

# Corvallis Times

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## KILLED BY GREED.

The murder annually of a long list of innocent people is resultant from the sale of adulterated foods. In one month recently, the following deaths were reported: Four persons from eating toadstoods mixed with mushrooms, three poisoned by candy, three by wood alcohol contained in lemon extract, and many by the same substance in whiskey; four infected by typhoid fever germs contained in ice cream, twin babies poisoned by formaldehyde used to preserve milk, and hundreds of persons poisoned by beer manufactured from glucose, in the manufacture of which sulphuric acid made from arsenic bearing mineral has been used. Bills like that now pending in congress for public inspection and control of foods is of vital importance in the preservation of the human family from the mercenary and conscienceless makers of adulterants.

## SHERIFF WORD.

It will be a body blow to good government if Sheriff Word be turned down for renomination and re-election in Multnomah county. As he promised in the campaign, so has he performed in office. Respect for law, and vigorous enforcement of that law has been the slogan of his administration. Contrary to the usual custom, he has occupied the ground that all public officials should occupy and his effort for re-election is, in effect, a trial of strength to see whether or not Portland wants an official that is all he ought to be. His candidacy is a case of efficiency and fearlessness as to duty on trial, and for that reason the outcome will be watched with interest all over Oregon.

What queer things there are in the constitution. Some claim that instrument makes it "unconstitutional" for legislative candidates to "pledge" themselves to the people, but that such candidates can make unlimited "pledges" to political bosses and ringsters. Obviously, it might yet be proven by the "constitution" that Thompson's colt wasn't a fool colt at all, but that it was a very astute colt with an extra good knowledge of "constitutional" provisions.

Because the knife of his assailants only slashed the back of his hand and punctured the coat, vest and card case over his heart, some of the good people of Salem refused to be convinced that an attempt was made on Paul Rader's life. Apparently they think that, in order to make sure that the assassins meant business, Paul ought to have stood still and let them split his heart open or cut his head off.

Late fusses and feuds to the contrary notwithstanding, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Yerkes-Misner are having a family reunion at the bride's New York home. The affair ought to be as felicitous as possible because of the certainty that it can't last long.

Because he was elected on a municipal ownership platform and has since shown anti-municipal ownership symptoms, the mayor of Eugene has been petitioned by some of his constituents, to resign. If he is not performing as he professed, he ought to resign.

At other times, what is that Portland candidate who declares that "during the campaign for nomination" he intends to be a "gentleman"?

## Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If this does not afford relief bind on a piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to follow. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

Is the millennium at hand? Roosevelt declares he admires Tillman as an honest citizen and a fearless fighter, and with sweet felicity, Tillman replies that it isn't Roosevelt but Roosevelt's "nigger policy" that he has all along despised. It is apropos now to hang "God bless our home" above the capitol at Washington.

## ALBER'S PLATFORM.

Offers His Services as County Judge—Makes a Tempting Proposition.

Joseph Albers has filed at the clerk's office the announcement of his candidacy for county judge. In it, he says: "If I am nominated and elected, I will during my term of office devote my entire time and more to the duties of said office; give a personal supervision over every school and road district in the county; draw the plans and do the building of all bridges without additional expense to the taxpayers; contribute from my salary a sufficient amount to provide for the maintenance of the county poor; will expert the accounts and keep a perpetual watch over all other county officers; uphold the primary and enforce the local option law, and administer the affairs of the county to the best of my ability and in the interest of the taxpayers."  
Joseph Albers.

## Portland Market Report.

Wheat valley 72c  
Flour \$3.60 to \$4.  
Potatoes .60 per hun  
Eggs Oregon, 16c doz  
Butter 16c per lb  
Creamery 27 to 30

## Corvallis.

Wheat 62c  
Oats 36c  
Flour \$1 to \$1 25  
Potatoes 50 per sack  
Butter 60 per roll  
Creamery 75 per roll  
Eggs 15 per doz  
Chickens 12 to 15c per lb  
Lard 12 1-2 c per pound

## Why Windmills Burned Down.

Of the production of fire by the friction of wood against wood windmills of the old construction gave on a large scale some disastrous examples. When the force of the wind increased the miller was obliged to bring each of the sails in succession to the ground in order to unloose it, but when sudden squalls came on this was impracticable, and the mill in extreme cases ran away—that is, could not be stopped. Everything was now done to increase the grip of the wooden brake round the great wheel on the driving shaft, and water was poured copiously over them, but in spite of all this flames would sometimes burst out from the intense friction and the mill be probably burned down as the result. The beautiful machinery of the modern windmill, by which the miller controls the action of the sails from the interior of the building, has reduced this danger to a minimum.—Notes and Queries.

