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ENTHUSIASTIC BEGINNING OF CHERRY FAIR UNITED STATES BATTLESHIPS ARE RUSHED TO HONDURAS

BOND SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE ROLLING IN FOR SALEM-STAYTON ELECTRIC LINE

LINE THAT WILL TAP A RICH CONTIGUOUS COUNTRY WITH SIX GOOD TOWNS AND THE PEOPLE ON THE LINE ARE ANXIOUS FOR A CONNECTION WITH THE COUNTY SEAT AND CAPITAL.

The committee of the Business Men's league met again today at 10 o'clock in their campaign to raise a \$100,000 bond subscription for the immediate construction of the Salem-Stayton electric railroad. The telephone and the mails brought them very encouraging reports, and the morning train brought Banker Freres of Stayton, who has been the leading spirit on the upper end of the line. Committees are working at Turner, Aumsville and Stayton. The line will run within three-fourths of a mile of Sublimity and the people of Kingston, Stayton,

Sublimity, Shaw, Aumsville and Turner will be accommodated and brought into closer contact with the county seat and capital and people from Salem will be given a line to the beautiful streams and hunting grounds on the Santiam.

Eighteen thousand and nine hundred dollars was subscribed the first day and today will see a substantial addition to the sum. The bonds are first class security, as the following letter from Banker Freres at Stayton will show:

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CHERRY CITY IS SALEM

CARNIVAL BEGINS

BASEBALL GAME STARTS THE DAY'S CELEBRATION — PARADE FINE PAGEANT—HORSE-WOMEN AND GALLANT CHIEF.

The great 1908 Cherry Fair is on, and Salem, the Cherry City of the world is celebrating. Once more the city rings with the noise of carnival and merry making; again the crowds are here, and once more all roads lead to Salem. All day the steam and electric railroads have been taxed to their capacity bringing the multitude to the Cherry City, and the average daily crowd during the reign of the Cherry King promises to eclipse the temporary population of the city on the recent Fourth.

The balloon ascension, which was to have opened the Fair, was postponed until this evening, owing to a puncture of the big bag.

The first baseball tournament of the Cherry Fair, which was played at 10 o'clock this morning on Willamette field, between the Albany and Chemawa teams, proved an exciting contest. The two teams were evenly matched, and at the end of the ninth inning the score stood 5 to 5. In the tenth, the Alce team of Albany scored a beautiful run, and the game closed with the final score of 6 to 5.

Hardly had the preliminary features of the day been executed when the big formal event, the parade was ready. Never has a finer pageant passed through the streets of Salem. Promptly at 1:30 the procession formed in Marion square, and at 2:00 o'clock it was passing in review of the admiring thousands.

The Gibson Girls! Is it possible that anybody missed them? Fifty beautiful young ladies on horseback lead by Salem's invincible chief; it was sight never to be forgotten, the feature of the parade, and a spectacle, the like of which has never been seen in the Cherry City.

Then came the long looked-for and hitherto mysterious Cherry King, mounted upon one of the most gorgeous of floats, and the question that has been on the lips of every Salemite for the past week was answered. The king is C. L. Starr, of the state board of normal school regents, manager of the famous Capitol team of the Salem Twilight league, popular citizen, baseball fan and booster in general.

The Salem Military band never appeared to better advantage. The 15 musicians under the direction of Tex Stoudenmeyer were trained to the minute, and it was no wonder that the 50 fiery steeds of the Gibson Girls pranced to the music of the band.

The high school float was one of the good things of the parade, and it reflected a great deal of credit upon the students who constructed it. The big wagon was decorated in the colors of the school, and also in the Cherry Fair colors. All the activities of the high school were represented; such as baseball football, tennis, basketball, etc. In the center of the float was a huge coffin, labeled "Our Rivals." This was one of the big hits of the parade.

