

PLAN FESTIVAL
FOR SEPTEMBER

Local Merchants Backing Project to Stage Big Harvest Festival Sept. 18 to 23.

EVENTS TO INCLUDE
A ROUND-UP FEATURE

Full Week Will Be Given Over to Celebrate Gathering in of Abundant Harvest.

If present plans now maturing are successfully brought to a head, the biggest fair ever held south of Salem will take place in Albany September 18 to 23. A number of business men are promoting a Harvest Festival, which will take place after the biggest part of the harvest is in. It will be held on the old baseball ground, south of the S. P. depot. A full week will be spent in revelry and educational exhibitions and it will be the event of the year.

It is planned to have a wild west show as one of the attractions. R. P. McClelland has agreed to bring his outfit over for the week and put on a roping, bucking, riding and bull dogging exhibition. This will occur the week before the Pendleton show, and it is thought that some of the best talent can be induced to come down and take part. This would be a big feature and a crowd getter. It is also the intention to make most of these events free.

In addition, and this is to be one of the main things, a big exhibit of farm and manufactured products is to be an attraction. Special cash prizes will be put up for the displays and the entries will be open to the entire valley. Other attractions will be provided. The Arnold Carnival company will be on hand. Jitney street dances will be held every night. Free balloon ascensions and similar events will be featured.

The leading merchants will also put on a style show which will be one of the features of the fair.

The idea of those back of the move is to make everything free if possible and only charge where there is absolutely a necessity for it. A purse of \$3,000 will be solicited to guarantee the success of the venture, and the business men are expected to willingly back the proposition.

No definite announcements have been made yet and the matter is still hanging fire.

Think Have Bomb Throwers.
(By United Press)

San Francisco, July 28.—Chief White, Captain Matheson, and District Attorney Fickert announced the belief that they have in custody the men responsible for the bomb outrage, that cost the lives of nine. No names are mentioned. There is no indication given as to which one of the suspects now held is the leader. They agree that the explosion was not the result of an anarchistic plot.

Mexico to Be Issue.

New York, July 28.—The first formal indication that Mexico will be the main issue in the Republican attack on the Wilson administration is contained in the statement of William C. Clegg, secretary of the National Association of Manufacturers, who is in charge of the campaign. He is bitterly assailed Wilson's military administration.

Naval Battle.

Berlin, July 28.—The Dutch newspaper Handelsblad reported a naval battle between several German submarines and British patrol boats. The Nellen, Nutton, Onward and Eve. The Nellen and Nutton were sunk. Three sailors were killed. The Eve and Onward are supposed to be sunk with their crews.

FARMER SMITH TO SPEAK TO
COMMERCIAL CLUB MONDAY

There will be a mass meeting Monday evening, July 31, C. L. Smith, traveling agriculturalist of the Oregon-Washington Railroad & Navigation company, will address the business men and farmers at the Commercial club rooms at 8 o'clock. Subject of address "The Relation Between the Business Man and the Farmer."

Farmer Smith delights his audience with his rounded sentences and natural wit. Go and hear the great agriculturalist. He is a live wire and electrifies his audiences with up to date facts. Farmers especially are invited.

CHIEF OF POLICE CATLIN
HIT BY AN ENGINE

Was Watching Under One Train For Hoboes When Another Train Arrived.

Chief of Police John Catlin, met with a small accident last night, fortunately not serious, though a close call for something worse. As the through train was coming in from the south he was standing between the tracks, two and three, watching for hoboes, and thought he saw one hanging to the rods getting off, but it was a newspaper. In doing so he got too close to track two, on which the Portland-Brownsville train was coming. He was hit by a projection on the front of the engine and knocked down, away from the tracks though, so he was only stunned. He got up, remarking: "You can't kill an Irishman." The conductor of the train and the train master, Arthur Downs, who happened to be there, made a record of the accident, and it was formally reported to the head office.

SCHOOL OFFICERS GO TO
CORVALLIS TO COLLECT

To see about the collection of \$1200. At any school district from the Benton High School fund, County School Superintendent W. L. Jackson, City Superintendent C. W. Roetlicher and D. D. Hackleman, clerk of the district, went to Corvallis this afternoon. Benton county owes Albany the amount stated for admitting to the high school pupils who live across the river in Benton county. The law provides for the transfer of funds in that case.

