

SMILES

Alderman Bayne believes in having even a dry jail.

Albany will extend the city boundaries. The present limits are too dry.

While the men have for two years been trying to pave, the women have established a city library.

The average Salemite will not want the privileges of the city jail if those screens are put on the windows so no beer can go in.

Did you say school books?

More streets paved last night by resolution.

Lots of good ideas in it, gentlemen.

The mayor has barred himself from office by the new charter which prohibits any person from holding two offices.

The new charter fixes an eight-hour day for all but the members of the council. They may labor all night.

Some gentlemen are attributing the prosperity of Eugene to the fact that it is a dry town. Paving 25 blocks of streets and a \$30,000 depot by the Southern Pacific is certainly whizzing. What have those things to do with local option? Our city fathers seem to prefer to throw rocks at the Southern Pacific Company, and each meeting of the city council witnesses demands for the erection of new cowbell alarms at street crossings. The franchise of the General Electric Company is to be attacked in the courts. The dollar gas ordinance is to be rushed through, and the erection of a new gas plant nipped in its infancy. The dry town of Eugene is putting up a \$60,000 bonus for a new electric rail road, while here prominent city politicians are arranging for a white-wash at the hands of the grand jury and to have their names inscribed on a brass plate on the North Commercial street folly. In the mean time a charter is submitted that will perpetuate the present city council, but they will have their powers restricted to purely legislative functions, with a board of public works to stand between them and the community to guard it against all harm. Let the merry war go on and it will be interesting to see where Salem will be in the next census.

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X-RAYS

Samuel G. Blythe, representing the Saturday Evening Post, visited Portland. He saw the sun of a perfect Oregon day rise above the purple robed ridges of the Cascades. His eyes looked upon the sweep of undulating beauty that, like a sea of emerald, mile after mile lay spread before him, until it lifted in grand terraces and fir-clad ridges up to the snow-covered majesty of the mighty peaks. He saw afar the grand canyon of the Columbia, with its majestic walls towering thousands of feet above the amethystine flood of the snow-born river, their ruggedness softened by the purple veil that nature in her daintiest moods hangs over them! He saw the Willamette, a thread of silver, laced over the valley of emerald, and lifting from the grand mountain ranges peak after peak, pure as the soul of a child, white as the robes of an angel! And over all this he saw skies of turquoise and amethyst, beyond the power of words to describe or art to copy, and then Samuel sat him down and wrote about the art of "eating crawfish," and tried to be witty. It is probably against the law to kill that kind of microbes. And yet if some one would put an extra dose of formaldehyde in Sammy's milk supply, the coroner's jury would be justified in overlooking it.

Samuel G. Blythe, a callow youth in the employ of the Saturday Evening Post, was sent to the coast to write it up. He did. He overlooked Portland entirely, and when a roar was made by Portland papers over the fact, Samuel was taken out of his crib by his mamma and reminded that Portland was on the map. The Saturday Evening Post apologized, and Samuel, after much cudgeling of his little think tank, sat up and wrote what he knew about Portland. He remembered he saw some roses there, that other people on the coast called Portlanders "Web Feet" and that people in that beighted burg ate crawfish. And the subject this literary Little Lord Fountleroy wrote upon was "The Mastery of the Pacific," and this before he has learned to handle the nipple end of the literary nursing bottle.

Rev. W. H. Selleck evidently belongs to the church militant. He brings home about everything there was in sight at the conference. A new district, a presiding elder with residence in Salem, a delegate to the general conference, and the conference to be held in Salem next year. If there was anything else he probably overlooked it.

Bishop Moore, at the M. E. conference, among other things, said: "I don't suppose you think you have much of a bishop here, for while I have been at the head of the church for four years I have been constantly on the move, and have been prevented from giving as close attention to conditions here as I should like, but before the year is over you will realize that you have a bishop, after all, and you will be handing me nosebags on silver platters." The good bishop evidently handed himself a nosebag, so as to get used to the sensation.

One of the juror's in the Borah trial is slightly crazy, and fears are entertained that the trial will have to be postponed. As the crazy one was likely to take a sensible view of the matter on his own hook, and pay no attention to the paid assertions of the attorneys, or the dictum of the judge.

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Wants Gans' Shoes.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—Manager McCarry, of Los Angeles, is after a match between "Pecky" McFarland and George Memsic to fight for the lightweight title laid down by Joe Gans. Last night he telegraphed East to McFarland, offering him the match for a percentage of the gate receipts. McFarland is about the only contender in lightweight circles that would draw well on the coast, and is the only man that has a claim to the title given up by the colored wonder. Gans was weakening fast and was hardly able to raise his arms after the fight.

Neither Want War.

Tokio, Oct. 1.—When Secretary of War Taft declared at the municipal banquet given in his honor that "a war between the United States and Japan would be a crime to civilization," he was greeted with the wildest cheers. "Neither people desire a war," he said. The banquet was attended by many officials, and prominent Japanese.

Bag Got Away.

San Francisco, Oct. 1.—The monster gas bag of the Morrel airship scheduled to take flight today, broke from the anchor ropes and shot high into the air. It floated away toward San Mateo, and has not been recaptured as yet.

NOTICE OF INTENTION

To Improve a Portion of State Street in the City of Salem, Oregon, and to Improve the Railway Track of the Portland General Electric Co., on State Street in Said City from the West Line of Church Street to the West Line of Twelfth Street.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Salem, Oregon, deems it expedient to improve and proposes to improve a strip of land seven feet wide in the center of State street from the west line of Church street to the west line of Twelfth street in said city, and the railway track of the Portland General Electric Company on said street between said points by placing the track of said Portland General Electric Company in the center of said State street, between the west line of Church street and the west line of Twelfth street in said city, and on the grade of said portion of said State street, and by paving said seven feet with a stone block pavement on a concrete foundation between the street car rails and one foot outside of the rails, and by relaying the rails of said railway track with seven-inch grooved rails on a concrete base. The said improvement of said strip of land and said railway track to be made in accordance with the plans and specifications for the doing of said work now on file in the office of the City Recorder of Salem, Oregon, and marked respectively "Plan of Improvement of Street Car Track on State Street" and "Improvement of the Track of the Portland General Electric Company on a Portion of State Street—Specifications," said plans and specifications being filed in said office September 23, 1907. All work of said work to be done at the expense of the Portland General Electric Company. W. A. MOORES, Recorder of the City of Salem, Oregon. 9-28-11

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