

# Greater Salem's Big Carnival

Opened Today at 2 o'clock  
With a Grand Parade

QUEEN WILL BE CROWNED  
AND BEGIN HER REIGN

Everything Ready and When the Lights are Turned on it  
Will be a Scene From Fairyland

With auspicious weather and crowds from the country pouring into town early, the streets fluttering with gaudy-colored decorations, banners flying from public buildings, and all the city wearing a gala-day appearance, the Greater Mid-Summer Carnival opens with all indications for a grand success.

General Manager Judah and his faithful co-workers on the executive committee have worked day and night the past forty-eight hours to bring order out of multi-colored chaos, and have made a reasonable success. Never was a carnival opened under more favorable conditions, and the Capital City will be doing business in the Salem way for the next week.

#### Decorate Everything.

Every business house and residence should be decorated regardless of expense for the coming week. Every flag should be flying, and every man and woman should wear their prettiest colors. Let there be such a time in the old town as the oldest inhabitant never saw, and that the youngest will never forget. This is the time to show the world that Salem is not dead, but is the liveliest city in Oregon, and that we can give the rest of the country the liveliest and jolliest time afloat.

Following is the official program for Monday, June 29th:

#### Official Program.

Grand parade from Carthage grounds throughout city, 2 p. m.

Grand opening of Greater Salem Mid-Summer Carnival, 7 p. m.

Reception of Carnival Queen at main pavilion, 8:30 p. m.

Address to Queen by Mayor C. P. Bishop, of Salem, 8:35 p. m.

Inaugural address by Governor Chamberlain, of Oregon, 8:45 p. m.

Queen Song, "May Morning," by Mrs. Hallie Parrish Hingee, 8:55 p. m.

Throne speech, by Queen Agnes I. of Greater Salem, 9:05 p. m.

Let every man, woman and child in Marion county be present in the great tent at 8 p. m. sharp.

The Carnival grounds presented a very busy appearance yesterday when the Arnold shows arrived, and the work of putting up the tents began. A large crowd gathered to watch the work. Over 100 men were at work driving the stakes and unrolling canvas. Everything seemed noise and confusion, but at last things began to take shape, and by 6 o'clock all the tents were up.

It will be necessary to extend the fence some 60 feet up State street, as there is not room in the enclosure for the many attractions.

The Ferris wheel is ready for business, and one can get a good view of the city by taking a turn in it.

Nature was certainly in a satirical mood when she modeled the camel. She might be able to construct an uglier animal, but, fortunately, she never did. A little 3-year-old, tan-colored child of Araby the blest, led one around the tent last night, causing timid people much uneasiness, as the ungainly brute walked all over and around it; but, though the youngster fell down repeatedly, it proudly refrained from placing its big bifurcated feet on the infant. The animal mentioned is certainly a magnificent specimen of ultra-ugliness. It has a head like a baboon, a neck like a broken-backed stove pipe, a body like a cup-defender turned upside down, and a

glimpse aff discloses the same lines of beauty shown by an end view of a carpenter's saw-horse. Add to this a dozen or two big callous spots, some ragged bunches of dun-colored hair daubed on at random, and breath like the renaissance of a long-defunct cheese factory, and you have a pretty good idea of the sarcomatous brute.

## NO MORE WHISKEY FOR HIM

Salem Man Who Has Lived  
Here 25 Years Talks to  
a Reporter

"No more whiskey for me," said Frank Burget this morning, while standing on Commercial street. "I have taken my last drink."

A reporter overheard the remark, and, knowing the speaker was an old-timer in this county, and, believing there was some news in sight, questioned him as to why he made such a remark. He was told a marvelous story. Burget was born in Ohio and came West when a youth. He grew up a plainman and typical westerner. He took to hard drink and in 30 years drank an ocean of whiskey. Ten or a dozen drinks were a common thing before breakfast when in Salem, and a quart bottle would be emptied in a few hours. He was a regular and always a hard drinker. His appetite for whiskey owned him body and soul. He was a first-class worker, earning \$7 and \$8 per day as a hop drying expert during the season, and good wages at other times, and all his money went for whiskey. For over 20 years he has been a regular patron of two or three saloons in Salem and every drinking man and saloon keeper in Marion county knows him.

Three weeks ago he had a pocketful of money and commenced a spree. Three days ago he stood broke on Commercial street, with a terrible longing for more whiskey, although already on the verge of the jim jams, when he overheard some talk about the "Magic Liquor Cure." He went up to room 34 in the Salem lodging house and inquired regarding the treatment from the gentleman in charge. He took a two day's treatment. At the end of the first half day he had lost his whiskey craving. He had no longer any desire for it. This morning, 48 hours after he commenced the treatment, whiskey is repulsive to him; he eats heartily, sleeps like a log, walks in and out the saloons and would no more touch whiskey than he would any other poison. His whiskey appetite has gone for all time and it will never return.

The Magic Liquor Cure is the most wonderful cure on earth," he said. "It is entirely different and a thousand times superior to the Keeley cure and I wouldn't take the best farm in Marion county for what it has done for me in two days."

See the ball game Wednesday, between the Salem Leaguers and the Schillers, of Portland.

Wanted.—Twenty-five girls, at the Salem cannery at once. G. W. Holcombe, manager. 6-24-12

## SCHOOL SUPT. TRAVER

Will Remain in Salem  
for Another Year  
at Least

Was Offered a Fine Position  
at Portland but Likes  
the Work at  
Salem

City Supt. L. R. Traver, of the Salem schools, who was recently elected to a principalship in the Peninsular school, of Portland, returned yesterday from Portland, where he spent the week attending institute, in charge of the fourth grade section. Prof. Traver stated very emphatically that he proposed to remain in Salem, and that he would not accept the position voluntarily offered him by the Portland school board. He said further: "While the position in Portland is rather tempting, from the standpoint of excellent opportunities for advancement in the Portland schools, the Salem work has been so pleasant that I have decided to remain and enjoy more of it. Our people want good public schools, and are willing to pay for them. Personally, success in Salem will mean more for me in the future than the Portland opportunity. Conditions were never better in Salem than at the present time. Our school board are in favor of anything that will increase the efficiency of the schools; our people are taking a keen interest in the plan and aims of the schools. I believe that within a period of three years our schools will rank among the best in the state."

### Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected.

The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

Dyspepsia is such a miserable disease that the tendency to it should be given early attention. This is completely overcome by

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**

which cures other than the whole of the system.



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The Only Store For Miles Around With  
Its Own Tailor Shop  
Hence One that Can Guarantee a Fit

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| Coat and Pants    | Cool and Dressy | For long or big Men | Sizes up to 52 | Seen the queer hats? | For youngsters | Men's and Boys |
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## SPEER BROS. PAY

20c dozen for eggs

10c per lb for hens

15c " " " young chickens

17 1-2c per lb for butter

In trade, less 10 per cent in cash