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OREGON DAY AT CHARLESTON

February 14th Named by Governor T. I. Geer

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE SOUTH CAROLINA EXPOSITION AS SET APART FOR THIS STATE.

It Will Be the Forty-second Anniversary of the Admission of Oregon to Statehood—This Observance Will Be a Good Advertisement for This State.

(From Saturday's Statesman.)

Recently Gov. T. I. Geer received a request to name a day to be observed as Oregon Day at the South Carolina Inter-State and West Indian Exposition, at Charleston. He answered the request of the Exposition officials by naming February 14th, the 42d anniversary of Oregon's admission to the Union, and he yesterday received a reply to the effect that the date named would be celebrated as Oregon Day, with suitable ceremonies, and that the many Pacific Coast visitors at the Exposition would make it a point to be in attendance on that day. Oregon will thus be thoroughly advertised at the Exposition, and the result can but be beneficial to this state, by attracting visitors to the Oregon section, and still better, by attracting prospective settlers to the new famous Oregon country.

VISITING SALEM.—Prof. Arthur C. North, principal of the Bishop Scott Academy in Portland, spent a day or two in Salem the first part of the week looking up students for his institution. He was accompanied by Prof. A. E. Bernays, assistant teacher, who was a guest of Rev. W. Conway, rector at St. Paul's rectory here.

A HEALTHY REPORT.—Dr. Alex. Patterson, quarantine officer at the port of Gardner, yesterday filed his report for the three months ending December 31st, with Gov. T. I. Geer. The report shows the arrival in that port of seven vessels during the quarter, all in good sanitary condition.

WILL OPERATE IN OIL PROPERTIES.

New Company Formed to Prospect the Oil Lands of Eastern Oregon—Other Corporations File Articles in the State Department.

In the Department of State, at the Capitol, yesterday, five new corporations filed articles, as follows:

The Etna Oil Company will work all kinds of mineral claims, develop oil lands and do general prospecting, with headquarters in Baker City. The capital of \$250,000 is divided into shares valued at \$1 each. G. E. Porter, A. C. McMillan and G. H. Foster are the promoters of the company. The Combination Gold Mining Company will operate gold mines and do general prospecting and development work, with headquarters in The Dalles. The company has a capital of \$100,000. L. W. Corless, A. E. Lake, C. J. Strubling, J. W. Koontz and Daniel Barkes are the incorporators of record. The Umattila Implement Company will deal in all kinds of farming implements, and do a general merchandise business in Pendleton. The company has a capital of \$20,000. E. P. Marshall, Alexander McKee and Matt Mosgrove are the incorporators. The Western Transportation & Towing Company will do a freighting and

BUSINESS IN COUNTY COURT

Many Matters of Importance Considered Yesterday

BUT ACTION IN MOST OF THEM DEFERRED UNTIL FURTHER DISCUSSION MAY BE HAD.

A Number of Bills Audited and Allowed by the County Commissioners—Bills for Insurance on the Court House Ordered Paid

(From Saturday's Statesman.)

The Marion county commissioners' court continued in regular session yesterday, and although many matters were taken up and discussed they were of such importance that action and orders will be made upon them today. Several claims which were carried over from the opening day were taken up and audited as follows:

Table with financial accounts: Poor Account, Current Expense Account, Court House Expense, Election Account, Insane Account, Jail Account.

others, for the purpose of collecting interest upon certain principals which had been deposited by them with the defendant corporation prior to its insolvency and to which claims Ladd & Bush, as creditors, filed a petition in the court objecting to the allowance of said claims on the ground that the principals were state and city funds, unlawfully deposited, and not subject to interest. Later the claimants filed a demurrer to the petition and objection of Ladd & Bush which was argued on November 30th and sustained by the court, granting the petitioners until December 24 to file a second amended petition which was duly filed. The answer of Swafford and Baker to the second amended petition and objections of Ladd & Bush denies the material allegations contained therein and still prays for an order of the court directing the receiver, W. T. Slater, to pay the interest upon the said principal.

