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ALLEN CANNERY BEGINS OPERATION TOMORROW

The two companies of National Guard stationed in Eugene will join the parade at the Fourth of July celebration, Col. Yoran having just issued orders to that effect as follows: Eugene, Or., June 29, 1908. Special Orders No. 24.

(From Tuesday's Daily Guard.) The Allen fruit cannery in this city will commence operations on the crop of cherries tomorrow and a force of between 50 and 100 women and girls and 25 or 30 men will be employed. The cherries began coming in this morning and it is expected that they will arrive fast enough to keep the plant going steadily until the season closes.

Companies A and C, Second Battalion, Fourth Infantry, are hereby ordered to assemble at the armory on Saturday, July 4, at 9:30 a. m., for parade in celebration of Independence Day. Major C. C. Hammond, commanding battalion, is charged with arrangement and execution of the details of the parade. By order of Col. G. O. Yoran, Commanding Fourth Inf., W. E. Taylor, O. N. G. Capt. and Adjutant.

The Lane County Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association has reached an agreement with Manager W. G. Allen of the cannery, whereby the association practically has a lease on the plant for the next two weeks. Mr. Allen consents all the fruit for the members of the association on a commission, and they are to get the output. The cannery will be a very busy place from now on during the summer.

GRANT'S PASS WILL CHASTISE HARRIMAN.

Grant's Pass, Or., June 29.—Pleading extreme poverty, the Southern Pacific railroad company is making a vigorous kick against the paving of the business streets of Grant's Pass. As the railroad company has its yards and depot in the heart of town, it is necessarily assessed more heavily than any other single property owner for street paving, and the company has entered a remonstrance against the passing of the paving ordinance. Through its right of way, officials, the company states that it cannot afford the expense, as it has been taxed heavily this year, "for improvements made on the Harriman lines elsewhere." Though the company would be given 10 years to meet its assessment, in regular yearly installments, it has declared through its legal attorney that the expense is too great. The city council proposes, however, to go ahead with the paving, and will take a lien upon the abutting property should it refuse to meet its payment.

ADD ESTATE IS FINALLY CLOSED UP.

The estate of W. S. Ladd was closed yesterday morning, when Judge Webster in the County Court, issued an order approving the final account, which was filed by the executors and executrix. The executors estimate the value of the estate at more than \$5,670,979.77, but how much more they do not say. It has been in the hands of Caroline A. Ladd, the widow, William M. Ladd, Charles E. Ladd and John Wesley Ladd, executrix and executors, since the elder Ladd died, January 6, 1893. It was appraised the same year by Henry Pelling, John Catlin and Thomas M. Wood at \$1,500,858.95. This amount \$4,127,250 was the value placed on the real estate and \$1,543,729.55 the amount at which the personal property was inventoried. Ladd addition, consisting of 32 acres, was at that time valued at \$1,000,000; Crystal Springs farm, 200 acres, at \$175,000; Canyon City farm, 230 acres at \$145,000; and the Ladd & Tilton banking business at \$1,250,000. Of the personal property a large part is in stocks and bonds.—Oregonian.

CONTRACT LET FOR PAVING NINE MORE BLOCKS

At a meeting of the city council this forenoon the contract was awarded to the Warren Construction Co. to pave the following streets: Olive from West Fifth to West Tenth; Oak from East Seventh to East Ninth; West Tenth from Willamette to Olive and West Eleventh from Willamette to Olive. The price to be paid for the paving is \$2.13 per square yard. The contract to put in the cement curbing was let to the American Paving Co. at 30 cents per lineal foot for straight work and 50 cents per lineal foot for curved work. Contract to put in the drainage was let to E. R. Mumme, the price being as follows: \$20 each for catch basins; \$5 each for the grate inlets and 45 cents per foot for sewer pipe.

The matter of paving Fifth and Sixth streets from Oak to Olive was deferred till another meeting. The number of blocks in this contract for paving is nine.

