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BREVITIES

Today's Weather—Western Oregon and Washington—Partly cloudy; warm er. except near coast.

Home-made candy at the dime museum.

Exceptionally nice bananas at Johnson Bros. today.

Crushed strawberry ice cream at Tagg's candy store.

For Rent—A six room house with bath. Inquire of J. W. Welch.

A large assortment of fine toilet soap is displayed at the store of Johnson Bros.

Mayor Supplement has signed the ordinances passed at the last session of the city council.

Interview Trullinger & Hardesty, 433 Commercial street, about your electrical work.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore will leave for Tillamook on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Come and see our special photo bargain, \$1.75 per dozen. Up-To-Date Studio, 178 Tenth street.

Furnished housekeeping rooms to let over the Palace restaurant. Inquire at The A. Dunbar Co.'s store.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Bond street rooms this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The great dime museum is to have many new attractions. Come Tuesday night, May 12 to see them at the old A. F. C. hall on Bond street.

Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimneys flues than any other coal on the market. George W. Sanborn, agent. Telephone 1311.

Dr. Nellie Smith Vernon, physician and surgeon, has offices over Griffin's book store, rooms 7 and 8. Office hours 10 to 12 a. m. and 1:30 to 5 p. m. Office phone Main 2411. Residence phone 2443.

A civil service examination for the position of mail clerk and carrier took place yesterday. The applicants are H. E. Cherry, Otto Gramms and Walter Peterson. Otto Heilborn is conducting the examination.

A good workman, using good materials, makes a good job and saves much annoyance. You especially need the best in plumbing, gas fitting, heating appliances and tinwork. Call on John A. Montgomery, 425 Bond street, and avoid trouble. Phone 1041.

H. R. Hoefler has opened up his Seaside candy and restaurant store on a larger scale than heretofore. Fine fresh candies, purest ice cream and ice cream soda, etc. will hereafter be procurable at the beach as readily as in the city.

At the annual meeting of the Girls

and Boys Aid society held in Portland Tuesday evening the society was shown to be in good shape. The regular report of Superintendent Gardner was read and heartily approved. Mayor Williams is the newly elected president and he presided at the meeting for the first time.

The steamer Jordan started from Knappa yesterday with a scow loaded with lumber for the new road being built between Fort Canby and Ilwaco. When near Sand Island the scow swamped and Captain Peter Jordan found it necessary to beach her inside the island. He will secure another scow today on which to transfer the lumber.

LARGEST SHIP IN THE WORLD

The new steamer Cordic recently built is the largest and probably the strongest vessel of its kind ever built. When she recently set sail from Liverpool for New York a large crowd saw her start on her first long journey. There is also a large crowd of people throughout our country who are daily witnesses to the fact that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters positively cures stomach, liver and kidney complaints, because it cured them. It will do as much for you too, if you will only give it a trial. It positively cures headache, belching, nausea, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness, insomnia, and malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to try it at once. The genuine is for sale by all druggists and general dealers. Don't accept any other.

Cheap Fuel.
Fir slabwood, stove lengths, \$2.50 per cord. Boxwood \$1.50 per large load. Phone 2211 Black. Kelly, the transfer man.

THE FAMOUS
Toke Point Oyster House receives constantly fresh supplies of the delicious Toke Point oysters direct from the beds. We serve the most toothsome and appetizing dishes in the city. Short orders at any hour, day or night. Broiled steaks a specialty.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.
Notice is hereby given, that on account of the death of Charles T. Heilborn, and the necessity for an immediate settlement of his estate, all persons indebted to Charles T. Heilborn & Son are hereby requested to call and pay their accounts.
Chas. A. M. Heilborn, Executor.

HATS TRIMMED FREE.
Mrs. R. Ingletton will continue her reduction sale of hats, skirts, waists and ladies' and children's furnishing goods until October 1. Call and see the line. Also carry a complete line of hair switches and pompadours. Prices will suit you. **MRS. R. INGLETTON,** Welch Block.

INSTITUTE IN SESSION
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important proceedings. Prof. Ressler's able address on "Reading" and Prof. Ackerman's exposition of the "State and County Study," were deserving of their hearty reception. Prof. Clark's "Recreations in Chemistry" formed an interesting phase of the afternoon's work. The practice experiments vitalized the subject of ventilation, while at the same-time the process of formation of charcoal was being illustrated. Prof. Clark is a man of deeds rather than of words, and his demonstrations proved the value of the one over the other.

