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Fifty Years Ago Today, Sept. 20.

The Prince of Wales (later King Edward VII. of England) entered United States territory at Detroit. He was officially known in this country as Lord Renfrew, a title he inherited with the crown of Scotland.

Twenty-five Years Ago Today.

Prince Alexander of Bulgaria assumed sovereignty over Roumelia, a vassal of Turkey. Turkey appealed to the powers.

Wanted

Ranch hands. Listings of orchard and city property. Brickyard men. Woodchoppers. Girl for general house work.

Special

Stock and ten-year lease, snap close in.

For Sale

Furniture and lease of 5-room modern house; rent \$20. 5 wagons, \$40, \$50, \$70, \$90. Stock and 10-year lease, close in. Business nets \$4000 yearly.

FRUIT LAND.

27 acres, all in fruit, fine buildings, close in, \$12,500. 27 acres, 8 bearing, 6 more in fruit, balance alfalfa; improvements; \$10,000, close in. 120 acres, 10 in orchard, 25 alfalfa, under ditch, tools and stock, \$15,000. 160 acres, 50 fruit land, 7000 cords wood, fine timber, close in, \$15 per acre. 27 acres, 14 in orchard, alfalfa, \$10,000. 5 acres, North Riverside, irrigated, \$1675. 17 acres, 14 in heavy bearing, 2 miles out, \$500 per acre. 5 and 10-acre tracts bearing orchard, close in. 120 acres, 5 in bearing orchard, 5 in 3-year trees, 25 acres alfalfa, under ditch, fine water right, tools, 33 head stock, close in, \$15,000. 64 acres finest Bear creek bottom, will subdivide; easy terms. 160 acres, 2,000,000 feet fine timber, 5 miles out, 50 acres fruit land, \$15 per acre. 20 acres Bear creek bottom, all in fruit, \$7000; fine building site. 10 acres, improvements, 4 miles out, \$2750; beautiful location. 20 acres, 10 acres Bartlett and Newtowns, \$2500. 2 Acres, half mile west, \$600.

CITY PROPERTY.

Ross court lots, \$800, easy terms. 2-room house, close in, \$900. 1-room house, good lot, \$400. 1 acre and house, \$1675; 2 1/2 acres, building, \$4000; 1 acre, \$1575; 1 acre, \$1275; all platted, close to South Oakdale. West Main lots, 60x240, easy terms. 4 Kenwood lots, \$1100. Lot on Central, close in, \$1600. 4 lots North Riverside, sewer and water; \$1150, terms. Westmoreland lots \$300, terms. Walnut Park addition, lots 52x112, \$350, your own terms. Houses and lots in all parts of the city.

E. F. A. BITTNER

Room 206 Taylor & Phipps Bldg. Phone 4141 Main

INVESTORS, TAKE NOTICE.

Wanted—A man or company to purchase one-half interest and operate a timetrest plant for the manufacture of indestructible inner tube filling for automobiles. This is a gift edge proposition and possesses great merit and will make a barrel of money. No more punctures or blowouts. Tire trouble ended. Correspondence solicited.

Coast Auto Tire Filling Company, for Oregon, Washington and California, 415-16-17 Abington Building, Portland, Oregon. ftu\*

The Women's Home Missionary society of the conference of the Southern Methodist church, will meet in the church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. C. L. McCausland, pastor of the Seattle Southern church, will preach Wednesday night.

HAWLEY'S RECORD IN CONGRESS.

CONGRESSMAN HAWLEY'S career in congress is briefly summed up by Senator La Follette in the last issue of his magazine. It is a record to be proud of. No wonder Mr. Hawley refuses to discuss the issues of the campaign. Congressman Hawley voted to re-elect Cannon as speaker of the house of representatives. Congressman Hawley voted for the Dazell motion to re-adopt the Cannon gag-rules. Congressman Hawley voted to let Cannon select the Ballinger investigation committee, in order to whitewash that cabinet officer. Congressman Hawley voted against the Norris resolution curtailing Cannon's powers. Congressman Hawley voted against the Roosevelt conservation policy, as shown in the Appalachian forest reserve bill. Congressman Hawley voted against the Clark resolution for revision of the house rules. Congressman Hawley voted for the Tammany-Cannon subterfuge, whereby revision of house rules was defeated. Congressman Hawley, in the battle with the insurgents, voted for Cannon, roll-call after roll-call, for the perpetuation of machine rule. Congressman Hawley voted to saddle a ship subsidy upon the American people. Congressman Hawley voted throughout for the infamous Payne-Aldrich tariff bill that taxes poverty instead of wealth, that increases the cost of living that the trusts may reap millions. Congressman Hawley voted for the Dazell resolution to railroad the tariff bill through the house without a right to change a duty. Congressman Hawley voted for an amendment to the commerce bill to promote combinations and monopolies among railroads. Congressman Hawley voted for a postal bank bill suitable to Wall street and voted for a gag-rule shutting off debate upon it. As Senator La Follette says: "For Hawley, whatever the system did, was right. On the important measures, on currency, on tariff, on railroad regulation, and on postal savings banks, he never had a criticism to offer, never a question to ask. 'Faithful' in small things and in great, he followed unquestioningly the Cannon organization; the ideal type of 'me-too' system congressman." Do the people of Oregon want such an echo of the system, as Mr. Hawley has been, to represent them again at Washington?

