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"WESTON FREE DAY."

Without exception, Weston business men have united in the plans for the celebration tomorrow of Weston Free Day. All of them will give souvenirs—and if the day proves fair and draws as well as anticipated, it is likely that two thousand gifts will be bestowed tomorrow upon the town's visitors. Some of these are of considerable value, and will lend a touch of fascination to the hunt for souvenirs about town that is planned to follow the distribution of the numbered tickets. Dr. F. D. Watts, who originated the idea of Weston Free Day and whose firm is donating the big "free feed," has been as busy this week as the proverbial bee with preparations for the affair and has everything pretty well lined up. If the sun shines tomorrow and the crowd elects to come, Weston—"as one man"—will be found standing at its threshold with a smile of welcome and an open hand.

SALTING THE DOVE'S TAIL.

While the Teutonic armies are winning their way in Serbia and are pretty well holding their own on the eastern and western fronts, it is significant that such tentative peace "feelings" as get into print emanate from Germany and not from the entente allies. A few days ago a German of rank suggested in effect that the entente allies should realize they are "licked" and roll over like good little dogs and wag their tails for the mollification of the dashbun. They are spilling blood in vain, he said. Now comes a news story to the effect that the German kaiser is seeking to negotiate a separate peace with Russia. Meanwhile the entente allies are keeping silent in all their several tongues. They speak only from the cannon's mouth. There is nothing to gainsay their grim determination expressed at the outset of the war to pursue it as one nation until the Teutons are brought to their knees. France is apparently stronger than ever; beaten back, Russia is fighting grimly; England is disturbed and anxious but resolute, and while still weak on land has made such good use

of her great sea arm as to drive German shipping from the Baltic and to give color to the rumor that hunger threatens the kaiser's realm. Even though the central powers should win through to Constantinople it would be a stunning but not a vital blow to the allied arms. It would seem now as it seemed when the kaiser's legions were driven back from Paris that the best he can hope for is a draw, and that a draw would be welcomed in the imperial council before disaster befall the house of Hohenzollern.

ELGIN'S ROAD CAMPAIGN.

Elgin is entitled to encouragement in its motor road campaign, and in getting it in some quarters. Walls Walls in particular is interesting itself actively in the movement, recognizing the value of easy access with its products to eager consumers in a region which in six weeks later than its fertile lowlands. It seems to us that Athena and Weston should exhibit more than passing interest in the improvement of that portion of the road leading in this direction. Who knows but that a well-made motor road over the old toll road route would ultimately constitute a sector of the great Lincoln Highway of the future? La Grande is said to be alive to such a possibility, and while not knocking the Elgin proposition is pointing out the advantages of a La Grande-to-Pendleton route through its own tributary mountain territory. Communities, like individuals, must build for the future, and it will be well for our East End towns to keep their eyes open. At all events our good neighbors and friends on the eastern slopes of the Blues should not be met with a spirit of apathy and indifference in their earnest efforts to get in closer touch with us.

Having denied that he intends to resign, Ambassador Page is entitled to a paragraph.

Congressman Sinnott in Town.

Congressman N. J. Sinnott was in Weston for a few hours Monday while on an automobile tour of Eastern and Central Oregon. His district embraces 17 counties, several of them of large extent, and getting over it requires something of a pilgrimage. He has motored 2500 miles on the present trip, and on a former expedition negotiated 5000 miles by train, but says that this is the only means by which he can get into personal touch with his constituents and become familiar with their needs. Our hard-working congressman is giving special attention to homestead legislation, having already gotten two measures through at Washington. He has a third in view which he says is heartily favored by settlers throughout the district. In effect it would allow the claimant three years in which to establish residence after filing, providing that he make certain required improvements on his claim. Congressman Sinnott received hearty greeting here, having won the good opinion of this community by his faithful work in the lower house and by an admirable address which he delivered in Weston at the pioneer reunion last June.

A SERMON ON NOAH.

Ma text dis mornin' Breddern, am took from de Holy Writ, wherein we read how Noah made de Ark fashioned it; he built de Ark of gopher wood, an' used a cubit rule, while all de knockers sat aroun' an' cussed him for a fool; de local anvil chorus dey jes' sat aroun' an' spat tobaccoer juice upon his wood, an' mocked him jes' lak dat an' 'Wha' foah' ye makin' dis hyah boat foah on dry lan'! Yo'-all a-thinkin' maybe, dat yo'-il's a sailin' man!"

