

### Circus At Salem.

The great Norris & Rowe Circus at Salem created the greatest sensation for several seasons. Many hazardous accomplishments and many difficult tricks were performed. Admirers of trick and fancy bicycle riding appreciated very much the difficult feats performed by the Seven Valdons.

It is indeed a wonderful act and sends the big audiences away wondering how on earth the young men and women accomplish such seemingly impossible tricks. The Valdons are but one of more than a hundred acts that are seen at the Norris & Rowe exhibit.

### Haskins Hired Man At Sublimity

The Sublimity Comedy Club gave a drama last Wednesday night at Sublimity. Several of the Stayton people went down and spent a fine time.

The play was called Haskins Hired Man and was well received by all who attended. John Lau, Dr. Pintler, Mr. Alexander and Mrs. Cahler play in the Orchestra. The play was followed by a dance and all report a fine time.

### NOTICE OF INDEMNITY SCHOOL SELECTION UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE

Portland, Oregon, April 23, 1909. Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon on April 23, 1909, applied for the W $\frac{1}{2}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 12, T. 8 S. R. 2 E., and filed in this office a list of School Indemnity Selections in which it selected said land; and that said list is open to the public for inspection.

Any and all persons, claiming adversely the above described land or any legal subdivision thereof, or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selection for any legal reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, REGISTER  
GEO. W. BILEU, RECEIVER.

### OREGON BULLETINS

Merlin—Word has been received here that D. L. Pelly, a miner at Galice, was blown up by dynamite some time Friday.

Brownsville—The officers of the Linn County Pioneers' Association have set the date for the 21st annual reunion and three days' picnic for June 23, 24 and 25.

Baker City—The Eastern Oregon Express Co., operating between this city and Astoria on the Sumpter Valley railroad, has been purchased by the Pacific Express Co.

Salem—The state board has closed a deal for the purchase of a new site in North Salem for the deaf mute school. The land purchased is the old Polytechnic Institute in part and comprises between 53 and 54 acres. The price paid was \$17,325.

Heppner—The crop outlook in Morrow county is very promising. From all sections comes the report that grain is looking better than ever before at this time of the year. There is a largely increased acreage and all are sanguine of a bumper crop.

Chemawa—The orchardists of this vicinity are congratulating themselves on the indications for a large fruit yield this year. The apple, cherry, pear, plum and prune trees have been in blossom for more than a week, and they have so far advanced that damage from frosts and cold spring rains is not feared.

Klamath Falls—Elmer Applegate has a 17-acre tract south of this city which he will plant in potatoes. Last year Mr. Applegate made on an average of \$400 an acre on his potato crop. This was after deducting all expenses and allowing for labor. His entire acreage averaged over 300 bushels to the acre.

Eugene—The first installment of 2000 packages of seed for the Lane county school children has been distributed. These seeds will be planted by the school children of the county to raise vegetables for the special exhibit to be made at the Lane county fair, which is to be held in Eugene.

Marshfield—Investigation of the death of Miss Mabbie L. Barnes, who died suddenly two weeks ago, has been discontinued. The stomach was sent for examination to the state chemist at Corvallis, but as he is out of the city, it has been returned without analysis. There was no other evidence to show anything but a natural death, so the coroner's jury returned a verdict of unknown cause.

Klamath Falls—The lives of 40 men were jeopardized, a horse so injured that its death ensued, and about 30 bents of timbering destroyed in the new railroad tunnel near the Oregon-California line on the California Northwestern railway by the explosion of two batches of dynamite Friday night, ignited by a laborer named Peterson, who in a half intoxicated condition had taken umbrage because ordered to leave the tunnel.

Salem—Governor Benson has received a letter from Governor A. E. Wilson, of Kentucky, inviting the Oregon executive to send three delegates and attend in person the third international conference on state and local taxation, to be held at Louisville, Ky., September 21-24, 1909, under the auspices of the International Tax Association. The governor has replied that he will appoint three delegates.