CITY NEWS

The Alternates.—J. F. Altematt, of Berkeley, Calif., returned last night from a trip to Seattle and Spokane in the interest of his inventions. Tonight he and his family, who have been visiting here several weeks, will leave for home, a fact their many friends here will regret, but Rayce has to begin his school work next Monday.

Returned to Corvallis.—Miss Emily Martin, of Corvallis, a former Albany girl, returned home last night after spending a week with her friend, Miss Harriet Van Tassel.

Those Blooded Dogs.—Since that item appeared in the Democrat the other day about Billy Pfeiffer's eight English pointer pups, belonging to a registered stock, a large number have wanted to see them, so all day tomorrow they will be in the show window of Hauser Bros., and those wanting to see something fine in the dog line should take a squint or two.

From Michigan.—Mrs. W. H. Decker and granddaughter, of Monroe, Mich., will arrive tonight, after a California trip, and will be the guests of their friends J. H. Hamilton and family for a few days.

Home from Portland.—Misses Christine Jipe and Mae Tillman returned last night from a visit of two or three weeks in Portland, with friends.

Team Turned Wrong.—Martin Ludwig, the plumber, is having more than his share of trouble with the city. Last evening a farmer stopped his team in front of his shop while he went inside to get some pipe. The team was headed leftward, toward the north, instead of rightward, as provided by ordinance. The street superintendent happened along and told the farmer he would have to turn his team toward the south, which he did and kept going, and Mr. Ludwig lost the sale of the pipe.

New Scio Miller.—D. C. Thomas, of Jefferson, has bought an interest in the Scio Flour mill, and will succeed Mr. Hazlewood as miller. He is a first-class flour mill man, and Scio is fortunate in having him and his family as citizens.

Returned to Salem.—Mrs. Hazel Saylor Newsome, of Salem, returned home last night after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dave Froman, and friends, for several days.

Returned from Eugene.—Rev. Geselbracht returned last night from Eugene, where he had been on church business, taking an active part in a conference of Presbyterian ministers there.

Not Wanted.—Two girls, of disreputable character, who came down from Lebanon yesterday, were shipped from the city by John Catlin, who doesn't propose to have such characters around. They went to Corvallis.

Com. Miller Returned.—R. R. Com. F. J. Miller was in the city last evening on his way to Salem, after attending a complaint trial at Eugene.

A Touring Week.—A national touring week has been arranged for to begin with Aug. 6. The slogan is: See America First. The big auto factories certainly believe in advertising.

GETTING PILOT
FOR DEUTSCHLAND

Wanted an Old Pilot; But He Could Not Be Secured For Trip.

THE TUG TIMMONS
TO LEAD THE WAY

All Indications Are That the German Is About to Start Homeward.

(By United Press)
Baltimore, July 28.—The Deutschland is preparing to take a pilot from the Maryland pilots' association. That organization said that Pilot Coleman, who brought her up the river is out of town, and not available. Captain Cullison, of the tug Timmons, wants Coleman, but the rules of the association require the first man out, be taken, which means the first on the pilot's list. A 24 hour crew is now aboard the Timmons giving the impression that the Deutschland's stay will be short. She may lay over in the lower bay before running the patrol.

Dropped Dead.
Salem, July 28.—E. P. McCormack, capitalist, dropped dead here this morning of heart trouble. He was a heavy landholder throughout the state. He was born in Illinois.

Villa Be Trapped.
(By United Press)
Mexico City, July 28.—Villa is being driven into a trap. Ten thousand Carranzistas are chasing him and his capture is imminent, according to officials here, replying to rumors from the United States that the bandit is moving on Torreon.

Fatal Strike Accident.
(By United Press)
New York, July 28.—A strike which has tied up the surface cars in the Bronx Westchester county and threatened to extend throughout Manhattan, claimed the first life today when a brake on the car failed to work and the car and trailer plunged down a hill and splintered against a subway pillar, killing Motorman B. B. Horn, a strikebreaker, and injuring two policemen, and a strikebreaker.

