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**ROCKWOOD GRANGE OPPOSES CHANGE**

Thinks Present Constitution Good Enough for Them—State Master's Report Not Satisfactory to Grange.

Rockwood Grange has voted unanimously against the proposed amendments to the constitution of the Oregon State Grange. The subject was thoroughly debated and it was decided that there was no reason in exacting a larger per capita tax, because there is a constantly growing surplus in the State Grange treasury and that the increasing number of subordinate granges will still further increase that sum; besides, if the State Grange is relieved of the burden of paying the per diem of delegates it would not need as much money as it now receives.

The custom of electing the same person as Master over and over again was used as a factor in voting against the proposed method of choosing delegates, and it was shown that no city but Portland could hold a full delegation if all the granges should happen to be represented, which is very unlikely, however, because it is feared that manipulations by interested persons would take the meetings of the State Grange to isolated parts of the state on certain occasions, thus making the trip prohibitive to many of the granges which could not afford the expense.

There was some dissatisfaction expressed because the State Grange gets no revenue, as far as known, from the balances in the hands of its State Treasurer. Other orders get interest on balances and an increased amount would only give the treasurer that much more to use year in and year out without interest.

The State Master's financial statement in the Bulletin was far from being satisfactory, as he used one item of \$1100 twice and failed to mention the yearly revenue of about \$7000 now coming in and which would be increased about 20 per cent under the proposed new law.

While the present law is not all that is to be desired, it was considered that it is better that the one now being voted on, as it was shown that each grange may now increase its dues if it wants to; also, that there would be no relief to counties with an equal grange population, but with a less number of granges. Thus Multnomah county with ten granges now has six delegates, while Clackamas county, with nineteen granges, has ten delegates. Both have almost the same number of grange members and the new law would give Multnomah 20 delegates and Clackamas 38. It was contended that the representation should be on a numerical basis, so that both counties would be represented alike.

Rockwood Grange is just as "progressive" as any of them, but it also claims to have intelligence enough to be wide awake.

**SYCAMORE SCHOOL HAS STORMY TIME**

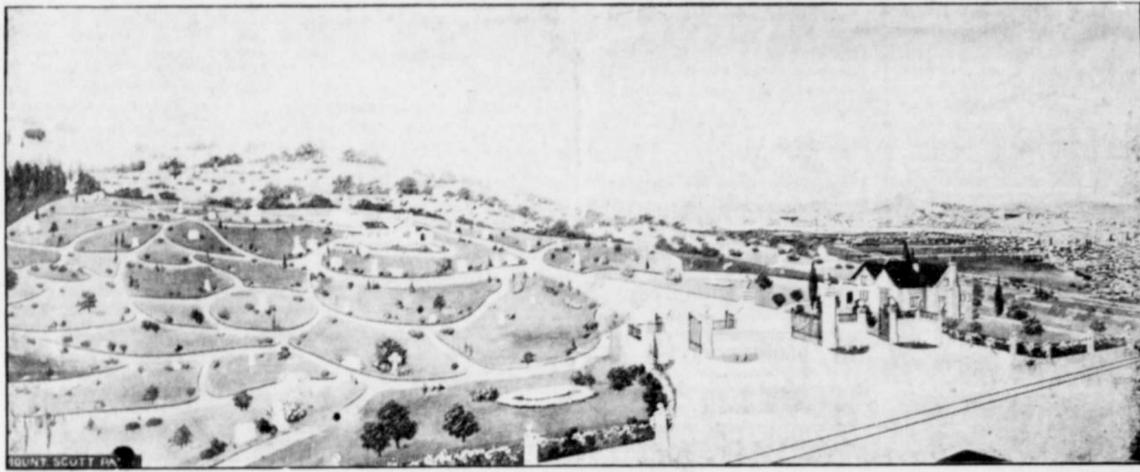
Assault and Battery Complaint Filed Against Teacher.

Charging that the teacher, Miss Mabel Stevens used violence against their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tannier have filed a complaint in the Justice court against her.

