

HERMANN IS CONGRESSMAN

Wins the Fight With a Scanty Majority Over Reames.

It Was Well for Him That He was as Little Exposed in Other Parts as He was in Eugene.

(Daily Guard, June 2.)
There was an election in the First District yesterday.
The day was an occasion of great anxiety with the Republicans. Their only hope was the immense majority with which the district was usually Republican. This was 7300. This had to be overcome by Reames. With names against dozens of men, speakers of all ranks, from United States senators and congressmen to postmasters and ward heelers in every precinct, with all the money with which to subsidize papers, people and prominent speakers they wanted, backed by the Southern Pacific and the Booth-Kelly Company, with all this yet HERMANN'S MAJORITY WAS BUT ABOUT 2000 AS AGAINST TONGUE'S 7300.

THE GUARD'S FIGHT.
With the Portland Journal, the Guard and a few other papers have been the only papers which have made original and effective fight against Hermann on the basis of his record while in office.

In the places where this kind of a fight was made Hermann lost greatly. The four precincts of Eugene cast a total of 802 votes, the loss being about 20 per cent. of the total. The same four precincts gave Tongue a majority of 268 votes over Weather and last year. Hermann carried them by 30. This is where Hermann was made known to the voters. In Clackamas which gave Reames a rousing big majority, the home of the sleek Geo. C. Brownell, who nominated Hermann, the Portland Journal was a good circulation and made the fight. In Josephine and Jackson, where the methods of the ex-commissioner were made known to the public, Hermann lost both counties. In Douglas, his home, he has a contingency which will do his bidding any day, even to the knifing of Tongue in congress. It was expected that Douglas would go with Hermann. But as a general rule wherever Hermann was introduced to the people as he is known to be, he lost the Republican majority and in an aggregate amounted almost to his defeat.

Only 180 more votes were cast in the last election in Eugene's four precincts than in this. It was more than was expected and the Republicans did so more staying away than did the Democrats. In the whole district pathy marked the entire day. Farmers did not wish to leave their work and travel some miles to vote for one man. Democratic farmers did almost as much staying away as the Republicans. Hermann's small majority is a disgrace to him, but he is elected so it seems.

BULLETIN SERVICE.

The Guard conducted the only bulletin service in the city last evening, giving a large and anxious crowd the exact news as it was flashed to this paper from all over the district. From Eugene it was again wired to all interested points. At the Smeed hotel where the bulletin board was stationed there was a large crowd which waited patiently far into the night and read every fresh bulletin with eagerness as it was posted. When the Eugene returns were in and Hermann only carried the city by 30 votes and reports came from Clackamas that Reames had carried the county by several hundred, it was taken as an indication that there was hope for the Democratic candidate. The news was posted as it came in, good, bad and indifferent. At 11:30 a total was figured up and it was found that Hermann was, according to the approximate estimates, about 100 in the lead, it was seen that he was to win the fight.

Washington Won Debate.

Friday evening the University of Washington debaters won the platform contest from Oregon. Oregon won the two previous and Washington put forth her mightiest efforts to win this time and succeeded. A national arbitration law was the theme discussed, Oregon maintaining that it was best and Washington on the negative.

OREGON MEN MEET DEFEAT IN ALBANY

(Daily Guard, June 2.)
Oregon met severe defeat at the hands of Albany College yesterday afternoon. The score was 76½ to 49½. The boys were in very poor form owing to the two meets within the previous week. In their condition they would have been justified in refusing to meet the Albany boys. However the latter deserve credit for having some of the best men in the state as sprinters. Coates and Torbett are two of the quickest students on cinder this year. Morrison in the weights is also a comer. McKinney fell down completely in the discus and could not get a place after making a state record of 110 feet in Portland. Luck seemed to flee from the sight of the University men and they gave over point after point without a seeming struggle.

Following is the list of events, the winners and the time and distance:

100 yard dash—Bergman, Coates; Henderson and Torbett tying for third. Time, 10 2-5.

