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## THE COMING DEVELOPMENT CONVENTION.

Salem will entertain progressive boosters from all parts of the state November 28, 29, 30 in a great development convention.

The brightest and best promoters in four states will be present, and addresses will be delivered to boost Oregon.

Salem will naturally come in for a great deal of praise and compliment, but our people will have something to do.

The city should be cleaned up and decorated, and made to look bright and beautiful for those three days.

Merchants will do their part by showing that Salem is a well-equipped trading city in every respect.

To this should be added a general spirit of hospitality to all the visitors by attending the sessions.

Let us show them our city, show them our fine business houses and the public institutions of the city.

## LET THE PEOPLE TRY AGAIN FOR FAIRMOUNT PARK.

It is not too late for the people to get some kind of a park on top of Fairmount Hill.

The fourteen acres on the sidehill has been sold off for a dairy pasture.

Some of the choicest of the land offered the city for a park has been taken for residences.

But the city has acquired the block and a half containing the water reservoir.

The noble grove of fir trees is still standing, and before it is sacrificed for firewood some effort should be made to secure it for a park.

There is no excuse for allowing that grove to be destroyed, although there are noble souls who will immediately cry graft at even this belated proposition.

Fairmount Park would carry if submitted to the people again. Parks should not be gifts of millionaires, but should be bought with public funds and paid for out of a tax on all property.

The Capital Journal does not even know who are the present owners of the property, but believes an effort should be made by the city government to secure that property at any fair price.

In building a greater and more beautiful Capital City it will not do to expend all our energies on Willson park, Marion park, or even in beautifying Willamette campus.

There should be a few persons who look beyond the old city limits and contemplate the city as it will be extended fifty years from now.

The Capital Journal believes the people in their better judgment would approve a park on the north, the south and east of the city.

The Park Board should consider these matters on a broad basis and inaugurate a policy of an annual tax levy for a park fund, and then have power to act whenever suitable property can be had.

Why wait for rich men to die and donate the city parks?

## PEOPLE DO NOT APPROVE SALARY RAISING.

Of the 31 measures submitted to the people at the Oregon election 23 were defeated by popular vote.

The one against which the largest majority was cast was the bill to give a judge in Baker county \$1000 additional salary.

That is the opinion the people have of the work of the last legislature in raising salaries the way they did.

More than half the bills passed were bills to raise salaries, and they had to pass them over the veto of a Democratic governor.

They had to strike out the referendum and put on fictitious emergency clauses to keep them from being referred.

The way they snowed under the salary raise for that Baker City judge shows what they would have done with the rest of the grabs.

A number of gentlemen wearing high titles must feel that they are skating on thin ice with the salaries they are drawing.

## AN ERA OF REFORM IN TAXATION.

The people of Portland should rejoice that their city tax levy is only six mills.

It is true, their valuations have been trebled and quadrupled, but they ought to be thankful.

The city engineering department and the street cleaning department cost about the same amount.

Taxes for hundreds of departments are piling up, and all are multiplying their grabs.

In all departments are demands for increased salary, and the salary business is improving.

The times are growing tighter, and the people must realize that they owe a duty to the government.

### Ayer's Hair Vigor Youth

### The Bosom Sets Flat

The stud button holes exactly meet, the neck band does not bind on your neck; button holes exactly meet buttons, no bulging front, in fact a perfect fit if we launder your shirts. It is done with our new STREAM PRESSES, which do not rub or burn the fibre, but MOULD the cuffs, neck band and bosom to a PERFECT SHAPE. Try the new work. Visitors welcome.

### Salem Steam Laundry

136-100 South Liberty Street Phone 25

## MARION COUNTY DELEGATION HARMONIOUS

HAVE NOT TIED UP ON THE ORGANIZATION — JOURNAL CAMPAIGN FOR A BUSINESS DEAL ENDORSED.

The effort to have a meeting of the Marion county delegation on Saturday night was not successful, as some of the country members could not get into the city, and another meeting will be called later. The Marion senators are non-committal on choice of president of the senate. Carl Abrams has some expectation of getting the solid support of the Marion county members for speaker of the house, but no action has been taken. It is understood George W. Johnson will be made chairman of the delegation, and Lloyd Reynolds secretary, and that the delegation will act as a unit on all recommendations for clerkships, pages and janitors.

**Want Business Organization.**  
A prominent member of the legislature writes The Capital Journal, in response to its campaign for a business organization of both houses to cut out the grafts and get down to business along business lines. He lives in Washington county and says:

"It is my purpose to do all in my power to eliminate, so far as possible, log rolling and petty jobs, and the creation of useless offices for members of the legislature or for clerks."

"I don't know whether five stenographers can do the work in the senate and ten in the house or not, but the expense on that line will be kept to the limit, and I shall not favor a long list of clerks for jobs that don't exist, or exist only in part. What I hope to be the means of helping to do, is to give the state a business administration, bringing to bear on the affairs that come before us, the same ordinary, everyday, common sense that a man exercises in his own affairs. Whether that will meet with your approval and the approval of the people in the state I do not know, but that is the way I feel about it."

