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The Weekly Journal.

The weekly edition of the CAPITAL JOURNAL is meeting with such popular favor and such great success that a few words concerning it may not be inappropriate. It now has a circulation of considerably over 1000, which is increasing from day to day. In fact there is not a day but that several names are added to the list. The very low price—\$1 per year in advance—is a big item to those who wish to take a good paper from the state capital. Many sample copies are circulated each week and the desired result follows in each case. Speak of the CAPITAL JOURNAL to your neighbors. They ought to take it. It is as large as any weekly paper in the state and its excellence is equaled by few and excelled by none. Call and get a sample copy for your friends in the east or west, and see for yourself.

The Deadly Saw Mill.

An accident happened in the saw mill at Independence Friday, by which Henry Stoneberg came nearly losing his life. Stoneberg, operating the edging machine, but was called upon to assist in running up some logs from the boom. The logs were to be moved by a rope which took its power from the water power. The rope was made taut, but it had caught somewhere and was suddenly loosened. Flying back, it struck Stoneberg, throwing him high in the air. He alighted on his head and shoulders, sustaining severe injuries. The ligaments of his shoulders were torn or severed, but he will recover.

More Street Cars.

The directors of the Salem street railway company have under consideration the proposition of purchasing three more street cars to be placed on the rapidly extending lines of this city. One of the cars desired is to be similar to the three now in use, while two will be open cars of the summer pattern. These latter cars are very desirable for summer travel, excursions, band concerts, Sunday travel, and like occasions. At now being built the line when completed will be over three miles in length, and three cars will not be adequate to the demands.

The Diamond Mystery.

To-night the Chicago comedy company will appear in "The Diamond Mystery." This is the grand piece with which their engagement was opened in Salem. It is one of their strongest and funniest, if not the best, of their repertoire. When it was given Monday night the satisfaction with which the big audience received it was complete. In it Mr. Devlin appears as the lawyer, Mr. Love as the returned convict, and Miss Inman as the village lass. There will be a crowded house to-night, as the box-sheet is already well taken.

The Bridge Question.

The bridge matter now stands about as follows, according to the Albany Democrat: Marion county wants a bridge at Jefferson because it will be of the greatest benefit to that county, and Lincoln county would like to have one at Stayton, because it would be of the greatest benefit to that county, and the result is that neither place will probably get a bridge this year, but Waterloo does, and we expect to hear of an immense mass meeting at the latter place.

Suit For Damages.

Dr. Glenn of Salem is in the city for the purpose of bringing a suit against someone. The doctor will be remembered as the gentleman who broke his leg during the horse show at the corner of Second and Washington streets. The accident happened from a defective board, it is claimed, on the walk running past the property belonging to the Monteith estate, and it is probable if the suit is brought, that estate will be made the defendant.—Albany Democrat.

Answer Immediately.

How about that Fourth of July celebration? Salem should not let this year go by without a great big jollification. The people are ripe for a rollicking good time, and Salem should not be the other cities get in ahead of her. It is a duty she owes to those dependent upon her, and a fourth of July celebration must be had. Why not move quickly in this matter?

FROM THE VALLEY TO THE SEA.

A Mass Meeting at Astoria in the Interest of the New Road.

At Astoria to-night will be held a big mass meeting which was called for the purpose of raising funds to complete the Astoria and South Coast railroad, and to confer with a committee from Salem, Albany and McMinnville in regard to building a road from Astoria to the Willamette valley.

The Pioneer says: "Dr. Alf Kinney has received letters from Salem, Albany and McMinnville stating that a delegation from these cities would be in Astoria Saturday to confer with the Astoria people in regard to the building of the road.

"There is not a flouring mill within 100 miles of Astoria. There is not a manufacturing enterprise of any kind, but will pay a handsome interest on the investment. But to acquire all this we must offer some inducement for people to come here. When it is known that a railroad is to be built to the Willamette valley by the citizens of Astoria, Salem and McMinnville, other roads will be built, as all will be desirous of securing the business of the country. People will come here from all parts of the United States, and bring money and enterprise with them."

