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### Warranty Deed.

Alice Cozier to Oregon Electric Railway Company, right of way containing 6.51 acres in Tp. 14, 4 West, \$162.75.

Frances Ellen Gray to Oregon Electric Railway Company, right of way, containing 6.51 acres in Tp. 14, 4 West, \$100.00.

### Quit Claim Deed.

A. C. Stellmacher and wife to Oregon Electric Railway Co., May 9, 1912, 6.51 acres in Tp. 14, S. R. 4 West, \$50.00.

Anna Sheats and husband et al to B. F. Sanders, Feby. 21, 1912, 70-100 acres in Tp. 12, S. R. 2 West, \$100.

### Guardian's Deed.

B. F. Darby to Liston A. Darby, March 29, 1912, 97 acres in Tp. 10, S. R. 1 West.

### Cemetery Deed.

Lebanon Lodge No. 44, A. F. & A. M., to B. F. Sanders, Cemetery at Lebanon. Mortgages, \$2000.00 and one of \$1100.00.

### The Weather.

The weather: Fair tonight and Wednesday. River 5.2. Temperature 52-77.

John Marrs of Lacomh, chief fire warden of Linn county, passed through Albany this noon enroute home from Portland where he has been on business.

Senator Milt A. Miller of Lebanon returned this noon from Portland, enroute home where he will remain until after the berry festival. He will leave next week for Baltimore to attend the Democratic national convention.

Hugh Kirkpatrick, son of Editor H. Y. Kirkpatrick of Lebanon, returned home at noon after spending the morning here advertising the Lebanon berry festival.

Mrs. W. W. Francis returned home at noon from Jefferson where she visited for a few days with her daughter, Mrs. S. H. Goins.

During the strawberry fair, train 54, which now leaves Lebanon at 3:45 p. m., will not leave Lebanon until 5 o'clock each afternoon.

J. K. Weatherford returned home this noon from Salem where he had been to attend the regents' meeting in connection with the proposed consolidation of the U. of O. and O. A. C.

Mrs. G. F. Simpson, Mrs. Shearer, and Abner Nunnery returned home at noon from Newport where they spent the past few weeks.

B. J. Hecker went to Portland this afternoon to look after business matters for a few days.

## MISS ELDA SPRENGER WEDS I. M. DOUGHTON TODAY

Ceremony Was Performed by Rev. Geselbracht at Bride's Home in Albany.

Miss Elda Sprenger, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. Sprenger of this city, was united in marriage at 11 o'clock this morning to Mr. Isom M. Doughton, by the Rev. Franklin H. Geselbracht of the First Presbyterian church.

The wedding ceremony was performed at the bride's home in the western part of the city, and was attended by nearly 75 friends and relatives.

The bride was attended by Miss Dorothy Davis of this city and was dressed in a beautiful gown of white messaline. The impressive ring service was used, Miss Daisy Savory of Portland, a former Albany young lady, carrying a large and perfectly formed pink rose bearing the wedding ring.

The bride carried a beautiful shower bouquet of white sweet peas which was later caught by Miss Linnie Kinsey of this city who also played the wedding march from Mendelssohn. Following the wedding ceremony, a fine wedding luncheon was served by the young ladies of the Triple F Club of which the bride was a member. The couple received many beautiful and useful presents.

The bride is one of Albany's most charming young ladies, a graduate of Albany High School, and has been employed for several years as saleslady at the Hamilton store, and has a host of friends in this city whose best wishes she will have.

The groom is the efficient bookkeeper at the Halbert-Obling Hardware company's store, a young man of pleasing personality and splendid business qualities.

The newlyweds left on the afternoon train for Portland where they will spend their honeymoon, returning to Albany soon where they will make their home.

## RALSTON PLACES A LARGE NUMBER OF ORDERS IN OUTSIDE TOWNS

The Ralston Electric Supply Company is not confining business activities to the City of Albany, but is reaching out for business from neighboring towns.

This week this company signed a contract for an interior telephone system for the new hotel at Independence and the same will be installed within the next 30 days. Mr. Ralston has also placed an order for a lighting system for the new hotel at Lebanon.

## CORVALLIS WILL DEDICATE TEMPLE TOMORROW NIGHT

Albany Masons Will Attend the Services, Going Over on Special Train.

The newly-finished Masonic Temple at Corvallis will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies Thursday, June 6, with prominent Masons from various sections of the state present. Thomas H. Baldwin, of Prineville, grand master of Oregon, will conduct the dedicatory rites and Deputy Grand Master George H. Burnett, of Salem, is to make the principal address.

