

DRAIN NOW WANTS TO BE COUNTY SEAT STOREY ACCEPTS THE COLLEGE HILL LOOP PROPOSITION

Drain, Or., April 9.—The apathy manifested by the Eugene and Roseburg committees appointed some time ago to oppose the absorption of a portion of Douglas county within the lines of the proposed Nesmith county creation, and the fact that the people of Florence, Lane county, also desire to absorb the western portion of Douglas county into a new county to be known as Umpqua county, has aroused the people of Drain into an attitude of defense on their own account. A large meeting of citizens and business men held last Monday night resolved to outline still another county. A subscription paper was started and several hundred dollars was at once subscribed. The petition is being circulated throughout the town and this portion of Douglas county, and is meeting with a good response.

At the meeting a committee of seven influential business men was appointed to form the lines of the proposed county. Briefly it starts at the junction of the line of Lane county on the north and Pacific ocean, follows the line to the east to the line of the Willamette meridian, thence south to a point and west to the easterly line of Coos county, following the line to the Pacific ocean and north to the place of beginning. The committee also has decided upon the name, Williams, after Judge Williams, who died on the morning of the day the first meeting was held. It is intended to make Drain the county seat if the county is authorized by a vote of the people in November.

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MUSINGS WHILE THE FIRE BURNS By The Dreamer

How quickly life crowds in to push aside and bury out of sight the charitable and the good which, by continual strivings, intervals, reaches the surface of our natures. The memories of Easter have grown dim as the weeks have rolled away, but I am still seeing an Easter picture in the flashing freight.

An earnest pastor, who never neglects an opportunity to show a seed of bright and lovely thought in the receptive, fallow hearts partly committed to his care, stood before the youngest of his flock and while trying to draw an Easter lesson from the budding trees, the springing grass, the opening flowers, the bright sunshine and gentle rains of spring which follow that natal day of Christendom, incautiously asked them:

"Now children, what do we expect will follow Easter?"

A moment of blank silence and then a small, unassuming philosopher answered "Ap'll fool."

Was the little fellow altogether wrong? If we add together the numbers of those who are claimed as members of all the churches and those who were converted at the recent tabernacle meeting, we will find that over half of the people of this city of ten thousand, are, presumably, living exponents of the gentle teachings of Easter. From the nature of this enumeration, at least one-third, and probably one-half of the remainder are little children, too young to be considered in this connection. Thus from two-thirds to three-fourths of the people of this community are followers of Him who "spoke as never man spake," and, as it has been paraphrased by a prominent modern organization, "ever whispered good council into the ear of a fallen brother and aided in his recovery." For nineteen hundred years the blessed teachings have been poured out upon the world and now, mingled with the utterances of the most earnest and honest of the teachers, we hear the anxious question, "Why does not the world accept it? How can such a glorious, loving message be rejected? How can it be possible that there are scoffers, unbelievers and ridiculers in a Christian land?"

If the Christian religion is for anyone in the world, it is for the weak, the wicked, the fallen, the sorrowful and the unhappy. We who are always good, upright, honest and pure really do not especially need it. The realization of our own goodness, we will give us a calm contentment which will make us entirely satisfied with this world and a satisfactory assurance for the world to come. The weak, the wicked and the fallen, looking up from the slough into which they have gradually and, perhaps unconsciously fallen, and listening with rapture to the message which promises them forgiveness and help, accept the message and reaching out their weary sin-scarred hands, call for the promised help to drag their feet from the horrible, mirey clay which is drawing them back.

Do our Christian hands reach down to them? Or do we wait to find out which church they are likely to join and then turn them over to the minister for him to try to satisfy their hungry souls from the pulpit? We see here that the small philosopher did not give the right answer after



The most important social event of the past week was the K. K. K. dancing party at the Armory Friday evening. It was one of the prettiest parties ever given in the Eugene armory and reflects great credit to the hostesses. The Japanese idea predominated in the decorations which consisted of streamers of wisteria and flowers extending from the side balconies across the hall. In the center of the hall was hung a large Japanese parasol with numerous lanterns attached to it. There were large flags on the walls which completed the scheme. At the punch bowl were two little girls dressed in the Japanese costume, Miss Nora Manerude and Miss Ruth Hoach. The grand march began promptly at nine o'clock and was led by Miss Lucille Dunn and Howard Rigdon. Mrs. Geo. W. St. Mary Smith, Svarverud's orchestra furnished the music. The patronesses of the evening were Mrs. P. E. Snodgrass Mrs. J. W. Shumate Mrs. B. L. Bogart Mrs. Ray Goodrich Mrs. R. S. Smith Mrs. F. E. Dunn Mrs. Chas. Hardy Mrs. Geo. H. Smith and Mrs. C. A. Burden. The K. K. K. club members are Miss Lucille Dunn, Miss Vera Auten, Miss Minnie Chambers, Miss Edith Moxley, Miss Mary Barker, Miss Marguerite Emerson, Miss Agnes Dodson, Miss Alice Bullard, Miss Alsea Hawley, Miss Ensel Barker, Miss Mabel Manerude, Mrs. Sidney B. Smith and Mrs. F. E. Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Bryson gave two very pretty parties this week at the home of the former on West Fifth street. The decorations of the home were beautiful. In the reception hall were daffodils carrying out the yellow scheme while in the living room and dining room was a profusion of flowering quince. What was the entertainment of the two evenings, on Wednesday the first prize being won by Mrs. Bristow and the gentleman's by Mr. Burden, while on Thursday evening the prizes were won by Mrs. J. F. Titus and Mr. L. M. Travis. Mrs. Bryson and Mrs. Harris served dainty refreshments. The guests on Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Burden, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bristow, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Whitson, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bean, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Snodgrass, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tromp, Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Danie L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Griffin.

On Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Tidball, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Edmundson, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Travis, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Luckey, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Schaefer, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Harris, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Goldsmith.

The Sunshine ladies spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Preston on North Pearl street. Oregon grape was effectively used in decorating the living room, in the dining room were apple blossoms, the pink and white color scheme being used. Mrs. Hugh Hampton was the guest of the club. Assisting Mrs. Preston in serving were Mrs. Hampton, Miss Mary Miller and Miss Nancy Peterson. Mrs. H. L. Studier, entertains the club at its next meeting.

The Missionary Society of the Episcopal church met with Mrs. C. B. Willoughby at her home on East Tenth street Friday afternoon. Japan was the topic for discussion, led by Mrs. P. K. Hammond, president of the society. Interesting articles were contributed by Mrs. Frank Martin and Mrs. C. S. Dillon. Mrs. Willoughby was assisted in serving by Mrs. L. E. Bean and Mrs. S. S. Spencer. The next meeting of the auxiliary will be with Mrs. L. E. Tidball on East Eleventh street.

The Women's Republican Patriotic League met today with Mrs. E. E. Mink on West Seventh street. The afternoon was devoted to a business session followed by a short literary program. During the social hour that followed, Mrs. Whitson and Mrs. Reynolds assisted Mrs. Mink in serving. The guests of the club were Mrs. Nelson (Chicago), Mrs. Reynolds, (Creswell), Mrs. Whitson, Mrs. E. Heaton was a charming hostess to the Friday Afternoon Whist club this week at her home on the corner of 11th and Jefferson. Cherry and peach blossoms formed the decorations of the home. Mrs. F. X. Schaefer assisted in serving a dainty luncheon. As guests of the club were Mrs. T. B. Luckey, Mrs. Elmer Roberts and Mrs. Ray Deal.

The Eco Club met with Miss Mabel Simmons at the home of Mrs. A. T. Cockerline on Mill street this afternoon. Needlework occupied the afternoon. Light refreshments were served. The guests of the club were Mrs. Rose Powell and Miss Lottie Deyoe.

On Wednesday afternoon the Aloha club entertained the Wednesday afternoon Whist Club at the home of Mrs. U'ren on West Ninth street. What was the afternoon's pastime, at which Mrs. J. M. Williams and Mrs. L. L. Whitson won the two first prizes. After several delightful hours a delicious luncheon was served by the ladies of the Aloha club.

The Thursday Afternoon Sewing club spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Hardy. Several hours were delightfully spent with needlework and conversation, after which delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Hardy.

CO-OPERATION IN TAKING OF CENSUS URGED

If Eugene wishes to make a showing on a parallel with other western cities in the census which will be taken this month, it will have to expect a somewhat sudden and startling awakening from its present apathy, and, working co-operatively with the census enumerators, see to it that its residents are included in the new population figures.

The boasted population of Eugene estimated at 12,500, and which is to be raised to 20,000 within the next few years, will never be a reality unless every possible effort is made to enumerate residents, including those who make Eugene their home, but are travelling in this state and the northwest. Eugene may just as well recognize the truth first as last and that unless the enumeration is made complete even 12,500 cannot be credited to this city.

Business men, members of clubs, club women, girls and boys of the public schools, clerks and in fact everyone in Eugene should get out to help the census man. A sort of a tag day should be inaugurated, for they should approach everyone and query if they have seen the census enumerator. In other cities, such as Seattle, Tacoma, Portland and Boise, Idaho, they are not making the 1910 census purely a government function. On the contrary it is an affair of the people. They are at it with all their pride uppermost and they are working at it night and day and overtime.

It seems to be the cause of "getting into the game" in the western cities and display sufficient pride and enterprise to see that when the population of these large centers go into Washington and are approved, the 1910 census, on being reported out, will show some very startling figures. Down in San Francisco its not a case of "show me" but one of "show them." Like the Golden Gate city Eugene can start a census campaign off which would be of sufficient interest to the city council, Commercial and other clubs, churches, newspapers, schools and club women, to stand behind a co-operative movement to allow no one to escape the queries of the enumerators.