Broad jump—Coates, Henderson, Torbett. Distance 20 feet, 9 inches.

880 yard run—Perkins, Marks, Penland. Time, 2 min., 18 sec.

50 yard dash—Coates, Torbett, Bergman. Time, 5 3-5.

Shot put—Morrison, McKinney, Henderson. Distance, 34 feet, 5 inches.

100 yard hurdle—Coates, Thayer, Sargeant. Time, 16 4-5.

Hammer throw—Reese, Morrison, McKinney. Distance, 101 feet, 10½ inches.

Discus throw—Morrison, Penland, Reese. Distance, 94 feet, 5 inches.

Pole vault—Sargeant, Bergman, Johnson. Height, 10 feet, 2 inches.

220 yard dash—Bergman, Henderson, Coates. Time, 23 2-5.

High jump—Thayer, Henderson, Davis. Height, 5 feet, 2 inches.

220 yard hurdle—Coates, Thayer, Sargeant. Time, 27 1-5.

1 mile run—Marks, Penland, Merchant. Time, 5:09.

440 yard dash—Bergman, Payne, Perkins. Time 56.

Now that the election is over Eugene and Lane county should begin to prepare for the celebration of the Fourth of July. Last year the city did not father such a celebration and the day of Independence passed quietly within our borders. What the plans should be will later have to be decided upon. A meeting of business men and those interested in having such a gathering of holiday people in Eugene should at once be called and plans formulated for an appropriate celebration. An excellent public program could be arranged easily, including athletic contests for good prizes, comical bouts, such as the Woodmen made such a hit in last month, and numerous other amusements could be arranged. Eugene should have a rousing celebration.

You won't hear such a wonderful amount of cheering among Republicans over the great victory of Binger Hermann. Many people consider the vote a good slap at Hermann.

Listen to the calls for rallies for ratifications of Hermann's election. Did you see the bonfires?

The Republicans are about as ashamed of this campaign and their man as any political body in Oregon ever was.

U. O. Beats Multnomah.

By a score of 54 to 50, the University of Oregon won the third victory of the year on track and field against Multnomah last Saturday. The clubmen could not compete with enough energy to get the majority of points. The big surprises for the club were the short hurdles and the broad jump. "Dutch" Thayer captured the former and Henderson took the latter from the famous Kerrigan at 21 feet, 1 1-2 inches.

Dr C H T Atwood drove to Dexter Sunday, where he performed an operation upon Mrs. Ernest Barnes for an abscess.

Lester Tozier and wife are moving from apartments in the Dunn block to a residence at East Sixteenth and Ferry streets.

John Bergman, one of the crack sprinters on the Albany College track team, lives at Florence, Lane county, where he was raised. This is his second year at Albany College and the first that he has done much in the athletic field and his development has been remarkable. He is about nineteen years old.

O. P. HOFF APPOINTED

Salem, Or., June 2.—Governor Chamberlain, Secretary of State Dunbar and State Treasurer Moore met yesterday and named O. P. Hoff, of Portland, to be Oregon's first Labor Commissioner. Mr. Hoff was formerly a resident of Lane county, where he served as agent for the Southern Pacific Railroad. For several years he has been employed in the freight department of the same company in Portland. His election was practically unanimous.

Governor Chamberlain's preference was Walter Drennan, a former railroad engineer. No formal vote was taken on the choice of a commissioner, but, after discussing the matter, it developed that Dunbar and Moore were in favor of Hoff, and that Chamberlain would be satisfied with that selection, and the matter was in that way settled. Hoff will serve until 1900, when his successor will be elected by the people.

THE SAME OLD TRICK

It will be remembered that at the county and state election just a year ago, the election boards in a number of precincts locked up the tally sheets in the ballot boxes, and it was necessary to obtain an order from the court to open them, thereby delaying the official canvass of the votes a week or more.

