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SALEM'S BIG SHOE STORE

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Special Meeting of Council Tonight.

There will be an unusual flow of oratory at the council meeting this evening. The South Commercial street improvement question will come up for consideration, and it is expected that there will be "something done." Another item of interest will be the discussion of the purchase of a fire fighting apparatus, consisting of chemical engine and hose wagon, but it has not yet been ascertained what stand the councilmen will take on this latter proposition. The movement was started by Councilman Low, who has always championed it. He believes that the city should buy such fire fighting apparatus immediately.

While no great fire has ever occurred in Salem, it is thought by some that the time is at hand for the city to prepare for any big conflagration that might arise. It will be an interesting meeting, and a good many of the citizens will be present to hear the discussion.

Men and women who eat fat meats and drink strong coffee usually have coarse, florid skins. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes your skin soft and fair. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets, Dr. Stone's drug store.

Old Willamette Alumni Will Feast.

Resident members of the Willamette University alumni have received invitations to the annual banquet, which is to be given under the auspices of the association, June 13th. The business session will be held at 2:30 in the afternoon, and at 6:30 o'clock the banquet will be served, to which tickets will be issued to every alumnus in good standing. Col. Robert A. Miller, who was requested to act as toastmaster will not be able to act in that capacity.

Deaths from Appendicitis

Decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills increases. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from constipation and the ill growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by J. C. Perry, druggist. 25 cents. Try them.

A Fine Lot of Bricks.

A. A. Burton, the manager of the brick yard east of the city, has begun burning a kiln containing 200,000 bricks, which, it is said, will be the finest ever produced in the city.

Zack Barker is in the city from Salem, where he has resided for the past few years. His home was originally near this place, and it is for the purpose of visiting relatives that he is in the city. Mr. Barker is a graduate of Willamette University, and is now studying medicine.—Umpqua Valley News.

THE MODERN BUSINESS

Man pays his bills by check. Why not open an account with us, which can be subject to check at any time? We afford our customers all the courtesies consistent with sound banking principles.

THE BANK CHECK

When canceled is the best proof of the payment of any bill, and is a great convenience, as it does away with the necessity of carrying large sums of money with you. Call and see us and learn full particulars regarding this enterprising banking institution.

Salem State Bank

L. K. PAGE, President
E. W. HAZARD, Cashier

More Hop Contracts.

Hop contracts aggregating 48,000 pounds were filed in the recorder's office yesterday; 40,000 pounds were of the 1906 crop and 8000 were of the crops of 1907 and 1908. Five contracts were in the name of Falk, Wormser & Co., Fred Arthur, Silvertown, 8000 pounds at 10 cents; E. C. and E. G. Weisner, Gervais, 10,000 pounds, 9 cents; F. M. Lick, Salem, 8000 pounds, 9 cents; all of 1906 growth; F. M. Lick, 8000 pounds, 1907, and 8000 pounds, 1908 growth, at 10 cents. The E. Wattenberg Company has two contracts with H. H. Spaulding for the crop of the coming year, one for 10,000 pounds, and the other for 4000 pounds at 10 cents.

Methodist Campmeeting.

The Free Methodist campmeeting which is being held in the oak grove in North Salem, opened last evening under favorable auspices, in spite of the occasional showers that fell during the night. Two large tents have been pitched. One of these will be used for holding the meetings, and the other will serve the purpose of a restaurant. Many campers have already reached here, and many more are expected as soon as the weather moderates. The annual conference of the church will be held some time during the session, and most of the preachers of this denomination will make it a point to be present. Services will be held each day, morning, afternoon and evening.

Growing Aches and Pains.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremont, Tex., writes April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by D. J. Fry's drug store.

The Boys' Camping Trip.

The special committee having in charge the Boys' Club camping trip will meet tonight at 8 o'clock. Eighteen boys have already handed in their names for the trip and it is probable that 30 will go. Boys not members of the club can join the party if properly recommended. The camp is to be held on Mill Creek about two miles beyond Turner.

A Concert Trip.

Superintendent Looney of the reform school is arranging a concert trip for the school band. He has received several requests for the band's services. Under their new bandmaster, Thos. Lloyd, the boys are improving rapidly. They will have a part in the Fourth of July celebration in Salem.

Case Was Settled.

A settlement has been made in the case of Anton Hruza, who was arrested Wednesday on the charge of threatening to kill his brothers-in-law, John and Joseph Nusbaum. Settlement was effected last evening, and the case was dismissed. The case had been set for hearing today.

Forest Grove Boys Arrive.