The Astoria Transcript, in speaking of the mass meeting says: "Let the good work go on with unsparring vigor. The plan of reaching out and joining forces is a step toward realizing the grand scheme into a tangible shape and a working basis. Nothing is surer than that those people will take hold of the project with eagerness and determination. It is of vital interest to them. The great grain basin of the Willamette must have a free and easy conduit to the seaboard. It can never know that blessing until it is joined directly by bands of steel with its natural outlet at the mouth of the Columbia. It is generally understood that the Northwestern overland trunk line will connect with the middle Willamette valley at no distant day, and when that occurs, it will witness the placing of a new system in the field that must have an outlet of no insignificant magnitude. Salem, Albany and McMinnville are talking up the matter. They show as much interest in that end of the route as we do in this. Let us all get in and pull together and there is no fear of the result."

County Court Proceedings.

In the matter of road petitioned for from n.w. line M. L. Jones' land to intersection South Prairie road, ordered established.

Contract for changing vaults in recorder and clerk's office awarded to Webb & Wolf for \$1975. Vault to be deepened.

In matter of road petitioned for and in school district No. 74, Flora McCoy claims damages; and Alex. Thompson, W. Cranstoun and W. L. Simerval were appointed appraisers to meet at Melama, May 15.

Four applications for liquor licenses are before the court, but the question has been raised whether or not the Layman high license law went into effect as per emergency clause, and the commissioners have taken the matter under advisement.

News of the River.

The river is falling again and now stands at four feet four inches above low water. The Champion came down from Harrisburg last night with 100 tons of wheat for the Salem flouring mill. She returned to Harrisburg to take cargo for the four mills at Oregon City. The Hong passed down the river yesterday having on board a big shipment of wheat. The Three Sisters came up last night and was carrying a large shipment of general merchandise, a good part of which she left at the docks for the Salem merchants.

A Letter From Litchfield.

Prof. Lane is in receipt of a letter from George P. Litchfield of Salem, who was recently appointed special Indian agent for Oregon and who is now at Washington City where he was ordered to report for the purpose of receiving instructions. Mr. Litchfield finds it impossible to gain audience with Secretary Blaine on account of the great rush of office seekers. He will return to Oregon in a few weeks to enter upon the performance of his duties.

Early Oregon Cherries.

The first ripe Oregon cherries of the season were exhibited on the streets to-day. They are delicious of flavor and one of the May Dew variety. They were grown up in the Santiam bottom, where warm sunshine has hurried them into ripening. Soon the markets will be flooded with Oregon's delicious cherries.

Strawberries Plectinal.

The past two days have had a wonderful effect on the wild strawberries. Farmers coming in this morning say they are ripening rapidly. The crop of this delicious berry is much larger this year than for a long time, and it is said they are considerably larger in size.

SALEM SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings Among the Society Folk—The Attractions, Etc.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Thursday night the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roach gathered at the new residence of Mr. Roach, and reminded the occupants of the home in various ways during the evening of the day two years before, at which time they decided to no more travel and strive with the obstacles of this life in a single handed manner. The double parlor was thrown into one large room and the evening hours pleasantly spent in playing social games and exchanging jests of days gone by. When the eleventh hour had come the "bride and groom" were brought forth. The justice was sent for, who soon appeared in his long white robe and in "solemn and binding manner" proceeded to marry the couple over again. It is useless to remark that the ceremony, together with some of the objections that were raised as to them marrying, caused a ripple of laughter and a general good feeling spread over the house. After the judge had pronounced them man and wife by authority of the grand lodge of Calithumpians, those present rushed forward and appropriately saluted both bride and groom. The ceremony over, a beautiful repast was spread which consisted of fruits, cakes, meats, tea, coffee, etc. A jolly luncheon it was, too. At a late hour the participants wished Mr. and Mrs. Roach many more happy returns of such occasions and a happy and prosperous life.

THE MERRY MAKERS.

Thursday evening at their hall on State street the "Merry Makers" or Winter club gave a dancing party. Although the opera house drew a strong crowd, yet quite a number were present and three sets were run continually during the evening. Those present report having a splendid time and some are almost sighing over the fact that the coming warm weather will probably put a stop to their enjoyable evenings until next fall.

FAREWELL PARTY.

