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Scheme of a Sharper.

A ministerial looking gentleman is working the cities of the upper valley for coin, in a new and improved manner. He is nicely dressed and apparently well-to-do. After remaining a day or so in a town he tells some special friends he has made that he has been disappointed in receiving an expected remittance and would be greatly obliged if they would give him a loan of about \$50 on his fine, new \$85 gold watch. They usually feel sorry for him and raise the money and take the watch, when the confidence goes quickly and he departs with the loan, leaving with them the \$5 wash-gold watch—the cheapest thing to be imagined. Look out for him. He is coming this way, having last week worked his game at Eugene and Coquille.

Base Ball on the Fourth.

It may now be stated with assurance that Salem will entertain her visitors on the afternoon of July Fourth with a big game of base ball. It will be between the Capital city club and the Chemawa nine. The Indian boys at the school play every day and are hard players. The Salem boys are just organizing, but as the home club contains some first-class professional material it is certain they will make a strong combination. The battery will consist of C. A. Melon and Arthur King, pitchers; and James McClelland and Robert Henderson of St. Paul, catchers. Fine grounds are being arranged in Highland park and the national holiday will find a good game in progress.

Held in Limbo.

Sheriff Croisland has a man under his charge who gives his name as Frank Raven and answers the description of a man wanted at Denver, Colorado, by J. F. Farley, chief of police. He is about thirty years of age, of medium build and five feet seven inches tall. It is not known for what crime he is wanted, but the Colorado officials will be here very soon and take him back on a requisition. He was taken at the Capital saloon, places of which description he is said to be a frequenter. He objected to being arrested, but when told whence the complaint came, he submitted readily. He carried a pistol, wrapped up in an old glove. This was one of the marks by which he was identified.

Estate in Probate.

In matter of the estate of A. McMeekin, Margaret McMeekin administratrix with will annexed, W. H. Holmes appointed guardian ad litem for Jesse Holmes, and Seth R. Hammer guardian ad litem for Archibald McKillop, Wm., Alex. and Archibald M. Meekin, Ross and Walter Sleppy and Clay and Nora Brown. The hearing of cause was continued until July 6th.

What Will Salem Do?

Lots of aid is pouring into Seattle from sister cities. They are all doing something, Salem excepted. Can it be that the Capital city of Oregon is not going to lend aid to a neighbor in distress? God forbid. Seattle needs assistance and that at once. She needs it badly. There are thousands to feed and care for and this will all take money. Some action should be taken by the citizens here and that at once.

Garden City Growing.

H. W. Savage is preparing to have a fine residence constructed on the south side of his summer garden and fruit tract in the Garden City addition to Salem on the east. That region is rapidly improving and building up. It already blooms and blossoms as the rose, but a few more nice residences there will add greatly.

Salem's Celebration.

Steadily the preparation continues for the big home picnic to be conducted in Highland park in Salem on July Fourth. A fine program will be given and a big time will be had. No expense is being spared to make the occasion one of the most enjoyable in the history of the city.

On Nob Hill.

From present indications there will be quite a boom in building on the slightly knolls of South Salem. Mr. Morrison, late of the east, has purchased lots of Watson & Jones and will build quite a fine residence. Others have under consideration plans for buildings to be erected there soon.

IN JAIL AWAITING TRIAL.

Criminals of the County Jail—Alleged Criminals.

Circuit court opened for the June term to-day. The docket is quite extensive, aside from which the following named alleged criminals are in jail here awaiting trial or pending examination before the grand jury:

O. P. Beardsley, on charge of venue from Polk county, for the murder of Thomas L. Perryman at Eola. The hearing of this case is set for to-morrow.

W. E. Hawkins, charged with the murder of E. H. Ogle in Salem on the evening of May 1st. Examination was waived by Hawkins and it is conceded that the trial will be continued until next term of court.

Willis Jordan, charged with forging the name of Ben Hayden to an order on G. W. Johnson for two suits of clothes.

A. J. Morgan, on the same charge, he and Jordan having been together in the forgery.

Fred Bressler, charged with having committed an assault on a man named Tuck, with a dangerous weapon.

Smith Bruer, accused of obtaining money under false pretenses, he having sold an interest in a restaurant at Dallas to Mrs. Beatty and afterwards making no return.

Wm. Stewart, for larceny from a dwelling, it being charged that he stole money from a girl at the old mansion house.

There are two other men in jail here, John Williams, the tramp who threw stones at the train and was sentenced to twenty-five days, and Frank Raven, the man who is wanted at Denver and is awaiting the arrival of officers from that place.

Grange Notes.

Surprise grange conferred the first and second degrees upon a class of nine at its call meeting on first Saturday of this month.

Turner grange conferred first and second degrees on a class of two and received three applications for membership at its regular meeting on the second Saturday.

On motion of Dep. Hilkey the regular hour of meeting was changed from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. until further notice.

