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THE MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Nov. 3.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 70c; Bluestem, 70c.
Tacoma, Nov. 3.—Wheat, Bluestem, 74c; Club, 69c.
San Francisco, Nov. 3.—Wheat, \$1.25.
Liverpool, Nov. 3.—Wheat, December, 68, 94d.
Chicago, Nov. 3.—Wheat, opened, 71½@71¾; closed, 71½@71¾.
Barley, 43@54c.
Flax, \$1.15; Northwestern, \$1.18.

THE MARKETS.

The local market quotations yesterday were as follows:
Wheat—59 cents.
Oats—30c per bu.
Hay—Cheer, \$7.50; clover, \$7.50; timothy, \$9.00.
Flour—80 to 95c per sack.
Mill Feed—Bran, \$20; shorts, \$21.
Butter—Country, 22@27c; creamery, 30c.
Eggs—30 cents cash.
Chickens—3 cents per lb.
Ducks—8 to 10 cents.
Turkeys—10c.
Pork—Gross, 5½c; dressed, 6½c.
Beef—Seers 3@3½c; cows 3c; good heifers 3½c.
Mutton—Sheep, 2½c on foot.
Veal—6@6½c, dressed.
Hops—Choice, 25c and upward; greenish, prime, 23c and upward.
Potatoes—25 to 30 cents per bushel.
Apples—40 cents per bushel.
Onions—60c per bushel.
Prunes—2½@4½c.

STATE BOARD HELD SESSION

Monthly Report From Insane Asylum Was Audited and Approved

SUPERINTENDENT CALBREATH REVIEWS THE WORK FOR THE MONTH—POTATO CROP POOR AND APPLE CROP GOOD—DOCTORS REAPPOINTED.

The State Board was in session yesterday afternoon, during which time the monthly report of Superintendent J. F. Calbreath, of the Insane Asylum, was audited and approved, which contained a number of items on interest and importance.

In the letter of transmittal, Superintendent Calbreath reported the general health of the inmates for the latter half of the month as being good, the tendency to dysentery having subsided. The outside work consisted of digging potatoes, sowing fall grain, picking apples and general farm work. Owing to the dry fall, the potato crop is reported as being only about half as much per acre as last year, but the apple crop is better than last year.

The upper ward of the closed Cottage Farm will soon be finished. This ward will need to be finished and ready for occupancy by the first of December, owing to the usual increase during the fall and winter months.

The digging of the ditch for connecting up the sewerage is about half done, and an effort is being made to get the pipe laid before the high water season. The hot house, 40 by 60 feet, for early garden plants, is completed.

The brick walls of the quarantine house are up and the carpenters are putting on the joists and rafters. The root-house, at the farm, 30 by 130 feet, is completed and is being filled with potatoes. This building is made from the old logs taken from the old cabin on the hill, is mostly underground and built at small expense.

Attention was called to the fact that the term of Dr. L. F. Griffith, as second assistant physician, expired on November 1st, and that of Dr. W. T. Williamson, first assistant physician, will expire on December 7th, and, in recognition of their efficiency in their respective offices, Dr. Calbreath nominated each of them for re-appointment.

The recommendations were approved and Drs. Williamson and Griffith were re-appointed to their respective offices. Dr. Calbreath was also authorized to call for bids for 4,000 cords of oak and fir wood for supplying the institution, as follows:

Superintendent Calbreath's report follows:
No. patients Sept. 30.....880 376 1256
No. received during Oct. 28 11 39
No. returned escaped 2 2 3
No. under care and treatment 911 387 1298
No. discharged recovered 3 3 6
No. discharged improved 2 5 7
No. died 11 6 17
No. eloped 4 4 8
Discharged, died, eloped 22 11 33

No. patients Oct. 31.....889 376 1265
No. of officers and employees 158
Average No. patients, daily 1,200 4-31
Total No. 1,418 4-31

The itemized expense of the institution for the month of October, follows:
Flour.....\$ 124.82
Meat.....1,236.95
Sugar.....275.84
Tea.....81.32
Syrup.....256.54
Butter.....256.54
Coffee.....191.05
Fish.....193.42
Poultry and eggs.....179.22
Soap and potash.....56.08
Drugs.....200.00
Tobacco.....173.53
Dry goods.....530.94
Clothing and hats.....176.34
Boots and shoes.....166.97
Blankets.....69.30
Grain and feed.....274.12
Brooms and brushes.....42.62
Fuel.....1,169.09

Total.....\$6,103.78
Expense of institution by departments, follows:
Kitchen and dining rooms.....\$2,294.78
Male department.....621.58
Female department.....247.28
Bakery.....68.60
Laundry.....208.03
Farm, garden and dairy.....245.18
Drug store.....200.00
Sewing room.....283.21
Stanley farm.....1,307.23
Infirmary.....109.43
Factory.....102.23
Tailor shop.....148.26
Total.....\$6,103.78

Mrs. McAdams and daughter, of Denver, Colo., arrived Saturday evening for an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. S. P. Kimball.