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FADS AND FASHIONS

(By Catherine Mann-Payzant) New York, April 9.—One of the first of the "must haves" in the spring wardrobe is the tailored suit. In the morning wear the turtleneck skirt and jacket is most in evidence. They are made to clear the ground by two inches, and indeed, all street gowns are in clearing length. For such skirts plaits arranged singly or in panel effect are popular. The deep hip yoke to which is attached pressed plaits is also shown, and the back in habit style, the inverted plait, a panel of plaits or one of the double-box order are all used.

One or two features mark the suit jacket as new. In the first place new ones are shorter, reaching only a little below the hips. Semi-fitted backs are seen, while a slot seam in the middle of the back was shown in a little below the waist line, where a flap lapped over on the left side and was fastened with one of the new horn buttons, a smart novelty just from Paris.

The Russian influence is seen in coats and with the usual adaptability of the American woman it has been so modified that those characteristics which made it unbecomingly have been lost. The blouse is kept only in effect with a slight fullness at the bust and drawn snugly into the belt at the waist. Sometimes there is a side belt only with the fronts overlapping. The fullness once found under the arms, giving a bunched appearance, is gone away with. The tunic or coat is cut by a pattern that lies closely about the hips and comes very little below the hip lines.

A Russian coat, of which there are many models, was made with a body and sleeve in one. The sleeve lies closely to the arm and shoulder with no fullness beneath the arm. In-

MISS MARJORIE CURTIS. One of the Bridesmaids at Gould-Drexel Wedding.



intended for summer wear, the fronts did not close and were finished with black satin collar and revers, the ends tapering to points into the waistline. The fullness about the waist was disposed of by means of stitched tucks. The belt closed under a handsome buckle. The pelum or skirt portion should be long or short according as it is becoming to the figure. Such a coat would be pretty made up in one of the shepherd plaids in black and white, trimmed with black satin collar and cuffs belt and perhaps a band on the skirt. The skirt was straight and unbroken in its plaited lines. A touch of color for contrast or relief should be found in the tie, on the hat or perhaps in the buckle. The wearer of the model added as accessories to suit an all black hat, black gloves and bag, but three large red roses and their foliage gave the distinguishing note so dear to the well-dressed woman.

A black and white suit was piped with Japanese yellow and small yellow and small yellow roses decorated the black turban. But pinnings cannot be removed and more can be gained with a neutral colored gown and a number of accessories giving this bit of contrast.

The salient feature of a nobby short coat was its mode of closing. The right front was cut with a J-edged curve over the left front. Three large horn buttons were used for closing. It was semi-fitting both back and front 25 inches in length, with a straight edge in the back and cutaway fronts. The sleeves were in coat style finished with black velvet cuffs, which material was used for the collar. The skirt worn was a side-gored model having a side hip yoke with back and front panels formed by plaits.

Among the materials best liked for these service suits, serges and manish sittings are most seen. Some of the new worsteds are delightfully soft and pliable and make up into charming models. A material that will be used by many women for summer use is diagonally Shantung in plain or two-toned effects. An attractive suit was developed from mohair, than which no more practical material is to be had for hard wear. Some of the new mohairs show novelty weaves in small checks and plaids and stripes.

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CRESWELL DEFEATS SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

Vote Stood 56 to 50 at Recent Election—Doesn't Prevent Erection of Building

The school election Saturday resulted in the defeat of the bonds by 14 votes, the count standing 56 to 40. This came as a surprise to a great many, as the general opinion for a week prior to the election was that the bonds would carry, but the amount—\$12,000—looked too large to the majority.

The situation at present is a badly mixed affair. At the first meeting in February it was voted to accept the site offered by Mr. Bohrenstedt and the opening of the proposed street. At this meeting the directors were instructed by vote to erect the new schoolhouse. The election Saturday was for voting bonds necessary for the erection of a building, and the defeat of the proposed bonds will in no wise prevent the erection of the new schoolhouse, as the authority to do so had been given the directors in the previous meeting, and the bond election was to determine whether or not the district should be bonded to pay for the building. The directors, if so directed, proceeded to erect the new schoolhouse, and issue warrants to pay for the same. These warrants will draw eight per cent, where the bonds would have called for but six per cent.

The necessary move to prevent the erection of the new schoolhouse would be to call an election and by a majority vote revert to Mr. Bohrenstedt the proposed site and remodel the present building. Many say that the proposition to return the site to Mr. Bohrenstedt will never carry, while others think it should be the proper thing to return the site and remodel the building, claiming it would be the cheaper plan. The board is undecided and will carefully weigh the matter before taking either step.—Chronicle.

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After their departure, relatives said the men had announced they had lost all they had and intended to kill themselves. Rumors had it that the losses amounted to between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

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