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CORVALLIS

June 10, 11, 12 and 13

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Gazette Ballot

LOCAL NEWS.

Liquid air comes next Wednesday night.

P. M. Zierolf is having the woodwork in the front of his grocery establishment newly painted.

Father Jurek, now of Pe Ell, Wash., is in Corvallis at the bedside of Father Buchner, who is still quite ill.

Mrs. M. A. Brokan and little son Hal, of Spokane, Wash., arrived in this city, Wednesday, for a month's visit with her father, W. J. Howell.

Steel burned and berries frozen in the same dish next Wednesday by liquid air. That is only one of the many wonderful things that will be done. Better attend.

You can take a trip around the world Saturday evening without incurring the expense such a trip usually entails and have just as much pleasure on the journey.

Ex-Governor Lord, minister to Argentina, arrived in Baltimore, Wednesday, on his way home to Salem, Oregon. Mr. Lord left his post in Argentina because of ill health.

A delegation from the Presbyterian Endeavor Society will visit the Oak Ridge C. E. next Sunday afternoon. The purpose is missionary extension. Several addresses will be given, also special music.

Baptist church—Lord's Day, Rev. C. H. Mattson, one of Oregon's pioneer preachers, will preach both morning and evening at usual hours. You are cordially invited to hear him.

James E. Looney and Miss Olive Ingram, of Monroe, were married Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Rev. Humbert in this city. Mrs. Humbert performed the ceremony. The couple will reside near Monroe.

A special service will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday evening. This will be the second service devoted to popular hymns. The music as well as the address will be associated with Toplady's beautiful hymn—"Rock of Ages."

If you have thirty-five cents and a vivid imagination, you can see the important rulers of foreign countries and dine at their tables next Saturday evening on the trip around the world. Coaches leave the Occidental hotel every twenty minutes on schedule time.

Henry Ambler has just negotiated the sale of the following properties: The Peter Adamson 10 acres east of Philomath to Mr. Flickinger, for \$1,500 cash. The purchaser has taken possession. Mrs. Gant's 10 acres south of Philomath to Thos. Bennett, of Nebraska. The consideration was \$400. There are no buildings on this property.

Funeral services for Ethel Grimshaw, who died Monday evening of cerebro spinal meningitis, were conducted at the Methodist church, Wednesday afternoon, by Rev. F. L. Moore. Ethel was the niece of H. W. Grimshaw, with whom she has been making her home in this city. She was aged 8 years and 6 months, and had been ill but a few days. Interment was made in Crystal Lake cemetery.

After all the fuss and feathers last winter, and the exploitation of a scandal in the public service, a legislative examination, and the discharge of several innocent parties, the great fact comes to light that there was nothing in it, says the Salem Journal. In what? Well, the medist reporter doesn't like to tell, but it has leaked out that the terrible calamity that was reported from the penitentiary last winter never happened. In short, the woman prisoner, Mrs. Carlisle, who basely slandered herself to the detriment of several male officials last winter now stands a living witness against herself as having, as it were, obtained goods under false pretenses. In short, her reported condition at that time is now proven almost beyond a doubt to have been a fake, a ruse, a bold scheme for liberty.

Top buggy for sale at Winnegar's feed shed.—Alva Thompson.

For W. L. Douglas and Walker Shoes see Nolan & Callahan.

New line of Fine Black Dress Goods just received, Nolan & Callahan.

Ladies Fine Shoes; our spring offerings are the best we ever owned, Nolan & Callahan.

Don't forget the Hazelwood ice cream served Saturdays and Sundays at the City Restaurant.

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The trip around the world is the talk of the town and hundreds are going to take the journey. Don't miss it if you want to see something new and novel.

Bishop William F. Heil, of Allen town, Penn., will preach at the United Evangelical church next Sunday morning and evening. This is the bishop's first visit to the coast. The choir will furnish some special music.—H. A. Deek, Pastor.

Rev. C. H. Mattson, who will occupy the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sabbath, preached in Corvallis over fifty years ago. Rev. Mattson has written a history of the Baptist church in Oregon, which he hopes shortly to have published.

Mrs. Galloway, of Oregon City, who is traveling over the state organizing women's clubs, auxiliary to the women's department in the 1905 Lewis and Clark fair, will visit Corvallis today. She will meet the ladies of Corvallis in the parlors of the Coffee Club, in the city hall.

