

STUDY WORK BEGINS IN CHAUTAUQUA TENTS

John Sharp Williams' Presence Tomorrow One of the Features of the Session—Attendance Breaks All Previous Records.

This, the third day of the Chautauqua assembly at Gladstone Park, has the honor of being dedicated to Oregon City. In return Oregon City is turning out an immense number of people to show its appreciation of the honor. Every car coming in this morning has augmented the crowd which is camping on the grounds. And this crowd has been growing and increasing so rapidly that an extra tent last night not another tent was left unrented, and the large supply provided by the management was entirely exhausted, and more will probably have to be ordered, as a number registered yesterday who will not get into camp until the last week in earnest.

Class Work in Earnest.
This morning, for the first time, the class work had settled down to the routine of well-ordered and complete machinery. Yesterday it was a shifting audience, many going from one class to the other, on trial trips as it were, adjusting themselves and finding what they really wanted to take for the new comers to Chautauqua usually expect.



Dr. Ira Landrith, president of Belmont college, Nashville, Tenn.

when they arrive, to "take it all in," but with 15 departments of study, an hour devoted to each one, and just a few working hours of the forenoon, to accomplish the work, even the smartest Chautauqua has been unable to solve the problem of attending them all. Like all other features of this assembly, the class attendance is surpassing all former years.

Dr. Dotts Leads Forum.
It was a strong class that held its scholars this morning when the gone rounded the hour of the Forum, for it had become known that Dr. Dotts of the First Congregational church of Portland was to be one of the speakers. While but a comparative stranger to the older Chautauquans, Dr. Dotts' fame has spread abroad and it is safe to say that those who remained faithful to their class did so with a heart divided between duty and desire.



In the old days, boys Mr. Dotts set down were brought up on catch as they can, but its different now.

Yes, their bringing-up and their dressing-up is different from what it was when we were boys. Today the style for boys from 8 to 16 is double-breasted coats and knickerbocker pants—we're selling the \$5.00 and \$6.00 kinds now at \$3.85. See the big window full of boys' wear at greatly reduced prices.

THE LION CLOTHIERS
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audience that greeted him in the Auditorium looked more like an afternoon assembly than a morning hour Forum. For the subject was "The Place of Health in the Plan of God." "Moral Treatment of Nervous Disorders" was the subject of another very fine lecture given by Mrs. Camilla Buergemeister, who is well known to the audience.

Afternoon Program.
Alfred Montgomery will deliver his first lecture in this assembly today. His subject being "Intellectualism in Art." Mr. Montgomery is known as the painter of the "The Place of Health in the Plan of God" and he is a quiet, but very original character, perhaps individuality would better apply, for he has this to a high degree, and a close observer is puzzled to decide whether to take him seriously or class him with the eccentrics.

Great Day Yesterday.
That was Wednesday, July 8, and was a success in every particular, although coming so early in the session. Miss Leonora Lake of St. Louis was the speaker and a more eloquent and powerful address has never been heard from the Chautauqua platform than the one delivered by this lady yesterday. Mrs. Lake is a magnetic speaker and held her large audience to the end. She opened her address with the words "The Child" by many beautiful words of appreciation of Oregon roses and Oregon scenery. Mrs. Lake also paid a glowing tribute to the W. C. T. U. as the organization that has planted the seed from which the present harvest of temperance is being garnered. In her eloquent plea for the opportunity of the child to be well born and well reared, Mrs. Lake well represented the organized mother love of the W. C. T. U. At the close of her address Mrs. Lake, who is an old-time friend of Mrs. Lake, presented her with a beautiful bouquet of Killarney roses from the W. C. T. U. A reception was given at the W. C. T. U. headquarters to give opportunity to meet Mrs. Lake personally and a large number availed themselves of the privilege and went away with great admiration for this charming woman.

Some years ago Mrs. Lake was a parishioner of Archbishop Christie before he had attained his high position and one of her first acts upon arriving in Portland was to pay her respects to her former pastor.

