

SALEM FILLS WITH VISITORS TO FAIR

Horsemen Move to State Capital From Portland Races in a Body.

FUTURITY EVENT FEATURE

Thursday, Portland Day, is Expected to Break Attendance Records. Speed Card is Best Ever Presented on Marion Track.

SALEM, Or., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Visitors to the State Fair, which opens this afternoon, are already arriving in the city. Most of the arrivals thus far are stock owners and horsemen, the latter gathering to witness what will probably be one of the best racing meets ever held in the Northwest. Many of the horsemen who had entries in the Portland meet are bringing their campaigns to the local track. These, together with the new stock that is arriving, will constitute the strongest list of racing material ever assembled in this city. Among the innovations on this year's programme is a futurity for Oregon horses two years old or under. The purse is \$500 and is already attracting owners of promising colts.

Helen Siles to Start. C. A. Durfee, winner of the Portland \$15,000 stakes, is among the horsemen now in Salem, and Durfee intends to drive his victorious mare, Helen Siles, in the big trotting event to be staged on Portland Day, next Thursday. A great attendance is expected on that day. Many thousands of Portlanders, who witnessed the great struggle between Durfee's entry and Prince Lot last Thursday, are anxious to see these horses race once more.

Foxy Joe McGuire, the Denver horseman, is also calculating to spring a surprise on the winners at the Portland meet, for Joe says his Lee Crawford will be ripe for a hard go next Thursday. He is anxious to get back at the Californians, who showed him the way in the big trot here. Horsemen are finding their great interest now in waiting to see how the races from the Portland track will act when they are tried on the local track, starting tomorrow. Horsemen say that the Portland track is hard, while the State Fair track is springy. The local track was constructed after digging a trench and placing sod endways to the surface of the track. It is believed by the trainers who have kept their horses in the stables here that the change from the hard Portland track will be sufficient to give the horses in the stables here all the best of the going.

McCarthy Will Officiate. J. L. McCarthy, the man who officiated as starter in the Portland meeting, is slated to do this honors in this city. This means that the patrons of the State Fair will enjoy seeing each heat sent off in good style.

Portland day will naturally be the big day this year as it has been in the past. The people of Portland are loyal to state institutions, and the State Fair is one of the most popular as well as beneficial. Secretary Welch and other officials of the Portland Fair and Livestock Association have arrived in Salem, and Mr. Welch believes that the State Fair will be more successful than ever, providing fair weather is encountered. At present the outlook for fair weather is not altogether bright, though it is believed that the slight chill and the threatening rains will not extend down the valley.

Water Supply Improved. Visitors to the fair need have no fear of the quality of the water in the city, according to a statement just given out by City Health Officer Miles, in which he declares that water tests received by him show that the supply here is absolutely pure. This follows the recent installation of a conduit from the supply station in the river to the pumping plant. As the conduit is the best obtainable it is certain that the old danger of often experienced here of lead in the intake pipe from the sewer is overcome, and now, it is said, the water supply is as pure as any that may be obtained from the best filtration plant.

Streetcar Service Good. Streetcar service to the fair grounds will be better than ever before. Now there is a competing line to the local system of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company in the Portland, Eugene & Eastern, which operates along Center and Summer street directly to the grounds. Three new cars have been received expressly for the purpose of handling State Fair traffic, and, with the two lines and more than 50 automobiles pressed into service, discomfort in reaching the grounds will be reduced to a minimum.

Correct Change Required. Manager Meredith is satisfied that the fair this year will be greater in point of attendance and greater in features than ever before, and Salem people who have gone to the fair grounds the past day or two agree with him. One of the changes will be in the new gates, which will require all visitors to carry the proper change, as the gates will operate on the turnstile and coin-in-the-slot principle.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. H. Test, of Ontario, is at the Perkins.
T. C. Warner, of Pendleton, is at the Perkins.
D. Allerton, Jr., of Carlton, is at the Oregon.
J. T. Harrigan, of Marshfield, is at the Imperial.
Dr. W. E. Welch, of Rainier, is at the Cornwell.
Edward C. Flynn, of Baker City, is at the Cornwell.
A. E. Kier, of Chehalis, Wash., is at the Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Everett, of Salem, are at the Lenox.
J. T. Sullivan, of Medford, is registered at the Oregon.
H. T. Patterson, of Bozeman, Mont., is at the Portland.
Leon M. Brown and family, of Burns, are at the Imperial.
Otto Keller, of The Dalles, is registered at the Perkins.
Horace Belknap, of Prineville, is staying at the Imperial.
I. A. Robie, of Grants Pass, is registered at the Cornwell.
Dell B. Scully has returned to Portland after an extended trip through

