

## LANGDON FUNERAL WAS HELD TODAY

Hundreds Pay Their Last Respects to Former Townsman This Afternoon.

## REMAINS LAID TO REST WITH MASONIC HONORS

Sermon Preached by Rev. Geselbracht; D. P. Mason Conducts Services at Cemetery.

Continued from Friday, July 18

One of the largest funerals ever held in the history of Albany took place at the Masonic Temple this afternoon when the friends of the late E. W. Langdon assembled to pay their last respects to the former banker and fellow townsman.

A beautiful and touching tribute to the deceased was paid by Rev. F. H. Geselbracht, who briefly reviewed his life work, calling attention to his many noble characteristics and pointing out his wonderful capacity for making friends.

The remains were escorted to the cemetery by the members of St. Johns lodge and laid to rest with the full Masonic honors, a short preliminary service having first been conducted at the temple, and the impressive Masonic burial service being conducted by Past Grand Master D. P. Mason, at the cemetery.

The three great lights of Masonry were carried by John W. Althouse, the oldest member of St. Johns lodge and the following acted as pall bearers: O. A. Archibald, Chas. H. Stewart, Ralph Knotts, J. C. Irvine, Harry R. Cusick, P. A. Goodwin, Ralph McVehnie and A. Abraham.

The honorary pall bearers were: L. C. Marshall, J. K. Weatherford, D. P. Mason, C. B. Winn, W. R. Bilvau, Judge H. H. Hewitt, Ralph K. Ohling, and Charles Wieder.

## NEW FEDERAL LAW IS OPPOSED BY SPORTSMAN

There has been some misunderstanding among local sportsmen as to the summary of the game laws printed in yesterday's Democrat. The laws as printed were state laws and have no bearing upon the proposed new federal regulation which would take out of the hands of the state the regulation of the open and closed season for wild game. If the federal law goes into effect the open season for ducks and other wild fowl will be from September 15th to December 15th. This would work a great injustice upon the people of this section of the state for there is no duck shooting until after Thanksgiving.

## AGED INDIAN POLICEMAN PASSED AWAY AT SILETZ

Mose Lane Was One of Few Remaining Rogue River Indians on Reservation.

Toledo, Or., July 18.—Mose Lane, one of the very few remaining Rogue River Indians, died at his home on the Siletz reservation near the agency, last Sunday after a short illness. Mose was brought to the reservation with several hundred others of the Rogu Rivers 40 years ago, and of this large number there are now but four or five left. Mose was 61 years old and had been a member of the Indian police force for many years. He was the "strong man" of the reservation and, while always a peacemaker, was feared by every would-be bad man on the reservation. He was of great assistance to the authorities and a tower of strength to the Indian police force.

## CONTRACTS TO BE LET FOR ECONOMICS AND GYM BUILDING

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., July 18.—At the annual meeting of the board of regents of the Oregon Agricultural College to be held in Corvallis Saturday, July 19, bids will be opened and the contracts let for a home economics building and a men's gymnasium, in addition to the regular business of the session. This meeting of the board will be the occasion of the first official visit of Supt. J. A. Churchill to the college.

## Portland Property Destroyed.

Fire broke out on Morrison street in Portland early this morning and the loss is estimated at \$75,000. Full particulars were not available at the time of going to press.

## BOB JOHNSON SAYS PRUNE CROP WILL BE LARGE

Corvallis "Prune King" Attends Albany Chautauqua and Talks of Crop Conditions.

Once an editor of an Eastern newspaper and later the owner of a plant at Corvallis, Bob Johnson, the "Prune King" of Oregon, was included among the prominent Corvallis business men who attended the Albany Chautauqua yesterday.

While admitting that he was formerly engaged in the newspaper game, Bob insists that he has reformed and had led a decent and honorable life ever since.

When asked by a Democrat representative in regard to the prospects for a good crop of prunes, Mr. Johnson stated that he has never been more optimistic over the crop conditions than he is this year. He looks for a bumper crop and is making preparations for the largest harvest in the history of his big orchard.

