

FOR A ROAD RACE.

An Interesting Event Has Been Planned by the Bicycle Committee For the Fourth.

The bicycle committee, serving in connection with Salem's Fourth of July celebration, has arranged for a ten mile road race to take place some time during the afternoon. It will be a handicap race with a 12 minute limit. Only amateurs can enter the race and all entries must be in by 5 p. m. Monday July 3d. The handicaps will be arranged by the committee. Four prizes will be given as follows: First place prize \$10; first time prize, \$10; second place prize \$5; second time prize \$5. The race will start at the intersection of State and Liberty streets and that will also be the terminal point. The route will be out State street to Twenty-fifth street, thence south to Turner road, east to Reform school, north via deaf mute school, Asylum farm, thence to Salem via State street, the distance to be covered being approximately ten miles. With a view to having a wheel parade on the Fourth, agreements for the signature of wheelmen, have been left at the following business houses: Wade & Co., Watt Shipp, Sroat & Wilson, Wiggins Bazaar, Buren & Hamilton and Gile & Jenks. The agreement reads as follows: "We the undersigned bicyclists agree to take part in the wheel parade on July Fourth, providing 200 or more wheelmen will agree to ride. Place of meeting to be designated later."

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

Notwithstanding Scarcity of Beef in the Valley, Twenty-one Carloads Are Being Freight East.

Speer Bros., of Sheridan, Northern Wyoming, yesterday shipped from this point three carloads of yearling cattle, numbering about 150 head. The cattle were purchased in Marion and Polk counties, and will be placed on the Wyoming range.

This firm is purchasing cattle throughout the valley, between the Capital City and Eugene and has arranged for the purchase of a sufficient number to constitute a grand shipment of twenty-one cars, averaging fifty head to the car.

In conversing with one of the gentlemen yesterday, a representative of the Statesman remarked that beef in this section of the valley was exceedingly scarce and had advanced considerable in price and inquired if the firm experienced any trouble in finding cattle for sale. The buyer replied that he had found yearlings quite plentiful in the sections of the valley visited but remarked that three-year-olds or beef cattle were very scarce and expensive.

AN INSANE.—W. F. Davidson, of Champoeg, came to Salem yesterday, having in charge one Charles Colon. He brought Colon to the court house, and swore out a complaint, charging his prisoner with insanity. An examination was held before County Judge G. P. Terrell, conducted by Dr. S. R. Davidson, the man was adjudged insane. Sheriff F. W. Durbin and Mr. Davidson escorted him to the asylum. The man is a stranger, having been in the Champoeg section but a short time, where he made himself obnoxious by railing from the farmers and annoying them generally. He claims to be wealthy, and alleges that he is in the business of raising frogs for the market. He is about 38 years old.

LA GRIPPE

Is now reaping a rich harvest. Medical statistics compiled by the best physicians of the world show that over sixty per cent of the cases of acquired CONSUMPTION are due to LA GRIPPE. There are also other points of weakness. Refer to the numbers on the chart. Study each one carefully. Familiarize yourself with them. If you have an attack of LA GRIPPE begin the use of HUYDAN as soon as the acute symptoms have subsided. HUYDAN will bring about the restoration to perfect health.

The Parts Affected Are:

- 1. THE MUCOUS MEMBRANE LIVING THE BACK PORTION OF THE NOSE.—It becomes inflamed and thickened, and a chronic catarrh is the result. HUYDAN will reduce the inflammation, and leave the mucous membrane in a perfectly healthy condition.
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3. CHRONIC TONSILLITIS, OR CHRONIC SORE THROAT.—From the same cause as the two preceding. HUYDAN will prevent its coming on.
4. WEAKNESS IN THE HEART.—HUYDAN will strengthen the heart nerves, equalize the circulation of blood, and cause the heart-beats to become strong and regular.
5. A WEAKENED CONDITION OF THE LOWER LOBES OF THE LUNGS.—HUYDAN will cause the lung tissue to become strong and healthy.
7. LUMBAGO, OR WEAK BACK.—HUYDAN will strengthen it almost immediately.
HUYDAN will cure all of the above symptoms and leave your whole system in a perfect condition of health. Go to your druggist at once and procure a package of HUYDAN for 50 cents, or six packages for \$2.50. If your druggist does not keep it, send direct to the HUYDAN REMEDY COMPANY, San Francisco, Cal. Remember that you can consult the HUYDAN DOCTORS FREE. Call and see the doctors. You may call and see them or write, as you desire. Address

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Corner Stockton, Market and Ellis Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

PARSONS' BAND ENGAGED.

