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COMING EVENTS

- TONIGHT Cherrian band concert, Willson park, 8 p. m. Aug. 23—Cherrian jitney dance at armory. Aug. 25—Cherrian excursion to Marshfield. September 4—Labor day. Sept. 7-8-9—Willamette Valley Tennis Tournament, Salem. Sept. 18—Opening day of city schools. September 20—Monthly meeting Commercial club, Address by Harwood Hall. Sept. 25-30—Oregon State Fair.

Dr. Mendelsohn, specialist, fits glasses correctly. U. S. Bank Bldg.

The hop warehouse of the Oregon Electric company on Front street is being reshingled.

Drink Cerezo, the liquid food, the health drink. Ask your grocer.

Dr. Lloyd Mott, son of Dr. Wm. S. Mott was operated on Thursday morning at the Willamette Sanatorium. He is reported today to be making a very satisfactory recovery.

Autos for hire, passenger and baggage transferred, rates reasonable, country trips a specialty. C. G. McElroy, Phone 947 or 639. sept 1

For the fifth day, the gauge of the river has stood at 3 of a foot above zero. The precipitation yesterday was .3 of an inch and the thermometer recorded 82 as the highest with 54 for the low temperature.

Notice: Woodmen of the World, neighbors attention: A special meeting will be held Friday evening, Aug. 18, all members are requested to be present as business of great importance is to be transacted. Jack Swienick, C. C. aug 18

Howard Jewett, a graduate of Willamette University has accepted a position in the high school of Cottage Grove for the coming winter and will teach in the science department. He has recently been associated with the Frame Shop.

Next Saturday at my street market (Chicago store corner) young dressed hens, ducks, cauliflower and other vegetables, peaches and blackberries, Chas. A. Muttis.

Beginning next Monday, the U. S. recruiting office in the Keith hotel will remain open on evenings until 10 o'clock. Sergeant Schuster has made this arrangement especially for those who are unable to come in and get information during business hours.

Do not be misled by a premium. Get coffee that is roasted daily. It's worth ten premiums to get it fresh. Wm. Gahlsdorf, Phone 67. aug 19

Mis-directed letters continue to come in at the local postoffice. Here was one that was even too much for the "nixie" man who is supposed to know about all there is worth knowing when it comes to getting letters to the right people. The letter is addressed, "Miss Martha, 300 S. E. D St."

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If you happen to own a valuable dog, here is a suggestion. Keep the dog under cover or out of sight as there is evidently some one in the city who is a dog fancier and has been making away with dogs in the upper circles of dog society. John Mintz recently lost a valuable blood hound and R. Royal an English bird dog.

Flashlights and batteries at Lockwoods, 216 N. Commercial St.

Children who appreciate the city public library will be glad to know there will be a number of volumes of "The Twins" at the library Saturday morning. The Eskimau Twins, the Mexican Twins, the Japanese Twins and the Irish Twins will all be there and will be ready for the little boys and girls to take home and read.

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A committee of five will be appointed this evening at the meeting of the Woodmen of the World to arrange for the reception and entertainment of I. I. Boak, head consul of the W. O. W. and his party who will visit Salem (Wednesday, October 11. Other business of rather an unusual nature will also come up for the consideration of the Woodmen tonight.

Get hop pickers taps at Lockwoods, 216 N. Commercial St.

Arthur Baas, recently here from South Carolina and connected with the government survey was duly impressed with the scenery around Salem. And for this reason, besides the investment side of the question, he has purchased a view lot in Fairmount Park, the highest on the hill. The transfer was made by Wm. Grubenhorst and Co. and the price paid for the lot was \$550.

Give them the once over, the Grand Union big value coffee, tea and spices in Lockwoods window 216 N. Commercial St. Phone 968.

The war department has authorized all postmasters in Oregon to recruit soldiers for the army, excepting in the cities of Portland, Salem and Eugene. The postmasters are given authority to

enlist men and are furnished with the proper blanks. Sergeant Schuster was in Albany, Jefferson, Marion and Turner this week and any recruits accepted at these postoffices will be sent to the Salem office for final acceptance.

Gasoline lanterns, lamps, and mantles at Lockwoods 216 N. Commercial St.

A bill of lading was received today from the government arsenal at Benicia Calif., for 20 rifle and 12,000 rounds of ammunition, shipped to Salem for the Salem Rifle club. The ammunition will be issued free to members shooting on the range.

New ideas in jewelry at Hartman Bros. Co., See them.

