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NATIONAL ORATORS MAY SPEAK AT FAIR

FAIR COMMITTEE HOLDS IMPORTANT MEETING AND DISCUSS PLANS FOR FIRST ANNUAL EXHIBITION.

WM. J. BRYAN MAY COME

Move to Be Made to Secure Bryan, Senator Gore, or James; Fair Open to All Polk County Exhibitors; Lectures by Fruit Men and O. A. C. Demonstrations.

Perfecting arrangements for the coming Polk County Fair to be held in Dallas Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 3, 4 and 5, the general committee held a very important meeting at the Court House Saturday night. The committee was in session nearly two and one-half hours and every phase of the situation was discussed.

The committee desires to impress upon the people of Polk county that the fair is open to every one in the county who has anything they want to exhibit, and it is hoped that all will take advantage of the occasion to show their products. The farmers are urged to bring their vegetables, grain, etc., or anything else, and the ladies are urged to exhibit canned and preserved fruits and samples of their culinary art.

The matter of a textile display was discussed and this portion of the fair was turned over to the ladies of the Dallas Woman's club. The committee desires to assure all exhibitors in any department that their displays will be thankfully received and arrangements made to properly place them where they will show to the best advantage. Ribbon prizes will be given in every class and room will be provided for all.

Noted Politicians May Come.

The matter of furnishing attractions for the big crowds expected, is in the hands of experienced members of the committee. W. V. Fuller, who visited Portland last week, told of a conference with an aviation firm and found that, while the company was anxious to contract with the fair people for aeroplane flights here, the expense would be too great to consider, with the funds at the disposal of the committee. Oscar Hayter suggested a plan which, if successful, will result in bringing some large crowds to the fair. He stated that two of three prominent Democratic leaders, of national prominence, would visit Oregon early in October, and he thought it might be possible, if the matter was taken up in time, to have their itinerary so arranged that a speech in Dallas on one or more days of the fair would be probable. Among these men are William J. Bryan, Senator Gore, of Oklahoma, and Ollie James, of Kentucky. The advisability of securing one of these men was at once apparent to the committee, and Mr. Hayter was instructed to make any arrangements possible along this line. It was also suggested that, possibly the Republican and the Progressive parties might make similar arrangements for the appearance here of some of their prominent speakers and this led to the idea of making a "Republican Day," a "Democratic Day" and a "Bull Moose Day" at the fair.

On motion the various county central committees of the different political parties will be urged to make arrangements to secure dates for their best speakers at the fair and also a special invitation will be sent to all district and state candidates to visit Dallas on the fair dates.

Fruit Lectures Probable.

On the suggestion of N. L. Guy, the Fruit Growers' association was given two dates at the fair for lectures by prominent orchardists. George Skiff called attention to the advisability of securing an exhibit from the Oregon Agricultural college or the presence of representatives of the college and the practical demonstration work for which the institution is noted. All these matters were left with the Fruit Growers' association.

To Have Competent Judges.

One of the principal questions discussed at the meeting was the necessity of securing competent judges in all departments, especially in poultry and live stock. It was felt that those who exhibited in these departments would be better satisfied if men in whose judgment all had confidence, were secured. Accordingly President Woods, of the Polk County Poultry association was entrusted with the duty of securing a judge for the poultry and the matter of securing a competent judge for the live stock was left with the heads of the different departments.

It was also decided to offer a prize of at least $25 in cash to the school district making the best exhibit, all details being left with Superintendent H. C. Seymour.

Prizes for Parades.

Committee on parades was appointed by Chairman W. A. Ayres, consisting of W. V. Fuller, W. L. Soehren and N. L. Guy. This committee will at once begin work on the proposed automobile parade and endeavor to secure a large number of machines in the parade. A prize will be given for the best decorated car but just what it will be has not yet been determined. It is probable that a cash prize will be offered by the Polk County Automobile club. This committee will also have charge of the arrangements for the school children's parade and for the live stock parade of prize winners.

Through Mr. Gibson, representative for the Arnold Carnival company, a contract was closed for the appearance of the company during the three days of the fair. Mr. Gibson stated that the company obtained all new shows this year. Three free acts will be furnished in connection.

HOPPICKER IS DROWNED

Lester Royal, New Arrival From Ohio, Loses His Life in Willamette Near Eola, Sunday Night.

