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Crushed to Death.

The meritorious career of Oscar Kendall, a resident of Benton county since 1846, was brought to a tragic termination at an early hour Monday morning. Mr. Kendall who lost his own farm several years ago, had been for some time past in charge of the stock, fences, etc., on the farm of Mrs. Arch Johnson, 11 miles south of Corvallis. He lived alone and on the fatal morning had gone to the adjoining farm of Mr. Jacob Modi to assist the latter in sawing wood. They began felling a tree 300 yards from Modi's house. Just before the tree showed signs of falling, Kendall moved his coat to a place of supposed greater safety. Modi suggested that the tree might fall that way, and Kendall replied that if it did he could get the coat and get out of the way before the tree could fall. It went straight toward the coat and Kendall started on the rash attempt to save it. Just as he reached it he slipped and fell, and before he could arise the immense tree four feet in diameter, caught him. It fell squarely across his body and the stomach and abdomen were crushed to a pulp. He never spoke. Help was at once secured and the body was taken to Mr. Modi's residence, from where the funeral occurred. The deceased was 65 years of age and was an Oregon pioneer; his parents located on the Kendall's donation claim ten miles south of this city in 1840.—Corvallis Times.

THE WESTERN PEDAGOGUE.

State School Journal of Oregon.

We are in receipt of the May number of our state school paper. It exceeds any of the former number in value. The paper this month contains many new and valuable features. The illustrated series on the schools of the state is introduced by a paper on the Friends' Polytechnic Institute at Salem, Oregon. These papers cannot fail to be of great value both to the schools and to the public. There are also several fine articles by our best writers and the Departments, "Current Events," "Saturday Thoughts," "Educational News," "The Oracle Answers Correspondents" etc., each contain much valuable reading for teacher or parent. The magazine has about 50 pages of matter, well printed and arranged. We pronounce the Western Pedagogue the best educational monthly on the coast. Every one of our readers should have the paper if they are at all interested in education. No teacher, school director or student can get along without it. We will receive subscriptions at this office. Price only \$1 a year. Call and examine sample copies. Teachers, directors and parents, now is the time to subscribe.

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Salem Selfishness.

[From Albany Herald.]

Last Saturday a quiet, but determined man from Salem, with blood in his eye, and the rule or ruin air sticking out all over him, walked into Linn county's circuit court clerk's room, and placed on file the case of D. C. Sherman vs. the State of Oregon as represented by five citizens known as the trustees of the Oregon Soldiers' Home, which means that the further progress of the building, grounds for which had already been selected, is to be stopped by an injunction.

The grounds for this injunction are the clause in the constitution of the state which says: "That all public institutions of the state hereafter provided for by the legislative assembly shall be located at the seat of government."

The results of this injunction if sustained, not only puts a quietus on the Soldiers' Home, but also on the branch asylum in Eastern Oregon, and also to remove the State University, Agricultural College and the Normal Schools to Salem.

Possibly in the near future the constitution, with the aid of Salem's selfishness, may be able to draw the Portland and Astoria custom houses, the three land offices, Mount Hood, the falls of the Willamette, Mount Jefferson, the Three Sisters, and Crater Lake, to the seat of government, and gather in all the other snow peaks and soda springs. However, the supreme court may view things somewhat different from what selfish Salem looks at them. Its decision will be anxiously awaited.

The case will be heard in chambers in Salem on the 29th inst.

Card of Thanks.

To the people of Lebanon who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved wife and mother, we desire to extend our sincerest thanks.

A. UMPHREY, FAMILY AND RELATIVES.

Daily Eugene Guard: An article in a Salem paper relates how the Salem insane asylum would do in case of fire. The enterprising Dr. Rowland has inaugurated a regular weekly fire drill, the alarm is given and the patients hustled out in very quick order. The doctor is wise in inaugurating this drill, as it might mean the saving of hundreds of lives in case of a fire. We have read of insane asylum holocausts in the last year or two where more than 90 per cent of the inmates were burned to death. It is one of the most difficult things in the world to do to save the lives of insane patients on the sudden breaking out of a fire. The numberless doors are all locked, and with the babel of excitement of patients and the alarm natural to the feminine attendants, the chances are in favor of almost a total death rate of the patients. In a late test, however, the patients even in the violent ward, were turned out in the yard at dead of midnight, and a hose dragged through the halls within two minutes of the giving of the alarm.

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THE MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

Looking After the Alum and Ammonia Baking Powders. (Portland Oregonian.)

A bill for an act in relation to the manufacture and sale of baking powders, to prevent fraud and to preserve the public health has been introduced in the Legislature at St. Paul. The bill is intended to prevent the adulteration of baking powders with Alum or Ammonia imposing proper penalties to enforce the law.

Dr. O. S. Binswanger, Professor Chemistry etc., medical department University of Oregon, made an examination some time ago of the baking powders found in the Portland stores; the result of which appeared in the Oregonian. Dr. Binswanger then expressed himself as follows:

"I have just finished an analysis of the principal baking powders sold in the market, with the following startling results:

"Crystal." This powder contains alum.