Last Night's Meeting. A meeting of the council was held last night at which time the bids for the paving were opened. Remonstrances against paving on East Sixth street from Willamette to Oak and on East Fifth Street from Willamette to Oak, signed by all the property owners along the street, were presented. A remonstrance against paving West Tenth from Willamette to Olive with bitulithic, the signers claiming that macadam would be good enough. Another remonstrance against paving East Tenth from Willamette to Oak and one on the Olive Street work were presented, but the council proceeded to pass the ordinance ordering the work. Mayor Matlock immediately vetoed it, whereupon the council passed it over his veto, the vote being as follows: Garrett, aye; Roach aye; Moon, aye; Williams, aye. Mayor Matlock gives as his reason for vetoing the measure that a majority of the property owners did not desire the paving. The work that was contracted for this morning is on those streets where a majority of the property owners had not signed the remonstrances. Where the majority signed the letting of the contract was deferred.

Other Matters. An ordinance licensing certain chiropractors, clairvoyants, phrenologists, palmists, etc., when they are only temporary in their stay here was read and passed.

A petition for extending the time for completing the Portland-Eugene and Eastern Railway from Eugene to Springfield to January 1, 1909, was presented and by motion it was laid over until the next meeting of the council.

IRRIGATION FOR UPPER VALLEY AS EXPERIMENT

Salem, Or., June 27.—Not only is the necessity of irrigation in the Willamette valley realized by the first steps toward an irrigation project in the Willamette Valley have been entered upon at Eugene by the state in conjunction with the government. In 1907 \$2,500 was appropriated for this work by the legislature and as it is the practice of the government to add a similar amount, \$5,000 is now available for the geological survey already begun on a sheet including 225 square miles in which is situated the city of Eugene.

Notice was received from the federal government last week that the additional \$2,500 had been appropriated Oregon for geological surveys in the Willamette valley and the secretary of state at once gave the state engineer instructions to go ahead with the survey. Camps have been opened and the work is now progressing near Eugene. It will probably take from three to four months to complete the survey, after which the Albany sheet will be taken up and then the Salem and Oregon City sheets.

To Encourage Irrigation. The area will be mapped upon a scale of one and one-half miles showing a 10 foot contour interval. The area of the Eugene sheet extends nearly to Harrisburg and will include the bottom land between the McKenzie and middle fork of the Willamette rivers. The survey is being made for the encouragement of irrigation projects now actively talked of in the vicinity, and to which end such prominent and far-sighted men have directed their energies as W. W. Cotton, general counsel for the Harriman lines in the Northwest.

In his address at Eugene Wednesday Mr. Cotton again asserted the necessity of drainage and irrigation in the Willamette Valley before it can be expected to produce what it should. Mr. Cotton has directed considerable attention to the subject and is the strongest advocate of irrigation in the Willamette valley. For 16 months of the year, the rainfall is very heavy, but for six or eight weeks every summer the rainfall is so light as to constitute almost an arid condition as far as the production of agricultural crops are concerned.

Willamette Valley Needs Water. Mr. Cotton is not alone in this discovery. A. B. Stover has been directed to report on the need of irrigation in the Willamette valley by the United States department of agriculture. His conclusions are identical with those of Mr. Cotton. The report has just come into the hands of State Engineer Lewis at Salem. In his introduction Mr. Stover recites that the Willamette valley is the largest single body of tillable

land west of the Rocky Mountains outside of the great San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys. It is also one of the oldest settled sections of the west a large portion of its prairie and bottom land having been under cultivation for 50 years.

"In the earlier days and up to within the last few years grain growing has been the predominant industry," says the government expert. "The moist early springs and dry summers were admirably adapted to the production of cereals. However, under the strain of constant cropping of wheat, and with only poor, shallow cultivation and no fertilization, the soil has gradually failed to yield profitable crops of grain. As a result a change in agricultural methods has taken place and the wheat ranch of 320 or 640 acres is giving place to the small diversified farm with its crop of rotation and its intense cultivation."

Climate Not Adapted. It is Mr. Stover's conclusion that the climate is not well adapted to this new kind of farming. The crops now being raised, clover, vetch, hops, small fruits and vegetables—extend their growth through the dry season while the grain was ripe and ready to cut before the dry season came on. The diversified crops should have moisture and he concludes the Willamette valley must be irrigated.

The report is replete with tables giving information as to the stream-flow of the rivers of the Willamette valley including the Tualatin, Molalla, Santiam, Clackamas, Lucklanne, McKenzie, Yamhill and other smaller streams. The tables give the average rainfall, the yearly and summer discharge of the streams, resulting in almost ideal conditions for perfect irrigation.

