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Corner State and Liberty Streets, Salem.



Local Events in the Social Realm

Some Coming Events.

- Ninth annual regatta, Astoria, August 19-21.
- State fair, Salem, September 14-19.
- Second Southern Oregon District Fair, Eugene, September 29 October 3.
- Summer association of the Northwest Indian agencies, Newport, August 17-27.
- Klamath county fair, Klamath Falls, October 6-9.
- Good roads convention, Jacksonville, August 15.
- Fruit growers' convention, Jacksonville, August 15.
- Knights of Pythias convention, Astoria, August 20-21.
- Teachers' institute, La Grande, August 17-21.

PERSONALS.

Governor Chamberlain went to his home in Portland this morning.

Prof. J. H. Ackerman returned this morning from a brief visit in Portland.

Guy Osborn went to Astoria this morning for a visit, and to take in the regatta.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gabrielson and children returned last evening from a short visit to Newport.

Mrs. W. H. Byrd went to Portland this morning for a short visit to her mother, Mrs. I. A. Macrum.

He had been complaining slightly since his arrival, but was thought as well as usual last night when he retired.

Jos. Fisher, for some time past a motorman in the employ of the local street car system, left last evening for Portland.

He was alive at 3 o'clock this morning, but when next seen, at 6 o'clock, was dead. Heart disease is thought to be the trouble.

He was a veteran of the Civil War, being a member of Company G, Fifth Illinois Infantry, serving all through the war—Eugene Guard.

W. J. Williams left this morning for Oregon City and Astoria for a stay of several weeks. He will take in the regatta before returning to Salem.

The Misses Alice and Adelaide Sutmeier left this morning for their home in Pittsburg, Pa., after an extended stay in this city and at Newport.

County Judge Scott went to Mt. Angel this morning to inspect the work of improving the Simmons hill road. He expects to go to Willhoit Springs for a few days before his return home.

Orin S. Munger, a resident of near Passai, Eastern Oregon, who arrived here to visit relatives, died suddenly some time this morning at the residence of L. Simmons, 350 High street.

Thomas Trullinger, of Astoria, was in Salem yesterday, returning home last evening, after a brief visit to his sister, Mrs. T. T. Geer. This is Mr. Trullinger's first visit to Salem in 20 years.

Mr. Munger was 65 years of age, and leaves a wife and five children, all sons, in Eastern Oregon, who are 70 miles from a telegraph station. Word has been forwarded them, but they cannot possibly hear of the death of their father and husband before Thursday some time.

Sheriff Linnville, of Clatsop county, was in Salem last evening on official business. He stated that the regatta at Astoria promised to be the best ever held there, that the citizens were straining to take care of the largest crowd ever entertained in that city, and that a glorious time was expected by all. The people are enthusiastic, and the exceedingly heavy run of salmon has put everyone into a good humor, as it has brought an unusual degree of prosperity, and, as a result, the citizens will celebrate as they never before.

H. Hirschberg, the Independence banker and hop grower, was a Salem visitor today.

John Steelhammer returned this morning from a few days' visit to Silverton and Woodburn.

Mrs. Ruth E. Sayre left this morning for San Francisco, for a month's visit with her daughter, Miss May E. Hen.

Mrs. John Stapleton left this morning for the Nye Creek beach to enjoy surf bathing and an outing at that summer resort.

Prof. L. A. Wiley, principal of the Jefferson public schools is in the city, assisting County Superintendent Moores with the teachers' examination.

Cashier E. W. Hazard, of Jefferson, is in the city today, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Edith Hazard, who is a teacher in the Jefferson public schools.

Charles Hellenbrand, of Spokane, a son of C. W. Hellenbrand, of this city, passed through Salem this morning, on his way to San Francisco for a short stay.

Warden C. S. Perrin, of the penitentiary at Boise, Idaho, left this forenoon for San Francisco, on his way home, after a pleasant visit with Superintendent James, of the Oregon state prison.

Mrs. S. T. Kerr, of Corvallis, who spent the past few days in this city at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. F. G. Bowersox, left this morning for her home, as the sick lady was much improved.

J. P. Jones, the Southern Pacific traveling passenger agent, was in Salem last night and this morning, completing arrangements for the harvest excursion to Newport next Sunday. He went to Eugene at noon to look after the arrangements at that end of the line.

25c Can Do

Wonders in the way of a meal, if you call on George Bros., the White House Restaurant. They can serve you the best to be had on the coast. Open day and night.

Alligator in Queer Haunt.

Columbia, Mo., Aug. 9.—A three-foot alligator found in a mud pond, near the Wabash railroad tracks, in Columbia, a few days ago is puzzling the zoological associates of Missouri university. The alligator was discovered by Fred Dawson, of Columbia, in a small pond formed by recent rains. The reptile reared its head near the bank and Dawson shot it with a revolver. He secured the specimen and gave it to the zoological laboratory of the Missouri university.