President W. H. Wehrung and Secretary C. D. Gabrielson, of the state fair board, have closed a contract with Director George H. Parsons, of Portland, for that gentleman's famous band and orchestra, which will furnish the music at the fair. The contract calls for eight evening concerts and seven days' music at the fair, the first concert to be given on Friday evening, September 15th. The contract price is \$375 for the season, which is remarkably cheap, considering that the band contains sixteen pieces. Other bands made a bid for the engagement, but their figures were far too high.

A Foolish Man.

There was once a man who thought what a dreadful thing it would be if he were blind, and closed his eyes as he walked along to see how it would be. In this way he walked over a purse of gold which another man picked up. There are people today just as foolish. They moan over their poor health thinking nothing will help them, when a trial of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure their ailments. It brings steady, vigorous nerves to nervous people. It purifies the blood, tones up the stomach, and brings back real health by making indigestion and constipation impossible. It is absolutely the greatest remedy known for all stomach troubles, and is to be found in every drug store.

NATIVE SONS.—Dan Waldo's Cabin

No. 3, Native Sons of Oregon, last night appointed a committee on reception for the occasion of the return of the Oregon volunteers, now on their way home, from Manila. The committee consists of George H. Burnett, S. L. Hayden, H. A. Johnson and D. C. Minto. The last two named were appointed a special committee to go to Portland and receive the boys.

A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c. and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

RACE HORSE ATTACHED.—E. A. Downing

has begun an attachment suit against Charles Lutz for \$100, alleged to be due for legal services rendered, and Belle Flinn, the race horse that was recently defeated in this city by Pat Murphy, has been attached. I. H. McMahan, who has been engaged by Lutz, on Saturday served notice on Sheriff Durbin that the horse is not the property of Lutz, but belongs to Jack Maxwell, of Teko, Washington. The plaintiff was then required to put up bonds, which he did. The case is a very complicated one and will probably command the attention of the courts for some time.

A NEW SUIT.—I. S. Leonard plaintiff, vs. J. D. Brown defendant, is the title of an attachment suit filed in Judge Burnett's department of the circuit court yesterday. The action is brought for the collection of two notes and an account aggregating over \$200, and attorneys fees of \$60. Real property of the defendant was attached.

TO THE BENEFICIARY.—Mrs. Gabrielle Colbath, relict of E. J. Colbath, who died a few weeks ago at his home on Asylum avenue, this city, yesterday received an A. O. U. W. check for \$2,000, the amount of her husband's policy, in that order.

BROKE AN ARM.—Mrs. Frank Wright, of Enger, had the misfortune, a few days ago, to fall and fracture her right arm. Dr. J. D. Shaw went out last evening and reduced the fracture. Mrs. Wright is a pioneer lady, well known throughout the valley.

TO TACOMA.—Del Norte, the great guideless, which is to give an exhibition mile at the state fair grounds tomorrow afternoon, will show at Tacoma on July 2d, 3d and 4th.

OVER IN POLK

Independence West Side: With two good rock crushers, Polk county could build more and better roads, in one season than she has been able to accomplish within the past ten years, at the present system of working our public highways. The question of good roads need no longer be talked, for this part of making them has been thoroughly accomplished, and now it is time to do something else. It is not necessary to show the advantage of good roads to our people for they all realize the great benefit to all. Build what you build right, and it will not be any great length of time until you will be driving on good roads. County Assessor Conner is at work assessing Independence precinct. Mr. Conner reports the grain crop in fair condition, and especially is this so in regard to the spring sown wheat. Hay and grass of all kinds are looking well, and the hops are immense, and but few lice are noticed on the vines as yet. G. D. Barnister, living between Independence and McMouth, is now gathering his strawberry crop, and expects to have 5,000 boxes, which will net him \$24 for one crop. Mr. Barnister also makes a specialty of the proper season, of celery, besides his small fruits and other vegetables. He is a thrifty farmer, and clears some money each year on his little farm. A band of choice stock were sold the other day in the Luckiamute country at \$5.00 per head after shearing.

A THEORY OF EXISTENCE

Any theory of existence which omits a belief in immortality makes of life a mere chaos of uncompleted aspirations, unrewarded service and unrighted wrongs.—Bishop Doane, Episcopalian, Albany, N. Y.

WILL BE A HUMMER

SALEM'S '99 CELEBRATION WILL ECLIPSE ALL OTHERS.

An Enthusiastic Meeting of the Various Committees Was Held Last Night—Several Reports.

(From Daily, June 27th.)

Salem's several celebration committees held an enthusiastic meeting at the office of Chairman N. J. Judah in the city hall building last night.

