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Dates of Events.

June 15, 16 and 17—Department of Oregon, G. A. R., in annual reunion at Hood River.
May 2—Oregon Federation of Labor, Oregon City.
May 2—Supreme court, Pendleton.
May 4—General M. E. conference, Los Angeles.
May 18-21—I. O. O. F., grand lodge, Astoria.
June 6—General election in Oregon.
June 15, 16, 17—Oregon encampment G. A. R., Hood River.
August 22-27—American Mining Congress, Portland.

THE SALEM OF THE FUTURE.

The present generation are not so much concerned about the Salem of fifty years ago as they are about the Salem of the present and the Salem of the future.

Let the census of Salem be taken and let the world know what the population of the seven wards of Greater Salem is.

Let the money that has been levied on the property of the seven wards by the county and the city be expended on permanent street improvements. Let a few substantial streets be built.

With harmonious relations between the people and the labor unions, and with no strikes, there will be five hundred new houses built inside of a year.

With Eastern immigration and better public schools the city will increase in population rapidly and will never be overtaken by any other city as the second city in Oregon.

That is the Salem of the future. Let the dead be buried in the past and let us press forward into the ever living present.

THE CORVALLIS TRAGEDY.

One man killed, another mortally wounded, and the slayer dead, is a

tragedy that ought to make people think. It happened at Corvallis.

The first outburst of indignation will lay the triple crime at the doors of the saloons of that city. The real cause lies deeper.

OUR EDUCATIONAL SYSTEMS, UNDER WHICH YOUNG MEN AND YOUNG WOMEN ARE ALLOWED TO GROW UP IGNORANT OF THEIR REAL NATURES, MUST BE CONSIDERED.

On the one hand people rail at the public schools where the bible is forbidden to be read and religious instruction is prohibited.

On the other hand the unthinking denounce the Catholic church for its position that education without religious instruction is Godless.

As the bible and religious instruction are kept out of the public schools, and as the Catholic schools do not even include all Catholic children, the defect cannot be laid at the doors of religious instruction.

State and church are not tolerated under our constitution, so that any denominational religious instruction is impractical in the public schools or colleges or universities.

But is not the teaching of metaphysical truth in the abstract possible—that man is a spiritual being and has an immortal soul and is created in the image and likeness of the Divine?

ONLY IN PROPORTION AS A HUMAN BEING GRASPS THESE FUNDAMENTAL TRUTHS, AND MAKES THEM PART OF HIS DAILY LIFE, IS HE RESCUED FROM THE GRASP OF PASSIONS AND APPETITES AND MADE A HARMONIOUS MEMBER OF SOCIETY.

How far was young Keady undeveloped in this respect? What education had he received on these lines? Was he developed beyond the animal passions and propensities and was his spiritual nature ever aroused?

These are hard questions and which the entire community owes it to itself to answer. Our public schools turn our boys and girls out at the formative and impressionable age un-equipped and undeveloped to resist evil.

If our educational systems leave unrecognized and undeveloped the real man and woman, which are undoubtedly bound up in the spiritual side of life, which is finally the whole of life, who is to blame?

The undeveloped conscience, the unawakened nature, the unaroused soul, that fails to see that all human beings are created equals in the image and likeness of the divine, is it to blame for committing crimes?

The educational problem for parents and teachers is still the greatest problem of life, of society and of the individual.

PUBLIC LAND IN TEXAS.

A subscriber asks the Journal if the United States owns any land in the state of Texas other than such locations as it purchased from the state for government purposes, stating that he has a controversy pending in which the other party maintains that the United States owns the public lands in Texas.

The subscriber is correct. When Texas was admitted as a state, upon the payment of a money consideration by the United States, it was specially stipulated that Texas should control the disposal of all of the public domain within the borders of the state.

Soon after the close of the Civil War, when immigration began pouring into the state liberal grants of

land were made to railway enterprises and the vast domain was set aside for the support of different state institutions, the bulk of it comprising a permanent school fund.

In the early 80's three million acres were traded to a syndicate of Chicago capitalists for the erection of a capitol at Austin, the land being rated at fifty cents an acre. This deal had the effect of attracting people and capital from the north and the sheep and cattle industry received a great impetus, and lands were in demand. By the time the capitol was completed in 1888, the land was selling at from \$2 to \$5 per acre.

Much of the public land of the state is leased to stock men, although it is subject to sale to actual settlers on thirty years' time. Large portions of it are valuable only for grazing as the rainfall is too scant for agricultural purposes.

EXIT PLUMBERS LAW.

The act of the legislature creating a plumber's board with power to make rules and regulations has been declared null and void.

Under its provisions all persons, whether plumbers or not plumbers were prohibited from doing any plumbing.

While that is ridiculous, there are plumbing laws in some states that are nearly as contradictory as that.

Under those laws no person but a licensed plumber is allowed to buy or have plumbing material, or buy a tap, or own a plumbing tool.

It is almost a crime in California to have a monkey-wrench around the house, if it can be shown that it was ever set to plumbing joint.

Some reasonable regulation of plumbing is probably necessary, and sanitary interests require reasonable inspection.

But it should never be made so stringent that no one can buy plumbing material unless he is a member of the plumbers union.

Such legislation should never be passed and the next legislature should scrutinize carefully all bills to create new boards of all sorts.

X-RADIUMS

Astoria school children will celebrate May Day with great festivities.

According to the papers, it seems somebody has been shooting at Corvallis.

Some people would file on a quarter section of the Mohave desert if they thought they would get some land for nothing.

There are seventeen weddings in June. Postpone that census another year.

They can't push that portage railroad a little bit too fast.

If the Republican newspapers are quiet about the coming campaign, the Democratic papers are maintaining a stillness that is deathlike.