EOLA, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Lester Royal, an employe of the Livesly hop yard, was drowned in the Willamette river near this place on Sunday afternoon between 4 and 5 oclock. A friend who was with him at the time attempted to save him, but was unsuccessful, the body not rising to the surface but once. A number of men from here dragged the river for some time but did not succeed in finding the body. Royal lately came here from Ohio, where his family resides.

OLD COMPANY G IS DISBANDED

MAJ. KNAPP TRANSFERS STATE PROPERTY TO LIEUT. STAFRIN.

Provisional New Company Is Organized Under Command of Stafrin; to Be Recruited to Full Strength.

Former Company G. O. N. G., of Dallas, formally went out of existence on Saturday, when all of the state property contained in the armory, and the control of the building itself, was turned over to Lieutenant Conrad Stafrin, by Major Knapp, from Adjutant General Finzer's office, who came to Dallas for that purpose.

The disbandment of the company followed instructions from the general staff, as the result of the investigation following alleged mutinous charges preferred against officers of the guard.

Steps looking to the formation of a new company were at once taken, and it is probable that this will be accomplished within a few days. Lieut. Stafrin is in charge of the new company and will continue as its commander until an election of officers is held. The calling of this election is entirely in the hands of Stafrin, who will not decide on the date until the new company shall have been fully organized, and substantial additions to its roster have been made. The membership of the old company was 62, but it is probable that a number of the former members will not continue in the new company. It will not be necessary for former members of the old company, whose enlistments had not expired, to enlist in the new company, their membership being automatically extended, but all new recruits will, of course, have to regularly enlist. It is the intention of Lieutenant Stafrin to recruit the company up to its former strength.

It is probable that Mr. Stafrin will be selected as the new captain of the company.

TO GROW LOGANBERRIES

Combination of Portland and Minnesota Capitalists Plan Development Activities at Broadmead.

Portland, Sept. 17.—Broadmead farm, in Yamhill and Polk counties, which was purchased a year ago by a combination of local and Minnesota capitalists, known as the Broadmead company, is to be subdivided and planted to loganberries.

The real feature of this plan for improving Broadmead is the arrangement made by the company to plant the tracts in loganberries and care for them until the first crop is ready to gather.

For the purpose of taking over the selling agency of Broadmead farm, the Northwest Land company has been organized, with the following officers: W. P. Hurlburt, president; C. V. Everett and C. D. Simonds, of Everett & Simonds, vice president and secretary respectively. President Hurlburt is now in Minnesota, where he expects to establish branch agencies.

The Broadmead agency includes among its stockholders E. W. Barnes, H. P. Barnhart and B. Lee Paget, who are well known in Portland. The officers are: President, A. D. LaDue, president First National bank, Luverne, Minn.; vice president, E. W. Barnes; secretary and manager, V. C. Mead, formerly president First National bank, Hills, Minn.

The highly profitable result of the loganberry crop this year has thoroughly demonstrated the commercial possibilities of this prolific fruit. The loganberry reaches its greatest perfection in the moist bottom lands of the Willamette valley.

W. H. Shreve spent Sunday in Dallas, at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. B. Muir.

DEMOCRATIC IDEAS EXPOUNDED BY CANDIDATE

DR. HARRY LANE, ASPIRANT FOR SENATORIAL TOGA, FIRES OPENING GUN OF POLITICAL CAMPAIGN.

MEETING IS WELL ATTENDED

Urbane Doctor Devotes His Time to Mild Attack On the Tariff and the Relation of Comical Anecdotes: Senator M. A. Miller Lambasts Republicans in Closing Talk.

Devoting a considerable portion of his speech to the tariff, which he denounced as a tax, and maintained in force for the benefit of the few at the expense of the many, advocating the recall of United States senators and judges, declaring in favor of the Oregon System but expressing the belief that the initiative should be amended, Dr. Harry Lane, of Portland, Democratic candidate for United States senator, entertained a good sized crowd at the circuit court room in the court house in Dallas on Friday night, with a speech of about a half hour's duration. The Doctor is an entertaining talker. "Talker" is used advisedly, because he did not attempt to make a speech—he just talked, and his talk was filled with anecdotes and personal experiences which provoked much merriment and kept his audience in a good humor. He did not abuse anybody although he handed Ben Selling a few digs.

Compliments for Dallas.

