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POSTOFFICE REGISTER.

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For Railroad (North and South) daily, except Sabbath, promptly at 11 A. M.

For Corvallis, daily, except Sabbath, at 1 30 P. M.

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P. H. RAYMOND, P. M.

[Written for the Democrat.]

"THE BEAUTIFUL SNOW."

[We publish this more for the originality and ingenuity of the heading (which we don't remember to have seen before) than for any special merit that the poem contains. Knowing that the world has long been wanting to see something on this subject, we recklessly launch this grist into publicity, feeling that we have laid up one more jewel where neither moth shall creep in and steal nor thieves corrupt and rust. We give it verbatim, et literatim, et spellatim, et punctualim, as it appeared in the original Greek.—ED. DEM.]

It is the first wee have seen
It is welcome wee know—
Cause we all like to ride
In the Beautiful Snow.

The air is frosty
But what care wee
For the blast is only for a short time
It shortly can't last.

Then up and away
It is fun wee all know
To ride in a sley
In the Beautiful Snow.

I once knew a fair maide
As pure as the snow
With locks like the raven
And teeth like the pearles.

Oh yes we all loved her but
Now you must know
She aint any more
Like that Beautiful Snow.

T. A. D.

OUR CONTEMPLATED DAILY.—Some of our friends express themselves fearful of the success of the DAILY DEMOCRAT which we expect to start in the early spring. This is not to be wondered at considering the fact that Albany is only a provincial town with a population of less than twenty-five hundred inhabitants. But we *know* the people of our little city, and dare make the experiment because we have ample proof of their liberality and public spirit. Realizing the fact that we have for nearly a decade past devoted the columns of the DEMOCRAT to the interests and welfare of our city and county, they have, irrespective of political feeling, ever given us a hearty and liberal support. Of course this has been a matter of business with them. They knew it paid a full return on the money invested. Having a large circulation we have advertised our city and county abroad and assisted more than any other one agency in bringing population, capital and enterprise hither. A live paper always does this for its locality, and is thus entitled to the fullest support. When the daily starts, our field of usefulness in this direction will be greatly increased and a proportionate appreciation of our labors will undoubtedly be shown by our citizens. We have no fears of the result. Everybody will take the paper. However, as an additional security against failure we shall have a thorough canvass made and unless a lid just what our tangible encouragement will be before the daily is launched upon the journalistic billows. We havn't any loose change to fool away in the gratification of foolish ambitious, and don't propose to "go it blind" in this venture. Look out for our canvasser shortly, and give him good encouragement both in advertising and subscription. We expect to publish a live paper.

STANDING COMMITTEES.—Mayor Froman has appointed the following standing Committees in the Common Council:

Ways and Means—Councilmen Settlemier, Hill and Simpson.

Accounts and Current Expenses—Councilmen Kline, Blain and Hill.

Fire and Water—Councilmen Simpson, Parker and Kline.

Streets and Public Property—Councilmen Blain, Kline and Simpson.

Landings and Wharfs—Councilmen Parker, Simpson and Settlemier.

Health and Police—Councilmen Hill, Settlemier and Parker.

Elections—Councilmen Parker, Blain and Settlemier.

Judiciary—Councilmen Kline, Hill and Blain.

FRINK, the tarnalist leecheyest of all the life insurance agents, is in town, and we would rather undertake to cross Niagara Railroad bridge with a locomotive plowing under our coat tails than to try to get away from him without taking a policy. He is so soothing, so harassing; so oily, so rough; so winning, so repulsive; so mild, so vehement; so bashful, so cheeky; so polite, so ill-conducted; so patient, so rushing and so confoundedly cohesive that you might as well try to shake off a coat of mucilage or an Allcock Porous Plaster. There is no chance to be a "policy dodger" where Frink is, and our citizens have generally given it up and sat quietly down and submitted to their fate.

DOUBLY FATAL.—Mr. M. A. Twine writes us from Reno, Nevada, under date of Jan. 10th, giving an account of a lamentable shooting affray which occurred there a few days prior to the date of the letter. It appears that two men, named respectively B. R. Smith and J. Condra, entered into a discussion with pistols during which six shots were exchanged and both men killed. Smith was formerly a resident of this county. The writer of the letter gives no other particulars.

A MILL SITE.—A valuable mill site in Sweet Home Valley is advertised for sale in another column. The site is a valuable one and is suitable for either a grist or saw mill, or both, and can be had on very easy terms. See the advertisement in to-day's paper.

