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JEROME ON SUNDAY OPENING.

District Attorney Jerome is opposed to everything hypocritical and he does not hesitate to favor the legalized opening of saloons on Sunday in New York City. He contends that New York's mixed population honestly wants the Sunday saloon, and that no law can be enforced which is not supported by public sentiment. Therefore, he pleads for the opening of the saloon so that the police department will be freed from its constant temptation to blackmail and may act honestly, as he believes the first and natural purpose is to act honestly. Saloons will be open in New York on Sunday anyway, argues Mr. Jerome, and he contends that it is better to eliminate the feature of public corruption than to encourage it by laws which have not the backing of sufficient public sentiment to secure enforcement anyway. District Attorney Jerome takes a position which will be viewed with horror by a great many people. The Boston Advertiser recognizes the problem in New York is vastly different from that in Boston. As it says, the population of New York City is a "collection of peoples from all parts of the civilized and uncivilized globe. The different elements have the continental idea of the Sunday, a day of sociability, of much going and coming, of good cheer and of pleasure. To them the open saloon is a legitimate, not an illegal institution. They believe in it, they patronize it, they demand it. With this public sentiment in control, the police force of New York finds itself tempted either to humor the sentiment by letting the saloon run full blast or to use the law forbidding liquor sales on the Sabbath as a means of blackmail for filling their own pockets. Mr. Jerome's investigations show that, while theoretically the patrolman might wink at the law's violation without seeking personal profit, practically he sells insurance against burglary."

The question of Sunday opening in the metropolis, Mr. Jerome contends, should be left to the voters of New York City. There is this to be said in favor of this submission. The principle of local option is urged by every prohibition advocate, and Mr. Jerome's proposition is simply local option applied to a detail of regulation of the liquor traffic.

MOVEMENT FOR BETTER STREETS

The sentiment for better and cleaner streets is growing rapidly in this city.

There is an almost unanimous sentiment in favor of improving South Commercial street to the city limits.

That would give the city and suburbs a fine driveway in summer and winter, out south.

It would benefit both city and country, and force other suburbs to "provide such driveways."

The people are not particular what kind of pavements are put down, broken rock, screened gravel, or better pavements.

What is done should be well done, and any good pavement, well laid, is better than present conditions.

Screened gravel should make fine streets in the residence parts. The trouble has been that it could not be had.

Many people would now improve the streets in front of their property if they could get broken rock or screened gravel.

There is a strong sentiment against using the river and creek gravel, as it comes out of the bed of the stream. It is not satisfactory.

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We offer our customers all the facilities afforded by a modern and well equipped banking institution. Courteous and prompt attention given to all business entrusted to us.

Savings Department

Our Savings Department affords the opportunity of safely investing small amounts—from one dollar up—where it will pay better interest than government bonds, and yet be available in case of need.

J. H. ALBERT, President.
E. M. CROSBY, Vice-Pres.
JOS. H. ALBERT, Cash.

PROFITLESS ADVERTISING.

In Brattleboro, Vt., the merchants have begun a movement to discourage advertising in programs, directories and other mediums, the value of which is at least doubtful.

We frequently hear of this disposition on the part of the long suffering tradesmen to turn against advertising schemes that they know to be profitless. The methods of soliciting brought to bear range from sweet feminine persuasion to downright blackmail.

Some merchants find it hard to say "No" to a schemer, but they will turn down the representative of a local newspaper with an emphasis that stops just short of violence. Then, when a glib swindler has picked up several hundred of their dollars and departed from town, the dupes wail bitterly and call on the newspapers to run the scoundrel to earth.

Solicitors for church fair programs and similar delusions are at least honest. They do not pretend that their mediums will do the merchants the slightest good, but they appeal to his sympathy, and mayhap they hint that "Some of our members deal with you regularly, and would be disappointed if you did not help us."

Several years ago the merchants in a small New York town, pestered beyond endurance by the importunities of program solicitors, agreed to stick to the newspapers, and to pay a forfeit of \$300 if they patronized programs or other schemes were told of this agreement, and asked if they could guarantee sales amounting to more than \$300 from each advertisement.

DEVELOPMENT WORK.

There has been more literature sent out the past six months than ever before in the history of Salem.

There have been thousands of letters written by members of the correspondence committee of the Commercial Club.

As a result there are more people coming to Salem and vicinity than ever before in the history of the valley.

The demand for business houses and new houses is far beyond the present supply, and will be for a year or more.

The best judges are of the opinion that the present immigration movement will last all this year and next year.

The Willamette Valley Development convention, to be held at Salem March 23d, will give a new impetus to growth and progress.

The Willamette valley is the finest region for homes that lies out of doors, and it has only begun to be awakened to its possibilities.

Ten years will see it covered with a network of trolley lines, cross-sectioned with railroads, and dotted with manufacturing.

