10,000 CHILDREN'S TEETH EXAMINED IN FREE CLINIC

Report of Dental Association Committee Shows Extent of Benefits Accomplished—Many Donate Services.

Calling attention to the excellent work being done by the free dental clinic for school children at present being maintained one day a week at the city hall, the committee of dentists appointed by the Portland Dental association to look into the feasibility of establishing and maintaining a permanent free clinic for the benefit of the children of the worthy poor who are enrolled in the city schools have submitted an interesting report.

The matter of featuring the teaching of proper care of the teeth among children has been under consideration among local educators for a long time and the clinic idea has been taken so that the children of the poorer people may have their mouths put in proper shape and taught how and why to care for them themselves. The report follows.

First Ascertained Sentiment.

"To the Portland Dental Association: After interviewing the mayor of the city, members of the city council, newspapers, the board of health and various prominent citizens in order to ascertain the sentiment for the desire of a clinic and also to give publicity and create a demand for same, your committee found that some members of the board of education had previously given this matter some thought and your committee was encouraged to establish a clinic and given permission to have an examination of the mouths of the school children by the ethical dentists of the city.

"A sum of $1000 was voted by the board to equip the free clinic, but as our local supply houses and several members of the profession very generously donated the use of much of the equipment, the board of education amended their vote to include maintenance for the clinic.

"Your committee soon found it to be too much of a burden to supervise the examination in the schools and also to properly handle the free clinic, and another committee was appointed to cooperate with the original committee in supervising the examinations.

Many Donate Services.

"This committee secured the services of 117 dentists in the city and the mouths of 19,000 school children were examined. This included only those from the first to the seventh grades. Considering that this was one of the first examinations of this character to take place in the west, a very satisfactory examination was made.

"Through the kindness of the mayor of the city a large room in the city hall, together with the plumbing, janitor service and laundry was given free to the clinic; the water board gave free the use of water and the Pacific States Telephone company gave free use of telephone.

"So as not to interfere with the attendance at school and not to put too great a burden on the members of the profession, the clinic was open one day in the week, Saturday, with two dentists in attendance in the morning and two in the afternoon. The first few Saturdays our clinic was greatly overcrowded, but with additional equipment and working by appointments only the clinic has been able to care for most of those making an appearance.

The clinic has now been opened 13 Saturdays, in which time the following services have been rendered, to-wit:

Number of patients	208
Fillings—	
Amalgam	232
Cement	102
Copper cement	7
Root canals filled	44
Cleaning	27
Extractions	115
Treatments	30

Object Is to Preserve Teeth.

Because of the number of emergency cases the clinic has been handicapped in giving proper attention to teeth needing long treatment. But it has been the object of the clinic to preserve all teeth that would be of benefit to the child and to give such instructions upon the care of the teeth as the limited time would permit.

That there is need of a clinic is evidenced by the large number of children calling weekly for dental services and by the interest shown by those who have witnessed the work of the clinic. The committee, therefore, recommends that an effort be made to put the free dental clinic on a permanent basis, and further suggests that the work of the clinic be given more publicity in order that a greater appreciation of the necessity of this movement may be had by the public as well as our profession. We also recommend the examination of school children, including all those of the primary grades and to be supplemented by stereoptical lectures on the proper care of the dental organs. We also recommend that the examining chart be simplified but the examination be none the less thorough. Further, that at least one dentist be employed at the clinic whose duty it shall be to care for the treatments as there will be a greatly increased attendance upon the clinics because of the larger number examined in schools.

We would ask that the board of education vote a similar sum as the past year for maintenance."

REV. AKED IN FRISCO; GOING TO "GO TO WORK"

(Publishers' Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, Cal., April 15.—Rev. Dr. Charles F. Aked, former pastor of the handsome Fifth Avenue Baptist church of New York, called "John D. Rockefeller's church," is to begin his pastorate in the First Congregational church of this city tomorrow, Easter day.

Rev. Aked and his wife, accompanied by two servants, arrived here yesterday in the private car of President R. S. Lovett of the Southern Pacific railroad, and have taken temporary apartments at the Fairmont hotel.