The same thing has been done this year, at least in one precinct, East Cottage Grove. When the messenger who brought the ballot box down this afternoon delivered it to County Clerk Lee, he was asked where the tally sheets were: "Everything is securely locked in the box and here is the key," he replied. He seemed surprised to learn that the law emphatically and plainly states that only the ballots shall be locked in the boxes. He said it was the fault of one of the clerks, who did the same thing last year.

Personals.

(Daily Guard, June 2.)

Rev. J. B. Lister is in the city. Ves Lewis of Mound, is in Eugene. A. D. Hyland of Lowell, is in Eugene.

Pat Murphy, ex-U.O. student, is in Eugene.

Geo. Fisher has gone to his Blue River mines.

Fred Lamb returned today from a short trip south.

Geo. Kinsey went to Creswell this afternoon on business.

Harvey Denmore was a passenger to Portland this afternoon.

Attorney Jerome Knox came down from Cottage Grove this afternoon.

Prof. Washburne, superintendent of the Jacksonville city schools, is in Eugene.

Darwin Yoran is on a business trip to Walker Station. He will return tomorrow.

Mrs. Lischen M. Miller went to Portland this afternoon to spend a couple of days.

Chas. Wagner, the famous football center and U. O. athlete, is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Geo. M. Miller went to Portland today to be the guest of friends in that city for a few weeks.

Geo. Starley and brother arrived this afternoon from Ashland and are attending to business in Eugene.

O. A. McMahon and wife, of Thurston, who have been visiting in the East and South since March, have returned home.

Mrs. C. R. Thompson, nee Gilbert, who has been visiting her parents in Eugene for the past few weeks, returned to her home at Fort Casey this afternoon.

An Insane Woman.

Ida Heinrich, a single woman, aged 22 years, was brought down from Cottage Grove this afternoon and examined before Judge Kincaid by Drs. L. W. Brown and W. L. Cheshire and pronounced insane. She will be taken to Salem on the morning train tomorrow.

The complaint was made by the woman's father, Frank Heinrich. The cause of insanity is hereditary.

Married.

In Junction City at the residence of Mrs. Chandler on Sunday, May 24, 1903, J. Casbeer and Mrs. Eliza Follette, formerly of Portland.

A FATAL STABBING

Huntington Telegraph Operators Stabbing Affray Over a Joke

Rooster Nearly Killed Three-Year-Old Child—Predicts Big Columbia River Flood.

(Scripps News Association.)
Portland, June 2.—The Weather Bureau predicts a great rise of the Columbia River due, it says, to the recent warm weather.

The Portland office of the weather service is in daily receipt of advices regarding the rise of the rivers tributary to the Columbia all over the Northwest and bases its forecasts on definitely established facts.

People are warned to prepare for a flood. Twenty feet of water is predicted at Portland by Sunday.

Grainfield Fire South.

(Scripps News Association.)

Willows, Cal., June 2.—A field got started in the grain field near here last night and before it could be checked had burnt over thousands of acres of wheat and barley that were almost ready for the harvest.

The fire has ruined many farmers who before were in fairly prosperous circumstances.

Rooster Maims Child.

(Scripps News Association.)

Vancouver, B. C., June 2.—Little three-year-old Vear Newton here is in a precarious condition through a ferocious attack by a Leghorn rooster.

The bird picked and spurred the child about the face and neck in a horrible manner.

Tacoma Launching Today.

(Scripps News Association.)

San Francisco, June 2.—All preparations are fully completed for the launching of the new cruiser Tacoma from the Union Iron Works yards late this afternoon. The mayor of Tacoma and a delegation of prominent citizens are here to take part in the ceremonies. A great time is expected.

San Francisco Embezzlement.

(Scripps News Association.)

San Francisco, June 2.—Marcus Fleishman, a jewelry dealer, has departed for parts unknown after having embezzled various sums belonging to leading jewelry firms from the sale of jewelry with which he had been entrusted. A charge of felony has been entered against him.

