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## KANSAS AGAINST OREGON

### A Salem Visitor to Grasshopper State Prefers Webfoot

Fields are Green and Skies are Blue but the People are not Up to Date in Business Lines

Winfield, Kans., May 24, 1903. To The Capital Journal: You requested me to write you how I liked Kansas, and I will make the attempt. I have been here just a month. When I arrived in April they were having very pleasant weather, and I thought Kansas was the most beautiful country that I ever looked at. And I saw more green fields, and more cattle, coming from Colorado here than I have seen all the time I have lived in Oregon. From what I can learn the farmers are quite prosperous here. A tenant has to give half of everything that is raised on a rented farm, even to the fruit, and they save money at that. They had three hard frosts about the first of May, and consequently the fruit crop will not be as good as it would have been, yet there will be some of nearly all kinds, and great quantities of apples. For the last ten days there has been very heavy rains and some high winds, but no cyclones that we have heard of. It is quite warm here. I have no notion of staying in Kansas. I am sure that I like Oregon much better, and I am sure that I like the people much better, too. The merchants are not up-to-date here at all. We have grand stores at Salem by the side of those at Winfield. I was very much disappointed for I expected to find things cheaper here, but I find almost everything a little higher than there, and not near so good a grade of goods. Winfield has a population of between eight and nine thousand. There are no oil wells here, but about the first of July I will go about 50 miles further east where there are lots of oil and gas wells; perhaps I will write to you from there. I expect to go back to Oregon about the first of September. MRS. L. CAMPBELL.

### KEEP YOUR HEAD UNCOVERED.

#### The Constant Wearing of a Hat Propagates Dandruff Germs.

There are many men who wear their hats practically all the time when awake, and are blessed with a heavy shock of hair; yet if the scalp of these same men once become infested with dandruff germs, the parasites would multiply all the quicker for lack of air. Baldness would ensue as the final result. Newbro's Herpicide kills these germs and stimulates unhealthy hair to abundant growth. Herpicide is a pleasant hair dressing, as well as a dandruff cure, and contains not a atom of injurious substances.

For sale by Daniel J. Fry. Send 10 cents in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

#### Old Twins Hale and Hearty.

Winsted, Conn., June 3.—Joel and Jonas Hungerford of Watertown, who are the oldest twins living in New England, and perhaps in the United States, celebrate their 87th birthday today and tomorrow. Joel having been born June 3 and Jonas June 4, 1816. Both are farmers, hale and hearty, and their neighbors often are puzzled to tell which is which, they look so much alike. Many persons called on the aged twins today and extended congratulations.

#### The Excitement Not Over.

The rush to the drug store still continues and daily scores of people call for a bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Kemp's Balsam, the standard family remedy, is sold on a guarantee and never fails to give entire satisfaction. Price 25c and 50c.

#### Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing in Salem, Oregon, between J. N. Brown and M. T. Wrightman, under the firm name and style of Brown & Wrightman, doing business as attorneys at law, is this day, by mutual consent, dissolved. Mr. Wrightman is retiring from the firm; Mr. Brown will maintain the business in the same offices heretofore occupied by Brown & Wrightman.

All parties owing the firm of Brown & Wrightman will pay such obligation to J. N. Brown.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 1st day of June, 1903.  
J. N. BROWN,  
F. T. WRIGHTMAN.

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## GETTING READY TO BLOOM

### Active Work to Commence on Grounds and Buildings

Carnival Buttons Getting Plentiful and Everybody Taking an Interest in Salem's Great Show

One hundred dollars in gold and a week's visit to Astoria as the honored guest of the city and of the Regatta Queen, is the portion of the happy Queen of the Salem Carnival. And the Dallas Queen is to be the guest of Salem's sovereign during the great Midsummer festival here. Who wouldn't be Queen?

The lumber for the big booth-section and for the grand arch was ordered today and as soon as it is on the grounds steps will be taken to secure bids for the erection of this part of the Carnival paraphernalia after which it will be decorated to the "Queen's taste."

There are plenty of Carnival buttons at Mr. Judah's office in the city hall. Boys and girls are wanted to sell these pretty souvenirs of the big summer festival. Forty per cent profit can be made by the youngsters and the supply is inexhaustible.

