

DAIRYMEN TO MEET

Salem Will Entertain State Association.

SESSION OPENS THURSDAY

Capital City Plans to Entertain 250 Visitors—Large List of Exhibits of Dairy Products to Be Feature of Convention.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—The Salem Board of Trade has made elaborate preparations for the entertainment of the dairymen who will be in session here for the last three days of this week.

President P. L. Kent, of the Dairymen's Association, has arranged with Professor J. G. Simpson, of the department of dairying at the Agricultural College, to come to Salem Wednesday to place in position the exhibits which will begin to arrive by that time.

MRS. GILBERT WARD DEAD

Respected Resident of Oregon City Will Be Buried Today.

OREGON CITY, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—The funeral of the late Mrs. Gilbert Ward, who died last night in Good Samaritan Hospital at Portland, will be held tomorrow afternoon in this city.

LIQUOR ORDINANCE PASSES

Lebanon Prepares to Make Conviction of Violators Easier.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—Lebanon's new liquor ordinance, which has been referred to the people by referendum in the city election in that city yesterday, was passed by a vote of 41 to 105.

ALLOWS LAYCOCK DIVORCE

Supreme Court Reserves Decision in Grant County Case.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—The Supreme Court today reserved the decision of Circuit Judge George E. Davis, of Grant County, in the Laycock divorce case, and granted a divorce in favor of Mrs. Laycock.

ARREST TIMBER CRUISER

G. W. Taylor, of Roseburg, Accused of Fraudulent Locating.

ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—George W. Taylor, local timber cruiser, was arrested in this city this evening on complaint of Mrs. N. J. Foley, who alleges Taylor misrepresented a timber claim to her.

W. O. MACK, PIONEER, DEAD

Crossed Plains With His Family in Summer of 1852.

CANBY, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—William O. Mack, who died at his home here December 2, aged 88 years, was one of the sturdy pioneers of Clackamas County.

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CONFESSION IS ADMITTED

Judge Lets Wife-Murderer's Words Go Into Court Record.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special)—Despite a vigorous fight on the part of the defense, the confession made by James K. Thomas that he shot his divorced wife and buried the body last July will be used against him in the trial now taking place in Judge Neterer's department of the Superior Court.

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Dealers in building materials have had the largest business in the city during the past year and at times were sold entirely out of some lines of material. The sash and door factories and planing mills have been working at full capacity. The activity in this line has added in increasing the population of the city and the certainty that the Salem Falls City & Western Railroad will be completed next season gives assurance of a much larger business next year than in 1907.

HOLDS SILVER JUBILEE

Sister Mary Jurvasia in Church Work for Quarter Century.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—Sister Mary Jurvasia, sister superior of the Academy of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, celebrated the 25th anniversary of her profession as a sister of the Benedictine Order today.

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Castle Rock Officer Mistakes Early Pedestrian for Robber.

CASTLE ROCK, Wash., Dec. 2.—(Special)—While searching for a robber Saturday morning, who had attempted to break into Conger & Co.'s store, but who had been frightened away by one of the proprietors shooting, the officers saw a man going down an alley and across a vacant lot at a fast speed, and when the man did not stop as requested, one of the party took a shot at him, fortunately missing.

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a game of marbles' were altered and the team was allowed to play out of the city they would go on strike and leave the Normal without athletics of any sort.

KILLED AS HE CLEANS GUN

Roy M. Bailey, of Mosier, Meets Fatal Accident in Home.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Dec. 2.—(Special)—As the result of the accidental discharge of a gun which he was cleaning, Roy M. Bailey, of Mosier, is dead at his home there. The accident took place Monday night and was caused by Bailey dropping the gun barrel, in which there was a cartridge, on the floor.

In falling, the butt end of the barrel struck and exploded the cartridge, the ball entering Bailey's neck and penetrating the spine. Hearing the noise of the explosion, Mrs. Bailey ran into the room, to find her husband on the floor in a pool of blood and after endeavoring to elicit a reply from him, ran to the nearest neighbors, a long distance away, for assistance.

A physician was summoned as soon as possible, but on his arrival pronounced that death must have been almost instantaneous. In addition to his wife and mother, the dead man is survived by two children.

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Why not secure one for Xmas now—To Gladden the Heart of Every Member of the Family

The supreme, the all-sufficient reason why there should be a piano in every home is that every home should be a happy home, and outside the sacred influence of a good mother, nothing contributes so much to the happiness of the home as music, and no instrument excels the piano in music-making witchery, in variety of tone and richness of melody.

Happy homes are the keystone in the arch of our splendid civilization, and happy homes make liberty-loving, patriotic people. The experience of all the ages is that music hallows the home, sanctifies its memories and blesses and beautifies human character. Few bad men go out from homes where music and mother are loved and honored.

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