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REUNION AND ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Loughary Celebrate Golden Wedding.

A BIT OF PIONEER HISTORY

Mr. Loughary Was One of the First Comers to the Oregon Country.

The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Loughary was celebrated at their farm home on the Luckiamute, six miles south of Monmouth, on Saturday July 4, 1908.

The following historical memoir was read while the guests were gathered around the festal board, beneath the beautiful shade trees surrounding their residence.

Lafayette Wilson Loughary was born on September 2, 1832, in Morgan county, Illinois. When twelve years of age he removed with his parents from Illinois to Burlington, Iowa, where he lived until he was twenty years of age.

On April 6, 1853, Mr. Loughary started across the plains for Oregon, his outfit forming a part of the Neely-Wolverton train which after many hardships reached the Luckiamute about September 25, of that year.

Eliza Simpson Loughary, only daughter of Isaac M. and Martha Simpson was born at Little Rock, Arkansas on January 25, 1841. When three years of age she left Arkansas with her parents for Missouri, where they intended to join an emigrant train for Oregon; but failing in this they remained in Missouri until 1845, when the family came across the plains. They settled at a point near Airlie, on November 1 of that year.

Mr. and Mrs. Loughary were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents in Polk county, on July 4, 1858. In 1860 they moved to the farm which they have since owned and on which they are now living. With the exception of a residence of two years at Dallas and four years at Salem they have lived continuously on their farm.

To Mr. and Mrs. Loughary were born five children three of whom are living. They are: Hon. U. S. Loughary of Dallas, Frank W. Loughary, who lives on the home farm, and Mrs. Rachael Hershner of Hood River. One son died in infancy and their eldest daughter Mrs. Rosa Wolverton, died in Monmouth, Oregon, August 13, 1905.

The children and all the grandchildren, thirteen in number, were present on this anniversary occasion. Only the near relatives were invited to be present.

Those present were: Hon. and Mrs. N. S. Loughary with their children, Gladys, Helen and Lucile of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Loughary with their children, Ivan, Edith and Frank, of the Luckiamute; Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Hershner with their children, Harold, Leila, Lawrence and Helen of Hood River; Mr. O. A. Wolverton with his children, Reuel, Edith and Leta of Monmouth; Mr. W. J. Loughary with his daughters, Mrs. Hattie Campbell, Mrs. Laura Nicklin and Mrs. Dollie Loughary, of McMinnville.

A gold watch and chain was presented to Mr. Loughary and a gold lined tea set to Mrs. Loughary by their children. Other beautiful and appropriate presents were made by W. J. Loughary, Laura Nicklin, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Loughary and Mrs. Hattie Campbell of McMinnville, and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Simpson of Airlie.

Very unusual features evident in this golden wedding anniversary were: That it was celebrated within one and one half miles of the place where Mr. and Mrs. Loughary were united in

marriage fifty years ago; and, that Mrs. Loughary's mother, Mrs. Martha Simpson, is still living at the age of ninety-three years, and resides on the same donation land claim taken up by herself in 1845. Owing to the infirmities of her advanced years Grandma Simpson was not permitted to be in attendance on the wedding anniversary occasion of her son and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Loughary are well known and highly respected pioneer residents of Polk county and have received the congratulations of a large circle of friends and acquaintances on the celebration of their golden wedding anniversary.

Boy's Life Saved.

My little boy, four years old, had a severe attack of dysentery. We had two physicians; both of them gave him up. We then gave him Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured him and believe that saved his life.—William H. Stroling, Carbon Hill, Ala. There is no doubt but this remedy saves the lives of many children each year. Give it with castor oil according to the plain printed directions and a cure is certain. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

Call for Meeting.

The meeting called for June 26 to arrange a County Law Enforcement League having been postponed on account of the recent injunction trial occurring on that date the executive committee requests that all friends of local option meet at the court house in Dallas on Tuesday July 14, at 8 p. m., to effect such organization and transact other important business.

W. P. MILLER,
Chairman Committee.

Delay in commencing treatment for a slight irregularity that could have been cured quickly by Foley's Kidney Remedy may result in a serious kidney disease. Foley's Kidney Remedy builds up the worn out tissues and strengthens these organs. Commence taking it today. Dove & Williams.

