

THE children want good clothes just the same as the older people do, and we have selected this week something good for the youngsters before school starts; we have the largest showing of children's wearings in Salem at prices to suit the parents.

Where are you going, my pretty maid? I'm going to Meyers', sir, she said. And why today, my pretty maid? To get my dolly a vest, she said? All this week we will give to every little girl a doll's shirt, made by the Munsing Underwear Manufacturers, with each 25c purchase in the underwear or hosiery section.

Bring the girls and have them bring the dolls.

PETER PAN REEFERS AND NORMAL COLLEGE SCHOOL CLOTHES

The new "Oregon Coat," navy blue and cardinal, with "Oregon Buttons." This is the best line of school clothes shown in the city for the young ladies. This showing is in keeping with the fall styles, and the assortment is the largest we have ever shown.

School Dresses Blue and red serges, checks, etc., sailor and Russian blouse suits; ages 3 to 14 years. Prices from \$1 up to \$7.50

A Suit Case

FREE with each \$10.00 purchase in the Boys' Suit Department. We have the latest styles of Russian Blouse and Buster Brown suits for boys, ages 2 1/2 to 7 years. The colors are red and blue serge, grey, cream, tan, brown and green. Prices from \$3.50 to \$7.00.

Norfolk suits in light and dark corduroy; grey, brown, blue and green mixtures, stripes and checks ages 4 to 16 years; better school suits are not made. Prices from

\$3.00 to \$7.50

Boys' straight knee pants at reduced prices.



XTRAGOOD Ederheimer, Stein & Co. MAKERS

HY-GRADE UMBRELLAS SPECIAL OFFER. \$2.85

Bound with tape along the edge, bulb runner, extra selected handles. Looks like the \$5.00 kind sold elsewhere.

Silk Petticoats The greatest value we have ever shown, a new lot just received in colors equal to so-called \$5.00 petticoats sold elsewhere. Our price—Special. \$3.98

Our School Shoes Are the best made. Pat Cogau's famous line for boys and girls have no equal for fit, wear and style. Try them this fall and end your shoe worries.

The Girls' Store



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CONVERTS VERSUS DOLLARS

AN ISSUE IN THE TO CLOSING FAIR CONFERENCE

At the first session of the conference of the Methodist church, now being held in this city, there was a serious question raised that may come up again. When the bishop called for reports by the pastors, on benevolences and collections, a brief financial statement was made by each pastor on the state of the exchequer of his church.

This preceded the report on membership and the spiritual condition of the organizations, and an element in the church tried to have the reports on the spiritual condition come before the financial reports.

There are signs that the matter at issue may come up again, as the spiritual atmosphere of this conference is very bracing.

Rev. D. H. Trimble, of Eugene, moved to reconsider the motion adopting the reports on benevolences and collections, and make reports as to members and converts come first, and the financial report secondary. He said we must not lend force to the ascendancy of materialistic ideals. It was wrong to give out the idea that the Methodist church stood for money first.

Rev. Trimble made an eloquent plea for manhood being put above dollars. He had never struck so many backsliders as he had found on the Pacific coast.

At first the bishop ruled him out of order, as he had not voted, but Rev. Kimball renewed the motion. On vote it was declared carried. But a division was asked.

Rev. Wilson moved to lay on the table the proposition to report conversions and accessions first, and money matters last. The man who raised \$30 in money and doubled the membership of his church was doing a greater work than the man who reported \$5000 and backsliders.

J. T. Abbott, of Portland, offered a resolution that the site and building of the first Methodist church erected in Oregon territory, and still standing, a historic landmark of Methodism, be taken charge of by a committee of five of the district superintendents. Adopted.

After several efforts to amend, all were withdrawn, and the Trimble motion was laid on the table, and the reports on benevolences and collections come first, according to the original motion.

BUSINESS MEN ARE OPPOSED

TO CLOSING FAIR GROUNDS

Salem business men are very much opposed to closing the state fair grounds to all training of horses during the winter months. The mild climate and the fine sheds and tracks have made Salem a favorite place for horse trainers, and they pay out on labor and feed bills hundreds of dollars monthly, and scores of fine horses are kept at the fair grounds.

The Board of Trade has been asked by the business men to take some action to prevent all this business being driven away from this city, and it is claimed that it would go somewhere else, probably to the Portland tracks, or to Albany.

It has not yet been decided what will be done, but some action will have to be taken to protect the interests of this city against an order that is too sweeping in its nature.

