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EUGENE NEWS NOTES

Lane County Pioneer Goes to His Last Great Reward

A. R. MEMORIAL

By Sermon to be Delivered by Rev. B. F. Rowland, May 24th

DEATH OF G. B. DAY.
Geo. B. Day, an old Lane county pioneer died Sunday morning at 8 o'clock at the home of his son, Rev. B. F. Day, in Hillsboro, of paralysis. He was aged 75 years, lacking one month and one day. Geo. B. Day was a well known pioneer of the early '50's. He was born in Sumner county, Tennessee, June 5th 1828, and crossed the plains in 1852 with the Sumner's band of oxen drivers, settling at once in Lane county where he has resided ever since. In 1858 he was married to Adelia Harlow and the following children were born to them: Henry J., John F., William G., Francis E., Sarah J., Sarah N., Mahlon H., Geo. B., and Robert R. Mr Day's home has been for years four and a half miles west of Creswell, where the remains will be buried Friday afternoon. The funeral being delayed until the arrival of a son from New York. The remains were brought from Hillsboro to Creswell on the day train Thursday. The funeral services will be held there at 10 o'clock today Friday forenoon, with interment in the Creswell cemetery.

A marriage license was issued Monday morning to Frank Young and Mrs Louise R. Babb.

Dr. L. W. Brown went to Cottage Grove Monday to attend the monthly meeting of the LeRoy Mining Company.

Hon. Sam White arrived in Eugene last Thursday afternoon, and is at work as chairman of the Democratic Congressional Committee.

M. S. Barker, one of Eugene's most enterprising business men, will build a sawmill on the river bank just below the Eugene bridge.

The baseball game here Sunday between Eugene and Springfield resulted in a score of 11 to 11. No attempt was made on the part of the ministers to stop the Sunday game as was anticipated.

At the Free Methodist conference

held in Roseburg late last week, Rev. H. H. Dollarhide was chosen elder of the Eugene district and Rev. J. M. Reese, pastor for Cottage Grove, Comstock and Scotts Valley.

The dam across Shotgun creek, a tributary to the Mohawk broke Monday and over 800,000 feet of logs belonging to Hyland Lumber company broke away. Work was immediately begun on booms in order to save the company's logs.

J. W. Geary Post, G. A. R., has taken preliminary steps for securing proper observance of Memorial day in Eugene, Rev. B. F. Rowland has been invited to deliver the Memorial sermon on Sunday, May 24. Other arrangements are in the hands of the committees.

It has just leaked out that the scheme of the democratic committee in challenging Mr Hermann to a joint canvas with Mr Reams was the hope of being able to exhibit their candidate before Mr Hermann's never failing large and enthusiastic audiences—the one being a gentleman of national reputation, the other an ordinary country lawyer; the former with a record which is part of Oregon's proud history; the latter simply a good fellow and a "son-in-law" of the late Congressman Tongue.

Complaints were filed Monday evening by the ministers and their agents against the directors of the Eugene Baseball Co. which was incorporated a few weeks ago resulting Tuesday in the members of the organization being the recipients of various warrants citing them to appear at 3 o'clock to answer to the charge of violating the Sunday amusement closing law, last Sunday. On appearing before the Justice of the peace the case was postponed until Thursday for jury trial.

A NEW FOREST RESERVE

Has Been Created in Southwestern Oregon, Which will Withdraw About Sixty Townships Mostly in Josephine and Curry Counties.

Officials of the U. S. land office in Roseburg have been advised by wire that a new government forest reserve has been created in Southwestern Oregon, and that all the lands included within the boundaries specified are withdrawn from settlement or entry after this date.

The tract thus withdrawn includes sixty townships mostly in Josephine and Curry counties and extending from the southern portions of Douglas and Coos counties to the state boundary line. The new reserve also extends into California, but the area included in that state has not yet been made known here. The total area of the new reserve in Oregon is 1,405,440 acres. The withdrawal of this large area does not effect the titles of the settlers now residing therein on claims heretofore regularly filed in the U. S. land office or other filings or proofs heretofore made.

HERMANN AT THE GROVE

Met Many Old Friends and Ardent Supporters of all Parties

A WARM RECEPTION

Was Given Him—Addresses a Crowded House in Masonic Hall

Hon. Binger Hermann, republican candidate for congress from the first Oregon district, arrived in this city at 1 o'clock p. m. Wednesday. He was met by a large delegation of representative citizens and escorted to the Sherwood hotel. The afternoon was spent in looking over the town and renewing old acquaintanceships, the pioneer settlers, old friends and supporters of Mr. Hermann, representing members of all parties, being much gratified with an opportunity to again greet their old friend.