A Most Noble Judge.
Chicago, July 28.—Judge Landis today awarded the ownership of the baby in dispute between Mrs. Anna Dolie Ladgerwood Matters and Margaret Ryan to the latter.

"BATTLE OF HEARTS"
STARS WM. FARNUM

"Battle of Hearts," which will be shown at the Rolfe, starring the talented actor William Farnum, is the first filmed story of sea life presented by William Fox, the maker of vital feature films. In this picture, released, Mr. Farnum acts the part of a noble sailor character, brave and capable of great self-sacrifice. He is in love with a sea captain's daughter, a part taken by Edna Furry, his new leading woman, but through the plots of the villain of the story the girl does not realize the capacity of his love until the end of the play.

Incidental to the story, which was enacted on Catalina Island, off the California coast, there is a shipwreck in which both Mr. Farnum and Miss Furry figure.

Cabinet Falling.
(By United Press)
Tokyo, July 28.—Resignation of Okuma's cabinet is said to be imminent. Field Marshal Seiki Terauchi will succeed Okuma as premier.

**WALTER M. PARKER RETURNS
FROM ELKS' CONVENTION**

Walter M. Parker, representative to the supreme lodge of Elks at Baltimore, returned last night, and reported a fine time. The convention of Elks was a great affair, attracting wide attention. All the delegates were treated royally, the people of Baltimore spreading themselves to make the event one they would never forget. Mr. Parker saw the famous Deutschland, getting within 70 or 80 feet of the boat. It caused immense excitement there, and the papers were full of its wonderful adventures. Mr. Parker was mighty glad to be back in Albany, as much as he enjoyed his eastern experiences.

FORMER ALBANY GIRL
ONE OF THREE WIVES

Frances Cummins Crawford Was Wife Number One of Dr. Sherman O. Crawford.

The San Francisco papers have had a good deal to say about the escapades of one Dr. Sherman O. Crawford, who has been married three times, the last time before his second wife had gotten a divorce. Now it transpires that wife number one, who secured a divorce from Crawford was formerly Miss Frances Cummins, daughter of Frank Cummins, the conductor, and was an Albany school girl for several years. The Bulletin says: Well, look who is here!

Mrs. "Dr." Sherman O. Crawford No. 1.

No, not Mrs. Vernabelle Prince Crawford of Sunnyvale, the woman from whom Crawford was divorced at the time he married Miss Margaret Abercrombie, whose marriage with him was annulled recently, but Mrs. Frances Cummins Crawford, of Stoughton, Michigan, who says she and Crawford were married in April, 1913, at Oregon City, and lived in Clackamas two months, after which they separated and she divorced him. She says Crawford represented himself as the heir of rich relatives in this state.

Mrs. Vernabelle Price Crawford, now wife No. 2, is recovering from appendicitis, and Crawford has escaped an operation for the same ailment.

IRISH AUTHOR GETS
FINE OR IMPRISONMENT

Laurence Grinnell Sentenced to Pay \$500 or Six Weeks in Prison.

(By United Press)
London, July 28.—Laurence Grinnell, of the Irish Nationalists, who yesterday was the storm center of uproar in the commons, today was offered the choice of a fine of \$500 or six weeks' imprisonment, following conviction for false representations by which he obtained admission into Knutsford barracks.

Grinnell is an author, humanitarian and prominent Irish member of the British parliament.

He was arrested by order of Gen. Lloyd. Information came to the officer that Grinnell had visited a detention camp at Knutsford near Manchester under an assumed name and there spent some time talking in a suspicious manner with Irish rebel prisoners.

He was one of the founders of the Irish Literary Society of London and is the author of several books dealing with Irish questions.

Three Asphyxiated.
(By United Press)
St. Louis, July 28.—William Ritchie, after sleeping on a veranda last night, broke into his home and found his wife Sarah, and two children, asphyxiated from gas pouring from a bake oven.

**Miss Doro as Nymph
DANCES DIVINELY**

There are some beautiful classic dancing scenes in the heart of a great forest and also some thrilling pictures of the woods on fire and heroic rescues in the new Fine Arts-Triangle play "The Wood Nymph," starring Marie Doro. Miss Doro wears light filmy garments and has her long dark hair streaming down her back, as she dances lightly through the forest.

