

# SCHLEY'S ROYAL WELCOME

## Chicago Gave the Admiral Greatest Demonstration in City's History

### GOVERNOR GEER WILL NOT COMMUTE

Special to the Guard.

SALEM, Jan 25.—The attorneys for Dalton, under sentence to hang Friday, January 31, presented the case for commutation of sentence to Governor Geer today. The Governor decided that he would grant no commutation unless the judge before whom the case was tried and the prosecuting attorney should recommend the same.

### AN INDICTMENT ASKED.

Special to the Guard.

NEW YORK, Jan 25.—District Attorney Jerome appeared before the grand jury today and asked that body to indict the officials of the New York Central Railroad who were responsible for the tunnel railway trains collision under the city, whereby many lives were lost.

### NEGRO CONFESSES MURDER.

Special to the Guard.

ST LOUIS, Jan 25.—The negro who attended millionaire Cooper, found dead in the Cooper baths Thursday morning, with his skull crushed, has confessed to the commission of the crime.

Strother, the negro, states that the murder was committed in order to gain possession of the diamonds which the millionaire wore on his person, to the value of several thousand dollars.

### OUR INDIAN WARDS.

Special to the GUARD.

WASHINGTON, Jan 25.—The Indian appropriation bill is being considered by the House. It carries \$7,000,000.

### IMPROBABLE BOER STORY.

Special to the Guard.

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Jan 25.—The Boer representatives in this city are circulating a report that the Irishman, Colonel Lynch, who fought for the Boer cause, will head an imminent Irish revolution.

### CHICAGO WELCOMES SCHLEY.

Special to the Guard.

CHICAGO, Jan 25.—With brass bands playing, steam whistles tooting, and thousands of the people who crowded and jammed the streets cheering as if they would split their throats, Chicago welcomed Admiral Schley today.

The hero of Santiago was met and welcomed by the mayor, members of the city council and other officials at the Union depot. It was by odds the greatest demonstration in the history of the city. The progress of his train along the railroad, enroute, was met by repeated triumphal ovations.

### WELCH GOT THREE YEARS.

Betrayer of Hattie McCulloch Let Off with the Lightest Sentence.

Special to the Guard.

ROSEMOUNT, Jan 25.—L. L. Welch, who was tried in the circuit court and convicted of rape, was sentenced to the penitentiary today by Judge Boise, being given three years. After the sentence Welch thanked the Judge for his leniency.

His attorneys gave notice of an appeal to the supreme court.

On trial it was shown that the crime was committed upon the person of Effie McCulloch, who was under the legal age of consent—16 years of age. Shortly after Welch's arrest on the charge of adultery, preferred by the defendant's wife, Hattie Welch, of Albany, the McCulloch girl committed suicide in Roseburg Nov. 15, 1891, by shooting herself with a revolver. The charge against Welch was then, after investigation changed to that of rape. The state sought only to prove that the two were living together without having been married, and that the girl was under the statutory age of 16 years. The statute provides for a term of imprisonment not less than three nor more than twenty years.

### Harriman Don't Tell Much.

Special to the GUARD.

CHICAGO, Jan 25.—President Harriman, of the Northern Pacific railroad, was a witness before the Interstate Commerce Commission today.

His evidence was unimportant, statements being made guardedly and after much deliberation.

BORN.—At Elk Prairie, Lane county, to Mr and Mrs Erwin Cartwright, a 10-pound son.

### ELECTED TO CHAIR.

Prof Washburn Will Receive \$2,400 Per Year Instead of \$2,000 as Now.

ST PAUL, Jan 23.—The State Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota today elected Professor F. L. Washburn, of the Oregon State University, to succeed the late Otto Luggar a state entomologist.

Professor F. L. Washburn, whose resignation from the chair of biology has been accepted by the Board of Regents, to take effect February 7, and who has been elected state entomologist in the University of Minnesota will receive a salary of \$2,400 a year, and the Legislature appropriates annually \$5000 to be expended in research work. The work in the University of Minnesota requires a minimum amount of teaching, practically all the time being given to research work. Professor Washburn has been identified with the University of Oregon for the past seven years, his work being in the department of biology, which also included a pre-medical course for advanced students. In 1899 he was appointed to the State University. Professor Washburn was for six years entomologist at the state experiment station at Corvallis. He is a graduate of Harvard University, and is 41 years of age.

MARRIED.—At the church at Walker, Sunday, Jan 19, 1902, Rev Wallace officiating, Mr Malcolm A Horn to Miss Chloa Smith.

BORN.—In Cottage Grove, January 21, 1902, to Mr and Mrs Glen Stone, a daughter.

BORN.—In Cottage Grove, Jan 17, 1902, to Mr and Mrs Oliver Veatch, a son.

