

BOTH SOLDIER AND HISTORIAN

Colonel Sargent, Who Has Recently Come to Make His Home in Medford, Has Honorable Career and Fighter—Military Historian.

A recent issue of the Army and Navy Journal contains the following account of Col. H. H. Sargent who was recently retired from the army and has purchased the Barber property on North Oakdale avenue to make Medford his future home:

Major Herbert H. Sargent, 2d U. S. Cav., Col. U. S. V., who has been ordered to his home preparatory to his retirement on Nov. 17, 1911, for disability incident to the service, is one of the best known officers in the army and a well known military historian. He was born at Calumet, Ill., Sept. 29, 1858, and graduated from the U. S. M. A. in 1883, being promoted in the army second lieutenant, 2d cavalry. He reached the grade of first lieutenant June 19, 1890; captain March 2, 1899, and major Jan. 8, 1909, his service being with the 2d cavalry. He served on the frontier and as professor of military science at the University of Illinois, 1886-7, till the outbreak of the Spanish-American war; served at Washington May, 1898, in organizing volunteers. He served as colonel of the 5th U. S. volunteer infantry May 20, 1898, to May 31, 1899. He commanded the district of Guantanamo under General Wood in 1899, and was mustered out as colonel of volunteers May 31, 1899, at Camp Mende, Pa.

Then he was appointed lieutenant colonel, 29th U. S. volunteer infantry, July 5, 1899, and sailed for the Philippines with that regiment in October, 1899. He fought the insurgents in Luzon; commanded attacking forces Dec. 19, 1899, at the battle of San Mateo, in which General Lawton was killed. He was judge advocate of the department of southern Luzon under Generals Bates and Wade in 1900 and 1901, and was mustered out as lieutenant colonel, 29th volunteer infantry, May 10, 1901. He was recommended by Generals Wood and Otis for brevets for meritorious services in Cuba and the Philippines in 1898 and 1899. Chief among Major Sargent's historical works are 'Napoleon Bonaparte's First Campaign,' published in 1893; 'The Campaign of Marengo,' published in 1897, and the 'Campaign of Santiago de Cuba,' published in 1907. For the last named work he was ordered to Washington in November, 1907, to receive in person from President Roosevelt a compliment on the excellence of the work. He graduated from the army war college in 1909, and sailed from San Francisco with his regiment, the 2d cavalry on Dec. 5, 1909. Since that time he has been in command of either Camp Overton or Torrey Barracks, Malabang, in the southern islands, until he was ordered to Manila to appear before the retiring board.

Major Sargent's military histories have been appreciatively received and reviewed throughout the English-speaking world, and his 'Campaign of Santiago de Cuba' is now being translated into Spanish for publication in Spain. Gen. Charles King, in a review of his latest book in the Military Service Institution Journal, said, in part: "He parcels out criticism and commendation with his facts behind him, and it will be hard for those who differ from him to reply." He expects to make his home for a time at least, at Medford, Ore.

BUMPER APPLE CROP IN SEVERAL STATES IN EAST

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—New York state and the middle-west have a bumper apple crop, according to the bulletin of the Boston chamber of commerce issued today. The far west, Virginia and New England have fallen off somewhat, but New York and the middle west bring this year's average up to half as large again as last year's. Michigan, Missouri, Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska and Kansas have 75 per cent more apples than last year. Oregon and Washington have fallen off. Colorado and Utah have slightly heavier crops.

PLAGUE KILLS RABBITS OF KLAMATH COUNTY

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 19.—(Special)—Farmers from different parts of Klamath county infested with jackrabbits, report that the pests are dying off by the score. The cause is not known, but the general belief is that some deadly plague has taken hold of the rabbits and is killing them off.

One farmer declares that he can find hundreds of them dead among the sagebrush, where they were thickest on his place, and others report the same state of affairs.

TO STUDY ALCOHOLISM.



The Rev. Peter O'Callahan, rector of the Paulist church, Chicago, and president of the Catholic Total Abstinence league of America, has been appointed by President Taft as a delegate to the international congress on alcoholism to be held at The Hague on September 11.

