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DIED

Mrs. Margaret McCready, wife of David McCready, died at their home two and one-half miles northwest of Eugene at 1 o'clock this afternoon. She had been ill for several days. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons in North Dakota, one at home, Neil J., and a daughter, Mrs. Minnie Sumner, who lives in Fairmount. The funeral will be held Thursday at 10:30 a. m., from W. T. Gordon's undertaking parlors. Rev. D. H. Trimble and the I. O. O. F. will conduct the services.

At her home at the corner of West Sixth and Washington streets, Eugene, this morning, August 13, 1908, at 9 o'clock, Mrs. Sarah A. Taylor, aged 83 years. The cause of death was old age. She was born in Maine and spent her girlhood in Indiana, coming to Oregon in 1850. She had been a resident of Eugene since 1897. The remains will be taken to Dayton, Or., tomorrow for burial. She leaves no immediate relatives here.

GOVERNMENT WATCHES ITS FORESTS MORE CLOSELY

With the extension of the forest service the government is becoming more strict, and will whenever possible confiscate all products of its forests being appropriated by settlers. Chittim bark peelers have orders to keep off the reserves, though much peeling is still done on government land.

United States Inspector Stephen M. Norton seized chittim bark valued at \$175 last week on Big Elk creek, near Corvallis. The bark was peeled by Derrick Brothers a couple of years ago and the government claims it on the ground that it was taken from trees on government land.

Miss Nettie Kress, one of Eugene's best known school teachers, has the distinction of killing a vicious wildcat while in the mountains near Blue River a few days ago. She and a number of others were going along a trail when a dog treed the wildcat. She and Mrs. M. F. Griggs both fired at it, but their first shots missed. The second shot Miss Kress fired struck a vital spot and the big cat came tumbling to the ground.

Summer WILL SOON Be Over

And there will be no demand for light-weight goods. Like all other sensible merchants we reduce the prices on seasonable goods as the season wanes because we want to clean them all up to make room for fall and winter stocks. You will, therefore, find many real bargains in our store—suits and furnishings for summer wear and that will be just what you want for early fall. We carry the famous hand-tailored line of Michaels, Stern & Co. clothing, every suit of which is correct as to style, pattern and workmanship. There are none better; few lines equal to them.

Light weight underwear and all kinds of furnishings for the summer season.

If you would dress well and comfortably, come in and let us show you what we have.

You don't have to buy unless you find what suits you.

ED. HANSON

CHAFIN NOTIFIED OF NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT

Chicago, Aug. 18.—At the Music Hall tonight, in the presence of a large and enthusiastic audience, Eugene W. Chafin, of Chicago, accepted the nomination for the presidency of the Prohibition party. The official notice of his selection as the head of the Prohibition ticket was made by Professor Charles Scanlon, of Pittsburg, on behalf of the committee on nomination appointed at the national convention.

The leading members of the party from Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Nebraska and other states were present. Seated on the platform were the national executive committee, chairman of the various state committees, the committee on nomination and several prominent prohibitionists.

Charles R. Jones, chairman of the national committee, called the meeting to order and announced the selection of Samuel Dickle, of Albion College, Albion, Mich., as chairman of the gathering. Mr. Dickle delivered a brief address and then introduced Mr. Scanlon.

Charles Scanlon, chairman of the national committee, said in part: "Mr. Chafin—a commoner with millions of people, for some time we have known that the national prohibition convention recently assembled at Columbus, Ohio, nominated you for the presidency of the United States. As permanent chairman of that convention it is now my duty as well as privilege and pleasure to present to you the formal and official notice of that action."

It is an honor worthy of any man to be chosen as their standard bearer for such an exalted position by a company of men and women as unselfish in motive, lofty in aim, patriotic in spirit, sound in principle,



EUGENE W. CHAFIN.

firm in conviction, strong in faith, persistent in effort, and logical in method as ever stood forth in God's name to give battle to a mighty foe. Whether the forces arrayed against them have been ignorance and appetite and greed and selfishness, indifference and cowardice, they have assailed them with the zeal of the crusader, the faith of the prophet and the courage of the martyr. Some have ceased from their labors but others rise up to call them blessed as they see the signs of advancing day and hear the shouts of coming victory.

"You are not asked to lead a forlorn hope. The final issue of this struggle is now now ever has been in doubt. The principles advocated by the prohibition party are as certain to prevail as time is to continue. Already they have been accepted by the churches and by a large proportion of the people. They have been accepted by five states within a year, and by thousands of counties and townships. They are believed by a large majority of the people of the nation, and however many may vote against you, few will deny that the triumph of prohibition, for which you are the only presidential candidate who has the courage to contend, would bless the world as few events since the advent of the Son of God has blessed it."

