

SUPERINTENDENT LEE GETS TRACY TELEGRAMS

Washington Officials Work a Josh, But Get About as Good as They Send

Superintendent J. D. Lee, of the Oregon penitentiary, a few days ago received the following telegrams:

"Washington, D. C., July 24, 1902.—Lee, Superintendent State Penitentiary, Salem, Or.—Tracy seen in Pennsylvania venue this afternoon. Send deputation at once.

"J. P. HORNADAY,"

"Washington, D. C., July 24, 1902.—Reported here that Mary McLane, now in Boston is engaged to marry Tracy at Capitol, Washington, tomorrow morning. Rush injunction.

"JESSIE W. CARMICHAEL."

"Washington, D. C., July 24 1902.—Tracy is riding up and down Pennsylvania avenue on a bicycle, shooting holes in the air. Terrible excitement. I lease send a policeman to take him away.

"E. S. Little."

"Washington D. C., July 24, 1902.—At 4 o'clock this afternoon Tracy was seen climbing the Washington Monument. Hurry rescue party.

"H. GILSON GARDINER."

"Washington, D. C., July 24, 1902.—Just saw Tracy at White House. He wants appointment as United States Marshal of Oregon district, and says, 'I'll meet Lee yet.

"IRA E. BENNETT."

The above messages came "deadhead" so it is probable the persons whose names are signed to the telegrams are public officials.

Superintendent Lee wired the following reply:

"Salem, Or., July 24.—Ira E Bennett, alias Carmichael, alias Hornaday, alias Little, alias Gardiner, alias Deadhead,



"I wrote to Doctor Pierce, who sent me a very kind letter and advised me."

Thousands of weak and sick women can trace the beginning of a new life of perfect health to that letter written to Dr. Pierce.

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"In the spring of 1900 I became very ill," writes Mrs. Alonzo Scholtz, of Lake Washington, Leavenworth Co., Minn. "My back was very weak and ached so that I could do no work at all, so I was obliged to take to my bed. I felt a constant desire to urinate and the pains in my abdomen were almost unbearable. I wrote to Dr. Pierce, who sent me a very kind letter, and advised me to take his 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I took six bottles of each and am a well woman now. I cannot say enough in favor of Dr. Pierce's medicines."

"Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong, sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which works wonders for weak women.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the most desirable laxative for delicate women.

Washington D. C.—Your serio-comic quadruple installment messages betray your lack of appreciation of famous visitors. Tracy was a constant boarder at my hotel for more than three years; fame has followed him since. Board at my hotel and you will be famous, too. Elegant rooms awaiting you. Mary McLane may be his, but your choice would be Belva Lockwood and a score of others. Then you could scale the Capitol dome, dance on the apex of the Washington Monument, sleep in the nostrils of Bartholdi's statue and drink the Potomac in two. "J. D. Lee, "Proprietor Dimond Proof Hotel."

SOME WORK NEEDED TO ADVERTISE COOS

Outside World Should be Informed of the Advantages of This Section

There is one matter of considerable importance that could well engage the attention of Coos Bay business men just now, and especially of the Chamber of Commerce. This is the matter of advertising Coos Bay, and bringing its resources and advantages before the outside world.

This has been sadly neglected of late years, and in fact, never has been properly followed up for any length of time.

If we wish to see this section receive its share of the immigration that is flowing toward the Pacific coast and of the capital which is looking toward this side of the continent for favorable openings for investment, we must let the world know there is such a place as Coos Bay, and let them know what we have here.

Every few days the MAIL receives inquiries from people in the East who want to know something about this section, and many ask for papers containing particulars as to its resources. These letters are answered as best we can, but it is impossible to cover the ground.

A small pamphlet could be compiled and printed that would answer excellently in such cases, giving the information about Coos Bay that intending immigrants would be glad to receive and that would attract the right kind of people to this place.

