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THE SEVENTH.—This was the last and best recital of the Willamette conservatory of music, Wednesday evening. There were twelve numbers and twenty performers and Prof. Parvin's graduates and juniors reached high-water mark in both vocal and instrumental work. Mr. Kruse rendered a sonatina of his own composition. Miss Sargent rendered the jewel song of Schubert, the most noted of Clara Louise Kellogg's solos. The work of the year is nearly completed, though Prof. Parvin's classes have much to do with the commencement programs.

ASSAULT.—One Frank Woods, of Dallas, assaulted A. K. Percival, general agent for the Singer Sewing Machine company at Salem. Woods is agent at Dallas and got on a spree Memorial day. He had a team at the livery stable belonging to the company. Percival forbid him to take the team out, when he drew off and hit Percival, who turned him over to an officer. He was tried in the recorder's court and fined \$10.00 and costs.

THE GRANDMOTHERS.—An Albany paper says: Bless the good old grandmothers. What big hearts they have, and how they love their grandchildren, and it is no wonder they are loved in return, for they are always doing something to make them happy. One grandmother has six grandchildren. In order to make her life run along more smoothly with them, she has just bought each of them a high grade pneumatic tired bicycle, the best to be obtained in the market. Two of the grandchildren reside in Albany.

APPRECIATED.—The Grand Army people are flooding this office with communications endorsing its course in treating the Kellerman Memorial day performance as it deserves. We cannot print all of them. Subscribers are also coming in and showing their appreciation of our course. A beautiful poem by Mrs. Folger appears in this issue.

SALEM YOUNG PEOPLE.—Frank C. Matthews, Miss Jessie Stump, Fred Williams, Allen H. Cooke and Bert Hoover have returned from Leland Stanford Jr., university at Palo Alto, California.

GENUINE BANK.—The sale of real estate of United States Banking Co. of Gervais under attachment was made today at the court house for \$2300 to Wm. Hager of Fairfield. He is a wealthy man.

NOT A PROHL.—Theodore Schults of Jacksonville is committed to the asylum. He is easily provoked and dangerous when mad. About ten years ago he fell thirty feet and was injured on his head. He drinks beer when he can get it.

RELIABLE BOYS.—Perfectly reliable young men are somewhat rare, but the Lockwood messengers can always be depended upon for trustworthy work.

Crushed strawberry ice cream, pure and rich, at The Spa.

A home tied to feed near the freight depot broke loose and took a lively spin on the streets.

There will be preaching in the Evangelical tabernacle tomorrow morning and evening. Sunday school at 2 p. m.

Services in the German Evangelical church tomorrow morning and evening. The new pastor Rev. A. A. Engelhart has arrived and will fill the pulpit.

OREGON STRAWBERRIES.—You want to keep your eye on Clark & Eppley's grocery for the first Oregon strawberries next week. They are always in it for the early finest fruit.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Let us celebrate in good old-fashioned style.

Hon. Jenk Harding was a Salem visitor today.

Rev. E. S. Bollinger is at Eugene today.

Judge R. S. Bean went to Eugene on the morning train.

D. H. Looney, of Jefferson, was in the city today.

Stenographer Hogue is in Albany on a professional visit.

Mrs. J. F. Stelwer, who has been visiting the Stelwers in this city for a few days, returned to her home at Jefferson today.

Fred Lawton has taken a position as salesman at the Woolen Mill store.

Children's day at the First Congregational church tomorrow. Short sermon and other exercises for young and old.

Leghorn hens—Davison's Market. Misses May Dorris and Carrie Friend, of Eugene, are guests at the home of Senator Hirsch.

Composition writing and oratory are homes of a different color. It was the former that won at the state contest.

Natural Wilhoit mineral water, pure as mountain dew, at the Spa.

J. H. Brooks of the new drug firm of Lunn & Brooks, is at Portland in the interests of the firm's business here, which will be opened in the near future.

Hon. E. F. Parkhurst returned this morning from an extended trip in Southern Oregon.

All varieties of fresh fish Davison's Market, 94 Court street.

If the award of that state medal for oratory had been left to the audience the result would have been different. That is who it has to be left to after all.