Washington, testing water pressure for water proofing purposes. Misses Bertha and Pearl Hanks, of Salem, are at the Lenox.
Mrs. A. B. Bullock, of Alameda, Cal., is staying at the Ramapo.
Mr. E. Sheehan and daughter, of Seattle, are at the Ramapo.
Fred G. Cummings, of Medford, is registered at the Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Billingsley, of Oak Point, are at the Lenox.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. King, of Hood River, are staying at the Oregon.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicell, of Roseburg, are staying at the Imperial.
Professor C. J. Bennett, until recently president of the State Normal School of West Virginia, is in Portland on his way to Eugene, where he will take charge of the department of psychology at the University of Oregon.
A. A. Kaddery, an old resident of Portland, starts today for a three months' trip in the East. He will visit his former home at Monroe, Wis., which he left when he came to Oregon in 1876. He



Edward Windle, Two-Year-Old Child Who Was Burned to Death at Lents Saturday Night.

will also visit Chicago, New York and other important cities of the East before returning.

CHILD VICTIM FAMOUS

BABE BURNED AT LENTS WAS KNOWN AS "COCKEREL."

Name Given by Tiny Sister Had Attracted Attention of Poultrymen Far and Wide.

Edmond Windle, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Windle, of Lents, was burned to death in the fire that also resulted fatally to Laura Ellis, the young woman in charge, in the absence of the parents Saturday night. The little boy was exceedingly bright. He was born two years ago and for a boy of two years soon after birth acquired an extensive reputation. At that time his father, who is a well-known raiser of fancy poultry, had a large number of cockerels and the talk about the place naturally ran that way. One day there was a family council to name the baby, and after everybody had suggested his choice, the baby's sister, then two years old and beginning to talk understandingly, solemnly said: "Call him Cockerel." The incident was printed on the poultry page of The Weekly Oregonian and was so extensively copied by the poultry papers of the land that he became known far and wide as "Cockerel" Windle.

The body of the little boy is at the Holman Undertaking Parlor and will be buried from there at 2 o'clock this afternoon. An inquiry into the cause of his death and of the death of Laura Ellis will be made by the coroner today.

Stork Visits Imperial and Leaves a Boy

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Law, of Dallas, Name Child "Imperial."

WITHOUT registering Imperial Low took possession of a room at the Imperial Hotel at 1 o'clock yesterday morning, and during the day was the center of interest to all the patrons, the management and its employees. Imperial Low weighed exactly nine pounds when he was presented to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Law, of Dallas, formerly of Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Law registered at the hotel at 11 o'clock Saturday night.

HOQUIAM MAN TAKES FIRST PRIZE WITH SWEET PEAS AT ABERDEEN SHOW.



PRIZE-WINNING SWEET PEAS IN GARDEN OF JOSEPH WOODS, HOQUIAM, WASH. HOQUIAM, Wash., Sept. 11.—(Special.)—Joseph Woods, well known by reason of his interest in sweet-pea culture, returned from Aberdeen yesterday, where he was awarded the first prize at the annual flower show for a cluster of Miriam Beaver sweet peas. These prize-winning peas, of a delicate pink hue, all measured over two inches across the widest part of the bloom. Mr. Woods has a double screen of sweet peas of this same variety. The average height of the plants on this screen is nine and a half feet, while some of the stalks measured ten feet in height. Mr. Woods has grown all this year's flowers from his own seed crop of last year. The sweet peas in Mr. Woods' garden were much admired by the agent of a large Eastern seed company, while in Hoquiam a few days ago, and he has arranged to photograph the flowers to be used in the company's catalogue.

A Free Exhibition of \$25,000 Painting in Our Public Auditorium on the Fourth Floor Take Lunch in Our Beautiful New Tea Room, the Finest in the City, on Fourth Floor

The Greater Olds-Wortman-King-Store

Portland's Largest and Best Store—It Occupies One Entire City Block

Great Manufacturers' Sale and September Harvest Sales In All Depts.

Condensed List of Today's Bargains as Advertised in Sunday's Papers

- 40c Imperial Blend Coffe, on sale for 29c
- Our Staple Blend Coffee, on sale for 25c
- Our Standard Blend Coffee, on sale at 20c
- Carolina Head Rice, sale at 7 lbs. for 50c
- Fancy Japan Rice, 11 lbs. on sale for 50c
- Burnham's Jelly Con. 3 packages for 24c
- Oysters, extra choice, on sale at tin, 11c
- Sardines, Radiosa brand, on sale for 25c
- 60c English Breakfast Tea, sale price 43c
- 60c Uncolored Japan Tea, sale price at 43c
- 75c India Ceylon Tea, on sale at, lb., 59c
- 60c Green Japan Tea, on sale at, lb., 43c
- 60c Oolong Tea, on sale for, the pound, 43c
- Sardines Smoked in Oil, on sale at only 11c
- O. W. K. Laundry Soap, 7 bars at only 25c
- O. W. K. Naptha Soap, 6 bars for only 25c

