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LARGEST CROWD AT CHAUTAUQUA

Audience of 2700 Completely Fills Big Auditorium Yesterday Afternoon.

COL. BAIN DELIVERED MASTERFUL ADDRESS

Union Evening Service Was Held Last Night; Rev. Conner Preached.

Words of Wisdom from Col. George W. Bain. It is better to be laughed at for not being married than not to be able to laugh after you are married.

Completely filling the auditorium, 2700 people attended the Albany Chautauqua yesterday afternoon and heard Col. Geo. W. Bain, of Kentucky, on "If I Had My Life to Live Over."

Col. Bain, the Kentucky orator, is one of the most widely known and generally successful lecturers in the United States today and wherever he goes he has always been received by large audiences.

"If I Had My Life to Live Over" was a live subject and the way it was presented, contained much valuable information and will lastingly remain in the memory of those who were fortunate to hear it.

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TYPEWRITER WAS STOLEN FROM ALBANY COLLEGE

Theft Discovered This Morning by Hans Flo; Police Working on the Case.

Upon entering the commercial department of the Albany College this morning, Prof. Hans Flo discovered to his dismay that one of the typewriters was missing.

ALBANY DEFEATED UNION MEAT TOSSERS, 8 TO 2

Visitor's Pitcher Blew Up in Seventh When Score Was Tie and Game Was Lost.

Between showers, lasting throughout the contest and before a small crowd of faithful fans, the Albany Athletics yesterday afternoon on the local diamond defeated a baseball aggregation representing the Union Meat Co. of Portland, by a score of 8 to 2.

WILL HOLD FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

Saturday August 9th Is the Date Set by Postal Authorities for Test.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date named above an examination will be held at Albany, Ore., as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster of class at Mill City, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of examination, with the exception that in a state where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.

Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington at least 7 days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

DENTIST MEETS WITH ACCIDENT

R. H. Curl Found This Morning in Office Suffering from a Hemorrhage.

TAKEN TO ST. MARY'S FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION

False Reports As to Nature of Accident Causes Large Crowd to Assemble.

With his shirt literally covered with blood, his nose terribly bruised and swollen, R. H. Curl, a local dentist, was found this morning shortly before 12 o'clock, lying in the back door of his office in a weakened condition due to the loss of blood.

Although his nose bore marks of a heavy blow, physicians maintain that Curl suffered from plain hemorrhage. So weak was he when found, he was unable to talk.

When questioned closely concerning his misfortune, he absolutely refused to talk. It could not be learned how long he had been lying in this condition, but judging from the blood on his shirt and arms it is believed that he suffered the hemorrhage sometime late last night or early this morning.

The rumor that a man had committed suicide several weeks ago as a result of the episode and scores were attracted to the scene of the office which is located on Ferry street between First and Second streets, in an old house built on wagon wheels.

REAL TREAT IS IN STORE FOR CHAUTAUQUA GOERS

Prof. Baumgard will Present Two Interesting Lectures This Evening.

A real treat is in store for those who attend the entertainment at the Chautauqua tonight according to a statement issued at headquarters this afternoon by C. H. Stewart.

With 146 lantern slides, Prof. Baumgard will give a lecture on the subject, "An evening with the stars." As a prelude to this feature which will be the main entertainment, the professor will deliver an illustrated lecture upon the subject of "See America First."

Prof. Baumgard appears on the local Chautauqua platform as worthy of the highest recommendation as a lecturer who gave universal satisfaction and the management feels fortunate in securing his services.

Mr. Cullison, a former resident of this city but now of Corvallis spent Sunday in Albany.

WOMAN ASKS FOR LEGAL SEPARATION

Complaint Filed with County Clerk by Florence S. Hayes This Morning.

CRUEL AND INHUMAN TREATMENT IS CHARGE

Plaintiff Also Demands Custody of Minor Children; Couple Married in 1893.

Claiming that during his quarrelsome moments, he straps a revolver about his person and intimates he will do her harm therewith, Florence S. Hayes has filed suit for divorce from Henry M. Hayes, in the Linn county circuit court on the grounds of non-support.

The couple were married in Linn county September 27, 1893. There are three children, Andrew, age 19, Clifford, age 13 and Valda, age 10. The plaintiff prays for the custody of the latter.

In her complaint the plaintiff claims that at all times during her married life, she has treated the defendant with kindness and has been true to her marital vows. She alleges that defendant has been guilty of cruel and inhuman treatment during the latter years of their wedded life, and has at various times been irritable and cross without cause or provocation.

On several occasions, according to the complaint the defendant has during his quarrelsome moments strapped the revolver about his person and repeatedly intimated that he will do the plaintiff harm therewith. In the complaint the plaintiff states that she has constantly urged him not to carry a pistol but that he continued to do so, which greatly frightened and terrorized her, as to make her life burdensome and unhappy.

Lee Bennett of the Oregon Power company has been transferred from Brownsville to Albany.

WEEKLY REPORT FROM STOCK YARDS SHOWS UP BETTER

At Portland the Union Cattle Market Is Steady to Stronger.

Receipts for the week have been, cattle 1026; calves, 232; hogs, 2125; sheep, 4171.

Cattle market steady to stronger at the close of the week's business. Prime grass steers offering on Thursday and Friday sold at \$8.25 to \$8.50 in small quantity.

