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AT THE CORN PALACE.—The following from the Sioux City Journal of Thursday, Oct. 1st, and re-

AN INNOCENT ABROAD.—Bro. Bessner, of the Walla Walla Journal, tells us on himself: "At the Portland fair they had a suffed cow which they milked (?) whenever a person called for a glass of milk, fresh from the fountain head."

RESIDENCE BURNED.—"The residence of Thomas Taylor, who resides about twenty miles west of Eugene, burned to the ground Monday forenoon, together with all its contents, says the Eugene Register."

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.—Articles of incorporation were filed with the secretary of state to-day as follows: The Portland Mining Company of Portland Or., capital stock \$150,000, divided into shares of \$50 each, with Chas. H. Woodard, W. Stevens and J. Clark incorporators.

INSANE LADY ESCAPED.—An insane lady at the asylum escaped last evening. She had been employed in the dining room for some time. She is described as a middle-aged woman, five feet four inches in height and weighs about 200 pounds.

A CHROMO WITH EACH LOT.—The Oregon Land company are always offering great inducements to those who wish to invest in Oregon real estate but this week they are offering an untold bargain in some of their lots.

WILD GESE.—A few days ago a large band of wild geese lit upon the farm of Lawrence Martin's on Salem prairie and began feeding. Mr. Martin, who was near by, ran to the house and got his gun and succeeded in killing seven of them at one shot.

CITY TAXES DELINQUENT.—City Tax Collector Swafford wishes to remind those interested that the time for payment of city taxes, without costs being added, will expire on the 20th of November.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

The Twenty-first Birthday of the A. O. U. W., to be Appropriately Observed on the 27th inst.

On the 27th of this month the Ancient Order of United Workmen will have reached maturity; in other words, will be 21 years old, and that organization, founded in such a small way by Father Upchurch, has in those 21 years reached grand proportions and is now recognized as one of the great fraternal and beneficial orders of the country.

The order is numerically and socially very strong in this community, there being two lodges in Salem, one lodge—Protection No. 2—containing nearly 200 members, and Valley lodge over 100 members.

OREGON SCHOOL LAND.—Assistant Commissioner Stone at Washington has rendered a decision in the case which involved the question of proof in the school indemnity selections in Oregon.

SPECIAL COUNCIL.—The City Council meets in Special Session and Awards the Sewerage Contracts.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.—The following is a correct list of the real estate transactions filed at the office of the county recorder to-day:

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A NEEDED RAIN.—A subscriber of the CAPITAL JOURNAL, at Farmington, W. T., writes that they are having a fine rain, and that it has been raining for two days.

BAD WALK.—The attention of the street commissioner is respectfully called to the dilapidated condition of the sidewalk on the east side of Front street, near the corner of North street.

TO GERVAIS.—Quite a number of Salem folks will attend the annual celebration and ball at Gervais to-night. The Salem orchestra departed for that place this evening, and will furnish the music for the occasion.

NEW BRICK BUILDING.—It is rumored that a brick building is to be constructed in the near future, on the northeast corner of State and Liberty streets, which will add much to the looks of that location.

GRAIN FIELDS BURNED OVER.

A Question Between Farmers and the Railway Companies—The Matter Liable to Cause Trouble.

"In several parts of Oregon during the last summer grain crops in the fields were destroyed by sparks from locomotives, says the Oregonian. There appears to be no statute in this state requiring the railroad companies to pay for losses or damages thus caused, though, doubtless, payment could be enforced under the rule of common law.

From the fact it appears that we have exercised due diligence and care in the operation of our trains; our engine was in good order and provided with proper spark arrester, but it is quite likely that the fire would not have occurred at all had you not cultivated a part of our right of way and thus contributed to the destruction by reason of your grain stubbles to the railroad track.

PURELY PERSONAL.—N. H. Burley took the morning train for Harrisburg. Miss Lydia Parrish took the afternoon train for Portland. Mrs. J. J. Dalrymple left on the afternoon train for Portland.

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ENGLEWOOD ADDITION!

To the city of Salem. This fine property is a portion of that vacant property which has heretofore been withheld from the market, and lying a short distance north and east of the elegant high school building.

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