## A SIX-MILL LEVY.

### An Increase of Two Mills in the School Tax.

#### REPORT OF DIRECTORS.

Daily Guard, Jan 25  
At the special school meeting last night in the courthouse for the purpose of levying a tax for the maintenance of the schools and to hear the report of the directors a good number of taxpayers were present.

Director S B Eakin, chairman of the board, called the meeting to order. After the reading of the call for the meeting by Clerk Geo F Crow, Chairman Eakin read the report of the directors. After the report was adopted, Dr D A Palmer moved that, as the board had recommended a 6-mill levy, two mills higher than last year, that the levy should be made. The motion was carried by a unanimous vote.

Several citizens, including S H Friendly, J J Walton and Prof J Straub, discussed the matter of purchasing ground for another school building, but no action was taken.

Chairman Eakin informed the meeting that in accordance with the new law the next election of school directors will be held in June at which time the board is increased from three to five members.

Following is the report of the directors in full:

#### PATTERSON SCHOOL.

February 15, 1901, a special meeting of the voters of School District No 4 was held for the purpose of discussing the matter of the erection of a new building in the eastern part of the city, and for the purpose of remodeling and repairing Central and Geary buildings and refunding the \$4,000 indebtedness.

On motion the board of directors were authorized to submit to the legal voters of School District No 4, at the annual meeting to be held the second Monday in March (being the 11th day of March, 1901,) the question of bonding the district for \$25,000 for the purposes above mentioned. And at said election, bonds carried by a large majority, and the directors proceeded to advertise for plans for a new school building, and after due deliberation adopted the plans of Chas. H. Burggraf, architect.

Bonds were issued and dated July 1, 1901, to run twenty years with option of the district to redeem at any time after ten years, at 4 per cent interest, payable semi-annually. Said bonds sold at par, district receiving \$25,000 for same and expended the money in the following manner:

New building as per plans and specifications, H Snook, contractor.....	\$15,700 00
Extras to new building.....	22 00
Cement walk from building to sidewalk, etc.....	115 05
Sidewalk on Alder street and on north side of building.....	107 40
Two temporary water closets.....	33 50
Two inch water connections with city main, pipes and labor.....	54 05
Iron piping for down spouts.....	17 65
Brick and cement for water meter.....	6 00
Tiling.....	6 88
Extra traps in water closets.....	7 00
Architect's commission 2 1/2 per cent.....	392 50
Architect two trips up.....	30 00
Superintendent of construction.....	150 00
Water meter, fire hose and garden hose.....	62 75
Wire screens for attic windows.....	25 50
Fitting, hanging, etc.....	9 50
Electric wiring.....	64 65
12th street sewer (City).....	83 06
Rock under sidewalk, 45, connecting sewer, \$2.....	8 00
Eugene Lumber Co, lumber for walk on south side, etc.....	24 05
Labor, laying sidewalk and other work.....	17 45
Putting down seats in new building.....	24 35
Drayage on seats from Central to Patterson.....	18 00
Hauling dirt, filling in around building.....	112 50
Printing.....	41 00
Stove for lunch room.....	4 00
Two clocks.....	12 00
\$10 000 insurance 3 years on Patterson building.....	250 00
Eight new teacher's tables.....	55 50
Attorney and assistant to clerk.....	75 00
Miscellaneous small supplies for Patterson.....	48 76
<b>Total cost of Patterson building, conditions, equipments, walks, etc.....</b>	<b>\$17,560 02</b>

#### REPAIRS TO CENTRAL.

Paint, paper and labor inside and out.....	\$780 55
New roof.....	414 80
Repairs to blackboards.....	15 75
10 new recitation seats.....	20 00
Repairs to water closets.....	32 70

Repairs to chairs.....	5 15
Cost of repairs to Central.....	\$ 1,288 45
<b>REPAIRS TO GEARY.</b>	
Putting in plain glass in windows.....	\$199 50
Moving out buildings, walks, etc.....	28 19
Repairs to furnaces.....	8 25

Cost of repairs to Geary.....	232 94
New seats for Central.....	1,143 63
Refunding old debt.....	4,000 00
Interest.....	162 00
Six months interest on bond to Jan 1, 1902.....	50 00
Balance bond fund on hand.....	132 98
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$25,000 00</b>

The report of receipts and disbursements for the recommendation that a 6-mill tax be levied was submitted and is as follows:

