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ARMY HOLDS JUBILEE

New York, March 25.—Today there was begun in this city a great jubilee celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the Salvation Army in America. The affair will continue four days and promises to be notable in the annals of the world-wide organization. A quarter of a century ago the number of Salvation Army members in America was eight. In striking contrast, there are now gathered here to take part in the jubilee some five hundred officers representing every state and territory of the nation, and many of the Canadian provinces. These officers, in addition to the local contingent, will conduct a series of jubilee meetings during the next few days in some of the largest meeting places of the metropolis as well as in the headquarter's citadel in Fourteenth street.

The first country, outside of England, to be effected by the work of the Salvation Army was America. As far back as 1872, when it was in its embryonic condition, and was known only as "The Christian Mission," one of its converts, "Brother Jerry," found his way to Cleveland and there, to use General Booth's expression in answering his letters, "raised the banner of the mission." It was impossible at that early date to send reinforcements and hence the work fell through with the departure of Jerry. In 1879 a second start was made by a family named Shirley. This time it was in Philadelphia, in an old factory. The urgent appeal for help sent to General Booth met with an immediate response and in February, 1880, Commissioner George Scott Railton, with a band of seven, landed in New York city. Opposition, ridicule, persecution, and even imprisonment were met in those days. None of those things, however, served to dampen the ardor or quench the zeal of the little band of workers, and ere long it was apparent that the Salvation Army had come to America to stay.

The first convert of the Army in America was "Ash Barrel Jimmy." A notable character he was; a drunkard, a general nuisance. He got his name from the circumstances of his rather strenuous conversion. "Jimmy" was accustomed to search in the refuse of the ash barrels and garbage cans for food. One cold night, when drunk, he lost his balance and fell in a barrel head first. He was too drunk to help himself, and as he passed his head froze fast to the side of the barrel. A passing policeman saw the feet sticking out and rescued him. "Jimmy" was frozen so fast to the barrel the policeman seized him by the feet and dragged him, barrel and all, to the station house. Then, when he was sufficiently thawed out, they sent him, by way of a joke, to the Salvation Army. From that time "Jimmy" was a changed man. He was converted in the Army meetings, and became a useful and earnest member of the Army, rising to the rank of captain and remaining in the ranks until he died, a few years later.

The Army confined itself for years almost entirely to purely spiritual operations. But with the arrival of the late leaders, Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker, in 1895, the latter of whom was killed in a railway wreck at Dean Lake, Mo., on October 28, 1903, the social or philanthropic side of the movement was brought to the

front, and institutional work of a most active form was begun. Farm colonies, with the object of assisting the poor, but worthy and industrious married men to obtain a home, were established in Ohio, Colorado, and California. The difficulties met with in their establishment were overwhelming and seemingly endless, yet today these colonies, in excellent condition, exist as proof positive that the scheme is not visionary, but a practical one, and capable of almost unlimited extension and improvement.

Hotels for workmen—and the same for women—have been opened, where clean, comfortable accommodations can be secured for a merely nominal sum. Rescue and children's homes, and many other institutions for helping the poor and needy, are also successfully conducted by the army.

At the present time the standing of the Salvation Army in America, roughly estimated, is as follows: Officers and employees, 3,706; corps and outposts, 736; institutions for poor and needy, 13; farm colonies, 3; expended annually in poor relief, \$300,000.

During the last 25 years the mighty organization has come to be recognized by all classes alike, not only in America, but in almost every part of the globe, as among the greatest agencies in existence for the reclamation and reformation of criminals of all grades, and for the practical, permanent aiding, without pauperizing, of the poor and unfortunate.

Proposals Invited.

Sealed proposals endorsed "Proposals for construction of Salem High School," will be received by the board of school directors of Salem district No. 24 until 7:30 p. m. Saturday, April 1, 1906, at the police court room, city hall. Bidders are invited to be present.

Separate bids will be received for the construction of the building and the heating and ventilation. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of W. D. Pugh, Salem, Or. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids must be made out on blank forms, which can be secured at the architect's office.

H. C. FLETCHER,
Chairman of Board.

Ready to Race at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., March 25.—Everything is in readiness for the opening next Monday of the spring meeting of the new Memphis Jockey club. The stables are filled with fast horses and all indications point to one of the most successful meetings ever held here.

Eight stakes will be decided at the meeting as follows. Three for two-year-olds, Gaston Hotel, four furlongs, \$2000; Ardelle, four furlongs, \$2000; Memphis, five furlongs, \$4000; one for 3-year-olds; Hotel Gayose, one mile, \$2000; four for 3-year-olds and up, Montgomery handicap, one and one-sixteenth miles, \$5500; Penbody Hotel handicap, one and one-eighth miles, \$3000; Tennessee Brewing selling stakes seven furlongs, \$2500; Cotton Steeple-chase Handicap, about two miles, \$2700.

