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DOUBLE MURDER.—Miss Madge Baldwin, a niece of J. H. Lunn, the Salem merchant, received a mysterious and shocking message from her sister at Nickerson, Nebraska, Thursday evening, which read: "Father and John were killed this morning." Following from the associated press dispatches throws some light on the crime: "A. J. Baldwin and his son John were murdered at Fontanelle, Neb., Wednesday night by the old man's step-son, named Anderson. Anderson escaped. If caught, he will be lynched." Mr. Baldwin was living with his second wife and had been remarried only about a year.

OBITUARY.—Mary C. Moll, of King P. O., age fifty-two years, was born Sept. 7, 1850, and died Sept. 1, 1903. She was born in Ohio (Harrison county) and came to Oregon in 1852, with her parents, Jacob and Mary Scott, and was married to David Moll, Nov. 9, 1854; became a member of the Christian Church about twenty years ago. Her sickness was dropsy and heart disease, and she was paralyzed two months before she died. Her father died a year ago last May, and her mother is still living. She leaves a husband and three children to mourn her death.

CONGREGATIONAL ASSOCIATION.—Thursday was the closing day of the Congregational association of Oregon. The forenoon was devoted to the considering of missionary work, and the afternoon to the subject of Sunday school work, which was followed by communion services. In the evening a service of song was held, followed by an address by Rev. R. A. Beard, of Spokane and Rev. H. V. Rominger. The meeting has been very successful and profitable in every way, there being a good attendance throughout.—Albany Herald.

INSURANCE.—The new school buildings have been insured by School Clerk Simpson for \$4500 on each building. The policies were given to four agencies, representing four solid companies, to-wit: Wm. Dumas, Wylie Moore, Geo. Watts and Fenn & Hamilton. The contractor is carrying \$1000 on each building in the state which will probably also be turned over to the school district.

GIVE US THE GO-BY.—Salem Democrats are trying to learn what train the eastern Democratic orators will go through Salem. As they are at Albany and Eugene, small towns up the valley, the Salem democracy hope at least to be allowed to set on the fence and see them go by. They could see twice as many people in Salem as they will at both above places put together.

THE COLLEGE BIDS.—Bids for the construction of the burnt parts of Willamette university building were opened. As no bids had been advertised for only two bidders appeared as follows: A. W. Snodgrass, \$9125; G. A. Stevens, \$9255. The University building committee is today considering the bids.

DEMOCRACY.—The silk-stocking delegation of down east Democrats, who are giving their party on the coast political instruction, will depart at Albany and Eugene this evening. The group is divided and it would seem as though Salem should come in for a share of the good things.

SEVERE ILLNESS.—John W. Harritt, who is building a new house on Oak street, was taken ill Monday, and was removed to the city Thursday evening, having been suddenly prostrated with a severe attack of typhoid fever.

NIGHTSCHOOL.—Evening sessions in the different department of the Capital Business College will open on Monday, Oct. 5th, provided a sufficient number of students register before the opening to warrant their continuance. Special rates for night school. Persons desiring to enter are requested to call at the college office and register from 4 to 5, or 7 to 8 o'clock P. M. 10-13t

NOTICE.—All notes and interest due on October first 1891 must be paid up to save costs. JOHN SAWAGE, 10-13t

FOR SALE.—House and lot, New Park, on car line; two lots in North Salem, on car line; also span young horses broke to work for sale or trade. J. B. Putnam, state library, 9-25-03t

Clothing, hats, shoes and gents' underwear at cost at the Capitol Adventure Company.

Meeting of Property Owners.

A meeting of property owners is to be held this evening at the council chamber to determine what style of paving shall be adopted in Salem. The meeting will be advisory and for purpose of consultation purely and it is but right that the owners of frontage property who have to pay for paving determine what it shall be. At the same time the whole public has an interest in and cannot be prevented from discussing street improvements. THE JOURNAL is firmly of the opinion that good, smooth, durable and economical streets can be built of gravel. But it is also as firmly convinced that this cannot be done by merely strewing a little more gravel on the present surface. No intelligent person can examine any works on engineering or road building and come to any other conclusion than that sub-drainage and surface drainage are the great problems here. There are two ways to build gravel streets properly. One way is to put in a foundation of broken rock and put the gravel upon that. The broken rock fills in with gravel, binds it all together and makes a hard road.

A gravel road that will become hard and smooth can be built by making a smooth well rounded sub-grade of the present material that is on the streets and then putting on courses of clean gravel and letting it pack together as best it will. This will not make as good a gravel street as one with a broken rock foundation. But it will be proven to the satisfaction of anyone that it will make a smooth, hard street—provided always tile-drainage is resorted to make the soil dry.

The meeting tonight will accomplish great good and should be attended by all interested.

