

A SOLDIER'S GRAVE.



A garden of death where heroes lie... There's a grave just marked by a thin gray stone...

And on summer days by this grave so green... What does she wish for... For what does she pray...

Others there be in that garden of death... For love that lived, for the love that could die... With the pale, and feeble...

MEMORIAL DAY AT ATHENS.

Not the First, but the First of Which We Have Particulars.

Of course it cannot be known when civilized nations first began to fix certain days for the annual commemoration of the dead heroes...

We know, moreover, that, unlike many so-called orators reported in ancient history, this one was delivered very nearly as reported...

This was not sarcasm. He really meant it. We are at liberty, however, to surmise that Pericles meant to set forth what the object of their government was rather than what it really accomplished...

That band of gypsies, or rather Spaniards, arrived in Albany Thursday morning much earlier than was expected, having made forced marches from Drain...

Silver Mass Convention. There will be a Union Bimetallic Mass Convention held at the armory at Woodburn, Marion county, Saturday May 29, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Under the sway of the infamous "thirty tyrants." Yet it is wonderful what a clear idea this man, 430 B. C., had of what a republic ought to be.

The greatest courage is to bear persecution, not to answer when you are reviled, and when a wrong has been done to forgive.

STATE NEWS

All efforts to repair that tire have proven failures. Eugene's school superintendent will receive a salary of \$1200 for the ensuing year.

The Methodist Episcopal Columbia river conference will be held in Feudleton, August 25 next. The residence of Dr. R. L. Lincoln of La Grande burned Thursday. Loss \$1000. Insurance \$700.

The first races on Medford's new fair grounds took place on Thursday. The track was rather new.

Ninety-nine cars of cattle will be shipped from Eugene this week and several thousand head driven to the range. The term of the Clatsop county court is over, and some cases which were on the docket for 25 years, were cleaned up.

A Benton county young man is said to have gotten even with a rival, of whom he was jealous, by sticking twenty-one pins in his bicycle tire. Judge Fullerton has overruled the demurer to the complaint in the case brought by women of Eugene to test their rights to vote at school elections.

The Yamhill county Baptist Sunday school convention and young people rally closed Thursday, at McMinville. The next convention will be on June 1, 1898.

The Medford Mail gives a fifteen column write-up of Jackson county, which gives that county what it deserves. The Mail is to be congratulated upon its effort.

In the case of William J. Sherlock, at Lakeview, charged with murder in the first degree of Charles J. Walker, at Summer Lake, last September, the jury returned a verdict of guilty.

Ranchers in Gilliam county are becoming alarmed from the vast amount of grasshoppers on Rock Creek. They are thick and more hatching. They are making inroads on the gardens.

Gus Wells, of Tillamook, lost his life in Frank Severence's logging camp last Tuesday by a log rolling over him. He leaves a family and 10 children most of whom are small and unable to provide for themselves.

The city council of Eugene have instructed the city marshal to instruct the Salvation Army to hold their street services so as not to interrupt lodge and other services, complaint having been made by several lodges and churches.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN SALEM.

UNITY CHURCH. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. No evening service. Sunday school at 12. Rev. W. E. Copeland, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. Every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., at 299 Liberty street. These meetings are conducted by the students of a normal course graduate of the Metropolitan College, Boston, Mass., founded by Rev. Mary Baker Eddy, discoverer and founder of Christian Science.

Wanted 150 men at the men's meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Young Men's Christian Association. All men are cordially invited.

The T. J. Lamont, D. D. of Vancouver, Wash., will preach morning and evening at the usual hour. Also, Sunday school and Y. P. S. C. E. as usual.

Services as follows: Preaching at 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. and Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 in the evening. Walter Reynolds, pastor.

Evangelical Church. Cor. Seventh & Cheneketa streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., by Rev. H. E. Hornschurch. Sunday school 10 a. m. Junior Y. P. A. 3 p. m. Senior Y. P. A. at 7 p. m. Ezra Maurer, pastor.

OUT ON BAIL.—Lyon Adolph who on Tuesday waived examination on the charge of forgery and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$1,000, in default of which he was placed in the county jail, has been released from custody, the required bail having been furnished.

Army Sent to Africa. LONDON, May 29.—The report circulated some time ago that in view of unsettled conditions prevailing in South Africa the government has decided to transport an army corps of 30,000 men to that locality, is now confirmed by the activity displayed at the quarters of the army service corps in London, Aldershot, Woolwich, Shorncliffe, Portsmouth, Curragh and Devonport.