PIONEER LADY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Mary Jane Starkey Succumbs to Complication of Ailments

CROSSED PLAINS FROM OHIO TO OREGON WITH PARENTS IN 1845. BELONGED TO ONE OF OLDEST AND MOST RESPECTED OF FAMILIES.

Mrs. Mary Jane Starkey, a pioneer, died at her home in this city Sunday, November 2d, at 4:05 o'clock p. m., aged 67, of a complication of diseases. Mrs. Starkey was born March 21, 1855, in Richland county, Ohio, and came to Oregon with her father in 1845, settling in Marion county. The family to which Mrs. Starkey belonged is an old and highly respected one, her father, John Durbin, having settled upon a donation land claim near Salem in 1845, upon his arrival in Marion county, and the deceased has ever since been a resident of this community, where she was loved by all for her many sterling qualities.

She was married, in 1856, to A. A. Starkey, now deceased, and six children blessed the union, five of whom survive her. They are: Mrs. Dora A. Redford, Mrs. Tillie Oldham and Mrs. Fannie Wilson, of Portland, and Mrs. Minnie Barrett and Miss Lizzie Starkey, of this city. She also leaves three brothers, Mr. Charles Durbin, of Huntington, and Sol Durbin and Isaac Durbin, both of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Fannie Martin, also of Salem. She was an aunt of Sheriff Frank Durbin, of this city.

Mrs. Starkey has been ill about twelve weeks, and for the past week her death had been looked for daily. Her last moments were made happy by the presence at her bedside of her five children, her three brothers and sister also being with her.

It would be impossible to recall half the virtues of this truly Christian, noble woman, and she will be greatly missed by her hosts of friends in this city.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock p. m., today, at the residence, corner of Front and Cheimoketa streets, Rev. J. E. Bowers officiating, and interment will take place in the Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

POPULAR PUPIL CONTEST

HORTENSE EPPLEY LEADS WITH 352 VOTES—MARGUERITE OSTRANDER SECOND, 336.

The popular pupil contest is becoming very popular with the boys and girls of the different schools. Every pupil is helping a little, so that before the contest closes each room will have enough money to buy a nice little library. The amount invested by each pupil will be small, but it will amount to several hundred dollars for all the schools.

Miss Fletcher's room gave a Halloween social and cleared \$3.55. Miss Rigdon's room has raised the largest amount, \$12.00. Miss Gans' room is second, with \$9.50.

The following are some of the most popular pupils:

East School.
Hortense Eppley.....352
Marguerite Ostrander.....336
Lee Davis.....95
Sophia Catlin.....190
Alta Cameron.....87
Bulah Chase.....75
Leota Damon.....71
Francis Fisher.....75
Grace Kramer.....90
Klaudine Rose.....62

North School.
Margaret Huffman.....145
Jessie Shantz.....62
Sophia Muths.....47
Zella Savage.....25

Park School.
Mabel Bicker.....143
Lynah Chase.....109
Ray Louisgnot.....47
Marie Scott.....30

Lincoln School.
Harry Rollo.....56
Laura Bennett.....50
Vida Leverish.....50
Lawrence Hoffer.....50

Central School.
Martha Swart.....204
Nunda Lembeck.....165
Veina Gilliam.....150
Maud McClaine.....136
Winona Plaster.....134
Winona Tyler.....65
Cyril Colbath.....55

THE MONMOUTH GAME

SALEM BOYS NOT ONLY LOST GAME, BUT HAD AN UPSET.

On Saturday, November 1st, the Salem High School football team met the Monmouth team on the latter's gridiron, at Monmouth, in a game which resulted in a walk-over for Monmouth to the tune of 31 to 0.

Most of Monmouth's gains were made through Salem's light line, and they would again and again send their heavy full and line-men through the Salem's tackles for gains of five to ten or twenty yards.

All of the Salem players did especially well, considering the size of their opponents, but the stars were Bean, Catlin, Hughes, Rhodes and Russellson. The way our center (Russellson) held his 175-pound opponent shows that he only needs the weight and age to make a center good enough for any team. Hughes and Rhodes both got in on several "grand stand" plays, but the ones who played half of Salem's game were Bean and Catlin. Time and again they would break up Monmouth's heavy interference and pull down the man with the ball.

About seven or eight minutes before the end of the last half, Bean, with both eyes swollen nearly shut, and so sick and weak that he could not walk alone, was led from the field.