Rev. John Reeves and Messrs. J. H. Harris and W. J. Wilbanks returned yesterday from a fishing trip near Nashville. The rumor that a special car was attached to the C. & E. train, Thursday, to bring home their catch, had not been verified when we went to press.

An excellent musical and literary program will be a feature of the basket social to be given by the Maccabee band boys at the Opera House, Wednesday evening. The program which will consist of recitations, solos, drills and selections by the band, will appear in Tuesday's issue.

Attorney W. E. Yates returned, yesterday, from Portland. He says the topic uppermost in minds of all classes in that city, and the one discussed to the exclusion of all others, is the present conflict between the lumbermen of Portland and the labor organizations comprising the Building Trades Council.

About twenty brother and sister Artisans tendered Mr. A. F. Peterson a surprise party Wednesday evening, on the eve of his departure for Condon, where he has the contract for building a fine court house for Gilliam county. The surprise was genuine, and a delightful evening was passed. Mr. Peterson expects to be absent from Corvallis until the holidays.

A number of handsome pianos were placed on display at Dilley's bicycle store, yesterday, by Messrs. Weir and McGoon, representing Eiler's piano house of Portland. The instruments on exhibition are the Kimball, Hobart M. Cable, Singer and one or two others of the leading makes. Messrs. Weir and McGoon expect to remain here a week or ten days.

Tonight at 8 o'clock a novel kind of entertainment will be given in the college chapel under the auspices of the women of the senior class. There will be illustrated poems, famous landscapes, beautiful water scenes, short talks and good music. The stereopticon will play an important part in the program. It will be a rare treat. Admission 15 cents, children 10 cents.

Mrs. Walter Reed, the famous Portland contralto, has taken to the stage as a profession. She made her first appearance in vaudeville in Portland last Tuesday evening, with the Weston & Herbert company of which she is a member. Mrs. Reed was contralto soloist in the oratorios given in Corvallis last May. The Weston & Herbert company appeared in this city a few months ago.

Attorney-General Crawford has rendered an opinion, in which he holds that the legislature of 1903, did not repeal the law which exempts militiamen from the payment of road and poll taxes. His opinion also holds that road supervisors shall be elected by the county courts instead of by the people of the several road districts. It is further held that the present road supervisors will continue in office until January, 1904.

At great expense; the O. A. C. Athletic Union has engaged a liquid air entertainment for this city, with guarantee that a quantity of real liquid air will be brought and all the remarkable experiments performed of which so much has been read. A capable lecturer and expert demonstrator, with complete laboratory apparatus, will make this paradoxical subject clearly understood even by the young, and the marvelous experiments will entertain and astound all. The date will be Wednesday, April 29th.

EDUCATIONAL MEETING.

Bellevue Grange and School Patrons Unite in Holding Parents' Meeting.

The grange of Bellevue and the patrons of the schools in the southern part of our county can justly feel proud of the results of the parents' meeting held in Grange Hall at Bellevue last Saturday. The wide spread interest in the educational affairs of that part of the county was plainly manifested by the attendance of one of the largest—many pronounced it the largest—crowds ever gathered at an educational meeting. The large and commodious hall was unable to accommodate those desiring admission. During the entire exercise, many were compelled to remain standing. The meeting began with the singing of several selections by the audience, Mrs. J. H. Edwards acting as leader and Mrs. M. M. Waltz as organist. Mr. Earl Brown was appointed secretary. The following literary program was rendered with efficiency and merit of which any city school would find it hard to beat: Recitations by Meena Humphrey, Ralph Bent, Bertha Coon, Harry Tozier, Myrtle Cartwright, Essie Gardiner, Grace A'kin; concert recitations by pupils from district No. 94 and district No. 23; dialogue recitations from district No. 26; song by Elvin and Mamie Witham; duet by Carol and Hazel Edwards; selections by a quartet consisting of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards, Messrs. E. H. Belknap and Wilbur Starr; vocal solos by Mr. Pruett and Mrs. J. H. Edwards; cornet solo, Prof. Nicholson; duet, Messrs. Wilbur Starr and E. H. Belknap.

Mr. J. Fred Yates in discussing "Danger Signals," said many young people only think of making wealth. They strive and toil to accomplish this desire when by so doing they fail to observe and to enjoy the beauties of life every where surrounding them. He urged all to secure at any cost a good common school education and then press on until a college education is secured. He insisted that an education was the birthright of every American citizen; that American methods, manners and customs were encircling the globe. His address was full of inspiration, good thoughts and excellent suggestions for the rising generation.

