

## GIRLS COME IN TO SEE THE PRIZES



To be given in our "Ten Reasons Contest." Little girls fourteen years of age and under can compete.

Give ten reasons why your mother should use a Buck's Stove or Range. Have your reasons based on information given in our little booklet, which can be had for the asking. All reasons must be handed in by October 10th. The little range is first prize; second and third are the little iron bedstead and the rocker.

**Buren & Hamilton**  
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## PORTLAND VISITS SALEM

(Continued from first page.)

After the statesman from Jackson county had concluded a lengthy speech, the two thousand people who had been patiently waiting in the auditorium were treated to one to the fair have yet heard. Not more than half the people who were of the best concert that the visitors at the fair last night were able to find seats in the auditorium but hundreds stood in the aisles and doorways and listened to the entire program.

Teck's band was in fine trim last night and every number won applause.

The Stalwart quartet, of which Dr. Epley of school board fame, is director, gave two very pleasing selections. Signor DeCaprio followed in a beautiful solo and responded to an encore.

All of the immense crowd in the auditorium remained until Mrs. Hinges sang. If they had ever heard her once they would have remained all night to have another opportunity. She first sang something by a Dago called "Carissima," and when called back, responded with the "Last Rose of Summer." When Mrs. Hinges sings her best even the dead would like to sit up and take notice. It had some effect on Tom Richardson's development league.

Little Emily Squier, the child elocutionist, did two very clever stunts. As a rule elocutionists are bodes, but then there are elocutionists and elocutionists and Little Emily belongs exclusively to the latter class. It is interesting to be a child elocutionist, only it cannot last forever. It is said to be easy enough to keep one's age turned back. Its just like turning back a clock on the last day of the legislature, but one cannot keep a child from growing.

The band played something by Thomas and the little pickaninny brothers danced "Silver heels." The

## ADVANCING THEIR INTEREST

WE ENDEAVOR to advance the business interests of our customers in every legitimate way. In so doing, our motives may be somewhat tinged with selfishness, for, upon the prosperity of its patrons hinges the success of every bank.

**Salem State Bank**

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

pickaninny brothers are colored coons and are hued like a cake of 38 cent chocolate. A chrome colored artist always takes well in a mixed assembly.

The concert was not the only attraction at the fair last night. All the booths were open and there were two graphophones grinding away with remorseless and unplying deviltry. Yet some of the people did not leave the building. And it was not only those from the rural districts who hovered around those engines of barbarous and excruciating cruelty. It is not always the bucolic guest who displays the most marked simplicity. For simon pure provincialism give one a denizen of a town about the size of Portland.

It is a sin to laugh at a hair lipped man and a person born that way can not help being club footed but there is no excuse for a man to wear side whiskers or for a person to go in for graphophone music.

This dissertation on musical taste is entirely gratuitous and may be only the views of one, but it goes.

### Two Weeks Next Time.

Henry Downing, the president of the state board of agriculture says that if he remains on the bench another semester, there will be a state fair next year that will last like the seven year itch. He will vote for a show to run ten days or two weeks. He says that the trouble and expense is about as great for one week fair as it will be for a longer period and he wants an opportunity to dodge the hop rain.

It is believed that next year all of the 33 counties will be represented and instead of seven county exhibits there will be a third of a hundred.

On every hand is heard expressions of regret that the fair had no better mineral display. Oregon has some of the best and most producing gold mines in the world and copper mines too; but there is scarcely gold enough in the samples on exhibition to gild a Waterbury watch. The Sutherland sisters made more money in the rain yesterday with the baseballs and the doll babies than they would, had the weather been good.

### Portland Day.

Today is Portland day at the fair and the metropolis is doing the right thing as usual. Besides this, several other interesting events are going on. The Oregon sheriffs are holding a meeting for the betterment of their condition and to devise ways and means to better carry on the work and duties of their office.

### Pigeon Races.

One of the fair attraction yesterday was the second of a series of homing pigeon races between here and Portland and held under the auspices of the Homing club, of Portland. Six or eight birds were set free during the intermission between the races. Immediately on being liberated from the basket the pigeons flew straightaway in the direction of Portland without circulating about as they are often accustomed to do. It is thought that a new record will be established by this flight.

### Reform School Band.

The reform school band added to the gaiety of nations yesterday. The boys played well and never seemed to get tired. The open air concert

in front of the pavilion and at the grand stand and in the main building whenever they were asked to.

These boys took a splendid interest in the races and some of them will in after years become noted turfmen.

### The Track Was Heavy.

The interest in yesterday's racing centered in the Salem derby and in the 2:15 pace and both events were no disappointments. Naturally after the drenching rain of the night previous and the occasional showers of the morning, the track was muddy and heavy and resembled a harrowed piece of plowed ground rather than a race track. However the crowd was there and the grand stand was packed to overflowing and large numbers on the bleachers watched the events with much interest.