LESSON FROM THE ALFALFA

The "Lesson of the Alfalfa," taken from the East Oregonian, is worth repeating. Here it is: People often "kick" about their unhappy lots and imagine that they are much abused and much burdened. They wail about unfavorable environment and go into hysterics over their forbidding surroundings.

There is a lesson in two great, luxuriant, flourishing beautiful alfalfa plants, growing on a high, dry, sun-burnt hillside near the high school grounds in Pendleton, which should knock all the pessimism out of those who look on these splendid specimens in their forbidding environment.

All about them the hot sun has shrivelled the "pig weed" and scalded the life from the struggling dandelion. The grass is withered, the rag weed is sickly and pale and suffocating dust covers the ground. It is apparently more than a hundred feet to water and all about these two rugged, symmetrical plants is the waste and desolation of a sun-scorched hillside.

But there they stand: green, luxuriant, flourishing in spite of their surroundings. They are heedless of the dry hillside, unmindful of the withered "pig weed" and dandelion curled up in early death. They do not wilt away and waste their strength in the hot sunshine. They are rooted deep in the faith of life, firmly planted and independent in their inhospitable environment and nothing checks their growth. Their leaves are green while all about them is the desolation of the hillside.

Here is a lesson for unhappy men and women. Here is an inspiration for those who complain of their unfavorable environment. Here is a living demonstration of one of the greatest truths in human experience. Every human being is the master of its own destiny and can make or mar its fate, as it chooses.

While all the world is complaining about you, keep your leaves green and keep on growin'!

OREGON STATE MEDICAL MEN

Hold Interesting Meeting in City of Portland

DR. BIRD OF SALEM PRESIDENT

Albany Begins First Annual Summer Bible School on July 17th

One of the most interesting gatherings yet held in the convention hall of the Portland Commercial Club was that of the Oregon State Medical Society, which adjourned Friday night the most important three day meeting in the history of that organization. Dr. R. C. Coffey of Portland retired from the position of president, to give place to Dr. W. H. Bird, of Salem. The Secretary, Dr. William House of Portland, was re-elected for the ensuing year. Among those present were famous physicians and surgeons from the East, while both Washington and Idaho were represented by splendid delegations. The next meeting of the society will be held in Seattle, at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, jointly with the Washington and Idaho associations, and it is the purpose of the medical men of the Pacific Northwest to make that meeting one of the most important held in the United States.

No state in the union is spreading more high class advertising matter than Oregon. The splendid booklets issued to present the claims of Yamhill county, Albany, and Linn county, Grants Pass, Roseburg, Medford and Ashland are superior to those issued by the commercial bodies of other states. Eastern Oregon is not being neglected, and this character of advertising cannot fail to have an advantageous effect, and other communities should see that their claims are not overlooked.

Dayton has come into line with the other live centers of Yamhill county by organizing an active commercial club. Manager M. C. Lowmendale, of the Yamhill county Development League, held a meeting there the other night and raised \$650 for advertising purposes.

Forty-four different people competed for prizes offered by the Cherry Fair at The Dalles, and there were 681 boxes of cherries on the tables.

Albany college begins her first annual summer bible school July 17th, continuing until the 27th. The speakers are from Oregon and six other states. It is a new idea, an out-door school.

County Judge C. J. Trenchard, of Astoria, suggests that the Oregon Development League take up the matter of good roads throughout Oregon. The judge makes the suggestion that some capable men be employed by the state to educate the people of every community in the commonwealth along these lines.

Best the World Affords.

"It gives me unbounded pleasure to recommend Bucklen's Arnica Salve," says J. W. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. "I am convinced it's the best salve the world affords. It cured a felon on my thumb, and it never fails to heal every sore, burn or wound to which it is applied. 25 cents at all druggists."

Communicated.

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his Saints.

Whereas the hand of death has again come among us and taken from our midst our Sister Phebe Leonard, a valued and faithful member of our aid society, and,

Whereas we feel deeply our loss in her departure,
Resolved, that we express our sincere sympathy for the friends and

relatives of the dear departed one, and while she has gone the influence of her noble christian life still remains with us.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of our society

Committee: Mesdames Powell, Boots and Berry.

There is no death: An angel form
Walks thro' the earth with silent tread
And bears our best loved ones away,
And then we call them dead.

