

FROM TUESDAY'S DAILY

FOR A COUNTY ORGANIZATION.

Salem Cycle Association Issues a call for Convention of Wheelmen.

At its regular semi-monthly meeting last evening the Salem Cycle Association issued a call for a convention of Marion county wheelmen to be held in this city at 2 p. m. Saturday, April 22nd, for the purpose of organizing a County Wheelmen's Association. The secretary was instructed to correspond with wheelmen throughout the county urging them to form clubs in their respective localities and to select delegates to attend the convention called for the 22nd inst. The place for holding the convention was not decided upon but was left with the executive committee of the local association. The meeting will be held either in the city police court room or at the court house.

President J. H. Albert, of the Salem club, was directed to appoint one delegate for every ten members of the club and one delegate at large, the presiding officer, himself, to be a member of such delegation. Mr. Albert announced that he would name the committee.

A communication from B. S. Pague, president of the United Wheelmen Association, of Portland, recommending the organization of a State United Wheelmen Association, was read and the following resolution was unanimously passed: "Resolved, that it is the sense of this meeting that the secretary be instructed to notify Mr. Pague that this association stands ready to co-operate with other localities in the organization of the proposed state association."

N. J. Damon, chairman of the bicycle path committee submitted a verbal report to the effect that the county court would take no further action in the expenditure of the bicycle tax money until the next term of court.

Street Commissioner Frizzell notified the association that he proposed to improve the path on the north side of State street by covering the same with a layer of fine gravel. The secretary was instructed to inform that gentleman that such contemplated improvement would be acceptable to the association.

BUFFALO HUMP MINES.

A Well-Known Attorney Gives Some Pointers About That Section.

Hon. J. W. Maxwell, a brother-in-law of District Attorney S. L. Hayden, arrived in this city yesterday from a trip to Lewiston and Grangeville, Idaho. He reports considerable activity at present at those points, growing out of the rush for the Buffalo Hump country, and also from the prospect of immediate extensive railroad construction throughout this section.

Many gold seekers are even now pushing their way from Grangeville into the Hump over the snow. This, he says, is a most useless and senseless thing to do, as the whole distance from Grangeville to the scene of the big strike—some sixty miles or more—is over a deep waste of snow, and is attended with great hardships and exposure from colds and biting blizzards; there is absolutely nothing that can be done in this way of prospecting, or any thing else after the tedious journey is made, as the whole region is covered with snow from ten to fifteen feet deep; it will be at least the middle of June or the first of July before the snow gets off sufficiently to permit of any prospecting or development work being done; so there remains nothing for the prospector, who goes now, to do after he arrives there, but to consume his scanty supplies and protect himself as best he can from the cold and mountain storms until the season for prospecting shall have arrived.

The roads from Lewiston to Grangeville are in an almost impassable condition, except as to that part extending across Craig's mountain—some forty miles—which is at present covered to a depth of five feet with snow, and for this distance the sleighing is good, and the mails and passengers are transferred at either end from the stages and carried for this distance in sleighs. Buildings and places for doing business in both Lewiston and Grangeville are very hard to get and rents are enormously high. Property along the main business street at Grangeville, a little town of about 800 population, is held at \$50 per foot frontage, and the owners will not ground lease a foot of it for building purposes. Both the O. R. & N. and the Northern Pacific railroads have surveys made and rights-of-way purchased for the extension of their lines into the Capitan Prairie country; the former will make its terminus at Grangeville and has depot grounds purchased there now. It is believed the Northern Pacific will also go to Grangeville or vicinity.

Mr. Maxwell some years ago carried on extensive placer mining operations on American creek, about ten miles from the Discovery claim on the Hump, and has had much experience in the camps of the mountains of Central Idaho. He thinks that from his knowledge of the formation of the country, and from the fact that immense and rich placer deposits have been found and worked on almost all sides of the Hump, there will be some of the most wonderful bodies of practically free-milling ore uncovered in this new district that has ever been discovered on the continent. He has secured what he considers some valuable interests in the Hump and expects to go in later for their development, but says he is in no hurry about it, and does not advise any one else, who contemplates going there, to use any undue haste about it.