The new building was erected at a cost of \$50,000, and is 100 by 100 feet. It is to be the home of five Masonic bodies—Corvallis Lodge No. 14, A. F. and A. M., Ferguson Chapter No. 5, R. A. M., Oregon Council No. 2, R. & S. M., St. Mary's Chapter No. 9, Eastern Star, and Bruce Commandery of Knights Templar. The last named will be organized June 7.

The lodge room is 70 feet long and 45 feet in width. The architecture and coloring is Egyptian. Besides the lodge room, banquet room and three large ante-rooms, there are a number of fine office rooms on the second floor. On the ground floor are three commodious business rooms. The structure is of pressed brick. The local lodges are preparing to entertain 500 visitors at the dedication.

A special train carrying a delegation of about 175 members of the Albany lodge will leave the depot at this city at 5 o'clock tomorrow evening for Corvallis, where they will assist in dedicating the fine new temple at that city.

## CARELESS DRIVER OF MILK WAGON NEARLY CAUSES ACCIDENT TODAY

A careless driver of one of the local milk wagons, narrowly missed having his wagon demolished this morning when he attempted to cross the street in front of the street car which was bound for the Southern Pacific depot, shortly before 7 o'clock.

The milk wagon was going north on Lyon street and when the oncoming streetcar was but a few feet away, suddenly made up his mind to cross the street. The quick work of the motorman in stopping the car was all that prevented the production of "The Milky Way" on Lyon street. The wagon was uninjured, the car barely grazing the rear wheel, which was very fortunate for the milkman.

Charles Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter went to Newport this noon where they will spend the summer.

## MISS GERTRUDE YOUNG, SOPRANO, GRADUATES TONIGHT

Prominent Oakland Young Lady to Be Presented by Mrs. Adna Smith Flo.

Tonight at 8:30 o'clock at the United Presbyterian church, Mrs. Adna Smith Flo presents Miss Gertrude Young, soprano, in graduation recital. Miss Young, whose home is in Oakland, Oregon, is perhaps the strongest graduate that Albany College Conservatory has ever turned out.

Her unusual ability has been shown not only by strong work in musical lines, but by quite unusual strength in the regular college work. For some time past she has been the soprano in the United Presbyterian church. She presents tonight a complete program of more than twenty songs, including some of the best work of Handel, Mozart, Schubert, and Thomas.

She has gotten out what is doubtless the finest artistic program ever published in Albany, an eight page folder containing the words of all the songs. Miss Young has developed remarkably in freedom and strength during the past year. Her singing tonight will give real pleasure to both the uncritical and the most musical of her hearers. This splendid concert is entirely free to everyone. Albany is urged to show its appreciation of this brilliant young musician by coming out to hear her tonight.

## EUGENE ENTERTAINS OREGON ELECTRIC RAILWAY OFFICIALS AT A BANQUET

Eugene, Or., June 4.—President Young and other officials of the Oregon Electric were dinner guests of Eugene business men last night, the purpose being to make Mr. Young acquainted with the people of this part of the valley with whom he has so recently come into business relations. Two hundred business and professional men of the city sat down to an elaborate banquet, served at 6:30 at the Hotel Osburn. President Young, owing to the fact that he is new to the work in Oregon, made but brief remarks, asking that the principal talk be made for the railroad by Judge Carey.

"This occasion affords me the opportunity to express the hope that the people of Oregon will not permit any interference with the usefulness of the State University," said Mr. Carey.

"No better investment of public funds could be made. The argument that some of the young men and women cannot or do not avail themselves of the opportunity to get the benefits of collegiate education is no argument against the usefulness of such institutions. The general level of culture and education is raised by the training that is given to those who study at such schools, and every class that graduates helps to raise the average of intelligence in the state.

"Nor is there any conflict of interest between the State University and other collegiate institutions, or between the State University and the Agricultural College. All these have their field of usefulness, and though the margins of their courses may overlap there is no interference and should be no friction. I think the attempt to curtail by law the scope of either or any of these schools is a grave mistake."

## WORK ON OREGON ELECTRIC NEAR JUNCTION CITY PROGRESSING FAST

Junction City, Or., June 4.—Work is progressing rapidly at the Williamette river crossing of the Oregon Electric Railway. The north approach to the bridge has been completed, an earth embankment of nearly 70,000 yards of earth having been thrown up by the mammoth steam shovel in 46 working days. This steam shovel is being moved to the south side of the river, where it will work to throw up the south approach of the bridge, having to move about 30,000 yards.