## Common Colds are the Cause of Many Serious Diseases.

Physicians who have gained a national reputation as analysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that if catching cold could be avoided a long list of dangerous ailments would never be heard of. Everyone knows that pneumonia and consumption originate from a cold, and chronic catarrh, bronchitis, and all throat and lung trouble are aggravated and rendered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before these diseases develop. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drug, and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

## Wanted.

Competent girl to assist in general housework.  
Apply to Mrs. A. Wilhelm,  
Monroe, Or.

## Notice of Final Settlement.

The Matter of the Estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of said estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased, has filed her final account as such administratrix with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county, and the said court has fixed Saturday, the 10th day of March, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time, and the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place for hearing any and all objections to the said account and for settlement thereof.  
Dated this February 9, 1906.  
MARY BIER,  
Administratrix of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.

## Always Keeps Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in His House.

"We would not be without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is kept on hand continually in our home," says W. W. Kearney, editor of the Independent, Lowry City, Mo. That is just what every family should do. When kept at hand ready for instant use, a cold may be checked at the outset and cured in much less time than after it has become settled in the system. This remedy is also without a peer for croup in children, and will prevent the attack when given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, which can only be done when the remedy is kept at hand. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

## TO BURN IT.

Alcohol for Power Instead of Gasoline—Corvallis Wants it Untaxed.

The movement to cheapen alcohol so that it can be used for heating, lighting and power has struck Corvallis. The local Grange has adopted resolutions asking the federal government to remove the internal revenue tax of \$2.07 per gallon, in order that the cost of the alcohol will be so reduced as to bring it into the uses named. So manufactured, the claim is that it will be cheaper than Standard Oil products. The octopus, as everybody knows, has monopolized the oil manufacture and is fast gathering in electric light plants. It and its subsidiary companies, are the sole makers of gasoline used for power purposes. If what is claimed for alcohol is true, the latter would, if the government would take off the excise tax, become a formidable competitor. The National Grange says so, and that powerful organization, the parent of the Free Rural mail delivery, is leading the movement. In time, every grange organization in the Union will be a petitioner for removal of the tax, which means that ultimately congress will have to yield to the pressure.

Of course, the alcohol to be made free from internal revenue fees will be "denaturized" which means that it will be so prepared that it cannot be used as a beverage.

## Used in Cuba.

Alcohol has been in use in Cuba for lighting and power purposes for more than a year. The following is from a consular report to the U. S. government in 1904:

"Tantanzas, a city of about 40,000 inhabitants, has water connection in 1,700 out of 4,000 houses, which use about 1,000,000 gallons a day. The waterworks operated by an American company incorporated in the state of Delaware, are located a few miles distant from the city, where there are springs giving excellent water in sufficient quantity to supply a city of 100,000 people.

The alcohol motor pump, used on Sunday last for the first time, is of German manufacture, and cost complete with installation, \$6,000. This motor pump is a 45-horse power machine and is operated at a fuel cost of about 40 cents an hour, or \$4 a day of ten hours, pumping 1,000,000 gallons of water.

As alcohol is very cheap here, 10 cents a gallon, the running expenses of these motors are at the minimum. The Germans are selling in Cuba many such motors for electric lighting and water plants at very low prices. One firm has a contract to put in an alcohol motor pump at Vento, for use in connection with the Havana water supply, which is expected to develop 150 horse power, to cost with installation about \$25,000, and to pump 1,000,000 gallons an hour at a fuel cost of \$1.60. The same firm has installed an electric plant alcohol motor of 45 horse power, which supplies 138 lights, Hersh lamps at a fuel cost of 5 cents an hour."

