

**SOCIAL GOSSIP**

**Stalnaker-Patton Wedding.**

A marriage of interest to Salem friends was that of Miss Letha Patton to Mr. Owen B. Stalnaker of Albany. The wedding occurred on July 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Patton, in Halsey, and the young couple are now taking a trip across the continent.

The bride has visited in Salem quite often as a guest of Miss Bessie Frisby. She is a charming young woman and beautiful as charming. On her wedding day she wore a costume of white silk organdie and carried white carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Lyla, who wore pink organdie and carried pink sweet peas. The bride's traveling costume was of brown silk and was very becoming.

**Lawn Social.**

A pretty lawn fete was given by the Ladies Aid society of the Central Congregational church Tuesday evening on the church grounds. There was a large number of guests, and the grounds indeed presented a pleasing sight. The music, soft and low, ideal for a summer night, was furnished by the reform school band. Pretty girls in light summery costumes presided over the small tables, where refreshments were served. The grounds were illuminated with electric lights.

Aside from the young ladies who assisted in serving, much credit for the success of the affair is due to Mrs. C. Van Patton, Mrs. Gleason, Miss Stevens, Mrs. Farrington, Mrs. Arthur Reid and Mrs. Milton Reid.

**State Prison Entertainment.**

There was a delightful entertainment given at the Oregon state prison last night, through the courtesy of Mrs. Edith Tozier Weathered, who is interested in the Prisoners' Aid Society work of Oregon, in which Mrs. Sylvia W. McGuire, of Portland, was the principal performer. Mrs. McGuire gave readings and impersonations of the southern negro, with his dialect and folk-lore. She is one of the most talented artists in the line of dramatic renditions, and gave the prisoners an evening of pure pleasure, which was shared by a number of visitors.

**A Honolulu Function.**

Mrs. Frederic Church was the charming hostess of a swimming party on Thursday afternoon at the Seaside Hotel, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Jack London. The guests assembled under the hau trees and an hour was delightfully spent in sporting with the waves. Both Mr. and Mrs. London are perfect swimmers and enjoy a dip in the surf like school children. Mrs. London always looks very fetching in her jaunty bathing suit, and can perform many difficult feats. After the bath a delicious tea was served in the private dining room, so artistically hung with old tapa cloth and Oriental rugs. Mrs. Church was prettily dressed in an embroidered white linen. The guests included, besides the Londons, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Case Deering, Dr. and Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Bergen, Mrs. Nevins, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hawes, Jr., Miss Harvey, Miss Alice McFarlane, Miss Marion Roth, Mr. Robert Shingle, Mr. "Sonny" MacFarlane, Mr. William Roth and Mr. Frederic Church.—Honolulu Bulletin.

**Constipation.**

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**THE CHURCHES**

**First Presbyterian**

Church street near Chemeketa street, Rev. Henry T. Babcock, pastor. Morning service at 10:30 a. m., preaching by the pastor, theme, "Faithfulness in Social Worship." Annual offering for board of church erection will be taken. Sunday school at 12 m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m., preaching by the pastor, theme, "Disappointed Professors of Christ." The church will be closed for the month of August on account of repairs. Sunday school and midweek meetings will be held if possible. Definite announcements to be made later. There can be no prayer meeting though this coming Thursday. Wednesday afternoon and evening our Sunday school will have a picnic on Fairmount hill. A car will be chartered and will start from the corner of Church and Chemeketa streets early in the afternoon. The time will be announced in church and in the papers. All departments including the primary and home departments are invited.

**First Congregational.**

Center and Liberty streets, F. E. Dell, pastor. The pastor will occupy the pulpit at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Theme for morning hour will be, "Some Lessons Drawn from the Sinking of the Steamship Columbia." Subject for evening consideration, "The One Foundation." Sunday school at 12 m. Young Peoples' meeting at 7 o'clock. Prayed meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday school teachers' meeting is held immediately after prayer meeting. Public most kindly invited.

**Baptist.**

The morning service at 10:30, the pastor, Dr. J. R. Comer, preaching, theme, "The Service We Should Give." Sunday school at 12 m. The Young Peoples society will hear from the Seattle delegates at 7 p. m. At 8 p. m. sermon on "The Preaching of Jesus." The male chorus will sing at all the regular services of the church. You are cordially invited, and all will be welcome.

