

The Democrat.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1912.

AGENTS FOR THE STATE RIGHTS DEMOCRAT.

Brownsville..... J. M. Morgan.
Corvallis..... W. J. Robertson.
Canyon City..... Thos. Howard.
Eugene..... J. Walton, Jr.
Gassburg..... Matthew Fountain.
Harrisburg..... Sam May & B. R. Holt.
Jefferson..... Harry Westcott.
Jacksonville..... J. R. Neil.
Lebanon..... W. S. Elkins.
Madras..... E. S. McComas.
Portland..... W. H. West & Co.
Poultice..... Jacob Thompson.
Redmond..... J. H. Turner.
Roseburg..... T. B. Kent.
Seaside..... Dan Gaby & Geo. Christie.
Seilet..... A. F. Brown.
The Dalles..... B. F. Ferguson.
Walla Walla..... N. T. Cotton.
Yakima, W. T..... E. P. Bayles.

A FARMER'S DEFENSE.

Editor Democrat:
I see in your last issue (Feb. 23rd), under the head of "Supplies from California," a notice of the different kinds of vegetables that are in this market from California, and your remarks relative thereto. You say "this is a bad commentary upon the industry and enterprise of the Oregon farmers," and that "the reputation of our State and its resources suffer thousands of dollars more because of our negligence in this matter. It is to be hoped that our farmers and producers will view this matter in its proper light, and no longer permit the existence of such a damaging state of affairs." Thus you are unintentionally striking at the Oregon farmer without being aware of the true state of things. I will admit with you that it is a bad commentary on somebody, but think that the farmer is not the only one to blame in this matter. Mr. Editor, please turn to be a farmer awhile and you will be better prepared to judge of this humiliating affair and who are to blame for it. I claim to be a farmer on a small scale, and have tried some little to supply the Albany market myself, and found it to be a damaging business I assure you; for when I have driven a load of produce some eight or ten miles through the mud or bad roads to help supply the market, drive up to a door and enquire, "Can I sell you some vegetables to-day?" the answer would be, "No; I raise my own vegetables;" enquire at another door, the answer would be, "No; I have just bought a full supply—more than I can possibly use before they will spoil." Call at another and the answer would perhaps be, "Well, I don't know; what do you ask for them?" Tell them my price, the answer would be, "Can't give so much; have just bought some at so and so (very low) and can get all I want at that price." Go to another and receive a similar answer, which would remind one of the conclusion the old Indian came to relative to the price of beaver—that they had held a meeting and fixed the price. Thus, after spending a half day with wagon and team to reach the market, then two or three hours more in trying to sell, would finally have to sell at rates that would not pay any man for his time in going to market, let alone the time and labor in raising the produce, or haul it back home again, or throw it away as some have done. I have taken fine large cabbages that market and could not get more than 50 cents per dozen, or 75 cents at the most, selling at 4 to 6 cents per head, and other things in proportion. Do you think that farmers will necessarily submit to such a state of things just to keep out California productions? I think I know you to well not to believe but that you have more consideration for the well-being of the farmer, and believe your comments were made without due consideration. I believe in "free trade and sailor's rights," and if citizens had rather encourage California productions than those of Oregon, they have that right of course; and so Oregon farmers must turn their attention to something that will pay them better than gardening. The farmers will try and raise enough for their own supply. I think when you reflect upon this matter you will have more consideration for the farmer and will place the blame, if any, where it is of right belongs. My remarks are submitted in all kindness, and believe me to be your true friend, now and ever.
JOHN T. CROOKS.

