

## OREGONIANS IN CALIFORNIA MEET

A Hundred Former Residents of Beaver State Dine in Los Angeles—Former Vice President Fairbanks Principal Speaker.

LOS ANGELES, March 19.—One hundred or more former residents of Washington and Oregon sat down at the tables reserved for them in Hamburger Hall tonight, when the doors were flung open for the second annual banquet of the Federal State Societies of Southern California. In all there were more than twenty-five hundred folk present, and practically every state in the union and all the provinces in Canada were represented.

The most prominent speaker was former vice president of the United States, Charles W. Fairbanks, and care was taken that the famous "cocktail" was not repeated for the dinner was what one of the officers of the federation called "a smokeless, wineless, drinkless, hatless but not a smileless affair."

Fairbanks, who was the first of the speakers, was introduced by Frank W. Dowling, the toastmaster, as "the man who was Teddy's side-kicker during the strenuous days that have passed." His object was "Our country" and his speech was short and very much to the point. He told the newly made Californians that they must be loyal to the traditions of their old homes, and warned them that they would find it hard, even if they wished to do so; to loosen the ties that bound them to their old homes.

Hon. W. L. Eaton, of Des Moines followed with a talk on "The Work of the Pioneer and His Place in History." The aims of the Federation of state societies were outlined by its vice president, Edward Winterer, who spoke on "Our Federation." Eugene W. Chafin, prohibition candidate at the last national election for the presidency, was the next speaker. He urged a commercial combination between Arizona, New Mexico and California. The Panama Canal's probable effect on the country as a whole and on the west and north especially was the subject on which Samuel B. Van Sant, former governor of Minnesota, spoke. Matt S. Hughes of Pasadena wound up the program with a talk on California.

Hamburger Hall was beautifully decorated with flags of Canada, the United States, the different states, flowers and lights. The tables each bore the name of the state for which they were reserved, arranged in the same geographical relations as on a map.

### WEST CUTS PRICE ON HIS OWN LAND

SALEM, Or., March 18.—Upon arriving home from the south, and finding that the state board, consisting this time of State Treasurer T. B. Kay, and President Ben Selling of the senate and Speaker J. P. Rusk of the house of representatives in lieu of himself, had considered that \$10,000 was a reasonable price on his property east of the capitol which is desired by the state for the new capitol annex, Governor West immediately said that the figure was too high that it was much more than the amount he could expect to get from private individuals and that he would not consent to accept more than \$8,500 for his property.

This figure, the governor says, will cover the cost of the property together with the taxes and street improvements. The streets on both fronts are paved with bitulithic.

### KNIGHTON APPOINTED ARCHITECT FOR STATE

SALEM, Or., March 18.—W. C. Knighton has been appointed state architect by Governor West and State Treasurer Kay at a salary of \$4500 a year. Mr. Knighton will prepare plans and specifications and will supervise all public buildings in this state during his term of office. It is estimated that his services will make a saving to the state in architects' fees of from \$10,000 to \$15,000 annually.

### JAPAN BUYING COAL IN LARGE QUANTITIES

TIENSTIN, March 18.—Delivery of 1,500,000 tons of coal under rush orders to Japan began today at the mines here. Japanese colliers from Nagasaki arrived here recently.

Japan recently placed orders for 1,000,000 tons of rice in the China markets and for several million sacks of flour in the British North West.

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## Talented Woman to Lecture in Medford



Mrs. O. S. Fowler-Chumos, widow of the late eminent phrenologist, Professor O. S. Fowler of New York city, will give a series of six free lectures on "Life's Deepest Laws as Related to the Brain and Nervous System," at Medford Theater, beginning Tuesday, March 21, at 8 p. m., to all New subject daily. The above theme embodies the science of phrenology, psychology, anatomy, physiology, health, electricity and the Bible.

Mrs. Fowler-Chumos has made a profound study of these subjects, much deeper than did her husband, and today stands pre-eminently in the lead touching on these matters of vital importance. She is a most gifted and highly educated lady, and has solved many problems heretofore unthought of by the great scholars of this or any other age. Her lectures are very instructive throughout, as well as entertaining, bringing much information and scientific research to all her hearers.