In beginning, after his introduction by Oscar Hayter, chairman of the meeting, Dr. Lane paid a high compliment to Dallas and the band. He also told of the pleasant impression he received in viewing the court house in the midst of its well-kept lawn, and said the lights, the lawn and the music formed one of the most pleasing combinations he had ever seen. He told of his superitendency of the Oregon Insane asylum and of his terms as mayor of Portland and declared that, of the two, the latter was the hardest job.

"In asking the people of Oregon to elect me to the United States senate," said the speaker, "I want them to do so simply upon the platform upon which I stand. I will tell you what I believe ought to be done, and what principles I advocate, and if I can't have the office under those conditions, I don't want it."

"Selling 'Pussy-Footing.'"

In paying his respects to his principal opponent, Hon. Ben Selling, republican candidate, Dr. Lane declared that "Ben is pussy-footing in this campaign and will continue to do so. He will not make a speech and it is practically impossible to get him to declare himself emphatically whether he supports President Taft or expresident Roosevelt." The speaker declared that, should Selling be elected and try to serve the people of Oregon, when such effort crossed the will of "the interests" big business would "bust" him. So far as he himself was concerned, he was "independently poor and he had been 'busted' so often that the thought of it didn't scare him. "There is too much business in the United States senate," shouted the speaker, "and too many wealthy men there."

Tariff is Denounced.

Dr. Lane paid his respects to the tariff and again voiced the well-worn and threadbare arguments opposing it. He declared that it is a tax, and while its original object was to raise revenue during a great civil war, it had now become a special privilege for the great corporations at the expense of the common people. He called attention to many alleged discriminations against the people and growing facetious, declared that, if he had his way, he would remove the duty on steel rails and place a tariff of $5,000,000 on every foreign duke or count who marries an American heiress. He declared that the great strike of the Massachusetts mill operatives last winter was the direct outgrowth of the tariff which permitted employers to grow wealthy; and enabled them to trample upon the the rights of their employes. He painted a vivid picture of the manner in which that affair was handled and of the inhuman methods adopted to force the strikers to yield, and said that when such atrocities could be used under the guise of law, "It's about time you hired Harry Lane to go to the Senate and help stop it."

Initiative in Danger.

The speaker declared that the "Oregon system" was all right, and intimated that "some of us" were advocating the system long before "Johnny Bourne, it's self-styled leader took it up." He said that the initiative was in danger just now. Its enemies had loaded it with a lot of useless measures in the hope of making it distasteful and thus lead to its repeal by the people themselves. As a remedy, he advocated that it be amended so as to prevent the submission of a large amount of "nonsensical propositions." Whether the genial doctor was taking a sly whack at the Oregon City law factory in this proposed reform was not made clear.

Crowd Kept in Good Humor.

Dr. Lane is an adept story teller and kept the audience in good humor during his speech by the many anecdotes he related. One which brought a loud laugh and applause, was connected with the result of a state senatorial campaign in Multnomah county when Henry McGinn defeated Lane. Two Irishmen were discussing the result when one remarked that he couldn't understand how McGinn had won over Lane, especially since the latter was so well known in the county. "Well, yez see, it was like 'dis,' said the other, "Everrybudy thae knew MicGinn voted fer Lane an' everrybudy that knew Lane voted for MicGinn and more av 'em knew Lane."

"I don't believe that I am the best man in Oregon for the place," said the Doctor, in closing, "but I do believe that I am the best one you can elect this year, and I want your votes if you believe in me, and want me to do all that I can for your interests and the interests of the entire state."

Defends Democracy.

State Senator Milton A. Miller, of Linn county, followed Dr. Lane and devoted his remarks entirely to a defense of well-known Democratic pricipies and a lambasting of the Republican party. He defended the Oregon system, the recall of judges, the direct primary, statement No. 1, advocated an income tax and devoted much of his speech to quoting Senator LaFollette.

After the close of the meeting a Wilson club was organized with Charles Gregory as president and Lot Brown as secretary.

Opening Date For Dallas City Schools Postponed by Board Until Monday, September 30

In deference to insistent appeals from many parents, the opening of the fall term of school in Dallas, which was announced to take place on Monday, September 23, has been postponed until Monday, September 30, according to announcement made today by the school board. The lateness of the hop picking season and the demand for pickers in the prune orchards is the reason for the week's postponement. At the time the first date was decided on, it was thought that the harvesting of both crops would have been finished, but the rainy weather of the first of the month has prevented the rapid prosecution of the work.

Improvements in Building.

