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A FEW OBSERVATIONS BY OUR REPORTERS

Deputy Sheriff Frank Fy came over from Union last night.
Mrs Laughlin returned from Portland last night.
Mrs Moitor entertained the Kaffee Klatch yesterday afternoon.
Miss Olive Jones is over from Pendleton this week visiting her mother.
District Attorney Sam White is in the city.
Assessor Morton is in the city preparing for the 1904 assessments. W G Masterson will assess this city.
Miss Lula Mitchell of Union is in the city visiting her cousin Miss Gertrude Mitchell.
Henry Smith, who was taken to the Pendleton hospital is reported as improving.
Mrs E E Moore entertains the ladies of the Thursday afternoon High Five Club this afternoon, complimentary of her sister, Mrs Jennie D Eubank.
G E Fowler yests day sold his grocery business on Fir street to J D McKinnon. The transfer was made yesterday.
The sugar company have sent seed, teams, plow, harrows, planters and drills over to Echo, where they are experimenting in beet culture this season.

Judge Goodall has been confined to his home for several days with a grip.
Mrs J W Haworth, of Weiser is in the city visiting her sister Mrs W D Graudy.
Mrs Jay Van Buren left this morning for Colfax, Washington to remain a few weeks with her sister Mrs Abbott.
Mr and Mrs Thompson of Pendleton are guests of Mr and Mrs M L Causey. Mr Thompson will attend the shooting tournament in Elgin.
J W White has ordered a stock of groceries from portland and will open a complete grocery store in the room now occupied by G E Fowler for the same purpose. Mr White has been in the grocery business in this city a number of years and has many friends who will be pleased to know that he will soon again be in the business.
At the entertainment to be given tonight at the L D S church, Miss Benson a noted soprano soloist of Boise, Idaho, and Mr Ferron a prominent tenor of Ogden Utah have consented to sing. Both of these members will add to the attraction of the entertainment as both rank among the first in their profession and all who hear them will feel paid for having attended this entertainment.

First Beet Crop
The first sugar beet seed that ever came into Umatilla county, in any quantity, was introduced at Echo yesterday and will be planted immediately on the farm of C R Lisle: near that place.
The La Grande sugar factory people sent over seven teams, all the necessary plows, harrows, planters and drills, to begin preparing the land for the first beet crop of this county. The sugar company has leased a tract of land from Mr Lisle and will prepare it and seed in the proper manner, in hopes of demonstrating beyond a doubt that this is a sugar beet country.—Pendleton East Oregonian.

AUCTION SALE
There will be an auction sale of farm machinery, stock, and household goods, March 2 at 10 o'clock at Joseph Spencer's place. Do not forget the place or date. A free lunch will be served at noon.

BEHIND THE SCENES WITH A LEGISLATOR
(Original.)
Frank and I concluded to spend our honeymoon in Washington. We wanted to inspect that beautiful city and see and hear the prominent men assembled there. We gave up the first few days to sight-seeing, then spent our time in the senate chamber and house of representatives. I was much impressed with the dignity of the senators, and some of the representatives seemed to me to be very bright men.

The last day we were in Washington found me quite fatigued. I had been at the hall of representatives all day, where a discussion on the tariff was going on, and I was converted from one side to the other a dozen times. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon we went to the hotel, and Frank left me that I might take a rest before dinner. In the evening we were to visit some place of amusement. Frank had scarcely gone out before I heard a step in the hall, and a key turned in the lock next door. Some one entered the room, and as there was a door between the two rooms I could hear very plainly. A man's voice said:
"Belinda, get up. Do you propose to keep your bed all day? Are you not aware that in political life a wife has a part to play as well as the husband? Here I am pestered all day by constituents, every one of whom has an 'ax to grind,' while you are dreaming the happy hours away. Get up, I say, and sew on this button."
Then a woman's voice:
"Othello, you're a brute. Didn't I share the life out of me when you were running for congress, cookin' for the whole county? Wasn't you always bringin' folks home to dinner, and didn't I have not only to cook for 'em, but play sweet on 'em? And what do I get for it? Shut up here in this lonesome hotel while you strut about in the lobby buttonholing by female constituents, who play sweet on you to get you to introduce bills for their relief. And you fool enough to think they love you."
There was no reply to this. The man had evidently been convinced of his error, and kept quiet. I heard water running in the stationary basin and some one washing.
Oh, dear! Are Frank and I ever coming to speak to one another like that? And what a fraul political life must be, after all!
"Belinda!"
It was the man next door again. I wished they would go out. I had no use of getting a nap and would be tired in the evening.
"Shut up!"
"Come out of that closet."
"I'm dressin'."
"Dressin', ole gull! Do you mean you've got to go into a closet to put on your stockings when there's no one present but your lawful lord and master?"
The woman was evidently in the closet, for her voice was muffled, but I could hear it distinctly.
"You my lord and master! You'd make a beautiful lord, and as for a

The Automobile.



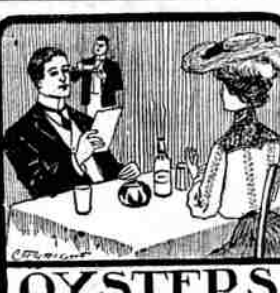
The Chauffeur—Here, you goot, gult kickin' that bell. I'm the chauffeur of this here machine. You're nuthin' but the motive power.—New York Evening Journal.

Not in Her Set.
"Mabel has married a man who nee ther drinks nor gambles."
"Dear me! How did she ever happen to meet him?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

No Sense of Proportion.
The young man who had spent his efforts for several years without result in studying art was talking with his practical uncle, who had patiently paid the bills.
"Of course," said the young artist, "I know I haven't made much of a go of it, but I don't think you ought to advise me to try something else. You know it's best to put all your eggs in one basket and watch that basket."
"Um! That may be, Charlie; but did you ever think how foolish it is to put so many baskets around one bantam egg?"—Youth's Companion.

Puzzle
Written over the commandments
P. R. S. V. R. V. P. R. P. C. T. E. N.
V. R. K. P. T. H. S. P. R. C. P. T. E. N.
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