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An unusual offering, just at a time when thoughts are turned toward vacation comes this special offering of natty bathing suits. They are in navy blue and black, made of good quality alpaca, serge and jersey cloth in many attractive styles. A splendid assortment in every way. Regular prices \$2.50 to \$6.00. Twenty per cent from these prices during this event.

Special Offering in the Dress Goods Section Fancy Suitings, to \$2.50 Qualities, Special at Twenty Per Cent Less

Decidedly attractive bargains in this splendid lot of fancy suitings, mostly in grey. There are splendid new fabrics in the lot in popular stripes and mixtures. Fifty-six inches wide and extra good grades. 20 per cent from the regular prices, if you purchase now.

A Clearance Sale of Women's Summer Skirts 20 Per Cent Reduction From Regular Prices

The stock contains many neat stylish skirts, well made and finished. They are in pique, linen and linene in both natural linen color and white. If you can use one of these purchase now and save 20 per cent from the usual price.



Capital City Brevities

Special meeting of Salem Lodge No. 4, A. F. & A. M. this evening. Work in the M. M. degree. Visiting brethren welcome.

Music--at the Spa--tonight. Dr. F. L. Utter, dentist, suite 415-416-417 Masonic building.

Royal Highlanders, in session last night, received three new members in the order.

Frank Magers and family left this morning for Newport to spend a week or two vacation.

Accompanied by her children, Mrs. Albert Johns will leave tomorrow for southern California on a tour.

A motion for non-suit was sustained by Judge Kelly yesterday in the case of W. F. Miller vs. G. N. Beck.

Mountain strawberries. Another lot of these nice strawberries, for Friday's trade. Phone 259, Foster & Baker.

Mrs. Walter Williams, of Dallas, visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Chapman, who resides on Liberty street, yesterday.

McMinnville vs Salem. Salem league grounds, Sunday, July 20. Krenton game of season. Each have won one game.

It takes skill, study and experience to fit eyes with glasses properly. I am past the experimental stage. Dr. James Smith 303-4 Masonic building.

An extensive auto trip was started on yesterday by Dr. W. H. Darby and family. The party will auto through southern Oregon and visit Crater Lake.

Well supplied with lunch and good spirits, the members of the Yeoman Lodge enjoyed an auto ride to Hollywood last night where a general high jinks was held.

The members of the Baptist Sunday school held an enjoyable picnic at the state fair grounds last Tuesday. Sports of all kinds and a general good time was had including many good things to eat.

Supreme court decisions of the Oregon supreme court cannot be copyrighted, according to an opinion rendered by Attorney-General Crawford yesterday in answer to an inquiry from Clerk J. C. Moreland.

The state railroad commission has ordered that all railroad trains shall be stopped within 100 feet of a main line crossing, and signals given with whistle and bell, unless protected by an interlocking device. Trains shall not proceed over such a crossing at more than 10 miles an hour. Street railroads must stop within 50 feet of a grade crossing, unless an interlocking device is in use.

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Joe Underwood, the well known local taxi cab man, left last night for Albany where he will confer with District Attorney Hill concerning the accident in which his son, Charles, was killed.

Story telling hour at the Salem playgrounds will be Saturday at 2:30. It is announced. Miss Davis, of the public library, will be on hand next Saturday. It is believed that this feature will prove very popular with the little folk.

Grant Gordon, northwest manager of the Sunset-Pacific Monthly, is in the city in the interest of his publication. This popular magazine intends devoting considerable space to the resources of the Willamette valley, thus providing a class of publicity that will bring good results, and which are sure to be appreciated by residents of the valley.

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The painters are very busy on the capitol, the east side having been finished, and the south end is now getting its first coat. The color is white, and it is certainly a great improvement over the holden gray suit the old building has worn so long. Workmen are also busy repairing the steps and plastering on them, and the sound of the hammer and the pecking of the chisels is as continuous as the rattle of the typewriters inside the building.

A movement for a half holiday in business, probably Wednesday afternoon of each week, has been started in Salem, and some definite action is possible. William McGilchrist says the plan has proved quite successful in Scotland, and he can see no reason why practically every line should not find it all right in Salem. In order to make the movement a success it would be necessary for business men to reach a firm agreement.

Dr. Marian Van Waters, the young Oregon girl, who recently distinguished herself at Clark University, Mass., where she graduated with exceptional honors and with the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes. Miss Van Waters has been engaged in social work and scientific investigations, in the east, of the causes of delinquency among girls. The city of Boston was the successful one among several who sought Dr. Van Waters' services. She will soon return to Boston to take up sociological investigations for the juvenile court of that city, where great progress is being made in this line of work.

The desert land board yesterday approved the purchase of 1100 acres of land for the reservoir sites in the Columbia Southern project, the cost to be from \$10 to \$70 an acre. The sites were selected and the rights obtained by Attorney-General Crawford and Walton Van Winkle, assistant secretary of the board of control. J. H. Lewis, state engineer left last night for Mathews county, where he will make an investigation of the Dead Ox Flat irrigation project, involving the puffing of water from Snake river. He also will visit other irrigation projects.

Judge Galloway today rendered a decree in default in the case of Mabel D. Austin vs. A. E. Austin, in which plaintiff was seeking a divorce.

Byron Hunter, of Walla Walla, district leader of the farm management department for Oregon, Idaho and Washington, is in the city and looking over the work here in connection with the local agent, Mr. Chapin.

The report of H. C. Seymour, school superintendent of Polk county, shows the county has 66 schools, and six joint with other counties. The number of pupils registered during the year was 3176, and the average daily attendance 2799.

Keep in mind and tell your friends that the third and deciding game between McMinnville and Salem will be played at Salem Sunday, July 20. The first two games were simply great, but they cannot be compared to this one. The stars of the valley will be lined up against each other.

A good attendance was had at the meeting held by the local motorcycle club in the Board of Trade rooms last night, and the members were enthusiastic over many matters discussed. At the next meeting of the club, a re-organization will be perfected and many new members will be taken in.

Two boys who had escaped from the Oregon Training school, were caught last night when they attempted to return to the school after some clothing they had secreted in the brush. The lads walked away from a field in which they were working two days ago.

A petition asking Judge Galloway, of department number two, of the circuit court, to amend the decree for a divorce rendered in the case of Edith Gage vs. Alva Gage. The petitioner asks the court to issue an order compelling the defendant to pay permanent alimony in the sum of \$15 a month for the keep of the minor child at the issue of the marriage, and a further sum of \$100 to cover expenses incurred heretofore in supporting the child.

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