Work of improving the interior of the public school building on Main street is in progress. New floors have been placed in the entry ways and the rooms have been newly papered. Both buildings are being placed in first-class condition for the beginning of school. From reports received it is believed that the new term will show a substantial increase in enrollment over preceding years.

SMALL BLAZE DOES DAMAGE

FIRE AT NASH RESIDENCE BURNS WASHING MACHINE.

Small Boy and Matches Supposed Cause of Saturday's Scare; Home of Chris Hosch Slightly Damaged.

Fire, probably caused by a small boy with matches, did a small amount of damage at the residence of George Nash, 111 Ash street, at noon on Saturday. The blaze was first noticed by neighbors, who saw smoke issuing from the woodhouse adjoining the residence. The Nash family were away from home at the time, and Mr. Nash was notified at the store. A fire alarm was turned in, and in the meantime, neighbors ran to the dwelling where they found a quantity of laundry and a washing machine ablaze. It was the work of a moment only to extinguish the fire, and the only loss was the burned clothing and the destruction of a washing machine and a wringer.

One of the neighbors reported that, just before the smoke was first noticed a small boy had been seen running from the woodshed, and it was at once surmised that he had set fire to the laundry work. It is stated that other fires occuring in the city within the past few weeks have been traced to children with matches, and the practice of allowing children to carry matches is generally condemned.

Another Ash Street Fire.

Nominal damage was done to the residence of Chris Hosch on Ash street last week by a fire which originated mysteriously in the kitchen. Mrs. Hosch discovered the wall paper of the kitchen on fire, but succeeded in extinguishing it without turning in an alarm. She thinks it caught from an overheated flue. The loss was fully covered by insurance.

EXHIBITORS HAVE TROUBLE

From Many Sources Come Complaints Directer at Fair Management.

According to reports exhibitors at the state fair at Salem this year have experienced considerable trouble in having their property returned. Mrs. Braden, of this city, lost three valuable prize-winning birds, and other owners have had to hustle to secure their property. It appears that complaints are not confined to Dallas, as reports from other neighborhoods are to the same effect.

FORMALDEHYDE IS POOR DRINK

Rickreall Resident Who Tried It Can't Recommend Decoction.

David Smith, who lives near Rickreall drank a quantity of formaldehyde by mistake one day last week, and for a time his life hung in the balance. A physician was hastily summoned, however, and after strenuous work, had the patient in an improved condition. He is considerably better and is expected to fully recover.

FOUNTAIN PLAN UP TO COMMITTEE

CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND COMMITTEE TO DECIDE QUESTION.

Council Instructs Committee to Use Own Judgment; Fire Department Members Draw August Pay.

Matter of erecting drinking fountains in the city of Dallas, in accordance with a movement previously made by the council, and endorsed by the Commercial club, was reported on by Mayor Craven at the regular council meeting last night. The Mayor stated that he had written for prices, and it was decided that the question or advisability of procuring the fountains and erecting them, should be left with the finance committee with power to act, as it is desired to have the fountains in place before the county fair.

Claims of the members of the city fire department for $2 each, amounting to a total of $32 for the month of August, according to the new fire department ordinance, were allowed. The new constitution and by-laws adopted by the department were approved.

Ordinance regulating the licensing and operation of saloons etc., and repealing obsolete ordinance in relation thereto, was passed.

Two warrants were ordered drawn on the 1911 street improvement fund, one for $300 to take up three warrants, and one for $98.41 to pay interest due.

An order was entered providing for the printing in pamphlet form, of the ordinances of the city, and the auditor was instructed to purchase the necessary equipment to install a loose-leaf ledger system for the recording of all future ordinances and resolutions passed by the council.

On motion, the city marshal was instructed to make the changes on the auto speed signs about the city, made necessary by the passage of the new speed regulating ordinance.

The building committee reported on the letting of the contract for painting the city hall, to the effect that J. W. Richardson would probably be auhorized to do the work on his bid. It was also reported that the upper floor would not be rewired at this time.

The City Attorney and City Auditor were instructed to take the necessary steps to establish a grade on several streets in the Southwestern portion of the city. The city attorney was instructed to prepare a new curb ordinance.

Several applications for street lights from different portions of the city were received and referred to the finance committee.

Moose Open Headquarters.