She is a broad-minded woman, full of practicality, sound in judgment and great in reasoning ability. She deals with foundation principles that cannot be ignored by any student of science. In giving the functions of the interior portions of the brain she has no rival. All the doctors do with these organs is to name them in Greek and Latin, but this is not enough. Their functions should be given. The great centers of life have never been understood until she discovered their functions. If man is

a three-fold being, namely, body, soul and spirit, the question comes, where is the soul, and where is the spirit? Can anything be without being somewhere? God never created anything without having a place for it. Where and what is the wisdom that God ordained before the world unto our glory? How could we crucify Christ daily if his spirit was not in us? Is there no way to arrive at perfection? When in him "we live, move and have our being." Jesus said: "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your father in heaven is perfect." We were all created in his image after his likeness, so there must be something in us like him to appeal to. Life is no mystery, when we take the brain in one hand and the Bible in the other and understand the relationship between the two, for man is the highest handiwork of God and the Bible gives the laws that govern him. Christianity is as scientific as the rising and the setting of the sun. Things may change, but truth never. It is the only lasting treasure we have. Everyone that seeks after it will find it, for God is no respecter of persons. The inner life which governs consciousness has a prodigy in Mrs. Fowler-Chumos. Her scientific exposition of human evolution and involution is not of the Darwinian type, but is far more progressive to rational beings which today is needed to lift man out of his present somnambulant state. Her other lectures will be given March 22, 23, 24, 25 and 26.

## MEDFORD THEATER Sunday, March 19th

The MARJORIE MANDEVILLE CO. IN NAT GOODWIN'S GREAT FARCE **TURNED UP**

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25 women's long spring Coats; made of all wool serge; new spring shades; very special for this sale **\$10**

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Beautifully tailored; made of all wool materials; up-to-date in style; all good colors; very special for this sale **\$15**

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The best values in women's and children's Wash Dresses in the city.

Women's Dresses from **\$2.98 up to \$15.00**

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#### NEW SPRING SKIRTS

100 women's Tailored Skirts; made of serges, panamas, brilliantines and fancy mixtures; all sizes and colors; very special for this sale **\$4.98**

Better Skirts at \$5.98, \$6.98, \$8.98, and \$9.98

#### WAISTS

100 good Champaign Waists; all colors; will not fade; very special **48c**

#### WAISTS

"Peter Pan" Waists; new styles; made of good materials; very special **\$1.19**

### Wash Goods Dept.

5000 yards best Dress Prints and 2000 yards good Apron Gingham; for this sale only, **5c** per yard

#### DRESS GINGHAM

5000 yards new Zephyr Ginghams; beautiful patterns; fast colors; for this sale only, per yard **10c**

Flaxon Cloth, all new patterns, a yard **19c**

Egyptian Tissue, beautiful styles, a yard **28c**

#### SHEETS

72x90 Sheets; good quality; special Saturday, each **48c**

#### PILLOW SLIPS

42-and 45-inch Pillow Slips; special Saturday, each **14c**

#### "BURSON" HOSE

Saturday we will place on sale one case "Burson" Hose in black; regular 25c grade; for, a pair **15c**

#### RIBBONS

1000 yards wide all silk Ribbon; good colors, worth up to 25c; special, a yard **10c**

#### GLOVES

Our Best \$1.25 Kid Gloves, on sale Saturday, pair **\$1.00**

#### CHILDREN'S HOSE

100 dozen children's Ribbed Hose; all sizes; on sale Saturday, a pair **10c**

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Women's Summer Vests; special, each **5c**

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Good Hair Nets; good Safety Pins; each **3c**

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## BENEFIT NEW HOSPITAL

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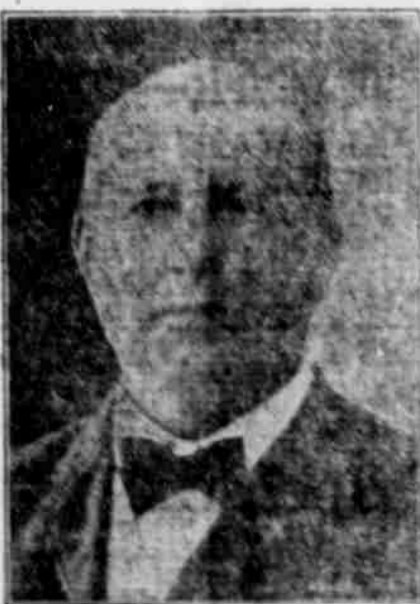
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## Evangelistic Meetings

### The Presbyterian Church



Every evening, beginning **Sunday Mar. 19.**

Everybody is invited to come. Rev. J. A. McVeigh of Portland, Or., is the evangelist. Meetings Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Every afternoon at 2:30 p. m., and every evening at 7:30 o'clock. Meetings commence with song service.



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