Watertight compartments are being sunk for the erection of the concrete piers of the five-span steel bridge, which probably will not be completed until October 1. This, however, will not hold up the running of electric trains to Eugene, as the false work is being made heavy enough to run the trains over.

## NEW PENSION LAW CAUSES BIG RUSH OF BUSINESS FOR MERRILL

Since the new pension law went into force on May 11th, H. F. Merrill of this city has devoted the major portion of his time in making out pension papers for old soldiers and their widows.

The law changes the provisions of the old statute considerably and is much more favorable to the veterans. According to the law as it now stands, any person who has served in the military or naval service of the United States and has reached the age of sixty-two, receives a pension of \$1300 per month. A liberal increase is allowed when the applicant has served more than ninety days in the government service.

Charles Cheek of the Los Angeles ball team is at the St. Charles hotel. The club passed through Albany today on their way to Portland. Mr. Cheek stopped over to look at Linnhaven, where he owns an orchard tract.

## OIL GUSHER CATCHES FIRE AT TAFT, CALIFORNIA, AND BURNS FIERCELY

Taft, Cal., June 3.—The Pacific gusher, ignited yesterday afternoon is still shooting its roaring column of fire 300 feet in the air. There is little wind, and the danger to surrounding property is correspondingly lessened.

The stream is eight inches thick at the base and is spouting 7000 barrels a day. The red glare by night and the black plume day are clearly visible miles away.

At the meeting this afternoon of officers of the Pacific Crude Oil Company, it was decided to fight the flames with steam from huge boilers.

Five hundred feet from the flaming Pacific is a 5000 barrel tank chock full, and only 100 feet distant is the No. 2 well of the Buick Oil Company, both of which are doomed if the wind starts. Five thousand barrels in a nearby sump hole burned out today.

## MISPLITS Contributed By F. P. Nutting.

Thirty-four Albany men, in seven automobiles, including the Misfit man, who made an automobile trip from Albany through Tangent, Shedd, Halsey, Harrisburg, Junction, Irving, Eugene, Springfield, Coburg, Brownsville, Plainview and Lebanon, had a great time and an experience long to be remembered.

It was for the purpose of advertising Albany's great Oregon Electric celebration on the 4th of July and it did it.

Also another great event, the annual Chautauqua assembly July 4th to 14th, with a splendid program up.

A fine day and a jolly crowd put vim into the ride.

Along the way there are roads and roads, rough and smooth, monuments and ex-sorses. The finest is leading into Eugene, four miles of Macadam, an opportunity for a forty mile gait without a quiver.

There is another stretch of good road between Springfield and Coburg, and all along many fine pieces of smooth road were found.

Only two blowouts occurred, those to the tires of Jack Barrett, one with a record of 7,500 miles, and the other to a tire of J. A. Howard. The big blowout has been saved for Albany's 4th of July celebration, when at least 20,000 people will take a hand in the great event.

Eugene extended a glad hand, with a reception at the commercial club and a fine dinner at the Osburn hotel. Eugene has some good buildings, but the biggest thing in the world is Man, and Eugene's best asset is her men and women, including Mrs. Osburn of the hotel.

Brownsville also set up things, ice cream and lemonade, very refreshing, and a fine supper was had at the new Hotel Lebanon by most of the crowd, the Misfit man, though, enjoying a neat feast of Lebanon's unsurpassed strawberries, etc., at the hospitable home of J. C. Mayer, where the latest string is on the outside.

Several Pacific highway signs, seen down, should be put in place by the county. It ought to do that much.

Perhaps the prettiest farm residence and surroundings seen, among the many fine ones observed, is the home of D. H. Pierce, a wealthy stock man between Coburg and Brownsville.

The Eugene spirit was shown when it was suggested that Albany would want to hire the Eugene band for the 4th of July celebration. "No, you can't hire it," they said, Eugene will take it herself, with a big crowd.

Later when the Oregon Electric reaches Eugene there will be another colossal celebration, giving Albany an opportunity to reciprocate.

The average life of an auto tire is from 3000 to 4000 miles, meaning at the present exorbitant cost of tires about 1 cent a mile for each tire, or 4 cents for all of them, meaning an expense for each auto on this trip of \$4.64 for rubber alone, not counting the wear on the necks seeing the beautiful scenery. Gasoline averages nearly 2 cents a mile, and the wear on the machine is considerable. Some one has figured as high as 15 cents a mile as the total cost of running an auto. Probably less.

