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The Market Day idea seems to gain in popularity and has been adopted as a permanent institution in a number of towns throughout Oregon. At La Grande, according to the Observer of that place, it has proven a great success. Eugene has also adopted the idea, while Tillamook held its first Market Day last Saturday. As suggested in these columns a few weeks ago, this Market Day commends itself to the consideration of the business men of Grants Pass, as the benefits to be derived are unlimited. The general plan is to set apart one or two Saturdays of each month when all farmers and others who may have farm produce, implements, horses, cattle or any live stock, may bring them to Grants Pass and dispose of them at either private or public sale. An auctioneer should be furnished by the city or merchants; the band should be out during the afternoon, and every merchant should be a committee of one to make it pleasant for the country folks on this Market Day. Each merchant should also offer some line of his goods at a bargain figure. It is bound to bring a lot of people to town who otherwise would go elsewhere to trade, and at the same time engender a more friendly feeling among all the people. Grants Pass can scarcely afford to pass this Market Day plan up. The Commercial Club should be the proper body to take the matter up.

The easterner, especially if he be from a flat country like Kansas, Nebraska, or Iowa, is at once greatly impressed with the multitude of automobiles used in the Rogue River Valley. Despite that we are nestled here in a portion of the beautiful Cascade mountains are more numerous than sections of the states above mentioned and more and longer trips are made than in those countries. Indeed there are few days when an auto party en route from Portland to somewhere down in California does not stop here in Grants Pass. Distances or the mountains have no terrors for the Oregon automobilist, and the scenic grandeur of the beautiful valley render the trip a thousand times more enjoyable than if made on the train. An occasional mishap only adds flavor to the journey. Verily the Rogue River Valley will within a few years have more automobiles than some other whole states.

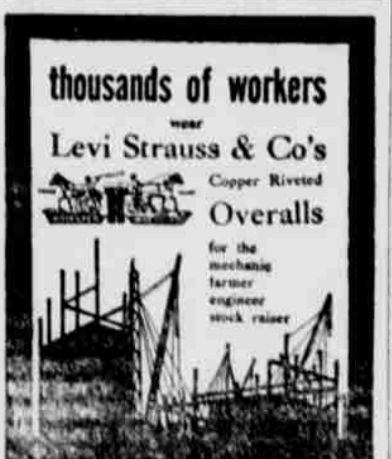
Chicago has been the warmest city in the country for the past 10 days, politically, if not from the mercurial standpoint, all because of the national republican convention which convened there Tuesday. Not, in many years, has there been manifested such widespread interest in the outcome of the national convention of any political party. Besides the regular delegates the convention has been very largely attended and it is doubtful if so many eminent statesmen and politicians have been assembled in the "Windy City" at any one time before.

The Rose and Flower show next Friday will bring a large crowd to town and engender greater enthusiasm in our city. Let every body boost.

WILL VOTE FOR THE GODDESS OF LIBERTY

One of the features at the Fourth of July celebration at Ashland will be a young lady representing the Goddess of Liberty. The Goddess will be elected by popular vote. This

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contest has been so arranged that young ladies of other towns along the line, including Grants Pass, will be allowed to participate.
The ballot box in this city will be at Russell's confectionery store on East Sixth street, and the Misses Pearl Kearns and Lydia White have been nominated as the champions of Grants Pass. Various of our merchants are expected to allow one or more votes with each cash purchase. The young lady receiving the largest number of votes of whatever town participating in the contest will be elected the Goddess.
The contest should prove interesting and strongly advertise the Ashland celebration. 6-19 3t

TEMPERANCE ECHOES OF THE STATE PRESS

Sentiment Pretty Much Everywhere Approves Prohibition Victory in Oregon

Dryer than Two Years Ago.
The Register's prophecy, that Lane county could go dryer than it did two years ago, proved to be correct. The result is a most decisive one. Two years ago the dry majority was 228. This year it will reach 706. Eugene and Fairmount giving a majority of 270 for prohibition.—Eugene Register

Crime Has Decreased.
The vote of Curry County on prohibition shows that having had two years of no saloons, the people were satisfied that it was a good thing and many voters who voted wet, two years ago, voted dry this year because they have seen that crime has decreased, that expenses are diminished, that rowdiness is a whiskey evil, and that many a man is practically reformed of drunkenness, and his family is happier and more comfortable. The vote of Curry County honors her throughout the state, and she will never be classed as a saloon county again.—Port Orford Tribune.