The "County Central Committee" of the Bull Moose party for Polk county have opened headquarters in rooms over Stafrin's drug store, corner Main and Court streets. George Skiff occupies the exalted position of chairman of the committee, while Tom Cherrington will officiate as wet nurse. The room will be tastefully decorated with nice, red bandanas, and chairs will be provided for the entire "party" should all the Polk county members happen, by any chance, to visit the city on the same day.

FRIENDS SHOW THEIR ESTEEM

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Receive Unexpected Visit From Neighbors.

In testimony of the esteem felt for them by their neighbors among whom they have lived for the past year, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold who have resided on the Hugh Smith farm near Dallas, were treated to a genuine surprise recently when a large number of their friends visited their home unannounced, bringing with them a number of valuable presents and plenty of appetizing refreshments. A very pleasant evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold will visit for a time at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ritner, in Kings Valley, after which they will leave for Southern Oregon to make their home.

Poultry Association Gets Prize.

The Polk County Poultry association, which was awarded the third prize at the state fair, received their prize money, $10 in cash, on Monday.

Infant Improves.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George Coad, whose life was despaired of last week, is reported as improving, with bright prospects for complete recovery.

1600 BOXES FROM 6 ACRES.

Airlie Hopyard Shows Record Yield For Year, So Far Reported.

Riley Matheny, a hop raiser of Airlie, broke the record so far reported this year in raising the largest amount of first-class hops from the smallest area.

Mr. Mathey planted six acres and raised 1600 boxes of fine hops. Last year the yield was 960 boxes on the same ground, which was claimed by hop experts to be an exceptional case.

The Mathey hop yard is located about two miles above Airlie on a sandy bottom near the Luckiamute, and the excellent soil for hops is said to account for the wonderful yield.

CHURCH YEAR CLOSES

Methodist Church Society of Dallas Shows Encouraging Condition in Annual Report; Off for Conference.

With last Sunday the regular conference year closed at the Dallas Methodist Episcopal church, and Rev. L. R. Fields left for Ashland, where the annual conference is in session this week and will continue over next Sunday. According to the annual reports issued by the different societies of the church, the past year has been a prosperous one. A total of expenditure of $2,362 has been noted, divided as follows:

Benevolences	$ 229
Evangelists	160
Improvements	805
Salary pastor and dist. sup.	1100
W. F. M. S.	45
W. H. M. S.	23

The Ladies Aid society raised a total of $482; the H. H. C., $90.36; the Epworth League, $24.

The church membership shows a net increase of 27. There is a total enrollment in the Sundayy school of 200, and an average attendance of 120.

General satisfaction is expressed among the members of the church with the work of Rev. L. R. Fields, and the general sentiment among the members and others is that he again be returned to this charge.

PLAY FOR LIBRARY BENEFIT

"Mary Jane's Pa" May Be Given by Dallas Local Talent.

At a meeting of the Dallas Library association, which was held at the home of J. G. VanOrsdal on Monday night, it was decided to present a play to the people of Dallas for the benefit of the library. The money received will be used to buy new books. The services of Mrs. Edward Caldwell, a graduate of the Emmerson School of Oratory, University of Wisconsin and Northwestern University, have been secured to coach the play. "Mary Jane's Pa" will probably be given.

BOGUS CHECK ARTIST AT WORK

Unknown Forger Swindles Hotel Man Out of $22 and Decamps.

On Sunday a man signing his name as "R. L. Wyatt" presented a check drawn in his favor by C. L. Crider, to Landlord Serr, at the Gail hotel and got the money. On Monday when the check was presented for payment at the Dallas National bank it was at once discovered to be a forgery. The swindler had very cleverly executed the check, using a rubber stamp bearing the words "C. L. Crider Hardware & Groceries," which was stamped across the face of the check. The forger left the city at once and all trace of him has been lost.

BIG CROWD IS PLEASED

Artisans' Program at Woodman Hall Draws 200 People; Every Number Is Roundly Applauded.

Open meeting of Dallas Artisans last night at the Woodman hall was attended by a crowd that numbered fully 200, and every one of them seemed pleased with the entertainment offered, judging by the enthusiastic applause that greeted each number.

Attorney Lot D. Brown delivered the opening address in his usual droll manner, and following that the program was carried off with precision.

The stirring strains of national airs played by Jack Eakin's orchestra, which made its initial bow to the Dallas public, were among the most appreciated numbers on the evening's program.

The selection by the male quartette composed of Messrs. John E. Miller, Willis Simonton, Jack Sibley and Fred Zeller, won a "walk over" over all the other quartette selections of the evening.

