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COMING EVENTS

- Sept. 7-8-9.—Willamette Valley Tennis Tournament, Salem.
September 9.—Barnum & Bailey's circus.
September 11.—Monthly meeting Salem Floral society, Commercial club.
Sept. 18.—Opening day of city schools.
Sept. 18.—Willamette University college year begins.
September 20.—Monthly meeting Commercial club. Address by Harwood Hall.
Sept. 25-30.—Oregon State Fair.
Oct. 4-5-6.—Marion County Institute, Salem.
Oct. 13.—Inauguration of Dr. Carl Gregg Doney as president of Willamette University.

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

O. E. Feist the jeweler who has been with C. T. Pomeroy is now in Portland working for the Heidecamp jewelry company.

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

Sergeant Schuster of the local recruiting office is in Silverton seeking young men who are ambitious to enter the service of the U. S. in the regular army.

Leading jewelers and silversmiths Hartman Bros. Co., successors to Barr's.

Five applications for membership in the Salem lodge B. P. O. E. 336 will be voted on this evening, the only regular meeting that will be held this month.

No finer stock anywhere than at Hartman Bros. Co., jewelers and silversmiths. State and Liberty.

The river fell 3 1/2 inches yesterday and is now 1.4 of a foot above low water mark. The range of temperature yesterday was 24 degrees, with the maximum at 76 and the minimum 52 degrees above.

Dr. F. H. Thompson has his offices remodeled and specializes in Ear, Nose, Eye and Throat. 414 Bank of Commerce.

The mill men and commission house men in Salem have about come to the conclusion that wheat prices are up for good and that what was considered just a flurry in wheat, was the real thing. Hence the mills and other buyers were a little more liberal in their buying yesterday.

Salem's most reliable jewelers, Gardner & Keene.

Alfred Gobolet of Walla Walla is in the city for a few days visiting friends. He is now a civil engineer for the Northern Pacific with headquarters at Walla Walla. Although he was a resident of Salem years ago, he had not seen the city for 16 years—and well, he was surprised to even see paved streets.

Bring your agates home to be polished—Gardner & Keene, Jewelers, Salem.

Archie Crisp, the "human fly" who entertained several thousand folks by climbing the Meyers department store building and the court house as far as the clock, is billed to climb to the top of the Multnomah hotel in Portland this evening. A few days later he expects to climb the 42 story Smith building in Seattle.

Dr. Alice Bancroft, over Stockton's Eye and Nerve Specialist.

The funeral of Mrs. Ethel L. Smith who died at her home 1530 State street Wednesday was held this afternoon from the residence. The services were conducted by the Rev. Carl H. Elliott under the auspices of the P. E. O. Sisterhood. The body will be taken to Centerville, Indiana, for burial, accompanied by the husband, Charles B. Smith and little son.

Hygrade cigars are all that the name implies. Salem made 5 cents.

The Spaulding Logging company dock is piled up with heavy lumber for California shipment, but with no cars to ship. The larger pieces are 12 by 12 inches by 40 feet, ordered for oil derricks in the Bakersfield district. The trouble seems to be in getting Southern Pacific cars as the company has been able to secure all the Oregon Electric cars needed.

Oakland Boys Band will give dance at armory Saturday evening at 9:30 o'clock.

The street improvement committee of the city council has plans and specifications for a dryer to be used in drying the material used in the recently purchased paving plant now in use on the fair grounds road. When completed, it is estimated that it will double the capacity of the plant. It is expected that the dryer will be put in operation early next week.

The management of Hotel Marion takes pleasure in announcing a dinner dance in the beautiful main dining room for Friday Sept. 8. Dinner at 7 p. m. Music 7:30 to 10:30. \$1.00 per cover. Booth's orchestra. Chas. G. Miller, Mgr.

A letter received this morning from the Rev. Robert S. Gill, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, who underwent a second operation at the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland about

two weeks ago, gives the cheering news that he is rapidly recovering and that he hopes to be home within a few days. He will not be able to resume his duties as rector for several weeks.

L. C. Hansett was fined \$25 in police court this morning for carrying concealed weapons.

A grass fire on North Summer street called out the department yesterday afternoon at about 4 o'clock. No damage.

A permit has been taken out at the office of the city recorder by E. L. Kappahn to build a one story frame garage, to cost \$500.

During August, the Crown Drug store sold stamps and stamped envelopes to the value of \$803.40, showing a material increase over other months.

Festival in Swedish church, there will be a festival in the Swedish church corner S. 15th and Mill streets tomorrow evening, Friday Sept. 8, at 8 o'clock. Good program will be rendered. Refreshments served. Free admittance. All are most cordially invited to attend.

The prune drying season is now on and the driers will be in full operation by next Monday at the Rosedale and Sunnyside districts. While the crop is not quite up to the high standard of 1912, yet it is the largest since that year and prices have been very satisfactory. All of which indicates that some of the prune growers in this section will have a touch of the prosperity that is said to be so rampant in different parts of the country.