The trouble arose in district 15 joint, at Pleasant Valley. It is said that three teachers have had trouble in enforcing discipline in this school and that the trouble with the little Tannier girl is the outcome of this teachers efforts and determination to secure discipline.

The girl who is 15 years old, had been told by the teacher to remain after school. This child would not do, and the teacher then held her against the wall until the other pupils had passed out into the yard. When the child went home she complained bitterly of her treatment and parent-like they took it up with the result of the charge, which however was dismissed.

**Birds-eye View of Mt. Scott Park Cemetery, Recently Opened**



View shows the cemetery as it will soon appear and the proposed new crematory and chapel. Also car line that will be built within a year

**EVENING STAR GRANGE MEETS**

Adopts Resolution to Increase Dues of the Grange to 15c a Month—Banquet Spread as Usual.

Evening Star Grange met in their hall on Section Line road Saturday, Nov. 4th with good attendance. One new member received first and second degrees.

After the banquet, Lecture work was taken up, opening with singing by the grange. J. D. Lee discussed our National Revenue System very ably and suggested many lines of thought on tariff and revenue.

J. G. Kelly discussed "What" the Grange has done on Legislation.

A. Nichols read the Declaration of Purposes of P. of H. and discussed them at some length, comparing them with other like papers. Music by Miss Clara Smith. Paper on Ceres, Miss Alice Johnson.

In the business session an amendment to increase the dues of the grange to 15c per month was discussed and adopted as follows:

Resolved: That it is the sense of Evening Star Grange No. 27, P. of H., that the minimum dues of the Subordinate Granges in the State of Oregon be increased to fifteen cents per month, that dues from Subordinate to State Grange remain the same as now, that each Subordinate Grange be given the option to send a voting delegate to the State Grange, whose wife or husband, as the case may be, if a 4th degree member in good standing be also a voting delegate and that unless otherwise voted, the Master of each Subordinate Grange shall be such delegate, that to relieve the additional cost to the State Grange a new and equitable arrangement of apportioning these costs between the State and Subordinate Granges be adopted.

**ALUMNI TO GIVE BASKET SOCIAL**

Announcements are out for a basket social to be given by district No. 45 Alumni at the Gilbert school house Nov. 18th at 8 P. M.

A short program will be rendered after which W. Millard of Harmony will auction off the baskets. Prizes will be awarded the lady whose basket brings the highest price and the gentleman who pays the record price will receive the return of one-half of the price paid as his prize.

The proceeds derived from the social are to be used as a fund to aid its members in time of stress and sickness. All are cordially invited by the Alumni to attend, and a jollicking good old fashioned time is promised.

Mr. Bottleson, of Gresham, was a Herald caller Thursday.

**MT. SCOTT PARK CEMETERY LARGEST AND BEST ON COAST**

Situation, Location, Arrangement, All Contribute to Make It So—\$175,000 Already Expended in Improvements—Beautiful Landscape.

Situated on the northwest slope of the famous Mount Scott and only one and a half miles from Lents is located the biggest, most beautiful and certainly most modern burying ground on the Pacific Coast and one that equals any found in the east. Indeed it is a composite of all the good features of the nation's largest and best cemeteries.

The cemetery, known as Mount Scott Park, comprises the major part of the old Harvey W. Scott claim, after whom the famous hill was named. At present only the first unit of 30 acres has been parked and improved but the remainder will be put into the same condition as soon as possible.

The elevation which is 1100 feet above sea level at the highest point and 335 feet where the crematory will stand, makes it a point of advantage to sightseers. Here you may view a young city, covering several miles, nestling at its feet. This is Lents. An excellent view of Portland may be had with the snow-capped peaks of Mt. Hood, St. Helens and Mt. Adams, towering in the distance.

The grounds are beautifully laid out, parked, with avenues and pathways winding and twining along the hillside.

This cemetery is constructed on the park and lawn plan and certain restrictions as to monuments, vaults etc., though very liberal, are enforced, the idea being to carry out a general harmonious scheme throughout the cemetery.

Each lot or plot sold, is sold with a perpetual care agreement without extra cost. This is done by a per cent of the sale of each lot being set aside for this purpose.

