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SUCCESSFUL SESSION OF WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Large Attendance and Much Interest Shown—Had Good Growth in Past Year.

The Twenty-Second Annual Convention of the Woman's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic, Department of Oregon, assembled on the morning of June 20 in W. O. W. hall, Grants Pass, Oregon. The hall was beautifully and artistically decorated for the occasion.

The meeting was called to order at 10:30. Mrs. Harriet Patrick, president No. 25, being absent, Mrs. Rose Weidman senior vice gave an address of welcome.

In a few well chosen words she gave a cordial welcome to the department president, her official staff, past officers and representatives of each department and of the heartfelt pleasure it gave her to meet and greet in our fair city a reunion of patriotic, loyal women, representatives of our beloved order.

The convention was then open for business. Mrs. Jennie Harding, department president, in chair. Scripture reading and prayer. Mrs. Fannie Orren, chaplain. Opening ode, Mrs. Mendana Thorpe, musician. Roll call of delegates and seated according to number.

Honorary members invited to seats on platform. Roll call revealed 104 delegates in convention. Greeting sent to G. A. R. Letters and telegrams from National and Department officers read and approved.

Afternoon Session. Three members were obligated under special dispensation. Address of Department president, Mrs. Jennie V. Harding. Reports of last years work done. There are 37 active corps in the department of Oregon represented by 1295 members.

An intermission to receive comrades Gates, Pike and Casey with conventional ceremony. Greetings and response exchanged in which the comrades gave glowing tribute to the noble and efficient work done by the Woman's Relief Corps, only and true auxiliary of the Grand Army of the Republic. Mrs. Harding presented each with W. R. C. badges and they were escorted to the door in true military style.

Thursday Morning. Previous day's minutes read and approved. Recommendations and suggestions for the improvement of the order were read and discussed. A committee of three of the Grand Army were received and courteous greetings exchanged.

In sympathy with G. A. R. it was thought advisable that the W. R. C. aid in a fund for a building suitable for amusements at the Soldiers' Home at Roseburg, also a recommendation be sent to National Headquarters that a clause in the ritual considered too stringent for present use be modified.

A recess to receive a committee of three comrades that the convention ladies meet in front of the opera house and have their pictures taken in a group with the G. A. R. Mrs. Harding assured them she would be pleased to accept their courteous invitation.

The various needs, recommendations and by-laws of the Roseburg funds gave rise to considerable discussion. To make them comfortable and homelike, being under the special supervision of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Afternoon Session. The general ritual floor work exemplified. A recess to have pictures taken with G. A. R. in shadow of Masonic Temple. On return to hall, Mrs. Sarah Miller, 77 years old, of Portland, Oregon, was presented with a sugar bowl and cream pitcher, by the convention ladies as a birthday present and souvenir of Grants Pass. It was most graciously received. The lady is thought to be the oldest member in the W. R. C. Department of Oregon.

Election of new Department officers. The officers of the W. R. C. for the following year are as follows: Mrs. Mazy Hildreth, Grants Pass, department president; Mrs. Bertha Gillman, Heppner, senior vice-president; Mrs. Mamie Clinton, Astoria, junior vice-president; Mrs. Jennie Harding, Oregon City, past president; Mrs. Henrietta Zoller, Grants Pass, treasurer; Mrs. Rose S. Wiedman, Grants Pass, secretary; Mrs. Marguerite Thompson, Portland, chaplain; Members of Executive Board—Mrs. Hattie Calvert, Grants Pass; Mrs. Casey, Ashland; Mrs. Estelle Berry, Grants Pass; Mrs. Jennie Staeton, Roseburg; Mrs. Julia Brodie, Roseburg.

Delegates at Large—Mrs. Hellen M. Packard, Portland. National Delegates—Mrs. Elsie Shaer, Portland; Mrs. O. Cooper, McMinnville; Mrs. Susan Willis, Ashland; Mrs. Eastman, Portland.

Alternates—Mrs. Ada Soule, Toledo; Mrs. Emma Galloway, of McMinnville and Mrs. Jennie Harding of Oregon City were elected as a committee to visit the Soldiers Home at Roseburg and inspect the cottages erected by the Department Relief Corps.

It was thought necessary to put four members on the Roseburg cottage fund. Mrs. Gates appointed. Mrs. Harding requested that the newly elected officers, Mrs. Hildreth, Mrs. Zoller and Mrs. Weidman be escorted by three visiting comrades to the G. A. R. hall to present a like amendment. Mr. Hills of Ashland being appointed fourth member in unison. Recess. Three comrades were announced in waiting. Color bearers were requested to be presented in regulation form. Comrade Calkins presented the new Department Commander Herman Sutcliffe. After honorable salute had been given and badges presented, Commander Sutcliffe spoke eloquently of the noble and patriotic work being done by the Relief Corps and how it thrilled the hearts of the veterans that though their number decrease, the loyal women of the Relief Corps steadily recruiting from the ranks of the young women and girls will preserve their glorious name and fame.

Friday Morning. Call to order. Minutes of previous day read and approved. Final report of Roseburg committee adopted and a report be sent to Gov. Chamberlain. A resolution of protest against the tendency to make Memorial Day a day of pleasure but that it be kept inviolate to the memory of the sailors and soldier dead. Guard announced a committee from the G. A. R. waiting to escort the convention ladies to their hall for joint installation. The Opera House had been fittingly decorated to give a patriotic welcome to the visiting comrades.