And when he finds a form too fair,
Or face too pure for earth and vice,
He takes it to that home above
To dwell with God in Paradise.

Monmouth, Oregon, June 18, 1908.

Twenty-Five Cents is the Price of Peace.

The terrible itching and smarting, incident to certain skin diseases, is almost instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Salve. Price, 25 cents. For sale by P. M. Kirkland.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the many friends and acquaintances of Independence for the many tributes of respect and kindness tendered during the illness and at the funeral of our son, Henry Truman Baughman, whose death occurred Tuesday, July 7, 1908.

MR. and MRS. J. DORNSIFE.

War Against Consumption.

All that we are endeavoring to check the ravages of consumption, the "white plague" that claims so many victims each year. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds perfectly and you are in no danger of consumption. Do not risk your health by taking some unknown preparation when Foley's Honey and Tar is safe and certain in results. Dove & Williams.

Some mammoth gooseberries were exhibited at this office this week which were grown on the property of James Robertson—as large as are generally grown. Very fine, indeed.

PROGRAM OF ALBANY COLLEGE

Assisting in the program of Albany College Summer Bible School, first annual session of which convenes July 17-27, there are to be over twenty different leaders, teachers and speakers from Oregon and six other states.

The daily class and conference work is as follows: The Minor Prophets; The Epistles of Paul by Rev. Dr. S. F. Vance, of Cincinnati; The Psalms by Rev. Dr. W. H. Washburn, Willamette University Divinity School; The Gospels and Religious Pedagogy by Rev. F. H. Geislerbraecht, of Chicago; Methods of Young People's Work by Rev. T. C. Hurd, State President Christian Endeavor Society, Corvallis; Home Missions by Rev. Dr. W. S. Homan, Portland, Field Secretary Pacific Coast, Portland; Sunday School Methods by Professor James F. Ewing, Portland; Foreign Mission Conferences by various leaders.

All sessions will be outdoors. Camping places will be provided, fee for all privileges for ten days, \$2.50. Reduced rates are promised all railroads leading into Albany. A stereopticon and moving picture machine will be provided.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Would Have Saved Him \$100.

"In 1902 I had a very severe attack of diarrhoea," says R. N. Farrar of Cat Island, La. "For several weeks I was unable to do anything. On March 18, 1907, I had a similar attack, and took Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which gave me prompt relief. I consider it one of the best medicines of its kind in the world, and had I used it in 1902 believe it would have saved me a hundred dollar doctor's bill." Sold by P. M. Kirkland.

Not Particular as to Weapons.
The waiter girl knew a thing or two about table etiquette, so she snuffed scornfully as she said, "It's not our custom to serve a knife with pie."
"No?" remarked the patron in surprise. "Then bring me an ax."

FIRST STATE BANK

Independence, Oregon.

CAPITAL, \$25,000

A GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS CONDUCTED

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

W. A. Messner, Pres. E. Hofer, Vice-Pres. C. C. Patrick, Cash
Wm. Riddell F. N. Stump, J. P. Rogers

YOUNG & JONES

The Real Estate Men

Independence, Ore. We are going to sell real estate and are now in touch with people in the east and some who are now on the ground and want small farms. They have the money and are going to invest in Polk county.

Farmers, List Your Property Now!

Farm and City Property. Farm Property is Our Specialty

IF YOU WANT TO SELL, NOW IS YOUR TIME



A FULL LINE

of single and double harness. My harness is all made from oak tan leather and warranted to be free from flaws. My prices are right.

G. C. Dunham

Independence, Oregon

FARMERS

Please note that we have installed special seed cleaners at our warehouses at Independence and Monmouth and are prepared to clean your wheat, oats, barley, vetch, rape, clover seed, timothy seed, onion seed, Lettuce seed, and any other seed that is cleanable.

At Monmouth we have the largest and best equipped seed cleaning plant in the state. We guarantee to do you the best possible work with the smallest practical waste. Your interest is our interest. Won't you give us a trial?

Oregon Milling & Warehouse Co.

POLK COUNTY BANK

MONMOUTH, - OREGON.

PAID CAPITAL \$30,000.00

Transacts a general banking and exchange business. Deposits received, Loans made, Drafts sold.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

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I. M. Simpson.