In the 2:15 pace Lord Lovelace was a hot favorite and took first in three successive heats. Lord Lovelace is owned by E. Burke Tongue, of Hillsboro, and can travel in fast company. He was the favorite in the betting ring, as well as on the grand stand.

The Oregon derby was the most keenly watched race of the day. As soon as the gallopers started the grand stand stood and the eyes of all remained on the runners, until Blue Eyes was declared the victor. The derby is one and one-eighth miles, with a \$500 purse of which \$100 went to second and \$50 to third. Without doubt this was the prettiest race of the day. The horses started well together and ran well bunched up nearly the entire distance when Blue Eyes took the lead and kept it till the finish. Blue Eyes was generally picked out as a winner for she had previously won the Seattle derby and had won a stake at Irvington park. They came under the wire: Blue Eyes, owned by P. Sheridan, first; Fury, second; Merry-go-round, third; time, 1:58 1/2.

In the 2:15 pace, Lord Lovelace won first; Ben W, second; Bonnie M, third; Dellah, fourth; time 2:30 1/2.

In the first heat Lord Lovelace came first, Dellah, second; Swift-water Bill, third, and Ben W, fourth. The second heat showed Lovelace again first; Bonnie M, second; Swift-water Bill, third; Dellah, fourth; and the third Lord Lovelace first; Ben W, second; Bonnie M, third, and Dellah, fourth.

In the three year old trot there were five entries and the final results were Lady W, first; Dalles Boy, second; the first and second heats were respectively made in 3:02 1/2 and 3:01.

The four and one-half furlongs, selling, purse \$150, of which \$30 to second and \$20 to third, for all ages, was won easily by Pimkin; B. C. Greene took second place, and Bill Short captured third. The start was one of the quickest even seen on the track. After the nags had traveled for about one-eighth of a mile two horses slipped and fell throwing their riders, but the boys suffered no injuries. The horses that fell by the wayside were Aileen and Grell ridden respectively by Willis and Sullivan; time 55 1/2.

Applause from the grand stand greeted the jockeys whose mounts fell, when they passed under the judge's stand.

In the three-quarter mile, selling, purse \$150, of which \$30 to second, and \$20 to third, for four year olds and up, Elba came in first, with Pelham as second, and Eldred, as third; time, 1:16 1/2.

### MYSTERIOUS BILLY SMITH.

Had Too Many Rounds With John Harleycorn.

"Mysterious" Billy Smith, the well-known ex-pugilist, and proprietor of the Atlantic Cafe, on Third street, Portland, and who has been in the limelight for several months by a series of divorce suits brought against him by his wife, had the gleam of publicity turned upon him last night, when he was placed under arrest for drunkenness, and the resisting of an officer on the streets. "Billy" was feeling like a fighting cock, and it took three policemen to land him in the city bastille, but Billy is not a hard man to handle when under the magic spell of the fiery fluids. This morning some of his friends put up \$50 bail, and Smith is again a free man. At the fair grounds, around the pool rooms, he is reported to have made himself somewhat troublesome.

### 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. Bo-san-ko'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. Bosanko, Phila. Pa.

## STATE BUSINESS MEN MEET

Addresses of Welcome from Local Officials.

Judge Baldwin was made chairman.

The convention, on motion of H. B. Thielsen, endorsed the Spokane four-state meeting.

Secretary C. C. Chapman read telegrams and letters from President Leadbetter and others.

E. Hofer moved that President Wilcox be requested to appoint a large delegation to the Spokane convention. Carried.

Judge Hailey offered a resolution endorsing the Water Users' convention demand for a commission to draft a bill to establish water rights. Adopted.

Vice-President Thielsen, on behalf of the Salem Commercial Club, thanked the delegates attending, and expressed appreciation for their visit. His remarks were applauded.

Editor Bennett, of The Dalles, for State Development League, expressed the good will of the delegates from outside the state. All had been well treated, and the local committee had done their work well.

He opposed adopting any resolutions or endorsing any project or improvement of any river or harbor or irrigation project.

Judge Scott called attention to the government model good road at the fair grounds.

Colonel Hofer stated, on behalf of the Willamette Valley Development League, that the organization had stood for free locks at Oregon City, for deepening the channel of the Columbia and Willamette rivers, for opening a great harbor on the west coast, for competition in transportation and competition in markets. The grain raisers of the Willamette valley had lost five to fifteen cents a bushel on every crop for 20 years on account of the absence of competition. He said better conditions were being brought about, and recently the price of wheat had been raised five cents a bushel, after a conference between Messrs. Ladd and Wilcox, at Portland, who are in control of the large Willamette valley flouring mills. The thanks of the producers was due them.