## BOTH ANKLES SPRAINED IN FALL FROM BOX CAR

While riding on the top of a box car in the railroad yards this morning, Roy Gentry, a brakeman in the employ of the Corvallis & Eastern, in stepping from one car to the other, slipped and fell to the ground with terrific impact, landing on a rail. Both of his ankles were severely sprained. The unfortunate man was carried to the home of his sister, Mrs. A. C. Baker, 116 Cleveland street, where he was attended by a physician. This afternoon he is reported as resting comfortably. Mr. Gentry's home is in Marion but while here he resides at the home of his sister.

## IMPORTANT VALLEY RIVERS ARE TO BE SURVEYED

R. L. Harrison, a government engineer, last Friday began making a survey of the Clackamas river with a view of determining its power possibilities, according to announcement made by State Engineer Lewis. He will also during the summer and fall make similar surveys of the Hood river, the Sandy river, the Santiam river, the McKenzie river and the Middle Fork of the Willamette. The government and state are co-operating in this work, each bearing half the expense.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

J. E. Montieth, of Scio, is registered at the St. Francis.

A. C. Audrey of Crabtree is in Albany this morning.

Alice Bunnell, of Corvallis is attending the Chautauqua.

D. J. Evans, of Grants Pass, is registered at the St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Duncan are in Salem visiting with friends.

Charles Lynch, of Mill City was an Albany business visitor yesterday.

G. W. Parker of Eugene, transacted business here yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. George, of Niagaragar, are visiting with friends here.

F. H. Stroatt, of Eugene, was a business visitor here yesterday afternoon.

D. J. Crickelair went to Halsey this morning on a brief commercial trip.

C. W. Tebault returned last night from a brief business trip to Portland.

Archie Boyes, of Corvallis, formerly of this city, visited friends here yesterday.

Senator Bean of Eugene was in Albany yesterday and while here was a guest of L. G. Lewelling.

Albert L. Kullander, of Corvallis, formerly of this city, was among the visitors from that city here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Nevins, of Portland, arrived this morning to attend the funeral of the late E. W. Langdon.

Walter Kline, a prominent business man of Corvallis, spent yesterday here enjoying the "Corvallis Day" exercises at Chautauqua.

D. H. Bratton and wife have returned from a trip to Portland. They spent several days in the Rose City and had a delightful trip.

Mrs. F. E. Stewart, of Halsey, is here attending the Chautauqua.

Elton Blake of Salem, was a business visitor here yesterday.

Messrs. Samuel and Robert Livingstone left yesterday for Mill City where they will be employed by the Hammond Lumber company.

G. C. Cate, former student at the Oregon Agricultural College and now resident of that city, was attending to business matters in Albany today.

A nine pound boy was born last night to Mr. and Mrs. Newton W. A. Eastburn is now a grandfather and Albany isn't big enough to hold him.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Langdon, of Seattle, arrived this noon to attend the funeral of the late E. W. Langdon, who was a brother of Mr. Langdon.

Mrs. Scully, who has been the guest of relatives here the past few days returned to her home in Portland this morning accompanied by her niece Miss Frances Haas, who will visit with her for the next few days.

## CORVALLIS PEOPLE VISITED ALBANY

Hub City Gives Up Day to the Citizens of Heart City, and Day Was Banner One.

## BUSINESS MEN OF TOWN CLOSED STORES FROM 1 TO 5

Hundreds of Albanyites Join in Welcoming Corvallisites on Grounds.

Yesterday was "Corvallis Day" at the Albany Chautauqua and the residents of the Benton county capital made it the banner day of the fourth annual assembly.

Wearing badges inscribed: "The Heart greets the Hub," fully 350 residents of Corvallis, headed by Arthur Clarke, president of the Corvallis Commercial club, visited the Chautauqua yesterday.

Practically all of the business houses of Albany closed in the afternoon to observance of the day, hundreds of local people passing the afternoon in the Chautauqua park with the visitors.

Many of the Corvallis visitors arrived by automobile but most of them came on a special train, which did not return until after the night program. This train reached Albany at 1 o'clock and the visitors were met at the depot by a reception committee and escorted to the Chautauqua auditorium, where they were welcomed by President Ellis, of the Chautauqua association.

