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'Tis the same with common natures:
Use 'em kindly, they rebel;
But be rough as nutmeg-graters,
And the rogues obey you well.

AARON HILL

This is certainly ideal winter weather.

One effect of the meter system that is readily noticeable, is the dismal appearance of the resident portion of the city. You may pass house after house, all dark and gloomy. It certainly makes a difference who pays the bills.

Newspaper reports from Coos Bay are to the effect that the milk condensery at Marshfield has done so well and found such a large demand for its product that it proposes to build additional condenseries at Coquille and Tillamook, Oregon, and in Humboldt county, California.

It is reported that 250,000 pounds of turkeys were shipped to Portland for the Thanksgiving trade. A good many of the turkeys were, of course, re-shipped to other points which look to Portland for supplies of this kind. The retail price was a little lower than last year, and first class turkeys could be bought at 25 cents per pound.

The President's message contains about fifty thousand words and covers exhaustively nearly every feature of our country's needs. The two issues upon which he will doubtless meet with more or less opposition will be a ship subsidy bill and a revision of the tariff with the Philippine Islands. The message is characteristic of the man, who always speaks what he thinks and thinks before he speaks.

The movement of the ministers of this city, to discourage the custom of opening caskets at funerals held in the churches, is commendable, and should be encouraged by the public. The custom, generally is for the body to lie in state at the home, where the friends may call and take a farewell view, or in instances where the deceased is quite prominent, it is customary for the body to lie in state for a short period in the church, prior to the services.

The council, in special session last night, went over the major portion of the new charter, and expects to complete it next Wednesday night. There will be very little opposition to the charter as a whole. The point that will doubtless bring forth the most discussion will be the appointing of the marshal, and recorder, in addition to the offices of street superintendent, water superintendent and city attorney, as at present. The council last night changed the original text which removes one of the objections, which prevents any appointee of the mayor assuming the duties of the office to which he has been appointed, until such appointment has been ratified by the majority of the council.

Any radical change always brings on considerable confusion until the system is inaugurated. The Electric Light Company is coming in for its share of criticism at present, owing to the abolishing of the flat rate, which has prevailed generally for years, to a meter system. After due consideration, all will agree that the meter system is the correct system. Everyone recognizes the right and justice of everyone paying for what they receive, but the question of what they pay is debatable. There should be no dispute over the meter system, but the rate is the question that should be considered by the party furnishing the commodity and the party using it. If the present rate is too high, the agitation should be made against the rate charged.

The Roseburg Review reports that about 14,000 turkeys were shipped out of Douglas county for the Thanksgiving trade and that the growers received between \$20,000 and \$25,000 therefor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that William J. Stanley has been appointed by the County Court of Union county Oregon, Administrator of the estate of Martha J. Stanley, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to present them with the proper vouchers within six months from the date hereof, to the Administrator at the office of Williams Bros., Room 1 & 2 Raiston Block La Grande, Oregon.

Dated this 6th day of Dec. 1906.

WILLIAM J. STANLEY,
Administrator of the Estate of Martha J. Stanley, deceased.

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