A special dance will be given at the armory by the Oakland Boys Band of Oakland, Calif., Saturday evening at 9 o'clock. The music will be furnished by this band. The boys are on their return hike and take this means of making expense money. Proceeding the dance a concert will be held in Wilson Park.

The following Marion county students passed the eighth grade examinations recently held in Salem and Silverton: Daisy Mathey, Albert Larson, Iuz L. Grace, William Davenport, Maud Anderson, Elsie Shimerl, Earl Bennett, Oliver Shields, all of Silverton; Gladys Johnson, Salem No. 6; Kathryn Crozier, Salem No. 4; Ruth Wilson, Salem No. 3; Clara Hage, Silverton No. 3; R. H. Foote, Woodburn; Edward Frink, Salem No. 5; Mildred English, Stayton.

It is not the biggest kite that will stand the best chance of receiving the first award at the kite show to be held tomorrow afternoon at the Albert Park playgrounds. Bigness is not especially necessary as the awards will be according to workmanship and general utility. The kites will first be displayed and then their owners will be given a chance to show how a first class kite should fly. The judges will take into consideration the workmanship as well as the flying possibilities of each kite in making the awards.

When the addition to the Marion hotel is completed, Salem can boast of the largest hotel in the state outside of Portland. The dining room is now the most artistic in the northwest, comparing favorably with the famous Crystal room of the Benson hotel in Portland. There will be 124 guest rooms and the entire plant has been reconstructed by the Denham Vacuum Heating system. The two upper floors of the addition will be completed in time to take care of the hotel's patrons during the state fair.

Not since the civil war has sugar taken so radical a drop as it did yesterday, but almost all the grocers had been given a hint that something was likely to happen and there was but little stock on hand. According to the wholesale quotations, sugar should now retail at \$7.35 and \$7.15 although there is a feeling that another drop may be looked for within a week. The price now is 30 cents a hundred higher than it was one year ago. The first drop of last fall was September 11, when the decline was 20 cents a hundred and it kept going down until October when a price of \$5.90 was reached. Then the climb began until the high notch of \$8.50 was reached July 29.

The Macabees at their meeting last evening discussed plans for the holding of a convention in the city some time in October. The ladies of the Macabees elected officers for the coming year as follows: Mrs. Emma Smith commander; Mrs. Lillian Olmstead, lieutenant commander; Mrs. Lizzie Read, acting past president; Mrs. Caroline Bushnell, finance auditor; Mrs. Carrie Lindsey, chaplain; Mrs. Jennie Miller, record keeper; Mrs. Ida McDaniels, lady at arms; Mrs. Ada Leeper, sergeant; Mrs. Melvina Sloper, sentinel; Mrs. Luella French, picket; Miss Opal Bowen, musician; Mrs. Viola Swarts, captain; Miss Beba Heers, color bearer No. 1; Miss Dora Heglen, color bearer No. 2.

Everybody is getting ready to join in and sing, "When Johnny comes marching home," for the cheering news came over the wire this morning that the boys at Clackamas were soon to be mustered out and returned to their homes. The Salem Patriotic League is already formulating plans for an appropriate reception, not only when the special with the company arrives, but for a grand patriotic reception at the armory when the public will be invited to welcome the heroes of the Mexican border of 1916. There will be addresses of welcome and appropriate exercises, all to be determined soon as word is received as to when the mustering out and return will take place.

Wedding Invitations, Announcements and Calling Cards Printed at the Journal Job Department.

TAKING EVIDENCE IN THE THOMPSON TRIAL

Witnesses Tell of Finding Bodies—Evidence Against Thompson Circumstantial

Hillsboro, Or., Sept. 7.—An audience composed mostly of women heard murder scenes vividly described today in Judge Bagley's court, where Bennett Thompson, ranch hand, is on trial charged with killing Mrs. Helen C. Jennings and Fred Ristman, a jitney driver.

James L. Andrews, deputy sheriff, was the first witness. He described finding Ristman's blood stained automobile behind the house of Mrs. Jennings at the Gore ranch. It is alleged Thompson killed Ristman, who he is said to have hired to drive him to the scene, so the chauffeur could not betray him.

Andrews told of climbing through a cellar window into the house, May 16, 1916, and finding Mrs. Jennings dead in bed, her head smashed with a heavy maul, which lay nearby.

Thompson's lawyers admit these details but declare the defendant is not the murderer.

There is nothing but circumstantial evidence against him.

Third Tournament of Salem Tennis Club

The third annual tournament of the Salem Tennis Club for the championship of the Willamette Valley began this morning at 10 o'clock under very favorable auspices, even the weather man favoring the tournament after the early hours of the day suggested rain.

While schedules are announced on account of the general conditions of play, these schedules cannot be carried out to any great extent.

This morning in the singles between E. W. Kay of Salem and Percy Young of Albany, the playing favored Kay with scores of 11 to 9 and 6 to 2.

On court 2, W. L. McDougal of Salem and Charles Stewart of Albany, the score favored McDougal with the first set 6 to 3 and the second, 6 to 1.

By default, Chester M. Cox was given the decision in the set between himself and O. B. Gingrich.