But Noah paid no 'tenshun, ner allowed he heard dem croaks, but jes' minded his own business, lak all good and proper folks; when dey read de weddah fo'cast—"Mild; continued warm an' fair," ole Noah went on buildin', an' allowed he didn't care.

But one day de weddah shifted; de barometer done fall, an' de rain came down in torrents—rained to to'ly days—dat's all; an' de knockers an' de croakers dropped jes' lak so many rats, which was jes' what dey had commin'—nothin' let' excep' dey hate. An' de moral ob dis story, Breddern, hit an' writ quite plain, dat whenever knockers tell yo' dey ain't gwine ter be no rain, jes' go ahead lak Noah, an' don't let 'em get yo' goat, an' some day yo'll have lak Noah, de biggest show afloat.—Exchange.

THE EDITOR SOLILOQUIZES.

When a dearly loved subscriber writes to us in fraternal vein: "Stop the paper. Never send the vile sheet to my home again." We just puff our sweet old corncob, and we stroke the office cat; editors "don't have no feelings"—never mind—we're used to that.

When a typographical error sometimes creeps in, by mistake, and our friends rush up and tell us what a first-rate ass we'd make, we just overlook THEIR errors, never giving tit for tat; editors are psychodermic, and—Oh, well—we're used to that.

When our advertisers cancel, telling us the sheet's no good; when subscribers choose to pay us in tomatoes or cord wood, well, we simply grin and bear it, though it leaves us rather flat; editors can exist somehow—somehow we get used to that.

When your daughter's graduation, or her wedding day comes round, you expect the kind of write-ups that in adjectives abound, do you ever stop to thank us, though 'tis done with great "delicacy," that's what editors are that for, and—Oh, well! We're used to that.—Exchange.

Newcastle, Ind.—Moab Turner, 77, is dead. Thirty years ago he suffered his first stroke of paralysis and made his funeral plans. A walnut chest was turned into a coffin and given to the local undertaker to care for. He will be buried in the walnut casket.

Pewaukee, Wis.—Here's the latest fish story. Robert Nichols and E. F. Schmutzer went fishing. Arriving at the favorite spot, they found to their horror they had brought a can of green paint instead of a can of bait. But listen! Nichols is an artist. He painted pictures of a worm on the hooks, and they had a record catch

Death of Mrs. Herndon.

Following a surgical operation, Mrs. J. E. Herndon died September 21 in Walls Walls at the age of sixty-three years, nine months and seventeen days. Mrs. Herndon was formerly Miss Tennessee Ditty, and was a native of Missouri. Shortly after her marriage she came west with her husband and located in Umatilla county. They were residents for nearly forty years on Reed and Hawley mountain, southeast of Weston. A few years ago they moved to the Portland neighborhood, near the state line.

Deep sorrow over the death of Mrs. Herndon is expressed by her many old-time friends and neighbors in this vicinity. An exemplar of the highest type of womanhood, a loving wife and mother and a kindly neighbor, she was esteemed by her friends and revered in her household. In early years she united with the Cumberland Presbyterian Church. She is survived by her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Walter Gilmore; one son, Grady Herndon; seven sisters and two brothers.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the funeral services at the United Brethren Church in Weston Saturday afternoon, and beautiful floral tributes were heaped upon the casket by loving hands. A feeling and impressive sermon was preached by Rev. W. S. Payne, and appropriate hymns were sung by a quartet of voices.

Interment was had in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

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To Whom It May Concern.

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Notice is hereby given that I am the assignee of the accounts and notes formerly due and owing to D. B. Jarman of Weston, Oregon, and same are due and payable to me. I have appointed Mr. Geo. L. Horseman of Weston, Oregon, as my agent to collect these debts and he is authorized to receipt for the same. Debtors are respectfully requested to call on Mr. Horseman and settle their obligations in this matter.

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The following business people are making the SOUVENIR GIFTS; and when you have drawn your number you will hunt from place to place until you find a like number on some article—and that article is YOURS. It may be a sack of coal, a sack of flour, a wheat check, a bunch of clothes pins or a Ten Dollar Prize. It will be

out in plain sight, so you won't need to mull up goods or go behind the counters. Just use your eyes!

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The FREE FEED is furnished by Watts & Rogers as an expression of appreciation of the patronage they have enjoyed for the last two years. It is their request that the ladies of the Methodist and United Brethren Churches serve this feed in the Pioneer Picnic tent at noon of Saturday, October 30, in cafeteria style, with paper plates. Seats furnished, and every man, woman and child is welcome.

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