

REV. LEECH WILL RETAIN CHARGE

Urgent Request Made by the Methodists to Keep Popular Pastor in Albany.

FOURTH QUARTERLY MEETING HELD HERE

Officers and Committees for Coming Year Named for Methodist Church.

Continued from Friday, September 12

That Rev. D. H. Leech will remain in Albany as the pastor of the First Methodist church for the coming year, became known at the fourth quarterly conference of the church, which was held here last night.

The fact that Rev. Leech is to be retained was made emphatic in a unanimous request adopted in a resolution for his return as pastor of the church for the coming year. This was the result of the fact that the annual conference of the church meets in Eugene September 24, when appointments will be made for the year.

Rev. Leech has had charge of the church during the past year and during his residence here he has made many friends, who no doubt will be elated to learn that he is to remain here. Good ministers are in demand everywhere and it was carrying out this desire at the local church that Rev. Leech's return was urgently requested.

The meeting was presided over by the district superintendent, Rev. J. T. Abbott, of Eugene. There was a large attendance with every department of the church represented. Reports were made and resolutions were adopted commending the work of the pastor, Rev. Leech, and the district superintendent.

The following is a list of the officers and committees named for the church for the year beginning October 1.

Trustees—A. M. Hammer, M. J. Cameron, R. K. Ohling, Elbert Small, C. H. Wieder, David Torbet, G. C. Moon, B. M. Huston, John McChesney.

Stewards—H. C. Harkness, E. A. Johnson, J. A. Willard, T. J. Butler, W. E. Gilbert, John Carnegie, E. G. Snyder, D. S. Smith, D. E. Nebergall, Dr. J. H. Robinson, J. A. Howard, Roy Parker, C. E. Williamson, J. S. Van Winkle, J. B. Coughill, C. M. Kendall, H. Lemke, G. T. Hoekensmith, J. A. McKillop.

Church officials—President Epworth League, Wilfrid Gardner; Junior League Superintendent, Nellie Allen; Sunday School Superintendent, Dr. C. V. Littler; President Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. G. T. Hoekensmith; president Women's Home Missionary Society, Mrs. C. M. Kendall; president Women's Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. A. M. Hammer.

Standing Committees. Foreign Missions—Mrs. A. M. Hammer, Mrs. J. S. Van Winkle, Mrs. H. C. Harkness, Mrs. G. C. Moon, Mrs. John Robson, Mrs. C. H. Wieder.

Home Missions and Church Extensions—Mrs. John McChesney, Mrs. C. G. Cowles, Mrs. R. K. Ohling, Mrs. M. J. Cameron, Mrs. E. A. Johnson, Mrs. J. T. Bray.

Sunday Schools—Mrs. W. T. Oute, Mrs. G. W. Canfield, C. M. Kendall, W. E. Weaver, J. T. Ashton, Deo McClain.

Tracts—Clark Canfield, Viva Archibald, May Miller, Nancy Ralston.

Temperance—W. T. Gardner, Chas. Ohling, Agnes Thompson, Klath Van Winkle.

Education—David Torbet, Edna Smith, Margaret Giesendorf.

Freedman's Aid—Mrs. J. A. Willard, Mrs. A. Dumond, Mrs. H. T. Backmeyer, Mrs. T. J. Butler, Mrs. John Bray.

Hospitals—Mrs. D. E. Nebergall, Mrs. Fred Graham, Mrs. E. E. Church, Mrs. Elmer Richardson, Mrs. E. G. Snyder, Mrs. W. E. Gilbert.

Church Records—J. A. Howard, Lillie Rideout.

Auditing—C. H. Wieder, Hiram Torbet.

Parsonage and Furniture—Mrs. G. T. Hoekensmith, Mrs. C. V. Littler, Mrs. John Carnegie, Mrs. W. E. Weaver, J. B. Coughill, M. J. Cameron, John McChesney.

Music—Mrs. R. R. Knox, A. M. Hammer, Mrs. J. S. Van Winkle, Blanche Hammel, Earl Canfield, H. T. Backmeyer.

