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THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1905.

**COMING EVENTS.**

Thursday, June 1, Opening at the Lewis and Clark Centennial, Portland.  
 Weston, Oregon, June 2 and 3—  
 Eleventh annual pioneers' reunion.  
 National America Woman Suffrage  
 association, Portland, June 29, July 5.  
 American Medical association, Port-  
 land, July 11-14.

**The Annual Vision**

She comes, the sweet girl graduate,  
 Arrayed in robes of white,  
 To grapple with affairs of state,  
 And keep things running right;  
 To show what's what and like as not  
 On several points shed light.  
 Her mind with useful learning  
 Stored to the very brim,  
 Her sweet soul grandly yearning  
 In seas of light to swim;  
 A perfect dream, her final theme,  
 Tied with a ribbon trim.  
 No problem for her solving  
 Is ever found too deep;  
 But they, like mists dissolving,  
 Evanesce; with a sweep  
 Conclusive, grand, of her soft hand,  
 She puts them all to sleep.  
 Oh, sweet and soulful creature,  
 Adored girl graduate,  
 You are indeed a feature  
 With which to part we'd hate!  
 To you we bow. Please show us how  
 To keep things running straight.

**OREGON'S ENTHRALMENT**

The following resume of some glaring impositions forced upon Oregon and the arbitrary and monarchical attitude and proceedings of high officials in a gigantic political plot, is handed without gloves by the Salem Journal, which strikes square out from the shoulder in this fashion:  
 "Whether it is Henry E. McGinn or not the new federal judge should not be a Harriman syndicate man. With the Portland papers saying that the Hill-Harriman deal to prevent all extensions of railroads in Oregon is renewed for an indefinite period, with all the Wall Street influence exerted to rivet and copper fasten this compact of millionaires to prohibit the development of Oregon; with the policy of strangulation officially promulgated, for poor old Oregon's sake give us an uncollared man for Judge, Mr. President. Do not give us a cheap corporation hireling. Do not give a thing owned body, soul and breeches by a few multi-millionaires to sit on the United States bench for life and protect the grasp and graft of stock watering plutocrats and proprietors of trusts. You have struck some body-blows to the trusts, Mr. President, although you have not yet literally demolished them. But, for the sake of consistency, for the sake of decency, do not have a nasty, cringing, servile corporation tool for federal judge in Oregon. With our timber land paralyzed, with our industrial development of the state arrested, with an ironclad contract entered into that no transportation lines shall be extended in Oregon, do not insult the intelligence of business men and the common people by naming a corporation agent for judge.  
**PRAY FOR OREGON'S DELIVERANCE**  
 "Let us pray. Let us pray for poor old Oregon to be delivered from her enemies. Let this fairest and richest state in the Union escape from the further enslavement, domination and brigandage at the hands of frenzied financiers and their cheap and suborned henchmen of the press in public places. God give us state officials and a delegation in congress who will fight for our rights and not bow the pregnant hinges of the knee that thrift may follow fawning."

**STEAL OF THE BIG SYNDICATES**

"More forest reserves! How have the Northern Pacific and other big syndicates secured millions of acres of timber lands in this state? By relinquishing worthless lands for forest reserves created in other states and receiving the equivalent in valuable lands in Oregon. Plain as day. How can they get more millions of acres in other states? By creating more forest reserves in Oregon and Idaho. This is being done. When these great

**THE COMMENCEMENT GIRL.**

You honestly believe that the world needs you—and it does. You think it is hungering and thirsting to make use of your gifts—and it is. But not just in the way you have pictured in your thesis and in the bosom of your admiring family. The world will make use of you after its own fashion, and the grooming process will test your courage. This is a practical age, and you must meet its needs in a practical, thoroughgoing way, far removed from the flowery periods of your commencement day essay. The big world, particularly the business end of it, holds work for you to do, work for which it will pay you good returns in money, in ambitions realized and in the happiness which comes only with congenial occupation. But it matters not whether you hail from the business college, the high school or the university, you must accept the inevitable and serve your apprenticeship in this exacting arena of commerce.—*Womans Home Companion.*