At this time Monmouth had made

about 45 points. Bean was followed by Catlin, who, after being led to the gridiron, was completely "done up." In the remaining six or seven minutes Monmouth had some 45 points.

Catterlin (Salem's captain) played an excellent game at right tackle. In Belle's place for a few minutes, but was compelled to stand out on account of a minor injury. He also played full the last few minutes of the game. Monmouth played clean ball from start to finish, and nobody received any very serious injuries on either team.

The Salem boys were visitors at the Normal School Society in the evening, and after an enjoyable day started home, at about 10 o'clock.

When they were about a half-mile this side of Independence, the hack, driven by Charles Ramp, upset over an eight or ten foot grade. Things looked, or rather seemed, serious, for a few seconds, because two or three of the occupants, as well as one horse, were pinned to the ground by the overturned hack. The horse made such a terrific struggle that he partially raised the hack from the ground, and the boys thus liberated clambered under a barb wire fence and out of danger. The other rigs came up from behind in a minute or two, and a lantern was procured at a nearby house, and the horse was stripped of his harness and liberated.

None of the occupants of the rig were seriously injured, and the entire party got in the other rigs and on the horses of the upset rig, and put back to Independence, to return next day, when the road could be seen. The crowd hired another rig in Independence and returned to Salem Sunday, and with the exception of \$10 or \$12 on the hack, were little the worse off for the accident.

The occupants of the overturned hack were Ramp (driver), Paul Miller, Teddy Burton, Warren Hunt and David Hanshaw. It seems almost impossible that a loaded rig could upset over such a place, and fall on some of the occupants, without breaking any limbs, but it must be remembered that these boys were football players.

HAVE STREET RAILWAY

LETSON BAILLIET ONE OF THE PROMOTERS AND FINANCIERS OF MOVEMENT.

The Baker City Rapid Transit Company filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of State yesterday. The objects of this company are to build and operate a street railway system in Baker City and to extend same to the lumber and mining camps suburban to that city. The capital stock is \$500,000 and C. L. Palmer and Charles Wallace Hill, of Baker City, and Letson Baillet, of San Francisco, are the incorporators.

The Conservative Gold Mining Investment Company, of Portland, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, also filed articles of incorporation, and will locate, develop and deal in mines and mining property generally. H. W. Dudley, W. W. Green and George W. Howe are the incorporators.

BIG MILL TRUST.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 3.—As a result of the conference held here Saturday it is expected that every important saw mill firm of Arkansas, Tennessee, Louisiana, and Mississippi will be taken into the membership of the Hardwood Manufacturers' Association. The purpose is to protect the interests of the manufacturers against the wholesale dealers who are in the majority in the National Hardwood Association.

The differences between the manufacturers and the wholesale dealers arose at the last meeting of the Hardwood Association over the question of uniform grading and inspection, the former favoring the adoption of these measures and the latter disapproving. The wholesale dealers can place the lumber in any grade they wish and the manufacturer, it is said, has no recourse. The manufacturers in the new movement declare that they will become so strong through organization that they will either force the National Hardwood Association to make desired concessions or will eliminate the wholesalers, selling direct to consumer.

CHICAGO'S NEW BUILDING.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—A modern office building will be erected at the northwest corner of Jackson and Michigan Boulevards by the Standard Office Company, a new concern incorporated in Springfield, today. The structure will cost \$2,000,000, and will be occupied by at least two railroad companies, one or more steel companies and a number of other large corporations. It will be ready for occupation May 1, 1924. Among the tenants of the new building will be the St. Paul and Santa Fe Railroad Companies, according to the Tribune, and probably the Alton Railroad Company.

The new building probably will be seventeen stories in height and will be a modern structure. It will be planned especially for the large corporations which are to occupy it.

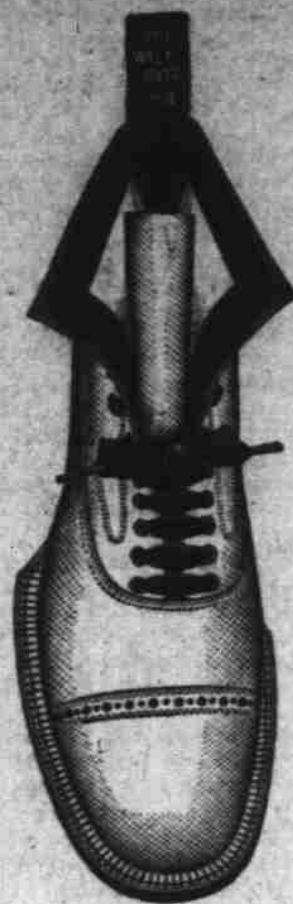
BLOWN UP.