MYSTERIOUSLY DISAPPEARED.—Urian Pugh, an old gentleman recently from Colorado, and who has been boarding with Mr. Havelin, on East Fourteenth street, mysteriously disappeared last evening. He left his rooms yesterday morning for the cannery for the purpose of procuring work, but did not return home in the evening as was his usual custom. Search was instituted for him today without avail. It is known he went to the cannery, and he was seen in the afternoon with three tramps near the electric light station. At the time he left Mr. Havelin's, he had eight or ten dollars on his person. He has quite a sum on deposit in one of the banks of this city. It is feared that he has been the subject of foul play.—Eugene Guard, Oct. 1.

WILL COMPLY.—The Union Pacific was charging for two and eight-tenths miles between Portland and East Portland, when it was only one mile in reality. The Oregon commission discovered this and asked the company to reduce this charge, making a difference of seven cents a mile, which reduction on all local tickets sold into or out of Portland the company now proposes to make. This will be a saving to the people of \$70 on every thousand local passengers hauled out of or into Portland. The reduction goes into effect Oct. 1st, and affects all local tickets sold in Washington as well as in Oregon.

CAR DRIVERS STRIKE.—All but two of the old drivers on the Salem Street Railway have struck and their places are filled by new men. The others will quit Saturday night. There is a dissatisfaction about their wages. The company is behind in its payroll two months with some of the men and there is liable to be a demand for a receiver to be appointed.

ARRESTED.—Two men, who are supposed to be the ones who stole a gray horse and skeleton cart from J. C. Scott, Lafayette, Or., on the night of Sept. 25, have been arrested at Ashland, and Deputy Wrightman went Thursday night to get them. The men wanted are Ed. Prissell and Green Hayes. They went south on the Roseburg local Wednesday, Sept. 30.

BOUND OVER.—A colored man, A. Carson, was arrested by the Salem police Thursday evening on suspicion of having stolen some laundry belonging to W. H. McOscar, it having been left at George Hoey's barber shop, Carson running a black-lug stand there during fair week. He had a hearing at 1 p. m. today and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

JEWISH NEW YEAR.—Tomorrow, Oct. 3d, will be New Year day 5652 with the children of Israel. This event is usually observed two days in the older countries but not so here. On the 13th, ten days later, occurs the day of atonement. There will probably be no special observance in Salem.

PROBATE.—In estate Gerrit Davis, Thos. Davis administrator, order made for sale of personal property. Inventory of estate \$7767.01.—In adoption of Henry Lansing, an orphan taken from the orphan's home at Salem, name to be changed to Walter Krieb, adopted by V. K. and Myra Krieb.

"The Best." Ladies, don't fail to see Calvert's millinery opening on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

If you want first class horse-dressing, you will find Jack Harkins at Folie's, opposite foundry.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

106 State street. d1f
 Regular session of Co. B at the armory tonight.

Attorney G. W. Wright of Albany is in the city.

Onions find ready sale at \$1.00 to \$1.50 a bushel.

City Treasurer Swafford is in Portland.

Charles Thompson, of Niagara, charged with illicit sales of liquor is out on \$300 bail.

Book wheat flour and maple syrup fine and pure at H. M. Branson's. Fresh butter in abundance.

The baseball game on the Salem diamond this afternoon is for the benefit of Salem's pitcher, Joe Leveille.

Tuesday, Oct. 13, the State Horticultural society meets at Dallas. All fruit growers in the state who can do so should make it a point to attend.

Patients in the Oregon state insane asylum have reached the round number of 700. Mrs. Julia Henderson of Portland, age 35, is the latest addition.

John Doe, in his usual felicitous and liberal manner, paid Recorder Goodell a fine for failure to keep sober. The drunk business is falling off of late.

Uncle Jimmy Batchelor is not dealing out much justice nowadays but lots of good square meals.

The population of Salem should double the next two years. That would more than double the value of all its real estate.

J. M. Rogers, of the "Electric," goes to Portland in the morning for more goods.

Sheriff Smith of Clatsop brought up one Lewis Wilson this morning, who is to be heard with Supt. Downing for a year.

The Williams & England banking rooms are being treated to a fine fresco finish which will make that one of the neatest suite of office rooms in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. McF. Patton are at Portland since Wednesday attending the wedding of a friend. They are expected home this evening.

A marriage license has been issued to A. J. Patton, age 29, and Mabel M. Taylor, age 18.

A town plot of annex No. 1 to Geo. Hollister's addition to Stayton containing 72 lots, has been filed for record.

About \$500 was cleared by the Presbyterian ladies at their state fair dining rooms, which we understand will in all probability be applied toward building a parsonage.