Estimating Pastors Salary—Dr. C. V. Littler, E. A. Johnson, A. M. Hammer.

Trier of Appeals—J. S. Van Winkle.

Examining Local Preachers—David Torbet, M. J. Cameron, R. K. Ohling.

WILL CELEBRATE FIFTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Miller will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have resided in Albany since 1850, coming here with their respective families from the East. They were married here and have passed fifty years of wedded life together.

ADMINISTRATRIX APPOINTED FOR J. J. HANN ESTATE

Mrs. Emily Hann, Widow, Was Appointed This Morning by Probate Court.

Upon filing bond in the sum of \$2,000, Emily Hann, widow, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of the late John J. Hann, by County Judge McKnight.

John J. Hann died in Albany on Sep. 2, last. He left an estate of personal property here of the value of \$1,000. In addition to this the deceased left real property in Howell county, Missouri, of the probable value of \$5,000.

The following are the heirs, all of whom reside at Harrisburg: Emily Hann, widow; Mary Maude Sitter, daughter, age 28; Grace E. Hann, age 25; Mabel J. Hann, daughter, age 22; J. W. Hann, son, age 21. According to the petition the deceased left no will. Emily J. Hann, widow, who is to act as administratrix, resides in Harrisburg.

BUILDS 33 MILES OF ROAD WITH ONLY \$500

Another Cottage Grove Man Proves Marvel in Highway Construction.

A peer to Road Supervising Young, of the Bohemian district, who recently elated the county court when it discovered that he could build good mountain roads at \$500 a mile, has been found. This one is "Mike" Koblebeck, also of Cottage Grove, who has rebuilt 33 miles of mountain road for \$500, from Crowbar Point to the summit of the Cascade range on the old Military Willamette road. Several months ago he was given \$500 and told to distribute it as widely as possible over the 33 miles of road. The road was becoming almost impossible in many places; the amount of money was ridiculously small.

Jack Maglarly, who returned with the Kelly party over this road a few days ago, yesterday reported the results of the \$500 improvement. He declares that with six men this road supervisor has made a splendid highway. Rocks have been blasted from the road which for miles runs along the steep cliff, with a bank on one side and a precipice on the other. Along the bank, he has ditched the road for miles to prevent the water running off on the outside, and cutting it narrower. He is very warm in his praise of the present condition of the road.

"This highway," said Mr. Maglarly, "is second in importance to the McKenzie road over the mountains. With the scenic lakes along the summit of this mountain reached by this route, and with the directions of this road to Crater Lake and the Klamath country, it is bound to become the attraction each year for thousands of tourists."

"If the same amount of money could be spent as judiciously on this road each year it would keep the highway in splendid condition. There are few steep grades, and with the proper surfacing this route over the mountains would become readily accessible to automobile traffic. The work should be begun, though, earlier in the year."

Members of the county court were pleased to receive this report of the highway, and were enthusiastic in their praise of Mr. Koblebeck. Commissioner Hawley, who comes from Cottage Grove, declares that the good road builders all come from his part of the country.—Register.

TELEPHONE COMPANY APPEALS FOR REDRESS

Salem, Or., Sept. 11.—A complaint has been filed with the railroad commission by the Plainview Telephone company in which it is alleged that the Pioneer Mutual Telephone company, which has a line from Brownsville to Plainview, has discontinued its interchange of service with the plaintiff and refuses to permit the plaintiff company to connect with its lines. This shuts the Plainview company off from connection with Brownsville. A number of Brownsville citizens signed a petition asking the commission to act in favor of the Plainview company.

Miss Marion Fox, of Salem, transacted business here this morning, day from an outing at Tidewater near Newport.

Lee Hulbert returned this noon from an outing at Newport.

An error was made in a news item contained in yesterday's Democrat. The specimen of milk upon which the Oregon Agricultural College submitted a report belonged to Joseph Groshong and not to J. W. Groshong.

Charles Casiek is expected home tomorrow from Tidewater on the Alsea where he has been spending an outing.

Mrs. Vera Horner, of Corvallis, was in the city this noon on her way to Eugene, on a short trip. Miss Horner has been engaged to teach in the Dallas school the coming year.