A CORRESPONDENT, writing from Athens, curiously contrasts the mixtures to be found there of ancient and modern civilizations. Railroads spin their trains amid the temples of three thousand years; steamers dash their swells upon the Pireus, and the scream of their whistles resounds from Athens, Pentelcus and Cytheron to Olympus and the heavens beyond their gods. Dr. Ayer's world-renowned medicines, those consummations of modern science, are posted on the Acropolis, the Parthenon, the Aepogagus and the Thesion, while the modest cards of Cherry Pectoral, Ayer's Sarsaparilla, Aque Cure and Pills looks from the windows of the shops in the streets of Athens, where they are sold.—N. Y. Sunday Globe.
LEASING.—We are informed that J. Z. Crouse, Esq., has leased the Linn County Fair Grounds for one year and that he designs offering some handsome purses for the June races. He says that he will have the grounds in better condition both for the Fair and races this year than ever before, and as Jack never does anything by halves the public can expect him to carry out his assertions to the letter.
"SINGERS."—M. Pearson & Co. are now in receipt of a full supply of the famous Singer Sewing Machines, which they are prepared to sell at the very lowest prices. The "Singer" already has a national reputation, and nothing which we might urge in its behalf would probably add to its merit. These gentlemen also have almost every style of sewing machine in use.
For the very best photographs, go to Bradley & Rulofson's Gallery without STAIRS—ASCEND IN THE ELEVATOR, 429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.
RELIGIOUS.—Rev. Mr. Lovell, of the M. E. Church, South, preaches regularly in the Court House in this city on the second and fourth Saturdays in each month.

HOME AND ABROAD.

FROM HARRISBURG.—A Harrisburg correspondent informs us that farmers on the Willamette and on Muddy Creek, near that city, lost an immense number of ralls by the recent freshet. The Methodists and Cumberland Presbyterians of Harrisburg have in progress a protracted meeting and the result so far has been a fruitful revival of religion in that city. S. P. Purdy and D. C. Holt, two worthy young gentlemen of Harrisburg, have just returned from Portland with diplomas from the Commercial College. The young people of Harrisburg are making extensive preparations for a school exhibition, which is to be given during the last week in this month. We are authorized to announce that Hon. N. H. Cranor has accepted an invitation to address the Harrisburg Democratic Club on Saturday, March 10th. Jas. S. Grimes, Esq., who some weeks ago badly injured at that city, by a team running off, writes us that he is fast recovering and will soon be able to be about again on crutches. He desires, through our columns, to return his warmest thanks to the people of Harrisburg for their kindness toward him in his affliction. FROM OCECHO.—Geo. Milliken, who last Saturday arrived from Ochocho (via the Dalles), states that the winter in that section was much milder than in other portions of Eastern Oregon, and that the loss of stock has been comparatively light. Jas. Elkins lost 7 head, but they were of the number which he drove there from this Valley late in the season and were in very poor condition to withstand even an ordinarily severe winter. Jas. H. Doughty and the remainder of the settlers had met with little or no loss. Out of 3,000 cattle belonging to Jo. Teal, which were wintering between Ochocho and the Dalles, only about 100 head are reported lost; and from a band of 800 which was kept in Tygh Valley no serious loss was reported, though the owner was compelled to feed them for about two months. When Mr. M. left Ochocho the snow had already disappeared and the hills were already covered with a beautiful carpet of young grass. There had been no sickness in the Valley during the winter, and settlers were prosperous and in jubilant spirits.

ANOTHER ONE.—That Enoch Arden fellow is becoming numerous. John Wiley married and went to war; was supposed to have been killed at Spottsylvania, Va., in 1862; his "Annie darling" was "cheered up" after three years mourning by marrying Wm. Smith, who, like Philip Ray, loved her not wisely, but too well. Long before Wiley married her. Years rolled on and two little Smiths gambled upon the hearthstone and Wiley was scarce remembered. A few days ago, however, he turned up at the threshold of Smith's; took a good square hug with his wife, when Smith gave him \$200 to relinquish all claim to her, and the Wiley exulted and strode off for Colorado, a richer if not a happier man. He says the Smith family are a trump. Mrs. DUNWY lectured in this city last Monday night to a good audience. We were unable to be present but learn that she attempted to make a Biblical argument in favor of woman's rights, in which she gave Adam fits for permitting Eve to snipe him into eating the forbidden fruit, and also soundly berated "that crusty old bachelor," Paul, for interdicting women's gab in having "bossed" the State Temperance Convention, and asserted that she had gained her point over the almost united opposition of that body. She virtually says that when she gets after the men they don't amount to the dignity of a huckleberry in a bear's ear. **A GHASTLY PURCHASE.**—Portland is laboring through a horrible sensation. The O. S. N. Co. last week sold a lot of unclaimed freight at auction, among which was a heavy box which a merchant bought "on sight unseen," and when he took it to his house and opened it he found therein the ghastly remains of a man who had been crushed to death by a mill.
PERSONAL.—Mrs. Duniway, editor of the New Northwest, paid us the compliment of a call on Tuesday. She seemed to be in a good state of preservation after her forensic tilt with Bro. Driver, Conser, Wooden, et al, in the State Convention, and says she is bound to get away with the next Oregon Legislature. "When a woman wills she will, you may depend on it; And when she won't she won't And that's the end on't."