THE EXAMINER.—We are under obligations for the Daily San Francisco *Examiner* in exchange for our weekly. It is undoubtedly the ablest and soundest Democratic journal on the coast, and we commend it most heartily to all our friends.

FROM EASTERN OREGON.

A trip to Warm Springs Agency—Indian Feast and Hunt—On to Ochoco—A Pioneer City—Holiday Amusements on the Border, etc., etc.

OAK GROVE, Wasco Co., Oregon.

Editor Democrat:

Having recently taken a trip to the interior of this county we thought we would give you the benefit of it, trusting that you might find something interesting to your readers. We started from this place the latter part of Dec. on our way to Ochoco Valley. The weather was delightful, and having the best of company you may be sure that we enjoyed the trip very much. Arriving at Warm Springs Agency we were very kindly received and entertained by the agent and employes. We found the Indians enjoying themselves hugely. They seemed glad that "Hias Sunday" had put in an appearance. Some of the wealthy ones had prepared a feast to which all were invited, rich and poor, hungry and destitute. The feast continued about one week, during which time a vast amount of pies, cakes, coffee, sugar, tea and beef were consumed. The whole thing closed with a grizzly bear hunt which was a very laughable affair. After having finished our visit at the agency we started for Prineville, where we arrived in due time. We found the people of this place enjoying themselves as pioneers only can do—some "tripping the light fantastic toe," while those opposed to such amusements, were enjoying themselves in various ways. We found Prineville putting on the appearance of a city, and we were much surprised indeed when we were told that it had only been a few short years since the Snake Indians had given up their claim to it. We found two stores here—one kept by Gibson & Luckey, the other by Geo. Carey, formerly of Linn county. We were told that several of the most influential and reliable men had purchased an interest in the saloon situated on Front street and could be found there in the future. We were very much surprised at some of the above named gentlemen engaging in such business, as they are men of wealth and influence, but it seems that men living in a new country with but little to hold them in check are apt to forget themselves. We are in hopes that if such is the case they may see their error and return to a calling where they can exert a better influence.

Yours, WASCOPUM.

FIRE AT SCIO.

SCIO, Jan. 19th, 1875.

Editor Democrat:

At one o'clock A. M., on the morning of the 20th inst., this classic little burg was aroused from its midnight slumbers and changed into a scene of the wildest excitement.

Dr. Herndon, a learned disciple of Aesculapius, was on the point of retiring to his virtuous couch when he was suddenly alarmed by the crackling of fire. He immediately proceeded to examine the cause and discovered that the roof of his residence was in flames. He sounded the alarm and soon the discordant yells of the Scio Firemen rent the midnight air and smote upon the ears of the fast-assembling populace with a terrible distinctness. The "Hooks" were promptly on hand with their truck, ladders, etc., and the combat with the devouring element began. Ladders were mounted and brimming buckets of water dashed fearlessly upon the flames, and the heads of men. Brigades of assorted water-carriers swarmed hither and thither, bearing heavy burdens of the liquid with which they were to quench the burning thirst of the fire, and each one trying to answer the oft-repeated cry of "water!" Mighty was the din! Yet far above the roar of the flames and other confused noises attendant, could be heard a single shrill soprano, crying energetically "water, water, for God's sake water." These vehement calls came spontaneously from the lips of our city druggist, who, perched upon the topmost round of a ladder, thus did ample justice to his reputation as a fireman. In the meantime the fire had spread to a considerable extent, but by the most strenuous efforts on the part of the firemen and citizens it was finally ex-tinguished to the immense satisfaction of all. Loss about $200.

ANYBODY.

FROM GREEN HORN.—Major J. R. Herren, and his Chinese ditch diggers of Green Horn Bar, froze out last week and returned to this city on Sunday. The ditch, however, is nearly completed, there being only two or three more days work to be done. The ditch is a mile long, two feet deep, three feet wide at the top and two feet at the bottom and will carry a sufficient body of water for all sluicing purposes. Major H. informs us that he will begin mining operations on the Bar in about six weeks.

"THE PICTORIAL SOUVENIR" is the title of a new collection of steel engravings—twenty-five in number—offered by Peterson to persons getting up clubs for his magazine. They are first-class steel plates like those published in the magazine each month, and as it is always an easy matter to make up a club for this cheap and excellent book, you will be able by a very little exertion to obtain this beautiful collection of engravings.