Attacked by a Mob

and beaten, in a labor riot, until covered with sores, a Chicago street car conductor applied Bucklin's Arnica Salve, and was soon sound and well. "I used it in my family," writes G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., "and find it perfect." Simply great for cuts and burns. Only 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

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BAY STATE AT PORTLAND FAIR.

Massachusetts Will Erect Building at Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Portland, March 25.—The state of Massachusetts will be represented at the Lewis and Clark exposition in a manner creditable to the state and to the exposition.

The state commission has between \$20,000 and \$25,000 at its disposal, and this will make possible a most excellent representation at the exposition, since parts of the buildings at St. Louis can be used at Portland and many of the displays used at the 1904 fair may be utilized for the western exposition.

Five carloads of exhibits have already arrived and are stored in some of the finished exposition palaces, and work on the state building has begun. Massachusetts will be ready long before June 1, the opening day. The displays already arrived represent an expenditure of \$40,000, while furniture worth \$8,000 has been moved from St. Louis to Portland.

The Massachusetts exhibits will be displayed in the state's building, a new ruling having recently been made which permits a state to take such action. This will enable the people of the Bay State to see what their commonwealth has on exhibition without the bother of a tiresome tour of the buildings. The state will make an extensive display in almost every department, but will feature the educational and manufacturing exhibits. Every large city and almost every smaller city in the state will have its school display, the exhibits being shown in separate cases.

In the department of social economy, interesting exhibits will show the work done by the state prisoners, and the inhabitants of the deaf and dumb school, insane asylums, and similar institutions. Other exhibits will show how Massachusetts builds model roads, how the city of Boston has built up its wonderful park system, and how it gets its water supply. Boston's water system is excelled by only one in the world.

Special interest will attach to the Massachusetts state pavilion, which will be distinctive in design. The building will be located on Lewis and Clark boulevard, opposite the Oriental exhibits building, and within five minutes walk from the entrance. The buildings will be built in the colonial style, the front being a replica of the famous Bulfinch front of the state-house on Beacon Hill. When the new Massachusetts state house was built some years ago at a cost of \$3,000,000, the old building was torn down, but the original front was retained, the retention entailing enormous expense.

The central room on the first floor will be an exact reproduction of the senate chamber of the old state house in Boston, while the "Historic room" on the second floor will be a reproduction of the present senate chamber. In this room will be displayed many priceless relics of Colonial times.

It is expected that the Massachusetts building will be dedicated on June 17, the anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill. Hon. Wilson H. Fairbank of Warren, is the state's executive commissioner in charge of Bay state interests at the exposition.

A Pleasant Way to Travel.

The above is the usual verdict of the traveler using the Missouri Pacific railway between the Pacific coast and the east, and we believe that the service and accommodations given merit this statement. From Denver, Colorado Springs and Denver there are two through trains daily to Kansas City and St. Louis, carrying Pullman's latest standard electric-lighted sleeping cars, chair cars and up-to-date dining cars. The same excellent service is operated from Kansas City and St. Louis to Memphis, Little Rock and Hot Springs. If you are going east or south, write for particulars and full information.

W. C. M'BRIDE, Gen. Agt.,
124 Third St., Portland, Ore.

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. Willson and Chloe A. Willson, 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. MOORE,
City Recorder.

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College Baseball Begins.

New York, March 25.—The collegiate baseball season begins today in earnest, the teams of a number of the big eastern colleges emerging from their training cages to make their first appearance on the diamond. The two games in which most public interest centers are those of Yale and Fordham at Fordham, and Princeton and Ursinus at Princeton. These are merely in the nature of practice games for the two big universities, and will give the critics an opportunity to draw a line on the condition of the players and form an opinion as to their probable performances later in the season when they will line up for the championship contests.

In addition to these two games there are several other contests of more or less importance scheduled for the day. Georgetown is to meet the Maryland Agricultural college at Georgetown, and the University of Virginia and the University of West Virginia are to cross bats at Charlottesville. Lafayette, which is on its annual spring trip in the south, has a game scheduled with the North Carolina College of Agriculture at Raleigh. Besides these there are several games scheduled among the colleges and schools of lesser note.

For New Trial in Tucker Case.

Boston, Mass., March 25.—Argument was heard before Judges Sheldon and Sherman today in the motion for a new trial in the case of Charles L. Tucker, convicted of the murder of Mabel Page at Weston. Decision was reserved. The condemned youth continues to bear up well, seldom speaking of his case, but making frequent inquiries regarding his family and particularly as to the condition of his father, who has been in a state of prostration since the end of the famous murder trial.

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