WHEN SALARIES BEGIN.

County Superintendents' Pay Under the Daily Law—The Bill Carried No Emergency Clause.

Upon request of State Supt. J. H. Ackerman, yesterday, Attorney-General D. R. N. Blackburn prepared an opinion on the question as to when the provisions of the "Daily Bill" went into effect, regarding the salaries of coun-

ty superintendents. Following is the full text of the opinion:

"Replying to your request for my opinion as to the time which the county superintendents of the several counties in this state will commence to draw their salaries in the amounts as prescribed by the act of the legislative assembly, passed at the regular session 1899 thereof, and approved February 20, 1899, which said act is commonly called the 'Daily Bill,' I will say: 'Section 17 of said act fixes the salaries of the county superintendents of the several counties in this state except the counties of Wheeler and Marion; but the county of Wheeler was created by the legislature which passed the 'Daily Bill,' and the salary of the county superintendent of Marion county is prescribed by an act of the legislature passed at the special session in 1898. (Sess. Laws of Oregon, Special Session, 1898 p. 35.)"

The 'Daily Bill' has no emergency clause, as it might have had under section 28 of article 4 of the constitution, and, therefore, it will not take effect until ninety days from the end of the session at which it was enacted; and, in my opinion, the county superintendents of the several counties named in said act can not draw the salaries therein prescribed until the expiration of ninety days from the end of the session of the legislature of 1899, but, until that time, their salaries will be such only as are provided for by the county courts of their respective counties."

CODY BOUND OVER.

William Henry Arrested Charged With Stealing Chickens.

William Cody was given a preliminary examination before City Recorder N. J. Judah yesterday afternoon charged with larceny from a house and was held to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$250 in default of which he went to jail.

Last Friday afternoon Cody stole a Reliance bicycle from W. F. R. Smith at the latter's place of business on Commercial street. The thief was overtaken near Chemawa and returned to this city.

Acting District Attorney Chas. L. McNary appeared for the state, the defendant having employed Attorney A. O. Condit to defend him. Several witnesses were called for the state all of whom identified with reasonable positiveness, both the man and the wheel and the guilt of the accused seemed quite certain. The defense waived the introduction of testimony and the state in turn waived argument, the defense following suit. The decision was promptly rendered and Cody was escorted to the county jail to appear before the grand jury in July.

About noon Sunday, Chief of Police Gibson placed under arrest a man giving the name of William Henry, on suspicion of his having been implicated in some mischief. Chief Gibson's suspicions proved well founded for before night he had gathered sufficient evidence to warrant filing a charge against the man of larceny from a hen-roost. Henry will have a hearing in police court at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Some time Saturday night Mrs. A. J. Ward's poultry house in West Salem was entered and twenty-one fine blooded chickens stolen. Early Sunday morning she informed Chief Gibson of her loss and that officer began a careful examination of the case with the result that he found that a man answering Henry's description had disposed of the chickens at the city restaurants Sunday morning. The heads, feathers and legs of the fowls were gathered together and subsequently identified by Mrs. Ward as a part of her stolen property.

APPOINTMENTS MADE.

Regents for the Drain Normal School and Two Horticultural Commissioners Named.

Gov. Geer yesterday appointed the board of regents for the Drain Normal school, naming the following well-known citizens of that section of the state:

Dr. Wm. Kuykendall, of Eugene, six years.
W. W. Wilson, Yoncalla, six years.
J. T. Bridges, Roseburg, six years.
A. M. Crawford, Roseburg, four years.
R. A. Booth, Grants Pass, four years.
C. D. Drain, Drain, four years.
Joseph Lyons, Drain, two years.
Robert Veatch, Cottage Grove, two years.
Ben D. Boswell, Boswell Springs, two years.

Gov. Geer, Secretary Dunbar and Treasurer Moore have appointed three members of the state board of horticulture, to serve for four years, each, as follows:

Lloyd T. Reynolds, of Salem, for the second district, to succeed himself.
Emile Schanno, of the The Dallas, for the fourth district, to succeed himself.

Judd Geer, of Union, for the fifth district, to succeed George A. Hobbs of Freewater.