Strawberries and cherries plenty at the BLUE FRONT.

Salem produces one article that takes the lead in all countries, and that is "Pride of Oregon" flour made by the Salem flouring mills. Every sack guaranteed.

Having \$40,000 on hand the Oregon world's fair commission hardly know what to do with the money. Something of an exhibit at Chicago would be one thing that they could have done.

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J. A. Van Eaton is improving rapidly after being confined to the house for a week.

Being at outs with the Presbyterians Briggs should not try to hold his church positions, teachings and professions. He should quit preaching. There is nothing manly in holding on where one is not wanted.

Pure fruit juices used in the ice cream soda, at the Spa.

A marriage license has been issued to Marion Ehrle and Joseph Stadler; also to Katie Thurmon and John H. Porter.

The Schrum estate, of 320 acres on the Macleay road was sold to Leo Wilhoit at guardian's sale, for \$10,000.

Brothers and friers—Davison's market.

A number of members of Salem Masonic fraternities go to Turner this evening to participate in degree work.

Governor Penney has many invitations to deliver Fourth of July orations but has declined all so far.

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Prof. Carson, of the State university, who was the guest of Mrs. R. S. Bean during the oratorical contest, went on to her home at Portland today.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wallace and daughter, Mrs. McCreary, went to Portland this afternoon.

Hon. A. Bush and daughter Sallie started today for a visit to Washington, New York and other Eastern points. They were accompanied to Portland by A. N. Bush.

New York ice cream at Strong's.

INTER COLLEGIATE CONTEST

Among the Colleges of This State For Prize in Oratorship.

The first state college oratorical prize was contested for Friday evening at this city. THE JOURNAL sent a reporter who has heard most of the great orators for the last score of years and who had himself made a life study of the art of expression, with instructions to form an independent judgment and award the prize to the most deserving speaker regardless of the decision of the committee, unless that honor should fall to the Salem representative. Then he was to coincide with the committee. But it was not expected that he would be placed in this charming dilemma, as it was well known that Miss Marsh of Willamette university had been suffering from a cold for a week.

THE FIVE POINTS laid down for the speakers to be judged upon were gracefulness of delivery, dramatic manner of presentation, entertaining quality of the orator, repose and language. They were scored from one to ten on each and the total scores were to be compared for the result.

A round of applause went up as the silken banner "University of Oregon" was carried to the front. President Whitaker of Willamette welcomed the contestants and the immense audience. He showed that college bred men had occupied public stations from 150 to 350 times as often as the other 95 per cent of population. L. R. Alderman of McMinnville college won a good round of applause on the Immigration question. Ignorance, Intemperance and Catholicism were attributed to the foreigners. He told more or less plain facts in a forcible manner and is possessed with a great deal of fire which under proper direction will make him a speaker in time.

The imagination was Miss Mav Cundiff's theme. She dressed in chaste folds of snowy muslin and handled the difficult subject with great poetic beauty and boldness and intellectual skill. The applause was deafening.

U. E. Henderson of the University of Oregon discussed the causes which led to disunion. It was full of solid, clear, logical thought, delivered in a most fluent manner, without ranting or raving up and down the stage. It was not devoid of phases of originality and not too long. The applause was great.

Miss Marsh discoursed on the Golden Age. She had a fine production, involving scholarly, careful preparation. Miss Marsh was very warmly applauded.

The pioneers were the topic of C. J. McIntosh of Monmouth Normal school. He gave a glorious epitome of the life of Daniel Boone which was loudly applauded. He showed great finish and very careful training, devoid of the ordinary fads of elocution.

A. C. Stanbrough of Newberg College presented the most learned and literary address of the evening, on the grandeur and conquests of peace. He was deservedly applauded.

D. H. Thomas of Pacific university considered the services of Alexander Hamilton, the master of history and politics. It was a thoughtful and serious oration, well suited to the subject and rendered in a suitable, impressive manner, rather too deliberate.