**SACAJAWEA, SECOND P OCAHONTAS**

Out from the background of a century's silent years steps Sacajawea, the Bird-woman, to receive from the nation her belated heritage as a heroine in the pages of its history. The story of her dusky predecessor, Pocahontas, needs no more pen to perpetuate it; the story of Sacajawea, though equally poetic and dramatic, and of greater historic importance, is practically an unwritten one. It remained for a group of enthusiastic women of the Northwest to bring to light this story, covered with the dust of a hundred years, and start a movement for the erection of a statue to the Indian woman's memory.

What are Roseburg citizens going to do about a program for Roseburg day at the Lewis and Clark Exposition, June 12? Regarding this matter the Bohemia Nugget says: To many of the people this seems to be quite early and they would have preferred to have it placed at a later date. It is probable it would be difficult, if at all possible, to change the time and we will simply have to make the best of it. Roseburg, so it has been stated, shares the day at the fair with Cottage Grove. Most likely a mass meeting will be called to consider what arrangements, if any, will be made by our citizens for that day.

Russia identifies its soldiers killed in battle by means of little metal icons—sacred picture images—found on the bodies. On the back of each of these icons are stamped the wearer's name, regiment and commission. Every nation labels its soldiers in one way or another, with a view to such eventualities. English soldiers when on active service are served with small identification cards sewed inside the jackets.

Princess Louise, of Orleans, the most beautiful of European princesses, has a tall, willow figure of the Gibson girl type and loves out of door sport. She is quoted as having recently said she will never marry because there is not in all Europe a prince fit to wed a healthy girl.

Medford has just erected and furnished in elegant style an exhibit building at the Medford depot and now Ashland is doing likewise. Why not Roseburg emulate this very worthy and enterprising example. It would attract the attention of many home-seekers and investors.

Booker Washington says there were only 13 lynchings in the south in the last six months as against an average of 103 for each six months of 1895. Evidently the southern negro is learning that it is unsafe to treat white women with disrespect.

The Roseburg Plaindealer of the issue of May 15th is a special edition, a Douglas county number, and an enthusiastic advertisement for this favored part of the great commonwealth of Oregon—our own Douglas.—*Gardiner Gazette.*

The reports from Ohio indicate that the Republican party in that state is preparing to rebuke the President for his tariff re-adjustment policy by coming out with flatfooted stand pat plank in its state platform, soon to be drafted.

We supposed that "marrying the family" was only a figure of speech, but we note that a Pittsburg girl has brought suit for breach of promise against a man, his father, mother and three sisters.

**Household Goods for Sale**

Rockers, rug, bed room set, small iron cook stove, blue flame oil stove, linoleum and other household goods for sale at a bargain. Enquire of Dr C V Fisher at residence opposite Elks hall. m25

Station Agent L B Moore is building a modern residence on east Lane street just east of J F Barker's residence.  
 Sheriff H T McClallen made an official visit to Glendale last evening returning on last night's overland.

**MEMORIAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED**

Memorial Day, May 30th, will be observed in the following manner. At the hour of 10:30 o'clock a. m., the Oration will be delivered at the Opera House by Rev. E. H. Hicks, pastor of the First Baptist Church, preceded by Memorial Orders from National Hd. Qrs. At the hour of 2:30 p. m appropriate exercises will be had on the Soldier's Home grounds, consisting of an address by Rev. W. C. Reuter, pastor of the M. E. Church followed by Ritualistic work at Soldier's Home Cemetery by Womens' Relief Corps, No. 10, and salute to the dead by National Guard.

Other ceremonies where rests the silent dead will be visited by committee and their mournful heart offerings fragrant fair this tribute ours; their memory shall live forever, their graves will be forgotten never! The Memorial sermon will be preached at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. at the First Presbyterian Church by Rev. J. A. Townsend, pastor in charge, on Sunday, May 28th. All Comrades, Ex Confederates and Soldiers of all Wars, School Children and the General Public are cordially invited to attend the exercises of this National Day of Memorial.