More decorated automobiles, buggies, and carriages were in line than

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WARSHIPS OFF TO HONDURAS

AROUND THE HORN

VICKSBURG AND PRINCETON GETS ORDERS TO MAKE HONDURAS — FOURTEEN THOUSAND MILE TRIP.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Washington, July 16.—Orders have been issued by the war department for the gunboats Vicksburg and Princeton to proceed at once around the horn to the Caribbean sea, a distance of 14,000 miles. The vessels are out of commission. The Vicksburg is at Mare Island and the Princeton is at Bremerton. Conditions in Honduras are responsible for the rush.

The gunboats will stop at Amapala where the cruiser Albany is now stationed.

Orders have also been issued for the gunboat Marietta now at Jamaica, to proceed at once to Porto Cortez on the east coast, toward which General Le Christmas is headed with a rebel army. The cruiser Tacoma now at Panama, is directed to stop at Porto Cortez to observe conditions also.

BAN ON SUNDAY BASEBALL

TO BE ATTEMPTED

MINISTERS WILL TRY TO STOP SABBATH SPORT AS VIOLATING LAW — MANAGERS SAY THEY WILL PLAY.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

A committee of three Salem ministers, headed by Rev. William Robinson, of the Presbyterian church, called upon Manager Heyser, of the Salem baseball team, today and warned the latter that if Sunday games are played in the future the players will be arrested for violating the Sunday law.

Heyser responded:

"You may as well get your warrants ready, for we shall play the Tri-City league game next Sunday according to schedule."

The game is to be played with the Frakes team, of Portland. The ministers have been considering the matter for some time, and have made up their minds and will endeavor to stop the Sunday games.

ATLANTIC SQUADRON IN HAWAII

TRIP SUCCESSFUL

ANCHOR IN PEARL HARBOR—BIG TIME IN STORE FOR OFFICERS AND MEN — JAPS JOIN IN.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Honolulu, July 16.—Completing the first leg of their voyage around the world from San Francisco to New York, 12 vessels of the American battleship fleet anchored at Pearl harbor today, welcomed with fireworks and the cheers of a tremendous throng.

When the great fighting machines passed Molokai at daylight, the lower colony saluted them with fireworks and a brass band composed of members of the colony played the "Star and Stripes." When the ships were sighted from port the hills were black with cheering people who had assembled to welcome the visiting bluejackets to the last home port they will see until they arrive at Manila. Deafening cheers arose from thousands of throats as the battleships swung toward shore and a great blaze of day fireworks carried the message of welcome to the men of the sea.

As soon as the warships were resting safely at anchor the commanding officers boarded their barges and visited the Connecticut to make their formal report to Rear Admiral Sperry. When this duty was disposed of the commander in chief of the fleet came ashore and made his official call upon Governor Frear.

Saturday evening Admiral Sperry and his officers will be the guests of the governor at dinner. Monday they will be entertained by the chief justice of the supreme court.

An elaborate program for the entertainment of the men from the fleet has been prepared and the enlisted men will be included in each event, with the exception of a few private dinners given to officers by personal friends here. Dances, banquets, excursions and theaters will be opened to every man wearing the uniform of Uncle Sam's navy, whether he be of ward room or enlisted as "A. B." The Japanese of Honolulu will be prominent in the reception. They flew the American flag and joined justly in the cheering. This city is in its best gala attire and the occasion is being made the gayest and most joyous the city has ever seen.

TERRORIZED BY A PIERCE MURDERER

(United Press Leased Wire.)
Marysville, Cal., July 16.—Adolph Jules, the Italian who murdered Antonio Liberatos and Giovanni Puccini in cold blood at camp 20 on the Western Pacific railroad 25 miles east of Oroville, is today roaming the hills of the Big Bar region, terrorizing every resident in the lonely country.

Last night he appeared at the cabin of a lonely prospector 10 miles from the scene of Wednesday's killing and compelled the prospector at the point of his rifle to give him supper. Jules had cut all telephone wires near the camp before he committed the murders so he could have a good start before the officers could be notified.

Let everybody join the Sunshine club and smile.