Buying demand in the hog pens increased materially the latter part of the week; tops sold in bulk at \$9.00 to \$9.15, with a few loads at \$9.20 and \$9.25.

Scott P. Hart passed through the city this noon enroute to Lebanon from Corvallis in the interest of the engineering department of the Portland, Eugene & Eastern R. R.

Mrs. M. D. Hammel returned this morning from Corvallis after spending Sunday as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Patton.

SPARK FROM CHIMNEY CAUSES FIRE ON ROOF

Slight Damage Is Done to Fifth Street Dwelling; Alarm Turned in.

Flying out of a chimney flue, a spark alighting on the dry shingle roof of the dwelling at 627 East Fifth street, damaged the house top to the extent of a hole 2 feet square burnt in the shingles and caused an alarm of fire to be turned in Saturday evening about 9:30 o'clock.

The fire department quickly responded and the smouldering fire was extinguished with a hand extinguisher. It is believed that the spark blew out of the chimney and alighting on the dry shingles of the roof, fanned by a slight breeze that was blowing. The entire fire fighting apparatus of engine house No. 2 on Lyon street responded to the alarm, which was turned in over the telephone, including the chemical truck and fire engine, which was drawn behind Fred Westbrook's auto truck, because one of the horses happened to be sick.

OFFICER ARRESTS MAN FOR EXCEEDING SPEED LIMIT

City Recorder Fixes His Fine at Ten Dollars and Costs.

Charged with violation of the speed ordinance, George Goldman was arraigned before Police Judge Van Tassel, in the municipal court this morning, pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 and costs which he paid.

Goldman was arrested yesterday afternoon by Acting Chief of Police Griffin King, after speeding on his motorcycle about the main thoroughfares of the city.

Miss Rembold, trained nurse from Portland who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Bachmeyer for two weeks was called to Portland on professional business Saturday.

LAD IS SAVED FROM WATERY GRAVE IN CALAPOOIA RIVER

Clifford, Son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kuhn, Has Narrow Escape from Drowning.

But for the prompt assistance of Rollin Kuhn and Louisa Newport, two youngsters who are camping with their parents at Chautauqua, gloom would have been cast over the assembly, when they heroically saved Clifford Kuhn, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Kuhn, of Lebanon, a younger brother of Rollin, from a watery grave in the Calapooia this morning about 10:30 o'clock.

Louisa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Newport, of Lebanon and Robert, son of Rev. and Mrs. Sutcliffe, of Lebanon, all of whom are camping in the park, in company with the Kuhn lads, were fishing on the banks of the Calapooia, where the river cuts deep into the bank on the northeast corner of Bryant's island. Young Clifford lost his foothold and fell into the stream, which has a depth of 20 feet at that point.

Although he had sunk below the surface once, the little fellow was able to grasp the pole while in the act of going down the second time. Ordinary means of resuscitation were resorted to, with the result that he was quickly revived.

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George Peterson, of Lebanon, was a business visitor here this morning.

MOTORCYCLE AND CAR COLLIDED

Young Lady and Young Man on Cycle Narrowly Escape Serious Injury.

FRONT WHEEL OF THE AUTO WAS DAMAGED

Motorcyclist Is Blamed by Eye Witnesses for Disregarding Traffic Rules.

An automobile loaded with five people and a motor cycle ridden by a young lady and a young man, figured in an accident early Saturday evening at the corner of Third and Washington streets, in which a front wheel of the automobile was practically knocked off and the steering apparatus damaged to some extent, the damage to the motorcycle being a slightly bent up mud guard and other minor injuries.

Miss Gladys Rexford, the young lady who was riding on the tandem seat of the cycle, was thrown to the curbstone, and sustained an injury to her arm, but this morning she was reported as recovered entirely from her shock.

The accident was due, according to eye witnesses, to the fault of the motorcyclist. The machine driven by L. B. Luper, a farmer residing 1 mile east of Tangent, and containing his wife, Delmed, Lorin and Eunice Luper, children, and Herbert Griffith, was proceeding west on Third street on its way to the Chautauqua. Upon approaching the intersection of Washington street, the motorcyclist darted around the corner and into Third street, presumably coming from First street, without regard to the speed ordinance or the rule governing the traffic of vehicles upon the city thoroughfares.

Falling from the hay mow of a barn in the vicinity of Peoria, a man who gave his name as John Smith, fractured his leg and was brought to St. Mary's Hospital for treatment. Dr. Davis was called and reduced the fracture.

A TRAMP FALLS FROM LOFT; LEG IS BROKEN

According to the story given to the Democrat the man has no visible means of support and used the barn as a convenient place for his night's lodging without securing the permission of the owner.

ALBANY BOY RETURNS FROM RAILROAD CAMP

Returning Saturday night from Washington where he recently recovered from an attack of small pox, Joe Singleton says that all of the Albany boys employed in the railroad camp were vaccinated and were under quarantine for thirty days. He was quite sick but at no time was his condition considered critical by the attending physician.

M. D. Hammel, assistant manager of the Hotel Hammel, spent Sunday in Portland. He returned home last night.

W. E. Wadsworth, of Portland, a noted snake charmer, is registered at the Hammel.