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The large Ready-Made Section offers a special line of Spring Suits; some white, a few stripes and solid colors; carefully tailored, and for about the same price the fabrics would cost. Reduced

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The large Domestic and Wash Goods Section offers White Linen Suitings at 12 1/2c a yard. Careful observation can hardly distinguish this from fine linen when it is made up and laundered. Extra good quality, correct weight for white summer dresses; the best value in this town for the money. WEDNESDAY ONLY

On sale at 8:30 No telephone orders received



12 1/2c



CITY NEWS

Weather Forecast— Showers tonight or Wednesday.

Event of Season— Y. M. C. A. minstrels at Grand opera house April 27.

Fruit Tracts— Five and ten-acre tracts on the Oregon Electric railroad; monthly installments. See Derby & Willson. 4-14-tf

Chocolates and Bon Boms— At Buckingham's Palace of Sweets. Red Cross Pharmacy. 4-3-tf

Mrs. J. W. Kirk— Has met with such good success with her Sunday dinners she has decided to give a special dinner on Wednesday, from 6 p. m. to 8 o'clock 578g State street. 4-20-21*

New Notaries Named— G. E. Pain, Astoria; Miss Rae England, Union; J. M. John, Williams; Edith Smith, Oregon City; Louis R. Centro, P. W. Torger, Portland.

Won't You Feel Sorry— When Gold Creek mining stock is \$1 or more a share that you did not buy it at its present price of 15c. Buy today. H. V. McClean, fiscal agent, 367 State street.

An Opportunity Lost— Is lost forever. Gold Creek mining stock is your opportunity for a safe investment. It will never be lower than present price, 15c per share. Buy now. See the new cars at Morgan's cigar store, 367 State St.

A Mining Expert Said— The operating of the mines in the Santiam district would give employment to 5000 men. Mr. Property Owner, what does that mean to the city of Salem? Assist in this gigantic upbuilding by buying stock in the Gold Creek mine. Shares are 15c. H. V. McClean, fiscal agent, 367 State street.

Notice to Public— The city ordinance providing that every pole situated in the city shall be painted, is going to be enforced by the city officials, and parties having poles are requested to attend to the matter at once. By order of Chief of Police. 4-19-tf

Fine Maple and Ash Wood— For sale, cheap, for immediate delivery. Apply Krebs Bros., Bush-Breyman building. Telephone Main 724. 3-15-tf

This Means Dollars— To you. Two of the greatest inventions of modern times on exhibition in Doreas Bros. Hop Office. Greater money maker than telephone. Call and see them; free demonstration. 3-31-tf

Five Per Cent Improvement Bonds— subscriptions will be received for whole or part of \$9428.10 improvement bonds city of Salem. Interest payable semi-annually. Apply to city recorder or to the committee. B. H. Millard, at Ladd & Bush's bank, Isadore Greenbaum, at Rosenstein & Greenbaum's. 4-15-5t

Y. M. C. A. Minstrels— At Grand Opera House, April 27th.

The Best Zinn's— Candles. A trial will convince you.

Remember— The lamp sale at Hyde Bros., April 20, 21, 22.

Give Big Minstrel Show— The Y. M. C. A. will give a minstrel show at the Grand opera house on April 27.

W. T. Rigdon, Undertaker— Always progressive, up-to-date Full equipment, largest stock. 10-21-eod-tf.

Brought Three Burglars— Sheriff Till D. Taylor and his deputy, Joe Blackley, brought three prisoners down from Pendleton. They were C. Barner, J. Major and A. Crawford, convicted of burglary.

Folks Are Coming— T. S. Grubb, of Quincy, Ill., has located near Jefferson, and was in the city today. He says his folks are coming out to Oregon in about a month.

Scow Load of Wood— A scow loaded down with 75 cords of a h wood is now being unloaded at the O. C. T. Company's dock. This shipment of wood was cut from the Krebs farm up the river. The towing steamer Eugene brought the scow to this point.

Flour Prices Higher— The actions of the wheat kings back East has evidently affected the flour market in this city, as Valley flour has jumped 40 cents during the past three days, and is now retailing at \$1.45 per sack. Hard wheat flour is also crawling up. It is not probable these prices will hold up long, however, as the arrival of the new crops will again put the market on a quiet basis.

All Are Buying Land— Salem real estate, or rather Marion county real estate, is on the move. Convoing with a number of real estate dealers this morning, they are a unit in saying the influx of "immigrants is really wonderful, and that more than double the sales of real estate have been made in the same time this spring than in any other season. People of the East are awake to the possibilities unimproved or partially improved lands offer, and are keen to take advantage of the wonderful chances in Oregon.

High School Debate— In the try-out debate at the high school last night the team chosen to represent the local school were Lola Cook, Alonzo Tyler and Henry Savage. The other debaters were Hilda Colvin, Ruth Boyer, Virginia Webster, Ralph Miller and Miller McGilchrist, and they all showed ability at debate. There is to be but one contest, and that with Eugene high. The judges were J. M. Powers, J. H. Ackerman, E. F. Carleton and C. L. Starr.