Let all put their shoulder to the wheel of development work, and let us get out of the rut.

CUT OUT THE GRAFT.

There will be no improvement in governmental affairs unless every dollar of graft is cut out.

The late legislature raised salaries, created new offices and passed bills restoring the fees of many officials—all for graft.

The fight on the Republican city ticket at the late city election was from the standpoint of graft.

The champions of the graft are working in one scheme after another, and cannot conceive of good government devoid of grafts.

The next state campaign must be fought on the plan of cutting every dollar of graft out of the state government.

It is not Republicans and Democrats the people have to fight, but the grafters in those parties.

Cut out the graft and government would not cost over two-thirds what it does. The men who have got rich out of political grafts are the real enemies of good government.

Put an absolute limit on county tax levies, and cut down the state tax about one-half, and elect no man to office who has ever grafted the public a dollar. That kind of a political platform would mean something.

Williamson Engages Wilson.

Portland, March 17.—H. S. Wilson, of The Dalles, who has been engaged by Congressman J. N. Williamson to defend him in the coming land fraud trials in Portland. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Wilson held a conference with A. B. Bennett, of The Dalles, who has been retained as an attorney by Senator Mitchell in the land fraud cases. It is probable that Congressman Williamson and Senator Mitchell will conduct a joint defense.

H. S. Wilson is one of the prominent lawyers in Oregon, and is well known as one of the leading citizens of The Dalles.

MODEL OYSTER HOUSE.

444 Court Street.

"The best meals in the city for the price. Quick service, care and cleanliness our motto. Phone 2646 Main."

MRS. JENNIE HEADRICK, Prop.

HIGH SCHOOL GRAFT

Effort of Manipulators to Prevent Publicity

Several members of the Salem school board, who are trying to manipulate the building of the new high school in their own interests are now busy telling that the Capital Journal is now endeavoring to run things in that line, and that this community can have anything except what this paper wants. Very well and good. There are only a few things that The Journal has advocated in the matter, and it is prepared to stand by these propositions if there is never a school built. In the first place it opposed a little scheme to build a structure by a pet without architecture especially adapted to our grounds and needs. That was a cinch game advocated for a rake-off, and it was punctured by The Journal. It expects complaints from that source. The next thing The Journal advocated competition in the matter of plans from different architects, and still believes that such competition is as essential as competition in the matter of bids on the construction of the building. Next it objected to having the work of architecture and supervision parceled out to two different parties, as has been proposed, to give the job (job, mind you,) to a certain party who has opposed a high school building all these years, simply to pacify that element and hold down the job for other pets. Salem is said to have one instance of such a deal where a fortune was made by grafts on school house architecture and superintendence, and that ought to be enough. Next The Journal thinks that Salem-made brick is good enough for a Salem school house. It was good enough for a Salem city hall, both as to pressed and common brick, and The Journal now objects to sending away for pressed brick, especially when it becomes necessary to use culls, in order to compete with the home product.

This Journal has no pets to serve, either as to architects, contractors or material men, and it objects to the whole system of fostering pets. Let us have square, open competition on every branch of the work, and let the school district get the best that is to be had for the money in every branch of the undertaking. If cheap politicians on the board, of off it, want to condemn this paper for these views, again well and good. The Journal has advocated a high school for Salem for years, and now that public sentiment has gotten to where our city is about to have one, it would very much dislike to see a grafting proposition enter into it. After championing the move for years it feels in a measure responsible to the community to prevent it from being imposed upon, and especially by the very class that has for years objected to the project.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

PROOF IN SALEM.

Should Be Decidedly More Convincing to Salem People Than Testimony From Utter Strangers.

This statement which follows, like all that have preceded it on this subject, is from Salem. It is not from some distant corner of the Union. Salem people cannot dispute testimony like this:

Frank V. Muller, living on East State street, Salem, Ore., says: "Without question Doan's Kidney Pills is the best remedy for the kidneys that I ever used, and I recommend it with confidence to anyone looking for a good cure. I was subject to attacks of backache for more than six years, having heavy bearing down pains through the loins and kidneys and it hurt me when I lifted anything. I always got up in the morning with a lame and sore back. In addition to these annoyances there was an irregularity in the action of the kidneys which was very exasperating. I used several remedies, but nothing seemed to do me any good. Finally hearing about Doan's Kidney Pills I got a box at Dr. Stone's drug store. The first box did me so much good that I got a second. I was soon relieved of the pain in my back and the other annoying difficulties entirely disappeared."

For sale by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

NAGGING PAINS

Newport News, Va., July 22, 1903.

Last summer while recovering from illness of fever, I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I still continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than for years, and I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. to any one suffering from Rheumatism.