Work Not Yet Done.
The victory won by the temperance forces in Oregon at the election June 1, was little short of wonderful, but the work is not yet done. It will require untiring vigilance and energy on the part of the officials to prevent the sale of liquor in the "dry" counties. The majority of the voters have expressed themselves as being in favor of the prohibitory law and it is the duty of every citizen to do his part to see that law is enforced. If, at the end of two years, it is found that it has been unprofitable, either from a moral or economic standpoint, there will be an opportunity for a change.—Canbyville Echo.

Thrifty Trip On Trains.
The time between drinks under the same conditions will be even longer to the tourist on the Southern Pacific trains. After entering the state from California he must appease his thirst entirely with ice water until the train enters Marion county, and then he can drink as much as he desires and the capacity of his purse will permit until he reaches Portland, inasmuch as Marion and Clackamas counties voted to continue the saloons. Jackson, Josephine, Douglas, Lane and Linn, however, the other counties to the south and through which the road of the Southern Pacific passes, have voted to oust the saloons beginning July 1.—Medford Oregonian.

Don't wear yourself out with that old lawn mower. Get one of those Ball Bearing Lawn Mowers at Hair-Riddle's. 6-12 2t

GRANTS PASS HAS THREE IN THE LIST

The Courier is in receipt this week of the announcement of the thirty-second annual commencement at the University of Oregon, together with a list of the members of the class and the residences of each. Exclusive of the departments of medicine and law the class this year numbers 58.

It is commendable to the city of Grants Pass as well as an honor to the respective families that three of our young people are included in the class of 1908 of the State University. They are Miss Mozelle Hair and Claudias and Kirkman Robinson. Upon the two former has been conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts and upon the latter, Master of Arts. The exercises are to be held June 21-24, and the musical programs for commencement week promise to be the best in the educational history of the northwest. The Southern Pacific has granted a fare of one and a third fare.

Call and see INDIAN Motorcycles at McIntyre's Cycle Machine Shop, South Sixth street, below Bottling Wks. 6-12 1f

LOCAL EVENTS

Plan to attend the celebration at Wilderville the Fourth.
O. L. Barlow of Barlow Bros. at Galice was in town Tuesday.

O. L. Leigh of Silver Creek was doing business in the county seat this week.

Dr. Flanagan, Dr. Stricker and J. A. Hathaway were in attendance at the Masonic grand lodge at Portland last week.

The large pile driver which has been at work repairing the turn table here has been a great attraction for many during their leisure hours.

Bert Barnes and Dr. Stricker came home Saturday from Portland where they had been in attendance at the annual meeting of the Masonic Grand Lodge.

The California Pine Box Factory started up this week with a full crew of men who are now busy on contracts for boxes for this season's fruit pack.

News has just been received here that Circuit Judge Hanna has sustained the injunction which will estop the adoption of prohibition at Medford.

Mr. McLane one of the recent arrivals here who has been employed in the new box factory, lost the third finger of his left hand in one of the saws and is now laid up for repairs. Dr. VanDyke dressed the wound.

Corn Cultivators—the kind that works both sides of the row at once—at Hair-Riddle's

Mrs. H. Warner arrived Wednesday from Los Angeles and was met the next day by Mr. Warner who came over from the mine near Holland. Mrs. Warner will return with him and spend the summer at the mine.

The Temple meat market just north of the postoffice has added much to the facility and interior appearance of its shop by the installation of a handsome all-glass show case for the keeping of its fresh meats. The display is handsome.

Closing Out our stock of Top and Open Buggies regardless of cost. Hair-Riddle's. 6-12 1f

A. B. Cornell and family went down to Galice Monday. Mr. Cornell returning in the evening, where his wife, son and daughter will spend a week with the family of J. O. Mattison at the Oriole mine.

Mr. Cornell reports an unusual number of prospectors at work in the Galice district, which would indicate that Galice is destined to become a much more active camp in the near future. He says there are miners in there from Idaho, Montana and Washington.

The Misses Lucie and Arnes George returned Tuesday from Portland where they attended the big rose festival, had a delightful two weeks' visit. Miss Lucie, however, went on up to Ashland to attend the wedding of a friend, Miss Luella Grubb, to H. B. Carter. The Misses George will go to Kerby for a visit with their parents.