The reading from Evangeline presented by Miss May Shinners was a bright bit, well rendered.

N. L. Hayes gave a unique feature of the entetainment by addressing the audience with a "chalk talk." Mr. Hayes illustrated his lecture with chalk pictures of different members of the assemblage.

Misses Winifred Wing and Ada Longnecker had a delightful instrumental selection.

Miss Pearl Owings' vocal solo, "My Beautiful Lady," from the "Pink Lady," was exceptionally well rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller had a vocal duet, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and were effusively encored.

Dancing was indulged in after the program and lunch, until 12 o'clock.

Work Progressing.

Work on the I. & M. railroad to the Wigrich hop ranch is rapidly progressing and cars will be running to that place in a few days. The vast crop from that ranch will be moved this season by rail for the first time. —Independence Enterprise.

DALLAS MUST ACT OR COLLEGE WILL GO

NECESSITY OF ACTIVITY ON THE PART OF THIS CITY IF IT WOULD RETAIN INSTTUTION IS SHOWN.

NEW YEAR OPENS SEPT. 25

Outlook Encouraging But Soliciting For Students Is Hindered by Uncertainty of Location; Total Enrollment Probably Will Reach Last Year's Record if Local People Help.

If the city wishes to retain Dallas College under the new federated plan already announced in these columns, it will be necessary to move in the matter, and that quickly, according to statements made by the college officials Other cities are striving for the college location and are offering inducements, but this city has the inside track in many ways, and will receive favorable consideration if something is done toward raising the endowment without delay.

Year Opens September 25.

The next school year at Dallas College will open Wednesday, September 25. The opening exercises will be held in the college chapel at 10 o'clock a. m. President A. A. Winter will deliver the principal address. Immediately after these exercises the registration and classification of students will begin.

The faculty for the new year will remain practically unchanged, except that President A. A. Winter will resume his place in the class room in place of Prof. L. P. Gilmore, who had charge of the science department last year.

In view of the inquiries that have been made with reference to the department of Music, the faculty is pleased to announce that Prof. William Caldwell will again have charge of this work, as usual.

Outlook Is Encouraging.

Prof. D. M. Metzger, Dean of the College, who has spent his summer vacation in the field soliciting for new students, reports that the new recruits will at least make good the loss sustained in a regular way last year.

"The registration last year from outside the city, was larger than it had been for years," said Prof. Metzger, "and about the same number are expected this year. Whether or not the total enrollment will be equal to former years is a matter for the local community to answer.

Uncertainty Is Handicap.

"One thing that naturally made the appeal for new students especially difficult this year," continued Prof. Metzger, "is the uncertainty that still hangs over the question of the permanent location of the larger 'Federated College of Oregon,' which is to take the place of both the Dallas College and the Philomath College. If this question had been definitely settled, I would have found it easier to have more than doubled the new recruits from outside of Dallas this year. With these, would have come some families who would have made our beautiful city their home for a number of years, and perhaps permanently.

"President Winters' work will be so arranged this year that part of his time can be devoted to this problem of location. No time should be lost by the local community in determining what can be done in this matter, because there are some other cities which are inquiring seriously into this opportunity. Dallas must act soon, or lose.

Gymnasium Arranged.

"To those who have been inquiring about gymnasium privileges for students during the coming year, we are glad to announce that the authorities are negotiating for a place, with good prospects for arrangements which they believe will be entirely satisfactory.

"To the opening exercises, to be held on Wednesday morning, September 25, the public is most cordially invited."

16-YEAR OLD LAD HEARS CALL

Lester Young Dies at Family Home After Fight With Tuberculosis.

Lester, the 16-year old son of Rev. and Mrs. M. B. Young, died at the family home, 1014 Ellis street, at 9 o'clock Monday night, of tuberculosis, after a long illness. Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the United Evangelical church, by Rev. C. P. Gates. Interment will be in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

Infant Dies Suddenly.

Little Bernice Lockwood, the nine-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lockwood, died at their home, 814 Shelton street, Monday morning, of dysentery. The child was taken ill at a hop yard near Independence Sunday. Funeral services were conducted at 3 oclock this afternoon, interment taking place in Dallas cemetery.

Eugene Minister Pleases.

Dr. Holmes, of Eugene, delivered two excellent sermons at the Christian church in Dallas last Sunday, morning and evening, and was listened to by good-sized congregagtions. He will fill the pulpit again on Sunday.