**Eight Real Estate Points.**

Some of the little experiences of the Real Estate dealer:  
**POINT NO. ONE.**  
 If you want them to rent your house don't leave the key with them, that would simply make the matter too much and they wouldn't earn their commission. When they have an applicant let them come around to your home for the keys, or else go out and climb up and look in at the windows to see if the house suits.  
**POINT NO. TWO.**  
 Should you want them to sell a piece of property don't give them your best figures and terms. This will enable you to undersell the agent and save the commission, and you can get the benefit of the advertising they have done. They can live on cockle burrs and gimble holes.  
**POINT NO. THREE.**  
 If there is a flaw in your title be careful not to tell the agents about it. They'll find it out when they attempt to close a sale. This will delay or spoil the sale and enable you to hold the property longer. This also has a tendency to stir up the agents and make them earn their commission.  
**POINT NO. FOUR.**  
 Visit your agents every day and urge them to make a special effort to sell your property. They will probably advertise your property then as a special bargain and create a demand for it. Then when they bring you a buyer tell them there is so much demand for the place you have concluded not to sell at the agreed price. They will make you pay the commission just the same, but the warmth of feeling will be engendered between yourselves and the agents, and the increasing respect they will have for you as a business man, will probably be worth all it costs you.  
**POINT NO. FIVE.**  
 One of the finest schemes in the world is to list your property with all agents in town. Then none of them will make any effort to sell it and you will have all the sale to yourself. You may not make a bid but you will save the commission.  
**POINT NO. SIX.**  
 Find out if you can who the agents are trying to sell your property to. Go to the party and offer to throw off half of what the agents' commission would amount to if he will buy from you direct. You can save enough in this way to buy you a new suit. It will probably be a law suit but it will wear well.  
**POINT NO. SEVEN.**  
 If your farm is ten miles from town, one half subject to overflow, and the other half of service only as a foundation for toboggan slides, list it all as first-class bottom land. The agents will not bid out what it is when they bring out a customer. Of course they will not make a sale, but they need fresh air and their team needs exercise. If the agents have been in the real estate business very long they will not get mad about a trifling thing like this.  
**POINT NO. EIGHT.**  
 Should you have nothing to sell, and no more money than a rabbit to buy with, tell the agent you want a good farm and a nice town residence. After enjoying a half dozen free rides and having smoked a box of their cigars, tell them you "don't want to buy now," but you will "think about it." This helps the agent to cultivate a spirit of patience and humility and prevents them from becoming puffed up and arrogant.  
 The farmers Real Estate Company of Roseburg, is real to all the above conditions, so keep right on bringing your business to them. Get their prices on real estate and timber lands.

**Notice.**

Sealed bids will be received by R. C. Arnold, road supervisor of road district N. 12, for the building of a road between Looking Glass and Roseburg. Specifications etc. will be furnished. Bids will be opened May 27th, 1905. Bonds will be required; right reserved to reject any and all bids.  
 R. C. ARNOLD,  
 Looking Glass, Or.

**How to Ward Off Old Age.**

The most successful way of warding off the approach of old age is to maintain a vigorous digestion. This can be done by eating only food suited to your age and occupation, and when any disorder of the stomach appears take a dose of Stomach and Liver Tablets to correct it. If you have a weak stomach or are troubled with indigestion, you will find these Tablets to be just what you need. For sale by A C Marsters & Co.

**House for Rent.**

A seven room cottage, good barn and other out-houses, acre and a half of ground located in West Roseburg—an ideal place to raise chickens. Have also some good chickens and a first class Jersey milk cow to sell. Other advantages it would be well to investigate. For particulars see P. Cooper on premises in North Roseburg. Itp

**Dr. Green's Great Puzzle**

Dr. G. G. Green, of Woodbury, New Jersey, will mail for a 2c stamp, (simply for postage), one of his great novelties, a wooden box with glass top, containing six little colored balls. It necessitates remarkable quickness of the eye and hand to master it, but it is possible, with practice. Send for one and mention the Plaindealer.