We see by the Eastern Oregon papers that Homer Davenport is still lecturing to crowded houses. What has Homer got against the people of Oregon, anyhow?

From all indications Rev. P. S. Knight is still a neck ahead as the popular marrying-minister in this state of Oregon.

Astorian: The will of adeseased woman servant is now being contested in the supreme court. No one would have dared to do that in her lifetime.

Albany Democrat: For the benefit of several Salem papers, it may be remarked that when a correct census is taken this year of the capital city it will show a population of less than 8000 people. This statement may possibly save a special census, for it is correct, according to fair prognostication.

Uniforms don't make a baseball team any more than bright clothes make men and women. Athena dressed her team in the reddest suits to be obtained. The first game they played they were defeated by Weston 26 to 6.

The editor of the Gold Hill News has been turned down by some of the Republicans down there, and now things are boiling. The editor says he was born and bred a Republican, but he can't stand for so much rottenness. Get out of the band.

Say, Messrs. Baseball Managers, take a suggestion: Let the Salem team go up against half a dozen of the best teams you can hire or jolly into coming here, and let them knock the covers off the local boys, if they



ECZEMA KEPT SPREADING.

Six years ago my wife had a breaking-out below her knees. At first red bumps appeared, but soon white, husky sores came, and when these would shed off the place became red again, and would itch and burn so that she found it impossible to sleep. At times a yellow water ran from the bumps, and it kept getting worse and worse. Our family physician pronounced it Eczema, and prescribed ointments and powders, but it kept spreading, breaking out on her body and arms, and almost closed up her ears. The druggist at Garner told me to try S. S. S., which she did, and after taking several bottles was cured, and is well to-day and has been for years. W. A. HOOUTT. Garner, N. C.

The humors and poisons that produce the itching eruption, roughness and redness of the skin, must be rooted out before there is complete relief from the terrors of Eczema. Nothing applied externally does any permanent good, for whenever the blood is overheated or the skin is reacting during Spring and Summer, the disease breaks out again. You can't rely upon washes, soaps and salves, or such things as are applied to the surface, for they do not reach the seat of the trouble, which is internal and deeply implanted in the system; the blood is aflame with the itching, burning humors, which are carried by the circulation to the surface and are being constantly forced out through the glands and pores of the skin, and you can never heal the sores or stop the aggravating eruptions with external applications.

To neutralize the acids in the blood and expel the humors and poisons is the only way to get permanently rid of this torturing skin trouble, and no remedy known does this so quickly and thoroughly as S. S. S. It purifies the blood and restores it to health, and the outbreak of the poison through the skin ceases, and the sores and eruption gradually disappear. S. S. S. builds up the thin acid blood, makes it rich and strong, and restores to it all the elements of nutrition, and drives from the circulation all impurities; under the tonic effect of S. S. S. the general system is invigorated and toned up, and you not only get rid of your old skin trouble, but the health is benefited in every way. S. S. S. being a strictly vegetable medicine, acts gently, leaving no bad after-effects, as do Arsenic, Potash and other minerals which are usually prescribed in skin disease.



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can. Then you will develop a team and have the crowds.

An Italian opera singer eloped with the wife of a prominent San Francisco railroad man, and when the irate husband followed the erring couple the Dago vocalist chased him away with a shotgun. The singer didn't propose to have any ex-lovers interfering with his illegal honeymoon.

If curses like chickens, come home to roost, then Bryan will have to build several henneries to house his homing syllables.

There is one thing about Corvallis—they will enforce the law there against religious cranks, if young men with revolvers do run amuck.

Some of the big Oregon colleges that do much track work, better do more brain work and less athletics and society performances. There are the little jerk-water colleges in the foothills getting away with the big prizes in oratory right along. These big concerns that have large state appropriations are coming to be a sort of headquarters for society people and drones anyway. The payroll brigade better wake up and listen to a little one-horse newspaper that don't spend all its efforts at hot-airing the official aristocracy.

Shouldn't any man or woman known to have the habit of carrying a revolver be spotted by the police, and made to give an account of their conduct from day to day. It is a species of insanity, when the occupation of the person does not actually require it. The Eugene Guard says of the young man who did the killing at Corvallis:

"Young Keady's drinking at Corvallis was bad enough, but he supplemented it with carrying a gun. And he is dead at the hands of an officer, though not before he had filled two homes and the community with sorrow, by desperately wounding two men, who, in the line of duty, were attempting his arrest. Sober, it may not be thought a moment he would have been guilty of the terrible act, neither when drunk, except for the foolish, profitless habit of carrying the deadly weapon."

ECZEMA

The Blood Aflame with an Itching Humor that sets the Skin on Fire.

Eczema, the most common and terrible of all skin troubles, begins sometimes with a slight redness of the skin, which gradually spreads, and as the inflammation and itching increase, the entire system is thrown into a restless, feverish condition. Soon little watery blisters or pimples break out, from which a clear liquid or yellow fluid is discharged, which forms thick crusts and sores, or falls off in fine particles or scales leaving the skin raw and tender, or hard and like parchment. Eczema attacks most frequently the legs and arms, back and chest, face and hands, and is a disease that comes and goes in the earlier stages, but is a perpetual torment and constant annoyance when chronic. At times the itching and stinging is so great that the sufferer, driven almost to distraction and tortured beyond endurance, scratches and rubs till the skin is broken and bleeds, but this only aggravates and spreads the disease.

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Eczema cannot be cured by anything applied to the surface of the body; the blood must be purified and the cause removed, and in no other way can this deep-seated skin disease be reached. If you have Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, Nettle Rash, or any form of Eczema, you will find S. S. S. does its work well and thoroughly, and relieves the itching and burning soreness and pain, and soon produces a lasting cure.

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