The W. R. C. officers were given precedence and were installed first. Mrs. Jennie B. Harding presiding. Commander Gates then proceeded to install their newly elected officers. It was both a pleasure and honor to be present at the old comrades installation.

Among the decorations and insignia were the portraits of those imperishable names, Lincoln, Grant, Logan, McKinley and a host of others now met in Eternity's silence. And did not a benediction from that far off shore rest lovingly on their living comrades who sanctified every crimson fold of "Our beloved Old Glory" with their lives at freedom's shrine? Returning to the hall a few moments were spent in exchange of friendship and good-will when the convention was adjourned to meet next year in Newburg.

The past year's work of the W. R. C. has been very satisfactory. This convention being third on the list as the largest ever held in Oregon. There was at no time less than 100 delegates and veterans in the hall. Not a word of discord marred the business or social relation. So pleased was Mrs. Harding with her surroundings that had it been possible she would have had the National convention held at Grants Pass.

The members of Gen. Logan Corps No. 25 wish to express their sincere thanks to the business men, ministers and to Mr. H. C. Kinney, for each and every kindness given them in making the encampment a success.

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W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

All matter for this column is supplied by the Grants Pass Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

De Toqueville, a brilliant Frenchman, visited this continent during the year 1831. Upon returning to his native country he said in commenting on American life, "No matter how irksome an enactment may be, the citizen of the United States complies with it, not only because it is the work of the majority, but because it is his own, and he regards it as a contract to which he himself is a party."

Would he have written this statement if he had delayed his visit to the beginning of the Twentieth Century? Facts are not always pleasant things to face; but it is a much safer course than to ignore them.

Respect for and obedience to law are two of the essential forces that make for the safety of a nation and the perpetuity of its civilization. Lawlessness is a dangerous spirit and is fostered in many ways. Disregard for law has always been a weakness and sometimes a fatal weakness, of republics. The first republic of France was a reign of terror, for 12 years it continued this form of government and then ended in an empire.

There is such a thing as a lawlessness of government that is equivalent to despotism. On the other hand there is a popular lawlessness that is equivalent to anarchy. Anarchy inevitably leads to revolution.

The spirit of lawlessness is nurtured in many ways. The laxity of parental discipline in the home and the total disregard of parental authority. A sensational press that prints vice and crime in glowing colors. The church with its timid minister and its lukewarm and disunited membership has its share in nourishing this child. Our public schools, colleges and universities which have placed an education above character help to feed this lusty infant.

The saloon that runs wide open on Sunday, that sells liquor to minors, habitual drunkards, to Indians and half breeds, in conjunction with the brothel and the gambling den are in a large measure responsible for its growth. The alderman, the legislator, the representative in congress, the senator in the United States senate who betray the trusts the people have placed in their hands, or whose fingers are contaminated with bribes are responsible. The prosecuting attorney, the juror, the judge and all officers who wink at open violation of law are perpetuating its growth.

And last but by no means the least factor in its development is the voter who votes for such men to hold responsible positions. The voter is in a large measure responsible for it all. It is because the voter tolerates this violation of law, that the foundations of our government are being undermined, and our boasted American liberty endangered. The average American citizen does not seem to be able to distinguish the difference between liberty and license.

What is the remedy for all these sources of evil? They tell us it is to come through the process of education. Education of the intellect alone will not suffice. Many of this nation's most flagrant acts of lawlessness have been committed by the so-called highly educated. Education is not a remedy. It may assist but can never effect a sacrifice. There is but one remedy. We must have a virtuous, intelligent, industrious, courageous, patriotic, God-fearing people. This, and this alone is the remedy. How can we produce such a people? The home, the public school, the college, the university, the church of Jesus Christ and all other institutions that make for righteousness must unite on one proposition—the production of manly men and womanly women. Character must be exalted above shrewdness, or knowledge, or skill or anything else. The writer believes that the external virtues of the Bible should be taught in every school, college and university of the land. He also believes that they should not only be taught, but practiced in every school. Furthermore he believes that as American citizens are loyal to God and righteousness they best discharge their debt to the republic and humanity. Since men are not ready to do that which is right, because it is right, therefore "might must rule until right is ready."—C. O. Beckman.

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WILDERVILLE

Clarence McCollum came near cutting his thumb off with an ax.

Rev. Clark preached at Wilderville last Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m.

Rev. Hoxie of Williams creek preached at Wilderville church last Sunday at 3 p. m.

Health is very good at present. Crops are booming. Everybody happy and the lost are found.

The weather has taken quite a change in the past few days and it has turned cool and cloudy.

Orpha Stevenson, Pearl Lewis and Emma Hocking are here now after completing their three months terms of school in different districts. UNCLE FULLER.

Fine Program For Chautauqua.

The Fourteenth Annual Session at Ashland, Oregon, July 11th to 20th. Fine lectures, concerts, music, schools. Partial list of speakers—Bishop Moore, Dr. Locke, Captain Jack Crawford, Mrs. Gielow, Miss Belle Kearney, Prof. Baumgardt, (science), Bosani, the famous juggler and the California Quintette Club. Fine camping, beautiful scenery. Make your plans to come. Write for printed matter.

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