COST OF JACKSON COUNTY ROADS

JACKSON COUNTY spent \$79,000 on road-building and improvement last year. This year, approximately \$90,000 is being spent for the same purpose. Modern methods and system are not in vogue. It is next to impossible to figure the actual cost of any section of road built. No record is made of quantities moved, or of materials. No engineering precedes or follows. The work is done by day labor and no segregation made showing cost of any portion. Taxes paid by each road district are thrown into a common jack-pot and individual districts have paid road taxes for years for building highways in other districts while their own were neglected. No complaint would be forthcoming if results were commensurate with expenditures. But they are not. Highways are imperfectly built, too narrow, too high, imperfectly drained and constructed of the wrong materials. The most creditable piece of road yet constructed is the Medford-Jacksonville highway, built this year. It cost approximately \$30,000. It is too narrow, forcing travel into a single roadbed, but, for the first time, crushed rock instead of cobble-stones was used. Yet many thousands of dollars have been spent upon this same highway in the past few years. Judge Dunn constructed one of his celebrated "elevated" roads two years ago. The money was largely wasted. The road had to be rebuilt—hence the \$30,000 expended this year. It is the same with all of our county roads. They will all have to be rebuilt. They are merely makeshifts. Why not build them correctly when they are first built—construct them along approved and scientific lines. It will be cheaper in the long run. George L. Davis, if elected commissioner, stands pledged to modern methods in road building.

DOOM OF THE PARTY ORGAN

THE partisan newspaper organ is rapidly becoming a thing of the past. The latest newspaper to join the independent press is the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. The principal republican organ of the state of Washington. This hitherto rock-ribbed, stand-pat paper sees the handwriting on the wall. People have drifted away from hide-bound party lines and no longer vote for a man simply because he wears a party label, and the newspaper that wears a collar commands no confidence. Says the P. I.: "The Post-Intelligencer will not stand pat for a republican candidate merely because he is a republican. The stern logic of events has made it plain that the people of today look to a newspaper for broader leadership than the old party organ could afford, and this demand for independence of thought and opinion on the part of newspapers is too insistent, too strong, too just to be ignored. "In politics, as in other things, the manners and the methods of the day change, and we must change with them." The Mail Tribune has ever been independent—paying no attention to party. When republicans represent the principles of popular government, it supports them. When they do not, it supports democrats. When no principles are involved, it supports those candidates it judges best fitted for the place.

THE WHY AND THE WHEREFORE

THE MAIL TRIBUNE supports the candidacy of Mr. Von der Hellen for nomination as state senator— Because he has accepted Statement No. 1 and can be depended upon to live up to his pledges. Because he had had previous experience in the legislature and made a good record. Because of his long residence, honorable character and high repute in Jackson county. Because of his wide acquaintance and popularity, he is the strongest of the two Statement candidates. Because Statement supporters should mass their strength behind the strongest candidate, lest an anti-Statement candidate be named. Because there is always danger in division, and under the circumstances it regards a vote for Cambers as a vote thrown away.

SAYS LADIES WILL HAVE THEIR WAY, BUT 'TIS PITY

SPOKANE, Wash., Sept. 20.—Lady Dorothy Wadpole, who, with her father, the Earl of Orford, arrived in Spokane recently from London, declared today that the "English suffragettes will get their way in the end, but it will be rather a pity." Lady Wadpole is touring the world and expects to spend a couple of weeks in Washington state. Lord Orford was inclined to treat the English suffragette movement lightly. He said: "The militant suffragettes of London have not interfered with the government recently, as there now exists a sort of truce. I think if they went to work quietly the women would undoubtedly get the ballot, providing the housewife was the one who desired it. As it is now, they have no influence in England."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the district court of the United States, for the district of Oregon, in bankruptcy. In the matter of George A. Butt, bankrupt. To the creditors of George A. Butt, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that the trustee has filed an account showing \$92.40 balance on hand, and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of the undersigned, at Medford, Oregon, on the 29th day of September, 1910, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the creditors may object to the confirmation of said account, transact other business, and the court will make allowances to counsel, order the payment of fees and expenses and declare a dividend to the creditors who have proved their claims and order the payment of the same. Dated September 16, 1910. HOLBROOK WITHINGTON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

"THE NAT"

MEDFORD'S POPULAR RESORT

TO-NIGHT at 8:15

Kentners vs. Smoke House

Wednesday at 8 p. m.

