

COUNTY

Sunday School Convention

Convenes at M. E. Church in This City, This Evening.

The Marion County Sunday School holds its third annual convention in Salem Tuesday, this evening and the following day and evening.

Delegates from out of the city will find the committee on entertainment ready to receive them. Exercises are to be held at the Methodist church, opening with a song service followed by an address by the Rev. G. A. Blair, after which thirty minutes will be spent in getting acquainted. Let Salem workers be promptly on hand to aid by word and deed; give strangers a royal welcome and speakers a real inspiration.

Wednesday's program is replete with promise of good things. We note a paper by Dr. E. M. Hurd, on "City Organization;" an address by Mrs. Rebecca Robb, county president of the W. C. T. U., on "Temperance in the Sunday School;" Mrs. Amelia Miller, Mrs. A. J. Garland, Revs. Belknap and Kantner, and last but not least, Prof. H. M. Hamill, international field worker, and a speaker of more than national repute, will all do justice to live practical topics. Salem workers cannot afford to miss hearing them; nor can the association do its best without the aid of their presence, and active participation in the deliberation and discussions of the convention.

The program for the convention is as follows:

- TUESDAY EVENING. 7:30—Song service. 8—Prayer, Rev. G. W. Grannis. 8:05—Announcements. 8:30—Address, House to House, Visitation, Rev. G. A. Blair. At the close of the address thirty minutes will be spent in getting acquainted.

- WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION. 9:30—Song service. 9:45—Prayer—Rev. Wm. Steele. 9:50—Announcements. 10—Secretary's report. 10:05—Appointment of committee on nomination of officers. 10:20—Business. 11—City Organization, Dr. E. M. Hurd. 11:20—Discussion. 11:30—Temperance in the Sunday School, Mrs. Rebecca M. Robb, county president, W. C. T. U. 12—Adjournment.

- AFTERNOON SESSION. 2—Praise service, conducted by Rev. E. H. Belknap. 2:30—Primary Department—What and How to Teach, Mrs. Amelia Miller. 2:40—How to Manage a County Organization and the Benefits Derived Therefrom, Prof. H. M. Hamill. 3—Discussion. 3:30—How to Teach the Scriptures, Mrs. A. J. Garland. 4—Report of committee on nominations. 4:15—Election of officers. Other business. 4:30—Where Shall the Next Convention Be Held? 4:45—Adjournment. All are requested to remain and meet Prof. Hamill.

- EVENING SESSION. 7:30—Song service, conducted by Prof. R. A. Heritage, assisted by the choir. 7:05—Scripture, Rev. W. C. Kantner. 7:55—Prayer. 8—Address, Prof. H. M. Hamill. At the close of the address Prof. R. A. Heritage will favor the convention with a solo. Dismissal—After which there will be a consecration meeting, to which all teachers and officers are earnestly requested to remain. It will be conducted by Prof. Hamill.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Spunk and leaches are on the Dingley free list.

The New York senate has passed the anti-cartoon bill.

The Bradley Martins and their pet poodle are in England.

The ballot used in Chicago, on the west side, was 26 by 34 inches and contained 82 names of candidates.

A woman in the state of New York has been sent to jail for three months because she did not keep her children clean.

A Chicago minister has engaged a reformed gambler to appear at the church and show the congregation how the lambs are fleeced.

Lord Rosebery is said to have an income of \$5,000,000 a year. It was worth while for him to marry into the Rothschild family.

A Massachusetts woman who is 45 years old and weighs 300 pounds has been sued for breach of promise by a heart broken fellow of 23 who tips the beam at 105 pounds.

The largest employer of labor in the world is Krupp, the German gun maker. On the payroll of his vast establishment at Essen are over 25,000 men.

The Illinois Republican legislature is considering a civil service bill intended to prevent Carter Harrison from discharging 1,500 Republicans and filling their places with his friends when he becomes mayor of Chicago.

STATE NEWS

The world's supply of wheat has decreased 960,000 bushels the past week. It now stands 36,798,000 bushels.

The Baker City firemen are doing all in their power to make the tournament a success.

Portland is to be represented at the national turnlist at St. Louis next month. About 4000 athletes will be there, 2000 have entered the contests for prizes.

Eleven conversions and fifteen accessions to the Baptist church resulted from the efforts of Evangelist Lindsey, in his two week's revival meetings at Stayton, which closed Sunday night.

The members of Protection Engine Company of Pendleton, resolved to donate their last quarters' earnings as firemen to the company, the money to be used in buying a racing cart and hose.

Some miscreant entered C.O. Whites yard while White was out driving and liberated eight Chinese pheasants which had been secured for propagating purposes. They will undoubtedly propagate to their own satisfaction if not to Mr. White.—Pendleton Ex.

A herder working for Tillman Bros. on Ten-Mile, Wasco county, discovered the other day that a self-cocking revolver was indeed a dangerous weapon. While on the range he was fooling with the gun when it went off and shot him in the fleshy part of the right thigh. The ball ranged downward, and lodged about the knee cap.

The week Adam, the 9 year-old son of Michael King, of Grass valley, Sherman county, accidentally shot himself with a .22 caliber rifle. He was at the sheep camp, and was out with the gun. It is supposed he fell, retaining hold of the muzzle of the gun, which was discharged by the hammer striking on some rocks. The bullet passed through the heart, death was instantaneous.

While John Moak and G. Washburn were coming out from Bohemia last week they came upon a cougar just below the warehouse, which was feasting on a deer it had killed. On seeing the man, the cougar sprang into a leaning tree, near where it was eating the deer. Moak happened to have a gun with him and both men walked up to within a few feet of the tree in order to get a good shot at the cougar and both were standing side by side in snow nearly waist deep. Just as Moak shot, the cougar sprang at them, and in their endeavor to get away in the snow they both fell in opposite directions and the cougar lit at their feet, between them. Of course both thought they had met their doom, but to their surprise on regaining their feet they found that the cougar was dead.—Cottage Grove Leader.

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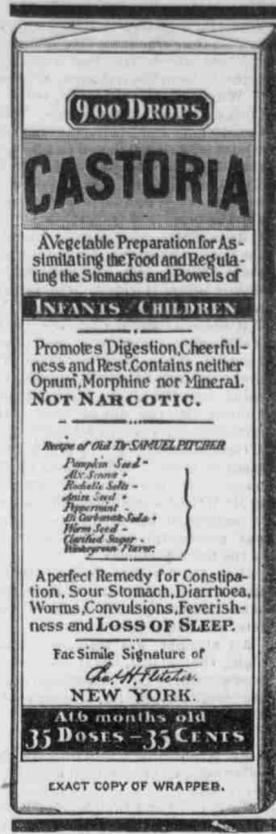
Working in this way has manifold evils. As an old colored Aunt used to say: "There's always somethin' the matter. If it isn't one thing it's two." The most common trouble resulting from over-exertion, either mentally or physically, is constipation of the bowels, with all its attendant horrors.

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