TRIED TO DYNAMITE SURGEON

(United Press Lensed Wire) San Diego, Cal., Sept. 23.—Confessing that he attempted to dynamite the home of Health Officer Meade, Allen Blinn today explained to Chief of Police Nealy that a Spokane surgeon was responsible for his crimes.

"I feel sorry for what I did," said Blinn. "I have been a sufferer for years from malpractice. While at Spokane I hurt my left hand, and the doctor made a botch of fixing up the injured member. I sued him for malpractice, and secured judgment. Since then my hand has ached, almost setting me crazy at times. I sent the letters and dynamite, but I was in vain when I did it."

The district attorney has sworn to a complaint charging Blinn with a felony. But before proceedings are taken against him on the charge there will be an inquiry into his sanity.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

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Next came the Regency collar, with its folds upon folds of cravat, which was worn in a modified form by old gentlemen even in the seventies, though 20 years before smart young men in London had worn a small all-around collar, just like that which is known today as the "military."

Then in the eighties there was a painful lapse into the Byronic collar, which for some reason or other was called the "Shakespeare," perhaps from a linen draper's idea that one poet was as good as another.

For the last 30 years the all-around stiff collar has reigned supreme, with such little eccentricities as turned-down corners and butterfly fronts; though of late it has been threatened by the double collar, variously known as the "Roddy Owen" or the "Barmaid."

By all the rules, if a single collar adds dignity to the wearer, a double collar should increase that dignity; but this is not the case. In fact, it is one of the mysteries of collardom that the wearing of a double collar in evening dress is a hideous and inextinguishable crime.

The great thing about a collar, that which gives it its importance, is its aloofness from the coat. A coat collar has no dignity, and is merely a fraud, pretending to be that which it is not. The true collar must be sovereign and independent; it must encircle the neck justly, and neither hang round it like a neck-lace nor compress it like a boa constrictor. And, above and beyond all, it must wear the white flower of a blameless laundry.—London Globe.

The Odd Fellows at Brownsville, Oregon, will lay the corner stone to their new \$10,000 temple tomorrow. Weis-Fargo & Company has brought suit to enjoin Linn county from collecting its franchise tax.

Harriman agents are gathering data relative to prospective railroad business around Coos Bay.

Notice is hereby given that I have taken up and removed the following described animal, found roaming at large in the city of Salem: Light red cow 5 or 6 years old, weight about 1000 pounds, very fat. The owner of said animal can have the same by proving property and paying the legal charges and expenses of taking up and keeping, etc., and in default thereof for five days I will proceed to sell said animal at public auction, as provided in ordinance No. 425 of the aforesaid city.

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PERSONAL MENTION

And Movements of Salem People.

Miss Elene Fawk went to Albany this morning for a brief visit. Eugene Eckerlin is in Portland, taking in the big county fair.

Mel Hamilton left for Portland today to witness the races at the county fair.

George Meyer left for Portland this morning, to take in the Multnomah county fair.

F. A. Miller went to Portland this morning to visit friends, and take in the fair for a few days.

Mrs. J. F. Humphreys and daughter, Blanche, of Macleay, were shopping in Salem Tuesday.

Mrs. James H. McCourt and daughters, Helen and Louella, of Pocatello, Idaho, are visiting in Salem.

Miss Daisy Forrest has gone to Portland, where she will remain a month with friends and relatives.

Miss Della Rutherford returned to her home in Portland this morning, after a visit with friends here.

Wm. Stanton was a passenger on the morning electric for Portland, to take in the Portland fair and big circus.

Mrs. D. Hockett and children, of Empire, Oregon, are visiting at the home of J. M. Bigler, on South Liberty street.

Mrs. H. G. Packer left for Seattle this morning to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Wolf, formerly a resident of Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grabenall, of Albany, arrived this morning, and will remain the remainder of the week with friends.

Mrs. G. A. Daniels and children left today for Wetser, Idaho, where they will visit Mrs. Daniels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Potter, formerly of this city.

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City News

Weather Forecast—Fair and warmer tonight; Thursday possible showers.

Gilson's Place—Eleven barber chairs, e-o-d

Three reasons for buying Cleveland's Baking Powder: Superior Quality (Pure Cream of Tartar). Neatest Package (Screw top can). Best Price (3 lbs. \$1; 5 lbs. \$1.65).

