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ST. FRANCIS HOTEL WILL HAVE ANNEX

Construction Work on the New Addition Will Start After First of Year.

WILL CONTAIN FIFTY ROOMS MODERNLY EQUIPPED

Banquet Room and Ladies' Parlor Are to Be Included; Dimensions 50 by 100 Feet.

That construction work on an annex to the St. Francis hotel will start the first of the year, was a statement made this morning by Manager Westbrook, who announced that all of the plans have been made by E. H. Rhodes, owner of the hotel building and the adjacent structures, for the construction of the same.

The annex is to be built on the west side of the building over the one-story structure occupied by the Hubbs-O'Neil Hardware company. This firm is to vacate the premises soon and will move into the Knights of Pythias building on Lyon street.

The new annex to the St. Francis is to contain 50 rooms all of which will be outside rooms. The dimensions of the new structure will be 50x100 feet, thereby giving the entire hotel building an area of 100 feet square. The annex is to be built three stories high, making it flush with the top of the present building which is four stories high.

The new addition is to contain besides the fifty rooms, a spacious banquet hall, and a ladies' parlor. Several of the rooms are to be constructed on the combination sample room and bath plan, affording the best of convenience to trunk traveling men. Plans for the construction are now being drawn by Architect Tobey.

Aside from this needed improvement, Manager Westbrook announced that the lobby of the hotel, upon completion of the annex will be somewhat improved. It will be beautified to considerable extent. More light will be supplied through the installation of windows and more equipment is to be installed. The room now occupied as a barber shop will thereafter be used as a writing room which will make this convenience more private than heretofore and at the same time give considerable more room to the lobby. The annex will probably be completed sometime in the middle of next summer. The annex and the building now occupied by the hardware company will be built to conform with the material used in the construction of the hotel building. The store room after vacated by the hardware store, will be fitted up and maintained as heretofore.

ALL MISSIONARY SOCIETIES WILL MEET TO DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF THE DAY

To discuss the problems of the present, there will be a joint meeting of all the Women's Missionary Societies of the churches of Albany at the First Methodist church, corner of Ellsworth and Third streets, Wednesday afternoon from 2 o'clock until 5 o'clock.

The program of the event is now being prepared and will be announced tomorrow.

Miss Crystal Shank, an Albany College student, returned this morning from a week-end visit to her home at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. John B. Leach, of Brookfield Farm, Harrisburg, is visiting at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Leach.

W. A. Walton stopped off today at the Leach home today on his way from Alaska to his home in Wichita, Kansas. He has been attending to home interests in the dredging business in Alaska.

Miss Edna Cornell of Grants Pass, a student at the O. A. C., visited over Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Leach.

M. McCalman, of Niagara, district construction engineer of the Oregon Power Company, is in the city today on business.

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DEBATERS ARE TO BE CHOSEN NEXT WEDNESDAY

Retention of Philippines Will Be Issue at Albany High School Contest.

To choose its debaters for inter-scholastic contests during the school year, the Albany high school will hold its final debating tryout next Wednesday afternoon. Six debaters will be selected to form two teams.

Through a series of preliminary contests the contestants for places on the debating teams have been reduced in number to eight. The question of permanent retention of the Philippine Islands will be discussed in the final tryout debate, and the eight students from whom the teams will be chosen are Miles Mackey, Margaret Gibson, Arthur Leech and Ruby Moench, who will speak on the affirmative side of the question, and Dan Ashton, Paul Dawson, Mac Ballack and Bina Reeves, who will support the negative.

COUPLE MARRIED SUNDAY AT METHODIST PARSONAGE

A pretty wedding ceremony was performed Sunday evening in the Methodist parsonage by Rev. D. H. Leech, in the presence of only a few immediate friends and relatives. The contracting parties were James H. Wade and Miss Louise Mesmer. The ceremony took place at 7 p. m. Mr. Wade is an emp-love of the C. & E. Both young people are well known here and their many friends in the city will be surprised and pleased to learn of their marriage. They will make their home in Albany.

