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WILLARD

IN "A POOR RELATION"

At last Salem is to see "A Poor Relation." Lee Willard will present the Grand Opera house Friday, August 21st. This is something that a large majority of the local followers of dramatic art have been calling for ever since the play first had an enormous success on Broadway, New York, with Sol Smith

Willard in the leading role. It is not presumptuous to say that Willard is one of our foremost American Theatians, and with an air of his splendid stature, perfect enunciation, and withal a man who pays such careful attention to his part, in "Noah Vale," the title in "A Poor Relation." It is absolutely impossible for the production to be anything but a great success.

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BENTON COUNTY ACTIVE FOR GOOD ROADS CAMPAIGN

Corvallis, Aug. 19.—The opening of the big booster campaign for western Oregon here was held at the courthouse this afternoon and was presided over by County Judge Woodward, one of the most enterprising good roads county officials of the state. He and Commissioner Smith and Ex-Judge Watters made addresses, and all gave cordial words of encouragement to the speakers from Salem. Hon. B. F. Jones came out from Yaquina bay taking his place on the program and making a strong plea for the free locks and canal at Oregon City as the most important improvement for the shippers in the Willamette valley. He said the way the General Electric corporation was fencing up the falls of the Willamette and using every inch of water in its great power plants and building more such plants on the east side of the river, it was only a question of time when they would require all the water in the river to make power and the locks and canal would be closed to commerce. The Oregon legislature and the delegation in congress should make this the object of their first and continuous attention by legislation.

Good Roads Campaign.

Judge John H. Scott made a very inspiring talk for the good roads campaign and outlined the program of general education of the people. He made it plain to the county officials and the prominent business men present that the future welfare of Benton county depended on their giving hearty support to the work outlined by himself and Commissioner Webster. Before he closed prominent friends of the cause pledged support for a monster road meeting to be held at Corvallis and in some of the outlying "unconverted" districts after the state fair. Judge Scott was heartily applauded, and called upon several times by other speakers to make statements.

State Irrigation Code.

State Engineer Lewis made a clear statement as to the importance of the proposed state water code that will be submitted to the next legislature, defining water rights and fixing charges for the use of water. He showed that irrigation in the three dry months of the year would double and treble the clover and hop crops in the Willamette valley. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the water code.

Delegates to Coos Bay.

On motion of County Superintendent Denham it was decided to send a delegate from Benton county to the Coos Bay congress, and on motion the county court was authorized by the citizens mass meeting to defray the expenses of such delegate. A number of enthusiastic talks were made by other citizens present, and a vote of thanks was tendered the boosters from Salem, and they were bidden a God-speed on their tour of exploitation and development of western Oregon. Attorney General Crawford and Railroad Commissioner West are to join the pilgrims at Albany and go down the valley to Roseburg, and then over the mountains to Coos Bay.

STATE NEWS

Gottage Grove, on a referendum vote, yesterday denied the local streetcar company an extension of from six to 15 years in their franchise.

Government men are having a hard fight with timber fires near Lakeview.

Governor Chamberlain, at Klamath Falls, states that he feels sure Harriman will build roads from that point soon. Other roads in Oregon will also soon be built.

The wife of Walter Johnson, confessed slayer of Elmer Perdue, of Hillsboro, refuses to visit him.

Many prominent Seattle business men will visit Oregon September 22. La Grande is excited over the reported find of a rich gold strike on Mt. Emily.

Mayor Lane of Portland announces that every house of ill-fame and resort of vice will be closed.

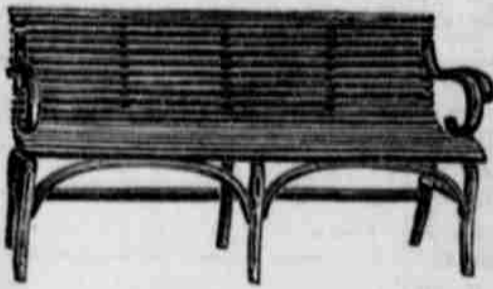
The three Oregon heroes of the London stadium will arrive in Portland September 14 when a \$2000 entertainment will be given them.



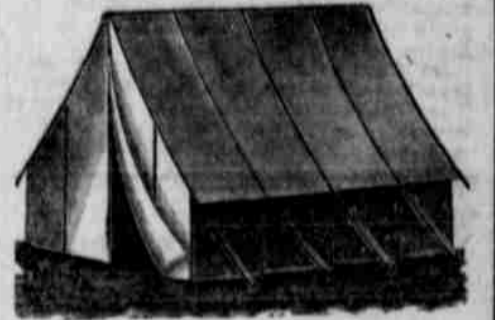
LAST CALL



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AMERICAN TARS

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The thought uppermost in the minds of the Australians, as is the case of the New Zealanders, seems to be the necessity of the white man forcing his authority over the yellow races in the Pacific waters. The voyage of the fleet is looked upon as an awakening on the part of America to the necessities of the situation and is hailed with great joy.

