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GOVERNOR BENSON A PEOPLE'S GOVERNOR.

The professional politicians are going to be disappointed in Governor Benson.

He has not proven the mere partisan spoils monger THAT THEY WANT IN THAT OFFICE.

His refusal to disturb competent men who are serving out their terms proves this.

The old machine hacks who can see NOTHING IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE BUT PLUNDER are going to be sore.

But the people generally and the taxpayers who want efficient service are not kicking.

Governor Benson is taking a firm stand for good government AND A HIGH STANDARD.

He has so far selected people to fill places entirely upon merit and will retain such.

He will be found making a record for careful disbursement of the public funds.

He is not being patted on the back for this BY THE MACHINE WING OF THE PARTY.

If he will keep this up and not fasten every barnacle on the state who has been crowded off for the past six years he will merit the confidence of the people.

MAKING SALEM A SCHOOL CENTER.

The plan of the school board is to make Salem pronouncedly a school center.

For the purpose of carrying out their plans, ANOTHER SCHOOL HOUSE MUST BE BUILT.

This has already been decided upon but a popular loan must be authorized Monday.

FIRE PROTECTION IS ALSO TO BE PROVIDED IN THE BOND ELECTION MONDAY.

The interest on the bonds will be saved by reduction on insurance rates.

The people will have ABSOLUTE SAFETY FOR THEIR CHILDREN FROM A SCHOOL HOUSE FIRE.

The wise plannings of the Board of Education deserve friendly consideration.

Those gentlemen give their best thought to the schools without pay.

The pool of the Willamette Valley Prune Association, consisting of the crop of 1908, has been settled for in full. The members have received their last fractional payment covering the pool and the following figures represent the net prices received for the principal sizes of Italians: 30 to 40, 5.22 c; 40 to 50, 4.65c; 50 to 60, 4.27c. Manager H. S. Gile of this city has received a telegram from an Eastern firm declining an offer of prunes because of the recent increase in freight rates. It is generally believed by prune packers that the increase in rates will materially injure the prune industry in Oregon.

The Oregon Electric railway magnates will be in Portland from the East this month and will decide upon the advisability of extending the road at once from Salem to Eugene. Quite likely this action will be taken because there is no question but such a railway would pay splendid dividends on the investment, and that is all these Eastern capitalists desire to be assured of.

The business interests of this city should solidly back our progressive Mayor in his fight for paving. Those who oppose paving Court and State streets are pursuing a mistaken policy. Pave those streets to the city limits if you want to see Salem prosper.

Funny world. Portland wants to take the Capital from Salem. Eugene fears Corvallis will take the State University and consolidate it with the Agricultural College.

Salem's four big needs—modern hotel, miles of paving, mountain water, and the Fair Grounds boulevard.

Salem has grown to be a jobbing and manufacturing center of considerable note.

THE MARKETS

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

San Francisco, March 5.—Wheat, No. 1 California club, per cental, \$1.55@1.95; California white millings, \$1.95@2.05; northern bluestem, \$2.05@2.50; off grades wheat, \$1.50@1.90, reds, 1.50@1.90.
 Barley—Feed barley, \$1.40@1.45; common to fair, \$1.35@1.40; brewing at San Francisco, nominal at \$1.45@1.50; chevalier, \$1.50@1.60, according to quality.
 Eggs—Per dozen, California fresh, including cases, extras, 23 1/2c; firsts, 22 1/2c; seconds, 20 1/2c; thirds, 20c; pullets, selected, 20c.
 Butter—Per pound, California fresh, extras, 26 1/2c; firsts, 23c; sec-

onds, 20 1/2c; storage, California extra, 22 1/2c; storage, eastern, 21 1/2c; ladies, extras, 23 1/2c.
 Cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 15c; firsts, 14c; seconds, 12c. California Young America, fancy, 16c; firsts, 15c. Eastern New York cheddars, fancy, 17 1/2c; Oregon flats, fancy, 14 1/2c; do Young America fancy, 16 1/2c; California storage, fancy flats, 13c; Oregon flats, fancy, 14 1/2c; do Young America, 16c.
 Potatoes—Per cental, Early Rose, \$2; river whites, fancy, \$1.40@1.40; No. 2 (water soaked stock), \$1.00@1.25; Longoe Barbanks, \$1.85@2; do Saltinas, \$1.60@1.75; do Oregon, \$1.65@1.75; sweet potatoes, per crate, \$1.65@1.75; do per sack, \$1.15.
 Onions—Per sack, Oregon, \$1.75@2.00.

