

RUSSIANS ARE RAPPED AGAIN

Grangers Are Exercised Over the Prospects of the Colony Locating Here.

UNFAVORABLE REPORT MADE UPON DUKABOORS

Patrons Would Rather Buy the Lands Than Let It Go to Colonists.

Continued from Tuesday, June 17.

And the grangers of this section are giving evidence that the prospects of the Russian colony locating in Linn county, has been strongly indicated during recent gatherings of the members of the grange and it came to light today that if a plan would be inaugurated to acquire the lands, now under option by the Russians, that the members of the grange would not be averse to subscribing a pool for the purchase of the acreage rather than have it go to its prospective buyers.

The land in question is located above Peoria on the Willamette river and aggregates approximately 1000 acres. Some time ago when four emissaries of a large clan of dissatisfied Russian settlers in Saskatchewan, Canada, were conducting an investigation through the Willamette valley with a view of purchasing land for colonization purposes, they stopped off here and became so impressed with this section that they took an option on the land, incorporated a colony to be known as the Dukaboors and returned to their homes in the north to perfect the final plans for this immigration to this section. It is understood that several families are now located on the land which is to be paid for in installments.

The point raised in the objections entered by the grangers is that they are an exceedingly common class of immigrants, that they would not cooperate educationally or socially and that as a whole they would not make desirable citizens.

If reports relative to this class are to be taken truthfully, they are an undesirable set. It is said that in Canada, the Russian Dukaboors farm all land in common, are presided over by a leader, who is nothing short of a king among them, and he in turn attends to the affairs of his people, by buying all implements, wares and supplies and that he holds the title to all lands owned by the colonists. All of the proceeds from the land go to him. It is understood that in Canada these people go off at intervals on what they term "religious pilgrimages." In the nude state, men, women and children, alike go out upon the open highways in the discharge of these pilgrimages and the Northwest mounted police have had to take a hand in putting a stop to these practices.

GRANGERS TO HOLD PICNIC ON CHAUTAUQUA GROUNDS

Everyone is Invited to Come and Bring Their Dinner Baskets Full.

Deciding to hold a grange picnic on the Chautauqua grounds on the Fourth of July, Linn county Pomona Grange met in the Crowfoot Grange hall Saturday with a fair attendance. A committee of three was appointed to make necessary arrangements. Each grange is requested to furnish a number for the program. There will be an address by a prominent granger. Everyone is invited to come and bring their dinner baskets full, and enjoy the day.

It was voted to hold the next meeting in October in the hall of Morning Star grange. Master A. C. Miller expects an invitation to meet in joint session with the Linn county Pomona in October.

The evening session was taken up with the literary program and conferring the fifth degree upon four candidates, after which a feast of strawberries and cream was served in the dining room.

CONVENTION OF BANKERS BEING HELD AT CORVALLIS

College City Proves Aifable Host to State Financiers Numbering 125.

Corvallis, Ore., June 17.—(Special to Democrat.)—The eighth annual convention of the Oregon State Bankers association, now in session in this city, is attended by one hundred and twenty-five bankers. The convention convened at ten o'clock this morning in the O. A. C. gymnasium. President L. Butler, of Hood River, is presiding over the meeting.

Mayor J. Fred Yates in behalf of the city and W. J. Kerr, in behalf of the college greeted the visitors warmly and welcomed them, following an invocation by J. C. Rollins. Their addresses of welcome were responded to by W. L. Thompson, president of the American National Bank of Pendleton.

During the afternoon session President Butler delivered his annual address and this was followed by a strong presentation upon the subject of "The Bankers' Opportunity as an Educator," by H. A. Blodgett, a leading banker of St. Paul, Minn. During the day many other addresses were delivered by leading members of the association.

At 6 o'clock last night the visitors were served an elaborate banquet at Waldo Hall, after which there was an informal reception and dancing. Twenty women with the party were given a reception at the Commercial club rooms by the Woman's Auxiliary. The session of the convention will end today at noon with the election of officers.