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PRESIDENT WILSON'S CHARGES WILL BE SUSTAINED

Canvas of Members of Congress Indicates Belief in Claim of Insidious Lobby.

(By United Press Association.) Washington, D. C., Sep. 13.—That the insidious lobby charges made by President Woodrow Wilson will be sustained by the reports from both the senate and the house committees investigating the charges was indicated this morning from a canvass of the members of the committee having the matter in charge.

Former Congressman Cole of Ohio and Congressman Littleton of Maine are the only witnesses yet to be heard by the house committee which will in all probability prepare a report next week. The senate committee will continue to take evidence for another fortnight.

E. Kopplin, of Plainview, transacted business here this morning.

JUSTICE CONTINUES THAW CASE UNTIL NEXT THURSDAY

New York Sheriff Arrived Today With Requisition Papers. May Go To Governor.

(By United Press Association.) Colbrook, N. H., Sep. 13.—Justice of the Peace Carr today continued until next Thursday the hearing of the case in which Harry K. Thaw is charged with being a fugitive from justice. In the meantime Governor Folger is considering the question as to whether or not he should honor the requisition papers issued by the acting governor of New York state. Thaw's lawyers have proposed that the entire matter be submitted to the governor of New Hampshire on condition that Attorney Jerome give five days for the institution of habeas corpus proceedings in the event of an adverse decision by Governor Folger.

Sheriff Hornbeck Arrives. Concord, N. H., Sep. 13.—Sheriff Hornbeck of Dutchess county, New York, arrived here this morning with requisition papers from the New York authorities for the return of Thaw. Sheriff Hornbeck immediately telegraphed Jerome announcing his arrival.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Freerksen, residents of Linn county, near Albany, an 8 pound girl.

SOCIETY NOTES

The Shakespeare club met in the opening annual session at the home of the leader, Mrs. F. G. Franklin. A new constitution and by-laws, for the coming year was adopted. Mrs. L. E. Hamilton and Mrs. Fred Dawson were elected members of the club in the place of Mrs. Nina Cahler, who resigned and Mrs. Donald Lewis, who has left the city. Mrs. Franklin led in the study of the Tragedy of Hamlet. Mrs. Lewelling gave an able discussion of the Historical Background of the play, showing much research work of the ancient stories and plays from which Shakespeare drew his material for the Tragedy of Hamlet.

The Pythian Sisters met with Mrs. W. B. Chance of 516 East Sixth street on Tuesday. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon, after which the hostess served a dainty repast.

On Thursday afternoon, the members of the T. K. club, eighteen in all, took an auto ride over to the Benton county side of the river, to pass a social afternoon. At 6 p. m. the happy crowd partook of a picnic supper in the grove, returning to town about dark. Complimented guests were: Mesdames Miller, Newman, Long, Misses Gean Salisbury and Gladys Sharp.

Mrs. B. J. Hecker of West Third street was hostess to the members of the Needlecraft club on Thursday. The rooms were prettily decorated with white asters and ferns. Sewing was the diversion of the afternoon, followed by refreshments, served by the hostess, assisted by Emily Dokner.

Mrs. C. V. Littler entertained the members of her Sunday school class, the D. P. M. club at her home on Seventh street on Wednesday. The evening was passed in music and a social hour, followed by dainty refreshments.

The Industrial Society of the United Presbyterian church met with Mrs. C. H. Stewart on Wednesday, for an afternoon of work.

The H. D. W. club met in its regular session on Thursday with Mrs. Elmer Eldridge on East Eighth street. The ladies passed the afternoon in sewing, followed by dainty refreshments.

Master Kenneth Parker celebrated his third birthday on Thursday by inviting fifteen boys and girls to his home on Walnut street. The little tots passed the afternoon in playing games, followed by refreshments.

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church met with Mrs. Van Winkle on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Lyon street.

"BIG TIM" SULLIVAN DEAD IN NEW YORK

Mangled Body Is Found Near Railroad Tracks in Pelham Bay.

WAS BEST BELOVED MAN IN TAMMANY ORGANIZATION

Disappeared From Home September First. Once Wealthy and Died a Pauper.