Salem grange had a very select gathering in its hall on the first Saturday of this month.

Marion county Pomona will meet with Howell Prairie grange on the fourth Saturday of this month. Important business discussions will be concluded at that time. An interesting program has been prepared by the literary committee and subjects are assigned the different granges. An interesting meeting is anticipated.

Twenty new granges were organized in Eastern Oregon and five re-organized in the valley. We may be mistaken as to the exact apportionment.

A resolution was adopted by the State grange authorizing the executive committee to push the work in Washington. The same should be done in Southern Oregon.

The prospects of the order were never brighter and members are imbued with a spirit of trust and confidence in the ultimate growth and success of the grange movement.

Program.

For the prize declamation contest to be conducted at the Willamette University chapel this evening.

Musical: "On to the Battle," Misses Dugmyle, Adair, Hirsch, Hughes, Vocal Solo: "If I Had Did Love Me," Miss Marie Gray.

Declamation: "Ode to Eloquence," Mr. Matthews.

Oration: "Regulus to the Carthaginians," Mr. Anderson.

Instrumental Solo: "Selected," Miss Stratton.

Recitation: "Daisy's Faith," Miss Blanche Lamont.

PART SECOND.

Recitation: "Edinburg after Flooded," Miss May Boice.

Declamation: "The March of Dundee," Mr. Byars.

Vocal Solo: "Selected," Mrs. J. A. Strickler.

Recitation: "Mother and Poet," Mrs. Carrie Gleason.

Oration: "Impudent Warren Hastings," Mr. Fitzgerald.

Recitation: "The Last Banquet," Miss Ella Hodson.

Duet: "Piano and Banjo," Miss Paul Scott and Percy Scott.

At the conclusion of the concert elegant prizes will be awarded to the successful competitors.

The Lecturer.

Col. L. F. Copeland, who delivered his celebrated lecture on "Snobs and Snobbery," at the M. E. church on Saturday evening, is an eloquent orator. His home is in Harrisburg, Pa., but he finds much to charm and interest him in this great valley.

More Catfish.

Law Swartz sent to W. T. for 200 more catfish and they will be here in a few days. He has about fifty in Pudding river already and in a few years he will have good fishing.

THAT FIRED FEELING.

Attends nearly every one in the spring. The system having become accustomed to the breeding air of winter, is weakened by the warm days of the changing season, and readily yields to attacks of disease. Hood's sarsaparilla is just the medicine needed. It tones and builds up every part of the body and also expels all impurities from the blood. Try it this season.

CIRCUIT COURT CONVENES.

A Big Docket—Jurors Petit and Grand—Court Begins.

The circuit court of Marion county for the June term opened to-day at 1 p. m. The docket will be followed as published a few days ago.

The grand jury was drawn as follows and are already at work inquiring into the cases before them: W. B. Brown, Irvin Schneider, George Schuele, Charles Arnold, J. Metzger, W. F. Boothby was chosen foreman and Morris, bailiff.

The following petit jurors, having been drawn, are present: Hugh Harrison, Samuel Stauffer, James Coleman, N. W. Silvers, A. J. Cooley, J. H. Miller, H. Fletcher, Frank Boskas, C. Arnold, F. X. Moisan, N. Caywood, Paul Frank, Joseph Ashby, J. J. Barnett, D. W. Smith, William Fry, James Batchelor, W. W. Elder.

The following were excused from jury duty: Wm. Taylor, Albert Hall, H. E. Schmidt, F. P. Whitlock, W. Staiger, W. McIntyre, L. F. Mascher.

O. P. Beardsley was brought over this morning from the Dallas jail and put in jail here, ready to be in attendance at his trial which is set for nine a. m. to-morrow.

Lunn vs. Lunn is the title of an action brought by J. H. Lunn vs. Victoria A. Lunn, in which the former seeks a divorce. The cause will be heard during the next term.

Gorman in Jail Now.

Frank Gorman, the colored gentleman who was indicted by the last grand jury, was arrested at Victoria, by Jap Minto and brought here and put in jail to-day. Gorman was indicted for making an assault with a dangerous weapon upon Bill Hiatt. He gave bonds in the sum of \$250 for his appearance at this term of court, with O. D. Hutton and Jasper Minto as bondsmen. In the meantime Gorman leaves here and goes to Victoria. The offense was not extraditable and Sheriff Croisland was unable to arrest him in the British possessions and bring him here. But Minto went to Victoria, armed with a warrant, and returned with the dusky culprit who would defeat his bondsmen. Gorman is now in jail and his case will be duly heard this term.

Supreme Court.

Court met at one o'clock p. m. all present.

W. H. Riggs, railroad commissioner of the state of Oregon, appellant vs. George W. McBride, secretary of the state of Oregon, respondent, appeal from Marion county, argued and submitted.