The Pacific University track team arrived this morning. Manager Bump and Captain Fletcher bring the following men to Salem to meet Willamette University: Peterson and Witham, in the two sprints; Fletcher, Brown and Mason in the distance runs; White and Prudeaux in the hurdles; Lawrence in the weights, and Ferrin in the pole vault.

Old-Fashioned Campmeeting.

The campmeeting of the Seventh Day Adventists, which will begin at Fash's grove, May 31st, will be largely attended. The number of campers will be over 1500. Over 15 men are now at work on the grounds. The big dining tent and large pavilion have been put up, the latter having a seating capacity of 1500. Half of those at work are ministers, and they are enjoying the exercise and outing. The public preaching services will be at 10:30 a. m., 2:30 and 7:45 p. m. Campers will begin to arrive next week. There will also be German and Scandinavian pavilions, kitchen and many private tents. Everything is clean and the sanitary conditions are all that the most exacting can wish.—Woodburn Independent.

Sure Cure for Piles.

Itching Piles produce moisture and cause itching, this form, as well as Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles are cured by Dr. Bosanka's Pile Remedy. Stops itching and bleeding. Absorbs tumors. 50c a jar at druggists or sent by mail. Treatise free. Write me about your case. Dr. Bosanka, Philadelphia, Pa.

Chimney Sweep.

George Stough, our old chimney sweep, who has been Salem recently, says the people of Silvertown don't know what a sweep looks like. He was in Silvertown in the month of April canvassing for chimneys to clean, when the city mayor and marshal approached him, and wanted to know what right he had to go from house to house in such attire, with his long peaked hat, and searing all the women out of their shoes. They informed him he had better leave town, as he would not get anything to do. Mr. Stough laughed at them, and cleaned up the town before he left. And, what was better, the business men asked him to come again next year.

Exposure.

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of the temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Tex., writes, Jan. 1, 1902: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take." Sold by D. J. Fry.

Girls Give a Breakfast.

The Y. W. C. A. college girls, who held a May breakfast this morning, were in poor luck on account of the showers that fell. It was planned to serve on the campus, but the repast was served in the ladies' hall, and a neat sum was realized, which will be used to defray the expenses of the delegates who are to be sent to the state conference at Gearhart Park, Washington.

Ball Game Is Off.

At the request of the manager of the Portland high school team, the game between that institution and the Salem high school has been called off, on account of the bad condition of Multnomah field, where the game was to have been played. The local baseball tossers were ready for the fight, rain or shine.

Foreclosure Suit.

The foreclosure suit of Smith vs. Fry is being tried out before Judge Galloway in department No. 2 of the circuit court this afternoon.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

RIVER HOLDS ITS DEAD

All Attempts to Recover Newells Body Have so far Proved Futile

University of Oregon, Eugene, Or., May 25.—The work of dragging the river for the body of Dudley Newell, who was drowned Monday afternoon, while shooting the rapids near Judkin's Point, in a canoe, was continued yesterday and last night, but to no avail, and some fears are expressed that the body will not be recovered, as the place where he is supposed to have sunk is in swift water and he might have been carried a considerable distance down stream. The work has been systematically arranged and will be continued until the body is found or there is no hope of finding it.

Every possible means of locating Newell's body was used yesterday. Dynamite was used and a large tube with lens to sight the bottom of the river worked successfully until the river got muddy from the effects of the explosions.

A local woman who claims powers of clairvoyance said that she could locate the body, and was taken up the river in a skiff. She had never seen the young man, but he was described to her, and she told where the body was lying and the exact spot at which to drag, but her directions did not result in anything.

The students have arranged to have Hugh Brady, of Portland, who has had much success in recovering bodies from the water, make a search, and have taken up a subscription of \$100 to pay his expenses. The accident has affected the work of the university in many ways, as many of the students are out searching for the body, and consequently recitation work has been neglected. President P. L. Campbell, who had left for a trip of several days, returned yesterday afternoon on account of the accident, but left again last night for Southern Oregon, where he had intended to go on business pertaining to educational affairs.

THREE LITTLE BEARS

Climb a Ladder to Freedom and Have a Little "Night Off"

The four bears which are kept at Chemawa stepped into the lime light with a little stunt Wednesday evening. Three of them escaped from the pit through the failure of the keeper to remove the ladder, after he had finished cleaning the cage.

Three of the bears went out on a nocturnal rampage, which raised a tremendous scare in the neighborhood. Fortunately the bears responded to the call of the officials at the school, and with a little sugar, they were returned to captivity. One of them didn't take part in the escapade, and remained in the pit.

Postmaster Robbed.