Night Operator Fitz has relieved Mr. Eller at the Western Union office. The latter left for Portland this morning.

The booming city of the great Willamette valley and the second city of the state should let the world know more of her advantages. That will bring capital and population here.

Moore & Co. composed of R. E. Moore, Jas. Godfrey and Wm. Clark, is the name of a new job printing firm that will succeed R. E. Moore in the old Stinson job office in the Turner block.

Mathias Swegle, who died Sept. 23, near Steptoe, Wn., of congestion of the stomach, was a brother of the late Charles Swegle. He came to Oregon in the '40's and moved to Whitman county about twelve years ago.

A good many young men are going to take in the night school of the Capital Business College. No better investment can be made by any young man who wants to improve himself. Principal Stanley is a superior teacher and will help any young man or boy make good use of his time.

Large Eastern oysters, chinook and silver salmon, cat fish, sea bass, sole, flounders, smelt, crabs and other varieties of fresh and salt fish. Dressed poultry in abundance. Free delivery. Davison & White, Court street.

The governor today issued a warrant of arrest upon a requisition of the governor of Utah, to Hugh L. Glenn, deputy city marshal of Salt Lake City, for the person of G. C. Clemente, charged with embezzlement in Utah, and held in Portland for this crime.

Among the numerous Salem passengers for Portland today were the following: I. Vanduyne, Geo. Wait, J. G. Burgraff, Geo. Aiken, Albert Jessup, Mrs. Holverson and daughter, Mrs. McKay, Miss Minnie Cunningham, Miss Louise Huelat, Miss M. J. McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. G. Stoltz and Mrs. Wm. Westcott.

Just arrived, a carload of picture frames to go with the coupon pictures at Catterlin's.

It Was Not Araid.

SALEM SMALL BOY: "You are a son-of-a-gun."

LARGER BOY: "What did you call me?"

S.B.B: "You are a son-of-a-gun and a good deal more."

LARGER BOY: "Wait till I catch you at school tomorrow! You'll get thrashed."

Resolutions of Thanks.

WHEREAS, We, the members of the First Baptist church, of Salem, Or., have been materially assisted in our care of Mrs. Lowery outside of our membership, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That our thanks are due and are hereby extended Drs. Rowland and Young for their kind interest and gratuitous endeavors in behalf of the afflicted woman.

RESOLVED, That our especial thanks be extended Drs. Byrd and Smith for their valuable services as physicians and surgeons, rendered with laborious fidelity and without hope of pecuniary reward.

RESOLVED, That we appreciate the interest and assistance of all others who participated in this good work.

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes and published in the city papers.

By order of the church.
 M. BEAMER,
 MRS. JENNIE FERGUSON,
 ROBT. WHITAKER,
 W. W. BROOKS, Com.

Salem, Oct. 1, 1891.

CITY SEED.—John Savage, Jr., has begun suit against the city for \$500 damage for tearing down his water tanks for street sprinkling on Court and State streets. The case will be on for trial at the October term of circuit court.

AT CHAMBERS.—The question of removing the suits between the Oregon railroad commission and the Union Pacific railroad company to the federal courts will be argued at chambers before Judge Boise Monday, Oct. 5th.

The live grocery firm of Clark & Eppley, at 100 Court street, have decided to give away Arbuckle's coffee with Golden Rule baking powder. Try it.

HEY!—If you want some of the best chest or Timothy hay, bran or feed of any kind call at Brewster & White's, 91 Court street. Good stock and free delivery.

The World Enriched.
 The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will add to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited, and when Syrup of Figs was first introduced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effective to cleanse the system gently in the Springtime, in fact, at any time, and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

GILT EDGE.—When you are looking for gilt edge butter or anything in the provision line, call on Clark & Eppley, 100 Court street. Quick free delivery.

The best place in town for a 25 cent meal is Hollenbrand's.

NEW FEATHERS.—Most beautiful novelties in feathered toques just received from New York, at Mrs. Piester's Court street millinery store.

CAR LOADS.—Parfar & Co. are handling car loads of fruits of all kinds if you want the best call on them.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

"WILLAMETTE"
 Geo. H. Thornton, J. G. Capron, I. Bunn, F. B. Staples, A. V. Snodgrass, J. H. Hubbard, J. L. Fuller, R. A. Ellwood, Portland.

Geo. W. Wright G. Gradwohl, Albany.

Geo. D. Graham, San Francisco.

D. Patterson and family, Ben Patterson, Los Angeles.

Chas. Thompson, Niagara.

E. Shillinger, E. Ellis Port Townsend.

"COOK."
 Mrs. J. B. Bumgard, Alba.

J. M. Grove, J. H. Hubbard, M. A. Barber, Portland.

Geo. Lawson, Dr. Jessup, C. Hingham, Salem.