**First Christian.**

Corner High and Center streets. Preaching by the pastor, D. Errett, at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Respective themes, "A Church With a Future," and "The External and the Internal Forces of Life." Bible school, 12 m. Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting Thursday evening. A cordial invitation to all to these services.

**First Methodist.**

Rev. W. H. Selleck will preach at 10:30 a. m. on "Serving One's Own Generation," and at 8 p. m. on "Looking for a Wife." This is the second in a series on "Marriage and the Home," and is especially addressed to young men. Miss Nina Johnson and Miss Vera Byars will sing solos. Miss Mary Wann will lead the Epworth League at 7 p. m.

**St. Joseph's Catholic.**

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost. First mass at 7 a. m. Solemn high mass at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by Rev. Father McGee. After solemn high mass Father McGee will give his first blessing to the congregation. Vespers and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Rev. A. Moore, pastor.

**St. Paul's Episcopal.**

Chemeketa and Church streets. Rev. Barr G. Lee, rector. Ninth Sunday after Trinity. Services at 7:30 and 11 a. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. No evening service. During August there will be no services nor Sunday school.

**W. C. T. U.**

There will be a gospel temperance meeting at the hall, corner of Ferry and Commercial streets, at 4 p. m. Sunday, July 28th. A cordial invitation to all.

**Lutheran St. John's.**

Regular Sunday service at 10 a. m. in the German Lutheran St. John's church, corner Center and Fourteenth streets. Geo. Engel, pastor.

**Central Congregational.**

Rev. F. C. Butler will conduct service at 8 p. m. No forenoon service. Sunday school and Endeavor meeting at usual hours. Business meeting and Bible study Thursday evening. Gospel Chapel.

Fifteenth and Mill streets. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Testimony and praise at 7 p. m. Friday evening prayer meeting.

**A Wonderful Happening.**

Port Byron, N. Y., has witnessed one of the most remarkable cases of healing ever recorded. Amos F. King, of that place says: "Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured a sore on my leg with which I had suffered over 80 years. I am now eighty-five." Guaranteed to cure all sores. By J. C. Perry, druggist. 25c.

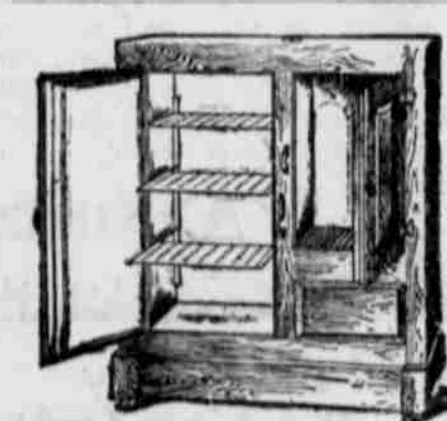


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- Cottage Art Carpet - - - 30c
- Good Union Carpet - - - 40c
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**Chemewa Commencement.**  
The annual commencement of the Chemewa Indian Training school will be held on Sunday, July 28, Tuesday, July 30 and Wednesday, July 31. These entertainments in the past have been among the most interesting of the year's social events and doubtless this season's commencement will be up to its predecessors standard of excellence.  
Rev. J. R. Comer, D. D., of the First Baptist church of this city, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, July 28, at 3:45 p. m.  
The following is the class which will be graduated on Tuesday, July 30 at 2:45 p. m.:  
Ella Brewer, Puyallup; Robert Cameron, Walla Walla; Peter Casay, Hyda; Henry Dillstrom, Modoc; Lizzie Frazier, Klamath; Dore Gray, Shasta; Robert Davis, Lummi; Apis Goudy, Yakima; Josie Peone, Colville; Sara Pierce, Klamath; Philip Sorahan, Washoe; Nora Van Pelt, Chetco; George Washoe, Washoe; Peter Seltice, Coeur D'Alene.  
The class colors are green and gold and "Try, Trust and Triumph" is the class motto.  
The following is the commencement program:  
**Sunday, July 28.**  
3:45 p. m. Baccalaureate sermon.  
**Tuesday, July 30.**  
10:00 a. m. Inspection industrial departments.  
2:45 p. m. Graduating exercises.  
6:00 p. m. Band concert.  
**Wednesday, July 31.**  
10:00 a. m. Annual cross country run.  
1:00 p. m. Field sports.  
6:00 p. m. Dress parade.  
7:45 p. m. Operata, "The Japanese Girl."