Breeze Blew In— Breeze Gibson blew in again yesterday like the breath of spring, from the verdant hills of Polk county. Breeze is not wide out, but is pretty high up, being a matter of longitude rather than latitude. As usual he has a wooden menagerie with him, this time it being a cane with all kinds of animals carved on the handle. Among them are an elephant, a baboon, a deer, an alligator and a monkey so natural that you almost imagine it is alive. But to appreciate it you will have to get Breeze to explain it, which he is always delighted to do.

Paint Shop on Fire— An alarm was turned into the fire department just before 12 o'clock today by Wm. Warner, the painter, whose paint shop on West Chemeketa street, was in danger of being destroyed by fire. A blaze had started around the chimney, and, fed by the long moss on the roof, would have resulted disastrously had not the fire department responded promptly. The run made by the chemical engine was the most exciting one Salem people have ever witnessed since the three horses have been in commission. The whistle had barely ceased blowing when the three large fire horses hitched to the light chemical engine thundered out of the engine house, and were on the grounds in a very few seconds.

New Filing Case— The new filing case for the circuit court documents has arrived and was placed in position this morning in the circuit court chamber. Clerk of Court Dan Allen will now have a place to keep the hundreds of records and court papers where heretofore they were stowed away in the drawers of a common roll-top desk. These papers are valuable and should they become destroyed or lost, the county would have considerable trouble.

PORT COMMISSIONER FOR COOS BAY ACT FOR IMPROVING HARBOR CARRILS BY A LARGE VOTE-- GREAT DEVELOPMENT ENTERPRISE

Marshfield, April 20.—(Special to Journal.)—Election on port commission for Port of Coos Bay yesterday was almost unanimous in favor of the commission. Returns from eight out of eleven voting precincts in the proposed new district of Port of Coos Bay give 917 for port commission and 164 against. The vote in Marshfield was nearly ten to one in favor, and in North Bend six to one in favor. There is great rejoicing on the bay over the victory, as some unexpected opposition had developed, but returns indicate that a new spirit of enterprise and progress prevails. This means that at least \$100,000 will be expended improving the harbor. Governor Benson will appoint the harbor commission of five members.

Fifth Ward Club— The North Salem Development League meets at Wade's store this evening at 7:30. Mayor Rodgers and others will speak.

Miss Lehman Funeral— The funeral of Ella Lehman will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Rigdon & Lehman undertaking parlors. Interment in City View cemetery.

Visiting County schools— County School Superintendent Smith is out visiting schools this week. He makes these visits two times a month and while doing so makes a thorough investigation of all the rooms and studies of each school.

Indian Paying Bills— So far Ed Teabo, the Indian who is accused of seeing a team of horses belonging to another party, has not made any final settlements. The men who paid the \$45 for the horses say they will turn them over to the rightful owners on receipt of the \$45 paid for them, but no one has offered to remit that sum as yet.

Your Own Back Yard— A Journal reporter this morning said to a good wideawake Salemite, "Give us a story. Well," said he, "tell Salem to clean up—to get the dirt out of its alleys, the papers off its streets, the residents of our little city to clean up their own back yards." Good advice, isn't it? But Josh Biffings said "Advice and castor oil were both within the scriptural injunction that it was better to give than to receive." It was no "josh" either.

Three Carloads of Beer— As a result, and only a small one, of Mr. Deekabach's visit to California, there was shipped today three carloads of beer to Northern California towns. While there are many in Salem and elsewhere who are rabid temperance people, the fact remains that the manufacturing town is the town that grows. Regardless of opinions as to temperance, the Salem brewery is employing men in Salem and selling their products elsewhere, and that means money coming to Salem. It may be that it is principle on one side and commercialism on the other, but as long as the law makes the sale of liquors legitimate, why give the trade to some other town?

Salem is Growing— Salem is to have a bigger population next year and the next and some more next. Property is changing hands daily, and lots of it. The beauty of it is that the newcomers appreciate the opportunity; that us old Webfeer have neglected, and are keen to take advantage of them. This means that Salem will grow in spite of anything or anyone that tries to knock her.

When so many Christians are massacred it would be a moral satisfaction to have a few Turks kick the bucket once in a while.

SALEM HOTEL ARRIVALS.