As the merits of the case were argued on the demurer, this settles the case, as far as this opinion of the court is concerned, in favor of the right of women taxpayers to vote for officers of a school district. It is understood that the case will go to the supreme court.

The following advertisement appears in the Lebanon Express: Parties wanting to trade bacon for lumber call on or address R. R. Humphrey, Waterloo, Oregon, who has lumber of all description at Lebanon and the mill. Will trade for anything that man or beast can eat, until we get free coinage of silver.

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It is remarkable fact that a man never appreciates the sufferings of others until he himself has passed through the fire of pain or remorse. Then it is that he looks around for those who are suffering; he sympathizes with them, and he gives his time and profit by his experience; he gives his time and

money gladly for the benefit and never tires of his zeal. There are plenty of men weak and worn out, struggling with remorse and fear, and the natural outcome of habits that brought incapacity; a sense of loneliness and a feeling as if the best side of life had been banished forever. Such men should write to Thomas Slater, Box 399, Kalamazoo, Mich. He will send free of charge by mail, in a plain sealed envelope full particulars about the method he used, and this will enable any man to get a complete cure at home. It is the method Mr. Slater used to cure himself of the troubles that sap the strength and vigor. The cure was so complete, so satisfying and such a wonderful change from his former condition that he will gladly tell others all about it, sending all particulars. He figures that he doesn't know of a better way to show his appreciation of his own cure and the sufferings of others. There must be generous men in this world to offset the tide of avarice. Write to Mr. Slater—it will cost nothing for his description and method.

The Effects of a Slight Cold IT RAPIDLY DEVELOPED INTO SCIATIC RHEUMATISM.

From a Hale and Hearty Man the Patient Became a Confirmed Invalid—It Pays to Treat "Slight Colds" in Time—By so Doing Many Months of Suffering May be Averted.

From the Tribune, Hornellville, N. Y.

Perched on one of the highest hills of the town of Howard, midway between the villages of Howard and Towlesville, stands the substantial farmhouse of William McAdams, one of the oldest inhabitants of this part of the State. Mr. McAdams came to the county sixty-six years ago and settled in Howard on a farm adjacent to the one he now occupies, and moved in 1822 to his present home, where he has lived ever since.

When your correspondent presented himself at Mr. McAdams' house Mrs. McAdams said that her husband was out on an adjacent hill of the farm, loading bark which he was preparing to draw to Canisteo. Anyone who knew Mr. McAdams two years ago would scarcely believe that such a thing was possible for a man in the condition in which he was at that time, for among his neighbors and even among his family, Mr. McAdams' case was set down as incurable, and it was only regarded as a question of time when the disease would prove fatal.

Mrs. McAdams then entered into a history of her husband's case, stating that about two years ago Mr. McAdams caught a "light cold" while working on his farm, which at his advanced age (sixty-seven years at that time), rapidly developed into sciatic rheumatism, the disease settling in his left side, and his hip down to his foot, rendering the left leg almost useless and terribly painful.

From a hale and hearty farmer, who was doing his own work, he became a confirmed invalid, and in the fall of 1894 his rheumatism became so bad that he could do absolutely nothing. On election day of that year he was so helpless that his neighbor, Mr. Willis, had to come and drive him over to the polls to vote.

When the spasms of rheumatism would come upon her husband, the only thing that gave him relief was to bend over almost double and clasp both arms about the limb where the pains were, and that she had seen him stop and bend over in that way three times in coming the distance from the barn to the house, which is about one hundred and fifty feet, and sometimes he would have to call for help before he could get in. Eventually he was compelled to move about in a stooping posture, with the aid of two sticks, and at night, when his attacks came on, it was terrible to hear his groans and have no way of relieving him.

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STATE FIELD DAY THE I. A. O.

Will hold its annual field meet at the State Fair Grounds SALEM, JUNE 5, 2 P. M.

Teams from University of Oregon, Eugene; Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis; Oregon State Normal School, Monmouth; Pacific College, Monmouth; Pacific University, Forest Grove; Willamette University, Salem; will participate. Track Events—120 yard hurdle, 220 yard hurdle, 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 440 yard run, 880 yard run, mile run, mile walk, two mile bicycle race. Field Events—Hammer throw, shot put, pole vault, broad jump, high jump. The championship cup, now held by the University of Oregon, will be held during the year 1897-8 by the team winning the most points in the games of June 5. Handsome gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to those gaining first, second and third place in each event.

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