At the Y. W. C. A.
The Young Woman's Christian Association headquarters looks like the busiest and busiest place on the grounds. One end of the large auditorium tent is used for a lecture room, where Dr. Broughton and Rev. Paul Rader are giving morning lectures on "World's Citizenship" and sociology respectively. The other end of the tent is hung with every conceivable contrivance for the use and convenience of the housewife, and here Mrs. Ellen R. Miller of Portland holds forth, giving daily talks and demonstrations in cooking. "Hot breads" this morning brought out a great crowd of women who took the keenest interest in solving the mysteries of quick bread, sour milk loaf, corn bread and fruit muffins.

Beside this large tent the association has a number of small ones, with floors, and quite comfortably furnished which they rent by the day or week to young women who wish to stay on the grounds at night.

Chautauqua Music.
In music the Chautauqua is outdoing itself this year. There is first the Indian band, which, from the beginning of time, has been the "Chautauqua" and awakens the American ear to louder screams and wider swoops than any other feature of the show. The Indian boys are simply irresistible. They are a well trained, manly set of young men.

Social Features.
DAILY at one or the other of the headquarters some social function is given in honor of some distinguished person who is upon the grounds, and many of the campers do much private entertaining.

Minority House Leader.
Tomorrow Chautauqua will reach high water mark when John Sharp Williams the eloquent and undoubted minority house leader will be the attraction. It will be a rare opportunity to hear a very remarkable man, everyone who has ever heard him compare him to no one. He is certainly one of the greatest figures in the halls of congress.

PHILIP SELLING IMPROVED TODAY
Philip Selling, father of State Senator-elect Ben Selling, is as proudly ill at his home at 434 Main street. Despite the fact that he is 84 years of age he underwent a surgical operation yesterday and this morning was said to be much improved. He is suffering from a complication of ailments, but his friends hope he will rapidly regain his strength. He was a prominent merchant of the city but retired from business several years ago.

STOP DELIVERY ON BAD ROADS

P. O. Department Serves Notice Regarding Rural Mail Routes.

In order to secure good roads on the routes over which the rural free delivery carriers pass in distributing mail not only in the vicinity of Portland, but over all the country, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Dugan has issued a new regulation to the effect that mail will not be delivered to the farm houses along roads which are not kept in good condition. Postmaster Minto received the notice several days ago and immediately notified the carriers of the new department ruling.

A. D. T. FRANCHISE IS WELCOMED COOLLY

There will be no franchise for the American District Telegraph company in Portland if the action of the council yesterday in indefinitely postponing action on the ordinance requesting that the company be permitted to install an auxiliary fire alarm system connecting with the city fire alarm system can be taken as an indication.

Superintendent Reed of Seattle, was present to explain to the council the desires of the company. He was accorded the privilege of the floor but aside from that was given a very cool reception by the councilmen who have practically granted a similar franchise to the National Automatic Fire Alarm Box company.

Several months ago the fourth assistant issued an order requiring postmasters at rural delivery offices to report to the department headquarters at Washington the number of miles of roads covered by rural free delivery from their offices and the names of the road officials having jurisdiction over each separate section of roads.

Letters are now being sent to these road officials notifying them that rural free delivery will not be continued on roads which are not kept in condition to be traveled with facility and safety at all seasons of the year.

Some things like 60 miles of rural free delivery are covered each week day by the carriers which start from the Portland office. It is expected that the Multnomah county officials will receive notice within a few days telling of the new ruling of the department and urging them to keep the county roads in as good condition as possible so that the rural mail delivery may be continued throughout the year.

Tomorrow will positively be the last day for discount on west side gas bills. Portland Gas Company.

Buenos Ayres has a population of 1,200,000, of which about 80 per cent is foreign, the Italians forming about 60 per cent of the foreign population.