"I have no axes to grind, and therefore expect no one to turn a third stone for me. I have no enemies to punish and no friends, particularly, to be rewarded. I have made no promises to be fulfilled, except promises to the people of my county and this state, and those promises are that their interests shall be carefully guarded and no new useless jobs will be created."

"I expect to be in Salem on the 28, 29 or 30th. I am not able at this time to give the exact date, and I would be glad to meet you."

**THE CO-ED PARALYZED ALL THE TELEPHONES**

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Eugene, Ore., Nov. 21.—A complication in the telephone connection with Springfield, Oregon, has revealed the fact that there is a fair disciple of Marconi at the University of Oregon this year in the person of Miss Fannie Gregory of Astoria.

Miss Gregory has installed a wireless plant in her rooms at the Chi Omega house and has exercised her skill by sending messages to her friends in outlying districts.

But it seems that her transmissions have in some way confused the patrons of the telephone service at Springfield and a hurried investigation resulted in the discovery of the wireless plant and a rapid adjustment of the difficulty.

Croup is most prevalent during the dry, cold weather of the early winter months. Parents of young children should be prepared for it. All that is needed is a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Many mothers are never without it in their homes, and it has never disappointed them. Sold by all druggists.

The direct primary is a great school for statesmen. It is sending so many to the foot of the class that the rest are studying industriously the spelling book of Progress.

Mr. Otto Paul, Milwaukee, Wis., says Foley's Honey and Tar is still more than the best. He writes us: "I have so many calls for Foley's Honey and Tar that I will have to write you for some more. All of those that bought it think it is the best for coughs and colds they ever had, and I think it is still more than the best. Our baby had a bad cold and it cured him in one day. Please accept thanks." Red Cross Pharmacy.

Try a Journal Want ad.

Boost For San Francisco.

When you write to your friends or business connections in the East do not fail to express a desire to have them aid in securing the Panama Exposition at San Francisco. It will bring thousands of people to the Coast and be a great boost to aid us in climbing. Mention it to everyone of your correspondents and ask them to write their congressman or senators.

Capital National Bank Capital \$100,000

Oldest National Bank in Marion County.

DIRECTORS: J. H. Albert, Pres. E. M. Crisman, Vice-Pres. Jos. H. Albert, Cashier. John A. Carson. Geo. F. Rodgers.

## Terrible Suffering

**Eczema All Over Baby's Body**  
"When my baby was four months old his face broke out with eczema, and at sixteen months of age, his face, hands and arms were in a dreadful state. The eczema spread all over his body. We had to put a mask or cloth over his face and tie up his hands. Finally we gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla and in a few months he was entirely cured. Today he is a healthy boy." Mrs. Inez Lewis, Baring, Maine. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood diseases and builds up the system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

## THURSDAY'S GAME SHOULD BE A GOOD ONE

Dr. Sweetland, coach of the Willamette University football team, is not certain of victory on next Thursday against Pacific University. Pacific has developed a great deal since the first of the season and she has probably been laying low on purpose to catch Willamette napping. They have a very clever coach, who has drilled them in trick plays and open work, and it is quite possible that someone may get loose on Thanksgiving day.

Coach Sweetland is acquainted with all this sort of "bluff" which Pacific has been scattering around that she has no chance against Willamette. It is done for the purpose of getting the team here at Salem over confident of victory, and when a team gets over-confident it has a great deal to overcome when it comes up against the unexpected.

The team here has been working hard to get into shape by Thursday afternoon. Captain McMaechen had his arm quite seriously wrenched in the Multnomah game and will be unable to play on Thanksgiving Day. This is to be much regretted since the substitute material is rather weak. Raymond Rowland has been practicing in McMaechen's place and he seems to be doing very well. The rest of the team seems to be in the pink of condition and should render a very favorable account of themselves next Thursday afternoon.

Cream does not rise twice on the same milk.

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**An Innumerable Apple.**

G. W. Cable, who lives out at the K. S. & D. ranch, reports one of those big Wolf River apples grown on his place this summer which weighs 40 ounces, not a grain less. This apple he took with him on a

## TOLSTOI STILL LIVES BUT DEATH IS IMMINENT

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] St. Petersburg, Nov. 19.—Czar Nicholas and the procurator of the holy synod of the Greek church were in consultation today over the question of withdrawing the edict of excommunication issued against Count Leo Tolstai, without awaiting the consent of the noted Russian author, who is near death. The condition of Tolstai was such that no effort was made to broach to him the subject of reconciliation with the Greek church. Tolstai's physicians have kept in constant communication with the palace, their last message was that the counts' death was only a matter of hours. His heart action is at the lowest point, and he becomes unconscious frequently. Oxygen is being used in an effort to prolong life.

## COMING TO PROSECUTE ALASKA LAND CASES

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Washington, Nov. 19.—Following a ten-days conference with Attorney-General Wickersham and Secretary Ballinger, T. B. Townsend, special assistant attorney-general, who has been assigned to prosecute those recently indicted at Tacoma and Seattle for alleged land frauds in connection with the acquisition of coal lands in Alaska, is en route to the West today.