Miss Doro is Wilfred Lucas, who plays the part of her Apollo lover, and Frank Campeau, famous as Trampas, in "The Virginian," as her father.

In addition is the two-reel Triangle-Keystone comedy featuring Harry Gribbon and Alice Devereux in "Perils of the Park." These comedy actors, new to Albany, present a howl of a play, and furnish a good laugh throughout it.



Scene from "Birth of a Nation" at the Globe Theatre Sunday, August 6.

WAR WILL LAST
A LONG TIME

German Correspondent So Declares in a United Press Dispatch.

GERMANS THINK THEY ARE
MASTERS OF SITUATION

But For French Bravery in the Trenches Germans Would Have Captured Verdun.

By Carl Ackerman.

With the Germans at Verdun, via Berlin and London, July 28.—The Germans mastery here has robbed the French of their greatest chance to cooperate with the allied drive, had the French positions not been attacked here. The French could hammer simultaneously with the British thrust. German officers say the main thing is not whether Verdun is taken, but whether the Teutons remain masters. Traveling along the German front, I find the opinion general that the war will last a long time yet. French bravery in the underground trenches, said a staff officer, is what prevented the Germans from capturing Verdun.

Fatal Heat.
(By United Press)
Chicago, July 28.—Twenty-six died last night from the heat, bringing the total to 44 in the last 24 hours.

Englishman Executed.
Berlin, July 28.—Capt. Fryatt of the English steamer Brussels, was executed for attempting to ram a submarine March 28, in 1915.

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NEWPORT TO HAVE A
RAILROAD TO WILLAMINA

\$100,000 Bonus Being Raised For the Big Project.

Yaquina Bay people are raising a bonus of \$100,000 for a railroad that shall run to Salmon river, thence to Willamina, Sheridan, McMinnville, and Portland. Work is to begin when \$25,000 is raised, of which \$22,000 is already subscribed, \$50,000 is to be paid when five miles are built, and another \$50,000 when ten miles are in actual operation. Big timber holders are expected to give about \$75,000. Some present subscriptions are Rickman & Smith, \$2,000; Lee Williams, \$1,650; S. G. Irvine, \$1,500; Agate Beach Land Co., \$1,500; Otter Rock Interests, \$1,250; Abbey Hotel, \$500; L. H. Payne, \$500. It is declared that the P. & W. C. R. R. & N. Co. means business.

CARSON BIGBEE SOLD TO
PITTSBURG NATIONALS \$5000

Yesterday at Tacoma Carson Bigbee, former Albany high school star baseball player, football player and basketball player, was sold by Tacoma to the Pittsburgh Nationals for \$5,000, and will join the Pittsburgh team at the close of the Northwest season Sept. 5. He has made a great reputation in fielding, base running and hitting, being a sensation. He is the first player Albany has ever furnished for a national league.

CITY NEWS

Arguments are Finished.
Arguments in the case of J. A. Howard against R. H. Sims were completed last evening and Judge Galloway took the matter under advisement. His decision will be announced in the near future. Judge Galloway returned to Salem last evening and will be back again Monday morning.

Going to Seaside.
Miss Lena Pearson and Mrs. Clara Clark will leave Saturday for Seaside, where they will spend two weeks at the beach. They will then go to Portland, where they will spend two weeks studying fall styles in millinery.

Climbed the Walk.
Wm. Stetter this morning drove his car over the curb in front of W. M. Parker's grocery at Second and Lyon streets this morning. He was trying to miss another car.

Saw Film at Salem.
More than 3500 people saw the world famous film, "The Birth of a Nation" at the opera house this week, and the interest was such that many hundreds were turned away at the last showing Wednesday night. Within the next two weeks, Eugene, Roseburg and Albany people will be given their chance to see the greatest movie ever produced.—Journal.

Buick Output Increased.
J. L. Irvin, local dealer for the Buick, has just received a letter announcing the Buick policy for 1917. During the past year the Buick factory turned out 66,000 six cylinder cars. This year the output will be practically doubled. There will be built 80,000 sixes and 45,000 of the new four cylinder model. The four cylinder car will sell at \$785, while the model D-45 will remain at \$1170 and the model D-55 at \$1635.