DENTIST LOSES NERVE IN JAIL

Wealthy San Bernardino Man Accused of Holding Girl Captive for Fifteen Months, Makes No Effort to Secure \$10,000 Bail.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Aug. 19.—Dr. A. W. McDavitt, the wealthy local dentist who is charged with having held Miss Jessie McDonald a captive for 15 months, has lost his nerve and today is cringing behind the bars of his cell in the county jail. He is making no effort to raise the \$10,000 bail necessary for his release. Sentiment is strongly against the accused man and the sheriff is preparing for any eventuality.

Miss McDonald, McDavitt's alleged victim, has suffered a complete nervous breakdown. She says that her love for the dentist has entirely vanished, and that she will do everything in her power to keep him in jail.

D. McDonald, father of the girl, said today that he would like to see McDavitt freed for a few minutes. "Just long enough," he said, "to give me a chance to wipe up the ground with the viper."

Standing loyally by her husband, despite charges, Mrs. A. W. McDavitt, wife of the imprisoned dentist, rushed today to his defense.

"Dr. McDavitt," she said, "maybe a hypnotic, but I venture to say that his alleged victims were willing subjects. The world may say and believe what it pleases I do not care. It is true that I fell in love with him while he was working on my teeth, but that is nobody's business."

The police today visited Irene Gibson, a pretty young woman of Bloomington, a suburb. With a baby not quite a year old on her knee, she told of her love for McDavitt.

"Yes, I love him," she said, "and I guess that I always will. This is our baby. Isn't he cute?"

Miss Gibson said that she also fell in love with McDavitt while having dental work done.

KLAMATH BUYERS OF BEEF BID HIGH PRICES

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 19.—Although it is yet early in the season, stock buyers are already sizing up the situation. No sales have been reported but it is understood that seven cents and a little better is offered for prime beef. Owing to the shortage of hay last winter, stockmen will not have as much beef in turn off this year as usual. In former years large herds of feeders were driven into this section every fall and held until the following summer. This year there is more hay than for several years, but the demand is greater on account of railroad and reclamation work. With price of hay ranging from \$8 to \$12 a ton in the stack, the growers find it more profitable to sell the hay than to feed the cattle. Because of these conditions it is expected that few feeders will be brought to this section this fall.

FIRE ENDANGERS PIPE SUPPLYING LA GRANDE

LA GRANDE, Or., Aug. 19.—A large force of volunteer firefighters left La Grande today for the intake of the Beaver creek pipe line, which is threatened by each forest fire. The conflagration is reported beyond the control of a small force of men who battled with it yesterday afternoon.

The pipe line carries La Grande's water supply and serious damage to it would result if the timber on the watershed were destroyed.

Haskins for Health.

PRINTERS WILL AID M'NAMARA

Union Votes an Assessment of 25 Cents a Member to Assist Defense—Matters Union Presented With \$5000 Donation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 19.—Decision to stand fast by John J. and James B. McNamara, accused of complicity in the alleged dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times, was reached here Friday by the convention of the International Typographical union.

Amid great enthusiasm a resolution was adopted providing that each local of the union should assess all its members 25 cents for the McNamara defense, the same to be payable within 60 days.

A gift of \$5000 to the United Hatters of North America was made by the International Typographical union in convention here today upon the recommendation of its finance committee that a loan to that amount made during the hatters' strike three years ago be cancelled and the note returned with the compliments of typographical union.

The sanitary commission reported favorably on the resolution prohibiting spitting on the floors of composing rooms, and another, which is expected to bring about the abolition of lead fumes in the rooms where linotypes are operated. These were adopted.

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NOTICE TO JAIL CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the county court of Jackson county at his office in the county court house at Jacksonville to be opened August 28, 1911, at 10 o'clock for the construction of the cell work in the new county jail at Jacksonville, Jackson county, Oregon. Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the county court, also in W. W. Harmon's office in the court house in Jacksonville, Oregon. A certified check of 10 per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany same. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Signed

J. R. NEIL,
County Judge.

NOTICE TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the county court of Jackson county at his office in the court house at Jacksonville, Oregon, to be opened August 28, 1911, at 10 a. m. for the construction of a concrete bridge across Bear Creek in the city of Medford, Jackson county, Oregon. Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the county court also in the office of W. W. Harmon county road master in the court house at Jacksonville. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the bid. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Signed.

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