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**DEPARTMENT  
 OF ART AT THE  
 STATE FAIR**

**HORSE EDITOR RUSHES IN WHERE  
 REPORTORIAL ANGELS FEAR TO  
 TREAD AND TALKS ABOUT  
 THINGS HE KNOWS NOT OF.**

There is one feature of the recent state fair that none of the newspapers gave the space or mention it deserved, and that was the art exhibit. This seeming neglect or oversight was probably rather unintentional, not because it was not worthy, but because the reporters, while "artists" in their line, and understood the lights and shadows of a good story, were not long-haired and familiar with the chiaro oscuro of the painters' art. The horse editor frankly admits that there are none on the Journal staff, outside of his department, capable of doing the subject justice. That's why, even at this late date, he is tackling the job himself. He further concedes that, while he knows beans, he would not recognize them under the botanical name of "faba vulgaris," nor would he have even a speaking acquaintance with a fellow cabbage head, perambulating under the name of "brassica oleracea." He likes flowers, but knows nothing of botany, and admires pictures, some pictures, without being overburdened with art. But here goes.

In the first place the exhibit was sadly handicapped by its surroundings. The little space given it, compelled crowding, and there was practically no light, the dim glimmer coming down through a small skylight, and a few 'teen candle power electric lights being entirely insufficient. The exhibit of amateur work has grown steadily smaller each year, because they do not like to compete with their teachers.

The exhibit this year, as a whole, was better than usual, because largely for one reason, due to the energetic work of Miss Muna Geer, who had charge of the department, and who found it hard to get many of the artists to exhibit because the light for several seasons has been so poor, and one experience was enough for them.

One of the pictures attracting a great deal of attention was of Uncle John Minto, by Geo. O'Brien. It was extremely lifelike and real, and the kindly old face was surely good to look at.

Mt. Hood, from Bull Run lake, was another fine one, one of the best.

Clyde Keller, of Salem, a former Salem boy, had an exhibit of exquisite water colors.

Mrs. Florence Chase Currier, of Portland, had a splendid piece in oil, a monk's head, which was greatly admired.

Mrs. M. A. Woods sent a very creditable display, including modeled leather work and work in oil and water colors, as well as an elegant piece of tapestry painting.

Another feature, and one of the best, was the etchings by Charles W. Port, who has a national reputation, and the securing of this collection for Oregonians to see was one of the most tasteful and artistic bits of work done in connection with the exhibit, and was the work of its manager, Miss Geer.

Miss Margaret Gills' showing of water colors, pastels and china painting was one of the finest, was greatly admired, causing much favorable comment, and it deserved it.

The Kayser photographs, loaned for the occasion by Allen Eaton, of Eugene, were another feature that attracted much attention.

In the china painting the tendency toward conventional rather than realistic was much in evidence. It is a little incongruous or strikes the horse editor that way, to have a plate bearing a beautiful bunch of roses from which to eat "ham and," and it don't seem quite right that a few links of Frankfurter should repose on a cluster of lilies of the valley, or a smothering of limburger rest peacefully in the bosom of a bed of nigonette.

The impressionist work shows gains and is in favor, though there seems to be a tendency toward the extreme in this line.

There were hundreds of beautiful things, far too many to even enumerate, let alone even attempt to describe.

What is most needed, outside of a new and larger gallery, is revised premium list. Sculpturing should be given a prominent place. Oregon boasts two fine artists in this line, whose work has a national reputation, Roswald Doech and Gertrude Camp, both of Portland, and both close to the top in their profession.

Photographers of the state have pledged \$2000 towards a new art gallery at the grounds, and Col. Robert Miller, of the Society of Oregon Artists, assures us that organization will take an active part in promoting the new gallery.

It is expected this will be completed in time for next year's exhibits, and it is hoped by that time some Oregon newspaper will have an artist on its staff to write up the art exhibit as it should be done. The balance of us could then swipe it, for the fraternity, one and all, are artists in that line.

**Rheumatism**

It manifests itself in local aches and pains,—injured joints and stiff muscles,—but it cannot be cured by local applications. It requires constitutional treatment, and the best is a course of the great blood purifying and tonic medicine Hood's Sarsaparilla which corrects the acid condition of the blood and builds up the system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsotabs.