The governor yesterday issued a requisition upon Gov. John R. Rogers, of Washington, for one Leon Debaugh, wanted in Astoria, on a charge of stealing 900 pounds of twine from a warehouse, who is said to be under arrest in Olympia. Sheriff Thomas Linville, of Clatsop county, was appointed agent of the state to secure and return Debaugh for trial.

Two notaries public were appointed in the executive office, yesterday, the gentlemen so honored being, Phil S. Hendarite, of Union, and A. Geener of Salem.

ANOTHER SALEMIITE GONE.

After a Year's Illness Leonidas Willis Passes Away—Funeral Wednesday.

Leonidas Willis died at his residence, No. 358 Capital street, in this city at

8 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 67 years 6 months and 29 days, after a year's illness, catarrh of the stomach being the immediate cause of death. While Mr. Willis had been in feeble health for several months he was not confined to his room but for a day or two at a time, and was down town only last Friday; thus his death though not unexpected was quite a shock to his family.

The deceased was born at Huntsville, Alabama, September 11, 1831 and two years later he was left an orphan. At the age of 16 years he removed with his foster parents to New Orleans. Five years later he went to Gonzales, Texas, where on Thanksgiving day, November 26, 1857, he was married. His wife survives him.

When the civil war broke out in 1861, his sympathies naturally being with the South, Mr. Willis enlisted in the service of the Confederacy and ere the close of the war saw much active service, his field of operation being principally in Arkansas and Mississippi. He was colonel of a battalion of cavalry and under command of General Forrest.

Deceased came to Oregon in 1871 settling in Salem, when he purchased the property where the family home is now located. Soon after reaching this city, he associated himself with J. J. Dalrymple and R. M. Wade in the dry goods business and subsequently engaged in the hardware business from which, by reason of his failing health, he was obliged to retire. For the last several years he did a fire insurance and real estate business.

The deceased was in no sense of the word an office-seeker, being content with the lot of a private citizen, although while in Texas he served his country faithfully as district clerk for several years. He was not a member of any secret order but held membership with the Unity society of this city.

The deceased leaves, besides a wife, five children—three sons and two daughters—as follows: Eugene Willis, of the firm of Willis Bros. & Co., of this city; Major Percy Willis, in the Philippines; and Horace A. Willis of Seattle; Mrs. Lenore Piper, of Seattle; and Miss Carrie Willis, of this city.

A NOTABLE DEATH.

Justice Stephen J. Field, of the United States supreme court, retired, died at his home on Capitol Hill, in Washington City, Sunday evening, of kidney complications. About his bedside were his wife and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Smith; Mr. Justice David J. Brewer, his nephew; Mrs. Edgerton, of California; Mr. Lawton, his private secretary; Rev. Edward M. Mott, rector of the Church of the Advent, and the family servants. He had been unconscious since Saturday morning, and death came painlessly. He was in his 83 year.

AIR AND EXERCISE.—Since Supt. J. D. Lee took charge at the penitentiary, he has devised a way of giving fresh air and exercise to the three female prisoners. On fine days the three women, accompanied by one guard, are permitted to spend a few hours walking outside the stockade, these rambles, thus far, having been taken on the board walk between the prison and asylum. Twice have the female prisoners enjoyed this privilege, and as the weather improves, it will be accorded them oftener. They seem to enjoy it, and are grateful for the privilege.

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MANY ADDITIONS.—At the morning services of the First Presbyterian church Sunday, sixty new members were received into that church. Of that number forty-nine were students at the Chemawa Indian Training school whose conversion Rev. E. A. Holdridge, the Portland evangelist, accomplished during a series of services held at the school. With this addition the membership of this church approximates 400.

THE HOMELIEST MAN IN SALEM.

As well as the handsomest, and others are invited to call on any druggist and get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, a remedy that is guaranteed to cure and relieve all Chronic and Acute Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25c and 50c.

FROM MANILA.—Henry Stougenmeyer yesterday received some stationery, business cards, etc., printed in Manila by Frank Collier, company printer or 1st regiment, California volunteers. While they are not as artistic as most of the printing done in the up-to-date job offices, yet, as they come from so far and are printed under such difficult circumstances, they are valuable as souvenirs. Mr. Collier was formerly of Salem.