HALF HOUR OF WATER SPORTS

All Kinds of Races, Concluding with

RELAY RACE

Between Ashland and Medford

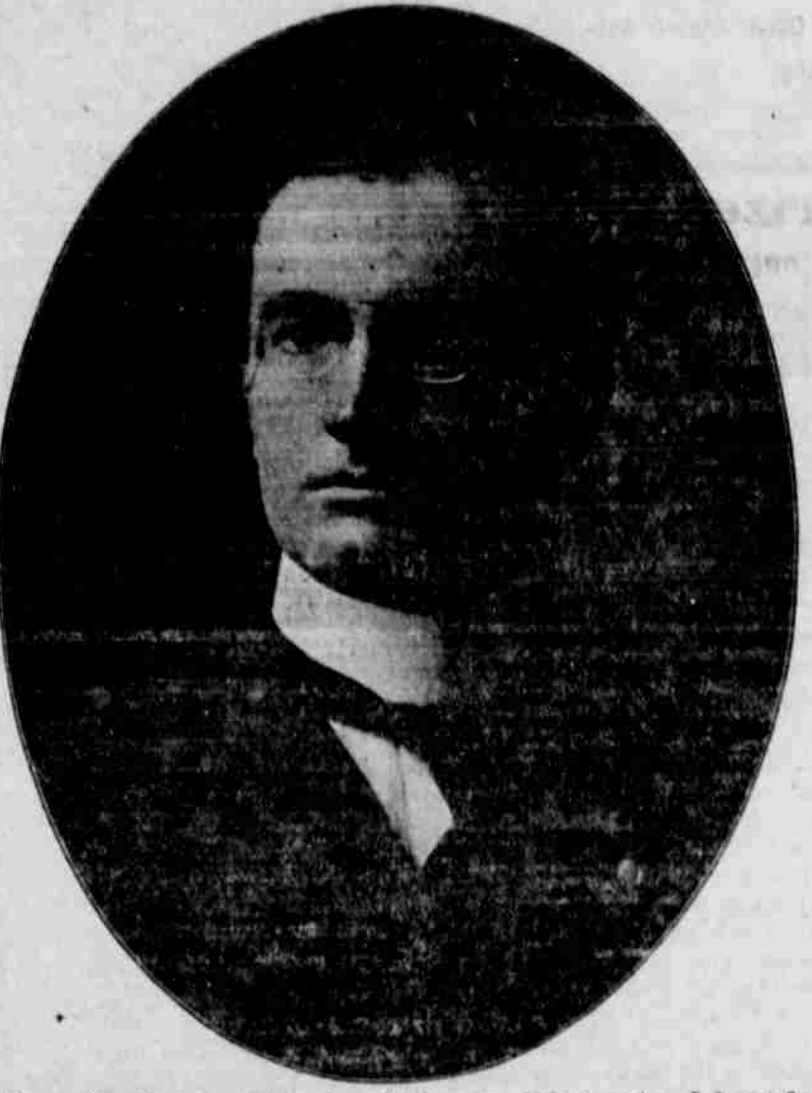
DANCING at 8:30

FRED W. MEARS

FOR STATEMENT NO. ONE. PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE ONLY DECLARED ANTI-ASSEMBLY CANDIDATE FROM JACKSON COUNTY.

Fred W. Mears was born at Newton Centre, Mass., on April 15, 1873. His father, who had served in the Union army, died in 1885, leaving a wife and three young children.

Fred W. Mears attended the public schools of his native town and later graduated from Brown university and the University of Michigan Law School. He worked his way through college and law school by teaching school, canvassing books and doing many other kinds of work. He practiced law in Sioux City, Ia., for seven years before coming to Medford, where he has his law office at 213 Fruitgrowers' Bank building.



I am for Statement No. 1 and the rule of the people. I favor free textbooks, Normal School at Ashland, good roads, initiative, referendum and recall.

I am Anti-Assembly and against corporation rule. I stand for all portions of Jackson County fairly and impartially. I stand for those political and moral principles which will uplift the community, the state and the nation.

EVERY PROTEST AGAINST WRONG IS INSURGING FOR THE RIGHT.

FRED W. MEARS

406 S. KING ST. MEDFORD, OREGON (Paid Advertisement.)

Political Announcements. For State Senator

Statement No. 1 Candidate. I am a republican candidate for state senator at the primary election September 24, 1910. I favor Statement No. 1, good roads, progressive education and the Southern Oregon state normal school. For eleven years a resident of Ashland, Or. J. J. CAMBERS, if (Paid Advertisement.)