The band stand in Willson's avenue will soon be shifted to the center of the Carnival grounds in the booth-section, and will be made white as snow. It will be lighted with electricity and be an object of beauty and a source of delight "when the band begins to play."

The guarantee fund is being circulated throughout the city and is being rapidly filled. The citizen's have as much faith in the coming Carnival as its managers have, and this is as it should be. If the people don't back such an enterprise, no small group of workers can accomplish anything, work they never so hard.

The Salem Carnival will be as brilliant as 1000 electric lights of varied voltage can make it.

If the ladies of the Maccabees DO put a candidate for the Queenship in the field and undertake her election, as rumor has it they will, then the ballots will fly between this and June 15th.

As many of the Carnival executive committee as can get away, will go tomorrow, to Dallas, to witness the grand opening of the Woodmen Carnival there, and during the ceremony incident to the installation of the Queen, will tender that pretty sovereign a cordial invitation to come to Salem as the guest of our Queen and of the City, during OUR CARNIVAL.

The stars of Heaven won't be in it with the pyrotechnic glories that are to be kept blazing on the Carnival grounds here, on the night of July 4th.

Mr. Arnold has just added a dog and monkey exhibit to his splendid list of Carnival attractions for the Salem engagement. He is a rustler and by the time he sets up in the Capital City he will have far more than contracted to show here.

There will be five prize babies in the Capital City after the Carnival, though there never was a baby that wasn't a prize baby to a greater or less extent. Keep your eyes open for the prizes and the rules of the contest. The judges are to be old Bachelors, the most disinterested, (and probably the most uninterested) creatures in the world, but who are so honest to be bribed by the smoothest daddy, the prettiest mamma or the loveliest baby in the country.

### Suffered 8 Months

I can heartily recommend Acker's Tablets for dyspepsia and stomach troubles. I have been suffering for eight months, and tried many remedies without any relief, until I got Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets, which I used only a short time, and am now perfectly well. Thanking you for the speedy recovery, I am gratefully yours, Francis I. Gansor, Vancouver, Wash.

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## MORMONS ARE GOOD STAYERS

### Dr. T. C. Iliff Discusses the Case of Reed Smoot

Secretary of the Methodist Church Extension Society Talks Interestingly of Conditions in Utah

Dr. T. C. Iliff, secretary of the Methodist church extension society, who is in Tacoma in his official capacity, has been prevailed upon, somewhat against his inclinations, to speak Tuesday evening at the First Methodist church on the subject of Mormonism. As head of the Utah mission of the Methodist church at Salt Lake City, Dr. Iliff was a firebrand among the Mormons for a quarter of a century. He was head of the committee that took upon its shoulders the task of ousting Roberts from the senate. He and his friends are now active in the campaign against Reed Smoot.

After his sermon last night at the First Methodist church, which was on religious lines, Dr. Iliff talked with a Ledger reporter on the subject which has occupied such a large share of his busy lifetime.

"The difficulty in our fight against Reed Smoot," said he, "is that we haven't anything so definite and tangible to work upon as in the case of Roberts. Smoot is not a polygamist. At least, he says he is not. I met him the other day in Washington and he reminded me that I had known him from boyhood and should know that he never lived with but one wife. I told him that I was obliged to accept this statement of his case as far as it went, but that my sole ground of opposition to him was not polygamy."

"Do you oppose Senator Smoot on religious grounds?" Dr. Iliff was asked.

#### Why He Opposed Smoot.

"No," he replied. "I oppose him because his sworn duty to his religion is greater than his duty to his country. The Mormon believes that his bishops and leaders are endowed with a divine right to rule; that they are capable of ruling over all others. This is one of the cardinal principles of Mormonism. They do not separate church and state, but place the church first and the state second. Smoot should not be allowed to hold his place because Utah has not kept its promise as a state. Before Utah was admitted there was a promise of absolute segregation of church and state and complete abandonment of polygamous practices. In both instances the promise has been ignored. There is a state law, to be sure, against polygamy, but it is not enforced. The Mormons run the state, and the officials refuse to take cognizance of the practice. Polygamy has been resumed almost to the same extent as formerly and there seems to be no way of getting at it now. In spite of its constitution and its laws, Utah is a polygamous state, because the church is dominant and so will be. In spite of the inhibition of the constitution the church regulates all branches of politics. Smoot could not have been elected without the influence of the church. He was the church's candidate, and that is ground enough for opposition to him. But whether or not that is sufficient tangible to appeal to congress remains to be seen."