"We do not claim that intemperance is the only sin in the world, or that the liquor traffic is the only subject demanding attention. There are many vitally important questions before the American nation, moral, social, religious, industrial, economic, sanitary, scientific—all pressing the same problem. Impurity, bad literature, Mormonism, marriage and divorce, the prevention and treatment of crime, pauperism, insanity, degeneracy, disease, trusts, immigration, capital and labor, municipal government, political corruption, the government, the preservation of our natural resources, and others."

Mr. Chafin's Address
Mr. Chafin said in part: "On the fourth of March, 1909, our national government will have completed its one hundred and twentieth year of constitutional history. During that time 25 men have occupied the presidential office. All have been men of high distinction, and a few of them of eminent ability. For the first time since the death of Washington, December 14, 1799, we are without a living ex-president. When Lincoln took the oath of office five former presidents were living—the greatest number in our history. They did nothing to help him in the great struggle which resulted in the passage of the thirteenth amendment to the constitution, which marked a higher standard of Christian civilization. They were the representatives of two dominant political

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RITCHEY CREEK

WILL AFFORD PURE AND AMPLE SUPPLY

The morning paper, hoping to give the Ritchey creek gravity supply "black eye," recently wrote to Adam Ritchey, who has lived on the creek for 25 years, asking him for information concerning the quantity of water and its source. His reply practically confirms the statements of those who advocate this source of supply, showing that there is ample water for Eugene at the lowest stage and that it is fed from springs flowing from Rock Cliff, and the snows of a high mountain range. Mr. Ritchey's letter follows:

Jasper, Or., Aug. 15, 1908.
Editor Register—Dear Sir—In reply to your inquiry about Ritchey creek, will say I have lived at the mouth of that creek for about 25 years. The source of the creek lies in the north side of the mountain known as White Deadening, which is nearly as high as the summit of the Cascade range, and where snow lies until well along in June. The north side of this mountain is covered with large cliffs of rock and deep gorges covered with a heavy growth of underbrush, and here is where you find the springs that feed the creek. And better water never came from any source.

But when it comes to estimating the number of gallons of water it would furnish daily at this time of the year, I am not prepared to say. Only an experiment with a meter would tell.

My experience with the irrigating ditch was that the water would all run through a flume 18 inches square at this season of the year by giving it a good grade. It must have been in 1886 or 1887 that I did my irrigating.

But, by the way, why is it not more practical to bore for artesian water on the spurs of Spencer Butte and get a gravity system near by with far less outlay of money and get an endless supply of water that could not be beaten from any source?

Yours truly,
ADAM RITCHEY.

SOLDIER LADS ARRIVE HOME FROM ENCAMPMENT

(From Thursday's Daily Guard.)

Colonel Geo. O. Yoran, of the Fourth Infantry, O. N. G., and Companies A, B, C and D returned home on the 6 o'clock train this morning from the American Lake, maneuver field. From ten days of most creditable military work. All the men were in the finest possible physical condition, tanned and hardy after the long marches in the dust and heat. No sickness was reported from exhaustion or from the bivouac Monday night. In the hour the troops reached camp until they were entrained for their return to Oregon, they displayed military capacity in every move. Arriving at the maneuver field Monday, August 3, the two Oregon regiments thrust their camps in the course of a few hours, and the next morning the field was in better order than the commissary and quartermaster's departments were handled with efficiency and there was no shortage of supplies or inferiority of rations at camp or in the field at any time.

Both regiments did peculiarly effective work in the period of simulated warfare of Monday and Tuesday. From ten days of most creditable military work. All the men were in the finest possible physical condition, tanned and hardy after the long marches in the dust and heat. No sickness was reported from exhaustion or from the bivouac Monday night. In the hour the troops reached camp until they were entrained for their return to Oregon, they displayed military capacity in every move. Arriving at the maneuver field Monday, August 3, the two Oregon regiments thrust their camps in the course of a few hours, and the next morning the field was in better order than the commissary and quartermaster's departments were handled with efficiency and there was no shortage of supplies or inferiority of rations at camp or in the field at any time.

Clarence F. McCallister is quite sick with typhoid at his place on the Burns road, seven miles from town. In the same tent with him lies Melvin White of Eugene, who is down with dropsy. The women folks are bravely running the ranch and harvesting their rather short crop of hay.—Crook County Journal.

Charles Destell, of Portland, who has been identified with the Bohemia mining district for the last 12 years, during which time he has been developing his 160 acres of mining ground on the old Nocondry road, seems now to be in a fair way to reap a reward for his long years of labor. He placed an exhibit in Cottage Grove Saturday some exceedingly fine specimens of gold and copper ore. The specimens that seem to attract most attention come from the ledge which Mr. Destell says he has crossed 14 feet and is not through yet. Four assays on this quartz give gold returns from \$8.26 to \$22. The property is admirably located, provided with abundance of wood, timber and water. Already overtures have been made to Mr. Destell to organize a company.

