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THE VISIT OF SEC. GARFIELD

GREAT IMPORTANCE TO STATE

Rose Carnival to Be an Annual Event—Don't Forget the Colonist Rates.

The banquet tendered to the Hon. James R. Garfield, Secretary of the Interior, at the Portland Commercial Club Saturday evening, was a most represented affair. Judge George H. Williams presided as toast-master, and talks on behalf of Portland and Oregon were made by Gov. Chamberlain, Senator Fulton, State Senator Haines, of Forest Grove, Judge Lowell, of Pendleton, and others, while Secretary Garfield, Commissioner Balingier of the General Land Office, F. H. Newell, director of the reclamation service, and others responded on behalf of the visitors. The trip of these high officials of the Interior Department at this time is of especial importance to Oregon, as shown by the many prominent people from over the state who attended banquet.

The successful organizations of the Portland Country Club & Live Stock Association is assured. Nearly \$100,000 of the \$150,000 capital stock of the corporation has been subscribed. One of the crying needs of Oregon has been a permanent live stock association and the stock is being rapidly taken up.

All Oregonians will be gratified to learn of the organization of the Portland Rose Festival Association, assuring an annual rose show, and the wide publicity to be given future events will be of great benefit to the state generally.

A large and representative delegation left Monday to attend the banquet to Vice-President Fairbanks at Seaside, given under the auspices of the Astoria Chamber of Commerce. The party acted as an escort to the vice-president on his return to Portland.

In six weeks more the colonist rates to Oregon will be in effect again, continuing for sixty days. In order to get the full benefit of them, every commercial organization should get busy with their correspondence with prospective settlers. During this vacation period the boys and girls have the time to write their friends "back East" and tell them about the Oregon country. As an illustration of what can be accomplished by this means, the school children of a single district in one of our coast counties doubled the school population of that district, merely through correspondence, necessitating the construction of an additional school building.

A city can prosper only as the country which supports it prospers. The wonderful prosperity of Oregon is affected in the building record of Portland for the six months ending June 30th. This city led the 34 principal cities of the country in the percentage of increase in building over the same period of last year, with a gain of 78 per cent.

A Memorable Day.
One of the days we remember with pleasure, as well as with profit to our health, is one on which we became acquainted with Dr. King's New Life Pills, the painless purifiers that cure headache and biliousness, and keep the bowels right. 25c at all drug stores.

The Louisville Courier Journal says that anybody can get amusement out of a barrel. Give one to a boy and he'll build a bonfire; to a woman, and she'll construct a chair; to a fool, and he'll go over Niagara Falls; to a man, and he'll trade it for a seat in the Senate. The barrel is an article that pleases all tastes.

"In a man and woman of equal weight, the woman's tongue is smaller than the man's," says the Baltimore American. It will not be disputed, however that the woman can do more hard work.

Try one of those 1907 New Morrow Coasters at R. Lee Sears' Bicycle Shop. Guaranteed to give satisfaction.

A Valuable Dog.

A certain minister once delivered a sermon of only ten minutes duration—a most unusual thing for him. Upon the conclusion of his remarks the minister added: "I regret to inform you, brethren, that my dog who appears to be peculiarly fond of paper, this morning ate that portion of my sermon that I have not delivered." After the service the clergyman met at the door a man who, as a rule, attended divine service in another parish. Shaking the good man by the hand he said: "Doctor, I should like to know whether that dog of yours has any pups. If so, I want to get one to give to my minister."—Dundee Advertiser.

The Weather.

The afternoon temperatures in the western counties during the first four days of the week were warm, and in many districts away from the coast they reached 90 degrees or more on two or three days. On Saturday clouds began to gather and the weather soon afterwards became threatening and much cooler. No rain fell in the southern counties, but a few small showers occurred Sunday in the northern portion of the Willamette valley and moderately heavy rain fell on the western slopes of the mountains. In the eastern counties the temperatures were more uniform and no very hot or very cold weather occurred, although the fore part of the week was warmer than the latter part. In this section no rain fell in the valleys, but in the foothills and mountains thunder-showers were frequently observed. The sunshine was abundant in the valleys, and in the principal agricultural districts the week on the whole was very favorable. A strong west wind blew on one day, which was disagreeable but not damaging.

Carl Schuster, a young German, reached Indianapolis June 13 from Canton, Ohio, and he brought with him such a ravenous appetite that he literally ate himself to death. After a tremendous meal he complained of intense pains in his stomach, and a physician was hastily summoned, but in a few moments he died. An autopsy on the theory that Schuster might have eaten something poisoned, was held by the coroner, but instead he found a long rupture of the stomach, which had caused death. The organ was in a perfectly healthy condition, and the coroner found that the deceased had eaten so heartily that his stomach had burst.