A REMARKABLE CASE.—Little Johnnie Van Lanen, the two-year-old son of German parents residing in North Salem, is rapidly convalescing from a most severe case of spinal meningitis, with serious complications of pneumonia and stomach derangement. The case is one that truly approaches the miraculous. The child was given up by the doctor in charge, who said plainly that medicine would no longer avail anything save to suspend the pangs of pain until death would come to its everlasting relief. The awful convulsions of spinal meningitis had set in after a siege of pneumonia, and it is quite commonly held that when these spasms appear in cases of infants, death is almost sure to follow, and in this case the convulsions were so severe that the anxious watchers thought death was at hand more times than one. Realizing the very evident fact that no system of therapeutics has all there is of the curative powers, the doctor in charge suggested that osteopaths had been given credit for much success with this malady, and that this case would certainly furnish a thorough test. Dr. H. H. Scovel, an osteopathic practitioner of this city, was accordingly summoned, and though it took the faithful, persistent work of many days and nights, assisted by kind nurses and neighbors, the child is now entirely relieved of its agonies, is bright as a dollar and rapidly recovering. Good newspaper language properly set forth the details of this case as seen by those who daily called to ascertain if the child still lived. Dr. Scovel's name and fame would stand high among the much older medical practitioners of the city. Not a drop of medicine was administered internally, the restorative processes being those of muscular manipulation characteristic of the osteopathic treatment. Dr. Scovel would file a vigorous protest against the publication of this article of news, but it is written and submitted by one of the neighbors who has watched the case with much interest and who feels that such a recognition is but just, and at the very best, can not overestimate his faithful, heroic and scientific work.

PROM SALEM PRAIRIE.—This and all other parts of the country surrounding Salem have contributed to make up the fine lot of fruits and vegetables for your Sunday dinner, to be found today at the popular grocery store of Brandon & Ragan.

A BIG BUSINESS.—The Salem post-office is doing a big business these days. This was the case all through the holiday season, and there seems to be no let-up to it. High-water-mark was reached yesterday in the number of postoffice orders paid. The number was 175, and the amount involved was \$3065.06. The number issued was 75, involving \$223.21, upon which the fees were \$4.51. It has often happened that as many orders have been issued in a day, and the number has run up as high as 110; but the number paid on former busy days has run from 104, 106, and up to 138. There are several causes that serve to bring about the large number of orders paid at the Salem postoffice, among them being the receipt of money by the state officials, for interest payments on school land loans, etc., etc. The high-water-mark of 175 orders paid will no doubt soon be exceeded, and within a few years this will not be considered high at all. There is growth in nearly every line that calls for the receipt of large numbers of postoffice orders here.

Will You Sleep Well? Tonight? Not if you have a cough that begins to torment you as soon as you lie down. You can conquer the cough with Allen's Lung Balm, which will relieve the pain in the chest, the irritation in the throat and the hard breathing. Since it contains no opiates, this remedy may be given freely to children, and to the most delicate adults.

A BAD FALL.—Miss Leona, Woods, of this city, coming from the Hayesville Baptist church on Wednesday night last, received a heavy fall through which she suffered a severe and painful wrench of the back and neck. She had attended the New Year's services in the above-named church and upon coming out she slipped and fell upon the steps. She was taken to the home of M. Halbert, her resides near the church, and Dr. J. D. Shaw was summoned immediately. It developed, upon examination, that the injuries were not of a serious nature and after being treated by the doctor, she was feeling much improved and, later, was taken to her home.

DECREE MODIFIED.—Circuit Judge R. P. Bojke yesterday modified the decree which was rendered in November 18, 1901, in favor of the plaintiff in the suit to reform a certain note and mortgage instrument, entitled, Anna Whaley, plaintiff, vs. Claud Gatch, receiver, defendant, by striking out the costs which had been taxed to the defendant.

ASTORIA.—The Kind You Want Always Bought Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Peterson. Send Weekly Statesman, \$1 a year. Legal Blanks at Statesman office. Semi-Weekly Statesman, \$1 a year. Subscribe for the Statesman.

TRUST FUNDS IN TREASURY

Great Increase in the Common School Fund Mortgages

DURING PAST YEAR—THE DEPARTMENT'S ANNUAL BALANCE SHEET IS SHOWN.

Marion County Property Owners Have Use of More of the State's Money Than those of Any Other County in Oregon.

(From Sunday's Statesman.)