FORMER ALBANY SCHOOL TEACHER DIED IN PORTLAND

Miss Anna Yantis Passed Away in That City Today; Funeral Will Be Held Thursday.

After a lingering illness, Miss Anna Yantis, a former teacher in the Albany public schools, passed away this morning in Portland.

The news of her death reached here this noon and came as a distinct shock to her many friends in Albany.

The deceased was one of the most popular teachers ever employed in Albany and during her ten years of faithful service, made many friends.

AUTO AND MOTORCYCLE COLLIDE THIS AFTERNOON

Three men miraculously escaped injury this afternoon at three o'clock when a motorcycle driven by Harry Neeley and a Buick automobile driven by L. D. Rennells collided near the First Presbyterian church, causing the automobile to turn turtle and throwing the passengers to the curb. Neither the occupant of the car nor the driver of the motorcycle were injured.

MISS DAISY SAVAGE AND MR. TRUMAN BABB MARRIED

Miss Daisy Savage and Mr. Truman Babb were quietly married this morning at 8 o'clock at the home of the brides mother, Mrs. Charles Keifer, 1104 East Water street, in the presence of a few intimate relatives and friends. Judge Percy R. Kelly solemnized the ceremony after which the happy couple left on a morning train for Portland and points north for a brief honeymoon. They will return here to make their home in a neat bungalow on Geary street.

Frank Nolan is registered at the Hotel Hammel. Mr. Nolan is a well known young man of Eugene and formerly resided here.

E. C. Roberts of Lebanon transacted business here yesterday afternoon. He returned home last night.

W. R. Homer, a prospector, resident of Newport, spent yesterday here. He was on his way home from Portland.

C. T. Lawson, of Independence, is registered at the St. Francis. He was here transacting business matters.

Mrs. Jessie Wallace, Mrs. Slade and Mrs. Evans are spending the week at Newport.

Mrs. G. T. Bayne of Peoria is in the city on business.

E. A. Moss, a business man of Corvallis, was a business visitor here yesterday. He is registered at the Hammel.

W. J. Page, a business man of Eugene, attended business matters here yesterday.

CIRCUIT COURT GRINDS ON CASE

Judge Kelly Still Hears Testimony in Case of Churchill Against Miller.

WILL PROBABLY GO TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON

Local Option Cases Will Come Up Tomorrow; Otis Thayer May Plead.

Circuit Judge Kelly's department of court is still grinding away on the case of Isabelle Churchill et al against Nona P. Miller et al, for damages and the recovery of real property, with bright prospects that the case will be completed early this afternoon. The case went to trial yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock before a jury. Prior to 2 o'clock this afternoon the attorneys for the plaintiffs commenced their closing arguments. Attorneys Hewitt & Sox represent the plaintiffs and Attorneys Hill and Curl appear in behalf of the defendants.

Attorneys in the case of Bussard against Irvine for damages to the extent of \$40 announced to the court this morning that the case has been settled. It was scheduled to be tried this morning.

A demurrer filed on statutory grounds against the indictment returned against him by the grand jury, on a charge of keeping a billiard hall for hire without a license, was overruled this morning by Judge Kelly in the case of Otis Thayer, who will probably be required to appear in court some time late this afternoon to plead his case. Thayer runs a resort on the Linn county side of the river near Corvallis. He is represented by Attorney O. Middlehauff, of Corvallis.

The two joint cases against Jim Hart and J. D. Kennedy, who are charged in two indictments with violation of the liquor law, are scheduled to come up for trial tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. The case of an appeal from the justice court of S. B. Nickerson et al against R. Volkman, is set for trial for tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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DEMURRER AGAINST \$7000 SUIT FILED THIS MORNING

H. M. Hawkins and Others Demur Against Amended Complaint of National Bank.

Filing a demurrer this morning against the amended complaint of the First National Bank to recover \$7000 which the bank alleges is due them on a promissory note, H. M. Hawkins, George H. Crowell and J. C. Holbrook, entered a complaint upon the grounds that the said amended complaint of the plaintiffs does not state sufficient facts to constitute a cause of action against the defendants.