If the several patriotic expressions there offered and the earnest and general co-operation of the committees that was evidenced, may be taken as an indication of the character of the entertainment to be offered here on that occasion, Salem's observance this year of the nation's greatest holiday will be one grand patriotic demonstration that will surpass in its detailed arrangements all previous efforts.

The first business disposed of was the matter of committee reports. G. Stolz, chairman of the committee on floats, reported that three carriages and a chariot were in course of construction. The floats will be novel—out of the usual order—and will involve a new scheme of decoration and representation and will require, for their proper equipment, the services of eight young ladies who will be selected at once. Owing to the inability of the first-named committee to serve, W. W. Zinn, A. F. McAtee, George E. Sly and Albert Shaw were constituted a committee on sports and will arrange an interesting program of juvenile street sports. The matter of selecting a place for the firing of the early morning salute and the discharge of the evening fire works was left with the fireworks committee, of which O. E. Krause is chairman. The municipal authorities have granted the use of the lower end of Willson avenue and the offer will probably be accepted. C. D. Gabrielson, F. A. Wiggins, and Dr. C. H. Epley, chairmen, respectively, of the program, bicycle and music committees submitted reports, the substance of which have already been published in these columns. W. H. Hobson, and E. F. Parkhurst, of the committee on invitations, were instructed to extend invitations to the state, county and city officers, and the judiciary, to attend the day's exercises. Carriages will be provided and the guests will be assigned places in the parade. M. O. Buren chairman of the committee on illuminations, reported that his committee would render active service in satisfactorily illuminating Marion square, in which the exercises will be held. The committee on speakers reported, but its action has already been published. F. W. Steusloff will be unable to serve as chief marshal, but that position will be offered to Dr. E. A. Pierce, who was originally named as an aide. Dr. C. H. Robertson chairman of the committee on fraternal orders, reported that he had corresponded with the several orders of the city, relative to participating in the parade, but had received favorable responses from only a few.

Rev. W. C. Kantner, of the First Congregational church, will be invited to pronounce the invocation at the morning exercises. Chairman Judah reported he had been unable to arrange a competitive base ball tournament, the St. Paul, Mt. Angel and Portland teams having declined to compete for the \$50 prize. The McMinnville aggregation is willing to come to Salem and play the Chemawa team, provided it is insured a \$20 expense bill. After a general discussion, the matter of adjusting the proposition from the McMinnville team was left with Chairman Judah.

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TESTAMENT OF THE LATE F. P. CAVINESS, OF STAYTON.

Fred Hurst Appointed Administrator of the Estate of John D. Hurst, Late of Aurora.

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The will provides that the expenses of the last sickness and death of the testator be paid, and his debts settled; it further provides that all the personal property, consisting of money, notes and accounts, and all other property go to the widow, Mary Caviness, to be used by her for life, and at her death to be divided among the children. Mary Caviness is to be sole executrix, to act without bonds. The will is dated October 20, 1898.

In accordance with the provisions of the will, Judge Terrell appointed Mary Caviness, the widow, as executrix of the estate, to act without bonds.

In the probate court, yesterday, the heirs of the estate of John D. Hurst, deceased, filed a petition for the appointment of an administrator. Decedent died at Aurora on May 27th, and left personal property valued at \$3000, and real property estimated at \$12,000. He left the following heirs-at-law: Helen Caroline Hurst, widow, aged 62 years, residing at Aurora. W. S. Hurst, son, aged 35, of Aurora. John B. Hurst, son, aged 24, of Cincinnati, Ohio. Fred P. Hurst, son, aged 23, of Aurora. Henry H. Hurst, son, aged 22, of Aurora.

THE ASYLUM WING

CONTRACTS FOR MATERIAL WERE SIGNED YESTERDAY.

Work of Construction to Begin at Once—Room Needed for the Patients.

(From Daily June 25th.)

The board of trustees for the insane asylum held a brief business meeting at the capitol yesterday for the purpose of completing arrangements for securing labor and material for the construction of the new wing at the asylum. Contracts were signed with the lowest bidders as follows: Otto Hansen, Salem, mill work. Hansen & Landon, Salem, lumber. Knox & Murphy, Salem, roofing. M. E. Freeman & Co., Portland, plastering.

The latter contract was first awarded to E. M. Sorber, but that bidder, finding that his estimates were not on the specifications as provided by the board and that, if he took the contract he would do it at a serious loss to himself, declined to enter into a contract, and the next lowest bidder, M. E. Freeman & Co., was given the contract. Work on the building of the new wing will begin in earnest this week, and it is hoped that such progress will be made during the summer and fall, that a portion, at least, of the new wing, will be available for the use of the asylum authorities in housing patients, before next winter. The present asylum buildings are badly crowded and room is needed to accommodate the constantly arriving patients committed from various portions of the state.

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