Olinger vs. Rodgers, scheduled for this morning was awarded to Rodgers by default.

The last set of the afternoon is scheduled for 4-43. In court 1, Miss Gess Cowden will play against Mrs. R. T. Stafford. In court 2, in doubles, Miss Marian Howe and A. S. Frohman will play against Miss Alice McBride and partner.

The schedules for tomorrow have not as yet been announced.

Movement On Foot for Trades Union Bank

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—San Francisco is to have a trades union bank, City Supervisor Andrew Gallagher announced today.

He declared he has been working on the plan for months and that a prominent banker, whose name is withheld for the present, has agreed to head such an institution.

"For some time I have been giving serious thought to the establishment of a trades union bank in San Francisco," Gallagher said in his statement, "and very shortly the matter will be put before the San Francisco labor council for action."

"I have discussed the subject with a



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number of labor men, state officials and bankers and they have all pronounced the scheme feasible and helpful to the labor movement. My reasons for advocating the bank are that, during strikes and lockouts, some of the banks have financed those fighting labor."

Federal Farm Loan Board Convenes at Portland

Portland, Or., Sept. 7.—Hearing arguments for the establishment of a Pacific Northwest land bank district, the federal farm loan board convened in Portland today. Farmers from all parts of Oregon and southern Washington attended.

The members of the board at today's hearing were Herbert Quick, Charles E. Lobdell, George W. Norris and W. S. A. Smith, who acted as chairman in the absence of Secretary McAdoo.

Many ranchers testified. They de-

clared short loans, high interest rates and the difficulty in getting loans renewed handicapped agricultural development in the northwest.

George W. Miller of Lane county testified that 12 farmers around Eugene had already organized a loan association, which is proving practical.

Woodburn Independent: An enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the Woodburn Retail Merchants' association was held after a banquet at the Woodburn hotel Tuesday night. Among other business of importance transacted was the decision to hold another corn show in this city in October, to observe National Pay-Up Week October 2 to 7, appointment of a committee to look after putting up signboards directing travelers' attention and showing distance to Woodburn, and passing a resolution requesting the Southern Pacific company to provide more suitable accommodations for erecting a new depot building compatible to the importance of the city and junction point.

HAS VERY LARGE FUND OF MISINFORMATION

"Salem Folks Use Loganberries for Pastry Because No Other Is Grown Here"

In making a mention of loganberries the Coldwater (Michigan) Daily Reporter, which presumably claims to be conducted along intelligent lines in a live town of 6000 inhabitants, says the fruit is used exclusively in the vicinity of Salem, Oregon, for pastry, as cherries and other similar fruits are not grown in this region.

The Medford Mail Tribune, in a news story relative to a number of burglaries recently committed in that town, says that the police are watching for Carrol Powell, who is suspected of having committed the crimes. This is the same lad who is suspected of having stolen money and clothing from a Salem friend several weeks ago.

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APPLJU IS RUNNING LOJU VERY CLOSE RACE

Put On Market Last Fall Became Popular at Once—More To Be Made

The Northwest Fruit Products company, manufacturers of Loju and Applju reports the shipment of the fifth car of Loju for Los Angeles this season and yesterday the shipment of the second car to Omaha. Second car shipments have been made this season to Dallas, Texas; Kansas City, Minneapolis, Oakland and San Francisco. By the end of the month, pressing of apples will begin for Applju. This drink was placed on the Oregon market last year and was found to be so satisfactory that shipments will be made this fall to all points covered by Loju. First car lots will be sent out about December 1. Two presses will handle the apples in the Salem plant and five at Olympia, where the capacity is 10 to 12 cars of apples daily. The Salem plant is now working 16 hours daily on bottling Loju after a delay of several days on account of a shortage of bottles. As soon as sufficient bottles are received from the east, the plant will run three shifts of eight hours each.

Drastic Measure Cut Out. Washington, Sept. 7.—The senate and house conference committee on the revenue bill this afternoon agreed to eliminate the Phelan amendment whereby the president would be authorized to refuse the United States mails, express and other interstate communication to citizens of any country that interfered with the United States mails.

The last agreement to be reached by the conference committee was acceptance of the house tax of ten cents a gallon on brandies, used in fortifying wines instead of 50 cents and a graduated tax on still wines instead of the eight cent a gallon tax, proposed in the senate amendment. The senate copper tax failed.

WILL CHART COAST

San Francisco, Sept. 7.—The Pacific Coast from Tijuana to Alaska will be resurveyed entirely next year and more exhaustive charts of the waters for 10 miles off shore will be made, by the United States government according to R. S. Patton, in charge of the coast pilot section of the coast and geodetic survey. Submerged rocks will be sought out and charted, said Patton, who added that special attention will be paid to the coast of Mendocino county which has a number of uncharted reefs and waters that have baffled navigators for many years.

MAY AVERT STRIKE

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 7.—That there is still a chance to avert a coal miners' strike in the southwest was indicated late today when the operators asked the general conference of miners and operators be postponed until tomorrow. The request was granted.