H. H. Moag, of Salem, arrived in the city yesterday and today is transacting business here.

H. Anderson and wife of Portland, were over Sunday guests at the Vaudran, returning home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marvin, of Eugene, visited friends in the city yesterday.

O. T. Larsen, of Independence, was in the city over Sunday visiting friends. He formerly resided here.

C. J. Howard, of Mill City, came down Sunday and this morning transacted business here.

Extend Vote of Thanks.—The Modern Travelers wish to extend a vote of thanks and to express their appreciation to all who in any way, contributed to the success of the crysanthemum show.

Valley Association to Meet.—To perfect the final details of the organization and launch the first step towards preparing for a Willamette Valley exhibit at the Panama exposition, the newly organized Willamette Exposition, the Cawamekugastion etc Valley Exhibit Association will meet in Portland tomorrow. All of the Linn county representatives will attend. The meeting is to be held in the Portland Chamber of Commerce.

Will Leave for East Tomorrow.—Manager C. H. Stewart of the Commercial club will leave for Chicago tomorrow evening, where he will represent Oregon at the Chicago Land Show. Mr. Stewart intended going tomorrow because of the meeting of the Willamette Valley Exhibit Association in Portland.

Ripe Raspberries Picked Yesterday.—County Fruit Inspector D. W. Rumbach stated this morning that the picked ripe raspberries yesterday off of a vine growing in a garden patch at his home. As a result, he said, he took great delight in sitting down and writing to several relatives in Ohio and other parts of the Middle West, who have been suffering from the severe cold snaps, and telling them that he was eating ripe raspberries.

Commercial Club Tonight.—The regular weekly meeting of the Commercial club executive board will take place this evening in the club parlors commencing at 7:30 o'clock. It is desired that a full attendance be had as several matters of importance are to come up. It is understood that several prominent Eugene business men will wait upon the board relative to a manufacturing enterprise and the members of the committee on manufactures are especially urged to be present.

How Does this Sound?—Who does this sound for Albany as the "foot-ball capital of the state?" Only 7000 attended the biggest intercollegiate conference game of the season between the University of Oregon and Portland Saturday—only 7000 attended the biggest intercollegiate conference game of the season between the University of Oregon and the Oregon Agricultural College at Albany on November 8. That apparently sounds good for Albany and if the football games do as well here as in a city the size of Portland from an attendance standpoint, the chances are great for the staging of the annual game between the two big Oregon colleges every year.

BATTLE THOUGHT ON AT VICTORIA

Believed Rebels Attacked Capital of Tamaulipas—No Word As Yet.

MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS CHOSEN AT JAUREZ

Villa Promises U. S. Senator No Executions—One Shot Escaping.

(By United Press Association) Nogales, Ariz., Nov. 17.—The proposed rebel attack on Mazatlan has been postponed by the rebel leaders. Following the excitement here when it became known a battle was likely, quiet has fallen on the west coast of Mexico, according to advices received, is also quiet.

No word has been received from Victoria, capital of the state of Tamaulipas, where it was reported this morning that a battle was imminent. Carranza, rebel leader, and Hale had held no further conference at noon today.

El Paso, Nov. 17.—So far General Villa is keeping excellent order in Juarez. Already he has chosen municipal officials from the town's citizens, with Jose Valera mayor. The report has been opened to importation again and business is regaining its feet slowly. The rebel general Carranza is expected to transfer his headquarters to Juarez, so as to be in touch with Villa.

Villa repeated his denial today that more than eight prisoners were executed by him after the capture, although he admitted that one man was "shot while attempting to escape."

El Paso, Nov. 17.—No more executions were reported up to noon today in Juarez. General Pascho Villa promised Senator Castro, of New Mexico, yesterday, that there will be no more executions. At noon today the town was quiet.