To Deliver Addresses.
Dr. W. P. White went to Quincy this morning and today he will deliver two addresses before the meeting of the Northwest Evangelical church in session at Quinnaby Park, north of Salem.

Snow at Quartzville.
L. N. Stewart, a miner living in Quartzville, south of Gates, arrived in the city this morning. He states that in the mountains above Quartzville there are still five feet of snow. He states that there is some activity in the mining business, one company continually taking out gold from the ore. Should the Hill interests build the road up the South Santiam prospects in the Quartzville would be greatly increased in value, for it would be an easy matter to run a spur up the fork of the river to the mines and make possible the development of a rich mining section.

Catkins in Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. John Catlin went to Portland this morning. About four weeks ago Mrs. Catlin fell, injuring her knee. The injury failed to heal and she is being taken to Portland for treatment.

Vacation at Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wood and daughters, Martha, Inez and Maud, went to Detroit this morning where they will remain for another month. Mr. Wood is on the C. & E. run between Albany and Hoover and spends his nights in Detroit.

Went to Portland.
Miss Beatrice Sanders went to Portland last evening where she will visit for a few days.

HAND TO HAND
FIGHTING TODAY

British Report Same Kind of Fighting That Won Pozieres.

BRITISH AND GERMANS
DISAGREE AS TO SUCCESS

Russians Report That Gains Are Being Made in Several Directions.

(By United Press)

London, July 28.—The same desperate hand to hand fighting by which the British captured Pozieres from the Germans, is proceeding today out in the outskirts of Longueval, and beyond Delville wood, northeast of that town. Gen. Haig reported his troops successful. The Berlin communique insisted that fighting is still progressing, and that the British attacks are broken, but the British report strong German counter attacks directed at trenches newly won by Kitchener's troops, had been beaten off with heavy loss to the enemy.

Petrograd, July 28.—Russian advance in the region of Stonevki and Boldurevka rivers continues successfully, the communique said. Gains are also reported in the Caucasus.

London, July 28.—The British have driven the Brandenburgers out of Delville wood, according to Gen. Haig's report today. One hundred and sixty-three were captured. Two German counter attacks were beaten off with heavy losses of the enemy.

Near Nence Chapelle small parties of Germans entered the front trenches and were immediately driven out, leaving their wounded.

Berlin, July 28.—The enemy cannot boast that it has progressed, declared an official statement, referring to the British attack at Pozieres. The attacks on Pozieres and southeast of Foreaux wood were broken. Bitter hand to hand fighting occurred at Longueval and Delville woods.

MARRIED HIS SISTER.

After Living Together for Nine Years Couple Make Startling Discovery.

Register: A press dispatch from Globe, Ariz., tells of a case wherein a former Eugene girl married a man whom she now believes to be her long-lost brother, and the dispatch says that she and her husband are now on their way to Eugene to ascertain whether or not their supposition is correct. The dispatch says:

Mrs. Rodger W. Newton today faintly when she saw evidence that seemed to prove that the man to whom she was married nine years ago is her full brother, elder by two years than herself.

The discovery came through the husband's finding in an old trunk a locket containing a picture of his parents, recognized by the wife as a photograph of her own father and mother.

This locket was the only connection with the past left with Newton in 1880, when, a child of three years, he was placed in an orphanage in Spokane, Wash. He was adopted by a couple who gave him his name, and who moved to Wisconsin.

After he left college, Newton's business took him to Portland, Oregon, where he met Miss Elizabeth Porter, then attending a seminary. They were married. The couple came to Globe four months ago.

They have started for Eugene, Or., there to meet those whom they now believe to be their father and mother.

**ARMY OFFICER HERE
AFTER MORE RECRUITS**

Captain John Hibbard, of Portland, one of the four recruiting officers sent out to fill up the ranks of the Third Oregon regiment on the Mexican border, arrived in the city last evening and is located at the St. Francis hotel. Tonight, in company with Captain F. C. Stellmacher, R. C. Churchill and W. A. Salisbury, he will go to Lebanon where a meeting has been arranged and a bunch of recruits expected to be enlisted. A Lebanon man was enlisted yesterday.