Oranges—Per box, navel, standard \$1.25@2.25; fancy, \$2@2.50; tangerines, half orange boxes, \$1@1.50; mandarines, per box, 75c@1.00.

PORTLAND MARKET.

Wheat—Track Prices.
 Club \$1.00
 Bluestem \$1.10
 Turkey red 95c
 Red Russian 90c
 Valley \$1.00

Flour.
 Patents \$5.45
 Straights \$4.75@4.85
 Exports \$4.00
 Valley \$5.25
 Graham, 1 1/4 sack \$5.00
 Wheat, whole \$4.85
 Rye \$5.50

Barley.
 Feed \$8.00

Oats.
 No. 1 White \$35.00
 Gray \$34.00

Hay.
 Willamette val. fancy timothy \$16.00
 Willamette val ordinary \$13.00
 Mixed \$15.00
 Eastern Oregon, fancy \$17.50
 Alfalfa \$15.00
 Clover \$4.00

Cheese.
 F. C. Twins 15 1/2 @ 14c
 F. C. Triplets 15 1/2 @ 14c
 Young America 17c
 Cream brick 18 @ 20c
 Swiss, block 15 @ 20c
 Limburger 15 @ 20c

Millstuffs.
 Bran \$26.50
 Middlings \$32.00
 Shorts, country \$31.00
 Shorts, city \$30.00
 Chop \$32.00

Dressed Meats.
 Hogs, fancy 7 1/2 @ 8c
 Hogs, ordinary 6 @ 7c
 Picnic 10c
 Hogs, large 5c
 Veal, extra 9 @ 10c
 Veal, ordinary 7 @ 8c
 Veal, heavy 6c
 Mutton, fancy 6 @ 7c
 Cottage roll 11c
 Breakfast 15 @ 21 1/2c
 Regular short clears, smoked 13c
 Ditto, unsmoked 12c
 Clear backs, smoked 13c
 Shoulders 11c

Poultry.
 Chickens, mixed 12 1/2 @ 13c
 Hens, fancy 13 @ 14c
 Roosters, old 10c
 Broilers and fryers 16 @ 17c
 Dressed poultry, 1 cent pound higher.

Ducks 15 @ 16c
 Geese, live 10 @ 11c
 Turkeys 17 @ 18c
 Dressed 20 @ 22c

Butter.
 Fancy 35 @ 37c
 Choice 30c
 Store 18 @ 20c

Eggs.
 Extras 21 @ 22c
 Eastern 20 @ 23c

Potatoes.
 Buying prices, per cwt. \$1.25@1.50
 Sweets, cwt. \$2.50

Fresh Fruits.
 Oranges \$2 @ 3
 Lemons \$2.00 @ 5.00
 Grapes, crate \$6 @ 7
 Pears, box 75c @ \$1.00
 Cranberries, barrel \$14.00 @ 15.00
 Bananas, pound 5 @ 5 1/2
 Onions, per cwt \$1.25 @ 1.50

Retail Market.
 Flour, per sack \$1.25@1.45
 Eastern Oregon \$1.64
 Bran, per sack 35c
 Shorts, per sack \$1.35@1.55
 Wheat, per bu. \$1.10@1.20
 Rolled barley \$3.30

Local Wholesale Market.
 Wheat, per bushel \$1.00
 Oats, per bushel 50c
 Flour, hard wheat \$5.65
 Flour, valley \$5.20

NO ONE ever thinks it necessary to know the proprietor of the store where he buys his hat or shoes. But a man should know his banker.
 It is decidedly worth while to choose a bank where the officers become personally acquainted with the bank's customers.
 Our policy is and always has been one of personal interest in our patrons.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
Capital National Bank
 J. H. Albert, President.
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 Jos. H. Albert, Cashier.