Mrs. Carrie Oomsbaugh of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Robert Appleby of Portland are visiting at the home of Mrs. J. Giff, 418 W. Seventh.

Mrs. W. S. Alexander of Corvallis was in the city Saturday afternoon visiting friends.

Miss Charlotte Cummings went to Portland Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Williamson. She expects to be gone a month.

C. L. Barclott, of Corvallis, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

F. E. Dille, of Corvallis, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

S. Callford, of Corvallis, stopped over Sunday at the Vaudran and returned home this morning.

Thomas Burk of Billings, Montana, is in the city for the purpose of investigating conditions here with a view of making his home somewhere in the valley. He is stopping at the Vaudran.

Mrs. Philipps and Hayes, of Corvallis were over Sunday visitors in the city. They stopped at the Vaudran.

Mrs. Nina N. Smith of Brownsville, visited relatives here yesterday, returning home this morning.

NEARNESS OF HOLIDAYS SWELLS CRABTREE BUSINESS

Crabtree, Nov. 12.—(Special to the Democrat.)—Mr. and Mrs. Clas Pierce are the proud parents of a ten pound baby boy who arrived Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatch transacted business in Albany Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Brewer returned Friday morning from Lebanon where she has been having some dental work done.

There was a big crowd at W. J. Turnidge's on the opening day of the sale.

Misses Mae and Maude Serfling visited the Crabtree high school this week.

Dr. Ross of Lebanon was a Crabtree visitor Thursday.

G. W. Combs and Rev. Mr. Booth of Portland were Crabtree visitors in behalf of the National Life Insurance company this week.

A new plank walk has been laid from the church to the S. M. With's property.

The young people of the Literary society are planning a programme to be given in the near future.

PRESIDENT MAKES HIS STAND CLEAR

Believes That Diplomacy Will Effect Settlement of the Problem.

LIND AND O'SHAUGHNESSY WILL STICK SAYS WILSON

Reports to the Contrary Are Fakes Also—Canada Sticks Too.

(By United Press Association) Washington, Nov. 17.—In spite of the threatening aspect of affairs in Mexico, President Wilson is still confident that diplomacy will yet solve the problem.

To a conference of newspapermen today the president stated that Lind was not going aboard the battleship at Vera Cruz unless Huerta hands him his passports. Nor is Canada getting ready to close the American consulate at that place. O'Shaughnessy will not close the American embassy at Mexico City. President Wilson referred plainly to the reports of Lind's, O'Shaughnessy's and Canada's departure from Mexico as "fakes"—nothing more.

Reports to the contrary are fakes also—Canada sticks too.

COLLEGE WAS DEFEATED BY PACIFIC BY ONE POINT

Superiority in Goal Kicking Enabled Visitors to Carry Off Honors.

Rallying in the last quarter with a score of 19 to 7 against them, the Pacific University football team defeated Albany College here Saturday afternoon by one point, the final score being 20 to 19. The game was both tense.

Each team scored three touchdowns but Pacific kicked two goals, while Albany negotiated only one. From the start it looked as though the collegians would walk away with their heavier opponents. Use of the forward pass in the last quarter enabled the visitors to win. On straight football the local team somewhat laid it over their opponents.

However, both teams used the forward pass successfully for big gains. The Presbyterians excelled in nearly every department of the game in the first half but the Congregationalists rallied in the last half and hurled accurate passes for long gains.

Pacific kicked off and on the first play of the game Tebault received a forward pass and ran 65 yards for a touchdown. Albany scored again in the first quarter, Frenchy carrying the ball over after the collegians had carried it down the field by straight football. In the second quarter Albany went down the field again on forward passes and cross bucks and Hodge scored a third touchdown. Again, in this quarter, Albany crossed the Pacific goal line when Acheson intercepted a Pacific forward pass and ran 60 yards to the goal but the score was not allowed for holding in the Albany interference.