Astoria—While the Columbia River Packers' Association is to make the experiment this season of employing Filipinos at its Nushagak river cannery, few believe that the experiment will be a success, the reason being that trouble is almost certain to arise between the Filipinos and the Chinese and Japanese crews. A few years ago a number of Porto Ricans were taken north by this company, but there was almost constant fighting between them and the Japs, and the experiment was not tried again.

Astoria—While fishing is being allowed to proceed in the Willamette and Clackamas rivers, none is in progress in the Columbia, and the lower river storage plants are unable to secure any of the fish caught in the upper rivers. S. Schmidt & Co. received an offer from an up-river fish dealer to sell them ten tons of salmon. The offer was accepted, but the transportation companies have refused to bring the fish down, for the reason that it is unlawful for a common carrier to have fresh salmon in its possession during the closed season, which ends on the first day of May.

Hailstones Are Heavy. Des Moines, Iowa, April 19.—A terrific hail and windstorm struck Des Moines and Central Iowa Sunday. Plate glass windows in downtown stores were blown in and cellars were flooded. At Stuart, hailstones weighing half a pound fell, doing much damage to peach buds.

Mrs. Longworth Nervous. Washington, April 21.—Mrs. Alice Longworth is reported to be suffering from nervous prostration. Although she goes out as a part of the remedy toward restoration, she has

not been in company recently and does not receive guests. Her condition is, however, not regarded as serious.

### Borderland Land A Great Success.

The city was pleasantly surprised on Saturday evening by sweet strains of music from the band. The Turner band assisted by several of Stayton's musicians gave an appreciated concert during the evening prior to the hour of the opening of the play "Borderland."

The Opera House was packed to its full capacity. "Borderland" was well played by the amateur artists from Turner and afforded Stayton a pleasant evening not soon to

be forgotten. The "Scout Jack" as played by Mr. Martin won the hearts of the audience. The Darkey and Irishman brought forth great mirth and laughter by their comical antics while the other members of the company sustained well the parts in which they were cast. A number of Turner's people attended and added encouragement to their home talent.

The Lau orchestra did credit to itself as usual and in all the entertainment met hearty applause and appreciation. After the play those inclined to dance remained and tripped the "light fantastic toe" to the musical strains of the orchestra until 12 o'clock.