Editor Jones of the Oregon Teachers Monthly made a plea in behalf of that journal.

The exercises closed with a reception

Pears'
No soap in all the world is so cheap.
No soap in all the world is so good—none so lasting.

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No Dessert More Attractive
Why use gelatine and spend hours soaking, sweetening, flavoring and coloring when **Jell-O** produces better results in two minutes? Everything in the package. Simply add hot water and set to cool. It's perfection. A surprise to the housewife. No trouble, less expense. Try it today. In Four Fruit Flavors: Lemon, Orange, Strawberry, Raspberry. At grocers, 10c.

In honor of the visiting teachers at which delicate refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed.

EVENING SESSION.

A quartette of young ladies, composed of the Misses Bessie Reed, Mae Utzinger, Margaret Busey and Nellie Utzinger, under the efficient leadership and training of Mrs. J. T. Ross, delighted the large audience at the Methodist church with charming songs. Mrs. Jan Keating was accompanist.

President Reader in a most-felicitous manner presented "Monmouth to Astoria," and Prof. W. D. Lyman followed with "Educational Monuments on the Columbia River," the latter being described as the various institutions of learning established by the loyal missionary pioneers such as Whitman university, Willamette university, etc. The speaker aptly made use of a quotation from Joaquin Miller in these words:

An Arab sick in deserts wide
Once sorrowed so for thirsting man
He led before the caravan,
And digging wells he thirsting died.
He died of thirst; the wells remain.
Oh, darling, patient pioneer,
God's angels, what a triumph here
To know no well is digged in vain.

A solo by Mrs. J. T. Ross was received with enthusiastic applause, and an encore was responded to. The session was closed by an address by Supt. Ackerman on the "Educational Progress of the Past Year," in which the speaker sought, among other things to awaken an interest which would be felt in a popular demand for and support of desirable legislation in the interest of schools and children.

PROGRAM FOR TODAY.

- 9:00 Music.
- 9:10 Methods—E. D. Ressler.
- 9:20 Consolidation of Schools—J. H. Ackerman.
- 9:30 Reces.
- 9:40 Symposium—Rose West, William Bond, Alice Gray, A. A. Cleveland.
- 11:20 Summarized by J. H. Ackerman.
- Afternoon.
- Bird Excursion and Historical Pilgrimage to old Fort Clatsop.
- Field Lecture by Ross Nicholas.
- Evening.
- At M. E. Church.
- 9:00 Music.
- 9:10 Prayer—Rev. L. J. Trumbull.
- 9:20 Salutation to the Teachers—Rev. Harold Oberg.
- 9:30 Moral Tendencies in Popular Education—Rev. Henry Marcotte.
- 9:40 Education and Religion—Rev. Father J. F. Walters.
- 9:50 Higher Meaning of Teachers' Work—Rev. W. S. Short.
- 9:30 Music.

The teachers in attendance at the opening session were as follows:

- M. E. V. Hess.
- Clara G. Barker.
- Mrs. A. L. Fulton.
- J. Gertrude Hulise.
- Harriet Alexander.
- Mary E. Lemon.
- A. A. Cleveland Jr.
- May M. Utzinger.
- Mrs. Josie McCormack.
- Mrs. Jennie Dusey.
- Nellie F. Dusey.
- Lorna Badollet.
- Eibel Phelps Blinn.
- Nellie Gerding.
- Amy G. Lemon.
- Florence L. Turner.
- Annie M. Powell.
- Lillie Lewis.
- Lena Gint.
- Neal Stupp.
- Lucy B. Morton.
- Maud Stockton.
- Alice Gray.
- May Morgan.

Mrs. Belle Huden.
Mary Fossett.
Edna Morrison.
Maud Bayles.
Annie C. O'Neill.
Kathryn G. Shively.
Edna Cole, Wise.
Mary Garner.
J. W. Mac Cormack.
Mollie F. Rose.
Helen W. Dickinson.
Mary Dealey.
Anna S. Olsen.
Kate Sinnott.