Leading from Lents to the grounds is a newly hard-surfaced and macadamized road. The main thoroughfares of the grounds are also macadamized and curbed with concrete, making one of the best drive-ways yet seen.

The cemetery association has its own rock quarry and out of it have quarried rock enough to build one of the handsomest offices and public service building imaginable. Its cost alone was \$20,000. This is situated immediately at the right as you enter the grounds through the large stone archway.

Plans are drawn for a \$50,000 combination, Crematory, Chapel and Receiving Vault, work to start soon.

The Harvey W. Scott estate have a large plot here that is especially platted, centrally located and all, and here will lie the remains of this great man. They will be removed from Riverview Cemetery at a future date. The largest monument on the coast will be erected in memory to him on the lot. It is to be shipped from Vermont quarries. It is of brown granite, massive and low, weighing 60 tons.

The late Mr. Nickum of Nickum &

Kelley will also be laid to a last rest here as soon as the \$25,000 mausoleum is completed. N. L. Morgan, is also to erect a mausoleum. It cost is said to be \$35,000. Other noted Portlanders are contemplating building vaults here, as it is now realized that the old burial places must soon be condemned, all being too near the rapidly growing city.

A street-car line will soon be built to the grounds say the management, promises having been made for this extension to be built in a year. In the meantime free automobile service is being provided between Lents and Lents Junction and the cemetery.

Several taxis, automobile hearses, carriages etc., will be put in operation in the spring.

All the latest methods and machinery are employed in this cemetery.

The officers and directors are: W. L. Morgan, President, Contracting Architect; Leslie M. Scott, Vice-President, Associate Editor, The Oregonian; J. P. Finley, Second Vice-President, J. P. Finley & Son, Undertakers; Geo. W. Bates, Treasurer, Pres. Geo. W. Bates & Co. Bankers; George F. Keck, Secretary; Roscoe C. Nelson, Ass't. Secretary Attorney-At-Law; H. R. Reynolds, Manager.

L. McKinley of this place, who is a large stock-holder, is superintendent and has active management of the grounds.

Mr. Reynolds, the manager, first thought of this plan to build a modern cemetery, about two years ago. He visited many nearby places but finally decided on Mt. Scott on account of its sightliness, its atmosphere, its drainage, its location and above all its situation. He realized, that growing as Portland is, it will soon spread over many more miles of territory in all directions, but this tract is so located that grow as it will it will always be in a location by itself, and always easily reached. Mr. Reynolds was formerly in the real estate business and was the organizer of the Portland Realty Board. He has been a resident of Portland for 18 years.

A formal dedication day will be announced later at which time excursions will be run from Lents, Gresham, Oregon City, Portland and other places.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Mr. F. W. Tussey and family take this means to express their appreciation for the kind assistance and sympathy, shown by friends and neighbors at the time of and subsequent to the fire which recently destroyed our home and business house. Such evidence of neighborly regret can only be repaid in values of the same nature, and of that we freely give. It lightens the burden of loss to know that our acquaintances and neighbors have the attitude so freely expressed.

**PIONEER OF EARLY 60'S LAID TO REST**

J. Latourelle for Whom Latourelle Falls was Named Passes Away at Advanced Age—Was Widely Known.

Latourelle Falls and surrounding country, was suddenly cast into a gloom, when news of the death of Mr. J. Latourelle was received last Wednesday. He had been in poor health for some time, but made a brave fight for life, and was not bed fast but a few days before he died. But his advanced years proved to be against all medical skill, and he finally succumbed, surrounded by his wife, children and grand-children.

Mr. Latourelle was one of the first settlers of this part of the county, and the head of one of the most prominent families in Multnomah county, having resided at Latourelle Falls forty years.

Mr. Latourelle was beloved by all who knew him, and besides his family he will be mourned by a large circle of friends. He is survived by his wife and six children, Joe, Henry, Andrew and M. Latourelle, Mrs. N. Courter and Mrs. J. Larsen of Troutdale. The remains were laid to rest last Friday at Mountain View cemetery.