Big Reduction BENJAMIN'S CLOTHES

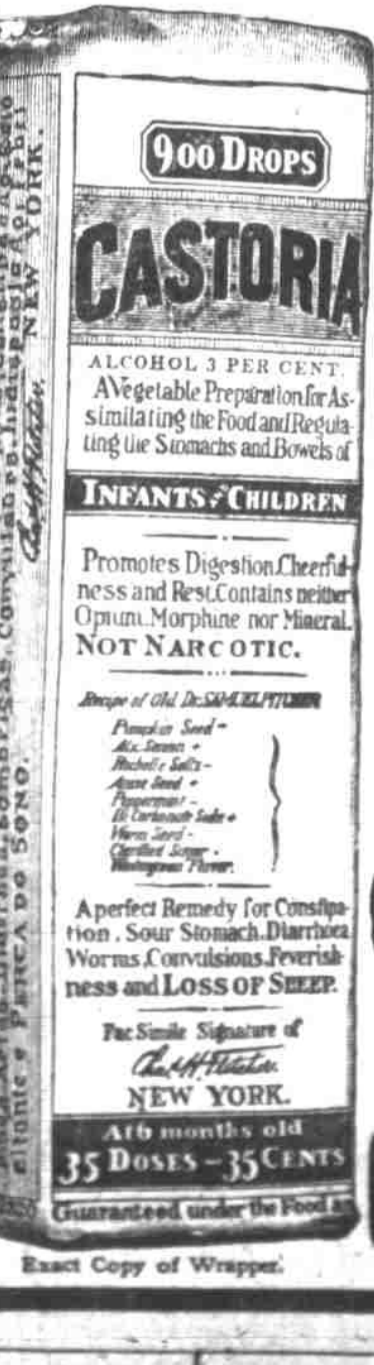
We are selling the finest ready-to-wear clothing in America at greatly reduced prices.

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Special Sale Extra Quality Panama Hats \$6.00

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Friday and Saturday Specials

STOCKS in all departments are being closed out rapidly. More and more are Portland women beginning to realize the wonderful purchasing power of their dollars at this store. For Friday and Saturday we offer a list of specials that cannot be duplicated in the city—quality and price considered. All sales are for cash—no C. O. D. or mail orders and none charged. All articles exactly as advertised.

35c and 50c Vests 15c

Women's fine ribbed French lisle Vests, sleeveless, silk finished; come in white or black and standard 35c and 50c values; a bargain.

Men's \$1.25 Shirts at 49c

Men's fine Golf Shirts, made from best quality French madras, soft front styles with separate cuffs; best regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values.

16-Button Silk Gloves 97c

Full 16-button length, pure silk, double tipped fingers, all colors, black and white; standard \$1.75 and \$2 grades.



Table Linens.

56-INCH TABLE DAMASK, a splendid wearing quality and our best 40c grade; dice and floral patterns, the yard 25c
PURE LINEN DAMASK—64-inch pure linen Damask, made especially for hotel and restaurant wear, extra heavy double warp; our regular 90c quality, sale price, yd. 67c
72-INCH IRISH LINEN—72-inch pure Irish linen Damask, beautiful designs and superior finish; standard \$1.50 quality anywhere. Closing-Out Sale price, a yard 98c
72-INCH CREAM DAMASK—72-inch cream Damask, extra heavy double warp, bleaches out in a few washings 55c and our best regular 75c quality, special, the yard 55c
72-INCH SATIN DAMASK—72-inch double satin Irish linen, our own direct importation, very heavy and beautiful finish; standard \$2.50 value, Closing-Out Sale, \$1.47
64-INCH LINEN DAMASK—64-inch all pure linen Damask, extra heavy, cream only; best standard \$1 quality, Closing-Out Sale price, the yard 69c

Towels

15x33-inch fringed cotton Towels, very absorbent, red borders; dozen 65c; each 6c
18x34-inch red border Huck Towels, selvedge edge; good 18c quality; \$1.25 dozen; each 11c
19x40-inch fringed Turkish Towels, best regular 15c grade, Closing-Out Sale, at, each 10c

Lace Curtains

Scotch Lace Curtains, 2 1/2 yards long and 45 inches wide, white and Arabian; \$1.75 grade, at 1.29
Scotch Lace Curtains, 3 yards long, 50 inches wide; white and Arabian; \$2 grade, the pair 1.47
Fancy lace stripe Ruffled Swiss Curtains, dots and figures; regular \$1.75 grade, special, pair 1.19
Ruffled Swiss Curtains, in all size dots; our best regular \$2 grade, special price, the pair 1.38

Best \$1.00 Corsets 57c

Two rows lace insertion set with five rows pin tucks, lace edge, beading and ribbon, very dainty style and standard \$1 grade.