For County Commissioner. To the Voters of Jackson County: I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the primary election. I am a republican in politics. I am acquainted with all of the interests in this section of the county and believe that if elected my knowledge of financial and business affairs will enable me to be of great benefit to the people of the county in the management of public affairs. I believe in a careful, economical and business administration of the people's interests and if successful I promise to give to such interests my most careful attention. I believe in good roads and a modern and scientific construction of them. At present I am president of the Fruitgrowers' bank of Medford, Or. and am otherwise largely interested in the financial affairs of the Rogue River valley. Respectfully, GEO. L. DAVIS. (Paid Advertisement.)

State Representative. Jackson county is entitled to two (2) representatives. I am a candidate for the republican nomination for state representative from Jackson county, subject to the primaries to be held September 24, 1910. I am for Statement No. 1, direct legislation, good roads, and state aid for a normal school at Ashland. I stand for those political and moral principles which will uplift the community, the state and the nation. I am an anti-assembly and against corporation rule in politics. I believe in the rule of the people. I stand for the rights of the people in their fight against special interests and privilege. W. M. McALPIN. (Paid Advertisement.)

State Senator. I am a candidate for the office of state senator for Jackson county, subject to the decision of the republican voters at the primaries to be held September 24. I pledge myself to vote for that republican candidate for United States senator in congress who shall have received the highest number of votes in the general election next preceding. I am an advocate of good roads and all improved educational facilities, and all other things which tend to the betterment of the county and state. W. M. McALPIN. (Paid Advertisement.)

For State Treasurer. Anti-assembly republican candidate for state treasurer. Has been a member of the Oregon legislature for the past eight years. He is the author of the flat salary law, which saves the state over \$15,000 per year. Was active supporter of the corporation tax law, which brings in over \$100,000 annually and of the inheritance tax law, which brings to the state over \$60,000 a year. On account of persistent opposition to useless appropriations and extravagance in clerks' pay, he is known as "The Watchdog of the Treasury." A vote for Kay is a vote for an economical and good business administration. (Paid Advertisement.)

For Representative. I desire to be the republican nominee for state representative of Jackson county, subject to the primaries to be held September 24. I believe in the initiative and referendum, Statement No. 1, good roads and state aid for Ashland normal school. I am opposed to extravagant creation of salaried officers and commissions, and if nominated and elected will represent all the people. JOHN A. WESTLAND. (Paid Advertisement.)

For Sheriff. I am a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of Jackson county in the public ticket, subject to the primary of September 24. J. H. BELLINGER. (Paid Advertisement.)

County Recorder. I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for recorder of Jackson county, subject to the primary election of September 24. ROBERT L. TAYLOR. (Paid Advertisement.)

FOR SHERIFF Wilbur A. Jones Candidate for re-election. (Paid advertisement.)

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS. In the district court of the United States for the district of Oregon. In bankruptcy. In the matter of Wm. E. Stacey, bankrupt. To the creditors of Wm. E. Stacey of Medford, in the county of Jackson, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of September, 1910, the said Wm. E. Stacey was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned, in Medford, Oregon, on the 29th day of September, 1910, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, order the sale of the property of the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. September 16, 1910. HOLBROOK WITHINGTON, Referee in Bankruptcy.

Brother Johnathan

Everyone and his sister knows what a wonderfully fine apple the Jonathan is. It is one of the oldest apples grown and one of the best. Nowhere does it do as well as in the Rogue River Valley.

On the BURRELL ORCHARD there is a beautiful building site, commanding a view of Medford, only 1 1/2 miles distant, planted to Jonathan apples, with about 10,000 acres of orchard on three sides in plain view, which can never be obscured. This Jonathan block will be sold with twenty acres of Yellow Newtown Pippins immediately adjoining it.

A home orchard there would certainly make any ordinary man a "paradise on earth." Trees are all nine years old, and from now on will turn out big money. There was a big crop of Jonathans this year, and they are being shipped this week. The property should easily average four boxes per tree season 1911. Price and terms right.

Jno. D. Olwell

Exhibit Building, Medford, Oregon. Or any reliable real estate dealer in the city.

OMISSION OF THREE WORDS WILL COST \$7000

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 20.—The omission of three words in the wording of the proposed amendment relating to state and local taxation is likely to cost the state of California \$7000. The words are "the year

ending," in the clause pertaining to the date fixed for the taxes.

Although the omission is clearly a clerical error, the absence of the three words, in the opinion of members of the Merchants' association, will render the entire amendment invalid and accordingly the association has requested Governor Gillett to call

a special session of the legislature to have the missing words supplied. The cost of the extra session would be about \$7000.

Nelson Beats Dixie Kid. NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The showing of "Fighting" Dick Nelson against "Dixie Kid" is the topic of

much discussion today among followers of the fight game. Last night's defeat was the first the San Francisco negro has met with in nine engagements. Nelson beat him decisively and the negro was lucky to escape a knockout. Nelson scored the only knockdown.