The suit to recover the money was filed by the authorities of the bank some time ago. The defendants filed a document asking that the matter of the complaint be stipulated, on the grounds that the specific complaint was not stated. The amended complaint was later filed and this morning the demurrer to it was filed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Irvine returned to their home in Brownsville this morning where they will visit with Mrs. Dedmonds mother, Mrs. Dedmond resides in Portland.

GUARANTEED RELIEF FOR COLDS

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HART AND KENNEDY FACE CHARGE

Indicted Blindpiggers Are Now Standing Trial in Judge Kelly's Court.

MANY WITNESSES ARE CALLED BY BOTH SIDES

Second Case Against Them Will Come Up Upon Completion of Present One.

After a big portion of the morning was consumed in securing a jury, the taking of testimony in the case of the state against James Hart and J. D. Kennedy on an indictment returned by the grand jury charging them with violation of the local option law, was commenced this afternoon before Circuit Judge Kelly.

In the case now on trial the defendants are charged with the sale of intoxicating liquor to W. M. McDermott on June 7. The case will probably go to the jury late this afternoon. The case of the state against the same defendants on another indictment, charging them with the sale of liquor to George Allphin on the same date will follow.

The jury in whose hands the fate of the defendants rests is as follows: J. W. Prickett, South Lebanon; H. D. Haight, Knok Butter; J. R. Morris, Lebanon; J. W. Miller, Halsey; W. M. Abbott, Scio; H. R. Sherrill, Harrisburg; John Robson; B. M. Huston; Charles Carter, W. A. Ledbetter, Edward Washburn, S. L. Haley, all of Albany.

Many witnesses have been called both by the state and the defense. One of the state's witnesses by the name of Tate, threatened to throw down his testimony, but upon being questioned closely by the state's attorneys, although hedging his statements considerably, proved to be a valuable witness for the state. Attorney J. I. Whitney is representing the defendants and District Attorney Gale S. Hill and Deputy Dan Johnston are appearing in behalf of the state.

Senator Miller Here.

State Senator M. A. Miller returned last night from Eugene where he attended a meeting of the board of regents of the state university. The senator is billed for an oration at Ash Swale on the 4th of July.

Mrs. Mather will deliver another address at the church tomorrow.

ALBANY MAN TAKES MEDFORD YOUNG LADY AS BRIDE

Harry P. White and Miss Fern J. Stine Were Married Last Evening.

The Methodist parsonage was the scene of a quiet wedding yesterday evening at 8 o'clock when Mr. Harry P. White, of Albany, and Miss Fern J. Stine, of Medford, were united in marriage by Rev. D. H. Leech, in the presence of a few intimate friends and relatives.

The bride is a well and favorably known young lady of Medford where she has resided for some time. She has just completed the school year as a teacher in the schools of that city. The groom is a popular young mechanic of this city, having taken up his residence here during the past few months. The couple will make their home here.

Mrs. Ed. Schoel returned home last night after visiting with relatives in Oregon City.

WEDDING SOLEMNIZED AT ACHESON HOME LAST NIGHT

William Dunlap and Miss Ada Acheson Were United in Marriage By Rev. White.

A pretty wedding was solemnized last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Jennie Acheson, in Maple street, when Mr. William Dunlap and Miss Ada Acheson were united in marriage in the presence of thirty friends and relatives by Rev. W. P. White, pastor of the United Presbyterian church.

The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the wedding was an exceedingly pretty and impressive ceremony. After the wedding took place, a collation consisting of dainty refreshments was served. After a brief honeymoon, the couple will return to make their home on the groom's farm two miles from Shedd.

Miss Pauline Stanford and Mr. Rollin Hackelman will be united in marriage this evening.

June Specials

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