When in Portland—Visit Hall's restaurant, 330 Washington street. e-o-d

Lack of Courage—In advertising, masquerading as caution, has misled and cheated more merchants than anything else in the world. The woman who HEADS THE ADS. shows business ability.

Salem Has—Many things to be proud of, but none more so than its cigar factory. The Tashmo, La Carona and Bon Ton cigars are home production and give satisfaction in every way.

Meat—Is one of the most important staples. So why not have the best in the market. Steusloff Bros. have pleased thousands, they can please you.

Why Went—That soiled suit, when for a small cost, Johnson & Stege will make it look almost like new. Next door to Journal.

For Anything—In the grocery line you can do no better than phone 311. J. M. Lawrence. Give him a trial and you will find his goods first class.

Ladies of Salem—I am introducing in your pretty city the famous Dr. Hollens Shoulder Brace and Combination Clothes Supporter. Gives a lithe and graceful figure. Promotes deep breathing, so essential to good health, and the real secret of long living. Prevents the smothering of the lungs in school children. Mrs. E. L. Trigg, agent; will call.

Educate Your Child—Now is the time to start in to give your child a chance to educate itself. In this line music is now a very valuable part of it. I have a nice line of good pianos and organs to select from. I sell them on installments, if

desired. While everything is lively now is a good time to start in. Geo. C. Will, music and sewing machine dealer.

Steve Cooper Drowned—Steve Cooper, a well-known local character, was drowned in the Willamette river last Monday, by stepping from a ferry boat near Independence. Mr. Cooper was returning to his work in J. R. Cooper's hop yard, on the Marion county side of the river, after attending to business matters in Independence, and was said to be intoxicated. Coroner Clough was notified of the unfortunate man's death, and brought the body to this city, where it will be buried at the county's expense.

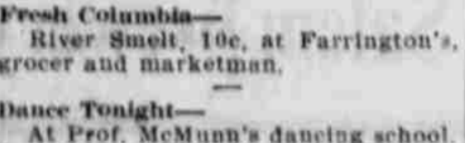
Fresh Columbia—River Smelt, 10c, at Farrington's, grocer and marketman.

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Frank Meredith, Resident Agent. Office with Wm. Brown & Co., No. 29 Commercial street.

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For Sale—Several houses in Salem and farm lands at a bargain. Capital National Bank 6-1-100

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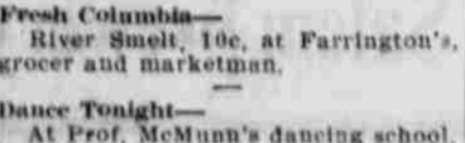
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TUGS LET

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brought ashore. Unable to get and with voice sunk to a whisper, the captain of the bark cursed the masters of the Gage and Kayak for cowardly who stood by and saw human beings have saved everyone of them.

Sobbing like a child, the captain of the Bengal told of how the vessel was allowed to drift on out making an effort to return until she broke into three pieces.

"They cut loose from us and like the cowards they are, and flight death. We were in 10 feet of water. The wind was blowing so hard, and they were held onto us as well as not, while they were standing by, and hoped every minute they would alongside. For four long, dreary hours we burned blue, hoping against hope, and then our arms hung off in fear, and our men swept away. We blew upon rocks and pounded to pieces, nothing hit me, and when I came was on the beach."

Two seamen, Muir and Olsen, a boat of the Bengal and were ashore before the bark broke. They remained on shore, helping the who were washed off to safety pulling the bodies of the dead of the surf.

Muir and Olsen rescued one Twenty-four others reached beach alive, but the remainder thrown up dead.

Muir and Olsen dug the bodies of the Chinese where they landed, as it was impossible to bury them. The Kayak took the survivors off the beach brought them here. The cabin Burnside went to the scene of wreck, but arrived there after Kayak had steamed away with survivors.

Captain Stamford, of the Bengal, reports the vessel is a wreck, the tops of the masts are being visible. The beach is strewn with salmon cases and gasol drums.

BORN.

BURTON.—To the wife of H. Burton, Twenty-first and Third streets, Tuesday, September 22, 1908, a 9-pound boy.

The Lane County Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association is planning to ship between 20 and 30 loads of apples East for advertising purposes this fall.

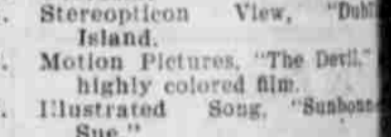
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