State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore yesterday gave out a statement, showing the condition of the mortgage loans on account of the trust funds in his department at the close of the year 1920, and the distribution of the loans on account of the Common School Fund by counties. The trust fund mortgages held by the Treasury are:

Table with financial data: Common School Fund, Agricultural College Fund, University Fund, etc.

street, missed several chickens from his henery yesterday morning, and at once notified the city authorities of the fact. Chief Gibson went down to Mr. Savage's residence and finding the culprit's tracks, traced him directly to J. A. Taylor's Fish Market, on Court street, where the chickens had been disposed of, and there the officer learned the identity of the culprit. Mr. Savage identified his chickens, nine splendid specimens of White Wyandottes, for which the owner would not have taken \$1 each, and recovered them. The boy had received about \$2.75 for the chickens, which amount his father, E. M. Reese, refunded to Mr. Taylor. The boy was turned over to his father until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow (Monday), when he will be given a hearing before City Recorder N. J. Judah.

A BUG THAT SLEEPS IN A LACE GOWN.

Do you want to see a beautiful bug, tucked away for the winter? Go to the nearest sycamore tree and lift up a little piece of its bark from the trunk at about the height of your head from the ground. There lives the lace bug; active in summer; asleep in winter. This tiny creature is only about an eighth of an inch long, and to the naked eye seems simply white. But any ordinary magnifying glass will disclose its beauty. Two long suits of lace down the back form the wings; its neck is surrounded by an Elizabethan ruff of lace. It wears a lace cap on its head. If you admire lace gowns here is a real one, fresh from the hand of the Great Weaver—January Ladies' Home Journal.

At Bed Time.

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50c. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

MARRIED. BLANKSHIP-GRITTON. At the Christian parsonage, Sunday, January 3, 1921, at 4 p. m., in the presence of a few intimate friends, Miss Clara E. Gritton was united in marriage to Mr. J. P. Blankship.

NEW TO-DAY.

STRAYED OR STOLEN.—A DARK colored, eight months old, Jersey heifer calf—hind feet and tip of tail white. A great pet. J. R. Parvin, R. F. D. 4. 5-312w

WANTED.—TO BUY ABOUT 25 head of good ewes, 2 or 3 years old. Address David S. Ferguson, Salem, R. F. D. No. 4, Ore.

NOTICE.—I HAVE TAKEN UP a black sow, weight about 200 lbs. Left ear split. H. Widdersheim, near Fair grounds. 1-7-18 1d (1)

MONEY TO LOAN ON IMPROVED farms and city property at 6 per cent per annum; no commission. Please call or address Eugene Brennan, Room number the place, 270 Commercial street, one door north of Statesman office. 4w1f

MRS. ORPHA CRANSTON FARMER DIED IN PORTLAND. The Remains Will Reach Salem This Forenoon and Interment Will Be Had in the Odd Fellows Cemetery, Where Brief Services Will Be Held.

ESTRAYED.—THREE YEARLING Calves, brand "L" on right hip, smooth crop off right ear, under half crop in left ear. Finder please notify W. H. English, Sublimity, Ore. 1-3-21 (1)

MONEY TO LOAN.—6 and 7 per cent on improved Valley farms. W. A. Shaw & Co., 243 Stark Street, Portland, Oregon.

CEDAR FENCE POSTS.—Any one in need of cedar fence posts will do well to write to H. Jacobs, Detroit, Oregon.

NOW.—is a good time to bring in your machinery and have your repairing all done. Castings, iron and brass, furnished on short notice. One boiler and 4-horse engine complete for sale cheap. E. M. KIGHTLINGER, Phone 2923. 208 Liberty St.

WOVEN WIRE FENCING. to consumers at wholesale prices. I am taking orders to complete a car load of fencing for February delivery. Write now and get prices. Last closes January 15th. WALTER MORLEY, 59 State street, Salem, Ore. Salem Fence Works.

ABSTRACTORS OF TITLE. ESTABLISHED IN 1890.—Only complete set of abstract books in Marion county, Oregon. Concerning files, consult us. Salem Abstract and Land Co., Salem, Oregon. F. W. Waters, Secretary and Manager.

LEGAL NOTICES. NOTICE OF INTENTION TO WITHDRAW INSURANCE DEPOSIT BY THE PALATINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF MANCHESTER, ENGLAND.

STOLEN CHICKENS.—Donald Reese the 16-year-old son of E. M. Reese, was arrested by City Marshal D. W. Gibson yesterday, upon a warrant issued from City Recorder, N. J. Judah's court, charging with the larceny of chickens from O. G. Savage's chicken house on Friday evening, January 23, Mr. Savage, who resides on North High