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### Queen Esther at Salem.

At Salem last Friday and Saturday evenings the sacred oratorio "Queen Esther" was presented by the Salem Choral society, an organization of vocalists of that city, including nearly all the members of the choirs of the several churches. It was a magnificent production of that grand sacred opera, the principal parts as well as the chorus being carried through with a thoroughness and attention to detail seldom found with amateurs.

Miss Ethel Raymond, a daughter of P. H. Raymond a former resident of this city, took the part of Queen Esther. Miss Raymond recently returned from New York, where she studied under some of the most famous teachers, and she sings beautifully. Every one of the other important characters as well as the chorus was perfect and the work throughout was of an exceptionally high order. Martin E. Robinson, who trained the chorus and directed the performance, stamped himself as an artist by this production, and his work will ever be appreciated in Salem.

Director Robinson has directed the production of Queen Esther in Portland, Astoria, Oregon City and Salem, and he will produce it at the Chataqua, combining the members of the four aggregations and make one grand chorus of 350 voices.

The Will Valley Choral union, which recently gave the May festival at Salem and came out in debt, was by the production of "Queen Esther" enabled to pay off its indebtedness and there remains a handsome balance in the treasury of the Salem society for future use as the result of this last production which was given two nights, the last evening standing room only being left when the curtain went up on the galaxy of beauty and wealth of song on the stage of the Salem opera house. There were 39 sopranos, 24 altos, 12 tenors, and 18 basses.—Albany Herald.

### Want a New County.

If Wasco county is not divided and the new county of Cascade formed from the western half it will not be the fault of the people of the famous town and valley of Hood River. A strong delegation of Hood River business and fruit men are in Salem now in the interest of the county division.

The chief obstacle in the way of this proposed division is that the Representatives and Senator from Wasco are all from The Dalles end of the county, and, as such, are opposed to the formation of a new county.

The Hood River people believe they have justice on their side; as the interests of Hood River valley are widely different from those of the rest of Wasco county. Hood River is almost wholly devoted to fruit growing, while the other parts of the county are generally more adapted to grazing and general farming. At present Hood River valley has no representation in the legislature. In fact the office-holding class live at The Dalles.

### Coos County's Expenses.

The following figures taken from the records at the Clerk's office show the total expenses of Coos county for the year 1906:

County Court, \$1,633.80; Circuit Court, \$2,659.95; Justice Court, \$70.25; Coroner's Court, \$599.45; Sheriff, \$3,570.05; Clerk, \$3,460.00; Treasurer, \$844.48; Health, \$284.18; Superintendent Schools, \$1,071.85; Assessor, \$2,113.50; Tax Rebate, \$337.51; Assessment and collection of taxes, \$325.45; Current expense, \$1,773.25; Court House, \$1,239.48; Jail, \$333.76; Poor, \$7,763.13; Indigent Soldiers, \$408.00; Insane, 76.65; Election, \$2,400.85; Roads, bridges and ferries, \$26,199.59; Total, \$57,733.61.

The Alliance lost considerable of her paint while on her last voyage north by coming in contact with ice floes in the Columbia river.

### Port Orford.

Nat Dean has sold his ranch and will hereafter reside on the ranch belonging to John Deadmond, who is an uncle to Mrs. Dean.

The two youngest sons of C. W. Zumwalt, who have been attending school at Port Orford, have been seriously ill, the youngest dangerously so with pneumonia.

Thos. Hughes, who has been on a protracted visit to San Francisco, was at Bandon yesterday on his return home, but concluded to stop a day or so to watch Bandon grow.

H. M. Axtel, who is running the Bandon Grill Rooms, made the Tribune a pleasant call yesterday while on his way to their home on Elk river, in response to a business call.

Ben Rolison, W. F. Cooper and Julius Pomrunk, of Hoquiam, Wash., have been here several weeks searching the country for timber locations and homesteads. They will locate as squatters upon unsurveyed land.

Joe Nay bought a young thoroughbred from Hume's string of young horses. The colt will be two years old in March, so we are informed, is a dark bay, of good size, and supposed to be a runner. The colt is registered.

Mr. Burns of Wedderburn passed through town last Friday with three of R. D. Hume's thoroughbreds. One is an aged stallion of fine form. Another is a three-year old stallion, while the third is a yearling. More will be shipped up later, as it is no doubt Mr. Hume's intention to have the best string of thoroughbreds in Southern Oregon.

Chas. Jamieson and wife spent Friday night in town. Mr. Jamieson says he made very satisfactory cleanups during his late runs, but owing to the difficulty of getting lumber to repair the damages to his ditch and flumes, he may not be able to resume work soon. He will probably make a careful investigation of the latest improved pumping systems with a view

of installing pumps in lieu of his present system.

Surveyor Byers is still having trouble about his survey in this section, and has again had Fred Stewart run a chain a mile long that is a cause of trouble.—Tribune.

### Teacher's Examination.

County Superintendent W. H. Bunch has announced that the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers will be held in Coquille, beginning Wednesday, February 13, at 9 a. m., and continuing until Friday, February 15, at 4 o'clock p. m. The examination for county papers will be on the following topics: Writing, history, spelling, reading, written arithmetic, teaching, grammar, physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, school law and civil government.

### Woman Suffrage.

The public prints are fairly bulging these days with the annual messages of Governors of various States.

The frequency with which women are mentioned therein constrains one to think that at last the State is coming to regard women as of some importance, not so much, of course, as railroads and canals and insurance companies, but still as counting for something.

The Governor of Connecticut recommends the appointment of a woman factory inspector.

Others recommend more stringent laws for the protection of child and women workers, and in this connection Governor Folk, characteristically, promises strict enforcement in Missouri.

Kansas, always progressive, leads

the procession for woman suffrage. Governor Hoch declares that "municipal suffrage which has been enjoyed by the women of Kansas since 1887 has proved a success, and that the right should be extended." He closes his paragraph on this subject by saying, "The word 'male' has no place in a modern state constitution and should be stricken from ours."

Hoch, der suffragist. Men better beware or they will be ruled out of Kansas.

Harper's Weekly discusses at length the suggestion of "Mr. DeArmond, a distinguished member of the House of Representatives from Missouri," that a convention be called for the purpose of amending our national constitution.

Harper's approves of many of Mr. DeArmond's proposals, and of the one to add an amendment embodying woman suffrage in our organic law, says, "To our mind it is little short of monstrous that our federal constitution, as amended, should establish negro suffrage and leave women disfranchised."

If a negro is a good citizen and has enough intelligence, why should he be disfranchised?—Salem Journal.

In the six hours intervening from 10 o'clock Saturday morning until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, \$7,000 was raised by the committee appointed by the North Bend Chamber of Commerce for the fund to be used in advertising and "boosting" North Bend.

The gross value of all taxable property in Oregon, as shown by the assessment of 1906, upon which the levies of 1907 have been made, is over \$100,000,000 greater than for the preceding year. This is an increase of over 33 per cent. A still greater increase is shown in the total value of taxable property, for the reason that exceptions to the amount of \$8,700,000 were allowed last year but not this year. The total amount upon which taxes were levied in Oregon in 1906 was \$317,956,720.

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