AT THE CLUB.—We were unavoidably kept from attending the Club meeting last Saturday evening, but understand that a fair audience, among whom were several ladies, greeted Judge Johns on that occasion, and that his speech was fully appreciated. His Honor has none of the elements of an orator in his composition, but is a close student and sound reasoner, and his earnest and truthful utterances cannot fail of good effect. **THAT SOBBIE.**—Parrish Hall was last Thursday night crowded with the devotees of Tepteshore, on the occasion of the Soiree of the Albany Dancing Club. The decorations of the hall were truly elegant, the beautiful music was superior, and the ladies and gentlemen fashionably and appropriately dressed. The Club deserves great credit for the successful management of this truly superb and eminently recherche affair. **REV. C. H. MATTOON,** of Brownsville, is canvassing the State for means to start a Baptist denominational paper. He claims he will have but little difficulty in securing the amount necessary. The paper will probably be published in this city on entirely new material and in an office situated expressly for that purpose. We wish the enterprise all possible success.

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SYRACUSE DEMOCRATIC CLUB.

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In pursuance of notice in the DEMOCRAT the Syracuse Democratic Club held a meeting at Alphin's school house for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization. The meeting was called to order by W. P. Farlow in the chair. By a vote the present Chairman and Secretary were elected as permanent officers of the club. The committee on by-laws and resolutions reported the following, which were adopted: BY-LAWS. 1st. The election of a President, whose duty it shall be to preside at the meetings of the Club for the purpose of preserving order and transacting business. 2nd. The election of a Secretary, whose duty it shall be to keep and maintain a record of the proceedings of the Club, and also to act as Corresponding Secretary, when necessary to correspond with other Democratic Clubs of this county when called upon for information. 3rd. To appoint a committee to procure suitable speakers to address the Club at its several meetings. 4th. If at any time it should become necessary to raise funds for the club, a Treasurer shall be appointed to keep and dispose of such funds in the manner ordered by the Club, and who shall make report thereon. Resolved, That we, as Democrats, have an abiding faith in the Constitution of the United States as amended, which we feel bound to yield obedience to what is termed the 14th and 15th Amendments, which have been added to the Constitution, and we pledge ourselves to support them to the end. We have just heard of a country school girl who defined a lady to be "a grown-up gal, that doesn't chew gum or fuss."

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.
At a meeting of the members of the Republican Society the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted: Whereas, It hath pleased Almighty God (in His mysterious providence) to remove from earth LEON BRADY, a loved member of this Society; Therefore be it Resolved, That we have lost an esteemed and faithful member, and that we shall ever deplore this great affliction, and pray that God will restore to us all things well and that it shall be a warning to us, who are still engaged in the pursuit of knowledge, of the brevity of human life. Resolved, That we do all in our power to claim in the language of scripture, "O Death, where is thy sting, O Grave, where is thy victory?" Resolved, That we will strive to meet our sister beyond the river of death, where loved ones are ever separated, and friendship's ties are never broken. Resolved, That our kindest sympathies are with the family of the deceased, and all his things well, and that it may stimulate us to strive the more earnestly to gain the crown of immortality. Resolved, That to better show our respect for our departed sister, while living, and to exhibit the detailed account of the most terrible calamity that has ever befallen the civilized world,--distressing incidents,--"Hair Brethren,"--The fearful ravages of the Fire Flood, The reign of Terror. Profoundly and beautifully illustrated, including views of the city before and since the few, still calamity grand in its ruin. Orders will be filled and received. The fastest selling book ever sold by agents. Send \$1 for the complete set, including the Agency Illustrations. Agents also wanted on a liberal plan.

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