Rev. Aked, who resigned from the big Fifth Avenue church of New York, because of the failure of the church members to cooperate with him, states that he has come here to work.

SAYER READY TO START LONG TRIP

Will Spend Six Weeks in Aiding and Organizing Commercial Clubs.

James J. Sayer.

James J. Sayer leaves tomorrow morning on a tour of eastern and central Oregon for the Portland Commercial club to gather information and to give pointers on how to most successfully conduct publicity campaigns for settlers.

Mr. Sayer is one of the assistants to Manager C. C. Chapman, of the club's promotion committee, and will visit the various smaller organizations, to explain to them more fully than can be done by correspondence how the work can be made most effective.

In places where there is no club, Mr. Sayer will take the initiative toward organization.

Perhaps the most important feature of Mr. Sayer's trip will be the gathering of information on resources of the various sections and general conditions there, this information to be used by the Portland club's inquiry department, which is daily in receipt of all kinds of questions pertaining to every part of the state.

Mr. Sayer will be gone about six weeks.

CANNERY, A LOSER, IS REORGANIZED

Joseph Fisher Is to Manage Salem Canning Company This Season.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., April 15.—Reorganization of the Salem Mutual Canning company of this city is to take place within a few days and a new corporation, to be known as the Salem Canning company, and to be managed by Joseph Fisher, is to operate here this season. A report at the annual meeting of stockholders held today showed that the cannery was operated at a loss last season of nearly $3000, the total receipts being $52,361 while the total expenditures reached $55,310.

MUSCATINE STRIKE SITUATION SERIOUS

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Muscatine, Iowa, April 15.—The situation here tonight is more serious than ever because the manufacturers promise to open the button factories Monday morning with non-union workers and the 3000 strikers charge Governor Carroll with playing into the hands of their enemies by ordering four companies of state troops here to preserve order.

Strikers and soldiers had wordy clashes tonight, but so far there has been no violence. The strikers are under control of President Urick of the State Federation of Labor and the union men are circulating a petition for the recall of Sheriff Van Atta because he asked for troops. They also charge Mayor Hill with being party to a plot to have their leader, E. T. Flood, arrested for the rioting early Friday morning.

RULES FOR STATE IN BANKING SUIT

The Oregon escheat law was upheld yesterday by Presiding Judge Gantenbein in the circuit court by a decision in the case of the state against the First National bank of Portland. The court held that the bank must turn over to the state the amount of $5865, which aggregates the small deposits coming under the escheat law.

The sums concerned have been in the bank seven years or longer without an additional deposit. The bank contended that the state had no right to interfere with the bank, since it is a national banking agent. Judge Gantenbein held that the state could legislate legally if federal relations were not violated. The bank gave notice of appeal. The suit was brought by Attorney General Crawford. Attorney C. A. Dolph represented the bank.

STENOGRAPHER IS FIRST TO RESIGN; MORE TO FOLLOW

Miss Flossie Shambrook Quits Benson's Late Office; Governor Says Jobs Are Up to Olcott, Who Won't Talk.

(Salem Bureau of The Journal.)

Salem, Or., April 15.—Insisting that he has not yet been appointed and therefore is in no position to give interviews on questions relating to positions at the disposal of the secretary of state, Ben W. Olcott, Governor West's choice for that office, will give no intimation of his action in the choice of assistants until he takes office Monday morning. When asked if he would retain Chief Clerk H. H. Corey, Mr. Olcott petted his splendidly bred Irish setter and said he had given the matter of those appointments no thought at all.

"I have not given the matter three minutes' thought," said Mr. Olcott. "I am not yet secretary of state and may never be."

Olcott is a great lover of dogs. He is said to think more of the new Irish setter presented to him the day Governor West was elected and which he calls "Governor"—in honor of the occasion—than of any political job that could be offered him. Today he was exhibiting a telegram received from A. W. Sanborn of Roseburg in which the latter said he felt like giving Olcott his prize winning Airedale because he felt so good over the probable appointment of Olcott as secretary of state. Olcott was much pleased with the prospect of getting the famed Airedale.