Previous to his departure from Washington yesterday, Townsend discussed the plan of prosecution, and the manner of handling the government's case was decided upon.

To Help Get Fair.

Through the agency of a special faculty committee appointed by President Wheeler, of the University of California, the university is taking an active part in the campaign to secure for San Francisco congressional recognition of her claim as the most desirable place in which to hold the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915. Faculty and students alike are being solicited to use every means of bringing the matter before their friends in different parts of the country, to the end, that when the final appeal is made to Washington there will be overwhelming evidence to show that the whole of California is vitally interested.

Malheur county thinks Ritzville is stealing somebody else's thunder when a Malheur county apple is exhibited in their commercial club. However, if they have it correctly labeled, we won't care.—Ontario pumpkins about the same size. But Optimist.

# Home of "THE BIG RED APPLE"

NO subject connected with the development of the West is attracting more attention than the great profits Oregon apple growers are making. Other states produce far more apples than Oregon, but Oregon leads the world, according to the largest dealers in apples in this country, in quality of product and high prices received for same. Oregon is a great apple state, and Salem (the Willamette Valley) is the original home of the big red apple that is making a stir throughout the world.

The largest producing apple orchard in Oregon is located near Salem, the vicinity of which is also noted for its prunes, cherries, hops and small fruits.

Salem is the center of Oregon's prune industry, Oregon producing 90 per cent of the "Italian" prunes grown in this country.

Salem is the center of Oregon's hop industry, and Oregon produces 40 per cent of the hops grown in the United States. Salem is known as the "Cherry City of the World," the Willamette Valley, of which Salem is the center, originating more commercial varieties of cherries than any other section of this country.

If you are interested in fruit growing, dairying, poultry raising, manufacturing possibilities, or general farming you make a big mistake if you overlook Salem. Salem is the capital city of Oregon—a vigorous, beautiful, progressive community. Write to-day for more information about Salem. Address Secretary, Board of Trade, and mention that you saw this advertisement in SUNSET Magazine.

NOTE—This advertisement was prepared for the Salem Board of Trade by the Sunset Home-seekers Bureau, Portland, Oregon. It will appear in August Sunset. This service is rendered in connection with the Co-operative Community plan of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co.

## Commercial Advertising

The kind of advertising that pays cannot be had for a song. We do the kind that pays. Our work is the best and prices uniform. If you have not given The Journal a trial it will pay you to do so. We always aim to please.

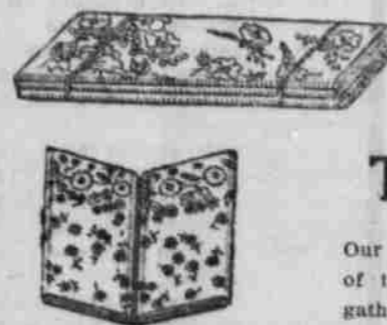
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Our store will remain closed all day Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.

## Barnes' Cash Store

E. J. Barnes, Prop.

Our store will remain closed all day Thursday, Thanksgiving Day.



## Table Linen For Thanksgiving

Our November Holiday is the one day of the year when kin and friends gather around the table for a real Thanksgiving feast. How important then that the festive board should be spread with rich, immaculate table linen. We have been very fortunate in securing just in time the richest table linen, with napkins to match, that we have ever been able to show. We have never had anything that could compare with the firmness of texture, elegance of finish and beauty of patterns, and the price is no higher.

## Dress Shirts

More new ones. Did you ever try our Coat Shirt at \$1.15 and \$1.40? They are shirts that will give you all around satisfaction. Cut with right proportions—made to fit—that's the idea. You should see the new patterns.

## Flannel Shirts

We have a line of Flannel Shirts at \$2.25, \$2.75, \$2.95 that you might hunt the town over and not beat them. Of course, we have cheaper ones, single and double breasted. The stock has just been replenished so that we have all sizes in various colors and grades to select from.

## Men's Dress Gloves

If you have any use for a nice pair of gloves all we ask is that you come and see our new line. You'll want them, and you'll like them all the time you have them. We can fit you with gloves from \$1.00 up. There is an especially good line at \$1.40, and our Cape Kid Gloves at \$1.75 and \$1.85 are top-notchers. Some of these are silk lined, making it a warm and desirable glove for the winter season. Then we have an exceptionally fine line of Mochas in various shades and different prices.



## Mufflers

You should see these Mufflers. They are beauties. Made in all sizes to fit perfectly around the neck and throat. Fasten with a clasp. There are several colors to choose from. Some of the women's have bow ties attached. Prices 25c, 45c, 90c, \$1.00. For both men and women.

## Going Away to Spend the Day

Then don't put off getting that overcoat. You'll possess a charm if you wear one of ours. It will stir up new pride, make you feel more like somebody. Yes, you'll enjoy the pleasures of the day so much more—make you feel that it was worth while going on a trip. You won't care whether it rains or shines if you have one of our Cravettes with the "Primo" convertible collar. No, you won't begrudge the few dollars you pay for it, as we give you the very best value possible for the money.