THE JOURNAL awards the championship of the state contest as here represented to the representative of Monmouth Normal school, with University of Oregon a close second, by the following score:

Points.	McIntosh.	Henderson.
Repose,	10	9
Gracefulness,	7	8
Language,	9	9
Dramatic,	9	7
Entertaining,	7	8
	42	41

THE COMMITTEE AWARDS were next on the program, and the audience clamored for the result. A song was given to fill in the interval. The championship was awarded by the committee composed of Judge R. S. Bean, and Revs. Knight and Kellerman, to Miss Cundiff on delivery and Mr. Stanbrough on composition, Mr. Henderson, second.

NOTES. Miss Ayres of Monmouth carried away the hearts of the audience with her lovely voice.

The church was beautifully decorated with the flag of our country.

Eleven of the faculty and about a hundred of the students of Monmouth college were present, coming by boat and carriage.

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From Dallas—L. C. Parker, A. W. Teats, A. V. R. Snyder, I. N. Woods, Frank Stiles, F. H. Morrison, M. D. Ellis, H. B. Stevens, H. Morrison, R. R. Turner, H. C. Farley, F. J. Coad, F. Chapman, B. F. Mulkey, G. N. Townsend.

From Woodburn—H. D. Brown, Joe Goodman, E. H. Wright, A. J. Cooley, O. A. Neudell, Amos Beach, Dr. L. W. Guise, L. V. McFarren, J. H. Bradley, F. A. Ford, F. McIntee, J. A. Anderson, Robert Whitney.

From Silverton—T. W. Riches, T. R. Hibbard, M. Shaffe, J. B. Hurst, J. C. Wolf, J. G. Guise, M. Fitzgerald, C. E. Ramsby, W. S. Kline, E. L. Smith.

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INDIAN WAR VETERANS.—An adjourned session of the annual meeting of the Indian war veterans was held this morning at the city council chamber, when the following officers were elected: T. B. Wait, captain; E. H. Piper first lieutenant; John Savage, sr., second lieutenant; J. G. Wright, order sergeant; T. C. Shaw, commissary sergeant; Chas. Calvert, color bearer; A. L. Swartz, musician; E. J. Chambers, captain of the guard. T. B. Wait and E. H. Piper were elected delegates to the grand encampment, which meets in Salem, June 16. A. Waddle and John F. Miller were elected members of the camp. T. B. Wait, E. H. Piper and J. G. Wright were appointed a committee to secure a hall for the encampment.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—The regular morning service will give place to a "Children's Day" exercise, to begin at 10:30 a. m. tomorrow. It will be a "Columbian Jubilee" exercise for the children and youth, but every one is invited. There will be music, exercises, and a short address by the minister. Evening service at the usual hour, conducted by P. S. Knight.

STAYED OVER.—The University of Oregon delegation stayed over until this evening's overland. Of course they are not satisfied with the award of the state medal in the oratorical contest, but they are very gentlemanly about it. They say they will give the Oregon colleges a warm reception at their city next year.

EVANGELICAL SERVICES.—Rev. J. Bowersox and members will tomorrow hold their services two doors east of the opera house on Court street in rooms occupied by the W. C. T. U. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Come and welcome every Sunday.

(Note to THE JOURNAL.) "If you see fit, you might say that our change of place of worship is necessitated by the unwillingness of our opponents to occupy the Evangelical church, and a given temporary restraining order. It is reported however that the court knew not then that the Portland case had been appealed. J. Bowersox.

UNITY CHURCH.—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m., Rev. W. E. Copeland, pastor. The morning will be devoted to the children, a special service having been prepared. Mrs. England will read an original allegory and there will be other interesting exercises. Subject of the Sunday evening lecture "Jesus and other Christs."

ST. PAUL'S A. M. E.—Services at St. Paul's African M. E. church, North Salem, at 11 o'clock a. m. Text, Exodus, 33, 1-20. Sunday school at 1 p. m. All are welcome. G. W. White, pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.—Rev. A. L. Hutchison, pastor. Preaching morning and evening at the usual hours. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m. Morning subject, "Spiritual lessons from the book of Nature." Evening subject, "The Sabbath Question."

"The Muscular Young Man" will be the subject at the gospel service of the Y. M. C. A. 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. All men are interested and all welcome.

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