#### SCHOOL EXPENSES.

To the Voters and Patrons of School District No 4, Lane County, Oregon: Ladies and Gentlemen:—In accordance with the call for a special meeting of the legal voters of this district for the purpose of levying a tax for the maintenance of the district for the coming year and to pay the interest on the bonded debt of the district, the directors submit, for your consideration, the receipts and disbursements of funds coming into our hands the past year, and an estimate of the amount we deem necessary to maintaining the school for the ensuing year.	
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#### RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Jan 27, 1901.....	\$ 1078 29
Cash from state fund.....	1738 50
Cash from county fund.....	8755 00
Cash for tuition.....	481 80
Received from 4-mill tax.....	5242 54
Received from temporary loan.....	3000 00

#### DISBURSEMENTS.

Salaries of superintendent and teachers.....	\$ 9832 25
Salaries three janitors.....	631 40
Salaries district clerk.....	125 00
Paid temporary loan and interest.....	3055 14
Paid rent on old court house six months.....	60 00
Wood and sawing.....	554 79
Insurance.....	65 00
Repairs.....	17 15
Incidental expenses.....	487 05
Balance cash on hand.....	461 45
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$15296 23 \$15296 23</b>

#### ESTIMATE FOR NEXT YEAR.

One Sept and 24 teachers.....	\$11385 50
Three janitors.....	675 00
Interest (4 per cent on \$25,000 bonded debt).....	1000 00
Interest on temporary loans.....	60 00
Wood, etc.....	450 00
Salary of clerk.....	125 00
Water.....	250 00
Supplies, incidentals, repairs, printing, etc.....	361 46
Insurance.....	165 00
Seating vacant room.....	200 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$14621 46 \$14621 46</b>

#### RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 461 45
From state appropriation.....	2000 00
From county appropriation.....	8500 00
Tuition from non residents.....	500 00
Six-mill tax (on \$1,280,000).....	\$160 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$14621 46 \$14621 46</b>

#### CONCLUSIONS.

The population of Eugene is increasing rapidly and our facilities are inadequate for the increase. Nearly every room is now full to overflowing but one room vacant, and that in Central. We provide for seating it and also provide for three more teachers, and it is quite evident to your present board that they will be needed, and that you will be renting rooms for school purposes before another year passes. More room is an evident fact and needs the serious consideration of the taxpayers and to prepare for action not later than a year from this time.

We have tried to be economical in all our expenditures and the board will be very economical, and saving, if they make these estimates carry them through.

A few years ago this county received from the state \$40,000 annually for school purposes. Last year this county received but \$25,000. Here is a great falling off and I cannot account for it only in the reduction of the rate of interest from 5 to 6 per cent.

We now have \$1000 extra as interest on bonds to provide for yearly, nearly one mill on present assessment.

We recommend that a 6-mill tax be levied upon the assessable property of school district No 4, Lane county, Oregon, for school purposes.

Respectfully submitted,  
S B EAKIN, Chairman.

A CURIOSITY.—Fred Schmeer, who lives in this city, brings to this office a curiosity in the shape of two hen's eggs being securely joined together lengthwise. Any seeker of such specimens can procure this one at the GUARD office.

## JUNCTION ACCIDENT.

### Elevated Walk Gave Way With Three Men.

#### ONE SERIOUSLY HURT.

Special to the Guard.

JUNCTION CITY, Or, Jan 25.—Last night about 8 o'clock M F Casteel, Ernal Cook and Thurman Berry were attempting to carry an organ from the hotel parlor to the opera house by way of a small sidewalk about 20 feet above the ground, which extends from the back door of the hotel upstairs to the door leading to the room back of the stage at the opera house, and when they arrived at about midway a 10-foot section of the walk gave way, throwing the men and organ to the ground, the section of the walk coming down on top of them.

Thurman Berry escaped with his side and cheek bruised, Ernal Cook received several cuts and bruises on his head and face and his shoulders were badly bruised and sprained, but M F Casteel was quite seriously hurt, having received a large cut on the back of the head about four inches long, reaching to the bone, besides several smaller cuts on the shoulders and neck. He was rendered unconscious and remained in that condition until about 1 o'clock this morning. This forenoon he is resting as easily as could be expected under the circumstances.

It is a wonder that they all were not killed. The organ was completely wrecked. The cause of the walk giving way was that the ends of the stringers were rotten and were not strong enough to hold the combined weight of the men and organ.

#### HOP CONTRACT

Filed With County Clerk—Marriage License, Etc.

Mortgage.....	\$350
Chattel mortgage.....	350
Chattel mortgage.....	250

#### HOP CONTRACT.

J R Cartwright, of Harrisburg, contracts 30,000 pounds of hops to Lillian that Bro, of New York, for 10 cents per pound, each year for the years 1902, 1903, 1904 and 1905.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

C F and Angie Smith to Peter O Hougou lot 6 blk 12 Fairmount, \$75.

E J and O F Crow to Hattie F Murphy lots 1 and 2 blk 10 Frazer & Hyland's ad to Eugene, \$8.

