

OVER THE CAPITAL CITY.

Complete Record of the Daily Doings Compiled From Various Sources.

Happenings Over the City and News From the Country Roundabout.

Another Crying Need.

Of course Salem, to become a great city, must have established in her limits manufacturing enterprises that will give employment to the laborer. These all take money, and lots of it. We want a woolen mill and are about to get it. There are many other things after which we are grasping. One establishment that we need is a first-class creamery. This is an acknowledged necessity. It does not require a great deal of money to operate a creamery, and we think any one seeking a location for such an establishment can do no better than come to Salem. Other cities have them running successfully, and why should not we? Hillsboro would not part with her creamery for much money. Who seeks such a location?

Turner Grange.

The public installation of the officers of Turner Grange on the 12th inst. was a very enjoyable affair. Hon. J. Voorhees of Woodburn officiated as installing officer and each officer made a short address on being conducted to his place in the hall. The little folks were called out and gave recitations, eliciting the applause of the audience. The hall was well filled, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather. The substantial provided by the ladies for the inner man were enjoyed by all. After dinner Mr. G. B. Cornelius and Hon. J. Voorhees addressed the audience and Mr. J. Porter read a paper on goats. All went home feeling that the day was well spent.

A Murderer Respite.

An appeal has been taken to the supreme court in the case of Patrick McGinniss, the Grant county murderer, who, while confined in jail at Canyon City awaiting trial on a criminal charge, made his escape by brutally killing Deputy Sheriff Robert Lockwood, the jailer. McGinniss, was recaptured, tried, convicted and sentenced to be hanged at Canyon City on Friday of this week. Notice of appeal to the supreme court having been sent to Governor Penney, the latter Saturday afternoon granted the murderer a respite for sixty days.

Why Not Come to Salem?

The Appeal "understands there are four or five representatives of as many companies looking over Oregon for suitable locations for paper mills. As yet none of these representatives have visited Silverton. We want to say to these gentlemen that they should lose no time in looking at Silverton."

Here is a chance for Salem. No better location for a paper mill could be found than the capital city. We have good water power, good building sites, lots of straw, an abundance of cotton wood—and the spirit to assist such an enterprise.

Interest Still Unabated.

The interest in the Barrett revival meetings at the M. E. church is apparently as strong as ever, as the crowds of people at yesterday's meetings will testify. She will preach again to-night.

There was a large crowd at the opera house last night to hear Mr. Hilton, the temperance revivalist. He made a good talk and sowed seed that will yield a harvest of much good.

Strayed or Stolen.

From corner of Chemekete and Capital streets Sunday night, a bob-tailed sorrel mare pony, 13 hands high, one white stocking hind leg, one white sock fore-leg, white stripe on face. Finder will be liberally rewarded on return of animal to Wm. N. Ladue, First National Bank.

Change of School Books.

Superintendent, D. W. Yoder, school superintendent of Marion county, wants it distinctly understood that he is not responsible for the change of school books in Oregon. His vote was an emphatic No and he says he is not ashamed of that record.

Ministers' Meeting.

A meeting of the evangelical pastors union is called for Wednesday 4 p. m. at the M. E. church. Important business.

W. ROLLINS, Sec.

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ELECTING HARRISON AND MORTON.

The Presidential Electors For Oregon Meet and Take Their Vote.

C. W. Fulton, Wm. Kampus and Robert McLean, the presidential electors chosen at the recent election, met at the Capitol this day noon and proceeded to vote by ballot for Benjamin Harrison and Levi P. Morton, president and vice-president of the United States.

In compliance with article XII of the constitution, they named in their ballots the persons voted for as president and vice-president, together with full and complete lists of all votes cast, with the number of ballots cast for each. These latter lists the electors signed and swore to, making triplicate copies—one for the president of the senate, one for the judge of the district court and the third for the secretary of state.

In former years the presidential electors in the several states assembled on the first Wednesday in December, but by the act of February 3, 1887, the day for their meeting was changed to the second Monday of January following their election.

The reason for this change was to give the states ample time for determining any disputes that might arise concerning the legality of the choice of its electors, so that when the electors meet there may be no doubt of their right to cast the vote of the state for candidates for president and vice-president.