The story was not believed at first, as it was thought that an alligator could not have survived the climate of so northern a region as Missouri, but when the curiosity was exhibited at the state university all doubts were removed. It has been found that the reptile is of abnormal anatomy, it has strangely developed vertebra, entirely too large and cut of proportion with the fleshy parts of the body, and is deformed in other ways, though to all outward appearances it does not differ from other reptiles of the kind. There is no doubt as to the species, but the reptile is so peculiarly formed that the university authorities are of opinion that they have a rare curiosity of unusual scientific importance. A number of offers have been received from curiosity seekers, but the specimen will be retained as the property of the university.

Some good grocers don't sell Schilling's Best, and some poor ones do; no doubt, but the rule don't run that way.

THESE WANT TO TEACH

List of Those Applying for Teachers Certificates

Many Handsome Women who Could Easily Teach Man the Conjugation of the Verb "to Love"

At 9 o'clock this morning County Superintendent Moores began the regular examination of teachers desiring county or state certificates, and he is assisted by Prof. A. W. Mize and Prof. L. A. Wiley, of Jefferson. There are 80 applicants for teachers' certificates taking the examination in the circuit court room, at the court house, 54 desirable county certificates and 26 wanting state papers. Following is a list of those registered with the county superintendent and taking the examination:

County Papers.

Salem—May E. Cleveland, Callie Bellamy, Eugenia May Allen, M. J. Lee, Cora Massey, Maude Laughhead, Lillian Timm, Ida May Smith, Mary Robinson, Mabel Tolman, E. W. Emmett, Bertha C. Byrd, J. F. Axley, Bertha L. Lick, Mayme Shaw, Mabel A. Shaw, C. A. Ratcliff, Virginia Campbell, Laura M. Bean, Mollie Campbell, Brownsville—Catherine Standish, Roxanna C. Cox, Hazel A. Weller, Winifred V. Cutler.

Silverton—Verna M. Simeral, Amy Riches, Jennie Sanders.

Mehama—C. E. Cashatt, Jennie Timberlake.

Jefferson—Edith C. Hazard, Linnie Epley.

Aumsville—Pearl Murphy, Minnie Pound, W. H. Fuson.

Woodburn—Elva Moore, Elizabeth Hutchinson, Ella F. Miller.

Hull—Emma C. Hull, Anna M. Winter.

Shaw—Sibyl Cummings, Mary Slagel, Nellie I. Durfee.

Hubbard—Addie Brown, Gervais—Celia E. Buap.

Champoeg—Emma Hofer, Mt. Angel—Marie E. Ansen, St. Paul—Alice Geelan.

Argenti—Pearl E. Pottorff, Stayton—Zula M. Waters.

Lewisburg—Ethel Savage, Wheatland—Maud Magness, Olex—Nora Miller.

Monitor—Christine Thompson, Turner—Miriam Hiccock.

State Papers.

Salem—Eva Savage, Alta Savage, H. N. Goode, Nellie J. Clark, Greta Phillips, Sophia E. Townsend, Alma E. Pohle, Pearl Rhodes, Minnie L. Cornelius, Nellie Amelia Parsons, Lena M. Clark, Louella J. Goode, F. M. Mitchell.

Independence—Maud Cox, Kathleen Ketchem.

Ashland—Margaret Byars, Mary B. Leslie.

Woodburn—Mary B. Scollard, Estelita Parker.

Mt. Angel—Catherine Fox, Jefferson—Eva Marlett.

Silverton—Ellen E. Johnson, Willard—Beatrice Goodknecht.

Milton—Faith Kennedy, McMinnville—Annie E. Baker.

Portland—May F. Shofner.

Something new at Shields

Shields' Park is steadily growing in popularity, as the increasing attendance shows. Last night the attendance was remarkably good, and so was the show. The Thompson sisters dance was thoroughly enjoyed and the audience insisted on an encore.

"A Tip on the Races" is the catchiest bit of comedy placed before a Salem audience for a long time. It is full of situations that make you laugh every minute, and provoke several giggles between laughs.

Little Marjorie Mandeville appears each night in a new costume, and she is as pretty and sweet as she is clever, and in her act is as graceful as a kitten.

Sims, the hobo artist, is inimitable, and his work alone is well worth the price of admission.

The polycope films are new, and the best so far shown.

Friday night will be amateur night and the management has secured several "novel" attractions. This is free for all who want to try their talent, and, of course, the audience is permitted to criticize, in fact is expected to do so, in order that the merits of the different efforts may be properly

gauged. Don't miss amateur night.