Miss Foshey in discussing, "Does the state course of study meet the conditions of country schools?" thought that it did not. She pointed out the many instances to support this. She thought the pupils should be better sight readers and should learn how to study. Sup't Denman, while admitting that the state course did not meet every requirement, said it was doing a great work in systemizing the work, thereby elevating the work of country schools. He thought that irregular attendance, short term of school, multiplicity of recitations, lack of familiarity on part of many teachers and lack of support from districts boards was to blame in a great measure for some of the troubles arising.

"Should the child be encouraged to tell tales out of school?" brought out a warm discussion and a diversity of ideas. Mrs. DuMullin thought parents should know what is going on in school. The quiet talks between child and parent were indeed beneficial. Miss Mary Dunlap thought it a dangerous thing to be permitted. Pupils are apt to tell the story in an entirely different light from which it occurred. Parents should visit school and investigate for themselves. Mr. L. N. Edwards read a fine paper which received the endorsement of all who heard it. Mr. H. T. Bristol thought children should be encouraged to tell what impressed them in school. Let little things pass unnoticed, but give attention to important things. Mr. M. M. Waltz, W. Belknap and Rev. Skidmore joined in the discussion.

"Our duty when trouble arises in the school," was introduced by Mr. J. H. Edwards. He said "Be sure a thing is worthy of attention before acting; hear the story from child but be sure and hold your peace." Have a talk with the teacher as soon as possible. Try to prevent trouble before it comes. Mr. Earl Brown said if corporal punishment is necessary be sure and use the hazel. In so doing be calm and deliberate, impressing the child that the punishment is only for his good. Enforce the laws, and rules concerning the same; impress the unruly parent with the good work her child is doing and endeavor to show her that he excels his fellow pupil. Robert Kyle said, the parent should stand by teacher first, last and always. First know your duty, then have backbone enough to act. Wilbur Starr said, first train the child at home. Impress the child with the idea that the teacher is in place of the parent. Proper training at home will do much to help the teacher in her troubles. When trouble arises, enforce the laws and rules governing same.

Mr. M. M. Waltz in discussing "Duty of state to common schools," thought the state should be more loyal to the common schools. While he did not oppose higher institutions of learning receiving state help, yet this should not be done to the sacrifice and injury of common schools. He showed by figures the comparative help that each received from the state. No tax is paid that affects the welfare of the home more than that of school. The wonderful spreading of American industries in foreign lands was due to universal education. The crying need of the hour is better provisions for schools, better salaries for teachers. The law should make a belief in God a requirement to securing a certificate.

The subject "What should the school do for our girls?" was ably presented by two excellent papers. Mrs. E. H. Belknap said if a nation is to become great, it must at great pains, create great mothers. Teachers should be in every way compe-

tent. Our girls need a teacher who is strong mentally and morally. Mrs. Silas O. Starr thought the girls should be kept little girls as long as possible. Character formation is an important mission of the school. If the teacher desires to influence the little girl she must love her; lead her on with love and sympathy.

The next parents' meeting is to be held in Alsea with the Hope Grange on May 9th.

Specifications Were Changed.

The city council met in special session Tuesday evening to consider some amendments to the specifications which will be submitted to bidders for a water plant franchise from the city, and to give attention to the matter of the city's light system. These changes were made in the specifications, a summary of which has heretofore appeared in the GAZETTE.

The franchise will be granted for a term of 50 years if water is supplied from Rock creek; if from any other source, the franchise will be limited to 25 years. Water must be soft.

A pressure of at least 20 pounds per square inch shall be maintained on the first floor at all faucets for private use. Originally, but 15 pounds pressure was required.

The clause stipulating that a pressure must be maintained during fires sufficient to throw streams a height of 75 feet from three different openings at one time from any part of the mains, has been amended to read: At any point between First and Eighth streets, and Washington and Van Buren streets, inclusive. Outside of that district, one stream will be required from a single hydrant and two streams from a double hydrant. The council reserves the right to say whether hydrants, hereafter put in, shall be single or double.

A committee of two was appointed to ascertain the city's needs with regard to a light plant.

Contest Opens Monday.

