

PUBLIC BAND FOR THIS CITY

A meeting was held in the board of trade rooms last evening by the entertainment committee of the board of trade, that will, without a doubt, bring forth results, both in a business way and entertainment, which will be one of the greatest boosts the Capital City has ever had at the hands of the various committees of the board of trade. The object of the meeting was to make arrangements for raising funds that would enable them to sustain one of the largest brass bands on the coast, composed of musicians capable of rendering nothing but first class music, and it was finally decided that the committee begin at once and raise the necessary funds which will amount to \$2500, and if successful, a leader will be appointed and the band formed as soon as possible in order that the public may have the benefit of the entertainment during the summer months when a band is the most appreciable.

There is nothing which could be more gratifying to the out of town people residing in the vicinity of Salem, than the opportunity of hearing some excellent music, and for this reason, it was decided that on every Saturday, afternoon, the band will play in the business district of the city throughout the afternoons, and thus providing other inducements than business only for the Saturday visitors. A Wednesday night concert will also be given as well as a Sunday afternoon concert. The Sunday concerts will not be for one or two hours duration, but the larger part of the afternoon will be taken up, and both parks will be played in alternately.

The committee will contract with the chosen leader, whose services will be given to them accordingly, and the band will not only play the concerts, but will furnish music for all celebrations such as the Fourth, Decoration Day, and other public places.

The matter of requesting the proprietors of the many different stores in the city to keep light lit in the show windows during the concert evenings, was also taken up by the committee who will act accordingly. Lighted show windows lend a good appearance to the business district especially.

Those of the committee attending the meeting last night were: Dr. Harry Olinger, Claude Belle, Chas. McNary, Eugene Eckerlen, Fred Fish, Frank Meyers, Chauncey Bishop, J. Wenger and E. T. Barnes. In all probability the committee will begin the canvas Thursday.

Biliousness and Constipation.

For years I was troubled with biliousness and constipation, which made life miserable for me. My appetite failed me. I lost my usual force and vitality. Pepsin preparations and cathartics only made matters worse. I do not know where I should have been today had I not tried Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. The tablets relieve the ill feeling at once, strengthen the digestive functions, purify the stomach, liver and blood, helping the system to do its work naturally. —Mrs. Rosa Potts, Birmingham, Ala. These tablets are for sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

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BIG INCREASE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

According to the city school superintendent's monthly report, which he presented to the members of the school board last Saturday evening at the regular school meeting, the Salem schools are steadily growing, as the number of students now registered are 2625, or an increase of 25 pupils during the month of April over that of the preceding month.

A special meeting was arranged for next Saturday for the purpose of electing teachers for the ensuing year. There will be about forty teachers to choose, but many of them will be re-instated.

Mis View.

"What do you think of the land-lady's fruit salads?"
"Just a scheme," answered the peevish boarder, "for serving prunes as a hash." Kansas City Journal.

In Humble Life.

The two newboys were fighting desperately over a game of craps. "Frenzied finance," mused the professor, passing on.—Chicago Tribune.

Birds As They Sleep.

The nightcap preparations of the chubby little quail are very interesting. Each evening the covey forms in a new place, and this selection of the spot entails serious efforts. Bobwhite never quite loses remembrance of the many dangers which make his life in a wild state one great feat. A white throated male with soft clucks calls together a dozen of his comrades, and for a few minutes they all huddle together, but soon from the farther end of the aviary a clear "Whew-bobwhite!" rings out, and off scurry the whole band, this time perhaps to settle for the night in the new place—a dense circle of little forms, heads all facing out, just as in their native stubble they rest facing in every direction, so that at the first hint of danger from any point of the compass the covey may explode and go booming off in safety. Poor little fellows, their wild life is strenuous indeed! Well for their race 18 eggs instead of three or four! 178 eggs instead of three or four!

The woodpecker sleeps resting upon their tails, even the flickers invariably following this custom, although during the day the flickers spend much of their time perching in a passerine manner, crosswise upon a twig. Small birds, such as thrushes and warblers, sleep usually upon some small twig, with heads tucked behind wings in orthodox bird fashion, but they occasionally vary this in a remarkable way by clinging all night to the vertical wires of their cages, sleeping apparently as soundly in this as in the usual position of rest. A bluebird in a small cage slept thus about one or two nights out of each week. Any explanation of this voluntary and widespread habit among perching birds would be difficult to suggest.

The little hanging parakeets derive their name from their custom of sleeping always in a reversed position, and when distributed over their roosting tree they resemble some strange, pendant, green fruit rather than sleeping birds.—Outing Magazine.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike county, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at J. C. Perry's drug store. 50c. and \$1.00 Trial bottle free.

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