Remember the "Sane Fourth" at Wilderville.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Regular services will be held in Bethany Presbyterian church as usual Sunday. Rev. J. K. Howard, of Medford occupying the pulpit next Sunday and the following Sunday, Rev. A. R. Dodd having returned to his charge in Kansas.

Fourth of July celebration at Wilderville—come and have a good time.

SCANDINAVIAN "ROLLED" ACCUSED MAN JAILED

Thursday evening of last week while a Swede by the name of Chas. Sanburg was safe in the arms of Morpheus as a result of having imbibed too freely in the brew of Bacchus, someone relieved the till of his trousers pocket of \$40 and now while Sanburg laments the "touch," one L. Lawler, lies in the county jail charged with larceny from the person, pending the next term of the circuit court.

Sanburg is a miner recently from northern California. He and Lawler met by chance and the latter immediately opened negotiations with Sanburg for the price of a feed for himself and a partner. The deal was soon accomplished through the Swede's generosity and the two "bos" went away to regale themselves on the four bits thus easily obtained. They met again next morning when an additional loan was secured, shortly after which Sanburg and the "weary willies" began "rushing the can" at the brewery in the west part of town, with the result that Sanburg was soon asleep, and in order that they might not disturb his peaceful slumbers, his new found friends departed. On awakening and discovering his loss he notified the authorities with the result that Lawler was apprehended at Glendale. On preliminary hearing Monday morning Lawler was bound over to the next term of the circuit court in the sum of \$500, in default of which he is now in jail. A search of Lawler's clothes disclosed \$20 in gold sewed in one of his trousers legs.

Pioneer Assaying and Ref. Co.
Capital \$100,000. Est. 27 years. Gold base bullion; cyanides, rich ore, etc. bought; assaying 50c. Spot cash on assaying values. 131 5th st. near U. S. Mint, San Francisco, Cal.

FISH OFFICIALS HERE ON TOUR OF INSPECTION

Master Warden McAllister and Supt. of Hatcheries O'Malley of Portland.

Master Fish Warden H. C. McAllister of Portland and Henry O'Malley, superintendent of the government fish hatcheries of Oregon arrived in the city last Monday evening on a tour of inspection, and were met here by Mr. O'Malley's deputy, Mr. Kelley, who has charge of the hatchery at Elk Creek. Messrs. McAllister and O'Malley went to Medford Tuesday where they spent the day, passing through here in the evening on their way back to Portland. They were inspecting the dams and fishways along the Rogue River and expressed themselves as very well pleased with the present condition of affairs.

Deputy Fish Warden Wilson arrived here Sunday evening from his home at Yoncalla, Douglas county, and is spending the week here looking after routine business. He and Mr. Kelley, who is in charge of the hatchery on Elk Creek, have been in conference here the past few days, as Grants Pass is a sort of headquarters for both of them.

There has been considerable complaint among the fishermen along the river this spring that there were no fish running and it has been discovered recently that many of the salmon have been going up the unscreened irrigation ditches, and Deputy Wilson has, in response to advice to this effect, ordered every irrigating ditch along Rogue river and its tributaries to be screened at once. There is no doubt but that a great number of fish are running up these unscreened ditches and in turn get out on the farmers' fields during the irrigation season and die. In fact reports have come in stating that numerous salmon weighing 20 pounds and more have been found in these ditches.

Deputy Wilson is doing his utmost to have this havoc stopped and hopes within a short time to have all ditches screened.

MARRIED.

BOOSTERS—SPIRIT—Grants Pass this morning at sunrise at the headquarters of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Commercial Club, by the Rev. Mr. Broadguage.

They will be at home to all the good people of Grants Pass and Josephine county next Friday at the Coliseum skating rink, when they will tender a Rose festival, give an automobile parade and serve light refreshments.

GOFF—WOOLERY—Wednesday morning, June 17, 1908, at 10 a. m., at the city hall R. H. Goff and Geneva E. Woolery, both of Josephine county, Judge Holman officiating.

The newly married left immediately after the ceremony on the northbound train.

HOLMES—PHILLIPS—Wednesday evening, June 17, 1908, at 8 o'clock, Chas. J. Holmes and Miss Lillian Phillips, at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. Anna D. Holmes, County Judge Jewell adjusting the nuptial tie.

DIED.