**GRAND ARMY  
 ELECTS ITS  
 OFFICERS**

**(UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.)**  
 Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 14.—The forty-sixth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic ended here last night with the election of officers. The place of the next encampment will be selected by the executive council. The new officers of the Grand Army include:  
 Commander-in-chief, Judge Alfred B. Beers, Bridgeport, Conn.  
 Senior vice-commander, Henry Z. Osborne, Los Angeles.  
 Junior vice-commander, Americus Wheaton, Louisville.  
 Chaplain, George Edwards Lovejoy, Lawrence, Mass.  
 The Woman's Relief Corps named retiring President Mrs. Cora M. Davis, of Union, Oregon, as delegate to the national council of women. The Daughters of Veterans today elected Mrs. Nina Littlefield, of Cambridge, Mass., as president.

**Real Estate Bulletin**

- 146—\$1650. Lot 50x103 on Court street. If you are in the market for a lot don't overlook this.
- 168—\$3500. 8-room house and lot 55 x120 on Front Street. This is the property to keep your eye on.
- 202—\$3500. 7-room bungalow, beamed ceilings, built in seats, china closets, den and fireplace, full basement and furnace; an ideal home.
- 199—\$2500. 5-room bungalow, beamed ceilings, column openings, large lot, close in; \$500 cash, balance same as rent.
- 222—\$500. 100 acres, 20 cultivated, balance saw and piling timber, good 2-story house, 2 large barns, 1 acre bearing orchard, plenty small fruit, telephone, on rock road and cream route.
- 223—\$3200. 7-room modern house, one of the best, finely finished. If you want a home, see this.
- 147—80 acres, 7 miles south, in the famous Rosedale district, will sell all or in tracts, to suit purchaser. The price is right, or will exchange for Salem property.
- 214—\$4300. 11 acres, 3 miles from center of city, 6-room, plastered house, water in kitchen, good barn, 6 or 7 tons of hay, one horse and wagon, farm implements, incubator, chicken house to handle 100 chickens.
- 205—\$2400. 10½ acres 2½ miles south of city limits, 200 apples, 200 peaches, 100 cherries, strawberries and raspberries. This is the last of a large farm, and is very fine.
- 193—\$4000. 15 acres, 4 miles south, 6 acres in prunes, 2½ acres strawberries, ¼ acre peaches, 1½ acres loganberries; horse, cows and farm implements included.
- 212—155 acres, 8 miles south of Salem on rock road, 15 acres prunes, 3 acres peaches, 3 acres cherries, buildings good, spring water piped to house; price \$100 per acre.
- 178—50 acres 2 miles from Salem, 40 acres in cultivation, lays fine to cut into tracts. Nothing better than this; price \$185 per acre.
- 200—\$15,200. 280 acres deep red hill soil, 200 acres in crop this year, 40 acres fine timber, 40 acres open pasture, can easily be put in grain, fine house (large), fine barn, both house and barn on concrete basements, well fenced, 12½ acres prunes, large pruner dryer, running water; will take up to \$6000 in Salem property; terms on balance.

Vancouver got fine weather, if not Teddy.

**HELP MAKE OREGON MORE PROSPEROUS.**

- By wearing clothes made in Oregon from the products of Oregon woolen mills and Oregon mohair mills.
- By eating cereals made in Oregon out meal mills and flouring mills made from Oregon-grown grain.
- By using flour made in Oregon flouring mills from grain grown on Oregon farms by Oregon farmers.
- By building houses made of Oregon lumber, Oregon brick, Oregon stone, Oregon building and roofing paper.
- By using furniture made in Oregon from lumber sawed in Oregon sawmills and grown in Oregon.
- By eating meats packed in Oregon packing houses and grown on Oregon ranges and fattened in Oregon.
- By drinking beer made from Oregon hops and barley in preference to all other beverages, if you drink anything.
- By patronizing Oregon summer resorts, Oregon springs and visiting Oregon places of interest when traveling.
- By giving the preference to Oregon mineral waters and smoking cigars made by Oregon manufacturers.
- By wearing shoes and gloves made in Oregon, when you can get them from the dealer just as well as any others.
- By painting your house with Oregon made paints and stains, both on the outside and inside.
- Demand that all public buildings, from the little school house to the big state building, be constructed of Oregon materials.
- Housewives should demand pickles, vinegar, crackers, pastes, coffee, lard, syrup and confectionary made in Oregon.
- The farmer who wants to see Oregon prosperous should demand Oregon-made binding twine and hop twines.
- The sawmill man and logger should ask for the Bergman logging shoes—admitted to be the best in the world.
- Loyal Oregon men and women should read over the page printed in this paper once a week, and act accordingly.