- Portland—J. H. Smith, A. A. Peardon, George H. Fitzgibbon, Fred Marx, A. Crofton, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. King, W. J. Westwall, G. A. Gandig, W. Ross and wife, Mrs. John H. Queener, Albert A. Shelley and family, Roy Burton, F. J. Landon, H. N. McMunson and wife, D. F. Farrier, Carrie Shutt, Thomas D. Reed, Alex. A. Pugh.
- Seattle—Will Richmond, A. L. Clarke, Miss Minnie Savine.
- Sheridan—I. J. Crabtree, A. A. Crabtree.
- Eugene—Gust Ansdofor, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Wolf, Jay Holman and wife.
- Tacoma—R. R. Alexander, John Olinger and family.
- Newport—Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Steinbach.
- Woodburn—Paul Brophy, Andy Rulfson.
- Hood River—Mr. and Mrs. H. Heckman, David Meyers.
- Roseburg—Miss Adelia Browne.
- Kelso, Wash.—Peter McIntire and wife.
- Corvallis—N. G. Stose, R. T. Teckert.
- Brownsville—John Lane and wife.
- Oakland, Cal.—Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Waltham.
- Astoria—Jim Welch, S. A. Williams.
- Clear Lake, Or.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Ray.

The U. S. Government in its "Pure Food Law" does not "indorse" or "guarantee" any preparation, as some manufacturers in their advertisements would make it appear. In the case of medicines the law provides that certain drugs shall be mentioned on the labels, if they are ingredients of the preparations. Ely's Cream Balm the well-known family remedy for cold in the head, hay fever and nasal catarrh, doesn't contain a single injurious drug, so the makers have simply to write the fact that it complies with all the requirements of the law.

A big company is being organized at Los Angeles to manufacture by-products of crude oil.

New Incorporations. Articles of incorporation filed in the office of the secretary of state April 19, as follows: Wasco County building and Loan Association, principal office, The Dalles; capital stock, \$500,000; incorporators, George W. Chesebro, Clarence R. Ellis, J. M. Patterson, M. S. Donner and A. E. Lake. Dalles Fruit Growers Association, principal office, The Dalles; capital stock, \$5000; incorporators, G. E. Sanders, George Webb and J. W. Merrill. United Building Investment Company, principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, S. P. Mackey, C. G. Sablin and John Guy Wilson. Covey Motor Car Co., principal office, Portland; capital stock, \$10,000; incorporators, H. M. Covey, Ed. Mendenhall and A. S. Mendenhall.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Ethel Lobble went to Albany today, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Rachel Phelps. P. C. Bugher, a local business man, has returned from Three Rivers, where he reports good fishing, although the water is still a little cool. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lake returned to their home in Klamath Falls last night, after visiting friends here and in Portland. Bliss Denny, a prominent hop man of Roseburg, was in the city today, visiting the hop magnates. Mrs. Roy Stevens went to Portland last night to visit friends for a week. Hal Leech left for his home in Tacoma this morning after a pleasant visit with his sister, Mrs. Jacob B. Turner, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Mason, of Junction City, are in the city visiting friends. J. J. Cook went to Portland today to look after business matters for a short time.

Masonic Dates This Week. Easter Star Tuesday evening. Chapter Wednesday night, M. E. M. degree. Chapter Thursday night, Royal Arch degree. DeMolay Commandery meets Friday night.

MARRIED. GOODMAN—CLEMMONS.—At the rooms of Mr. William Marsh, on State street, Salem, Oregon, April 20, 1909, Rev. P. S. Knight performing the ceremony, Miss Lillie A. Clemmons, of Salem, and Mr. Leonard E. Goodman, of Portland, were united in marriage. They left on the Oregon Electric today for their home in Portland.

DEIED. WHITEAKER.—At the Willamette Sanitarium, Monday, April 19, 1909, at 8 o'clock p. m., G. W. Whiteaker, at the age of 75 years, of Bright's disease. The deceased was a resident of Independence, having served as an official of that city for a number of years. Henry declines to run for mayor of San Francisco.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Company Frank Meredith, Resident Agent Room 13, Ladd & Bush, Bank Building.

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NEW TODAY

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

Wanted—At once, girl for general housework; must be good cook. 223 North Capital street. Phone 518. 4-20-3t

For Sale—House and lot, barn, wagon shed, chicken house, etc. Lot 65x160, three blocks of po office. A bargain if taken at once; parties going away. Address 761 Mill street or Phone 1154. 4-20-3t*

\$859 BARGAIN \$850

Lot 70x140 on Winter Street, near Oak

NEXT TO J. H. ALBERT'S, RESIDENCE

Apply to Meyer & Belle Land Co. 467 State St. Phone 857

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THE HOUSE OF COMFORT

CHANGE OF PROGRAM TODAY

Good pictures and music. Description song sung by George C. Snyder.

Commencing this week, Thursday night's program will contain amateur numbers. Amateurs who desire to develop their talents on stage are invited to take part in these Thursday night programs. Prizes will be given. Apply at box office.

A Tonic or a Stimulant?

Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a tonic. It does not stimulate. It does not make you feel better one day, then as bad as ever the next. There is not a drop of alcohol in it. You have the steady, even gain that comes from a strong tonic. Ask your doctor all about this. Trust him fully, and always do as he says.

J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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