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**BATTLE SEEMS TO BE IMMINENT**

Gunshu Lang, May 24—The situation here is very tense. A battle on a large scale seems likely. Both commanders are keeping close watch on every movement of the enemy's forces. Oyama will make no decisive move. The bold reconnaissance by Gen. Rencenkamp's troops met with a loss of several hundred killed and wounded.

**Yoncalla Items**

Beckley Bros. have moved into their new store.  
 Elmer and Beatrice Staley of Roseburg are visiting in town.  
 The section foreman, Mr. Peterson has moved his family here.  
 Ed Hebard, after a severe illness is able to be on the street again.  
 Prof T. J. Wilson has been very ill, but is a little stronger at present.  
 Misses Fannie Wilson and Emily DeVore are at home, their schools having closed.  
 Miss Julia Bishop, who has spent the last two months at Roseburg is here visiting her parents.  
 G. W. Cartwright left on the early train Tuesday for Watsonville, Calif., where he will join his wife. They will visit points in southern California before returning to their home.  
 Walter Cowan and family started last week on an extended trip through southern Oregon. They were accompanied by Harry Ireland, but as his little daughter was taken suddenly ill, he returned and will join the party later, as the child is rapidly recovering.  
 The school entertainment last Friday evening was excellent, and if one judges pleasure by the amount of noise made, the ice cream social after the program was highly enjoyed. Everybody voted the effort a success. Those who attended from Drain were Mrs. Emma Richardson, Misses Dunlap, Athena and Bernice Edwards and Beanie Yett.

**Portland Centennial Notes.**

Get ready to hit the Trail at the Fair opening in Portland June 1.  
 A congressional party consisting of thirty-one members of the House and Senate, accompanied by their wives and families, is now on the way to the Lewis and Clark Exposition.  
 Companies I and K of the Tenth United States regular infantry are encamped upon the government peninsula at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Captains Ingram and Gowan and a staff of three lieutenants are in command.  
 A Masonic building is rapidly nearing completion at the Exposition. This has been erected for entertainment purposes by local organizations and will be ready for occupancy before opening day.  
 Frank Vincent Diamond, chief of the Fine Art exhibit at the Exposition, arrived at the grounds a few days ago to supervise the installation of four carousels of paintings valued at more than a million dollars.  
 Upon a lofty pyramid made of various grains which grow in the state of Oregon a heroic statue of Ceres, the Goddess of Grain, adorns the rotunda of the Agricultural and Horticultural building at the Exposition.  
 Decomposed granite has been spread over the flooring of the Trail and the Bridge of Nations at the Exposition. This material has been used to advantage in making all of the paths and roadways at the Centennial, and it greatly improves the appearance of the gaily boulevard.

**Administratrix's Notice.**

In the County Court for Douglas County, Oregon. In the estate of the estate of Adolph C. Marks, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Clara Marks, the duly appointed and acting administratrix of the estate of Adolph C. Marks, deceased, to the creditors of said deceased, to exhibit their claims with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said administratrix at Roseburg, Oregon. Dated May 25, 1905.  
 CLARA MARKS,  
 Administratrix.

**DECEASED LAND**

Deceased Land can be purchased at prices that will make money for you. I have land for sale. Timber and Farm land in tracts of from 160 acres to 5000 acres at prices ranging from \$3.00 to \$20.00 per acre.