Wm. Misner, S. G. Juller and wife, Muskegon.

R. Devine, J. McFarland, H. Adams, Portland.

C. Schivell and wife, Mrs. Baldwin, St. Louis.

Frank Doran, Jefferson.

Wm. Scott, W. Kester J. E. Baker, St. Louis.

"The Best."
 Molasses peppermint drops at Jones & Bernard's.

Best equipped dressmaking establishment in the city just opened in Cattle block. First-class cutter and fitter. R. H. Matthews. d3t

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SMOKE BY DAY AND FLAME BY NIGHT.

The Mystery of a Florida Swamp That Many Have Tried in Vain to Solve. Messrs. Castleman and Barbour, who, with Mr. Stavley as guide, went down into the Pinebrook swamp to ferret out Florida's mysterious volcano, have returned, like thousands of others, without the volcano. They took observations from the east bank of the Wauvessa river, near the gulf, and saw the vast column of smoke ascending skyward. Having no boats to cross the stream, they could not make a direct shot for the location of the smoke, but had to move further up to start into the swamp.

They were supplied with a good compass and an experienced engineer, but the swamp was such a dense jungle of canes, vines, briars and undergrowth generally that they had to literally hew out a passage. After much hard work they found that they were progressing only one and a half miles per day. Castleman and Barbour have not entirely given up the exploration, but will equip themselves better for the work and try it again at a later day.

For more than half a century this mysterious column of smoke by day and flame by night, rising in the midst of an impenetrable swamp on the gulf coast, has not only puzzled the rustic fishermen and hunters who watch it from the outer edges of the swamp, but scientists and thousands of others who have viewed it from elevated points about Tallahassee, thirty miles away.

By day it presents the appearance of a vast volume of jet black smoke rising up as though issuing from a huge smoke-stack, ascending high above the tree-tops and floating off on the breezes. At night it presents a bright light as though a large house was burning and the flames were not quite visible. It appears and disappears at irregular intervals, but always in the same place. From Tallahassee it is south southeast, and when burning can be plainly seen from any elevated position. For more than twelve months, a few years ago, it was continuously visible.

Numerous expeditions have started out with sanguine expectations, but came back worn out and disgusted. They can get all around the mystery, and see it from any elevated standpoint, but when they start into the swamp, which is from fifteen to thirty miles across in any direction, they are met by insurmountable barriers, besides snakes, alligators, mosquitoes and an endless host of Floridaian.

The Banana as Historical Proof.

The banana goes back to the earliest days. Alexander's soldiers, as Pliny says, joined the sages of India seated in its shades and partaking of the delicious fruits. Hence the name "sapientium" given the plant, which likewise bears the name of Jupiter's fair daughter, Minerva. Now it has been shown that the banana is of Malayan origin. How did it get to India and to South America and Mexico? The feet of birds have borne some a full 10,000 miles, while the coconut floated well nigh the world around in the great ocean eddies.

But the banana has no seeds nor has it a casing like the globular coconut to float it around over the waters. It is significant that the Aztecs had traditions of visits by people from over the seas, while there was to confirm it an admixture of the religion of the Brahmins in their own theology. Would you think that the despised banana would actually step forward to prove that before Columbus was or Lief Ericson even had an existence, some swarthy denizens of the Old World had migrated across the waters—Gold-thwaite's Geographical Magazine.

Wealthy Men and Scientific Research.
 How is it with the men into whose hands the practical applications of science bring measureless wealth? Do they, as a general thing, show any recognition of its importance to the world? Are they interested in aiding research? Do they determine that no one who has an impulse toward scientific discovery shall, if they can help it, lack the means of laboring in so noble a direction? Alas, no!

The favorite direction for the rich man's wealth is toward the theological colleges. From the number and magnitude of the donations and bequests to theological colleges, in this country particularly, one would suppose that the age was starving for theological knowledge, or perchance that the theology had produced the wealth that was the source of these benefactions.—Popular Science Monthly.

Equipages of New York's Wealthy Families.
 Of all the wealthy New York women whose equipages are noteworthy for elegance, those of Mrs. Whitney are regarded as being the finest in appointment of any in town. It is said of the vehicles in which she rides that none better are to be seen on either side of the ocean. Her coachman and groom are tastefully liveried, and her whole turnout betokens refinement of taste and elegance without display. Mrs. William Astor's carriages are also elegantly plain and perfectly appointed. The same absence of elaborate furnishings characterizes the equipages of the women of the Havemeyer and Rockefeller families.—New York Sun.

A Pleasant Dilemma.
 "So I hear that you have become engaged to one of the twin daughters of Alderman X. How ever do you manage to distinguish one from the other?"
 "I never try."—Abendpost.

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