The voting contest for queen of the carnival will open Monday, April 27th, and close June 1st, at midnight. The following nominations have been made, and the contest is open for any Benton county lady whose friends wish to present her name:

Mary's Peak Circle, Corvallis—Miss May Gibson.

Order Eastern Star, Corvallis—Miss Mabel Davis.

Artisans, Corvallis—Miss Diley.

Bellfountain Circle, Bellevue—Miss Inez Williams.

The Circle at Philomath and the Maccabees at Corvallis will announce their nominees shortly.

POLLING PLACES.

Corvallis—H. W. Hall's, W. T. & C. E. Smalls, Allen & Woodward's, Graham & Wells, and Graham & Wortham's.

Philomath—Moses Bros. and Hill & Son.

Bellfountain—At postoffice. Votes will cost five cents each, and the ballot will be counted twice a week and the result announced in the Corvallis papers.

Royal Entertainers.

The following members of Do Good Rebekah Lodge No. 70 went out to Corvallis, Monday, in response to an invitation from the Rebekahs of that place: Mesdames Annette Krogstad, Eva Peterson, Matilda Espy, Rose Schenck, Leonia Brown, Annie Horning, Alice Waugh, Anna Turnidge, Mary Wygant, Ada Soule and Miss Clara Olsson. The party returned Tuesday evening, warm in their praise of the entertainment accorded them. Every member of the large Corvallis lodge seemed to be on the reception committee, and the visitors were made to feel perfectly at home.

The object of the invitation was to give the local members an opportunity of witnessing the ritualistic work in all its beauty and detail. The Corvallis team has the reputation of being one of the finest in the state, and its floor work was a revelation—a rich treat—and highly appreciated. At the conclusion elegant refreshments were served in the lodge banquet hall. The local Rebekahs hope in the near future to show their appreciation of the courtesy. It was an occasion that will always be recalled with pleasure, and is regarded as a valuable object lesson to visitors.—Lincoln Leader.

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Corvallis is to have an opportunity of witnessing the marvelous things done by liquid air, an engagement having been made for a splendid lecturer and expert demonstrator to appear here on Wednesday evening, April 29th, bringing a supply of genuine liquidified air, and complete apparatus with which to perform the dozens of startling experiments that have recently attracted world wide attention. Liquid air boils violently when placed on ice, and freezes water when placed over a fierce fire; it renders



Liquid Air boiling on a block of ice

tin and iron brittle as glass, freezes quicksilver so hard that nails are driven in a two-inch plank, steel and electric light carbons will burn in it, rubber becomes like glass, tin and iron are made so brittle they will crush in the hand. Liquid air can run a heavy engine, can be made a more powerful explosive than dynamite, will produce complete combustion of coal, garbage, etc., and there are scores of practical uses for its component gases. An entertainment on this up-to-date subject cannot fail to be interesting and profitable.

Additional Local.

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California

Manager Groves of the Opera House has secured a treat for local theatre goers, to take effect Tuesday, April 28th, at which date "California," one of the most successful plays of the season, will be presented. This production is one of the strongest on the road to-day and has made a splendid record. Miss Rae Bronson, the young emotional actress, heads an excellent company, her part of "Dolores" being one of the strongest characters yet presented in the American drama. A full car of special scenery is carried and the play is produced in a most thorough manner.

Carnival Committee.

Organization has been perfected for the management of the Woodmen carnival and street fair, and the following committees have been selected to look after the various details incident to proper preparation for the big event:

General committee—J. L. Underwood, chairman; Geo. E. Lilly, secretary.

Finance—J. M. Cameron, S. L. Kline and Geo. E. Lilly.

Printing and Advertising—J. L. Underwood and V. P. Moses.

Grounds—J. F. Irvine, D. W. Prichard and W. L. Sharp.

Platforms—Lee Kenedy, Jesse Huffman and Floyd Lane.

Queen Contest—V. P. Moses, Horace Lilly and Carl Porter.

License, Streets and Lights—Geo. E. Lilly, J. H. Gibson and Oliver Wicks.

Corvallis Opera House.

Edison's double company will appear at the Opera House on next Friday and Saturday in two of the most popular plays that have ever been presented to the American public. From the press comments from all over the country this is one of the best companies that has played these pieces. On Friday evening they will give Uncle Tom's Cabin with new scenery, dogs, two Marks and double Topsy.

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