CARNIVAL PROGRAM

Daily Attractions.

10:00 A. M.—Balloon ascension at Cottage and Court streets.
3:30 and 7:30 P. M.—Slide for life from top of court house.
3:30 and 8:00 P. M.—Hire wire act in front of big tent on Church and Court streets; Carnival attractions in front of postoffice.

FRIDAY, JULY 17

10:00 A. M.—Inspection of exhibit at pavilion.
11:30 P. M.—Baseball at University grounds, Turner vs. Fairmount
3:00 P. M.—Band concert, instrumental and vocal music at pavilion.
7:30 P. M.—Band concert, instrumental and vocal music at pavilion.
8:30 P. M.—Grand Cherry ball, Center and Front streets.

SATURDAY, JULY 18

Portland Day.

11:00 A. M.—Arrival of the Portland delegation. Escorted by band to pavilion.
11:30 A. M.—Reception, cherry pavilion, court house square. Lunch
1:30 P. M.—Baseball, championship game.
2:00 P. M.—Address of welcome at pavilion and inspection of cherry exhibit. Instrumental and vocal music.
7:00 P. M. Mardi Gras—Parade. Largest of this kind ever seen in Salem. Battle of confetti.

TWENTY-FIVE DROWNED AT MANILA, P. I.

(United Press Leased Wire.)

Manila, July 16.—Twenty-five persons were drowned today when a pleasure launch foundered today. Three of the victims were Americans and one of them is supposed to have been a surgeon in the United States army.

The launch was carry 75 passengers to Corregidor island when the disaster occurred. Details of the wreck are lacking.

Every grocer is requested to donate cherries to the Board of Trade to distribute to the visitors from Portland and other points in souvenir cornucopias. Help the Fair along by bringing some of your cherries for the visitors.

Those who fail to clean up their yards are entitled to a sensitive corn on their conscience.

WILL GET A NEW FRANCHISE

Franklin T. Griffith, of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Co., after several days hard work with the franchise committee of the city council has secured a favorable report on the new amended charter of his corporation to do business in this city. The old requirement about planking certain streets has been struck out and several minor changes. The city secures many valuable concessions and the company gets some. On the whole it is considered a very fair adjustment of the differences that have heretofore existed, and both sides are to be congratulated.

CHICAGO STORE

PEOPLES BARGAIN HOUSE

SALEM, OREGON

CLEARING SALE CONTINUED

If you want the newest goods and the Best Bargains that were ever offered in this part of the world come to the CHICAGO STORE and get our Prices in the different departments during our Clearing Sale. Remember we are the makers of Low Prices.

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Are the Following Goods

- DRESS GOODS,
- SILKS,
- LAWNS,
- GINGHAMS,
- MUSLIN SHEETINGS,
- MUSLIN UNDERWEAR,
- HOSIERY,
- GLOVES,
- LADIES' SUITS,
- SHIRT WAISTS,
- WASH SUITS,
- MILLINERY,
- LACES,
- EMBROIDERIES,
- SHOES,
- NOTIONS,
- HANDKERCHIEFS,
- and Lawns, yd 5c, 7½c, and
- RIBBONS,
- PARASOLS,
- CORSETS,
- MEN'S GOODS, ETC.
- 1000 yards of Calicoes, Dimities
- 1-3c.

CLEARING SALE SPECIALS



- \$1.00 White Shirt Waists—
Now49c
- \$1.50 White Shirt Waists—
Now85c
- \$2.00 White Shirt Waists—
Now\$1.25
- \$7.50 White Duck Suits—
Now4.50
- \$15.00 Wool Suits—
Now8.50
- \$25.00 Wool Suits—
Now12.50
- \$5.00 Trimmed Hats—
Now2.50
- \$3.50 Trimmed Hats—
Now1.75
- \$2.00 Children's Hats—
Now95c
- Children's 25c Straw Hats—
Now10c
- And so along the line on everything else.

The Store That Saves You Money