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CITY FINANCES.—The exhibit of the finances of the city of Albany for the year 1874, is published elsewhere in this paper, and makes a good showing. There were received into the treasury during the year $5,769,37, and paid out $554,19; leaving a balance in treasury at the close of the year of $315.16. This, we believe, is the best showing ever made since the city has been a city.

TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.—A large quantity of valuable city property will be sold in this city at public auction on the 11th day of February, by the executrix of the estate of Edward S. Alltree. The lots to be sold are some of the finest in the city, several of them being well improved. For a description of the property see the advertisement of the sale in another column.

P. C. Harper & Co. have a supply of hunter's outfits which they sell "dirt cheap."

[Written for the DEMOCRAT.]

DRESS NEATLY AT HOME.

The duties of women are manifold and often wearisome, and one who willingly gathers them up and appropriates them will always find more than she can possibly discharge. In her own home she finds many, and each day some new one is added, then multiplied, and she finds no opportunity to subtract therefrom.

There is not one home duty that housekeepers generally neglect so much as their own personal appearance. The wife may keep their home neat, clean, and orderly; the carefully spread table with its weight of well cooked food appears punctually three times a day, and all the household arrangements move as if by machinery, but after noting these things let the observer take a look at the wife herself, and you too frequently find that her appearance is not in accordance with the neatness of her house—especially during the morning hours. She rises hurriedly, twists up her hair in a careless knot, throws on an old dress which at every turn discloses a ripped seam or rent; guiltless alike of collar, pin or bow—and remarks that "it is good enough to work in."

Dear woman, would a neatly fitting, tidy dress retard your progress any? or would it take you any longer to don a good dress than the one we have just described? We do not mean a costly dress, covered with ruffles and puffs; but one of as cheap material as you wish or as your circumstances demand, made carefully and fitted well, and not cut out or sewed without any regard as to how it will look, simply because it is a working dress. It will require but a moment longer to pin on a collar of some kind and tuck up your hair so that it will look passable, and you can scarcely imagine how much you will improve your appearance, or what a relief it will be when you hear the door bell to find yourself in readiness to answer the summons without feeling that you are unfit to be seen even by your best friend.

Nothing lends such a charm to woman as clean, well made and neatly fitting raiment. Her clothing seems to become a part of her, and each lends an additional grace to the other. Too much attention is given to dress for show, and not enough for what is to be worn in the home circle.

VENITIA.

THE PEORIA WHEAT TRANSACTION.

Editor Democrat:

In your issue of January 1st., I find a communication from Peoria, signed "T. L. P.," wherein he states that the Peoria warehouse company have sold the wheat in their warehouse at a *nett* advance of five cents per bushel upon local bids; and further they have thus saved to the farmers twenty-five cents per bushel on their wheat over those storing in houses charging five cents storage.

If I am correctly informed, the Peoria warehouse company had in their house this season about seven thousand bushels of wheat, which they sold at sixty-five cents per bushel *delivered on board the boats*, which was five cents per bu. more than was being offered for wheat in warehouses there at that time. Their warehouse charges being but three cents per bushel while others charged five cents per bushel, the nett advance would be equal to the difference, or two cents per bushel, which is the actual amount realized, more than could have been obtained elsewhere.

The fifteen per cent. dividend on paid up stock (about $700) does not properly belong with the advance realized, being but a fair return for the capital invested in the house. But including that, three and one-half cents per bushel is as near as I can figure to the twenty-five cents per bushel saved by "T. L. P.'s" method of computation.

Am I correct? Or is the school-master absent from "T. L. P.'s neighborhood? MIDDLEMAN.

FROM BIG VALLEY.—We learn from a letter recently received from Big Valley of date Dec. 27th, that the weather was pleasant at that time, with last few nights freezing, but clear and warm through the day. The green grass was from six to eight inches high on the mountains, and from four to six inches high in the valley. The stock is fat and prospering.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—The second quarterly meeting of the M. E. Church South for Albany will be held in the M. E. Church on the 23d and 24th inst. Services Saturday and Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M. All are invited to attend. T. B. WHITE, P. E.