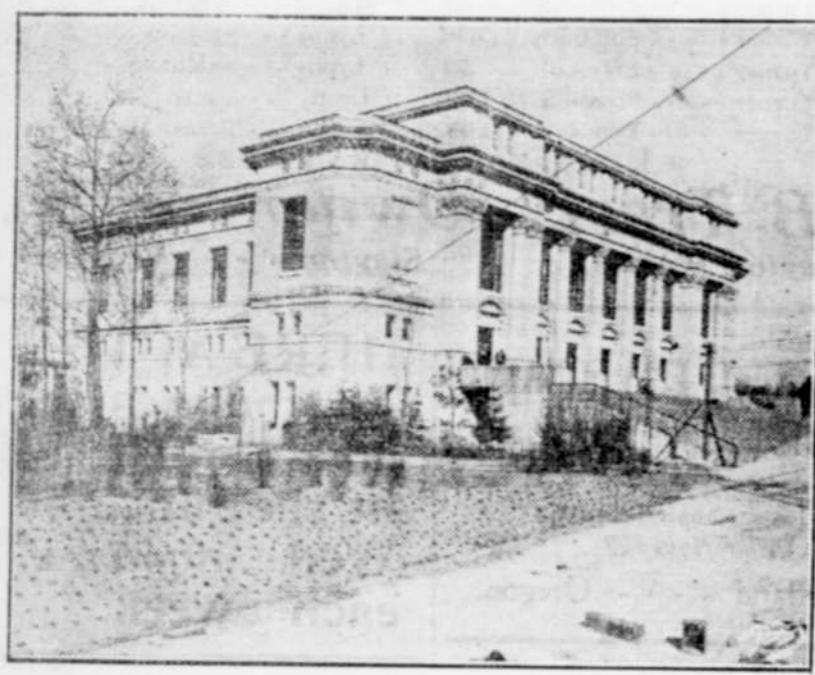
### EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, executrix of the last will and testament of John M. Kitchen, late of said County, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned at her place of residence, in Stayton, in Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1909.  
MELISSA J. KITCHEN,  
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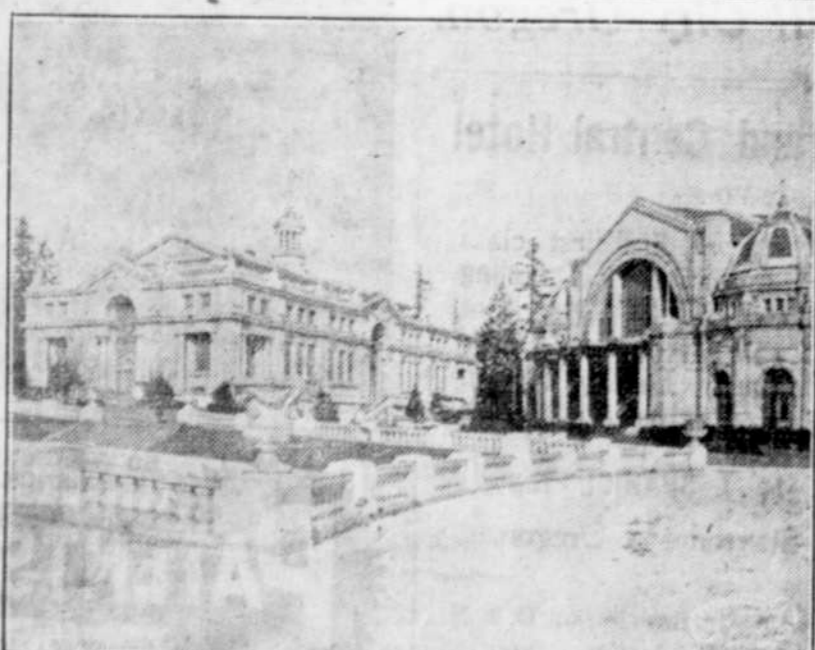
This has been a banner week for travelling men in Stayton. There has been 26 travelling men in town this week and there is just as much business going on as we could expect for so early in the season.



THE AUDITORIUM.

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition at Seattle, occupying 250 acres of the campus of the University of Washington, will result in benefits for Washington's seat of learning that the University could not have hoped to secure in many years, had not the great fair of 1909 been planned. So the exposition that will exploit Alaska, Hawaii and the Philippines and emphasize the importance of the growing trade with the Orient will leave, after its gates have closed, a large number of permanent structures to constantly remind the people of the Northwest of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition and the place it will occupy in the history of the Pacific as the medium through which one-half of the world was brought in such close touch with the other and a tremendous impetus to commercial intercourse given.

Seven buildings on the exposition grounds will be left for use of the University and the auditorium, one of the finest of this group, cost the State of Washington more than \$300,000. While the exposition is in progress this building will be used for conventions, congresses and conferences, and its hundreds of seats were in place and the building turned over to the exposition management three months before the opening date of the fair.



A PORTION OF THE CASCADE COURT.

The Palace of Oriental Exhibits forms one of the twelve mammoth display buildings first completed by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. Its lines are in pleasing contrast to the Agricultural and Manufacturers buildings, with which they are grouped, and their position overlooks the beautiful formal gardens and water display of the Cascades and Geysers Basin.

The exhibit placed within the walls of the Oriental building constitutes one of the most gorgeous displays of Far Eastern art and manufactured articles ever shipped from the Orient, and is bewildering in beauty and extent. Not a country of Asia is without representation, and treasures of old and modern art, never before permitted to leave the lands in which they were created, will be seen for the first time in the land of the Occident. The matter of arrangement of the Oriental exhibit has been placed in the hands of the most competent and artistic men at command and its display will be worthy of the magnificent collection.

About the Oriental building are gathered the great buildings housing the United States exhibit and the Alaska, Hawaiian and Philippine displays. One of the largest bandstands is within close distance, and from its doors the most noted musical organizations of the world will be heard daily.

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