The time never before was so favorable for this work. The talk of a trans-continental railroad line coming in here for an outlet has attracted the attention of people all over the country and thousands are now wondering about Coos Bay who never heard of the place before. This, taken in connection with the fact that the tide of development is setting so strongly toward this coast, and that the prosperous times are so favorable for the outlay of capital and the inauguration of new enterprises, make it incumbent upon us to bestir ourselves.

There is no doubt but any advertising work undertaken by our people would be gladly and effectively seconded by some of the railroads, notably the Harriman syndicate, that are carrying on just such work touching other sections of the coast, which they are doing as a matter of good business policy on their part.

These suggestions are made in the hope that they will help spread the sentiment already existing among the most progressive of our people, that something ought to be done to bring our share of the good things that are coming this way.

ENJOYABLE FAREWELL DANCING PARTY

One of the pleasantest dancing parties ever given in Marshfield was held in I. O. O. F. Hall Monday evening, in honor of Mrs. J. Nelson Crawford, (formerly Miss Mollie Hall) who is about to depart for her home in New York, after a visit with her mother and kindred and old friends here.

About 150 persons had been invited, nearly all of whom attended. At midnight delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, after which dancing was resumed for an hour or so.

To say that all enjoyed themselves to the utmost does not half express it. It was in the nature of a reunion and a revival of old times, when dancing was almost the sole amusement in Marshfield and hardly a week passed without a dance. To look over the hall and see so many of the "old guard" who used to gather in Norman's hall, many of them then in the first flush of youth, and to note how kindly time has dealt with them, was a pleasant breath of old times. Not that any of us are getting advanced in years, but time has been flying just the same, since the party of men and matrons who danced Monday night in honor of their old friend were youths and maidens together.

Among those invited were Messrs and Mesdames E A Anderson, Deubner, Geo Deubner, W P Murphy, F P Norton, L M Noble, W J Butler, N Rasmussen, John Snyder, Dr C W Tower, Dr J T McCormac, E G Flanagan, J H Flanagan, A P Owen, W U Douglas, F M Friedberg, E C L Farrin, H H McPherson, B F Jackson, E O'Connell, E L Bessie, G A Bennett, J A Luse, C A Metlin, H Reed, P C Levar, P L Phelan, P Hennessey, J F Hall, J F Hall, A M Crawford, L Smith, C W Paterson, A R Ten Brook, J H Taylor, J H Miltner, J Rooke Mesdames: J N Crawford, Nellie Siglin, McKnight, Nellie Owen, S H Hazard, Annie Hedricks, Hattie Nichols, Emma Nasburg; Misses: L Howard, B Howard, E Bennett, A Aiken, S O'Connell, A Butler, A Anderson, Eva Anderson, Bird Short, Maud Reed, Edna O'Connell, Julia Larson, Agnes Hutchinson, Susie Eickworth, Grace McCormac, Alice McCormac, May Williams, Mamie Mahoney, Mary Hague, Cora Chapman, Carry Owen, Annie Flanagan, Flora Keene, M Sheridan, G Baily, G Sheridan, Maud Brown, Nettie Savage, Edna Bear, Ada Johneton; Gentleman: J. W. Bennett, Dr E E Straw, Dr A G Gross, John Merchant, Frank Hague, James Hutchison, Dr. E. H. Walter, W E Dungan, Chas Stauff, T T Golden, J Kronholm, J W Flanagan, Wm Lawler, Geo Lawler, — Simpson, — Simpson, Emil Ogren, Lee Nichols, Billy Smith, Will Eickworth, Alex Campbell, Wat Short, John Coke, Archie Kruse. Coos Bay Circle, Wooman of Woodcraft.

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By this settlement the boys receive increased wages, and extra pay for overtime.

The Postal Telegraph Co's messengers struck this afternoon, demanding the same scale granted the Western Union boys.

A Surprise.

A number of the ladies of Coos Bay Circle W. of W., gave Mrs. W. D. L. F. Smith a surprise Monday evening, by calling on her after lodge. They brought a delicious lunch, and the occasion was enjoyed by all. Those present were Mesdames Abbott, Lee Brown, L. H. Heisner, Ed Cole, Chapman and O. Hansen.

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