SIMMONS—Tuesday, June 9, 1908, Mrs. Amanda Josephine Simmons, at Hugo, Ore., aged 49 years, seven months and 4 days.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist church. She is survived by a family of 10 children, four girls and six boys. The daughters are Mrs. Effie King, Mrs. Jessie Williams, Mrs. Mary E. Kuns and Mrs. Etta C. Wunningham. The sons are Messrs. Robert, Charles, Thomas, Walter, Calvin and John.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

NEW TODAY.

THOROUGHBERD White Leghorns and Plymouth Rock chickens for sale. Hayden Close, Wilderville. 6-19 1f

Window glass at Hair-Riddle's.

RANGE, with plumbing complete, book case with adjustable shelves, suitable for office; mission dining table and two mission chairs for sale. Inquire at R. L. Coe residence, phone 71. 6-19 1f

IF YOU have a house or cow you want to sell, or if you want a cow or a horse or a burro, try a Courier Want Ad. Inexpensive, potent and profitable. Try one. Five cents the line.

FOR SALE—One single top buggy, in good repair. N. Day, D street, second house, west of 3d. 6-19 4t

FOR SALE—New 4-H. P. Horizontal Gasoline Engine, Byron & Jackson, 3-inch centrifugal pump with fittings complete. Martin Angel, Western Hotel. 6-19 1f

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Extra choice bottom land. Price right. Will take part cash down or some good property on cash basis. Close in city lot for stock of goods or team horse and wagon. Phone 621, J. D. Drake. 6-19 2t

PIANO INSTRUCTIONS—Call at Rowell's music store if you wish piano lessons. 6-19 4t

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FOR SALE. Inspected Sheet by Sheet

GOOD Sugar Pine shakes for sale at Kinney's Grocery store. 6-12 1f.
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COW—Good family cow for sale. Address Mrs. Close, Wilderville. 5-29 1f

FOR SALE—The fine residence property of H. A. ROTERMUND, two blocks from Masonic Hall. Enquire at Paddock's Marble Works.

FOR SALE—Good sugar pine shakes. Enquire Kinney's Grocery. 5-8 1f

ONE SPAN good work horses, one driving or saddle horse for sale—cash or on terms. Wilson Mercantile Co., Leland. 4-24 1f

FOR SALE—40 acres of choice red land, well adapted to fruit and grape culture all under fence, house and barn and growing crop on part of it. Also 45 head of Angora goats, one horse, cow and calf. Located on Bull creek, four miles southeast of Wilderville. Address M. D. Bousman, Wilderville, Ore., or call at ranch, no agent. 3-13 1f

FIVE unrelated strains of thoroughbred Poland China hogs, all ages, both sexes. Some either bred or open. As good blood as any hogs in Oregon. Also two Short horn bulls for sale. John H. Robinson, Grants Pass, Ore., Route 2. 5-29 4t

7-ROOM plastered house on Iowa street, two acres of ground, for sale at \$1600. Inquire on premises, opposite Kingwell's green house. E. T. Tompson. 5-29 1f

WILL rent you a good farm, seven miles of city. Best terms given.—Write Box 25, or see me, residence corner Oak and Park streets. J. M. Adams.

WANTED.
TEAM WANTED—Anyone having workable team, who wants it kept through winter months for light work, apply to Chas. Meserve for particulars. 12-20 1f

FRANK BURNETT—Upholstering, mission furniture made to order.

MISCELLANEOUS.
NOTICE—I have taken up one black hog, crop off right ear. Owner can have same by calling at my place and paying charges. J. B. Borough, Grants Pass, Oregon. 6-23 5t

HORSE pasture at the Lynn D. Allen ranch, four miles west. Address RFD No. 2. 5-29 4t

F. A. PIERCE—Registered Angoras, Flock headed by one of the famous bucks of the "King Arthur" also other bucks of different strains of breeding. Does of the noted strains. Backs for sale, Merlin, Ore. 3-27 1f

FOR EXCHANGE—Elegant new six room house with all modern conveniences, fully improved popular cross town street. Near Oakland and S. F. car and ferry lines. 40x135 feet lot. Small house in rear renting for \$10 per month. Total renting value about \$4500 value of cash difference; trade cash basis. Address owner, 1622 Ashby Ave., Berkeley, Cal. 4-5 1f

EXPERIENCED Sawyer and Engineer wants situation at either. Address P. O. Box 53, Grants Pass. 6-12 1f

For sale by The Courier