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Choral union

This evening at 7

At Garrison Opera house

Music loving folk invited to attend.

Call for Unity Tea, at Appersons.

Thos. Rogers and Percival brothers left for the coast yesterday.

Uncle Jim Fletcher's Cleveland will be on exhibition at Salem.

Nibbs & Bergevin go into the country Monday to do a fine job of painting.

S. C. Force has been elected chorister at the Presbyterian church, vice M. U. Gortner resigned.

The Dalles Mountaineer thinks that if the Oregonian does not let Dick Gerdes alone he will land in the senate.

We like the tone of the Oregon city papers lately. They talk as if people meant business down there about the falls. That's what we like to see.

The Welcome has it that Senator Mitchell is at outs with both the NP and ORN. As ex-attorney for the former he is in a position to make the fur fly should he be disposed.

Dr. Wm. Jolly left for his home in Washington county yesterday, taking with him the pet buggy horse of McMinnville precinct, for which he paid his son, John T., \$150.00 coin.

Jackson Munroe of the Willamina flouring mills, paid Portland a business trip on his visit down to this place. He is to make another excursion into the mountains next week.

Judge Strahan's house was entered by burglars at Albany, and \$100 taken from his pants pocket. The family were unaware of the visit until morning when the judge discovered that his trousers were missing.

We traced the tidy, and found it in safe hands. In doing so we found an oil painting, a bulls head, the last thing left at the pavilion. The owner can have it by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Men are being employed at the Cascade locks as fast as the appropriation from congress becomes available, and the work is to be pushed forward as rapidly as possible, and the same thing ought to be done now at Yaquina.

Call at Geo. W. Burt's and take a look at that fine large fruit.

Mr. Springer donated his bill to the society for the premium fund.

St. James (Episcopal) Sunday school begins at 9:30 a. m. Sunday next.

The executive board of the agricultural society will meet again this evening at Firemen's hall at 7:30 sharp.

R. W. Phillips has ordered a lot of brick for improvements to be made on his farm, five miles south of this city.

There are three very sick persons in the city. Thos. Pettigrew at C. D. Johnson's, Bouty Sanders, and uncle Geo. Bangasser, at home.

St. James (Episcopal) church, Rev. John C. Fair, rector. Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Seats free. All are cordially invited.

Services at the C. P. church Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "The ministry of departed spirits." Sunday school 9:30 a. m. All are cordially invited to attend. T. H. HENDERSON, Pastor.

Predictions are becoming the order of the day, and we expect predictions in the Future next month for this coast. Our prediction is this: If you want to enjoy sleigh riding from December to April, order your bells from King & Co., Owego, New York.

Nibbs & Bergevin have a full sized steel buggy in the shop painting, which is the nicety of perfection. It was built by W. T. Booth. Aside from the spokes and box there isn't two pounds of wood in the entire vehicle, yet a man can shoulder it and walk off with it.

Until we saw it in a Portland paper we couldn't find out who owned those handsome Jerseys at the stock pens. The broiling hot sun made us sicken on our searches. If exhibitors would attach a card to stalls where stock is kept it would facilitate matters much. The Jerseys were from Springer Bros. herd.

Salem is full of man-traps. R. A. Logan of this city came near being killed there lately; and several other accidents have occurred, people been drowned, etc. The latest is from the Statesman: A young fellow, whose name was not learned, drove Chambers' cab off the culvert at the intersection of State and Church streets, at a late hour last evening, smashing it up badly.

The finder of a boy's open-faced nickel watch, with Holl's guarantee in the back, lost on the fair grounds, will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at this office.

All favorable to the formation of a choral union are invited to meet at Garrison opera house this evening. All lovers of music are earnestly requested to be present at 7:30 o'clock.

Some of our exchanges are trying to boom the barbering business by setting up for examples such men as Roscoe Conkling and H. W. Scott, men who for twenty-five years kept out of barber shops, but it is like the trick of the New Yorkers who attempted to compel Chinese laundrymen to issue tickets Melican lingo—it went wash.

The suggestion that the civilized nations of the world should, by delegates in a convention to be assembled, agree upon a common language to be taught in their respective schools, in addition to other prescribed studies, may not be new, but it is certainly an excellent one, and, if properly taken up, might easily be carried out. It would tend to enlarge commercial intercourse between nations speaking different tongues, and thus be a source of material advantage.

The autumn political campaign is rapidly taking shape. Especial interest attaches to the attitude assumed by the democrats in the different states, as the democratic party, though now in power, is practically on the defensive, on account of its internal dissensions. The singular spectacle is presented of a president at odds with the bulk of his party, and the party nevertheless forced to sustain him because of the fear that any other course on their part would result in jumping from the frying-pan into the fire.

We were honored yesterday by a call from H. E. Burr, of Morrison, Illinois, on a visit to old gentleman Squires. He left home in April last, and has made an extensive trip about the country. Mr. Squire informed us that while it was true that Mr. Burr now hails from Illinois, he is not a "sucker," having been born and reared in the land of wooden nutmegs. Without the slightest idea of coining a chestnut we remarked that wooden nutmegs never had Burrs. Our visitor expects to return to the east soon. He is well pleased with Oregon.