Corey Very Likely to Stay.

It is the general belief that Olcott will retain H. H. Corey, though no intimation of such action can be obtained through Olcott himself. What others will remain in office is entirely a matter of conjecture, though it is believed Nicholas Haas, who is custodian of records and files; A. C. Nye, mailing clerk, and J. E. Allison, assistant auditing clerk, have a chance to stay on. Haas has been employed at the statehouse for 24 years and knows every corner and nook in that structure from dome to basement. Allison was appointed by Secretary of State Dunbar and Nye by Mr. Benson. Among those who will got at once are Frank T. Wrightman of Salem, C. A. Ziegler of Douglas county and C. E. Rockwell of Multnomah county who was made head janitor by Mr. Benson.

Miss Shambrook Out Already.

Miss Flossie Shambrook, who was head stenographer to Mr. Benson during all the time he was governor and also stenographer to Acting Governor Jay Bowerman, has already resigned, having delivered her resignation to Chief Clerk Corey today, and departed for Roseburg.

Governor West says he has not discussed the matter of positions to be filled by the new secretary of state and that those matters will be left entirely to the new appointee, who he now makes no pretense of being other than Mr. Olcott, who has been a lifelong friend of Governor West. The governor has confidence in Olcott and says he is excellently equipped for all duties that will be required of him in his new position.

MT. HOOD LINE WILL BEGIN POWER SERVICE

The Mount Hood Railway and Power company will begin distributing power on the west side of the river from the steam-electric plant of the Monarch Lumber company on the peninsula tomorrow. The plant was recently purchased by the new power and lighting corporation.

The first customers to secure power on the west side from the new company will be Albers Brothers and Balfour, Guthrie & Co., the former operating a milling plant and the latter a grain warehouse on the waterfront near the steel bridge.

To temporarily convey the power across the river transmission wires are being strung over the steel bridge, but the company will at once begin to lay a submarine transmission cable across the river. A special permit has been secured to temporarily string the wires across the bridge.

AGAIN IS HEATHEN CHINEE PECULIAR

(United Press Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, April 15.—Bret Harte's old phrase that "the heathen Chinee is peculiar," was exemplified here today when Patrolman Kelly found Yee Wo and Yee Kin, Tehama street laundrymen, standing in the rear of their wash shop, hands held up. Fainting from exhaustion, but too frightened to give way to their tired muscles, the Chinese had stood in the same position since midnight, when they said thugs had robbed them of $15.50 and told them to keep their hands up. When the Chinese saw Kelly they sank in a stupor, giving their explanations when they revived.

MOB SEEKS NEGRO WHO KILLED DOCTOR

(Publishers' Press Leased Wire.)

Colorado Springs, Colo., April 15.—Dr. R. W. Reasoner was shot and instantly killed here by a negro who attempted to hold him up. Before the doctor was killed he shot the negro three times, wounding him dangerously. The news spread, and a mob started for the hospital. The officers took the wounded negro out the back door to the county jail and put him under heavy guard to prevent a lynching.

If "Out of Fix"

It may be the food.

Try

Grape-Nuts

"There's a Reason"

IF OLD SOL GRINS TODAY ALL GOTHAM WILL DON FINERY

(United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, April 15.—Five hundred thousand New Yorkers with Easter finery to display, and 500,000 others who have no finery of their own but like to gaze on the trappings of others, are praying for a fair Sunday for the annual Fifth avenue parade may pass in all its glory.

Fifth avenue's Easter parade is one of the features of the old town, as New York merchants report the heaviest eastern buying on record, tomorrow's display, if skies be bright, is expected to be one vast moving pageant of color, representing the last word in the art of the modiste, milliner, tailor and haberdasher.

Special details of police handle the throngs, for a congestion would result disastrously to frocks and hats and other sartorial effects. Thousands of excursionists have come to the city for the celebration. Three thousand are registered at hotels tonight from Canadian points alone.