Charles Maddox, the notorious crook, held for forgery, at Canon City, Colo., has seven bank books showing deposits of over \$53,000 since April 3, this year, when he opened an account with the Creston, Ia. bank, with \$16,100. On May 1, he was at Ottumwa, Iowa, and deposited \$15,000. May 6 he appeared in Burlington, Wis., and received credit for \$2675 as Charles Benton. One week later he was at Paulding, Ohio, where he deposited \$12,175. He went to Pona and opened an account as Benton, and July 7 deposited \$8060. Five days later he turned up in Idaho Falls, Idaho and began business at the state bank with a deposit of \$550. On June 18, he was in Newberg, Or., where the bank of Newberg credited him with \$185. From there he came to Florence, Colo.

The Charming Woman is not necessarily one of perfect form and features. Many a plain woman who could never serve as an artist's model, possess those rare qualities that all the world admires: neatness, clear eyes, clean smooth skin and that sprightliness of step and action that accompany good health. A physically weak woman is never attractive, not even to herself. Electric Bitters restore weak women, give strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, beautiful complexion. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c.

Perhaps you need a bracer—something that will give you energy, life and ambition. A suggestion—try I. W. Harper whiskey. Sold by F. R. Cornelius.

A TILLAMOOK DEATH-TRAP

A NIGHT OF HORROR.

Six Soldiers Held on the Rocks by the Tide and Hung for Nine Hours in Rain and Cold.

Seaside July 15.—Six riflemen of the Third Infantry, in camp at Seaside, reached their quarters at 10 o'clock this forenoon badly exhausted after having been caught by the tide on a perilous point on rocks under a cliff known as the trap Tillamook Head. Their escape from death was nothing short of miraculous and they got away only after a fearful experience. They were compelled to cling to projecting rocks on the perpendicular cliff for a period of nine hours until the tide receded.

All this time a drenching rain was falling and a heavy wind was blowing in from the sea. Drenched and nearly frozen, the six riflemen hung on through the night, calling and shouting to one another to keep awake. Miraculously, none of the boulders to which they clung became loosened and all were able to bear up under the strain until the tide receded at daybreak.

Few people have ever been caught in the trap and lived to tell of it. That the guardsmen escaped a terrible death was due only to the fact that they were able to climb 75 feet up the cliff and hang there. The detail was in command of Capt. Denny, of the ordnance department, and First Lieut. Disch, of Co. H. The enlisted men were Sergeant Major Howard of the non-commissioned staff and First Sergeant Geer, Sergeant Oesch and Corporal Dickel, all of Company H. The squad left camp at Seaside late Saturday afternoon, intending to search out a favorable point for rifle practice along the coast. A route was pointed out to them and they set out at 6 p. m. Passing around Tillamook head, three miles below Seaside, they came to the dangerous rocks known as the trap. Unaware that it was time for the tide to come in, Capt. Denny and his men marched under a tall cliff that seemed to be set back from the ocean. Passing among the rocks, they were well along toward the other side when a swirling line of breakers bore down upon them, cutting off retreat from both sides.

Long Live the King! is the popular cry throughout European countries; while in America, the cry of the present day is "Long live Dr. King's New Discovery, King of Throat and Lung Remedies!" of which Mrs. Julia Ryder Paine, Truro, Mass., says: "It never fails to give immediate relief and to quickly cure a cough or cold." Mrs. Paine's opinion is shared by a majority of the inhabitants of this country. New Discovery cures weak lungs and sore throats after all other remedies have failed; and for coughs and colds it's the only sure cure. Guaranteed by all druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The most unique method of delivering mail doubtless is that employed by steamers passing the islands of the Tonga group in the Pacific. On account of many reefs landing is exceedingly dangerous, and the few letters to be delivered are attached to large skyrockets, which are fired and reach the shore in safety.

The historic plains of Abraham will be dedicated as a national park at the celebration next year of the 300th anniversary of the founding of Quebec, provided those most prominent in the commemoration are able to have their way. At present the plains are marred by a rifle factory, and instead of listening to the demand that they remove to another site, the owners of the plant demand more room.

Two years ago a Myrtle Creek man tried to sell his 80-acre farm for \$4,000, but no one would have it. The other day he sold the place for \$8,000.

Grant county expects to be out of debt inside of two years.

A fool and his money often make business mighty good for the lawyers.

Four tons of cabbage from less than an acre of land is what a man at The Dalles reports.

From two cuttings of alfalfa on 300 acres, a Butte Creek man will have about 1,300 tons.

A congregation must be pressed for an excuse when it ousts a clergyman because his trousers need pressing.

Over two tons of Royal Ann cherries were gathered this year from 75 trees by a North Yamhill man. Another North Yamhill man has an acre of prunes that yielded \$100 a year of the fruit and will this year bring its owner \$150.

It has been decided to hold the annual Tillamook fair and street carnival on August 22, 23 and 24. The fair this year will be on a more extensive scale than last year, with more substantial prizes offered in the stock show, which will be made a special feature of the fair.

To carry on the life work of his wife, who preceded him in death, James Morris of New York, made provision in his will for a bequest of \$37,000 that the crippled children and the sick little ones of St. Luke's hospital might enjoy rides in Central park and music.