Tuesday evening quite a social event occurred at the parlors of the Christian church. The affair was given in honor of Elder P. R. Burnett and family, the Misses Starr, Miss Stratton and Miss Orr, who will leave the city in a short time. Quite a good number were present and a pleasant time was had by all. The young folks amused themselves by playing charade, and a number of indoor games, while the older persons enjoyed themselves heartily in talking and in a general social way. At the close of the evening's enjoyment a beautiful repast of coffee and different varieties of cake was spread of which all present heartily partook. The affair was a perfect success.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL.

The ladies of the M. E. church on Wednesday evening gave a most pleasing ice cream social at the church. The refreshments were preceded by a brief musical and literary program that was intensely interesting. The attendance was good and the evening was pleasantly passed.

AN EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT.

Last evening at the insane asylum a pleasant affair occurred. The chapel was filled with the inmates of the asylum and the attendants, with a goodly number of visitors from the city. The evening's exercises opened with a short minstrel performance, in which the attendants of the asylum were the principal actors. After the minstrel performance came a couple of farces which caused all to join in a hearty laugh. The exercises were interspersed with good music under the supervision of Prof. Diamond. Those who attended from the city report the entire affair in a complimentary manner and say that not only the attendants and visitors enjoyed themselves but it had a pleasing fascination for the inmates.

THE CLOSING NIGHT.

To-night the Chicago comedy company closes here, after a successful engagement of one week. Last night's presentation was that of the "Lancashire Lass." This is a serio-comic bill that took like wild-fire. The audience was large and thoroughly appreciative. Belle Inman took the part of the Lancashire Lass and sustained the character in her usually charming style. Mr. Devlin appeared always at exactly the right time and was known as a party by the name of Johnson. He never fails to furnish a fund of good humor. Val E. Love was the unscrupulous villain. He makes a good one, always carrying his role in a graceful manner. The entire performance was up to the usual high standard of this company. They close to-night, when a big audience is sure to be present.

Take your family to Strong's to-morrow, and enjoy the delicacies of the season.

PURELY PERSONAL.

—S. Friedman was called to Portland to-day.

—Spot Baker will spend Sunday in Portland.

—B. F. Cook took the afternoon train for Portland.

—B. F. Giltner is paying Portland a visit to-day.

—C. E. Roberts made a trip to Portland this morning.

—L. F. Belknap and wife returned from Junction this evening.

—C. W. Cherrington returned from a month's sojourn in Portland to-day.

—J. D. Jordan and son Harvey were passengers for Portland this morning.

—H. E. Giesy of Aurora, who has been in the city on business the past three days, returned home this afternoon.

—Mrs. J. E. Hinkle took her departure this morning for eastern Oregon. She has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. Darling.

—Father Dally, who has been visiting Father White for several days, started on his way home this morning via the overland train. He lives at Nova Scotia.

—Mr. Ashenfelter Sr., his wife and daughter, Miss Edith, departed via last evening's train for an extended visit to California. They were accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. Jacob Ashenfelter.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—Rev. Tower of this city preaches in Eugene to-morrow morning.

—Ice cream and strawberries at Strong's to-morrow.

—Morning subject at the M. E. church, "The Vitiating Power of an Evil Life;" evening, "Drinking Among the Ancients."

—The Sound country is full of counterfeit half dollars, and of course, many of them will find their way up the valley. Look out for them.

—Rev. A. E. Dunning of Boston is visiting Oregon in the interest of Congregational Sunday schools. He will conduct meetings in Salem May 10th.

—The Evangelical conference, recently in session at Corvallis, adopted resolutions in favor of a law debaring a drunken man either to drink or furnish intoxicating beverages to others.

—Fresh lot of strawberries at Strong's.

—The Northern Pacific railway has consented to transport free of charge the fruit displays of the state of Oregon, to the National Encampment of the G. A. R., which meets at Milwaukee in August.

—See Strong's bill of fare for to-morrow, elsewhere.

—For your Paints, Oils, etc., go to Gilbert & Peterson's.

—For your meat go to Lafore's to-day, on State street.

—Wm. Stickler paid the remainder of his fine and was released from jail to-day. He was convicted at the last term of circuit court of selling liquor without license at Hubbard, and has been confined in jail since that time.

—Salem should and will celebrate the glorious Fourth of July this year, and it is fully expected that she will have the grandest celebration ever witnessed in Oregon. Now Squire Farrar is never behind in such work and is coming to the front already, by offering his large stock of first-class groceries at astonishingly low prices.

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