## More About Its Use.

The resolutions adopted by the National Grange at Atlantic City, New Jersey, the 20th of last November set forth facts on the subject. Some of them run thus: "Other great commercial nations do not tax denaturized alcohol. Great Britain, France and Germany and other countries do not tax it and by reason thereof have an advantage over us with respect to some industries in dealing with neutral nations. It has been demonstrated that alcohol is an excellent substitute for gasoline as a motor fuel, running all kinds of farm machinery and with the tax removed immense quantities would be used for this purpose, and for cooking, heating and lighting. The increased demand that would result for cheap alcohol would make a large additional market for surplus corn and other farm products from which alcohol is distilled. The removal of the tax would make possible the establishment of many new industries for the manufacture of articles now imported from foreign countries, thus giving additional employment to American workers, and creating a large domestic market for farm products.

The resolutions of Corvallis Grange indorse those of the National Grange and under the seal of the order are to be sent to Oregon's senators and representatives.

## A Favorite Remedy For Babies.

Its pleasant taste and prompt cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequences. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears will prevent the attack. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

## HE STOLE OATS.

And got Caught at it—Woes Overtook the Pursuer and the Thief Escaped.

The pursuit of a thief, fleeing with his booty and his final escape with what he had stolen, was an incident in Job's addition the other evening. Superintendent Denman discovered the thief in his barn where he was in the act of appropriating oats, and at once gave chase. The intruder fled, carrying what was supposed to be half a bushel of oats in a sack. The course lay through a muddy street and Mr. Denman had on a pair of gum boots. He was gaining rapidly on the fugitive when in an evil moment, one of the superintendent's boots stuck in the mud and came off. On account of the high rate of speed several paces were reeled off by the sprinting pursuer before he was able to go back for the missing boot. The mishap gave the fugitive a good lead, but with a muddy foot inside his recovered boot the superintendent was quickly on the trail again, bloodthirsty now because of the condition of his footwear and because of the unpropitious delay.

The thief escaped on account of the darkness. In his flight he came suddenly in very close proximity to Mr. Emerick of that vicinity, who has a strong idea as to the identity of the pursued party. Investigation of the proceeding is in progress, and it is likely to become known to the officers who got the oats. The incident happened about seven o'clock in the evening.

## Real Estate Transfers.

U. S. to Frank Hughes, patent 161 a Alsea.

P. H. Marley and wf. to Eastern Investment Co., land in Corvallis, \$1.

U. S. to Clara J. Seits, 80 a. near Bellfountain.

Clara J. Seits et al to William Hull' 80 a. near Bellfountain, \$200.

R. H. Sherman and wf. to Geo. L. Morrison, 160 a. Alsea \$10.

H. L. Bush and wf. to By Frantz et al 40 a. near Hoskins, \$1.

By Frantz et al to H. L. Bush, and wf., 40 a. near Hoskins, \$1.

M. P. Burnett to S. L. Kline, 1 1-2 lots Dixon's add, \$200.

A. F. Harlan and wf. to Helen Andrews, blks. 15 & 16, Wells & McElroy's add, \$2,500.

E. B. Small and wf. to Hiram Parker, 11 a. near Albany, \$1,100.

Fannie Purdy to Barnum Lodge, part of lots 11 & 12 blk. 3, Corvallis, \$75.

N. Casto and wf. to C. E. Albin, lot Philomath, \$350.

A. M. Gray and wf. to City of Corvallis, right of way for pipe line, \$75.

M. P. Newton to City of Corvallis, right of way for pipe line, \$15.

Philomath College to City of Corvallis, right of way for pipe line, \$1.

R. T. McCoskey and wf. to City of Corvallis, right of way for pipe line, \$15.

## Dry Slab Wood.

At the Corvallis sawmill, delivered anywhere in town at \$1.25 per load, cash on delivery. feb27-1m.

## Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there is money on hand at the county treasurer's office to pay all orders endorsed and marked not paid for want of funds up to and including those of Sept. 15th, 1905. Interest will be stopped on same from this date.

Corvallis, Or. Feb. 28th, 1906.  
W. A. Buchanan,  
Treas. Benton Co., Or.

## Order Seeds Now.

Red Clover Alaike, Alfalfa, Rape Speltz and Artichokes. I can furnish inoculated seeds and land plaster, that will double the yield. See sample of seed at Wellsher & Gray's store.

Wanted 80 ton Vetch seed for May shipment.

## L. L. Brooks.

One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent. of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

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