\$1.50 White Parasols 83c

This line also includes tan, pink and blue, all other parasols in stock reduced in like proportion for Friday and Saturday; your chance.

Nazareth Knit Waists 12 1/2c

Nazareth Knit Waists for children, ages 2 to 12 years; come in pure white and unbleached; on sale Friday and Saturday.

Sheets and Cases

72x90 Sheets, reinforced center and splendid quality; regular 55c grade, a dozen \$4.50; special, each 38c
81x90 Sheets, reinforced center, extra heavy and best regular 70c grade; dozen, \$6.50; special, each 55c
Pillow Cases, 42 by 36 inches, fine quality muslin and regular 15c values; dozen \$1.25; special, each 11c
Pillow Cases, 45 by 36 inches, extra heavy quality; best regular 17c values; the dozen, \$1.50; special, each 14c

Towels - Crashes

15x33-inch fringed cotton Towels, very absorbent, red borders; 65c a dozen, at this special price, each 6c
19x26-inch 3-lb. duck feather Pillows, fancy ticking 19c quality; dozen \$1.25; special price, each 11c
19x40-inch fringed Turkish Towels, best regular 15c grade, our Closing-Out Sale, special, each 10c
21x42-inch knotted fringe linen Damask Towels, with red borders; best 40c quality, special price, each 25c
18-inch Turkish Toweling, with red borders, very absorbent; best 20c quality, special price, the yard 11c
18-inch linen Russia Crash, either brown or bleached; the best regular 12 1/2c quality, at, special, the yard 9c
19-inch red and blue check Glass Toweling, the best regular 12 1/2c grade, Closing-Out Sale, special, yard 7c
17-inch twilled Cotton Toweling, ready for use and the best regular 8c value; Closing-Out Sale, a yard 5c



Feather Pillows

17x24-inch feather Pillows, weight 2 pounds; best 65c grade, Closing-Out Sale price, special, at, each 50c
18x25 inches, 2-lb. feather Pillows; the best standard 85c quality, Closing-Out Sale price, at, each 63c
18x34-inch red border Huck Towels, selvedge edge; regular and the best \$1.50 grade, special price, each 98c
20x27-inch, 3 1/4 lbs., choice live goose feather Pillows; the best \$2.25 grade, Closing-Out Sale, \$1.47

SQUARES

24x24-inch hemstitched Damask Squares; regular 60c grade, 35c special, each 35c
30x36-inch hemstitched Damask Squares; \$1.25 quality, special, each 75c
44x44-inch fancy Damask Squares, in rich floral design; best regular \$1 grade, special, each 73c
18x27-inch hemstitched linen Tray Cloths, a standard 60c quality, on sale at this very special price, 25c each
30x30-inch hemstitched Mexican drawn work Squares, linen; the best regular \$1.25 grade, special, each 95c

Women's 25c Hosiery 15c

100 dozen women's fancy Hosiery on sale Friday and Saturday; come in lace stripes, plain colors, embroidered and white foot; 25c grade.

Long Lisle Gloves 75c

Lull length genuine French lisle Gloves in black, white and all shades of tan; best regular \$1.25 quality; a full line of sizes.

Men's 25c Hosiery 12 1/2c

Men's fancy stripe embroidered and plain black and tan Hosiery; sale half price.

Sample Coats, Waists, Skirts

Closing-Out Sale Friday and Saturday of all Tourist Coats, white linen and duck Skirts, silk, lawn and net Waists, Bathing Suits, black voile and Panama Dress Skirts, and cream serge Suits at regular wholesale prices. All sample garments marked below the regular wholesale cost. Closing-Out Sale of balance of our stock of knit Underwear, muslin Underwear, Waists, Corsets, Hosiery and Parasols.

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