Concluded from Third Page. Flemish Beauty and winter Nellis pears, some of which are very large; also the Ben Davis, Yellow Bellflower and white Winter Pearmain variety of apples. He has some fine cauliflower also.

Mr. L. F. Sandoz has twenty-three varieties of apples and some English walnuts grown on Mill creek. Mr. D. R. Cooper, from Hood river valley, shows some fine apples grown twelve miles from the snow line of Mt. Hood.

Ed Wicks has a display of good-looking apples.

Dave Creighton has three big watermelons grown on 3-Mile creek.

B. F. Wickham, whose place is on Dutch Flat, has an exhibition ten varieties of potatoes grown without irrigation, also a venture in hops, which look hearty. Some corn planted by him June 17th has attained an height of nine feet.

WALKING BIRTH CERTIFICATE.

Some Curiosities of Tattooing in the Islands of the Pacific Ocean. It is quite common in Fiji and Samoa for a man to bear upon his arm or body a certificate of his birth which is practically indelible, said a globe-trotter to a St. Louis Globe-Democrat man. Tattooing is carried on in these islands to an absurd extent, and it is the practice to tattoo on the hand of a mother the date of her children's births. Sometimes also an enthusiastic father will tattoo the date of the birth on the child itself, and no matter how long it lives the certificate will remain easily decipherable.

In some adjoining islands every child is tattooed almost from head to foot on completing its twelfth year. The result is very remarkable, especially if the child is growing rapidly, so that the spaces between the tattoo marks increase in size year by year. I remember one man who joined our crew when we were short-handed who had every available space on his anatomy tattooed year after year, until he appeared to be nothing but a walking collection of grotesque signs and symbols. In Japan tattooing is now prohibited by law, but it is still practiced by superstitious subjects of the mikado very freely.

PERSONAL MENTION.

C. E. Markham of Hood River is in the city. Mr. J. C. Lackey came up from Portland this afternoon. Constable Olinger came up from Hood River this afternoon. Mr. Martin Donnell came over from Goldendale yesterday.

Hon. W. R. Ellis arrived at Heppner, his home, from Washington yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Hilton and daughter, Florence, returned from a short stay at their ranch, near Fossil, Sunday.

Mr. H. C. Crapper came up from Hood River this afternoon, and will go on to Sherman county, being intent on buying a supply of wheat.

Mr. George Filloon of Spokane is in the city. George looks as happy as a colored boy in a circus, and is enthusiastic whenever mention of Spokane is made.

Major Hartwig, who has been engaged in allotting the lands of the Warm Springs reservation for a year or more, has completed his work, and will leave for a pleasanter place than the Warm Springs soon. We do not know which way he will go, but whichever it is, it is an improvement on that locality.

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DALLES ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER NO. 6—Meets in Masonic Hall the third Wednesday of each month at 7 P. M.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Mt. Hood Camp No. 56, Meets Tuesday evening of each week in Fraternity Hall, at 7:30 p. m.

COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 5, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in K. of P. Hall, corner Second and Court streets.

W. V. VAUGHAN, K. of E. and S. C. C.

ASSEMBLY NO. 457, K. of L.—Meets in K. of P. Hall the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7:30 p. m.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION—will meet every Friday afternoon at 8 o'clock at the reading room. All are invited.

IRISH LODGE, DEGREE OF HONOR, NO. 25—Meets in Fraternity Hall, Second street, every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

MRS. M. M. BRADSHAW, D. W. VAUGHAN, K. of E. and S. C. C.

THE DALLES LODGE No. 2, I. O. O. F.—Regular weekly meetings Friday at 7 P. M., in K. of P. Hall. J. S. WENZLER, G. T. DINSMORE, P. M., Sec'y.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 3, A. O. U. W.—Meets in Fraternity Hall, over Kellers, on Second street, Thursdays evenings at 7:30.

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JOEL KOONTZ, County Assessor.

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