Reservoirs Are Proposed. It is set forth that the Willamette valley is very easily irrigated. Reservoirs could be filled by the heavy winter rains and would supply the whole valley for the six or eight weeks when there is no rain. Districts are cited in Italy and in other parts of the world where the rainfall is almost as great as it is in the Willamette Valley, but where irrigation is regarded as indispensable. Invariably the rainfall is more evenly distributed than in the Willamette valley. Observations were made by Mr. Stover from the farms of Oswald West and Robert Gellatly near Corvallis; George Bagley and A. M. Stanton near Hillsboro, and Cockerline & Howard near Albany. Upon these farms irrigation has been tried on a small scale. At Corvallis irrigated plots are taken side by side so that Mr. Stover's conclusions are accurate.

Dairying Possibilities Good.

Dairying, Mr. Stover says, is probably the coming industry of the Willamette valley, but it can never be developed to its fullest extent without irrigation. According to the government expert irrigation is absolutely necessary to prevent the valley from becoming absolutely barren.

Formerly the government directed its efforts largely to the irrigation of large areas in the unsettled parts of the state, in order to attract settlers. Now more work will be done in the more thickly settled parts.

MARRIED

G. W. Billmire and Mrs. M. G. Leather were married this forenoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Geo. L. Jennings on South Willamette street. Rev. D. H. Trimble performed the ceremony.

D. M. Stevenson of Eugene left Salem yesterday after visiting with his uncle, E. P. McCarter of this city. H. B. Straight of Eugene stopped in Salem yesterday on his way to Portland.—Salem Statesman.

VETERINARY SURGEON GRIFFIN ARRESTED.

C. C. Griffin, a veterinary surgeon who recently located here, was arrested today by Constable Plank upon a warrant sworn to by D. J. Christie, charging him with practicing without a license. He will appear before Justice of the Peace Bryson tomorrow.

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. 25c at N. A. Kuykendall's drug store."

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WM. L. FORD ARRESTED AT KLAMATH FALLS

W. L. Ford, formerly of Eugene, but later of Springfield, where he conducted the dining room of the Hotel Springfield, was arrested at Klamath Falls this forenoon by the sheriff there upon a bench warrant issued by the circuit court at its last term in Eugene. Ford is charged with the illegal sale of liquor. Deputy Sheriff Brown will start for Klamath Falls tonight to bring him back to Eugene for trial.

Ford has been arrested once or twice on the same charge, but has each time escaped punishment. He was indicted by the grand jury at the last term of court for selling liquor at Springfield. He and his family left here only a short time ago. Sheriff Flisk is keeping track of his movements.

HANDED A LEMON, DECLARES LUMBERMEN.

Tacoma, June 29.—Lumber manufacturers of this state, who were enthusiastic over the rate decision which was announced ten days ago, are now, since having studied the decision and the effects it will have, disposed to believe that the Interstate Commerce commission handed them a lemon. The decision, they declare, is a mere compromise, a neat straddle in which the commission has followed a give-and-take policy and struck an average between the opposing interests of the railroads and the lumbermen.

They say that even in the declared opening of the Portland gateway the victory for the western Washington lumber manufacturers is only a partial one. Under the ruling of the commission shipments may be sent by way of Portland to Salt Lake and common points in Utah only under certain restrictions. When it comes to shipping to Colorado the commission has decided that all such business originating on the Northern Pacific must give that road the long haul, or, in other words, must be routed by way of Billings and roll into Colorado over the Burlington.

Bellingham, Wash. June 27.—Although the lumbermen all understand that the railroads are seriously considering appealing to the Interstate Commerce Commission's decision on the rate case, they have an abiding faith that such further action will not be taken. However, if the fight is thrust upon them, they will take up the judge in self defense. Captain Everett Griest of Tacoma, president of the Pacific Coast Lumber Manufacturer's association, which is to meet in this city today, speaking of the effects upon an appeal, said:

"If further contesting is forced upon the lumbermen and the rate case is taken before the United States Supreme Court on appeal, the lumber interests will spend every dollar they have in defense. If an appeal is taken, lumber conditions will remain unsettled as they have in the last six months, and no business worth speaking of will be done until the appeal is settled. We sincerely hope the case will not be resurrected."

