

STATE FAIR GLOW UNDER CLEAR SKIES

Balmy Weather Lures Record-Breaking Tuesday Through to Salem Grounds.

ONE MAN WINS 3 RACES

W. G. Durfee, of Los Angeles, Takes Every Track Contest His Steeds Enter—Ad Club Sings Gaily. Displays Are Lauded.

TODAY'S STATE FAIR PROGRAMME. Salem Day. Forenoon—5, Gates open and all departments in full operation; 9, children's playground open; 9, eugenic children examined from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; 10, James L. Davis, a. t. o. demonstration; 10:10, Boyd & Ogie's one-ring circus; 11, concert by O. A. C. band.

BY ADDISON BENNETT. SALEM, Or., Sept. 29.—(Special.)—Talk about weather. Why, if there ever was a finer afternoon than we have had on the fair grounds today then the State Fair officials have no record of it.

The day might well go down in history as Durfee day, for W. G. Durfee, of Los Angeles, brought home the winner in all three races, not losing heat of the eight. He did not ride in the relay race. If he had he probably would have bagged that also.

Neither should the band and the Ad Club Quartet be overlooked. Many were heard to say today that never has the fair had a better band in attendance than the Coos Bay band of this year.

His honor, Mayor Tozier, of the forty city is enjoying himself but optimists of his caliber can't see the year a new palace, a municipal palace, a royal residence on the site of the old one, which was razed down and hauled away several weeks ago.

The street service between the city and the fairgrounds is far better than ever before. The cars now are run as a part of the Corvallis & Eastern Railway system and the service is fine. It only costs a nickel to ride part of the city.

Show Looms as Best Yet. Taken all in all, from one end of the fair to the other, this far this is the best fair ever held here, and remember it is the 53d annual State Fair, and an agricultural fair, and that is what it is supposed to be.

Official figures fix the number of cows in Hungary at 2,020,000, of which more than 2,000,000 are pure-bred animals of the best milk-producing breeds.

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At first I thought she was temporarily demented when she used the gun, and my conversation Monday morning sustained that opinion. Now she is normal, I believe, but with the single exception of the time I talked with her, she has been sane.

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TODAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

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FIRE AND SWORD

A Mammoth Six-Part Spectacular Production Complete in Itself

FIVE HUNDRED SCENES A Thrilling Story of Love and Daring

TEN ACRES OF FLAMES An Original Story of Courage and Red Blood

Special Added Attraction All This Week The Ad Club at Bend, Or.

Guest of the Emblem Club—1000 Feet of Fun Among Our Own Folks

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Milton City today received a draft for \$15,000 for the bonds recently sold to Ferris & Hardgrove, of Spokane, Wash., for the extension of the water system and the enlargement of the electric light plant.

CRUISER LEAVES SEATTLE South Dakota Sails for Mare Island Navy-Yard to Be Overhauled.

CANDIDATES SEEK VOTES Republican Doctrine Sown in Union County by Campaign Speeches.

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We are closing out and going fire sale prices one better during this sale. You should investigate.

Blankets \$1.50 quality now \$1.00 \$2.25 quality now \$1.50 \$3.00 quality now \$2.00 \$4.00 quality now \$2.65 \$4.50 quality now \$3.00 \$6.50 quality now \$4.35 \$10.00 quality now \$6.65

Famous Lentz Dining Tables Rugs

Comforts Pure Cotton Bat Filled With Solid Tops Reduced as Follows: \$2.00 quality now \$1.35 \$2.50 quality now \$1.65 \$3.00 quality now \$2.00 \$3.50 quality now \$2.40 \$4.00 quality now \$2.65 \$5.00 quality now \$3.35

Malleable Ranges \$68.00 size \$43.00 \$72.00 size \$45.00 \$75 Gas R. \$45.00 \$35 Gas R. \$24.50

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