**HARMONY SCHOOL DISTRICT PROTESTS**

Does not Like Idea of Giving up Fifteen Acres of Its Territory.

Because the Willsburg and Wichita school districts are seeking to enlarge their territory at the expense of the Milwaukee and Harmony districts, respectively, a bitter fight is in progress between the school jurisdictions.

Willsburg district is east of Sellwood and was formerly a joint district with Multnomah and Clackamas Counties, but at the last general election part of Willsburg district, on which the schoolhouse stands was annexed to Portland, leaving the people outside without a schoolhouse, though they are permitted to use the present building for a few years.

These persons on the outside are now trying to absorb a part of Milwaukee district, taking in a large acreage of valuable farm land in order to form a new district and build a schoolhouse. As it means loss of much taxable property, Milwaukee people are preparing to fight hard.

Milwaukee has already lost two districts out of its territory, but still has a large schoolhouse of eight rooms, which is filled to overflowing. The directors say that the loss of the territory the Willsburg people want would seriously cripple the finances of Milwaukee school district. A remonstrance will be presented to the Clackamas County Boundary Board Tuesday.

**COL. CLARKE AND WIFE HONORED**

Friends and Relatives Gather Around Festive Board to Celebrate Their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

Colonel and Mrs. Daniel Clark, old and respected citizens of this place, were greatly honored last Friday evening when there gathered at the home of their son, G. W. Clark of 560 Albina Avenue, Portland, relatives, friends and comrades from Summer Post of the G. A. R. and the Womans Relief Corps.

The event was the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Clark's fiftieth wedding anniversary. The friends fairly "mobbed" the colonel and the toast-master, Rev. W. T. Kerr, gave a humorous sketch of the couple, concluding by performing an old time marriage ceremony, uniting them as husband and wife for another 50 years. As past commander of Summer Post, Grand Army of the Republic, and an active worker in the city among the veterans, Comrade Clark and his wife have a large acquaintance among survivors of the Civil War. Many friends called during the evening.

Daniel and Amanda Clark were married in New Castle, Penn., November 3, 1861. They have five children and 11 grandchildren, most of whom attended the golden wedding anniversary. The children are Wallace and John Clark, living in Albina; Mrs. Alta Cone and W. G. Clark, of Butteville, and Mrs. Calkins of Chicago. Mr. Clark's Army record was made in Company F, 76th Regiment of Penn. Volunteers, with which he served for three years.

**SERIES OF ENTERTAINMENTS AT WOODMERE**

First to be Given Wednesday, Nov. 15—Bazaar to be Held Dec. 5.

The young people of St. Paul's Episcopal church are looking forward to a delightful evening, Wednesday, Nov. 15. They are planning a dancing party which will be given at the Woodmere hall. All persons interested in the church are cordially invited to be present. Mrs. George B. Van Waters, Mrs. O. W. Taylor and the ladies of the guild will serve as patronesses.

The church is planning a series of entertainments which will be given at intervals during the winter. Some are specially designed for the older people, others like the one to be given Wednesday evening for the young folks; however, there is no age limit, and all guests will be made welcome.

The committee on decorations is considering an arrangement of fish nets interlaced with Oregon grape which promises to be very effective. Refreshments will be served in the rear of the room from tables profusely decorated with grape.

No charge is being made, the expenses being borne by the members of the church club. All persons desiring to become members of the club are requested to hand in their names to Mr. Bert Thompson of Woodmere.

The club is designed to handle the social side of the church work and a little later extend its work in a number of other directions. The bazaar will be held Dec. 5.

**NEW ADDITION PUT ON MARKET**

Petersen Addition, comprising the acreage of our friend Geo. Peterson and lying a half mile north-east of the school house was platted and put on the market this week in lots of 50x140 and 50x120, selling from \$150 up.

This land certainly lays well and enjoys the advantage of being close in and all cleared as well as level.

This is no doubt, the chance many have been looking for, as it is announced that lots can be purchased of the owner for \$5 down and \$5 a month. Announcement in detail appears on another page.