George A. Gundelinger, who was arrested at The Dalles on a charge of jumping a hotel bill in Salem, was returned here yesterday by Constable Cooper, and this morning in Justice Webster's court he pleaded guilty as charged. He was fined \$25.

When you think of jewelry think of Hartman Bros. Co., Quality Jewelers. Successors to Barr's.

Lugh Aspinwall of Brooks, charged with larceny on complaint R. Southwick, was arraigned before Justice Webster yesterday afternoon and pleaded not guilty. He will be given a hearing Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Southwick alleges that Aspinwall stole from him a bird dog.

Shelby Mazda lamps, its time to have Lockwood fill up those vacant sockets. Phone 968 or call 216 N. Commercial St.

George E. Schaffer, George W. Hobson and G. C. Millett are on a tour of several weeks in southern Oregon and in the Burns country. In Mr. Schaffer's Capital drug store. There is no penny in the slot attachment and it costs nothing to step on and step off.

Bruce McDaniel, brother of Ivan G. McDaniel, manager of the Commercial club, is visiting in the city. He will remain here about two weeks before leaving for Stanford University where he will take up a post graduate course in law this winter. During the summer he has been publicity man for the Ellison-White Chautauqua system.

The grade of the roadway over the Mill creek fill on North Front street will be brought to the established grade as soon as the Oregon Electric can get its grading outfit installed in Salem. This information is given in a letter to city attorney Macy from A. J. Davidson, superintendent of the Oregon Electric. High street will also be repaired and surfaced where the bricks are above the surface as soon as the company can assemble the materials.

The road the county has been building along the north side of the Little North Fork of the Santiam, between Melama and Loomer's bridge will not be open for travel for several weeks. The delay in the opening of the road has been caused by slides and the unusual weather conditions besides the difficulty the contractors have had in securing labor. The new road is five miles long leading to the Elkhorn valley and Gold creek from Melama.

Housekeepers are having a hard time nowadays in averaging the cost of keeping up the commissary department of the household. Just as the good news of a decline in sugar and been announced, flour advanced 20 cents a sack, which made an even break with the cheaper sugar. But today even the soft news that butterfat and creamery butter have both advanced four cents a pound over night, and now butter is costing five cents a pound more than it did yesterday.

While many small farmers with loganberry tracts have been fortunate this year with extra large yields of berries, those owning a large acreage have about an average yield. For this reason H. S. Gile would rather discourage the planting of large loganberry tracts. In fact Mr. Gile believes the man with five acres in loganberries and another five planted in something that the canneries are sure to want, is better off than the man with a large acreage of logans. Mr. Gile argues that with a small tract, a man and his family can cultivate and pick the berries just exactly at the right time and keep all the money in the family. Diversified farming he believes is the thing for the small tract owner.

City attorney B. W. Macy is in receipt of a letter from E. L. Bureanier, superintendent of the Portland division of the Southern Pacific in which he states that orders have been issued to engineers and conductors to live up to the speed limit regulations of the city. There is a speed limit of 10 miles for S. P. trains between North Mill creek and Cross street, according to a city ordinance, and complaint had been

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SALEM FRUIT UNION SECURES BIG PRICES

Strawberries—a Profitable Crop—is Shipping Green Prunes East

That strawberries are a profitable crop when marketed under favorable conditions is shown by figures given out this morning by Robert Paulus of the Salem Fruit Union.

Although many growers not members of the union failed to get satisfactory prices for their strawberries this season, they have only themselves to blame. Instances have been numerous in which growers have sold berries to grocers and other dealers at from 70 to 80 cents a crate, when the demand was such as to warrant a much higher price. In fact, grocers have brought berries to the union for which they paid these prices and have received prices for their strawberries this season, they have only themselves to blame.

The following figures showing the net prices paid to union members for strawberries on certain dates should prove interesting reading to strawberry growers: May 25, \$2.04 per crate; May 29, \$1.92; May 31, \$1.69; June 1, \$1.58; June 2, \$1.76; June 3, \$1.60; June 5, \$1.57; June 6, \$1.13 for faced, \$1 for unfaced; June 7, \$1.24 for faced, \$1.09 for unfaced; June 8, \$1.34 and \$1.19; June 9, \$1.21 and \$1.16; June 11, \$1.35 for faced berries; June 12, \$1.29 and \$1.14; June 13, \$1.12 for unfaced berries.

Mr. Paulus states that had the union been able to buy berries in sufficient quantities to ship in car load lots these prices would have been greater.