G. W. Fouts, postmaster at Riverton, Ia., nearly lost his life and was robbed of all comfort, according to his letter, which says: "For 20 years I had chronic liver complaint, which led to such a severe case of jaundice that even my finger nails turned yellow; when my doctor prescribed Electric Bitters; which cured me and have kept me well for 11 years." Sure cure for biliousness, neuralgia, weakness and all stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles. A wonderful tonic. At J. C. Perry's drug store. 50 cents.

SPECIAL RATES

TO THE "MADE IN OREGON" EXPOSITION.

Portland, Or., May 19 to 28, 1906.

For the above occasion the Southern Pacific Company will sell round-trip tickets from Salem for \$2.50. Sale dates May 25, all regular passenger trains. May 25 trains Nos. 16 and 14 Friday morning. Limit of tickets May 27, 1906. For particulars call on agents. A. L. CRAIG, General Passenger Agent.

FEAR FOUL PLAY

Bessie Bauer of Sellwood Disappears and Search is Being Made for Her

Last evening's Telegram says: Posses of citizens, under the direction of the police, are scouring the woods near Sellwood and Riverview cemetery today for Miss Bessie Bauer, a niece of City Councilman Wills, who disappeared yesterday under mysterious circumstances. The police searched for the girl until 2:30 o'clock this morning, and were then obliged to wait until daylight. Dogs are employed in the attempt to find the missing girl.

Miss Bauer lived with her parents on Spokane avenue, between the car line and the river, at Sellwood. Her uncle, Councilman Wills, lives two or three blocks distant. She is 25 years of age, and for some time has not been in good health, though her mind never appeared to have been affected.

Relatives fear that harm has befallen her. Their anxiety is increased by learning that she was seen in Riverview cemetery at a lonely point, where she might have fallen a victim to tramps or persons of criminal inclination.

Miss Bauer left home at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, saying she did not feel well, to take a walk. She appeared rational, and bade her parents good-bye as usual on leaving the house.

Last Seen in Cemetery.

She chatted with the boatman while crossing the ferry at Sellwood. Later an acquaintance saw her near the center of Riverview cemetery. She was walking along slowly. This is as far as she has been traced. No person has been found who saw her afterward.

When the girl did not return home last evening her parents grew uneasy. As the night wore on they became alarmed. Councilman Wills was notified, and communicated with the police about 11 o'clock. Captains Bruin and Slover detailed Detective Vaughn to make an investigation. The detective and Mr. Wills spent the night searching for her.

This morning the neighborhood was thoroughly aroused. Volunteers came forward and the brush has been beaten over a large stretch of country around Sellwood and the cemetery. Up to a late hour no trace of the girl has been discovered.

STATE NEWS

Medford has a new drug store.

The annual meeting of the fruit growers' union of Rogue river valley was in session this week.

The Jacksonville baseball team, the victorious club of Jackson county, challenge any team in Western Oregon for a game.

A. Shulman, a well-known hide and wool buyer of Southern Oregon, and senior member of the Roseburg Furniture house, dropped dead at Medford Wednesday morning of heart disease.

Joseph McCabe, vice-president of the Northern Pacific railroad and general manager of the Washington & Columbia river, with headquarters at Walla Walla, has resigned. Mr. McCabe will follow the line of contracting.

M. C. Cochran, of Cottage Grove, has invented a process by which newspapers can make cuts of pictures in from 30 to 45 minutes. This will be a boon to country printers, who cannot send away to large cities for the work. The "Western Oregon," under date of May 24th, contained a good cut of the inventor, which is a sample of the work.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D., 1886. A. W. GLEASON, (Seal.) Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

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

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

BARGAINS IN MEDICINE

A woman once told me that she was not a buyer of Scott's Emulsion more because it cost so much. Said she she had some other emulsion money. Penny emulsion costs more because it is worth more—costs more to make. We could use less oil. Cost less care in making. If we did, however, Emulsion wouldn't be a standard preparation liver oil as it is today. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York City.

X-RAYS

Coos Bay has had two July and both were in school.

The steamer Elder has been repaired she will be ready.

If there is any place in more beautiful than Salem, one has ever discovered it.

President Baer says there is in the Reading railroad which he is president, but also said he was the director God.

Walter Wellman is delivering lectures before starting for pole in a balloon. A large public wishes God-speed to him and—may it never come back.

Notice to Bond Holders. Notice is hereby given to the holders of bonds 1, 2, 3, and 4, of school district No. 6, of Clatsop County, Oregon, that the same have been sold, and will be paid within 10 days of this date, at the office of the treasurer, Astoria, Oregon.

Dated Astoria, Oregon, this 25th day of May, 1906. CHAS. A. LAMAR, County Treasurer, Clatsop County.

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Chas. V. Gallor of Yamhill County

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