Peter Loggie, of Coos Bay, gave his experiences in getting support for the improvement of that harbor. He had received unanimous support in that city, and from the commercial bodies of the whole state. Coos Bay was bound to be a great factor in the development of the whole state, and was proud to have the endorsement of the whole state. He would not offer a resolution at this time, but would trust Coos Bay on its merits alongside of the Columbia river. His remarks were applauded. He was ably supported by C. M. Sain, editor of the Coos Bay Harbor, at North Bend. Judge Hailey proposed a motto: "Throw away your hammer." Applause. Mr. Bennett made another speech, and there were a few more boosting speeches, and adjournment was had.

### COMPANIES ORGANIZE.

Articles of Incorporation Granted Enterprises Backed by Oregon Capital.

The following companies filed their articles of incorporation in the office of the secretary of state yesterday:

Glazier Irrigation Company, of Mt. Hood, Wasco county; incorporators, Granville C. Ruef, William L. Hackabay, James R. Rees; capital stock \$10,000.

The Trustee Company, of Portland; incorporators, W. D. Wood, A. L. Hawley, James B. Meikel, J. Coeh Flanders, H. H. Parker, A. G. Gehhart; capital stock, \$400,000.

Ames Bag Manufacturing Company, of Portland; incorporators, Zera Snow, C. N. McArthur, Wallace McCamant; capital stock, \$100,000.

### Some Fell by the Wayside.

City Recorder Moores attended to several cases this morning in short order. A few fines were levied, and several told to wipe the Salem mud off their feet and "git." A useless bit of advice, so far as the mud was concerned, for there would be plenty left if they had taken their boots fall along.

The people of Western Oregon must learn to fight their own battles, and not depend on imported talent to do things for them.

## BARNES MUST HANG

It is Not Probable that Governor Will Interfere With Execution of Sentence.

It is entirely improbable that Governor Chamberlain will interfere with the execution of the sentence in the case of John C. Barnes, sentenced to be hanged for the murder of William Graham.

Within the past week a strong effort was made to have the governor pardon Barnes on the grounds that the corpus delicti was not proven at the trial, and there was no motive shown for the murder. The application for the pardon was signed by several of the trial jurors. Governor Chamberlain has received letters from Judge L. T. Harris, who presided at the trial, and also from the district attorney, who reviewed the evidence, who also state that the signatures of the jurors were obtained by misrepresentation. The judge and the district attorney say the murder was a cold-blooded one, and they recommend that the law be allowed to take its course.

On the first day of May of last year the bones of a human skeleton were found in a burning pile of logs near Glendale, Douglas county, and nearby was found a belt belonging to the murdered man. Barnes was found to have the dead man's pistol, knife, nugget of gold and diamond ring. Other strong circumstantial evidence was given at the trial.

Barnes had a bad record. He served time in the penitentiary for larceny. After his release, he was again sentenced to 20 years for a criminal assault on his half-sister, a girl of 12 years of age. After serving seven years of this time he was pardoned by Governor Sylvester Pennoyer. Governor Pennoyer was criticized for using executive clemency in this case.

Unless something unforeseen arises to prevent it, Barnes will be executed at the penitentiary next Tuesday between noon and 12:30 o'clock.

Mayor Waters kept his agreement to have the principal streets sprinkled.

## SEATTLE TURNS IT DOWN

Proposition to Purchase Street Railway System Is Rejected.

Seattle, Sept. 13.—The proposed municipal ownership of the street railway system was defeated Tuesday by a vote of 5974 for, 7166 against.

The result is better than the most sanguine components of the issue anticipated, the expectation being that the municipal ownership party would poll a majority of the votes. Three-fifths of the total vote cast was necessary to carry the proposition. The defeat is attributed principally to the fact that heavy taxpayers and small property owners objected to an increase of taxation. The vote on the issue of \$500,000 bonds for the Lake Washington canal was overwhelmingly carried, which practically insures the construction of the canal. The vote to issue bonds for the extension of the city water system also carried.

### ROSEBURG SYSTEM BOUGHT.

Willamette Valley Company Expected to Extend Line to Coast.

Information was received at Roseburg Tuesday night that the waterworks and electric light systems of this place had been sold to the Willamette Valley Company. Already this company has secured similar systems in cities along the line from Portland south as far as Cottage Grove, and now the purchase of the Roseburg system seems to point to the fact that the proposed electric line will not only be built to accommodate the Willamette Valley, but will be extended to this place.

It is believed the road is to be extended to Coos Bay, and the route likely to be selected will be by way of this place and over the route through Camas valley and down the Coquille river to Myrtle Point.

A State Development League in the future should not consist of ring-master and clown attachments.

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Same style coat, self-lined, neatly trimmed, fine quality, price only, \$6.75

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