Under the old law the electors of each state were required to appoint a person to take charge of the certificate setting forth their action and deliver it to the president of the senate before the first Wednesday in January. In the act of 1887, requiring the electors to meet on the second Monday in January, congress failed to change the date of delivery to the president of the senate, thus leaving the electors in the anomalous position of being required to deliver the certificate of their final action before that action was taken. This inconsistency was discovered, however, and remedied by a supplementary act passed in the closing hours of the session, which provides that the certificates and list of voters cast on the second Monday of January shall be forwarded to the president of the senate as soon as possible thereafter, and empowering the latter official, in case the certificate from any state fails to turn up by the fourth Monday of January, to send a special messenger to the district judge, in whose custody one certificate is required to be left, for his copy.

This is to insure certificates from every state by the time the two houses of congress meet to count and declare the vote, which is fixed at 1 p. m., on the second Wednesday of February.

Fortunately, in the first count of the electoral vote under the new law no serious dispute or complication is likely to arise, as Gen. Harrison's majority of the electoral vote is so pronounced as to leave no ground or excuse for a contest. The machinery of the new law will therefore be put in operation under favorable conditions and without friction.

C. W. Fulton was delegated to convey the lists and vote to Washington, and left this city at noon today for the seat of government.

Our Agricultural College.

Some of the good people of Corvallis are so anxious to have a good high school at the expense of the state that they are very apt to eliminate all that is practical of agriculture, that is being taught in our agricultural college. When we have such a large farm, 35 acres, (?) devoted to the practical work of the college; it seems strange that our regents should allow the horticulture department only 1/4 of an acre for experimental purposes, when if it is to be of practical value to the state, at all in proportion to the money expended. The whole farm should be devoted to horticulture.

The management of our agricultural college in the past has been no good to the agriculturist and if practical agriculturists are not to control it in the future it promises no better than in the past. If Oregon is to have an agricultural college let it be one in fact as well as in name.

FARMER No. 2.

Genuine new buckwheat flour, and a fine article of table syrup, at the Grange store, 126 State street, Salem.

Nasal Catarrh is probably one of the most disagreeable ailments that a person can be afflicted with. It is cured by the use of a douche or even snuffed up the nose, according to directions, morning and evening, a radical cure can in most cases be effected.

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A Temporary Organization Effected in Both Houses.

THE PRESIDENCY OF THE SENATE.

This is the Bone of Contention—Causes Arranged for This Afternoon.

For several days the lobby of the Chemekete, which is headquarters for the formation of non-secret slates has been filled with members of the three houses who desire to get themselves or their friends into office during the legislative session. Just before noon to-day after perfecting temporary organizations in both houses, recesses were taken in the senate until two o'clock and in the house until three o'clock, pending the results of the caucus to be held prior to the hour of re-assembling.

THE SENATE.

The senate was called to order by Hon. J. Watts of Yamhill at 11:30 o'clock.

Hon. L. T. Barin of Clackamas was chosen president pro tem.

Upon taking the chair Senator Barin made a very neat and complimentary speech, advising the senators to unite in building up the interests of the state.

The following pro tem officers were elected by acclamation:

Hon. J. H. Sharpe of Douglas chief clerk; Hon. E. G. Hirsch of Baker 1st Asst. Clerk; Hon. C. W. Watts of Linn 2nd Asst. Clerk; Hon. J. B. Eddy of Umatilla county Reading Clerk; Hon. M. Pomeroy of Columbia Sergeant at Arms; Hon. Abe McCully of Marion Door-keeper.

A committee of three, consisting of senators G. A. Steel of Multnomah, M. L. Chamberlin of Marion, and J. P. Wager of Umatilla were appointed on credentials, after which the senate took a recess till 2 o'clock p. m.

The following gentlemen were the choice of the Democratic Caucus for officers of the senate:

T. C. Cauthorn of Benton President; J. A. Douthitt Wasco Chief Clerk; A. M. Elam Asst. Clerk; M. Martin of Lane Co. Sergeant at Arms; H. Downing of Marion Co. Door Keeper.

At the re-assembling this afternoon Joseph Simon was elected President of the Senate. The remaining temporary officers were made permanent. The members were sworn in and are now ready for business.

Adjourned to 10 a. m. Tuesday.

THE HOUSE.

A temporary organization was effected at 11:30 by making Hon. John H. Roberts of Coos, temporary chairman.

J. T. Gregg was chosen chief clerk, with O. P. Miller assistant.

A recess was taken until three o'clock, pending the result of the caucus, which result is a thing not to be guessed at. At three o'clock the body will re-assemble and proceed with the completion of the organization.

The committee on credentials was appointed as follows: R. P. Earhart of Multnomah, J. E. Blundell of Douglas, R. R. Laughlin of Yamhill, R. A. Miller of Jackson, H. J. Bean of Umatilla.

THE THIRD HOUSE.