Feared International Complications.

The misunderstanding relative to the great parade Friday has caused much comment and for a time it was believed that the American sailors would not be permitted to participate as had been planned. Just what the nature of the disagreement was could not be ascertained, as it was guarded with greatest secrecy. It is supposed that it was in connection with the British law which forbids the landing of a foreign armed force on British soil. Whatever the cause, the incident is now said to have passed and it is believed today that satisfactory arrangements have been made and the parade will take place as at first contemplated.

Reports for a time went so far as to say that the incident might cause international complications, but these statements are not given credence and there is a tendency to discredit the importance of the incident. The only formal event in the entertainment of the fleet today was a dinner given this evening in honor of Admiral Sperry and his staff, by Governor General Northcote. The affair was delightful and the exchange of courtesies were profuse. A toast "To President Theodore Roosevelt" was the signal for applause. Admiral Sperry and the governor general exchanged felicitations.

The official landing of Admiral Sperry and the officers will take place Friday morning. A great public reception will be held and this will be followed by the grand parade in which the American sailors will participate. The state dinner will be given in the evening.

London Agog.

London, Aug. 20.—All London is rife with speculation today as to whether the reported attempt on the authorities at Sydney to prevent the landing of the American sailors would result in a diplomatic tangle.

Every effort is being made to discover the exact nature of the trouble. Sydney officials and officers of the fleet, realizing the possibilities of misrepresentation, growing out of the incident, are using the measures to insure efforts to suppress all reference to it. It is understood here today that the trouble has been safely and even amicably settled and that the American sailors will march

through the street as was planned originally.

The trouble, it is said, on the best authority was the result of failure on the part of the entertainment committee to obtain the suspension permission of the Dominion regulation which prevents the landing of any armed body or force or sailors of any foreign country.

FOREST FIRES IN

HETCH HETCHY VALLEY
(United Press Leased Wire.)

Yosemite, Cal., Aug. 20.—Forest fires on three sides of Hetch Hetchy valley may impede the visit of the San Francisco supervisors here. Superintendent Benson of the park and 40 soldiers have been fighting the fire for ten days in McGill Meadows between Lake Elsinor and Hetch Hetchy valley.

The government telephone lines between headquarters at Yosemite and the Hetch Hetchy country have been burned off by the fire which has cut off the trails.

The supervisors this morning left for Crocker by stage and expect to camp in the Hetch Hetchy valley Thursday morning.

SALEM MARKET.

Local Wholesale Market.
Eggs—22 1/2 c.
Butter—Creamery 25c.
Cows—\$3 @ \$5.50.
Hens—10c; young chickens, 11c.
Local Wheat—85c.
Oats—33 @ 35c.
Barley—\$20 @ 21.
Flour—Hard wheat, \$4.80 @ 5.00; valley, \$4.00.
Hay—Cheat, \$9 @ 10; clover, \$3 @ 9 per ton; timothy, \$11 @ 12.
Onions—\$1.75 cwt.
Hops—1907 crop, 5 @ 6c.
Casaca Bark—2 1/2 @ 3c.
Mohair—15c.
Retail Market.
Oats—\$1.45.
Wheat—\$1.05.
Eggs—25c.
Butter—Country, 20c; creamery, 35c.
Flour—Valley, \$1.10 @ 1.20 per sack; hard wheat, \$1.40 @ 1.45.
Bran—20c per sack; \$30.00 per ton; shorts, \$1.25 per sack.
Livestock.
Hogs—Fat, \$5.75.
Stock hogs—\$4.
Steers—3 1/2 s.
Veal—5 @ 7c.
Tropical Fruits.
Bananas—\$6.50.
Oranges—\$4.50.
Lemons—\$4.75 @ 5.
Portland Market.
Poultry—Hens, 12c; ducks, 12 @ 14c; pigeons, old \$1 per dozen.
Millstuf—Bran, \$26.
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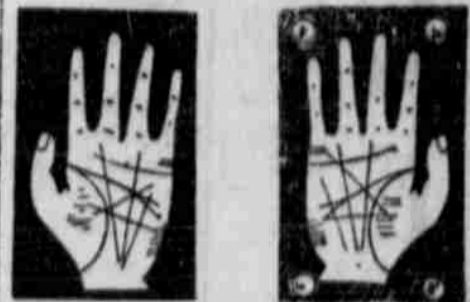
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Louis H. Kretzer, a well known young man of The Dalles, is missing from his home.

Captain K. K. V. Casey, of Delaware, won all honors at Camp Perry, O., yesterday securing both Leech and Wimbledon cups.

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