

## Buggies, Carriages and SPRING WAGONS.

We have this spring added to our line of vehicles the celebrated CLARK BUGGIES. These buggies have iron corners, and are made especially for the Pacific coast trade. They are stronger in every particular than the ordinary buggy. We ask you to examine them. They are all right.

### RAYCYCLES.

The latest thing in the wheel line. Get a Raycycle and be in the lead. Our stock is complete in the bicycle lines. We can furnish you a wheel from \$10 up.

**American Field Fence**, the strongest wire fence on the market. Don't buy a light wire fence when you can get the heavy American at a less price. We have already shipped in two car loads of this fence this spring. It talks for itself. For sale by

# R. M. WADE & CO.

the work, believes in physical culture as a means to an end and that end is physical culture. The idea that the student of gymnastics should become a circus performer or acrobat is no longer credited and people now realize that a thorough knowledge of physical culture is essential to perfect manhood and womanhood.

All friends of the Normal are especially welcome. Invitations will be furnished at the door to those who have not already received same. The program will be as follows:

- Grand march.....Training School
- Address.....P. O. Powell
- Calisthenics...4th, 5th, 6th grades
- Motion song.....2nd grade
- Hoop drill...girls of Training school
- Parallel bar work.....
- .....men's class, Normal
- Dumb bell drill.....
- .....ladies' class, Normal
- Idle hour work.....
- .....Roy Graves, Wm. Weist
- Indian club race.....

.....Training School teams  
Four-legged race....Normal teams

The winning team in the Indian club race will receive from Simpson Bros. and Bedwell & Craven six imitation leather pocket note books. The winners of the four-

legged race will receive the choice of the two best ties that S. M. Daniel carries in stock.

### Council Proceedings.

At the session of the city council Tuesday evening the saloon bonds of J. R. Cooper were approved.

E. L. Baker was granted the same allowance for street sprinkling as was appropriated for the same purpose last year.

City marshal was instructed to notify certain property owners to repair sidewalks. Also to have Mrs. L. L. Whiteaker to move the Taylor livery barn and fence back, they being out in the street. A fence belonging to H. H. Jaspersen was also ordered removed from the street.

### FALLS CITY.

The demand for houses to rent is constant.

John Van Orsdel, of Dallas, is working at the Teal mill.

On Tuesday the B. L. Lucas mill started the plainer and in a few days their dry kiln will be ready to receive lumber. Their mountain mill is putting out over 50,000 feet per day, this being double last year's cut.

### BINGER HERMANN SPEAKS

Addresses an Enthusiastic Audience at the Auditorium.

### HE ANSWERS ATTACKS OF ASSAILANTS

Mr. Hermann is an Able, Affable Gentleman—Little Doubt of His Election.

Hon. Binger Hermann, republican candidate for congress from this district, spoke at the auditorium last evening to a large audience. The Monmouth band had

been secured previously, and that organization of musicians discoursed some excellent music.

Mr. Hermann spoke at considerable length, discussing national and state politics, and answering the criticisms of his accusers. He contends that he was not dismissed from the general land office, but he resigned because of differences in policy with his superior officer. He upholds his policy of administering the land office, and would carry out the same plans as in the first if he still retained the office. He has the support of the president, of western senators, of his successor in the office, etc. Mr. Hermann is a pleasant, easy speaker and knows how to drive an argument home.

He left at 8:00 this morning for

Salem to accept the president's invitation to be a member of his party during his stay in Oregon. Tonight he is a speaker at the banquet at the Hotel Portland, given in honor of the president. They are old friends, and when Mr. Roosevelt ran for governor of New York he and Binger frequently spoke from the same platform.

### Gymnastic Exhibition.

On Friday evening of this week will occur the annual gymnastic exhibition of the State Normal. The program will be made up entirely from work done during the year, all the different gymnasium classes taking part.

Mr. Forbes, who has charge of

## Thos. Fennell,

### Blacksmithing, Horseshoeing, WAGONMAKING, ETC.

I have secured the services of one of the best horse-boers in the northwest, and invite you to give him a trial. All work done quickly, neatly and reasonably.

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