

STEAMERS
Altona and Ramona
DAILY, 6:45 a. m.
SUNDAY, 9:30 a. m.
Salem, 7:45 a. m.
Independence, 6:30 a. m.
10:15 a. m.
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PERSONAL
B. F. Giltner is in Portland.
Don Smith, of Gates, is in the city.
N. H. Burley went to Turner today.
Col. J. B. Eddy is up from Portland.
Lydell Baker came up from Portland today.
Geo. D. Goodhue went to Turner today.
Henry Jacobs went to Corvallis this morning.
W. H. Savage went to Turner this morning.
Mrs. Alice Alken returned to Portland today.
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SOCIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.
Miss Emily Stalger returned to the reform school this morning.
Miss Mollie Giddin, of Albany, who has been the guest of Miss Winnie Fennel, of this city, returned home today.
Miss Nettie Pogue returned to her home in Eugene today after a short visit in this city with her brother, M. E. Pogue.

E. R. Piper, city editor of the Oregonian, came up Saturday to join Mrs. Piper, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Willis.
L. S. Mayer, of Seattle, arrived in Salem yesterday morning to join Mrs. Mayer, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Levy. Mr. and Mrs. Mayer returned home this morning.

CITY LECTURE.
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TO CREATE A NEW WARD.
And Provide for Electing Two New Aldermen.
A bill for an ordinance to amend section 1, of title 1, of chapter 1, of ordinance 199, relative to dividing the city into wards has been prepared and will probably be considered at the meeting of the council next Tuesday night. Besides the amendment it provides for the election by the council of two Aldermen to represent the new ward until the city election in December next. This bill is drafted in the following terms:
"A bill for an ordinance to amend section 1, of title 1, of chapter 1, of ordinance 199, entitled 'An Ordinance Bill to Amend Chapters 1 and 2 of the City Laws,' passed by the common council October 27, 1890, and approved by the mayor on the 4th day of November, 1890, and to provide for the election of two aldermen to represent the fifth ward, by this ordinance created, until the next city election."
"Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Salem:
"Section 1. That section 1, of title 1, of chapter 1, of ordinance No. 199, entitled 'An Ordinance Bill to Amend Chapters 1 and 2 of the City Laws,' passed by the common council October 27, 1890, and approved by the mayor November 4, 1890, be amended so as to read as follows:
"Section 1. The city of Salem shall be divided into wards as follows: All that portion of the city north of Marion shall constitute the first ward; all between Marion and Court streets shall constitute the second ward; all between Court and Ferry streets shall constitute the third ward; all between Ferry and Oak streets shall constitute the fourth ward; all south of Oak street shall constitute the fifth ward."
"Section 2. That at the first regular meeting of the city council after the passage of this ordinance and its approval by the mayor, the common council shall proceed to elect two aldermen from the fifth ward to represent said fifth ward in the common council until the next city election and the persons so elected must qualify in the same manner as aldermen are now required to qualify when elected at a regular city election."
The present dividing lines of the city into wards, as established over a score of years ago, are as follows:
First ward—All that portion of the city north of Marion street.
Second ward—All between Marion and Court street.
Third ward—All between Court and Ferry streets.
Fourth ward—All south of Ferry street.
The incorporated limits of Salem are established by an act of the legislature of 1893.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.
PROBATE COURT.
A petition will be presented to the probate court this week for the appointment of a guardian for the person and estate of J. S. Hawkins, jr., now an inmate of the state insane asylum and who is possessed of property of the probate value of \$1,000 or \$1,200, situated on 14th street, near Marion.
The appraisers appointed to make the inventories in the estate of Evan Rees and Laid Lung, insane persons, filed their reports with the county clerk Saturday. The property of the first named consists of a certificate of deposit of \$135 on the First National bank of Portland, and that of Laid Lung is in the form of a draft on the Hong Kong and Shanghai banking corporation. Hong Kong, for \$400 and appraised at \$200. E. P. McCornack is the guardian in each instance.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Miss Grace Cleaver is employed as a deputy in the county clerk's office while the two regular deputies are copying and extending the tax rolls.
ASSESSMENT AND CENSUS.
The figures in the county clerk's office show the assessment of Marion county for 1895 cost \$6,465. The census of 1895 cost \$2279. The total expenses of the assessment has been stated falsely as being \$10,000.

THE DARST CASE.
P. H. D'Arcy, Richardson and Tilton Ford have filed an answer to the petition of Ellen O'Connor Pembroke, Anna O'Connor McDonald, Mary Ann O'Connor Hurley, and Eliza O'Connor to set aside the last will and testament of Catherine E. O'Connor Darst, who died at Independence, Polk county, Oregon, June 24, 1895. They allege that the estate amounts to \$25,000, that decedent was married at the time of her death, left no children or lineal descendants whatever. She left five sisters, the four above named and Joanna O'Connor O'Brien, of Independence. Rev. J. S. White and A. N. Bush were appointed executors in the will. The answer denies that during her last sickness decedent was delirious or infirm of mind, or that Joanna O'Brien who attended her in her last illness exercised improper influence to have her make the will other than she would have made it voluntarily. Sherman, Condit and Park are attorneys for the contestants. The suit will be heard before Judge Hubbard.

BORN.
LEGG.—Monday morning, December 8, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Legg, at 179 High street, a daughter. The young alderman from the fourth ward is truly being showered with honors and blessings. An aldermanship and a big girl baby within a month is a pretty good record of prosperity.

MAPLETHORPE.—In this city, Saturday, January 4, 1896, to Mr. and Mrs. James Maplethorpe, of Waterloo, Or., a daughter.
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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
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Powerhouse and carhouse.
The company's franchises.
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