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Joseph Kordeck and Lucy Kordeck, the latter but 2 years of age, were killed and eight other members of the Kordeck family injured here yesterday as the result of a dynamite explosion. Charles Smith, formerly a boarder at the Kordeck home, is supposed to be the assassin who exploded the bomb, which was placed under the center of the house. The house was set on fire and burned, and that of a neighbor caught and was consumed. Smith is believed to be insane.

THE STRIKE COMPROMISED.

PORTLAND, Or., Nov. 3.—The difficulties over the wage scale of the Union Printers in the office of the Oregon City Enterprise has been settled by compromise.

W. S. Miller, in charge of a party of men, arrived Sunday from a trip of blasting out snags in the Willamette. The work was done under direction of the Government engineers at Portland. The party started at Corvallis in small boats, and made the trip as far as Portland, blasting on the way. As soon as there is more water, the snag boat will take up the work where the party left off. The river is lower now than at low water. The Santiam is said by the party to be lower than has ever been known. It will take much rain to enable boats to reach Corvallis. The members of the party were William Reid, M. E. Dunn, Isaac Smith and Frank Cole.—Corvallis Times.



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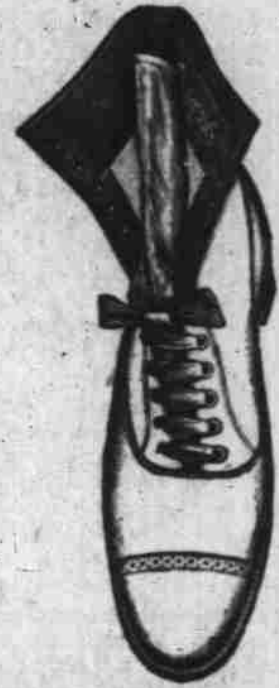
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THE NEW RAILROAD

WORK IS PROGRESSING RAPIDLY AND GRADING WORK NEARLY DONE.

Editor J. C. Hayter, of the Dallas Observer, was in Salem last night and imparted some interesting information concerning the progress upon the new Dallas and Falls City Railroad, which is now under construction. There are nine miles of the roadbed in all, and the grading crew was divided in two, one part starting 4½ miles out of Dallas and working toward Falls City, while the other worked from Dallas out. One crew has finished the grade into Falls City, not having so much rough country or difficulties to encounter, and has joined the other crew, working out from Dallas, which made slower progress on account of the hilly country, and the two crews have combined to finish the balance of the grade, about two miles, expecting to complete it by December 1st.

The company has about four miles of steel rails on hand, purchased from the O. R. & N. Company, but on account of the American Steel Works being so overworked with orders and would not promise to fill their order for six months, the balance of the steel rails had to be ordered from Belgium, which are expected to arrive in time for the track to be laid and in operation before April 1st.

AMPLE COFFEE SUPPLY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Local coffee importers express the belief that the recent volcanic outburst in Guatemala, which wrought havoc in the coffee plantations, will have little effect on the general market. Last year the yield was 600,000 bags, but, in view of the fact that the visible supply of coffee is about 13,000,000 bags, the loss of even the whole production would not be considered serious.

Prof. W. C. Hawley left last night for Denver, Colo., to attend a quarterly meeting of the head officers of the Woodmen of the World.

Legal Blanks, Statesman Job Office.

IS BACK AGAIN

SALEM MAN WHO "STRUCK IT RICH" IN ALASKA, HOME ON VISIT.

John L. Sweeney, who went to Alaska about four years ago in company with several Salem boys during the rush to that country at the time of the gold excitement, is back in Salem again, and glad, he says, to get out of that northern country for a few months, though he intends to return about the middle of January. Mr. Sweeney is rather modest in speaking of his prospects in Alaska, but has no regrets because of having staked his faith and fortune there. He thinks there is a good chance for a young man with energy and ambition who will be steady and economical, but to the man who does not possess these qualifications his advice is to not go there. Mr. Sweeney was in the Copper River country, and thinks the future prospects of that district are great, and anticipates a rush in there early in the spring such as has not been seen heretofore. This district abounds in mines rich in copper ore, and it is in this metal that Mr. Sweeney is principally interested. He has bonded his holdings to a wealthy firm in New York, and when asked how much of a fortune he had made in his speculations and ventures in Alaska, he smiled and said he guessed he had made enough to keep him out of the poor house. He has been in Seattle for the past two weeks, and will spend the time for the next two months at different points up and down the Coast.

Mrs. W. W. Skinner left on Sunday morning for Spokane, Wash., where she will visit her son, W. V. Skinner, Salem's popular young musician, who is playing an engagement in the orchestra of the Theater of Spokane. Mrs. Skinner has not seen her son for some time, and she anticipated great pleasure from a visit with him. She will remain in Spokane for several weeks.

Mr. C. A. Keller returned to Portland yesterday after an over Sunday visit with Mrs. Keller in this city.

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