Pacific's first score came in the third quarter when after several successful passes the ball was hurled over the Albany line to Ireland for a touchdown. Time and again Pacific negotiated successful passes which Albany seemed unable to break up and Tipper twice crossed the Albany goal on line bucks after forward passes had placed the ball in striking distance.

Tupper, halfback, and Ireland, end, starred for the university. Tebault, end, Holland, halfback, and Hodge, fullback, played a good game for the college.

ALBANY HIGH DEFEATS HALSEY CLUB, 13 TO 6

In a splendidly contested game of football at Halsey Saturday afternoon the Albany High School defeated the Albany Athletic club by a score of 13 to 6.

The game was well contested throughout and was characterized by several brilliant plays. Halsey scored the first touchdown when a punt was dropped in the Albany backfield and Kirk picked up the fumbled ball and crowded the line. The high school scored one touchdown in each half.

Kirk played a good game for Halsey and Monteith, and both of the Archibalds and Briggs, played a splendid game for the local team.

MANY EDITORS WILL ATTEND MEETING SATURDAY

Banquet Will Be Held at New Hammel; Business Meeting in Afternoon.

That practically every newspaper man in the Willamette valley will attend the annual meeting of the Willamette Editorial Association which will convene in this city next Saturday is indicated by the number of letters received by the Secretary, Albert Bede, of the Cottage Grove Sentinel.

A business meeting will be held during the afternoon at the St. Francis hotel and will be followed by a banquet which will be held at 5:30 at the New Hammel. Nearly all of the editors plan to remain for the banquet which will be one of the big attractions of the meeting.

Suit to Recover Money.—A suit to recover \$232 with interest on a promissory note was filed in the circuit court this afternoon by W. H. DuBeau against Charles Lynch. DuBeau Weatherford and Weatherford represent the plaintiff.

NEWS PUBLISHING CO. INCORPORATED AT HARRISBURG

Articles incorporating the Harrisburg News Publishing Co. were filed this morning with County Clerk Marks. The company is capitalized at \$1500.

The business of the corporation will be to buy, own, control, print and publish a newspaper. The principal office of the corporation will be in Harrisburg and its duration shall be perpetual. The capital stock is divided into one hundred and fifty shares, of the par value of ten dollars each. The incorporators are John J. Barnes, V. H. Massey and A. C. Johnson.

Jack Phelan, of Silverton, was a visitor in the city yesterday. He stopped at the Vaudran.

C. H. Smith of Brownsville was in the city this morning. He visited friends over Sunday, returning home this noon.

Fred Honba, of Eugene, transacted business here this morning, returning home this noon.

C. Berry, of Crawfordville, came down yesterday and went to Portland this morning to attend business matters.

Fred Johnson of Mill City, was in Albany yesterday enroute to his home after a week end business stay in Portland.

PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

A petition was filed in the probate court this morning for the probate of the will of the late Anna D. Pace, who died October 15, 1913 leaving property of the value of \$100. Three heirs are surviving. It is set up that by the provision of the will, the petitioner, Charity Isabelle Beeson, is named executrix of the estate, wherefore she asks to be appointed the executrix.

Music at Hammel.—Last night at Hammel hotel the music was furnished by Wood's orchestra. The Sunday dinners at the Hammel are proving a great attraction and are proving a complement from both the traveling public and local people.

McDowell Returns.—I. A. McDowell of the McDowell Shoe Company has returned from a business trip through Idaho. He says that business conditions are slow throughout the greater portion of that state.

Editor Here.—Editor Humphrey of the Jefferson Review was shaking hands with friends in Albany Saturday afternoon. Mr. Humphrey reports business conditions in Jefferson as good.

President Bushnell Here.—President Bushnell of the Pacific Hotel and his wife spent Sunday at the home of Judge Hewitt and wife.

Y. M. C. A. Statement Tomorrow.—On Tuesday and Wednesday the Y. M. C. A. will put on their financial campaign to raise the money necessary for running expenses for the coming year. Tomorrow's Democrat will contain the total receipts and expenditures for the past year. The Y. M. C. A. wishes the people of Albany to know just where the money comes from and where it goes. This evening 25 men will feed together at 6:30 and talk over plans for the campaign. The luncheon will be at the Elite.