Clyde D Lloyd to August Huguler 180 acres in tp 15 s r 7 w, \$1.

T J and Jennie Duckworth to School District No 139, 1 acre in tp 17 s r 6 w, \$1.

Lucas N and Mary S Wheeler to Wm H Wheeler land in tp 17 s r 8 w, \$100.

John D Cochran et al to Wm R Cochran 20 43 acres in Lane county, \$1.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Fred Hookley and Miss Lulu Mounts, Luther Mounts witness.

#### SMALLPOX GALORE.

Florence Quarantines Against 600 Cases at Coos Bay.

Special to Guard.

FLORENCE, Jan 23.—Florence has quarantined against the Coos Bay smallpox epidemic, where six hundred cases are said to exist. The stage is not allowed to cross the river.

Three lumber schooners arrived at Florence this week and three more are outside waiting to come in.

The tug Roberts has been repaired and is in active service.

#### Good Offer for Hops.

Salem, Jan 24.—A well known Salem hopgrower reports offers for 124 cents for his hops today by three different buyers. Somewhat bidding for the remaining bales of hops is looked for during the last week in January. Buyers want to make 1902 contracts at 11 cents.

MARRIED.—Miss Laurine Layne, who organized Maple Lodge, Order of Lions, in this city last summer, and Major T Jay Buford were married in Portland by Rev Dr E P Hill Thursday evening. They are both organizers for the Lions and have left for Baker City to institute a lodge. The bride has many friends in Eugene.

The thermometer touched zero at Baker City. Heavy snow is reported at Pendleton.

Attorney Jencks has employed M A Wolford, architect, to draw plans for a fine new residence to be built this spring.

The Polk County Observer, published at Dallas, a very enterprising paper, has been enlarged to a 7-column folio, all home print.

## ELKS' STAG SOCIAL

### An Evening of Pleasure Spent By Them and Their Guests.

#### OTHER SOCIAL EVENTS.

Daily Guard, Jan 25

Last evening the Eugene lodge of Elks, at their elegant hall on West Eighth street, gave their first stag social of the year, and the attendance numbered about 120, including visitors. No happier or jollier set of gentlemen ever met. While it was cold and cheerless on the outside it was hot enough on the inside for all. The chairman of the session, Past Exalted Ruler A C Woodcock, was at his best and he spared none, while his assistant, G W Griffin, fully performed his duties. The marshals and waiters also did their work in a prompt manner and the reception committee made all guests feel as if they had known Elksdom for years. The music furnished by Svarverud's orchestra was most excellent, the best ever heard at such a gathering in Eugene. The Cottage Grove contingent was a lively one. Stories, songs and addresses were heard fast and furious. Laughter and good feeling abounded. Business cares were laid aside, such gatherings are a great benefit to people generally. An excellent luncheon was served during the rendering of the program. The gathering was dismissed at midnight, all arising and singing Acid Lang Syne. The committees in charge of the affair were Past Exalted Ruler L T Harris and Brothers Helms W Thompson and Walter Ross, and all voted them "the people" to prepare a program.

#### The Women's Patriotic League met

in regular session this afternoon at the home of Mrs J M Shiley at West Eighth and Charleston streets. After the regular business, Mrs W K Scarborough read an original paper on "Parentalhood," which was followed by a magazine article by Mrs E Schwarzschild, press comments on President Roosevelt's promising reign. A delightful luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Applegate, McElroy and Agnes Harris. Miss Alecia McElroy rendered a few pretty selections on the piano during the afternoon. The league meets next with Mrs J W Kays.

#### The joint installation of officers of

Woodmen of the World and the Women of Woodcraft held last night in I O O F hall was a very pleasant affair. A program as follows was rendered during the evening:

Solo.....	Arvilla Zimmer
Recitation.....	Lois McMurphy
Solo.....	Elmer Paine
Recitation.....	Miss Connie Handsaker
Vocal duet.....	Misses Mabel Crow and Nina Ostrander

E O Potter was installing officer for the Woodmen and Mrs A T Cookerline for the Women of Woodcraft. After the ceremonies a banquet was served by the Woodmen and a social hour or so was enjoyed.

#### Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Lane county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at the court house in Eugene as follows:

#### FOR STATE PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, February 12, at nine o'clock a m and continuing until Saturday, February 15, at four o'clock p m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law. Thursday.—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography. Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

#### FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commencing Wednesday, February 12, at nine o'clock a m, and continuing until Friday, February 14, at four o'clock p m.

First, second and third grade certificates—

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, school law.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic, physiology, civil government.

Primary certificates—

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, reading, arithmetic.

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, methods, physiology.

There will be no examination in April this year.

W M MILLER, County Supr.

Dated January 23d, 1902.