His brother, W. J. Fleishman, absconded from Los Angeles about two years ago with a considerable amount of the funds of the Farmers' & Merchants' Bank of that city.

Sad Ending of a Joke.

(Scripps News Association.)

Huntington, Oregon, June 2.—A bloody stabbing affray which will probably have a fatal ending transpired here last night at midnight.

C. M. West and J. W. Thompson were fellow operators in the O. R. & N. Railroad Company's local office here and were on duty at the time of the stabbing. Thompson joked West about sleeping on duty, which provoked the fight which ended with the stabbing.

Thompson cannot live. West is in jail charged with assault with intent to murder. The preliminary examination will take place before a justice of the peace Wednesday.

"Pied" the Forms.

Roseburg, Or., June 1.—Roseburg has a new daily paper, called the Roseburg Champion. It is edited and owned by H. H. Brooks, proprietor of the Roseburg Semi-Weekly Plaindealer. The first issue of the Champion was launched late Sunday afternoon. The delay of the first edition was caused by the breaking of a pin on the press while it was in operation, allowing one of the forms to be thrown from the press bend to the floor and "pieing" the whole form.

The accident occurred about 3 o'clock Sunday morning, but the new paper appeared at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Born.

June 1, 1903, to the wife of E. F. Miller, six miles north of Eugene, a 9½-pound girl.

MAKES CLEAN SWEEP.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Sores, Bruises, Cuts, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It's only 25c, and guaranteed to give satisfaction by W. L. DeLano, druggist.

CARS WERE NOT LIGHTED

Salem Journal: A number of citizens have complained at the way the Southern Pacific excursion trains were run through the city Sunday night. The second section is reported to have only the first two coaches lighted, all the rest of the train of some 16 coaches, jammed full of people, being in darkness. The cars were full of men, women and young people, and many of them were drunk, and pickpockets abounded. It is not likely that the trainmen or the company could prevent these things entirely, but it is censurable, from a public standpoint, to leave the cars in the dark, and will tend to keep the more decent class of people from patronizing such excursions, and it is really to the interest of the excursion managers to keep such trains properly lighted.

ASSISTANT TO PROF. CONDON

The growth of the geological department of the University is so great that Dr. Condon is no longer able to hear the various classes, and arrangements have been made whereby an assistant instructor will be appointed for the purpose of taking charge of the metallurgical department. Dr. Condon, with the unanimous desire of his students, will still remain as the head of the geological department.

The board has not yet taken action on a number of applications that have been made for the position.

Brevities

H. E. Morris has purchased the Oregonian route from Geo. Crow.

Two walls one story high have been finished in brick on the new Chrisman building.

Portland yesterday voted the \$465,000 bridge and free ferries bonds by a liberal majority.

Prof. Mark Bailey is to build a fine new house next to his present residence on the corner of High and East Ninth streets. Y. D. Hensill is the architect.

Brick masons commenced work this morning on the opera house building. Martin's brick yard has furnished a start in brick, and work will be rushed right along as rapidly as possible.

J. W. Quackenbush who is opening up a new and miscellaneous business of hardware, etc., on East Ninth street, is making a fine display of a car-load of buggies, spring wagons etc., which he has just received from Ohio.

E. E. McClanahan orders his Daily Guard sent to Fort Casey, Washington, five miles up the coast from Port Townsend. Ed has good situation as timekeeper under the contractor who is putting in a large government wharf there.

The usual number of Eugene people are preparing to attend the annual picnic at Pleasant Hill. The orderly manner which the affair has heretofore been conducted and marshalled has won a name for it and with each year the pleasure of attending grown.

Bicycle Collision.

Saturday evening about 8 o'clock G. E. Woodruff, a barber, and Master Wayne Willoughby, son of Dr. R. L. Willoughby, while riding their bicycles collided with each other with a terrific crash in front of Hodes' saloon on Willamette street. Woodruff was knocked insensible and was taken home in a carriage but the boy was practically uninjured. The occurrence attracted a large crowd.

