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GREAT FAMILY REUNION HELD AT CROW

THE ABBOTT CHILDREN, AFTER 40 YEARS, ARE ASSEMBLED UNDER ONE ROOF—PARENTS DIED CROSSING PLAINS—LEFT ORPHANS IN FAR WEST—HAVE MANY RELATIVES NOW

One of the biggest pioneer reunions of the Northwest was held yesterday at Crow, when the five children of William Y. Abbott and Joanna Abbott, who gave up their lives on the plains in 1852 while searching for homes in the Oregon country, and their relatives met at Odd Fellows hall at Crow. The reunion was not alone great in number of people present, but in the hallowed memories and heartaches that were revived.

It was the first time in forty-nine years that the five children had met under the same roof, and forty-four years since W. S. Abbott had seen one of his sisters, Mrs. Dr. Canady.

The chief event of the day was the address by Hon. J. D. Matlock, mayor of this city. His subject was "Pioneer Days and Memories," and he brought out the trials, hardships and difficulties of the pioneers particularly strong, and also read a recollection of the trip across the plains, written by John G. Abbott, one of the five children. On the trip the children's mother, father and maternal grandfather perished.

Last week was spent by the children in bringing back old memories of childhood days. They visited the old home of their grandfather on Coyote creek, just above the Coleman place. He was a prominent man in early days, and it was he who mentioned John Whitaker for first governor of Oregon. Whitaker, as well as Abbott, was a resident of Lane county. Joe Teal, "Hen" Owens and Samuel Abbott were the men who were responsible for the governor's nomination and as the state was Democratic in those days, and the candidate very popular, the nomination was equivalent to election.

On another day in the week the children, all pioneers themselves, took a ride to Skinner's Butte. There they remembered their school days, and a Fourth of July spent with Uncle "Pink" Henderson, principal of Columbia College, the first educational institution of consequence in Lane county.

The address of Mayor Matlock, however, was the great reviving chord in the children's hearts, for the article he read, written by John G. Abbott, carried them back to their first memories in Missouri, and their long, arduous trip across the plains.

Glowing reports of the Oregon country sent by friends who had preceded the settlers of that year induced William Abbott to sell out his farm and goods at a great sacrifice.

In the caravan by the time it crossed the boundary of Missouri there were forty wagons and sixty able-bodied men.

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Of this attack William Abbott was one of the victims, and the children were thrown upon the grandfather. Many other instances of excitement and peril were encountered in crossing rivers, and every bad ford took its victims from some trains. Kidnappers were plentiful, and very frequently the morning would prove that some of the best horses had been stolen.

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grass and two sons, Cottage Grove; John Holland, G. W. Holland, Eugene Holland, Frank Holland, Crow; E. L. Holland, wife and four children; J. M. Holland, wife and three children, W. J. Holland and wife, Crow; John McCulloch, wife and four children, Hadleyville; E. W. Hoselton, wife and four children, Eugene; L. F. Moore, wife and child, Springfield; Mrs. S. Y. Abbott, Eugene; E. S. Rauch, wife and two children, Eugene; J. G. Abbott, Leland; Mrs. E. L. Goff and son, Grants Pass; Dave Ivy, Crow; J. D. Matlock, Eugene; Charles Gold, Crow; Elsie Gold, Eugene.

STANDARD SELLS OIL LOWER IN FOREIGN LANDS

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is a very important one. In 1905 over 55 per cent of the illuminating oil produced in this country was exported, of which the Standard exported about 85 per cent.

The relative movement of oil prices as distinguished from their absolute level has shown for the last eight years a startling disparity between the United States and foreign markets, particularly from 1902 to 1905. The American export price advanced much less up to 1905, declining in 1904, and the Hamburg (German) price shows practically the same movement as the New York price, while the London price shows a steady decline from 1901 to 1904, and a very important drop during 1905. The course of American and foreign prices in the last five years covered by this report has shown a greatly increased divergence, in general the American prices going up and the foreign prices showing a marked decline.

Still more remarkable is the comparison of the absolute level of prices (as distinguished from their movement) of the United States and foreign markets. The statistics obtained for these computations were secured by a representative of the bureau, who visited the more important European oil-consuming countries and secured accurate and representative data.

The average German margin was 1.66 cents, as compared with 4.63 in the United States; the United Kingdom margin was 1.64 cents, as against 4.84 in the United States; and the other countries mentioned—Belgium, Holland, Denmark and the Orient—show similar enormous disparities. Even after subtracting 1 cent from the American margins for difference in quality, they are still from 1-1/2 to 3 times as high as the foreign margins.

These remarkable discriminations in favor of foreign markets at the expense of the American consumer have naturally called forth excuses from the apologists of the Standard. They have attempted to prove that the recent decline in prices of American illuminating oil abroad was necessitated by an over supply of that product. They have also claimed that there has been a severe competition against the American product from the oils of Russia and other foreign countries, and that the reductions in export and foreign prices were necessary to retain the American export trade.

Neither of these arguments is well founded. There was no over-supply of illuminating oils during the years 1904 and 1905, at which time foreign prices were being severely cut. The exports from the United States during 1904 were less than in 1901 and 1902. The exports from the five important oil-producing countries combined show little more than a normal increase. The world's production in 1905 was less than in 1904. The exports from the five principal countries combined in 1905 were more than 6 per cent less than in 1904. There was an actual decline in the total imports into the United Kingdom during 1904 as compared with the two preceding years, and a still more conspicuous decline during 1905. Notwithstanding this, the prices in England fell enormously. The imports into Germany during 1904 were almost equal to the average during 1902, and the imports during 1905 fell off considerably. But the German prices declined very materially in both years.

The conditions of supply therefore do not excuse the extraordinary decline in foreign prices in 1905 and the resulting discriminating against the American consumer. This decline was not necessitated by any over supply of oil. In fact, the movement of prices was precisely opposite of that which would have been expected from the changes in supply.

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A few miles above the Cascades Captain Geabhart died and the children were left in charge of their grandparents. The pioneers of that day were, however, as they are now, a hospitable people, and though the five mere boys and girls afterward were separated, they found plenty of friends, and last week after a lifetime were once more assembled together in the Far West, the Canaan of their parents.

LONGEST WOODEN BRIDGE SPAN IN WORLD

The work on the railroad bridge near Coburg across the McKenzie is progressing rather slowly. Two piers are being put in and it will be months yet before they are done. The piers will rest on solid rock, fifty or sixty feet down, and iron casings will be put in, which are filled up with cement.

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Forty or fifty men are working on the structure, and the steel bridge will not be put up in any probability before next spring.

SOME HOP GROWERS THINK BAD OUTLOOK

Some of the hop growers in the county are discouraged at the outlook, partly because of the recent cloudy weather, which seems to be dispelled, and partly because of the price outlook. John Middleton, last week at Harrisburg, sold a car of last year's hops for 5 cents a pound. However, he claims that the hops only cost him 6 1/2 cents, which is low.

Another gentleman in that same vicinity, who made considerable money during the year of high prices, asked 32 cents for his hops, but could only get an offer of 31 cents.

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