ALL TO LABOR FOR GOOD ROADS

State-Wide Campaign Is Planned for Betterment of Highways.

Plans for the reorganization of the better highways movement in Oregon include an effort to secure membership from all classes whose interests are advanced by scientific and permanent good roads construction. In the list are included the transportation agencies, the farmers, the commercial organizations and the autoists. That the attitude of the commercial clubs of the state may be learned, Walter L. Priest, secretary of the Oregon Good Roads association, has been sending this letter to all the clubs in the state during the last week:

"The good roads movement in Oregon will be entirely reorganized under the name of the 'Oregon Better Highway association,' on a very much more effective, state wide and systematic basis, at a meeting which will be held in this city on or about April 25, and it is the purpose of the new association to organize a branch of the state association in every county in the state, each member of which will become a member of the state organization.

"In order that we may obtain all the aid possible in the securing of a widely distributed membership this letter is written to ask if you will give the movement your hearty cooperaton and active support, not only for the benefit of your own county, but also for the benefit of the state at large.

"The membership fee in the new organization will not be excessive, but it will be expected that each member of the same shall help us carry forward the work by individual action.

"An immediate reply to this letter is respectfully requested, in order that we may read your answer before the reorganization meeting above referred to."

PRAYERS WILL OPEN COUNCIL'S SESSION

La Harpe, Kan., April 15.—Religious services at the opening of each session of the city council is the unique innovation planned by Mayor-elect Peter W. Jury, to begin as soon as he takes the oats of office, next Thursday night. The form of the services has not been prepared, Jury said tonight.

MATE, ILL, UNABLE TO ATTEND DYING SPOUSE

Unable to travel because of illness, Hollon Parker, a pioneer of Washington, who is living at 163 Seventeenth street, North, was obliged to remain in Portland while his wife, Mrs. Laura Belle Parker, died and was buried in Walla Walla. Mr. Parker directed the funeral arrangements by letter.

Mrs. Parker was a former resident of Salem and Portland and a sister of the late Dr. John Glen, a Portland pioneer. She and her mother and brother came west from Ohio and first settled near Salem in 1871. Later the family moved to Walla Walla, where Mrs. Parker remained until a few years ago. She and Mr. Parker then moved to Portland, but afterward returned to Walla Walla. Mrs. Parker had been ill for some time, but her condition did not become serious until recently. Besides her widower, a son and a number of other relatives survive.

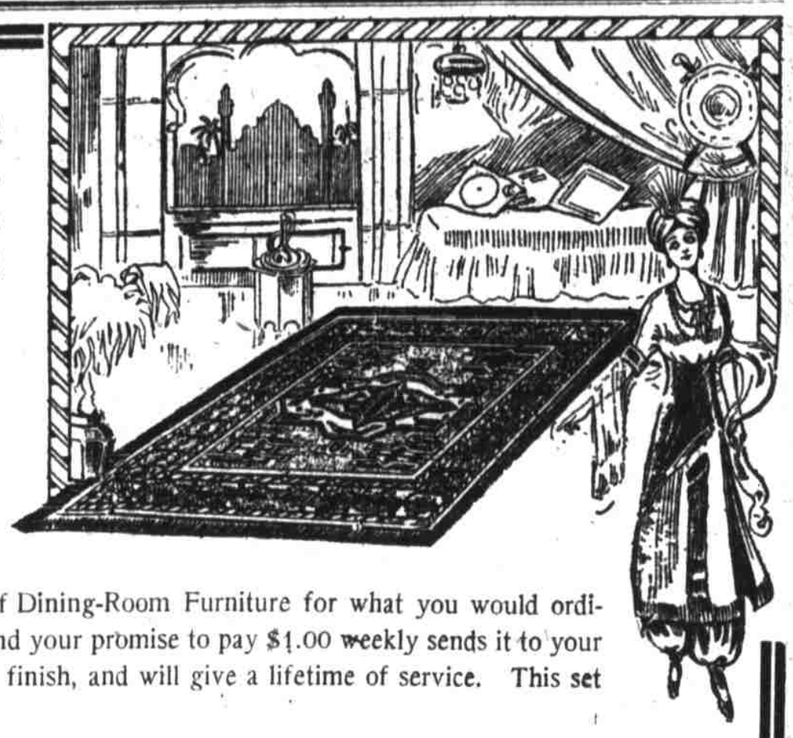
Mr. Parker is 79 years old. He settled in Walla Walla when it was a village and formerly owned 40 acres, which now form part of the townsite.