TO SILVERTON.—John H. Brooks, the well-known druggist, formerly one of the firm of Lunn & Brooks, of this city, has purchased the well-established drug business of S. I. Guiss & Son, in Silverton, and he will conduct the same along the lines that gained for him so much popularity in Salem. He takes with him the good-will of numerous friends and acquaintances of the capital. Dr. F. M. Brooks, his brother is a physician, in Silverton.

STATE TAXES.—State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore, yesterday received a remittance from Treasurer O. O. Rhude of Yamhill county, on account of state taxes, the amount being \$4,000, and is the first payment on account of the county's indebtedness for 1898. The total tax due from that county is \$28,520.81.

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BICYCLES AT THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

Bicyclists throughout the world will be glad to learn that the wheel will occupy an honored place at the Paris Exposition. Nowhere in the world are there more enthusiastic wheelmen than the members of the famous Touring Club de France, and they have not been slow to avail themselves of this opportunity to draw the attention of the civilized world to the modern wheel with all its latest improvements.

A committee was appointed some time ago to see about the construction of a building in which the wheels could be exhibited, and about the selection of a suitable site, and now the news comes that an admirable site has been granted by the authorities in charge of the exposition, and that on it a stately building will be erected within a very short time.

The site is near the Eiffel Tower, and close to the entrance of the Champ de Mars. Any one who knows Paris will see that no better site could have been selected. All the visitors to the exposition, whether they are interested in bicycling or not, will be sure to pass by this spot and cannot help being attracted by the artistic effect that is to be reared in honor of the ubiquitous wheel.

The building has been designed by M. Gustave River, and it is described by those who have seen his plans as a marvel of beauty. No pains will certainly be spared so far as ornamentation and other decorations are concerned. Contracts for this and all other necessary work will soon be awarded, and it is expected that the building will be completed at an early date.

American as well as foreign wheelmen will doubtless spend many a pleasant hour in this building. Hardly a week passes that some attempt is not made to improve the bicycle in one direction or another; and if we would find out about these so called improvements and learn how many of them are really worth anything, we must study them at our leisure in this place. That thousands will do so is certain.

OLD PARISIAN HOUSES.

In future all ancient houses of note and architecturally interesting buildings in Paris before being pulled down will be carefully drawn and ground plans taken together with photos of the interior and exterior. Mr. Barbotin, the famous etcher, has also been invited to make drawings on a large scale of these buildings, which will be sent to the Musée Carnavalet, which collects all relics connected with the history of Paris.

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MISSED A TREAT.

Mrs. Limberchin—I was so mad last night I couldn't speak.
Mr. L.—And I was away! Just my luck!—Boston Transcript.

BID FOR SLUGGING.

Denver, April 8.—The Colorado Athletic Association, with a capital of \$100,000, was incorporated today. It is the intention of the association to bid for all the important fights that may be arranged in the future.

WILL TALK ON SILVER.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 8.—Colonel W. J. Bryan has accepted an invitation to deliver an address on the silver question, before the Missouri house.

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INCREASE OF CONSUMPTION IN SOUTHERN PRISONS.

At a recent prison congress in New Orleans Dr. Blake, physician inspector, at the Alabama penitentiary, called attention to the fact that consumption is greatly on the increase in prisons in the South. Taking his own state, he quoted statistics to show that in sixteen years the percentage of convicts to die from consumption had risen from 17 per cent to nearly 37 per cent, while during one year—that of 1895-96—above 50 per cent of the deaths in the penitentiary had been from that disease. Nor is the record of Alabama exceptional. Dr. Blake quoted figures from Mississippi, Texas, Georgia, Virginia and other states, going to show that consumption has steadily increased among the prison populations. In Texas, in 1896, two-thirds of the total number of deaths of convicts were caused by consumption. The trouble, according to Dr. Blake, lies in the fact that tuberculosis comes as a result of convicts being herded together. Especially is the herding marked in the winter months, when the greater number of convicts are crowded into the smallest possible space, in order to economize fuel and blankets.—New York Post.

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