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BEAUTIFY THE CITY.

The Cherry City Improvement League is going to take up further beautification of the city. Beautification is a big word, but it is worth while to have it added to our civic vocabulary.

The man or woman who gets that word branded in letters of fire on their minds will do something. Salem has wonderful possibilities of being made beautiful and the league should not over-look any of them.

First, there is the painting of our houses with lighter colors, and brightening our dooryards with flowers.

Too many trees around our houses add to the gloom of the premises, and dark colors in painting should be avoided.

Cultivate the reds, pinks, yellows, light grays and whites a great deal, and see how it will alleviate the gloom.

We have many gray days, and much dark cloudy weather in winter, and bright colors should shine forth.

Ex-Mayor Rodgers and the commission charter board are not going to be scared out by one man bombarding their baby off the face of the earth. Until the people have voted on the commission charter no one can tell whether it will be good or not. In the meantime it is your duty to register at the city hall so that you can have a vote on October the 25th. The registration law is a nuisance, and ought to be amended, but it is one of the sacred animals of our political system, and you might as well offer to remove the horns of one of the sacred oxen of the Hindoos as to touch the most obnoxious and impractical features of our demented registration law. But go and register and be prepared to vote at the charter election. If you don't you will be sorry.

The people will learn all about the proposed commission charter, with Justice Burnett, of the Oregon supreme court letting the daylight through it every day in the press, and a publicity committee composed of Rollin K. Page, Gus Huckestein and Senator Patton explaining criticisms of the document. The fair-minded citizen who believes there is a better way to run a city than by a city council and mayor and officers elected by the people will be willing to give commission charter a trial, even though he may consider that it is defective in several ways. It would be a step in the direction of progress, and improvements can be made by the people as fast as defects are developed. The nine Salem men who got it up are fair-minded, progressive citizens, and probably did as well as any nine men who could have been chosen to draft the charter.

MARION HOTEL PAYING.

The net profits of the Marion Hotel for the month of September aggregated \$2676.33.

The operating corporation, that is composed of public-spirited citizens, has a surplus of about \$15,000 to be divided among the stockholders.

This proves that a modern hotel, well managed, is a paying business proposition in a city the size of Salem, and shows that a profitable business opportunity was long neglected.

The same is true of first-class flats that would rent for forty to fifty dollars a month.

This city has nothing of that kind, and there are capitalists who say it would be very unwise for anyone to build such a flat. But the same financiers for twenty years held the Marion hotel property, and lost money on the same.

First-class flats are needed in this city and would pay as well as the hotel is paying, and that only proves that many of the alleged financiers are not good judges of what will pay in a growing city.

The people of Salem are proud of the success of the Marion Hotel, and are all friends of the enterprise and its financial backers.

THE FREE LOCKS AND CANAL.

For five years a campaign has been waged to give the people of Western Oregon a free and unobstructed waterway to the great Oregon market—Portland.

The state and congress have done their part, and it is now up to the war department, acting through the U. S. engineers to find a way to build a canal and locks.

There is already a locks and canal around the falls at Oregon City, but because it is the property of a big corporation there is much prejudice against acquiring that.

The common sense business man says, what is the use of building another canal and locks when we can get the one that is already built, and make it over on modern lines.

Two locks and canals around the falls are as unnecessary as two tails to a dog—but there are people in the world who would prefer a two tailed dog, just for the novelty.

Under the state law and act of congress the war department can buy the present locks and canal, can condemn the property or can build a new system on the east side.

The shippers at Portland and up and down the Willamette valley are not caring whether the canal and locks are on one side of the river or the other, but want action.

Action that will make results impossible is to be avoided.

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THE OREGON THRESHERMEN'S ASSOCIATION

TO MEET IN SALEM IN SEMI-ANNUAL SESSION - ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28.

Philip S. Bates, secretary of the Oregon Threshermen's association, has issued the following call to threshermen of Marion county, to meet at Salem:

"As you know, the next semi-annual meeting is to be held in your county at Salem, December 7 and 8. I desire your co-operation in making the same the best ever held in the state, which can be done. I am, therefore, going to ask you to meet with Governor West, Mr. Hofet, secretary of the Salem Board of Trade, and myself in Salem on Saturday, October 28, at 11 a. m., to make arrangements.

"Do not disappoint me, for everything depends on each of us doing our share, and I have something special for you to undertake."

X-RAYS AND SMILES.

The "suffragette"—the comet that recently visited us, must have been a powerful voodoo. Roosevelt announces that he wants to avoid making any speeches.

A co-ed at Washington University is struggling along under the handicap of the name Karola Zastowny-novitch. Anyway, she can change it, but if she does fancy the small change, it ought to be an inducement to her saying "yescovitch" to the first proposal.

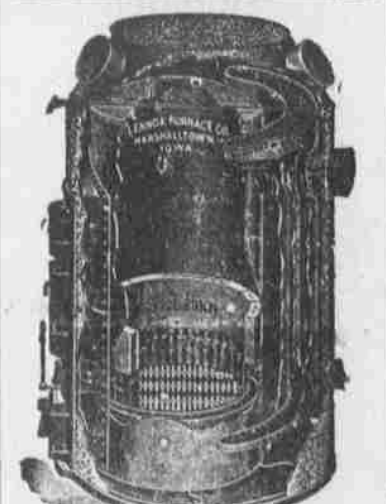
Frank Auer, of Rickreall prairie, while driving cattle, reached into his pocket for a pistol to shoot a jack-rabbit yesterday, and the hammer caught. The bullet went into his side. He can now look at the matter from the jack rabbit's point of view. He will recover.

