

HISTORIC CHAMPOEG IS THROGGED WITH PEOPLE

Saturday Celebration of "Founders Day" Recalls Many Stirring Scenes.

MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR F. X. MATTHIEU ARE HELD

Salem Residents Journey to Grounds in Autos, Trains and by Other Means.

Historic Champeog was the scene Saturday, May 2, of the 71st anniversary of the convention held there on May 2, 1843, when the little band of pioneers who had braved the perils of a journey across the plains, over the wild and trailless mountains, to settle in a wilderness, gathered to determine whether or not a government should be established in the "Oregon country."

Over 5,000 pioneers, children of pioneers, and men and women interested in keeping sacred the memory of those who wrought an empire out of the wilderness, were present on Saturday, which was a day ideal in every respect for such a celebration.

In addition to the regular anniversary celebration, memorial services for Hon. F. X. Matthieu, the last survivor of the 102 men who assembled at "Champeog" on that eventful day, who died February 4 of this year, were held.

Pictures of F. X. Matthieu were in evidence on badges worn by the throngs. A printed souvenir, containing pictures of Matthieu, the seal of the provisional government—three sheaves of wheat and a salmon—the names of the men who took part in the convention of 1843, photographs of Matthieu and Sam Simpson, "Beautiful Willamette," by Sam Simpson, and other interesting historical data, was distributed by the Oregon Pioneer association and the Oregon Historical society under the supervision of George H. Himes.

Judge Peter H. D'Arcy, early in the afternoon, as president of the day, called the assembly to order. Rev. G. W. Kennedy, a pioneer of '53, invoked the blessing. Judge D'Arcy first introduced Hon. Joseph Buehler, of Portland, who talked on the services rendered by both D'Arcy and himself in securing an appropriation from the state to purchase 12 acres of land.

The principal speaker of the day was Charles B. Moore, of Portland, who gave an eulogy and biography of the departed pioneer.

Other speakers on the program were Governor T. T. Geer, Mrs. Jose De Vere Johnson, John Manning, Hon. Alfred S. Bennett of the Dalles, Judge T. J. Cloeten of Portland, Judge Grant B. Dimick of Oregon City. Much comment has been made concerning the speech made by John Manning on this occasion.

One of the features of the program was the love song sung in real Chinook by Mrs. Applin, who was born near Champeog in 1837.

Mrs. McCann, who was born on the donation land claim upon which this celebration was held, and upon the claim where is erected a monument to the 102 persons, made a short talk. She was born in 1840. C. McKnight, Sain of southern Oregon spoke for ten minutes. Mrs. Mary Post read an original poem as a tribute to F. X. Matthieu. Mrs. O. N. Denny, a pioneer of 1847, and a survivor of the Whitman massacre, spoke for five minutes. Sol Durbin, a pioneer of 1847, was introduced and offered his tribute to Mr. Matthieu. Rev. C. E. Cline of Portland made a patriotic talk upon the valor displayed by the men who participated in the 1843 meeting at Champeog.

Among those from Salem in the large crowd were the following, which is only a small portion of those present from the Capital city: Geo. S. Downing, A. L. Downing, Frank T. Wrightman, T. J. Cronise, C. P. Bishop and wife, Alex. La Follette, B. J. Miles and son Donald, Werner Breymann, Ada Eldridge, Miss Mary Hart, Miss Theresa D'Arcy, J. C. Griffith, A. N. Moores and wife, R. B. Herriock, Jr., Lafa Cavanaugh and wife, Joseph A. Sellwood and wife, Sglomon Durbin and his daughter, Mrs. C. A. Walker; Mrs. J. B. Eaton, a daughter of James Henderson, an Oregon pioneer; Ben W. Olcott, secretary of state; Mrs. Arthur Benson, Mrs. Carlton Smith, Joseph Thompson, Joseph Albert and wife, U. G. Boyer, deputy county clerk; D. C. Thoms, Jefferson; Miss Ellen Chamberlain, Sam Waller, Sam A. Hughes, Joseph A. Baker, Paul E. Wallace and mother, ex-Governor Z. F. Moody and wife, E. P. McCormack, C. A. Parks, E. M. LaFore and wife, and Albert Tozier, mayor of the tonted city, who carried on the Downing auto the only American flag seen going out of Salem.