- Woodland Sugar Peas, tin, on sale for 9c
- Columbus Malted Peas, on sale at, tin, 14c
- Succotash, Maine Stock, two tins for 25c
- String Beans, Standard, tin, on sale for 9c
- Hamburg Stringless Beans, on sale for 14c
- Extra Fine Asparagus, on sale at, tin, 33c
- Van Camp's Beans, on sale for, the tin, 9c
- O. W. K. White Soap, 6 bars for only 25c
- O. W. K. Flour, 49-lb. sack, sale for \$1.49
- Fresh Hams, on sale at low price, lb., 21c
- Imported Macaroni, on sale at 2 lbs. 25c
- Beatsol Shiner, at low price of 3 tins 25c
- Kingford's Gloss Starch, low price of 10c
- Kaola Shortening, tins, on sale at only 20c
- Pure Leaf Lard, 3 lbs. at low price of 65c
- Corn Meal, 10-lb. sack, on sale for only 30c

See Our New Arrivals in Suits

See Our New Arrivals in Dresses

Women's \$6.50 Waists for \$2.29

\$3.50 Silk Hosiery Special at \$1.95

50c Hose Special 3 Pair for \$1.00

\$25c Hair Bow Ribbon 19c a Yard

50c Fancy Ribbon Special 25c Yd.

\$2.50 Marquise Corsets at \$1.49

\$10 Howd Corsets Special \$2.98

See Our New Arrivals in Coats

See Our New Arrivals in Sweaters

\$7.50 Handbags Special for \$5.19

\$2.50 Handbags Special for \$1.49

\$2.50 Hat Pins Special Price 98c

\$1.50 Hat Pins Special Price 69c

\$1.00 Hat Pins Special Price 49c

New Platings From 35c to \$1.00

\$2.50 Hair Switches Special 98c

- \$5.00 Blankets for \$3.75
- \$6.00 Blankets for \$4.75
- \$6.50 Blankets for \$5.15
- \$7.00 Blankets for \$5.65
- \$7.50 Blankets for \$6.00
- \$8.50 Blankets for \$6.75
- \$9.00 Blankets for \$6.95
- \$10.00 Blankets for \$7.95

Great Sale of School Stationery

- 10c School Tablets for 3c
- College Days School Tablets, our regular 7c sellers, on special sale at low price of, each 3c
- WASHINGTON School Tablets, our regular 10c sellers, on special sale at low price of, each 3c
- SIMPLIFIED SPELLER, our regular 6c seller, on sale at this special Monday price, each 4c
- INK TABLETS—Your choice of any 5c Ink Tablet in the store—buy all you want, special 3c
- 10c Pencil Box, complete outfit, on sale for 8c
- 25c Pencil Box, complete outfit, on sale for 18c
- 35c Pencil Box, complete outfit, on sale for 23c
- 10c dozen "Dash" Pencils, with eraser 8c
- 10c dozen Cedar Pencils, special price, 5c
- 2 1/2c Express Pencils, with eraser, 3 for 5c
- 5c Standard No. 2 Pencils, special for 3c
- 5c Boxes, on special sale today, each, 2c
- Regular 5c Pencil Sharpeners, special, 3c
- 1c Slate Pencils, special at the dozen, 5c
- Regular 3c Slate Pencils, special price, 2c
- 10c brass edge 12-inch Rules, special at 8c
- 5c brass edge Rules, on special sale at 3c
- 2c regular School Rules, special, each, 1c
- 10c Felt Slate Cleaners, special for, ea., 7c
- 1c Felt Slate Cleaners, special, two for 1c
- 5c Book Straps, on special sale at, ea., 3c
- 5c Falcon School Crayons, special, doz., 4c
- 10c American Matchless Crayon, sale, 4c
- 5c Paragon Water-Color Paints, 2 for 5c
- Children's 25c Water-Color Paints at 16c
- 25c box White Chalk, special at, box, 19c



Our regular 5c Composition Books for school use, special for today at, each 3c
COMPOSITION BOOKS, such as sell readily at 10c, on sale today at, each 6c
COMPOSITION BOOKS, in the large size, such as sell regularly at 25c, for, ea., 19c
DICTIONARY—Webster's modern 20c size, for school opening at, ea. 12c
ELEMENTARY School Dictionary, the best 25c value, special today at 10c
10c Drawing Pads, on special sale at 8c
15c Slates, 9x13 inches, single, at, ea., 12c
25c Slates, 9x13 inches, double, each, 19c
10c Union Erasers, special for, each, 6c
8c Star Ink and Pencil Erasers, each, 6c
1c Faber Milo Erasers, special, two for 1c
1c Blotters, now reduced to two for 1c
Regular 5c Penholders, on sale for, ea., 4c
Regular 3c Penholders, special, two for 5c
Regular 1c Penholders, special, two for 1c
5c Metal Pencil Tops, with eraser, for 3c