In the evening the stirring music of the C. M. A. Band directed the attention of the people to the Masonic hall, where Mr. Hermann was accorded a packed house, many ladies being present. Our townsman, Darwin Bristow, called the house to order and stated that the distinguished gentleman who would address the large audience assembled was too well known to Oregonians to require an introduction at his hands, and then presented Mr. Hermann as the next congressman from the First Oregon District. Mr. Hermann was received with a round of applause, and began by expressing his gratitude for the very cordial and enthusiastic reception he had been accorded at this place. Reference was made to the large number of ladies present, and he said if such "apathy" was manifested all along the line, he would receive the largest vote in June ever given a candidate in this congressional district. He then paid a glowing tribute to the late Congressman Tongue. He felt that his selection as the choice of his party to again represent this district in congress was a flattering recognition of the value of his former services in this capacity. He spoke of the importance of prominent positions on congressional committees and the great part played in legislation by these committees. He had always been honored by appointments to good committee positions, and through his intimate acquaintance with the next Speaker of the House, Mr. Cannon, would no doubt, if elected, be thus honored again. He said Oregon is a great state, blessed with many outlets to the high seas, but to send out to the markets of the world our various products, these many harbors and waterways must be improved, and he stated he had lost none of his old time enthusiasm for such improvements. He deplored the recent order relating to the abandonment of work at the mouth of the Siuslaw river in Lane county, which came as a blight to the beautiful, productive Siuslaw valley, which

had been made to blossom as the rose by the energy of the settlers.

In regard to his election being a rebuke to the administration, he stated that he stood unalterably for all of the grand principles of the republican party and was on the most cordial terms with America's grand chief executive, and is an ardent supporter and admirer of Theodore Roosevelt, while on the other hand, his opponent, Mr. Reams, was distinctively opposed and antagonistic to every principle of republicanism and President Roosevelt himself, and that his election, and his only, would be an emphatic rebuke to the administration.

Mr. Hermann, however, spoke in the most kindly manner of Mr. Reams and said that they were on the most cordial terms, and that as far as he himself was concerned this would be a gentlemanly campaign.

Mr. Hermann reviewed the work of the two old parties and drew a fitting comparison, the one standing for peace, happiness and prosperity the other for discord, unrest and poverty. Under the one we went to Lombard street, London, to borrow money, under the other the nations of the world borrow of us. He spoke of the wonderful expansion of our trade in the past few years and unprecedented prosperity at home. He took up the tariff question and asked "what does tariff for revenue only, mean? simply a repetition of the hard times of Cleveland's free trade term." And that "the last time we tried tariff for revenue only we all came near being made paupers."

He took up the trust question and said his opponent was in favor of repealing the tariff on all trust made articles, but as this includes about all of our manufactured articles this was an ingenious way of declaring for free trade. He said the Republican party will revise and muzzle the monster trusts, without returning to free trade and hard times, and again dealing a death blow to American labor. Roosevelt now has the trusts by the throat. He took up, backed by his party the Chicago beef trust and broke it up. A little later the salt combine was very unceremoniously smashed. Then came the big railroad merger, and through the governor of the states most effected, backed by a republican administration the merger was combatted and was recently dealt a death blow in the United States courts of justice. This he said is evidence that the republicans are able and will remedy the trust evil.

Mr Hermann said the Republican party was the first to declare for American labor. He spoke eloquently for labor, but said that capital was entitled to the same fair consideration, protection and recognition. He commended Roosevelt for his wise course in appointing a board of arbitration which recently amicably settled the great coal strike. He has proven equal to every emergency.

He spoke of the Philippines and the consideration they should receive at the hands of the administration, in the way of tariff regulations. While the democrats opposed every movement toward their acquisition, Manila has already proven to us what Hong Kong has long been to England, a distributing point and great center for Oriental trade. In conclusion Mr Hermann said he felt sure the people of this district would turn out in June and endorse the administration of President Roosevelt by voting the Republican ticket. Applause was frequent throughout the speech.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEETING

Cresswell District Annual Convention Will Convene at Pleasant Hill May 16th—Program.

The tenth Annual Convention of the Cresswell District Sunday School Association will convene at Pleasant Hill on Saturday, May 16th at 10 o'clock a. m.

The following is the program as arranged by the committee.

- Song service, led by Mr. Bradley, Goshen.
- Prayer, Rev. Kellems, Pleasant Hill.
- Address of welcome, Miss Ora Reed.
- Response to address of welcome, Mrs. A. Johnson, Cresswell.
- Reading of minutes of last convention.
- Song.
- Appointment of committees.
- Reports of schools by their secretaries.