#### Dr. Iliff was asked as to his opinion of the spread of Mormonism.

"Never so Dangerous as Now." "Mormonism," said he, "was never so dangerous as at the present time, simply because of the political influence it has acquired. With two thirds of the population, it has Utah absolutely in its power. Idaho is also under Mormon influence, and Nevada, Oregon, New Mexico and other states are also proselyted. The danger from this influence would not be so great if politicians did not cater to it, but politicians cannot always be relied upon."

"Do you believe that Mormonism will become a serious menace," was asked. "I think it does not contain the elements to even make it the source of national trouble, but if the Mormons should succeed in the next few years in electing five or ten Western United States senators and congressmen, they could so imperil themselves by securing legislative concessions that the evil would be hard to uproot. Of course, no man who is nominally a polygamist may ever again be elected to congress, but that matters

# The White Carnival

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little to the church if it can elect men pledged to its support."

#### Appeals to Ignorance.

Dr. Iliff was asked to name the elements that have enabled the Mormon church to so successfully promulgate itself.

"That is hard to state," he said. "Mormonism is fanaticism, and it has spread like most fanatic notions—by appeals to ignorance and superstition. Aside from this I attribute its growth to the perfect organization. Its system is admirable, and the leaders have never lost their grip upon the people. Some predicted that when Brigham Young died the church would go to pieces. Then they predicted that it would last during the lifetime of certain men who had been trained under his tutelage, but they have died and the church is now 300,000 strong, and thoroughly knit together. Given a belief in the inspiration of the Mormon Bible and the divinity of Mormon leaders; add to this a perfect organization, supplemented with business instincts and a desire for political advantage, and present this with the base human element expressed in polygamy, and you have an institution that is mighty nearly impregnable.

"We are told that education is the remedy, but against these odds education is a slow process. Dozens of their young men go to Eastern colleges, but they come back—to what? They are placed in positions of influence in the church, and the leader; in the Mormon church are men who get rich rapidly. The pecuniary interests of these young men demand that they suppress any religious doubts that may have been created at school, and if they show a disposition to hold back they are often induced to enter upon the practice of polygamy, thus committing themselves to the church for life.

#### How the Ranks are Recruited.

"That is the way education works at the top. At the bottom the ranks are being recruited from foreign countries and from the whites of the Southern mountains and elsewhere. They are usually people who believe implicitly as they are taught, and they believe that Joseph Smith and Brigham Young are actually gods in heaven. To loosen the ignorance with education enough to weaken the grip of Mormonism is slow work while their method of making converts seems all too rapid.

"Outwardly it is a shrewd man who can detect any serious defect in Mormon teaching. They preach openly practices that are wholesome and pure, and it is only after they have secured their converts that they begin to insist upon the fanatical beliefs and practices that constitute the evil of the sect."

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers, Acker's Blood Elixir, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale, weak, run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied. 50 cents and \$1.00. D. J. Fry, druggist.

#### A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

## WILL NOT LET THEM ALONE

### Negro Question Would Take Care of Itself

#### Misguided Fanatics Agitate Race Problems of Which They Show They are Supremely Ignorant

New York, June 3.—"To the white race belongs the responsibility for the condition of the black man in the south, and the people of that section of our country have no right to nullify the 14th and 15th amendments by the suppression of the negro vote," said the Rev. Dr. David Gregg, who was applauded several times during his sermon on "Has the Civil War Settled Anything?" in the Lafayette avenue Presbyterian church, Brooklyn.

Dr. Gregg elaborated on the cause of the Civil War and its horrors as an illustration of what should not again be gone through with, and said that unless this Southern negro question were taken up immediately by wise heads on both sides and quickly brought to an amicable settlement, he felt morally certain there would be an uprising, the result of which could not be predicted. There was every indication, he said, that the South was gradually drifting back to slavery and this has been doubly made certain in the act of two or three states. The negro has been disfranchised, and "disfranchisement of a race can mean only one thing, and that is the negro is forced to do the white man's bidding, and such bidding in this case is nothing more than pure slavery. It should not be permitted to extend further."