Late Yesterday

At Akron, Ohio.—H. P. Harris was killed when his aeroplane fell with him.

New York.—General Sickels died, aged 80, with his wife, reconciled with him after 30 years' estrangement, and his son Stanton at his bedside.

Sacramento, Cal.—Mrs. Clara Shay, wife of Danny Shay, once of the San Francisco baseball team, died of injuries received in an automobile wreck Saturday night.

San Francisco.—California Scandinavians successfully concluded their most important fiesta of the year—their annual picnic and May fete at Shellmound park.

At Los Angeles, Cal.—Orders were received to muster Battery A, field artillery of the national guard, to full war strength.

San Francisco.—A victim for two years of a serious nervous disorder, Mrs. Edith Grancy, the poolroom proprietor's wife, shot and killed herself.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Bertha White, 18 years old, inmate of the Whittier reform school, knocked down and seriously injured Miss Mary James, her guard, and escaped.

At San Francisco.—Believing she was suspected of a theft of silver from Mrs. J. Crocker's home, where she worked as a maid, Miss Leon Espaliter committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas.

PORTLAND WHEAT MARKET. Portland, May 4.—Wheat, club 90c; bluestem 95c.

Oats, number 1 white feed \$22.50 & \$23; gray \$22.50.

Barley, yellow, \$21.50; feed \$20. Hogs, best live \$8.55.

Prime steers \$8.50-\$9.50; fancy cows \$7; best calves \$8.50-\$9. Spring lambs \$7.00-\$8; yearling lambs \$6.75.

Butter, city creamery 25c. Eggs, selected candled local extras 20 cents.

Hens 17c; broilers 27c@32c; geese 12c; turkeys 20c@22c.

Wool, 1914 clip Willamette valley 16 1/2@20c; Eastern Oregon 11c@19 1/2c. Hous, choice 16c@17c.

fir on the Oregon national forest shows 94 per cent of the trees living. Extensive plantings of young trees in Washington and Oregon are costing only \$8 an acre. Direct seeding of lodgepole pine has been successful without exception on the Arapaho national forest, Colorado. Several of the areas sown two and three years ago show from 5,000 to 10,000 seedlings per acre.

FRANCIS APPEALS CASE TO THE SUPREME COURT

Not Satisfied with Ruling in Case Against State Printer Harris Appeal is Taken.

CASE RECENTLY DECIDED BY JUDGE GALLOWAY

Other Suits, Complaints and Answers Filed in Marion County Circuit Court.

Notice of appeal to the supreme court in the case of W. C. Francis, James Archer, and F. R. Bussard, Jr., against Chris. Schuman, et al., from the order of Judge Galloway dissolving the injunction brought by the plaintiff against State Printer R. A. Harris, was filed this morning in the circuit court for Marion county by the attorneys for the plaintiff. Recently Judge William Galloway sustained the demurrer of the defendants and dissolved the temporary injunction restraining the state printer from paying the union men employed in the state printing plant. The judge stated that the state printer could hire whom he pleased in the plant so long as he did not deprive any man of his legal rights. The plaintiffs appealed from that decision.

In asking to have the complaint of the plaintiff in the case of Ed. and L. J. Ogle against Helen C. Hurst dismissed, the defendant filed an answer Saturday in which she states that she is a woman 76 years old, a widow in poor health for the past four years, and that prior to April 5, 1911, she was the owner of certain real premises in this county. She says that on account of the fact that she has been ill she was unable to attend to her business affairs that she trusted to the management of Fred P. Hurst, who is an officer of the Aurora Electric company.