KIND OF HORSES RAISED IN OREGON

Mr. White, who lives near Chemawa, on the George Goodrich place, brought a load of dr yash wood to town that measured something over two cords. He weighed it on the Wait Low scales, and it went 7975 pounds gross. The wagon weighed 1800, leaving the wood net weight 6375. The load was pulled by a 3-year-old weighing about 1300 and a 4-year-old weighing about 1425. Mr. White is a modest kind of man, and when the reporter asked him what breeding the horses had he said just (anyone), but any one with half horse sense could see that there was a strong mixture of Clyde and Percheron. They were the strongest young team we have seen in many a day, and they fetched that load right out of the timber. Mr. White was naturally proud of the team, and seemed the kind of man who could get the work out of them by careful handling.

The "pure food law" is designed by the government to protect the public from injurious ingredients in both foods and drugs. It is beneficial both to the public and to the conscientious manufacturer. Ely's Cream Balm, a successful remedy for cold in the head, nasal catarrh, hay fever, etc., containing no injurious drugs, meets fully the requirements of the new law, and that fact is prominently stated on every package. It contains none of the injurious drugs which are required by the law to be mentioned on the label. Hence you can use it safely.

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SAGE RESTORES GRAY HAIR TO NATURAL COLOR

The old idea of using sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers used to have dark, glossy hair at the age of 75, while our mothers have white hair before they are 50. Our grandmothers used to make a "sage tea" and applied it to their hair. The tea made their hair soft and glossy, and gradually restored the natural color. One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it, especially as it had to be made every two or three days, on account of souring quickly. This objection has been overcome, and by asking almost any first-class druggist for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy the public can get a superior preparation of sage, with the admixture of sulphur, another valuable remedy for hair and scalp troubles. Daily use of this preparation will not only quickly restore the color of the hair, but will also stop the hair from falling out and make it grow.

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TO CONNECT INSTITUTIONS BY GOOD ROADS

The construction of rock highways connecting all of the state institutions, and they in turn with the city is the plan of Governor West, and he asserts that he will build them without a trifle of cost. Plans are already prepared for the first link—one to run from the asylum farm to the penitentiary, and which will be three miles in length.

The governor has made arrangements to borrow 40 miles, also made arrangements for a rock crusher and the rock needed in the work. The labor will be done by convicts and inmates of the asylum, who will be paid 25 cents a day for their services. Stables at the various institutions will be used to shelter the animals. The only expense attached to the scheme will be the hiring of a small traction engine.

Many of the improvements inaugurated by the governor at the state institutions have been completed. The improvements at the asylum are rapidly progressing, and at the state penitentiary a barn has been completed. It is of concrete, and one of the finest in the country. The park in front of the asylum—and a thing of beauty—is complete, and so are the poultry yards at the penitentiary.

Likes the Sermons. Portland, Or., Oct. 12, 1911. Mr. Editor Salem Journal, Salem, Or. Dear Sir: Once more I desire to express my appreciation of your good paper and its various appointments as a useful instructor. I have enjoyed especially the clear cut scriptural truths set forth in Pastor Russell's sermons, which you print, and since I get those now in our local Portland paper, I would request that you address the balance of my subscription to M. W. Davies, Boring, Oregon, Route 2, Box 42, who desires the same, and will, I am sure, prove a desirable subscriber.

Hoping I may be able to render you some good service in the future, I remain Yours sincerely, A. A. YEREX.

1198 Clinton Street.

RAILROADS. SOUTHERN PACIFIC.

Southbound. No. 13 San Francisco Exp. 3:31 a.m. No. 19 Ashland Passenger 10:59 a.m. No. 17 Roseburg Passenger 6:21 p.m. No. 11 Shasta Limited 7:43 p.m. No. 27 Eugene Passenger 3:25 p.m. No. 15 California Express 9:56 p.m. No. 226 Way Freight 9:50 a.m. No. 222 Portland Fast Frt 10:45 p.m. Northbound. No. 14 Oregon Express 6:43 a.m. No. 28 Portland Passenger 8:30 a.m. No. 12 Shasta Limited 12:35 p.m. No. 18 Portland Passenger 2:56 p.m. No. 29 Portland Passenger 7:43 p.m. No. 225 Way Freight 12:35 p.m. No. 221 Portland Fast Frt. 2:43 a.m.

OREGON ELECTRIC RAILWAY CO

Leave Salem. Arrive Portland. Train 6, 6:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. Train 8, 8:55 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Train 10, 11:15 a.m. 1:15 p.m. Train 12, 2:00 p.m. 4:00 p.m. Train 14, 3:40 p.m. 5:10 p.m. Train 16, 4:00 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Train 18, 5:05 p.m. 8:35 p.m. Train 20, 8:50 p.m. 10:45 p.m. Arrive in Salem. Train 1, 8:30 a.m. Train 3, 9:50 a.m. Train 5, 10:30 a.m. Train 7, 1:00 p.m. Train 9, 4:15 p.m. Train 11, 6:00 p.m. Train 13, 8:35 p.m. Train 17, 11:10 p.m.

Salem, Falls City & Western Ry

Leaves West Salem for: Dallas, Falls City and Black Rock 9:00 a. m. Dallas and Falls City 1:30 and 4:35 p. m. Sunday trains for: Dallas and Black Rock 9:00 a. m. and 1:35 p. m. Trains arrive at West Salem from Dallas 8:15 a. m. Black Rock and Dallas, 12:30 p. m. Falls City and Dallas 4:15 p. m.

SALEM INDEPENDENCE BOATS.

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3 cans Oysters. 25c
2 cans nice table Peaches. 25c
2 pounds Tillamook Cheese. 25c
6 cans American Sardines. 25c
5 packages Best Corn Starch. 25c
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