Policy Was Paid.

Inasmuch as it has been reported that the policy held in the Fraternal Aid Association by the late Mrs. G. Biddle has not been paid, the Guard is requested to state that it was paid in full.

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LANE COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOLS

Will Convene in Elmira on June 10th—An Excellent Program Prepared.

Following is the program which will be carried out at the annual convention of the Sunday Schools of Lane county, to be held in Elmira June 10. Every Sunday school in the county is entitled to representation by its superintendent and one delegate with one delegate additional for every 25 members. Entertainment will be provided for all delegates.

PROGRAM.

Wednesday morning, June 10.

10 a. m.—Devotional service, Mrs. E. Bollman, Elmira.

10:30—Opening of convention by the president, Mrs. M. D. Mitchell, Eugene.

10:45—Address of welcome, Miss Cora Gibson, Elmira.

11—Response, Rev. D. L. Shrode, Junction City.

11:30—Report of District President. Announcements.

Wednesday afternoon.

1:30—Devotional exercises, Mrs. Emma Bailey, Fern Ridge.

2:00—The Teaching of Temperance, Mrs. T. J. Wilson, Eugene.

2:30—Decision Day, Prof. A. R. Sweetser, Eugene.

3:00—The Sunday School Teacher's Work, Miss Fannie McCallum, Eugene.

3:30—Sunday School and Missions, Miss Gertrude Burdick, Cottage Grove.

4:00—The Influence of the Sunday School in the Home, Miss Anna Crain, Junction City.

4:30—The Necessity of Careful Preparation, Mr. E. G. Beebe, Eugene.

Wednesday evening.

7:30—Song service, led by W. M. Pitney, Junction City.

8:00—Address, Some very Old Libraries, Rev. E. C. Alford, Eugene.

Thursday morning.

8:30—Devotional services, led by Miss Gussie Burns, Junction City.

9:00—Hindrances in Sunday School Work, Mrs. Delia Stevenson, Fairmount.

9:30—The Relation of the Sunday School to the Church, Rev. J. S. McCallum, Eugene.

10:00—How to study the Bible, Miss D. M. Logan, Eugene.

10:30—The Influence of the Sunday School Teacher, Miss Thecla Dove, Eugene.

11:00—State Convention Work, Mrs. Clara G. Esson, Eugene.

Normal Department.

Home department.

Primary work.

Needs of the Sunday School work in Oregon.

Evangelistic methods.

Sunday school discipline.

Reverence in God's house.

Business session.

Report of committees.

Election of officers.

Adjournment.

CLOSING OUT PIANO SALE.

F. A. Rankin to Build a New Brick Building.

F. A. Rankin has inaugurated a genuine closing out sale of pianos, organs and all small goods and sheet music, preparatory to tearing down his building to make room for a brick to go up at once.

Prices on pianos are lost sight of in this sale. They must go. This means a big saving to piano buyers and the opportunity only comes once in a life-time for such genuine bargains.

Our line of pianos consist of the following well known makes: Chickering, Weber, Kimball, Crown, Decker & Sons, Busch & Gerts, and a dozen other makes.

How do you like the list? Can anybody beat it? We think not. Call early and get first choice. Sale on now. If you don't embrace this chance the loss is yours.

F. A. RANKIN,

No. 22-24 West Seventh street.

Number 1402 is the winning number at Newland's store. It will give the holder a fine gold watch. Second prize number is 3046. The lady's gold watch goes with this number. The third prize, another gold watch, was won by A. H. Murray with number 2331. The last prize, another watch, is held for the appearance of number 335.

The firm of McKinney & Holeman which has been conducting the grocery business on Willamette street, has been dissolved and Mr. McKinney's interest has been purchased by J. D. Chenoweth, recently of Texas. The new partner took his place today. He is an experienced groceryman and will no doubt assist in keeping up the well-established business.