- \$14.00 Mattress for \$9.50
- 30c Matting Special at 19c
- \$1.25 Madras Special 49c
- 25c Curtain Swiss 16c Yd.
- \$7.50 Couch Covers \$5.45
- \$18.00 Screens for \$10.00
- \$22.00 Screens for \$12.50
- \$55.00 Screens for \$30.00

A Few Items From Our Model Delicatessen

- Imported Italian Oil, 25c, 40c and 75c
- Dr. Mack's Olive Oil, at 48c and 95c
- Alphabetic Paste, on sale at only 20c
- Don Carlos Extra Green Olives at 50c
- Cliquot Club Ginger Ale, 3 bottles 50c
- Jackson's Famous Napa \$2.25
- Soda, pints, \$1.25 doz.; qts., 25c
- Huyler's Unsweetened Choc., lb., 42c
- Junket and Butter Milk Tablets, 25c
- on sale at low price of 10 and 15c
- Imported French Peas, Moven's, 17c
- Peas, imported, extra fine, tins, at 31c
- Peas, imported, extra fine, 1/4 tins, 17c
- Crosse & Blackwell's Imported Shrimp, Bolater, Auchovy Paste 25c
- Peanut Butter, Bardsley's, the 35c
- best on market, in jars, 12c, 18c
- Pure de Foie Gras, imported, for 22c
- Pate de Foie Gras, at 34c, 73c and 98c
- Calves' Foot Jelly, bottles, 43c and 79c
- Black Currant Jam, jars, at only 35c
- Orange Blossom, Pistachio Nuts and Rose Leaves, excellent quality, jar, 30c
- Fancy Bleached Sultana Raisins, 12c
- New Evaporated Apricots, lb. for 18c
- Norr's Imported Egg Noodles for 25c
- Maraschino Cherries, 1/2-pt. bots., 23c
- Maraschino Cherries, qt. bottles, 39c
- Maraschino Cherries, pt. bottles, 67c
- Huyler's Metropolitan Choc., 5c, 10c

Imported Lace Robes From \$135.00 to \$850.00—Imported Laces \$3.00 to \$100.00 a Yard—Imported Lace Berthas \$15 to \$135—Imported Lace Handkerchiefs \$5 to \$75—Imported Lace Scarfs \$12.50 to \$75

Two hours later the stork left one of the huskiest little boys the bird could find from its vast assortment. Rumors floated about the hotel during the

forenoon, but none were positively confirmed until Mr. Low walked through the lobby, his chest protruding and an expression on his face that

told everybody that he was happy, and a father.

"Is it a boy?" grinned A. H. Gattis, the chief clerk, as he leaned over the desk.

Low simply grinned back and Gattis stuck his chest out.

The circumstance was one of those peculiar affairs which everyone knows nothing about and at the same time knows all about. The scene at the desk told the story and those who witnessed it also grinned.

The whole hotel was soon bubbling with excitement and smiling faces. When Phil Metachan, Sr., heard of it he also stuck his chest out and strutted around as proudly as if he was again a grandfather. It was the first baby born in the new hotel.

In honor of the event and the unexpected arrival of the stork the baby was named "Imperial." He will probably have other names, but this much of it was decided upon yesterday.

JOURNEY ENDS IN JAIL

H. Walters and Melvin Haines "Beat" Way 5000 Miles.

Concluding a 5000-mile journey, all of which was made without the advice or consent of any ticket agent, H. Walters and Melvin Haines arrived in this city yesterday, and were promptly taken into custody by Detectives Carpenter and Price.

All the way from the Atlantic seaboard, through the Sunny South and up the beautiful Willamette Valley the pair "rode the deck" or struggled among the rods, varying these cramped quarters at times by passing coal for the fireman.

They have tasted the hospitality of almost every jail and rockpile along their itinerary. They were very much travel stained when they arrived here yesterday. Judge Bennett will consider this morning whether to advance them on their northward way or turn them over to A. S. Briggs.

New Cases of Cholera Reported. ROME, Sept. 11.—During the last 24

hours four new cases and five deaths cholera infected districts in Southeast have been reported from towns in the ern Italy.

A Coal Den Opportunity

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We have our own mines and sell direct from the mines to the consumer. We are now making deliveries of our coal in Portland, and if you wish to secure some of the 900 tons that this company is selling at \$5.50 per ton, for advertising purposes only, you will have to act at once, for there is only a small amount left. When this 900 tons, which we are advertising with, is gone, of course we will raise the price.

Only two tons to each customer at this price. No orders accepted at \$5.50 per ton, unless accompanied by the cash or check.

We mean just what we say: "Our best grade Lump Coal delivered to your address in Portland at \$5.50 per ton."

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