"Hercules." This powder contains ammonia.

"Double Quick." This powder contains alum.

"Silver Star." This powder contains alum.

"White Lily." This powder contains alum.

"Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder." This is a pure cream of tartar powder and contains neither alum nor ammonia.

It will be observed that Dr. Price's was found by Dr. Binswanger to be a pure cream of tartar baking powder and the only brand free from alum, ammonia or any impurity.

Following is a list of more widely known brands that Dr. Drew chemist for the Minnesota State Dairy and Food Commission, as well as other chemists of high standing, have examined and found to contain Alum, some of which contain both Alum and Ammonia. Many of the Alum and Ammonia powders are labeled and advertised as "absolutely pure" to mislead the public. The condemned powder given in this list are sold pretty generally through Oregon and Washington.

"Clamnet," "Forest City," "Grant's Bon Bon," "Hotel," "Globe," "Puritan," "Snow Ball," "Government," "Palace," "Loyal," "Columbia," "Home," "Monarch," "Monarch," "Unrevealed," "Chicago Yeast," "Echo," "Perfection," "White Rose," "Hatchet," "Crown."

In addition to the above list, there are many brands sold with a prize. It is safe to reject all baking powders sold with a prize as the tests show they are composed largely of Alum and cost but a few cents a pound. Also refuse any baking powder sold for twenty-five cents a pound, or less; it is sure to contain Alum.

Surely nothing but their cheapness could induce the public to experiment with these impure powders at the risk of health. Aside from the question of health or wholesomeness of these condemned powders, and viewed from the standpoint of economy alone, a pure cream of tartar baking powder such as Dr. Binswanger and other high authorities report Dr. Price's to be, and from its greater known strength and unquestioned purity should prove more economical to the user in every way.

We are informed by the Agent of the S. P. Co., that the number of tons of freight handled at this Station for the month of April 1893, was the largest ever known at this Station, being 1484 tons received, and 614 tons forwarded; making a total 2098 tons handled. We will wager a year's subscription to the Express that there is not another town in the valley the size of Lebanon that can make any better showing than this.

The Sodaville springs are visited annually by a large number of people from all over the state, and the water is acknowledged to be as healthful as it is pleasant to take. The above attack is entirely uncalled for, and the statement as regards the spring being a mud-hole is an absolute falsehood.

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Drowned.

The Wm. Hoag gave an excursion last Monday from Albany up the river to Corvallis and return. There were probably 200 pleasure seekers on board, and among the crowd was Carey Crawford, son of the photographer J. G. Crawford of Corvallis.

After spending several hours at Corvallis the boat gave the signal to start back. Among the boat was Carey Crawford, hurrying down the approach to the boat the large crowd rushed in rather a five man on to the six foot gang plank leading to the bow of the boat. In the jostling and pushing incident to the occasion young Crawford was shoved off into the Willamette, just above the bow. This is the version of at least two or three who were close to him and saw him go over. Others have a different version. He seems to have been confused and perhaps frightened, for he passed along between the boat and wharf without getting held of anything, and then out into the stream. He was a good swimmer, but instead of going for the shore struck out down stream. He wore a Mackintosh, and had his guitar strapped over his shoulders, which he had been playing on his way up and in Corvallis. A young man claims to have seen his cape flap over his head, when he undoubtedly went down into the rapidly running stream. Torches were stationed along the wharf; but at the stern of the boat, where he disappeared, it was darker, hence there is considerable confusion as to the facts. A rope was thrown out but not near enough to be reached, and the boat was lowered, but without doing any good.

Mr. Kearns and a boy named Rose, of Corvallis, in looking over the wharf to keep track of the drowning man, lost their balance and went into the water. Rose got out alone, and Kearns, with a little assistance.

On the arrival of the boat at Albany Mr. Crawford and some friends immediately left for the scene, and have been making diligent search for the body, but at time of going to press have not found it. Carey Crawford was about 21 years old and was well liked by all who knew him.

An Uncalled For Attack.

The editor of the Portland Chronicle was evidently writing about something he knew little of, and made several untruthful statements, when he perpetrated the following:

"Our governor is the biggest fraud in fourteen states. He is ever trying to pick the mote out of some one's eye, and neglecting the beam in his own. He has this week appointed three trustees to take charge of a little soda spring up in Linn county, on behalf of the state. Now, what in the name of all that is good and Tom Walker, does the state want of a soda spring? The only possible explanation is that fiscal legislators don't like Willamette river water on the side with their whiskey. This bill has been up biennially before the Oregon legislature for the past dozen years or more, but it has always been heretofore regarded as a good joke until Jeff Myers took hold of it and brought several cases of bottles of it down for use in the senate committee rooms to drink, with the old tea that is kept there. This settled it, and with the assistance of Milt Miller in the house he got the bill through. This bill should have been promptly vetoed, and the governor knows it, but there were too many good democrats and populists back of it, and now Mr. Jeff Myers and Mr. Milt Miller are two of the trustees appointed to look after the important interests of the state in that little mud-hole up at Sodaville. Verily, I say unto you, virtue is its own reward."

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