Considered a Success.—The special meeting of the Grace Presbyterian church were considered a success. Some old timers have said the best ever in Albany. One of the unique features of the meetings was that interest of the people about ten different denominations, which kept up to the end. There were 32 converts, going into various churches, all of which were young people. Old sinners seem to be hard to reach. The Glorious Gospel was presented.

Marriage License Issued.—This afternoon a marriage license was issued to Fred Johnson and Ruth Lundren, both of Mill City. They will be married this afternoon.

LOCAL PEOPLE CAN BOOST FOR VALLEY

Residents of Western Oregon Are Urged to Write Friends in the East.

URGE THEM TO ATTEND LAND SHOW AT CHICAGO

Believed That This Plan Will Result in Far Greater Good.

The people of Western Oregon who have friends and relatives residing in the East and Middle West can easily advertise the Willamette valley if they desire to, was the statement of C. H. Stewart this morning.

As outlined by Mr. Stewart, the people of the Willamette valley can write to their friends and relatives in the East, who reside in and about Chicago and tell them to attend the land show which will open there soon and last until the fore part of December. The Oregon representatives sent from this state to give the visitors at the show reliable and authentic information relative to the conditions of the state will do the rest.

This matter presented itself this morning when it became known that a prominent resident of Albany, devoted the entire afternoon yesterday to writing letters to relatives who reside in and about Chicago, telling them to attend the show if it is possible and learn something of this great commonwealth.

The plan appears to be a very feasible one as the show will be of intense interest to everyone. Hundreds of sections of the Middle West are expected to attend. If everyone residing in this section who has relatives or friends whom they would like to become interested in the state with a view of coming to settle in the valley, would write them a letter to the aforementioned effect, thereby showing their proper spirit in helping to boost for the valley, the attendant result is believed will be of far greater proportions than otherwise.

The land show is to be held in Chicago from November 20 to December 5. Mr. Stewart with several other leading citizens of various parts of the state will leave Portland tomorrow in a body for Chicago to be present during the show to exploit the resources of the state in connection with exhibits.

POULTRY SHOW WILL BE HELD JANUARY 6 TO 9 AT THE ALBANY ARMORY

The Oregon branch of the American Poultry Association will hold its next annual show in Albany in connection with the annual show of the Central Willamette Poultry Show, which will be held January 6 to 9. This is expected to be one of the largest poultry shows ever held in the state and it will be featured by a special display of eggs and poultry from the Oregon Agricultural College, including the two greatest egg-laying hens in the world.

At last year's poultry show in Albany there were entries from 11 different Oregon counties and from the state of Washington. The American Poultry Association will offer one gold medal, 12 silver medals and 12 diplomas as prizes and the local association will give 17 silver cups, besides diplomas and substantial cash prizes and premiums in every breed and class.

Plans are being perfected by the officers of the Central Willamette Poultry Association for the success of the coming show. Last year a large supply of splendid, modern exhibit coops was prepared and this supply will be increased this year. The premium list is being compiled.

Yet Boys Don't Play With Dolls.—Contained in the report of the Dept. of Commerce, just out, is the statement that in September alone of this year two million dollars worth of toys were imported in the U. S.

Bligh Engages Celloist.—J. Brandeberg, recently from France, and celloist of ability, has been engaged for the orchestra at the Bligh theater. Mr. Brandeberg commenced his duties Saturday night. He is an artist with the cello and his playing Saturday night was highly commented upon by people. With the addition of this instrument the Bligh orchestra has now four pieces, the piano, clarinet and drums, which makes a splendid musical organization for this popular play house.

Operated Upon for Appendicitis.—John Meiner who was operated upon last week for appendicitis is recovering. He was operated upon by Dr. W. H. Davis.