Deserves Hanging.

A dispatch from Seattle says that a special to the Post-Intelligencer from Dawson says that Ed. Manthel, the man who perjured himself and sent Helen Wagner, whom he accused of robbing him, an innocent woman, to the penitentiary from Nome last summer, has been captured in Dawson. While her case was on appeal Miss Wagner died of a broken heart in a Seattle hospital. Manthel has been a fugitive from justice more than a year.

Yet Another Pioneer Gone

Mrs. Adeline F. Cox, one of the old pioneers of Salem, died at her home, No. 241 Summer street, at 10:30 last night. Deceased was born in St. Charles, Missouri, September 29, 1828. In 1848, in company with her parents, she came across the plains to Oregon, and, after untold hardships, reached Salem, then a mere missionary station, in mid-winter.

She was one of that heroic band of immigrants that, after losing teams and wagons, were compelled to wade the icy waters of Umpqua canyon to reach the Willamette valley.

July 4, 1849, she was married to Wm. Cox, who, in company with his father, opened the first general merchandise store in Salem, about where Steussloff's brick now stands.

Mrs. Cox was a woman of vigorous intellect and character, and responded nobly to the demands made by those trying times. By filling her part, she became a founder of the state, as much as if she sat in legislative councils.

Seven children were born to her, five of whom survive her. The living are J. W. Cox and Mrs. Emily M. Smith, of Salem; and Capt. O. M. Cox, Dr. N. R. Cox and Chas. M. Cox, of Portland. The two deceased were Epsie F. DeNure and Addie M. Cox.

Of the five living all were present at her bedside, but Chas. M., who is with the Joaquin Miller party at Crater Lake. Two telegrams were sent him, but it is improbable that either reached him, as he is somewhere in the mountains, far beyond any telegraph station.

Mrs. Cox had been a member of the First Christian church in this city from the date of its organization, some time in the 60s. In the church she was always an earnest worker, wherever she found work for her hands to do. She was an exemplification of all that characterizes an earnest and true Christian. During her long residence in Salem, of nearly 57 years, the detailed events of her well spent life would be, in part, the history of the city itself.

The funeral will be announced tomorrow.

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them during the illness and burial of their beloved wife and mother, who recently departed this life.

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Market Quotations Today

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Eggs—Per dozen, 15c.
Hop Market.
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New onions—2c per pound.
Watermelons—1 1/4c per pound.
Wood, Fence Posts, Etc.
Big Br.—\$4.00.
Second-growth—\$3.50.



Mrs. Tappan, a prominent lady of Richmond, Va., a great sufferer with woman's troubles, tells how she was cured.

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Green Hides, No. 2—2@5c.
Calf Skins—4 to 5c.
Sheep—75c.
Goat Skins—25c to \$1.00.
Grain and Flour.

Wheat—60c.
Oats—28@30c.
Barley—\$17 per ton.
Flour—Wholesale, \$3.65.

Live Stock Market.
Steers—3 1/2c.
Cows—3c.
Sheep—\$1.50.
Dressed Veal—6c.
Hogs—5@5 1/2c.
Mutton—2c per pound.
Veal—6@6 1/2c.

Wool and Mohair.
Wool—15@17c.
Mohair—37c.
Hay, Feed, Etc.
Baled chert—\$7@8.
Baled clover—\$8@9.
Bran—\$21.
Shorts—\$22.

Creamery and Dairy Products.
Good dairy butter—15@20c.
Creamery butter—23 1/2c.

Cream—separator skimmed, at Com. Creamery, 24c, minus freight.
Portland Market.
Wheat—Walla Walla, 75@78c.
Wheat—Valley, 78@79c.
Flour—Portland, best grade, \$3.80;
Graham, \$3.35@3.75.
Oats—Choice White, \$1.07 1/2c.
Barley—Feed, \$19 per ton; rolled, \$21@21.50.
Millstuf—Bran, \$23.
Hay—Timothy, 33c.
Onions—New, 90@91.25 per sack.
Potatoes—70@75c per sack.
Eggs—Oregon ranch, 20@21 cents per dozen.
Poultry—Chickens, mixed, 11@11 1/2c per pound; spring, 16@17 1/2c; turkeys, live, 10@12c.
Mutton—Gross, \$3.00@3.50.
Hogs—\$5.50@5.75.
Beef—Gross, \$3.75@4.25.
Veal—8c per pound.
Hops—1902 crop, 15@16c.
Wool—Valley, 17@18c; Eastern Oregon, 12@15c; Mohair, 35@37 1/2c.
Hides—dry, 18 pounds an. upwards, 15 to 16 1/4c.
Butter—Best dairv, nominal; fancy creamery, 20@22 1/2c; store, 16@17c.

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