Can it be possible that an Oregon cannery company can prevent a cannery company from another state from entering this field? If so, it is high time the people of the Willamette valley encouraged the establishment of independent canneries. There is money in fruit raising, and there is more money in the industry if the fruit-raisers of the Willamette valley are not solely dependent upon a trust for a market for their product. It is not a sign of progress when a trust can dictate where canneries shall be located in this valley, and arbitrarily fix the price of fruit at such a low figure that there is an enormous profit for it and discouragement for the growers. The Willamette valley can raise the finest fruit in the world, and if the people would take the proper steps and financially back independent canneries, the valley would fairly boom. It is certainly up to the people. They can, if they become a little active, throttle the trust and make this a more inviting field to homeseekers.—Woodburn Independent.

A Wonderful Happening.

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King, of that place says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty five." Guaranteed to cure all sores, by all druggists. 25c.

TO PRESERVE OUR FORESTS

AN IMPORTANT MATTER.

Unless the Wholesale Destruction is Stopped, a Wood Famine is Sure to Result.

Among all of those servants placed at the disposal of mankind by Nature, none are more useful than the forests. The rivers and streams are controlled and regulated by them; climate and rainfall are equalized; wood, lumber and fuel supplied; floods, avalanches and soil erosion prevented; the winds moderated; and the devastation of fertile tracts of country checked. Indeed, the past experience of the human race has positively demonstrated that were it not for the forests the most fertile and prosperous countries would soon be transformed into desert wastes, unfit for human habitation.

Before the forests of Lebanon were destroyed Palestine supported in affluence ten million people. The mountains have long been denuded. Forbidding slopes, barren and ugly, rear their weird forms sharply above dismal and desolate valleys. Scarcely 400,000 people remain in all the region, and most of these are in wretched, hopeless poverty.

Syria, once maintaining a multitude of prosperous towns and cities—Antioch having a population of half a million—is at present the scene of irreparable ruin. The destruction of Syria's forests began 2650 B. C., followed by the disappearance of her soil and the decay of her industries, would alone have produced this effect. Babylon, once capital of the world, is a heap. Nineveh and Carthage, once the seats of mighty civilization, and abundantly equipped by generous Nature for permanent life, are desolate wastes. Man destroyed the forests, and lands which once flowed with milk and honey were transformed into deserts.

The destructive changes occasioned by the agency of man upon the flanks of the Alps, the Apennines, the Pyrenees and other mountain ranges in central and southern Europe, and the progress of physical deterioration have become so rapid that, in some localities, a single generation has witnessed the beginning and the end of the melancholy revolution.

The forest question involves the two great questions of wood and water. Wood is a prime necessity. Our population is increasing rapidly, while our wood supply is more rapidly diminishing. We are consuming wood three or four times as fast as our forests are producing it. Unless radical changes are soon

made in American methods of forestry, a wood famine will assuredly ensue. Forest cover on mountain and hilltops is indispensable in holding back rain water, and maintaining equable stream flow. Denuded hillsides mean an alteration of destructive floods and droughts.

Friends of the forest should exert themselves and assist in securing the needed legislation for the preservation of our forests. The people must be aroused and informed, and must make their will known to their representatives. United, earnest effort will secure this legislation. The American Forestry Association is striving, as never before, to bring the question home to every citizen of the United States, for it is indeed a national question.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Alovis Gassner and w/ to Charles L. Jones 3.50 acres in sec 23 t 1 s 2 w.....	650 00
Charles L. Jones et al to T. A. Carey same as above.....	850 00
Jacob J. Smith and w/ to Walter Bernards 30 acres in John Harrison d l c t 1 n 3 w.....	1 00
Thomas Connell and w/ to Walter Bernards 40 acres in T. R. Cornelius d l c t 1 n 3 w.....	2500 00
Jacob Dixon and w/ to Robert Elliot block 7 Dilley.....	430 00
Carl Abendroth and w/ to A. R. Squires lot 5 Cornelius Environs.....	750 00
Henry Jerritt to Carl A. Broderesen 25 acres in Andrew Harper d l c t 1 s 4 w.....	2200 00
J. F. Schoch to C. E. Nicholson 90 acres in sec 3 t 1 n 4 w.....	3150 00
Charles A. Dhont et al to Ruth E. Dakin 19.75 acres in Joel Fairchild d l c t 1 n 4 w.....	1800 00
E. A. Mincey and w/ to S. J. White and wife 21.50 acres in sec 35 t 1 n 2 w.....	2200 00
William Bagley and w/ to J. W. Shute 157 acres in Jas. Burston d l c t 1 n 3 w & other land.....	1 00
H. F. Gordon and w/ to F. M. Heide w/ of nw 1 sec 1 t 2 n 4 w.....	1 00
J. W. Connell et al to Geo. Schuler-merich part of block 8 Hillsboro.....	1 00
J. J. Roberts and w/ to J. W. Shute part of sec 20 t 2 n 3 w.....	2625 00
M. J. Kinney et al to J. W. Shute 130 acres in sec 8 t 2 n 3 w.....	2600 00

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To Contractors.

Bids will be received by the County Court of Washington Co., Oregon, until 2 o'clock p. m., on the 8th day of August, 1907, for the construction of a bridge across Scoggin creek, near the residence of Thomas Sain. Specifications may be seen at the office of the county clerk. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

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