**THE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS' VETO.**

The ballot published in the Portland Labor Press on initiative and referendum measures condemns twenty, favors ten, and is non-committal on seven.

The following measures for which labor voters are urged to vote are as follows:

- The woman suffrage amendment.
- To make bank stockholders liable for full amount of stock.
- To provide bond issue for country roads on grange plan.
- State highway department on grange plan.
- State printer on flat salary December, 1912.
- Eight-hour day on all public work.
- To protect purchasers of stocks and bonds.
- Abolishing state senate and revising legislative section of state constitution.
- Graduate d single tax.
- To abolish capital punishment.
- The above ten measures are recommended by the Labor press, which represents organized labor in this state.
- Not all labor voters will be willing to accept all of the above ten measures, but the effect of this elimination should be fatal to the twenty-seven measures that are not endorsed.
- If the labor organizations will help kill off twenty-seven of the initiative and referendum measures, the rest of the people ought to be trusted to kill off the remainder.

**A LARGER REGISTRATION.**

Under the amended non-partisan registration system there is going to be a larger registration of voters.

This law applies only to Salem and does not change the present registration law, except as to wiping out party lines.

It is conceded that party politics should not have the control of city elections and in municipal affairs.

Hence at city elections in future Salem voters will not register disclosing their political brand.

This is a step which all progressive cities are taking, and will go far to bring out a larger vote at the primary.

The Oregon registration system is a very defective one, and the tendency is to shut out larger and larger numbers of voters.

It is a law that operates viciously because it forces voters away from the ballot boxes, which is bad in any form of popular government.

The next step to take in Oregon is to give the people the real Australian ballot system of registration law.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson has come out strong against women using cigarettes. That certainly scores one on Teddy, whose daughter uses them. But the Woodrow Wilsons have still to account for the almost universal use of cigarettes in the big colleges and universities. It is the product of culture.

Swimming and life-saving will be taught to teachers of rural schools and pupils in normal schools in Sweden by the Swedish Life-Saving Society. The government has paid for the work, and it is the intention to eventually make swimming compulsory in all the schools.

A woman doesn't have to change her mind in order to change the subject.

The tea man, as well as the baker, has fruited cakes for sale.

An unidentified man committed suicide near Oregon City Tuesday afternoon by jumping in front of a fast and these "not very hard ones."

**For The Nervous Woman,**

Or the woman who experiences hot flashes nothing is so good to soothe, quiet and calm the nervous system as a pure glyceric extract of native medicinal plants, and made without alcohol, which has been sold by druggists for the past forty years, and most favorably known as Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. In younger years some women suffer from dizziness, or fainting spells, hysteria, headache, bearing-down feelings and pain. All of these symptoms of irregularity and female disturbance are relieved by the use of this famous "Prescription" of Doctor Pierce.



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**FOR SALE**

Farm home: None better in all Oregon. Just read this! 201 acres only one mile from flourishing railroad town in the heart of the Willamette valley. Here is the description: Three acres of peaches, eight acres of prunes, six acres of apples and pears, lots of berries, 100 acres in cultivation and finest of soil. Also, 4000 cords of wood growing on best of soil. Land is gently rolling. One of the finest houses in the state, 14 rooms, costing \$7000. Large barn, 60x80, 4 floors; silo, splendid well 157 feet deep and on elevation, with windmill, making one of the finest water systems in the county. The scenery and grounds are as fine as can be had anywhere. Price \$90 per acre without stock, crop or tools, or \$100 per acre takes everything. There is a fine dairy goes with place. The terms are good as the rest of it. \$12,000 can stand on long time at 6 per cent. The other \$6000 cash, or will take \$4000 equity in smaller farm. Therefore \$2000 cash will handle this great buy.

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Right on the line of the new railroad bridge being built across the river to Salem, and on line of the Salem and Dayton extension. Has county roads on three sides of the land.

Less than ten minutes walk to big steel bridge. Seven minutes by motorcar from business center of Salem.

Beautiful, slightly scenic residence property, of which there is little left for sale around Salem, and none in so large a tract. Adjoins famous Kimball cherry sweepstakes prize orchard, for which \$1500 an acre has been refused. Last large tract on market suitable for acreage or lots.

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