In commenting on the present market for fresh prunes, Mr. Paulus says that a deal has been closed by the union for the shipment of a considerable quantity of the article to eastern buyers. The price is such as to guarantee the growers \$450 per car of 10,000 crates. The fruit is sold by the union to a fruit company in Sacramento, California.

The union has made many sales of green prunes during the past few years. Sixty carloads were disposed of in 1909 at a net profit to the growers of 15 cents more a bushel than was shown by the dried product. But the dried prune market is affected very little by any demand that has arisen, or is likely to arise, for the green fruit. One car will hold approximately as much of the dried product as five will hold of the green.

The failure of the prune crop in Idaho has been largely instrumental in creating the present market.

made that most of the trains passing through have been hitting it up at the rate of 20 miles an hour and even faster. The superintendent also writes Mr. Macy that the surfacing at the crossings of State, Court and Center would be attended to at once. These crossings have been pretty rough as the bricks have been forced up above the level of the street as a result of the snows and freezings of last winter.

On account of the Cherrian dance last evening, members of the tourist, publicity and convention department of the Commercial club, Benjamin Brick director, did not meet to consider a mail to represent Salem at the Astoria regatta September 10-4. Mr. Brick is of the opinion Salem should accept the invitation of Astoria and send a representative that would be a credit to the city.

Express companies announce that all shipments to the American Red Cross supply districts for the use of soldiers on the Mexican border, will be made at two thirds the regular rate. From the regular Red Cross districts, shipments will be forwarded without additional expense. The approved list to come under the head of Red Cross supplies include reading matter, games, comfort bags, pajamas, socks, pipes and smoking tobacco, cigarettes, chewing gum, chocolate in tin boxes, hard candy, evaporated cream, canned fruits

CHERRIAN DANCE WAS BEST OF SERIES

Receipts Assures Sending Band to Marshfield—Will Give One More

The Cherrian jitney dance last night at the armory was such an unqualified success, socially as well as financially, that it was decided to give one more before the departure of the Cherrians for Marshfield, Friday morning, August 25.

As the committees have been practically the same for the last two dances, it is probable they will remain on duty once more just for the good of the cause and also from the fact that having handled two successful dances, they have been asked to serve just one more.

Last night was by far the most successful of the three dances. The proceeds from the jitney dances amounted to \$129.20 and from the refreshments stand, \$50.54. There was also the receipts from the checking room and the wheel of fortune along with the baby doll throwing contests.

The total receipts of last night were \$181.25, from which are to be taken the expenses, leaving a net profit for the evening of about \$110. On the basis of \$110 net proceeds last night, the Cherrians are ahead \$323.00 on the three dances, as the fair grounds dance netted \$115.20, and the armory dance a week ago, \$98.10.

The expense of carrying the Cherrian band to Marshfield will be \$325. There will be other expenses, such as entertainment at Marshfield and other incidentals and just to be on the safe side of the ledger, the Cherrian committee decided to hold one more dance with the date next Wednesday evening.

and other delicacies in this. There is a Red Cross supply at San Francisco and at Douglas, Arizona, besides seven others.

A draft for one cent drawn on the United States treasury and to be charged to the war department was received this morning by the Salem Rifle club. The draft was cashed and now the Rifle club is one cent ahead of the game. It was a refund from the government for an over remittance and as accounts had to be balanced, the government simply had to draw a draft for the one cent. In buying rifles for the club, the first remittance failed to add one cent for a revenue stamp. The shipment was held up for several days for that one cent stamp, but it just happened that a two cent revenue stamp was handy that day and was sent in payment of the one cent due. Hence, instead of sending the two cent revenue stamp back, the officials accepted it and remitted for the over payment of one cent. Now everybody is happy as the club is one cent ahead and the government's books balance, at least so far as the Salem Rifle club is concerned.

Escaped Patient Caught in Portland

Portland, Or., Aug. 18.—"This business about me being a dangerous lunatic is very amusing," said John Thompson, fugitive from the state insane asylum at Salem, when arrested here today. He was taken to the county jail, to await arrival of officers from Salem.

Thompson, who is a blacksmith, made his escape with W. A. McKay, who was caught yesterday. Asylum officers were quoted as calling him a dangerous man. At the county jail Thompson said: "I walked to Portland from Salem. They claim I wanted to kill my wife. That would have been easy, had I wanted to. I did not come here to do that, however, but to see my two sons. I have been detained for two years and have not been permitted to talk with them for all that time."

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