After all the owner of an automobile is a good deal of a philanthropist.

The Misfit man appreciated being in the auto of D. O. Woodworth, safe, sane and considerate.

## HEAD OFFICERS OF PHONE COMPANY VISITORS IN ALBANY YESTERDAY

F. H. Coolidge and C. W. Burkett, two of the head officers of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co., with headquarters at San Francisco, Cal., arrived in Albany last night from Portland by way of the west side and after looking over the local plant and noting its splendid condition, left for California on the Shasta Limited.

Mr. Coolidge and party made the trip from Portland by auto and were accompanied as far as Albany by W. D. DeVary.

Commenting on the country they passed through for the first time in this part, Mr. Coolidge predicted a great future for their favored and beautiful country.

## KING STRAWBERRY REIGNS AT LEBANON

Fourth Annual Festival Opens Tomorrow and Will Last For Three Days.

## CROWDS WILL ATTEND FROM WILLAMETTE VALLEY TOWNS

Arnold Amusement Company to Furnish Attractions During the Big Celebration.

King Strawberry will occupy the throne at Lebanon tomorrow, when the fourth annual strawberry fair is opened there, continuing until Saturday night.

The citizens of Lebanon have been working hard for several months to make this year's festival the best ever given in Lebanon and everything is in readiness now to handle the crowds which will throng the hotels and streets of that city the rest of the week.

Arrangements have been made for an excursion to be run to Lebanon on Friday, bringing several hundred people from Eugene. A large delegation of people are also expected in Lebanon on Friday from Portland, Salem and Albany.

Tomorrow will be "Livestock Day" at the festival and many head of Linn county's best stock will be on exhibition for the inspection of the visitors, a big livestock parade being scheduled to take place promptly at 10 o'clock.

At 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon C. T. Prall, president of the Oregon Association for Highway Improvement, will address the people on "Good Roads," followed by C. H. Stewart, manager of the Albany Commercial Club, and others.

Friday has been designated as "Willamette Valley Day." At 10 o'clock Friday morning the prizes will be awarded by the judges for the best roses and strawberries at the fair and at 11 o'clock there will be a big parade of decorated autos and vehicles, for which prizes have been offered.

In the afternoon there will be addresses by Colonel Hofer of Salem, Hon. Ben Selling of Portland, and others. Friday is "Grange Day," and addresses will be made by the Hon. C. E. Spence, master of the state grange, Governor Oswald West, and others.

At 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon there will be an athletic tournament. The Lebanon band will furnish music during the festival and the Arnold shows are booked to provide a large portion of the amusement features.

During the festival the train which now leaves Lebanon at 3:45 o'clock in the afternoon will not leave there until 5 o'clock, giving people from Albany and other valley points a long day at the fair. A large crowd will attend from Albany on Friday.

## REV. FATHER VAN ANTWERP HAS PUT A BAN ON TIGHT SKIRTS

Detroit, June 4.—"The tight skirts worn by women today are hideous. Some might just as well wear trousers," declared the Rev. Father F. J. Van Atwerp of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary church. Father Van Atwerp gave a scathing denunciation of present-day styles.

"Women today," he said, "are losing all the modesty which makes women sacred. These low-necked, V-shaped things are disgraceful, immodest and indecent. They should not be worn on the streets or at balls and parties. I think fathers and brothers in general disapprove of tight skirts and low-necked dresses, but tolerate them because the style demands it.

"Women can be just as stylish if they dress modestly. I saw two ladies garbed in skirts that were so tight that one of them could not get on a streetcar. Another fell down."

Father Van Atwerp opposed the wearing of such garments to church and to the communion table, although he did not forbid his parishioners to do it.

## EUGENE PEOPLE WILL BRING THEIR BAND TO HUB CITY ON JULY FOURTH

When Chairman J. N. Chambers, of the committee on program and music of the Oregon Electric celebration, attempted to get in touch with the Eugene band yesterday for the purpose of engaging their services for the Fourth, he was quietly informed that he did not have the price; that the Eugene Commercial Club had engaged the band for that date, and intended to attend the Albany celebration in a body, bringing the band with them, and show Albany how they do things in Eugene.

Arrangements are being made for special trains to handle the Eugene crowd, and it is safe to say that two-thirds of the population of that enterprising community will spend the glorious Fourth in The Hub.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Doughton, who were married in this city today, left at noon for Portland where they will spend their honeymoon.

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