**SEE ME BEFORE BUYING**

**F. G. STEWART**

201 JACKSON STREET, OPPPOSITE HOTEL McGILLLEN

**WE MAKE OUR MONEY ON JUNK**  
 That's the reason why we can sell New and First-class Furniture CHEAPER than the store that depends on Furniture alone for profit. Our whole stock of Stoves, Ranges, Hardware, Furniture and Household Goods has been marked in plain figures.  
**CALL AND EXAMINE THE GOODS AND GET THE PRICES**  
 WE BUY, SELL AND EXCHANGE  
**ROSEBURG FURNITURE CO.**  
 THE NEW STORE  
 IN THE MARSTERS BLOCK JACKSON AND CASS STREETS

**Tillie Olson**  
 Little Tillie Olson  
 Ban my little pearl;  
 God art never m'king  
 Any sicer girl.  
 Dis har Queen of Sheba,  
 She ban nice to see;  
 But little Tillie Olson  
 Ban gude enuff for me.  
 Ay ban yut a svamper  
 Working up in woods;  
 Ay snt ever having  
 Much of dis world's goods.  
 Ay know lots of ladies  
 Var ay used to be  
 But little Tillie Olson  
 Ban gude enuff for me.  
 Over in Chicago  
 Bout six weeks ago,  
 Torgor Johnson tak me  
 Out to see nice show.  
 Chorus girls ban dancing  
 Purty fine, by yee;  
 But little Tillie Olson  
 Ban gude enuff for me.  
 Ven ve sit by fireplace  
 Op at Tillies house,  
 She ban sudding near me,  
 Yest lak little mouse.  
 After ve ban married,  
 Happy ve skol be.  
 Yee, little Tillie Olson  
 Ban gude enuff for me.  
 —Wm. F. Kirk, the Norsk Nightingale.

**Musings**  
 The curt answer turneth away friends.  
 Unlike the pharisee, the grafter preys in secret.  
 One kind word to the living is better than a long-drawn-out eulogy over the dead.  
 Even nowadays we sometimes pay too high a price for protection against our enemies.  
 The New Orleans Picayune says, "Are we paupers?" No, but some of us are newspaper men.  
 The meet between Togo and Rojestvensky seems to have been postponed on account of a wet field.  
 The courts have notified John B. Platt that there is nothing in the law to prevent a man making a fool of himself.  
 The three happiest periods in a woman's life is when she gets her first long dress, her first beau and is being led to the bridal altar.  
 Portland fair has evensed St. Louis beaten a mile. It is said there'll be Fiji islanders whose raiment is a piece of twine and a loaf of ferocery.  
 Lord Brougham is credited with having written: "The lawyer is a gentleman who recuces your property from your enemies, and keeps it to himself."  
 An Irishman was sitting in the depot smoking the other day when a woman came in and sitting down remarked: "Sir, if you were a gentleman you wouldn't smoke here." "When if you was a lady you'd sit further away."  
 "Pretty soon the woman put it out: "If you were my husband, I'd give you poison." "Well mum," replied the Irishman as he puffd away at his pipe, "if yez was my wife, I'd take it."

**FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES**  
 A complete stock of all the best brands and grades of staple and fancy Groceries. New and fresh goods on which we have removed the tariff.  
 All kinds of early vegetables and fruits kept constantly on hand. Highest market price paid for all kinds of farm produce.  
**KRUSE & NEWLAND**  
 UP-TO-DATE GROCERS

**BROOMS**  
 Merchants reserve your orders for the ROSEBURG BROOM FACTORY which will be re-established and ready to fill orders early in March.  
 All Brooms a grade higher than the ordinary custom made broom. Prices in competition with Coast Jobbers.

**R. S. BARKER, ROSEBURG OREGON**

**LACE CURTAINS LAUNDRIED**  
**THE ROSEBURG STEAM LAUNDRY**  
 Is now prepared to handle all kinds of LAUNDRY WORK and guarantees satisfaction.  
 RAG AND INGRAIN CARPETS MADE TO LOOK LIKE NEW

**GETTING READY TO PAINT**  
 You want the best, no doubt, and that's just what we have. Carter's Strictly Pure White Lead. Kalcimo Pure Boiled and Raw Linseed Oils and All the other Essentials.  
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