(By United Press Association.) New York City, Sep. 13.—The body of Representative Timothy Sullivan, former Tammany leader and member of congress was found beside the railroad tracks in Pelham Bay. The body was badly mangled and it is believed that he was struck by a train the day he disappeared from his home.

Sullivan was known by thousands of his friends as "Big Tim," and was one of the best liked men in the Tammany organization. He disappeared from his home on September first and it was first reported that he was under the care of a physician at Brewster, New York but this report was found to be erroneous.

Several months ago he was adjudged by the New York courts as incompetent to manage his estate and those placed in charge of his property have given out a statement that the former leader was on the verge of bankruptcy at the time of his death. His friends believed him wealthy. Thousands of residents of the famous Bowery district profited by the free handed generosity of "Big Tim" Sullivan. The news of his death came as a shock to his old time friends and thousands of denizens of the Bowery are mourning his loss.

The body was identified this afternoon by Lawrence Mulligan, a half brother of the deceased.

Body 12 Days in Morgue. New York, Sep. 13.—The body of Timothy Sullivan was found by employees of the New Haven Railroad and taken to the Fordham morgue where it lay unrecognized for twelve days. Not until it was removed to the Bellevue morgue for interment in the potter's field, was it recognized by Policeman Barney O'Connell.

DR. LEWEAUX RETURNS FROM TRIP IN EAST

Returning last night from an extended trip throughout the east, Dr. Virginia Leweaux, one of Albany's leading osteopathic physicians, is home to resume her practice here.

Dr. Leweaux visited in various places in the east and was gone two months. She visited in Minneapolis, for some time and at other places in Missouri and Kansas. At Kirksville, Mo., she was in attendance at the Osteopathic national convention.

Former Albany People Here.—Mrs. Boley and sister of Minnesota, who have been guests at the home of Win. Bain returned yesterday to their home. Mrs. Boley resided here something over a year ago.

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Anson, J. H.; Anway, Nettie; Adams, C. M.; Anderson, Mrs. H. T.; Beaumont, Mrs. L.; Beeson, Mr. Carl R.; Berry, Mr. Jay; Berghund, Mr. Victor; Bernardino, Felix; Blackeby, Mrs. Stella; Barnett, Mr. Robert; Barrett, Mr. Arthur; Bean, H. D.; Boylan, Mr. J.; Frank; Bigelow, Mr. Rred; Blanchard, Rev. Chas. A.; Budd, Mr. Clarence; Buckman, Mr. Raluh; Baker, Miss Marion; Beel, Mr. Mark; Bray, F. L.; Book, Mr. Wilhelm; Chapman, Mr. John; Crowdis, Mr. Hartley; Cole, Mr. P. G.; Day, Saml (2); Eaton, Mr. F. F.; Elliott, Miss Marie; Frank, Rev. Howard G.; Grev, L. W.; Hicks, Mr. Edgar; Hawkins, Mr. G. W.; House, Mr. Frank; Holbrook, Mr. J. L.; Higbee, L. E.; Jones, Miss Owen (2); Jones, Ella; Alice Martin (2); Jones, Mrs. Ella; Jones, Mr. G. G.; Kearney, Mr. J. King; Mr. L. O.; Kling, Carl A.; Lodge, H.; Lewis, L. W.; Lewis, Mr. J. C.; Long, Mr. George E.; Larson, H. L.; Lyon, J. B.; Maysirik, Miss Mary; Morgan, Mr. Winstom; Miller, Mrs. M. L.; Morrison, Thomas A.; Morris, Mrs. Marie; Moore, Mrs. D. E.; McGhee, Mr. George; Maddox, Mr. J.; Owen, Mr. Otto; Patterson, Mr. Jim; Rusk, Mr. Claude D.; Shugers, Mr. Frank; Souergan, Mr. Chas.; Slade, Mrs. Jessie; Scott, Chas.; Sellinger, Mr. J. J.; Theissen, Mr. C.; Wortman, Luther A. (2); Wruk, Mr. Wilhelm; Wilson, Mrs. D. G.

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