613 3rd St. CHAS. E. GILDERSLERVE.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid or some other acid poison in the blood, which when deposited in the muscles and joints, produce the sharp, cutting pains and the stiffness and soreness peculiar to this disease. S. S. S. goes directly into the circulation, all irritating substances are neutralized and filtered out of the system, the blood is made pure and the general health is built up under the purifying and tonic effects of the vegetable remedy. Write for our special book on Rheumatism which is sent free. Our physicians will advise without charge all who will write us about their case.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

After the Mashers.

The Portland police propose to rid that city of a gang of young men who stand on the street corners and ogle and eye every passing pretty woman. The officers have made the first arrest, and promise that more will follow.

Got Off Cheap.

He may well think he has got off cheap, who, after having contracted constipation or indigestion, is still able to perfectly restore his health. Nothing will do this but Dr. King's New Life Pills. A quick, pleasant and certain cure for headache, constipation, etc. 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store; guaranteed.

Printer Gets Jugged.

E. P. Simmons, a printer, who has been more or less in a state of intoxication ever since arriving in the city a few days ago, was arrested for the second time during his sojourn in the city this morning.

He was gathered in by the police the first time last Tuesday night, and, upon his appearance in court, was fined \$5, with the privilege of release on his own recognizance, while he went to work and earned the money. But, it seems, that, instead of going to work, he spent most of his time trying to work some one for a drink, and so he was again juggled, to sober up.

He will be summoned before Judge Moore's court, and, from the present outlook, he will not get off with a very light sentence, for it hurts the feelings of the court to be "worked."

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Notice to Alter and Establish Street Grade.

Notice is hereby given that an ordinance to alter and establish the grade of Commercial street in the City of Salem, Oregon, from the south line of the donation land claim of William H. Wilson and Chloe A. Wilson, his wife, claim No. 44, to the south boundary line of said city, was introduced in the common council of said city and read the first and second times and referred to the committee on ordinances, on the 7th day of March, 1905, and all persons interested are required to appear and show cause why said ordinance should not be passed, on or before the next regular meeting of the common council, on the 21st day of March, 1905.

W. A. MOORES, City Recorder.

PERSONALS

Roy Bishop went to Albany this morning.

J. H. Armstrong is in Albany for a few days.

A. O. Condit was a business visitor in Albany yesterday.

Mrs. Pugh went to Jefferson this morning for a brief visit.

T. H. Hubbard was a visitor in Albany yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. McAllister went to Albany this morning for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Goodale and little son, Hallie, went to Turner this morning.

Rev. H. V. Haslam returned last evening from a several days' visit in Portland.

Miss Addie Brant, of Vancouver, arrived in the city today and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brant.

Misses Mary and Lena Payne returned last evening from an extended visit with friends in Ashland and Eugene.

County Commissioner Wm. Miley, A. S. Cone and W. J. Miley, from the north end of the county, are in the city on business.

D. F. Wayne, of Portland, is a visitor in the city today. He will be accompanied home this evening by his niece, Miss Dora Wayne.

Mrs. J. Achenbach and little child returned to Albany this morning, after a short visit with her daughter, Miss Minnie Achenbach, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carey and little daughter, of Albany, have removed to this city, and are residing at Chemeketa and Church streets. The former is employed by the J. P. Rogers Company.

WE ARE PROUD

Of the many wonderful cures that have been effected by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters during the past 50 years. Thousands of grateful letters have been received testifying to its goodness. What it has done for the sick folks it will certainly do for you. Try a bottle. It cures Poor Appetite, Chills, Colds, La Grippe, Torpid Liver, Constipated Bowels, Indigestion, Dyspepsia or Malaria, Fever and Ague....

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Oregon Shoe Co.

GREAT DISPLAY

We have received the past week a full line of

GAGE HATS

Which we now have on display and which we are desirous of showing the public. We have also added to our line of

PATTERN HATS

The White Corner

Millinery Department

Miss M. D. Evans, Exclusive Milliner

HAIRHEALTH SAVED HIS POSITION—Kept Him Looking Young.

Thousands lose their positions because gray hairs make them look old. High class men look young. Grower dressing for men and women. Not a day. Gentlemen—At 40 my hair was gray. A hair restorer lost his job because gray hair made him look old. Profiting by his experience I used Hairhealth, and have the same dark brown hair that I had at 21. Hold my position, though younger men, whose only fault was gray hair, have been dismissed. I thank you for my position.—R. E. Condit, Newark, N. J., prepaid, for 90c, and the entire adv. and 50c. for Hairhealth. Name..... Take nothing without signature Philo Hay Spec. Co.

Free Soap Offer Good for 25c. Get a sign this, take to any of following druggists and get 50c. bottle Hairhealth and 50c. can Hairhealth Soap, medicated, both for 60c.; regular price 75c.; or sent by Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N. J., prepaid, for 90c. and the entire adv. and 50c. for Hairhealth. Name..... Take nothing without signature Philo Hay Spec. Co.

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