Journal Want Ads bring results.

Velvet Rug Sale

$1.50 Cash and 75c a Week

$25 Value $19.85



These rugs are 9x12 in size and are sold as Wiltons in most stores. The usual price is $25.00.

Edwards' Quality Dining Room Outfit $34.75

Here is your opportunity to buy a whole roomful of Dining-Room Furniture for what you would ordinarily pay for a table alone. Three dollars cash and your promise to pay $1.00 weekly sends it to your home. The table and chairs are solid oak, golden finish, and will give a lifetime of service. This set is worth easily $48.50, which is the usual price.

For $3

And your promise to pay $1 weekly

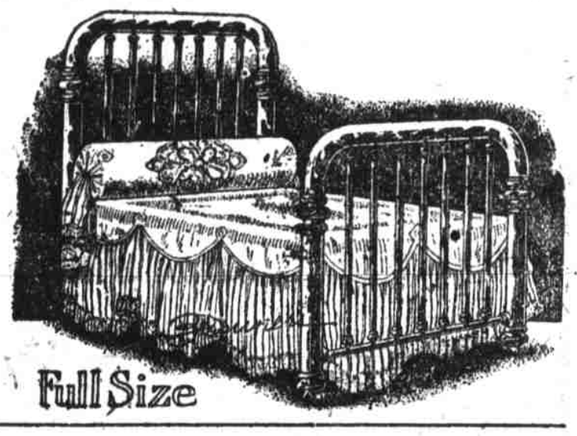
We will deliver this Dining Suit to your home.

Edwards' Sale of Quality Iron Beds

$19.00 Vernis Martin Style $13.45

A bed that will please you—one that is fully up to the illustration. Much bigger and finer than you will expect to see. Double size, finely lacquered, and has 2-inch continuous posts. Only..... $13.45

Special Terms $1 Cash, $1 Weekly



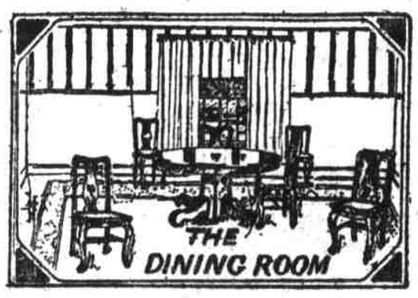
Famous 3-Room Outfit $98

Edwards' Credit Plan

Enables you to furnish your home in much better style than would be possible if you were to pay cash. By our plan you can make your home comfortable and attractive, and scarcely miss the small amount you pay each week or month while enjoying the use of your goods. In addition to the easy terms we save you from 10 to 20 per cent on the cost of your furnishings.

Edwards' Low Prices

Here are reasons why Edwards' prices are so much lower than others. We are located on First street, where our rent is about one-third what most stores pay. Our advertising is limited to a few hundred dollars each month, where others spend thousands. We do not ride around in an automobile, but we do pay spot cash to the factories for all our goods and get both the cash and quantity discounts.



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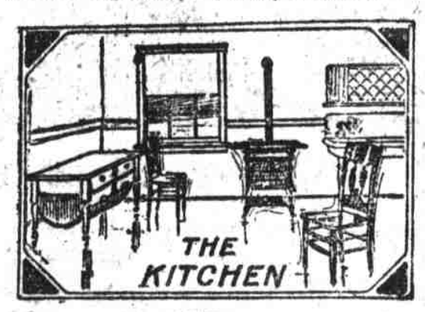

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