A. L. Clark.
Nellie Anderson.
Rose Parker.
Lois Bain, Knappa.
Anna Lewis, Fernhill.
Anna Carlson, Svensen.
Josie Buchanan, Seaside.
Mattie Earhart, Westport.
James Springer, Warrenton.
W. M. Round, Warrenton.
Sophie Anderson, Melville.
G. A. W. Russell Hammond.
Harriet T. Dunning, Warrenton.
Mrs. R. A. Blyvins, Hammond.

MRS. RATH'S BABY

Tired Mother's Touching Story of Anxiety and Suffering.

Cuticura Brings Blessed Cure to Skin Tortured Baby and Peace and Rest to Its Worn Out Mother.

It is no wonder that Mrs. Helena Rath was taken sick. Single-handed, she did all the housework and washed, cooked and mended for her husband, Hans, and their six children. After a plucky fight to keep on her feet, Mrs. Rath had to yield, and early in 1902 she took to her bed. What followed she told to a visitor, who called at her tidy home, No. 821 Tenth Ave., New York City.

"I hired a girl to mind the children and to do whatever else she could. I couldn't stay in bed long. Sick as I was, it was easier for me to crawl around than to lie and worry about my little ones. So I got up after a few days, and let the girl go. I had noticed that she was not so sure of the way and the children, and I both got more peace by day, and more sleep by night. The sores sort of dried up and went away. I shall never forget one blessed night when I went to bed with Charlie beside me, as soon as I got the supper dishes out of the way and the older children undressed; when I woke up the sun was streaming in. For the first time in six months I had slept through the night without a break.

the directions, bathing Charlie and putting that nice Ointment on the sores.
"I wouldn't have believed that my baby would have been cured by a little thing like that. Not all of a sudden, mind you. Little by little, but so surely. Charlie and I both got more peace by day, and more sleep by night. The sores sort of dried up and went away. I shall never forget one blessed night when I went to bed with Charlie beside me, as soon as I got the supper dishes out of the way and the older children undressed; when I woke up the sun was streaming in. For the first time in six months I had slept through the night without a break.



"Yes, that fat little boy by the window is Charlie, and his skin is as white as a snowflake, thanks to the Cuticura Remedies. I think everybody should know about the soap and also the Ointment and if it is going to help other mothers with sick babies, go ahead and publish what I have told you."
MRS. HELENA RATH.

The agonizing, itching, and burning of the skin as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair, and crusting of the scalp, as in scalded head; the facial disfigurements, as in pimples and ringworm; the awful suffering of infants, and anxiety of worn-out parents, as in milk crust, tetter and salt rheum,—all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Resolvent are such stands proven beyond all doubt. No statement is made regarding them that is not justified by the strongest evidence. The purity and sweetness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy have made them the standard skin cures, blood purifiers and humour remedies of the civilized world.

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RETIRING FROM BUSINESS

It is our aim to close out this stock as quickly as possible and we have resolved to make bigger reductions in many different lines of goods to close them out quickly. We broke all records last week. This week we are going to crowd the store with anxious buyers.	Dress Goods—All 50c and 40c dress goods, closing out price, per yd. 24c.	1 1/2c A.F.C. dress gingham, closing out price, per yard.....8 1/2c	LADIES' CORSETS AT LESS THAN FACTORY PRICES.	\$2 Men's Underwear, closing out price.....\$1.50	Children's \$2.50 Mackintoshes, closing out price.....\$1.99
	All 50c and 40c dress goods, closing out price, per yd.....39c	15c Percales, light and dark patterns, closing out price, per yd. 10c	3000 REMNANTS AT 5 CENTS EACH.	\$1.00 Men's Pants, closing out price.....\$2.99	Children's Short Jackets, closing out price.....50c
	75c dress goods, closing out price, per yd.....49c	15 1/2c Outing Flannels, closing out price, per yard.....8 1/2c	Lace Curtains at half the price asked before the sale.	Boys' Suits at just one-half former prices.	Children's Underwear, 8, 10, 12, 15, 18, 22 and 27c, worth double.
	75c and 50c Taffeta Silk, per yard.....49c	LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS AT HALF PRICE.	Men's All-Wool Suits, worth \$2; sale price.....\$4.95	Ladies' 45 all-wool Mackintoshes, closing out price.....\$2.19	Don't give us your money if you don't think you are getting bargains

FIXTURES FOR SALE. STORE FOR RENT

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