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#### Public Wool Sale

The Marion County Wool Growers' Association will sell to the highest bidder, at the city hall, in Salem, on Saturday, June 6, 1903, at 1:30 p. m., 100,000 pounds, more or less, of valley wool. The right to reject any or all bids will be reserved.

- W. H. DOWNING.
  - A. T. WALN.
  - W. W. CULVER.
  - W. E. BAGAN.
  - O. W. DINGMORE.
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## Market Quotations Today

"Make Salem a Good Home Market"

**Poultry—at Steiner's Market.**  
Chickens—10@11c.  
Spring chickens—13@15c.  
Eggs—Per dozen, 14c.

**Hop Market.**  
Hops—17@18c.

**Potatoes, Apples, Etc.**  
Potatoes—25@30c.  
Onions—65c.

**Dried Fruits.**  
Dried Apples—4@6c.  
Italian prunes, 40s to 50s—5c  
Pette Prunes—4c.

**Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.**  
Big Fir—\$4.50.  
Second Growth—\$4.00.  
Ash—\$3.00 to \$3.75.  
Body Oak—\$5.00.  
Pole Oak—\$5.00.  
Cedar Posts—10c.

**Hides, Pelts and Furs.**  
Green Hides, No. 1—1@7c.  
Green Hides, No. 2—2@5.  
Calf Skins—4 to 5c.  
Sheep—75c.  
Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.  
Gray Fox—25 to 50c.  
Coon—10 to 40c.  
Mink—25c to \$1.25.  
Otter—\$1.00 to \$5.00.  
Skunk—10 to 25c.  
Muskrat—1 to 5c.  
Wildcat—10 to 25c.

**Grain and Flour.**  
Wheat—65@70c.  
Oats—30@32c.  
Barley—Brewing 55@60c bushel; feed \$21 per ton.  
Flour—Wholesale, \$3.50.

**Live Stock Market.**  
Steer—4 1/2c.  
Cows—3 to 3 1/2c.  
Sheep—\$3.50 gross to \$4.00.  
Dressed Veal—76c.  
Hogs alive—6 1/4@6 1/2c.  
Hogs, dressed—8c.

**Wool and Mohair.**  
Wool—15@17c.  
Mohair—37c.

**Hay, Feed, Etc.**  
Baled Cheat—\$13.  
Clover—\$10.  
Bras—\$23 1/2c.  
Shorts—\$23.50.

**Creamery and Dairy Products.**  
Good dairy butter—15@20c.  
Creamery butter—32 1/2c.  
Cream, pan skimmed, at creamery—18c, at farm 14c.  
Cream-separator skimmed, at Com. Creamery 22 1/2c, minus freight.

**Portland Market.**  
Wheat—Walla Walla, 73c.  
Wheat—Valley, 75c.  
Flour—Portland, best grade, \$3.70;  
graham, \$3.15@3.55.  
Oats—Choice White, \$1.10.  
Barley—Feed \$20 per ton; rolled, \$22@22.50.  
Millstuf—Bran, \$23.  
Hay—Timothy, \$20@22.  
Onions—40@60 cents per cental.  
Potatoes—40@50c per cental.  
creamery, 20@22 1/2c; store, 16c.  
Eggs—Oregon ranch, 16@16 1/2c per dozen.  
Poultry—Chickens, mixed 12@12 1/2c per pound; spring, 16@17c; turkeys, live, 16@17c.  
Mutton—Gross, \$3.50.  
Hogs—\$6@6.25.  
Beef—Gross, \$5@5.25.  
Veal—7 1/2@8c.  
Hops—18@20c per pound.  
Wool—Valley, 15@15 1/2c; Eastern Oregon, 20@24c; Mohair, 35@37 1/2c.  
Hides—dry, 16 pounds or upwards, 18 to 18 1/2c.  
Butter—Best dairy, nominal; fancy

**Sad News Received.**  
J. L. Freeland, the State-street business man, today received the sad word of the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Freeland, at Fairmount, Ill., aged 80 years.

On June 1st the Southern Pacific Co. will resume the sale of excursion tickets to Newport and Yaquina Bay. This resort is becoming more popular every year, and hotel accommodations are better than ever before, and at reasonable rates. Season tickets from Salem to Newport \$5.00; to Yaquina, \$4.50. Saturday-to-Monday tickets to Newport, \$2.00; to Yaquina, \$3.00.  
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