An hour's program was then given under the direction of the Corvallis Commercial club, Rev. J. R. N. Bell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Corvallis, delivered and address and musical numbers were rendered by Miss Lena Tartar, contralto, and Miss Florence Bowden, cellist, accompanied by Mrs. May Babbitt Ressler, pianist.

After the program, the Corvallis women were entertained by the Albany women in a reception.

The entire day was most enjoyably passed and scores of Corvallisites were loud in their praise of the hospitality of the Albanyites.

Aside from the hours program presented under the direction of the Corvallis Commercial club, the celebrated Brahms Quartet of Chicago, appeared in a musical prelude of half an hour. At 3 o'clock Walt Whitcomb, the renowned orator and humorist from Tennessee gave his famous lecture on "The Horse Race." This is the lecture Mr. Holcomb became famous with and numbers of those who heard him pronounced it a rare treat.

At 4 o'clock Miss Sutherland gave a most interesting and instructive demonstration to the domestic science class, when half of a beef carcass, supplied by D. E. Nebergall, was cut up before the class, the name and food value of each piece being explained.

At 8 o'clock, before a large audience the Brahms Quartet appeared in final full concert.

## THERE IS PROBABILITY OF NEW COUNTY OFFICIAL

Office of Sealer of Weights Was Created by Passage of Law.

Appointment of a county sealer of weights and measures is another duty facing the county court, according to a new bill passed by the 1913 legislature and which is now effective. The new law provides for a state sealer of weights and measures and authorizes the appointment of a state deputy. In addition, it is provided that the county court of every county shall appoint a county sealer whose duty it shall be to "visit at least once each year during his term of office every place of business where any scale is kept for purposes of trade, and try, test or prove such scale, weight or measure, or such device, and where they are found to be accurate shall seal the same with the seal to be kept by him for that purpose, and when found to be inaccurate shall condemn the same and mark with a tag forbidding the further use thereof until made to comply with the county standards." It is also made the duty of the county sealer of weights and measures to institute criminal proceedings against any person whom he discovers in violation of the law regarding weights and measures.

## Engagement Announced.

The engagement of Miss Constance Guerrier, of Centralia, Wash., to Robt. A. Nelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Nelson of this city has been announced. The wedding is to take place sometime in the late summer.

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## CHAUTAUQUA WILL CLOSE TOMORROW

With Splendid Programs and Ideal Weather, Season Is Fittingly Waning.

## MOTHERS WERE HONORED AT THE ASSEMBLY TODAY

Miss Willis and Stevens Concert Company Are Leading Attractions Tonight.

With splendid programs and ideal weather, the Albany Chautauqua enjoyed a large attendance yesterday. It appears fitting that this should be the case with the waning of the Chautauqua season here.

Tomorrow with a gigantic union Sunday service in the evening, the Chautauqua will brought to a close after a triumphant and most successful season.

Today, in honor of the end of the Chautauqua and in honor of the dearest friends on earth, was observed as "Mothers' Day" and everything was done for the pleasure of mothers, who were much in evidence on the grounds throughout the day.

The leading programs of yesterday and today and pronounced by the management to be the best attractions of the Chautauqua with possibly one exception, was the entertainment presented by Miss Maudie Willis, dramatic reader and the Maudie Stevens Concert company.

Yesterday the concert company gave a prelude to Miss Willis dramatic recital and last night Miss Willis presented a prelude to the full concert by Miss Stevens company. An unprecedented attendance greeted these rare artists at all performances.

Each one in their various entertainments made a signal hit. Miss Willis is not affiliated with the concert company but a separate attraction in herself. Her press agent, it would seem, has lauded her as high as the sky but to hear her it would seem he didn't do her justice then. Miss Willis is perhaps one of the most remarkable and talented readers ever to appear here and she deserves all of the credit given her.

The Maudie Stevens Concert company did more to entertain an audience last night in their hour's program, than all of the quartets or Alpine singers appearing during the two weeks of the assembly. Miss Stevens is a whole show herself and is unquestionably an artist of immersions of rare ability. Miss Edith Welch, is a brilliant violinist, and the expression that glows interestingly in her face while she plays, lend unflinching charm to the music. Miss Charlotte Chamberlain, as a pianist and whistler, attested by the reception accorded her last night.