John A. Carson was admitted upon certificate from the supreme court of Ontario, Canada, to practice in all the courts of this state.

Two More Insane.

A late arrival at the asylum for insane is Flora Schumlerick, from Washington county. She is twenty-one years of age and had her first attack about two years ago. She attempts to do violence to her child and attacks it with scissors. She attacks her husband with bullets of wood and destroys clothing and everything she can get her hand on.

Thomas C. Dobbois arrived at the asylum to-day, committed from Lake county. He is not violent, but was considered dangerous to be at large.

The Men of '49.

From an inspection of the partial records now existing, the estimate has been made that at least 700 vessels of all descriptions sailed from the various ports of the world in the year of 1849 for California, and that 400 of this number sailed from the Atlantic seaports of the United States, bringing to our coast in the year 1849 and up to May 1st of 1850, at least 75,000 persons, which in addition to the 1849 emigration across the plains of 25,000, making the whole number who left their eastern homes for California in the year 1849, about 100,000 persons. Taking the records of the Pioneer association as a basis for calculation, there must be living at present of this vast number at least 25,000 persons who are scattered over the United States.

Secretary of the navy—Say, what time should I plant potatoes? I'm starting a garden. Secretary of agriculture—Hanged if I know. Ask the secretary of state. He has a garden at home, I believe. Oh! by the way, my folks are anxious to have a yacht, but I don't know whether to get a centerboard or not. What do you think about it? Secretary of the navy (meditatively)—Well, a centerboard might do, but I should think the bottles would be less likely to upset if kept in a sideboard.

In many parts of China the Bibles given to the natives by missionaries are used in the manufacture of cheap boots—while are not the kind of souls the Bible was intended to benefit. Now in America it is different. In many parts of this country Bibles are used for pressing ferns and autumn leaves, and are frequently placed on a child's chair to elevate the little one.

PURELY PERSONAL.

—A. Grant left for Seattle this afternoon.

—J. R. Bell came down from Roseburg this morning.

—Prof. E. B. McElroy went to Oregon City to-day.

—Vannie Welch went to Portland on the morning train.

—Mrs. Brasfield left on the morning train for Albany.

—John Q. Wilson took the morning train for Portland.

—Rev. J. H. Rook came in on the afternoon train from Yaquina City.

—Wm. Brooks of Independence left on the morning train for Portland.

—Judge Whitney came down from Albany this morning to attend the court.

—Judge Waldo left on the afternoon train for Portland, on a pleasure trip.

—Jacob Starr took the morning train for Meham on a week's pleasure trip.

—W. T. Slater and wife returned home from their pleasure trip to Eugene.

—James Colbath took the morning train for Washington, where he goes on business.

—Willis E. McElroy to-day returned to school in Portland, after a few days visit in this city.

—Ed Catterlin took the morning train for Alaska, where he goes to work in a photograph gallery.

—District Attorney Hewitt of Albany arrived in the city this morning and is in attendance at court.

—R. Messin, the well-known cheese maker, started this morning for Woodland, W. T., where he goes to start a factory.

—H. B. Elworthy and wife of Brownsville came down on the afternoon train to witness commencement exercises at the Willamette university.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nies, late of Oregon, Mo., arrived in Salem last evening, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Booth. They went over to Dallas to-day and will visit for some time in the valley, while looking up a place in which to locate.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—The creamery at McMinnville has shut down because the price of butter is not satisfactory.

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

—The Occident will be up from Portland this evening and will go on up the river in the morning.

—A little girl named Yates was placed in the orphan's home last week. She came from Pendleton.

—Painless dental operations at Dr. T. C. Smith's, 92 State street.

—Dorrance Bros.' saw mill starts up to-morrow. It has just been overhauled and new machinery was put in.

—Strawberries are disappearing from market, but their place is being rapidly taken by black and raspberries.

—Don't you forget that the Bon Ton restaurant is the only place you can get a good square meal for the small sum of twenty-five cents.

—Wm. Thornton was arrested on Saturday night for being drunk and disorderly and was sentenced to four days of hard labor on the streets.

—The Crowell & McClure photographic company of San Francisco are in Salem to-day taking views of the principal business houses.

—Mr. Dorrance, who had the misfortune to hurt his leg in the machinery at his mill, is improving nicely, but is unable to walk without crutches.

—James Brown, M. D., is in the city on business. Mr. Brown is medical director of grand lodge A. O. U. W. and also secretary of medical board of examiners of Oregon.

—If it is nice, fresh groceries, or fruits in season, or coffee or tea or spice, you are looking for, the best plan would be to take this advice and make your purchases at the corner grocery of Squire Farrar & Co. That is the place.

—A blackberry stock of this year's growth, measuring 10 1/2 feet was brought in to Duncan & Booth's real estate office to-day. It was raised by Saml. Ragin in his yard in this city. They also have some wheat measuring about six feet in height.

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