She says that on April 5, 1911, through her agent Hurst, she sold to the plaintiffs all her premises, except a 10-foot strip owned by the Aurora Electric company, for \$1,300, part paid in cash and part in notes. She alleges that when the plaintiffs bought her land they knew and understood that the 10-foot strip was subject to the right of the electric company to operate and maintain electric wires over it. She says the plaintiffs knew that the rights of the electric company were not reserved. She declares she signed the deed in ignorance that the rights were not reserved. However, she alleges that the plaintiffs have not suffered any injury or damage and asks that their complaint be dismissed.

In the divorce suit pending in the circuit court in which Bertha Brunkel is plaintiff and Jacob Brunkel is defendant, a reply was filed Saturday by the plaintiff denying the answer and cross complaint of the defendant husband. In reply to charges made in the answer, she says that while away from her husband she acted wholly in accordance with her marriage vows.

Judge Galloway this morning granted a decree quieting the title to certain lands in the case of John and Bessie Tschantz against John Wills, and Clarence Porter, et al. The complaint was confessed by the defendants in an answer and the order stating that they had no rights in the property was made accordingly.

An action for the collection of a \$1,700 promissory note given to the Farmers' Implement company on January 1, 1914, by Frank W. Hall, was begun in the circuit court this morning by the Vermont Farm Machine company. It is alleged that the plaintiff purchased the note from the Farmers' Implement company. The complaint states that no part has been paid, except \$35. Two hundred dollars are asked as reasonable attorney's fees for the collection of the note.

An action for the collection of money alleged to be due for goods sold and delivered was begun this morning in the circuit court by R. L. Sabin against A. W. and Clayton Young. The amount alleged to have been sold was \$1,599.88, no part of which he says has been paid except \$681.57, which leaves \$918.01 owing and unpaid. The account was assigned to the plaintiff who asks judgment.

Deputy Sheriff W. I. Needham went to Silverton today to bring Mrs. H. B. Shalstad to this city for examination as to her sanity. The complaint was

sworn to by her husband. Old age is given as the cause of the mental derangement.

One marriage license was issued this morning by the Marion county clerk. The couple receiving the permit to wed was Louis Raveau, a laborer of Portland, and Elizabeth Lawrence, a telephone operator of this city.

As a result of complaints coming in to Sheriff Each, he took a trip east of Salem and succeeded in landing several alleged chicken thieves that have been making trouble among the farmers there. After several attempts to catch the thieves, the sheriff finally got a clue. He was on the way to the scene of the last depredation when he met the man suspected and brought him to the city. Cross-questioning brought a confession of other robberies and an implication of two others, W. Artz and A. Tindall. Both men were arraigned and pleaded not guilty. They were released on \$50 bonds and will appear for hearing Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Desertion is the charge brought against O. B. Copeland in the circuit court by E. B. Copeland in a suit to dissolve the marriage contract existing between them. They were married in Kansas City, Missouri, June 30, 1893. There are no children. In addition to the charge of desertion, the plaintiff charges in 1897 he started but failed to carry through a suit for divorce.

TO DEVELOP STRAIN OF POTATOES FREE OF DISEASE

In order to develop a pure strain of Burbank potatoes that is free from disease and one that will be a seed-foundation for the growing of better stock in this part of the Willamette valley, plans for the perfecting of a "Burbank Potato club" are being formulated by Luther J. Chapin, U. S. government agricultural expert station in this county. Much interest by farmers who are in the potato-raising business has been expressed in the movement, and it is believed that when the club has been formed it will do much for the potato-growing industry of Marion county.

Seed foundation stock has been secured from W. P. Miller of Dallas, who has developed this strain of Burbank potatoes for the past 12 years. In Mr. Chapin's estimation the so-called Burbank strain that is being grown here now is badly mixed. Criticism offered by California potato-seed buyers who formerly bought seed from the Willamette valley is that the seed grown now is scabby and diseased and not suitable for their use. It is in order to remedy this condition of affairs that the effort to develop a pure strain of potato, is to be made.