Tonight Miss Willis will make her last appearance. The concert company will give a prelude to this entertainment commencing at 7:30 o'clock.

This evening's program virtually closes the Chautauqua from a standpoint of engaged attractions and it is expected that the auditorium will be filled.

Officers of the association to whom much credit is due for the success of the assembly are: President, Dr. M. H. Ellis; vice president, L. E. Hamilton; secretary, J. H. Ralston, treasurer, William Bain; manager, C. H. Stewart; directors, E. H. McCune, A. C. Schmitt, W. A. Eastburn, J. S. Van Winkle, E. M. French, H. E. Morton, C. E. Sox, L. L. Tomlinson, Rev. D. H. Leech, D. O. Woodworth, and Mrs. Henrietta Brown.

## Party of Young People Go to Lebanon

To leave this afternoon for Lebanon, a party of prominent young people will be the guests of Miss Isabelle Garland, at a dancing party to be followed by a dinner party this evening. Members of the party were: Misses Greta Fortmiller, Elsie Bain, Gerty Taylor, Helen Hulbert, Julia Crowell, Lora Taylor, and Messrs. Neil Bain, Park Stalnaker, Clayton Bain, Gordon Barrett, Clyde Roberts, Con Stewart, Halsey and Buford Payne.

Miss Leona Kerr, of Corvallis, daughter of President Kerr, of O. A. C. is the guest of Miss Blanche Hammel.

Dr. L. L. Chandler, of Cleveland, Ohio, is stopping at the Hammel.

Murray Marvin, formerly of this city but now of Monroe, where he is employed with a surveying crew, passed through the city this noon to Portland where he will visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Marvin.

**Fisher, Braden & Co.**  
FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND UNDERTAKERS  
Undertaking Parlors, 2nd and Broadalbin  
LADY ATTENDANT Both Phones

## SURVEYORS MAKE WORK ON P. E. & E. STREET CAR TRACKS

Returning to Portland this noon, Francis P. Kartz, H. L. Hoodfield, and John R. Williams, surveyors, this morning completed their work of surveying the tracks of the Portland, Eugene and Astoria street car company at the corner of Lyon and First streets, precedent to the repair work to be done there by the company within the next few days, as required by an ordinance passed by the city council recently. The bricks bordering the track are to be replaced, the pavement reconstructed and new ties are to be put in, so that the surface of the track bed will be flush with the street.

E. C. Roberts, of Lebanon, went to Eugene this morning.

S. C. Simpson was a passenger to Eugene this noon to attend business matters.

## THREE STITCHES TAKEN IN LAD'S HAND ACCOUNT OF FALL

While running down a board walk on East First street yesterday, little Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lobough, stumbled, and in his headlong plunge, ran a long sliver into the palm of his right hand, inflicting a long deep gash. Dr. Riggs was called and found it necessary to take three stitches in the wound.

The physician stated that the injury was not a serious one.

## Asphalt Being Laid.

The asphalt is now being laid on the block of Sixth street between Baker and Montgomery street, preparatory to completing its paving by gravel bitulphic. It is expected that within the next three days the paving of the block will be completed.

F. N. Gilbert of Portland, transacted business here this morning.

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**All Summer Goods Must go regardless of their cost**

**Suit Prices Coat Prices Way Down**

**Millinery**  
Four Lots Represent This Big Section  
**\$1, \$2, \$3, \$4**  
FOR ANY HAT YOU CHOOSE

Some merchant says we are juggling prices—but never, mind, what we lose, you gain. It's just our way of doing business, get rid of the left overs. No second hand goods to offer you next season. They will be fresh merchandise right off the griddle.

**Anyway Our Prices and Our Merchandise Will Appeal to Your Good Judgment**

**How About It Are You Next?**

TWO MILLINERY APPRENTICE GIRLS WANTED

**HAMILTONS**  
ALBANY'S BUSY STORE