As is usually the case, the lobbyists—or more commonly termed the Third House—outnumber the members of both houses. They are here congregated, "getting in their arguments," as it were, for one friend or another, or some pet scheme. For two days every newly arrived member has been button-holed upon his arrival in the city, and before he could find his way through the crowd to his room he would have several dozen cards in his pockets and twice as many more schemes on his brain.

The schemes had so far failed completion that any efforts at even temporary organization of either house before eleven o'clock this morning would have failed utterly. But a subsidence was felt at about 11:30 and the temporary order was taken.

You Cannot do Better

Than call at the Grange Store, 126 State street, if you want a good tea or anything else in the grocery line. Don't fail to look at the White Cross Extracts, the best in the market.

The Hon. John M. Thayer was inaugurated as Governor of Nebraska for his second term last week. Among those who attended the reception was Buffalo Bill.

The chestnut horse, James G., sold by J. L. Case, of Racine, Wis., to A. J. Teak, of Syracuse, N. Y., for \$6,000. The animal will be shipped to Germany.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith, 92 State street. tf.

—List your property with the Salem Land Co. if you wish it sold. Office on State street. d-&w tf.

—Mr. A. H. Morgan and wife of Portland are at present the guests of L. E. Pratt of this city.

—If you have farm or city property for sale list it with the Salem Land Co., office on State street. d-&w tf.

—The body of Mrs. John Long, who died in Salem on Thursday, was to-day shipped to Albany for burial. Albany was the former home of the family.

—Legislators will find W. P. Williams, the stenographer, ready for business at all times. Better have your bills neatly copied on his typewriter before the rush of business later on. 317 Commercial street.

—Toledo, that thriving little burg down by Yaquina bay, is booming over the prospect of securing a fine new \$3,000 hotel. Ground has already been broken for its construction, and the work will progress with all possible haste.

—Fred Bueche, a subject of the German Empire, Saturday filed his final papers of citizenship, with the county clerk. Also at the same time Jacob Weber of Switzerland, declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

—You will at all times find a fresh and nice line of choice, seasonable family, and fancy groceries at the old reliable and well-known grocery house of Souire Farrar & Co. Delivered free to any part of the city. Prices always reasonable and goods first class. tf

—Marriage licenses were this morning issued to J. H. Lunn and Miss Vickiey A. Holman; also to Benj. A. Jacobs and Mary M. Eisenhart. The former couple were married this morning and left at noon for New York, on an extended bridal tour.

Salem's Sunday Afternoon Fire.

Shortly after four o'clock yesterday afternoon the fire bell rang out in wild alarm, summoning the fire ladders to the barn of Dr. H. Smith where a hot fire was raging. Both Capitals and Tigers were prompt to respond and in a few moments after the alarm was sounded two forcible streams were playing on the flames. The North Salem hose cart was there also making the third stream. As the barn was filled with hay and the fire had gained great headway before detected the barn was not far from being totally demolished. The fire started on the lower floor of the building. Some think it the work of an incendiary, but it is probable some tramp slept there Saturday night and left a cigar stump or threw a lighted match among the dry straw. Dr. Smith's loss will be about \$700, a fine buggy and harness having been destroyed.

Prohibition That Prohibits.

By a long-established ruling of the officials in charge, the convicts in the Oregon state penitentiary in this city are permitted to receive and read all newspapers except those published in this state. The exact reason of this prohibitory enactment is not explained, although its terms are enforced with a rigidity that excludes the state papers without exception. Some of the prisoners do considerable reading, while there are others who scarcely ever turn the covers of a book or open a newspaper.

A farmer near Colwich, Sedgewick county Kansas, hired a very inexperienced boy to help him about the place. One morning the farmer told the lad to salt the calf over in the pasture. The boy took about a quart of salt and rubbed it all over the calf. A gang of colts scented the salt and got after the calf. They loked the salt off the animal's back, and tried to lick the hair off too. The farmer tried to catch the calf to wash it, but the creature, thinking the farmer wanted to lick him too, kept out of his way. The boy and the farmer are all unhappy. The colts are the only ones who got any fun out of it.

A Fine Piece of Work.

The West Shore for January is to be one of the finest issues that successful journal has known. This edition is to be devoted to Salem and many superior illustrations have been prepared for it. This magazine is the only one on the coast that is prepared for the execution of such artistic work. Even from the east, Mr. Samuels receives many orders for illustrations. This New Year number of the West Shore will be a treat to your friends over the mountains. You should get a few copies and work a little as an immigration agent.

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