A. C. DeVos, the shoe dealer, and Roy Melson, of Salem, in company with Morris Welch and Charles Sweigis, are home from an auto trip to the upper waters of North Silver creek, where they spent Sunday fishing. The total catch for the day was 287. Although the weather was warm and pleasant in Salem, they found it raining and snowing and very cold and disagreeable in the mountains.

L. P. Larson, a prominent stock raiser of near Pratum, is a Salem visitor today. Mr. Larson is a breeder of fine Clydesdale horses.

STATE LAND BOARD IS TALKED TO A WHISPER

The state land board had a meeting this morning to listen to proposals concerning the leasing of the Silver Lake and Lake County. There are several propositions made, one of which offers to pay the state \$50,000 a year for 20 years for the privilege of extracting the salts contained in the lakes. Still another materialized this morning when W. S. Wallace, a Methodist minister of Portland, made a proposition to pay the state \$50,000 a year for 40 years. He was present, and in an unguarded moment was asked to explain his proposition. He had filed with the board a dissertation on socialism, co-operation and other things. He quoted Gladstone, John Bright, Macaulay, the Bible and some of the rather remote profane authorities to show that modern methods and the failure of representatives of the people who fell down and neglected their God-given trusts by permitting capitalists to buy things from the state, that the state should hang on to, would cause an ultimate ruin, and so through some 16 pages of closely-typed manuscript, he read a mixed lecture on the duties of state officials and the sacredness of the salts of Abert and Summer lakes.

He seemed to think the salt was necessary to the ultimate salvation of Oregon people, especially its officers, and as probably the only thing that would preserve them and keep them in the straight and narrow path.

But when he was asked to speak and explain, it was like pressing the button on a double-barrelled and automatic phonograph, or tapping the perennial fountain of speech. Language flowed from his lips like water from a Salem hydrant outside of irrigation hours. Nay, it jetted, and spouted, and displayed color effects that would make the Waite fountain look like a two-color comic supplement. Secretary Givott just slumped down in his chair while State Treasurer Kay pulled his forehead, and Governor West, after vainly trying several times to inject a question, also fell back open-mouthed and paralyzed, while Mr. Wallace erupted language and statements about capitalists that was an overwhelming flood. Here and there a sentence could be caught as the eloquent and vociferous speaker inserted a new belt in his rapid-fire gun. One of these was: "Co-operation in the business and industries of the world would solve and was destined to solve all the troubles that now plagued civilization." As he placed another round in his nitrate-gun, he said: "The communication I have submitted is to protest most respectfully but most earnestly and in the

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DAVIS DEFEATS NEVILLE FOR GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

San Francisco, May 4.—By defeating Jack Neville in the final match of the tournament at the Presidio links, Harry K. B. Davis, formerly of Portland, but now of San Francisco, today holds the golf championship of northern California. Neville got off to a good start by taking the first two holes and in the morning round, Neville made a 72 to Davis 73. The new champion played an uphill game, and golf enthusiasts were loud in their praises of his plucky work.

DROWNED IN COOS BAY

Marshfield, Or., May 4.—Falling from a passenger boat, George Cateking, of Summer, was accidentally drowned today in Cateking inlet. The body was recovered.

SIX-YEAR-OLD BOY FOUND DEAD DRUNK

San Francisco, May 4.—Timothy Paul Ryan, aged 6 years, was picked up on the street here early today dead drunk. After being somewhat sobered he said a man enticed him into Golden Gate park and made him swallow whiskey under threat of death. He is in a critical condition.

INSURGENTS ENCOURAGED BY CAPTURE OF KOLEBONA

Athens, May 4.—Albanian advices today were to the effect that the complete disintegration of King William's new dominions seems likely. Saturday's capture of Kolebna greatly encouraged the insurgents, who are resisting his authority in Epirus, the Mohammedans were said to be threatening revolt and the masses of the Christian population were reported prepared to attempt setting up a ruler of their own at the first opportunity.

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