**Election in the Philippines.**  
Washington, July 27.—Tuesday will be election day in the land of the little brown brother, and Washington is awaiting with considerable interest the returns from the initial experiment of a partially independent government for Uncle Sam's oriental dependency. According to cable advices from Manila, the Filipinos are manifesting considerable interest in their first political campaign, although the masses, who are not qualified to vote, are naturally enough not evincing any wild enthusiasm. Washington officials who have spent more or less time in the Philippines believe that the property-owners and well-to-do classes will prefer to continue the present regime. Although the campaign has been for the most part quiet, the bitterest rivalry has characterized certain factions in Manila. One of the most active of the politicians, Dr. Dominador Gomez, was landed in jail on account of incendiary speeches in which he attempted to arouse the "embreys" to revolution against the United States. He vilified the Yankee invaders as "swine" and otherwise comported himself in such a manner as to earn the right to exclusive possession of a cell in the jail. This kind of revolutionary campaigning is common in the native quarter of Manila, but the authorities have as a rule overlooked and condoned it as a safety valve for an excitable and unstable people.  
Among Washingtonians versed in the ways of the brown brother the widest difference of opinion prevails as to the wisdom of allowing him to manufacture his own laws at home. Those who hold to the doctrine of imperialism and the "white man's burden" believe that congress and the Washington officials know best what is good for the Filipino, and that to

allow him to decide what he wants for himself is the rankest folly. Others hold that the right to vote and hold office, so dear to the American heart, should follow the flag. It was more in sorrow than in anger that the boys in khaki chased the Tagalog over the plains of Thingumbob, seeking opportunity to pump his system full of bullets and bad booze. Now that he has been civilized, say the optimistic friends of universal liberty, he should be given an opportunity to work out his own salvation.  
The Filipino assembly will consist of 81 members, to be voted for next Tuesday by adult male citizens, who must be over 23 years of age, able to read and write in Spanish or English, who pay as much as 30 pesos a year in taxes, and who have not borne arms against the United States since May, 1901, nor violated any oath of allegiance to the United States.  
The acts of the assembly cannot become operative until they have been concurred in by the Philippine commission, which will bear about such relation to the assembly as the senate bears to the house of representatives.  
While this is a very short step toward complete independence for the Filipinos, it is at least a step, and further progress toward that end will be largely dependent upon the natives themselves.  
**Special Eastern Excursion rates.**  
May 20, 21, June 6, 7, 8, July 3, 4, 5, August 5, 9, 10, September 11, 12, 13. To Chicago and return, \$73.15. St. Louis and return, \$69.15. St. Paul and return, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Sioux City, St. Joe, Kansas City and return \$61.65.  
WM. M'MURRAY,  
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**X-RAYS**  
When an auto kills its owner it is generally an "auto-da-fe."  
Joaquin Miller says he intends to seek the nomination for the presidency. This country might do worse than elect Miller. It might, for instance, elect Borah or Hawley.  
The Journal is not disposed to kick at the mail service, but when Albany and Eugene papers are kept getting to Salem than the San Francisco papers there is surely something that needs fixing. It isn't the fault of the papers, for they are as slow.  
Two men with a cart are busy with a great deal of the time gathering the slab wood off the streets. If the city increases a little the city can get its winter fuel that way.  
State street is well sprinkled with the dust laid, due to the enterprise of Hal Patton. It seems Commencement street has no Hal Patton. But the fact, there are not many in Oregon.  
The dispatches state that the town of Techenoschin is burning this morning. It is hoped the name will be too badly scorched to be repeated.  
**He Fired the Stick.**  
"I have fired the walking-stick I've carried over 40 years, on account of a sore that resisted every kind of treatment, until I tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve; that has healed the sore and made me a happy man," writes John Garrett, of North Carolina. Guaranteed for Piles, Hemorrhoids, etc., by J. C. Perry druggist. 25c.