Mill feed, shorts \$33.50
 Mill feed, bran \$29.50
 Hops, 1908 crop 5 @ 7c
 Hops, 1907 crop 2 @ 3 1/2c
 Chittim bark 3 @ 5c
 Wool, coarse 13c
 Wool, medium 15c
 Mohair 20c
 Hay, chest \$13.00
 Hay, clover \$12.00
 Potatoes, bushel 40 @ 45c
 Apples, bushel 50c @ \$1.00
 Onions, per cwt 85 @ 90c
 Prunes, per pound 1 1/4 @ 4 1/2c
 Cranberries, Howe's variety, bbl \$13.00

Butter and Eggs, Retail.
 Eggs 30c
 Butter, creamery 40c
 Butter-fat 35c
 Cheese, twins 15c

A SAFE TONIC FOR MOTHERS

WHO DO NOT RECOVER THEIR STRENGTH AS THEY SHOULD
 Not Every Tonic Is Suited for Their Use but the Remedy That Cured This Woman Is Safe and Efficient.

Every mother who fails to regain her strength and health after confinement needs a tonic. The years of weakness and suffering which so often follow are unnecessary and easily avoidable. The fact that her strength does not return is a certain indication that the blood has been overtaxed and is impoverished. This condition is often made worse for the mother often takes up her household duties while she is still weak, when a complete breakdown results. The strength that the weak mother needs can be quickly found in the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills are a blood-builder and they soon furnish the entire body with a health bearing stream of pure, red blood.

The following statement, made by Mrs. George F. Sylvester, of No. 517 Second street, S. E., Watertown, South Dakota, regarding her cure by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after several months of suffering with weakness, will interest every young mother:
 "I was left in a very weak condition after the birth of my child. My limbs were numb and I had no feeling in them. Later there was a numb sensation all over my body. Finally my eyes were affected. There was a burning sensation in them all of the time and they felt as though they were on fire. My suffering was intense and I had to lie in bed part of the time.
 "At the time I was living at Newton, Iowa, and received but little benefit from my doctor there. Later I was treated by a specialist at Des Moines, but as I became no better I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which my people had been reading about in the papers. The pills gave me great relief in a short time. The burning sensation left my eyes, the numbness disappeared, and my general health improved. I continued using the pills and was cured."
 Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are free from any opiate or harmful drug and are perfectly safe for the nursing mother to use.

A booklet, "Plain Talks to Women," will be sent free to any woman suffering from weakness. It explains fully why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are suited to the needs of weak women of all ages and gives many helpful suggestions in regard to the care of their health.
 Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured anaemia, rheumatism, sciatica, nervousness, after-effects of the grip and fevers, and stomach trouble, owing to their blood-building property.
 All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent post-paid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, New York.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package.—J. C. Perry.

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THE BURGOMASTER AT THE GRAND

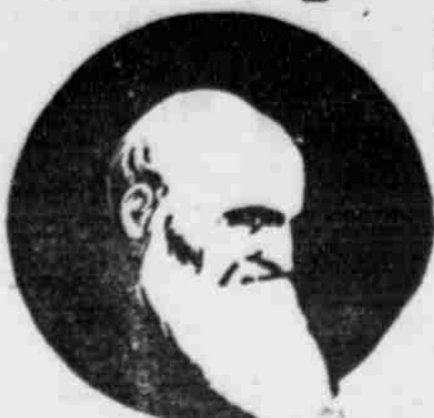
Pixley & Luder's famous musical comedy, "The Burgomaster," will be the strong attraction at the Grand opera house tonight. Harry Hermesen and Ruth White, in the parts of Peter Stuyvesant and Willie Van Astorbilt, will be the featured members of the cast, and there will be an especially strong acting company, and also a chorus of 50. The costuming is especially handsome, having been made for this production by Marshall Field, of Chicago, and the production is a large one. Several changes have been made in the book to freshen it.

The greatest care possible has been exercised in forming this season's presenting company for the Pixley & Luder musical success, "The Burgomaster." Manager Wm. P. Cullen has engaged "The Burgomaster," in the person of Harry Hermesen, also the well-known prima donna, Ruth White, who will again be seen in her original creation of Willie Astorbilt. Mr. Hermesen and Mr. White have appeared here in many characters, but never to better advantage or under more favorable auspices, than in "The



Harry Hermesen, as "The Burgomaster."

Old People



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The Burgomaster

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Incidentally, it's better to watch the ads and to profit by the products of "the Mill" than to get caught in it yourself. Although, if your turn should come, an ad will usually get you out safely. Try The Capital Journal.