J. J. Settlemier is here from Salem.

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LIST OF TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES GRANTED

Late Saturday night the county board of examiners completed their labors and granted the following teachers' certificate to successful applicants in Lane county:

- ### First Grade.
- Maud Hayes, Junction; A. J. Sheridan, Eugene; E. W. Jordan, Elmira; Frank Condon, Minerva; Fannie Colvin, Eugene; Laura Bones, Taft; Minnie Evans, Eugene; Eva Hunter, Eugene; Clara Surcamp, Walton; May Holmes, Waltherville; Clare Stacy, Waltherville; Richard Watson Smith, Eugene; George Thompson, Eugene; Mrs. Zelma Harper, Eugene; Dorilla Somers, Eugene; Eva M. Casbeer, Waltherville; Annie Humphrey, Fall Creek; Roxie Pringle, Cottage Grove; May Kinsey, Eugene; Myrtle Purvance, Cottage Grove; Etta Bowerman, Springfield.
- ### Second Grade.
- Maud Dick, Mabel; Katherine Leverage, Florence; Mabel Johnson, Leaburg; R. S. Goff, Deerhorn; Freda Rhodes, Eugene; Ina Zumwalt, Elmira; Mildred Pringle, Cottage Grove; Belle Warner, Hazeldele; Grace Wilhelm, Eugene; Etta Owen, Irving; Lila Owens, Crow; Irene Maltman, Irving; Nellie McCord, Creswell; Erma Smith, Springfield; Laura Volgamore, Marcola; Adella White, Cottage Grove; Miss Wing, Irving; Ella Evans, Harrisburg; Ira L. Rowe, Corvallis; Ola Liles, Crow; William Shelby, Junction; Martha Callison, Fall Creek.
- ### Third Grade.
- Helen Van Duzyn, Eugene; Alfreda Lingreen, Florence; Grace Condon, Elmira; Janice Flak, Mapleton; Clara Nicholle, Eugene; Edna Atkinson, Walton; Elsa Singletary, Eugene; Nina Thurman, Berkeley; Bertha Mitchell, Glenada; Hazel Hazelton, Cottage Grove; Mabel Hayes, Junction; Carrie Barnham, Irving; Pearl Powrie, Drain; Alice McCracken, Marcola; Katie Hawley, Minerva; Raymond Mitchell, Pleasant Hill; Beatrice Aldons, Walton; Ressie Bayley, Eugene; Grace Farnham, Waltherville; Sadie Odell, Eugene; Hanna Oleson, Eugene; Rollin Dickerson, Drain.

AWFUL TRAGEDY IS ENACTED BY RAVING MANIAC

Los Angeles, Aug. 13.—A terrible tragedy was enacted here this morning when H. J. Duffy, 60 years of age, desperately insane from religious mania, attacked his son and daughter with an axe, killing them both, and then cut his own throat with a razor and will probably die.

Duffy lived at the home of his son, Fred Duffy, at 247 North Mountain View street, and has been on the verge of violent insanity for weeks. This morning he was seized with a desire to kill, and stealthily entered the room of his son with a sharp ax, crept to the bedside and cut off his sleeping victim's head with one blow. With a maniacal cry Duffy rushed from the house down the street, waving the bloody weapon, to 451 North-west Lake avenue, where his wife and married daughter lived. He opened the front door, crept to a rear room, creeping up behind Mrs. Lacom, swung the axe high in the air and cleft his daughter's skull wide open. Mrs. Duffy fled in terror, closely pursued by the maniac striking at her with the axe. She succeeded in eluding him and her cries attracted the attention of neighbors, who assisted her in escaping.

Disappointed apparently by the escape of his wife, Duffy walked to the street, drew a razor and slashed viciously at his own throat until he fell

FOURTH OREGON HIGH AT CAMP PERRY

Camp Perry, Aug. 18.—In the Leech cup match today Sergeant Johnson, Fourth Oregon, won seventh place; Sergeant Abrams, Third Oregon, ninth; Corporal Romaine, Third Oregon, eighteenth place, with respective scores of 97.97 and 96 out of a possible 105.

In the championship team match, incomplete, the Third Oregon stands sixth, the Fourth Oregon seventh.

In the Wimbledon cup match Captain Scott, of the Third Oregon, won eighth place, score 91 out of a possible 100; Sergeant Schwarz, Third Oregon, eleventh, score 91; Corporal Romaine, Third Oregon, fourteenth, score 91; Sergeant Abrams, eighteenth, score 91.

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