GETTING VINEGAR PLANT READY FOR OPERATION.

E. H. Ingham, proprietor of the Ingham vine factory, is up from Portland superintending the work of placing the plant in condition for operation again this fall, as soon as the apples begin to ripen. This plant was not operated to any extent last fall and winter, but it is the intention to run it to its full capacity this year. This is an important industry and one that needs encouragement. Eugene will have two such plants in operation this year. N. A. Reynolds has just completed a large building at the corner of West Second and Blair streets for a similar plant and will soon install the machinery. Besides vinegar he will manufacture apple butter, cider, jelly and other articles from the products of the orchard.

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WORKING ON S. P. WATER POWER SITES

N. L. Fitzhenry returned last evening from a trip to the headwaters of the Willamette river where the Southern Pacific surveyors are at work on the proposed railroad across the mountains into Eastern Oregon. He states that a small crew of the surveyors is at work making the survey for a proposed power plant for electric power on Salt Creek. He says the canal there will be six or eight miles long and will have a fall of about 120 feet in that distance, and the volume of water is sufficient to generate 25,000 horse power.

Guard readers will remember that S. W. Curtis, representing the Southern Pacific, has at numerous times stood upon water power sites in that vicinity and it has been predicted that the company would utilize the power to generate electricity with which to operate its trains over the mountains. The beginning of preliminary work indicates that these predictions were correct.

NEBRASKA WANTS GRAY FOR SECOND PLACE

Lincoln, June 30.—Nebraska's delegation to the Denver convention will approve of any man on whom the delegation can unite for vice-president. Failing in this, Nebraska will vote solidly for Judge Gray, for vice-president. The Nebraska delegation is also standing for a strong anti-injunction plank.

Prohibition Fight. Denver, Colo., June 29.—The fight over the anti-injunction plank in the Democratic platform is not the only struggle in which the committee on resolution, possibly the convention itself, may be involved. It developed today that the prohibition question is to be brought to the front and a desperate effort will be made to have a plank declaring in its favor, placed in the platform.

The prohibition movement is headed by General James B. Weaver, of Iowa, who demanded of the recent Democratic convention in that state that it declare in favor of prohibition. General Weaver and his followers were not successful there, but nothing daunted by their failure, have made arrangements to bring the matter before the Democratic National convention. They profess, moreover, to have strong backing from a number of the Southern delegations which have recently passed prohibition laws, and it is declared confidently by General Weaver's adherents that, if the Democratic National platform does not contain a prohibition plank, it will only be because he, after the hardest kind of fighting, has been unable to secure its adoption.

Clear-Anti Injunction Plank.

The anti-injunction plank continues to provoke a large amount of discussion among such party leaders as have arrived for the convention. While opinions differ as to the exact



JUDGE GEORGE GRAY.

nature of the plank which should be adopted, all are of the mind in saying that it shall be a definite and specific statement. Such members of the National Committee as have discussed the matter are a unit in saying that the wording of the anti-injunction plank shall leave no possible doubt in the mind of any reader as to where the party stands on this question.

Chamberlain Boom Bobs Up. The Vice-Presidential situation remains, to all appearances, just where it was yesterday, although the boom of Lieutenant Governor Chanler, of New York, seems to have weakened somewhat and his name is not mentioned as prominently as two days ago. This is largely due to the announcement made by Norman E. Mack, National Committeeman from New York that he has not authority to speak for Mr. Chanler and that his interest in the matter was dictated by friendship and by a sincere belief that the New York official is well qualified to take second place on the ticket.

Only one new man was named today as a Vice-Presidential possibility. This was Governor George E. Chamberlain of Oregon. He found much favor with some of the party leaders and it is said that he would be personally acceptable to Mr. Bryan, if the latter is nominated.

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DAVID B. H. DENIES INTERVIEW.

Albany, N. Y., June 29.—Albert E. Hoyt, editor of the Argus, received from Paris today the following cablegram from Governor David B. Hill, referring to an interview which was published widely as coming from Mr. Hill on the day he sailed for Europe. In this interview Mr. Hill was quoted as referring to Governor Johnson as "the poor house candidate," articulating Mr. Bryan and saying that "there is no Democratic party."

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