- Song.
- Basket dinner.
- 1:30 o'clock, song service.
- Reports of committees.
- Paper, "The Teachers," Mr. J. Coe, Goshen.
- Recitation, Spencer Butte School.
- Song.
- Program, Pleasant Hill School.
- Recitation, Lynx Hollow School.
- Paper, "How to get the older ones to attend Sunday School," Mrs. Cruzan, Cloverdale.
- Recitation, Maggie Elliott, Goshen.
- Song.
- Paper, "The relation of the Sunday School to the church," Rev. Barnhart, Cresswell.
- Recitation, Dexter Union School.
- Discussions are invited on all subjects.
- Song.
- Unfinished business.
- New business.
- Election of officers.
- Adjournment.

CAUGHT ON THE WIRES

News Notes of General Interest From Various Sources

SERVED RED HOT

Wreck at Cow Creek Canyon—Engineer and Fireman Hurt

The ladies of Roseburg have organized a Lewis & Clarke club.

Albany is to have a new daily paper, it is said. It will be Republican in politics. For years there has been a field at Albany for a live up-to-date daily.

George Smith, the negro wife-murderer, of Portland, will be hanged Friday, June 5th. The execution will take place in the jail enclosure at Portland.

Wm R. Hearst of San Francisco Examiner, Chicago American and New York Journal was married to Miss Millicent Wilson of New York, city last week.

The smallpox near Prineville is assuming a violent form. Three physicians are suffering with the disease and doctors have been sent to Prineville by the state board of Health.

Contracts for the grading of the Oregon & Pacific Railroad between Grants Pass and Crescent City have been let. Work will begin as soon as arrangements have been made for securing a right of way.

California Masons have decided to swear off. The California grand lodge of Masons at its annual meeting next October will order that all banquets given under the name of any Masonic lodge of the state be strictly temperate.

Contractors F. F. Patterson and Dan Fisher narrowly escaped fatal injury in Roseburg Saturday at the railroad crossing on Lane street. The yard was full of cars and a "flying switch" of a caboose was being made. As no engine was heard approaching, and no watchman was present to give warning, the car was almost upon them before it was seen. Their vehicle was demolished and the horse killed, the men marvelously escaping without serious injury.

Friday evening's northbound passenger No. 16 was wrecked at West Fork, in Cow Creek Canyon. The engine jumped the track and rolled

40 feet down into the Cow Creek landing bottomside up, where it was submerged in water. The mail car was run into the embankment. This saved the rest of the train and the passengers from a frightful disaster. Engineer Gray was severely bruised and his back was sprained. Fireman Arthur Strader was also severely bruised and some ribs were broken. Traffic was delayed 15 hours by the wreck.

Less than one month remains before the price of school land will be doubled, and there is a rash on the purchase of this class of property. On May 21, when the new law goes into effect, the price of school land will be advanced from \$1.25 per acre to \$2.50. The price of lieu land will be raised from \$2.50 to \$5 per acre, but as the state has no lieu land, this change in the law is of little present importance. The passing opportunity to get 320 acres is causing a scramble for the cheap land. The opinion seems to prevail that when the legal price has advanced the actual market value will be correspondingly strengthened.

LINE ABOUT COMPLETED

Poles all Set and Wire will be Strung by Saturday—"Hello Lorane"—Machinery will Arrive this Week for Lorane Creamery.

The construction force at work on the Cottage Grove, Lorane telephone line completed the setting of poles Monday afternoon and the work of hanging the wire was taken up the next day. Mr. I. P. Inman the Lorane postmaster, was in town Tuesday collecting the subscriptions to the Telephone enterprise and said that all subscribers were responding promptly. He stated that the construction crew expected to have the wire all up by Saturday evening and the line in working order by the first of next week.

THE LORANE CREAMERY.

Work has been progressing steadily on the Lorane Creamery enterprise ever since the company was incorporated some weeks ago, and upon the arrival of the machinery Saturday the plant will be installed and soon be ready for operation. A good number of cows have been secured to furnish milk for the creamery and the enterprise gives promise of being successful from the very commencement of operations. There are few if any communities in the county more progressive, enterprising and prosperous than Lorane.

Louis Bagger & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C., report that recently John S. Culp, a resident of this place, obtained a valuable patent for improvements in bottles. A printed copy of this patent will be furnished free to any reader of this paper on application to the above named attorneys. Mention this paper in writing.

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