THE WEATHER.—At last the weather has moderated and our Webfoot friends are able to get out of their holes and growl about the bad weather. Well, we have had bad weather for a week or two and no mistake. Last Sabbath morning the thermometer stood at 16 degrees below zero, which is colder than ever was known before in this valley. On that day the river was running full of ice, but it did not entirely close up until Tuesday morning, when it was completely gorged with ice and snow. During the forenoon three men crossed on the ice at Pierce's ferry, which is something that the "oldest inhabitant" never saw or even heard of before, and it is probable it may not occur again in a life time. Tuesday morning "Old Sol" made his appearance and soon loosened the ice, and at this time (Thursday evening) the Willamette is clear of ice and rising rapidly. For a day or so we have been having a warm rain, but as the late large fall of snow in the mountains has been subjected to a very hard freeze no fears are entertained of there being a flood.

BIG INVENTION.—Lloyd, the famous map man, who made all the maps for General Grant and the Union army, certificates of which he published, has just invented a way of getting a relief plate from steel so as to print Lloyd's Map of American Continent—showing from ocean to ocean—on one entire sheet of bank note paper 40x50 inches large, on a lightning press, and colored, sized and varnished for the wall so as to stand washing, and mailing anywhere in the world for 25 cents, or unvarnished for 10 cents. This map shows the whole United States and Territories in a group, from surveys to 1875, with a million places on it, such as towns, cities, villages, mountains, lakes, rivers, streams, gold mines, railway stations, &c. This map should be in every house. Send 25 cents to the Lloyd Map Company, Philadelphia, and you will get a copy by return mail.

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Various weather.

Stock doing well.

Snow disappearing.

Noses are thawing out.

Our weather seer gives it up.

We turn out finer job work than ever.

Our new power press weighs six tons.

Freight trains only three times a week.

Modoc Meacham was in this city Tuesday.

Carothers & Co. have put up a few tons of ice.

Thurston Hackleman is slowly convalescing.

Thanks to His Honor, Recorder Baker, for favors.

Engage your "winter-greens" for the Anniversary 'op.

The Noblest Roman of them all—Mart Taylor's nose.

Queen Victoria is to write another book. Poor England!

Mock turtle—kissing before company and fighting afterward.

Our livery men only charged $2 an hour for dug-outs during the sleighing term.

Before taking liberties with a strange dog observe his tail and wait for the wag on.

In a fight with canines the odds are always against a beggar. Lazarus was licked by dogs.

W. R. Dunbar, lectured on temperance in the court house Tuesday night to a fair audience.

You may brag as you please of the red, red rose. But redder, by far, is an old toper's nose.

When you hear a row next door, it is a sign the mother-in-law is paying a visit to the family.

Chinamen, Indians and glass doors and windows suffered from hoodlum snow-balling last Tuesday, in this city.

St. Valentine's Day comes on Sunday this year, so a fellow can take his Julurker's epistle up to the house himself.

Under the new law the Spring term of the Circuit Court for Linn county, will convene on the second Monday in March.

The first thing in billiards is to learn how to count; the next thing is to learn how to count enough to win the game.

Our young friend, Wallace Mauzey, is the life-size local on the Salem *Mercury*, and makes lots of music in his department.

The New Council boils. It is composed of good men and true, and we expect an excellent report from them at the year's end.

We are much obliged to lots of the boys for lending a helping hand in transferring our new power press from the wharf to the office.

And now the "fizz!" of the sausage in the pan is heard, and the old gyp refuseth to be comforted for her "purps" "who are not."

A Ticonderoga man has a hog so poor that it recently had to be soaked two hours in Lake Champlain before it could be made to hold swill.

We are assured that Cain obtained his wife in the "land of Nod." We presume his favorite song was, "Come where my love lies Dreaming."

Dr. L. S. Thompson, brother of Col. D. M. Thompson, of this city, is now a member of the Capitol Police in Washington City, at a salary of $1,400 per annum.

The Albany express train is pulled off until further notice, and we miss the diminutive and fragile figger of that seraphic cherub, Stroud, morely than we can tell.

Messrs. Beach & Monteith have aided and abetted treason by refusing to charge us anything for storage for our new power press, for the which we feel duly grateful.

Beecher thinks the wickedest thing in the world is to thump a child on the head. This is undoubtedly true. The best way to punish a child is to pour hot beeswax down its back.

And now that the season of gushing and cooing over gates is on the wane, fond paternal relatives of darling daughters are bracing sagged gates preparatory to the advent of spring.

Our Balsam would have congealed hurtfully while carrying the papers last Friday, but for many sympathizing and admiring young ladies who invited him in to warm his "tootsey-tootsies."

Now let Austin Morrison, formerly of McDonough Co., Ills., address lock box 60, Albany, Oregon—as per adv. elsewhere, in this paper, and he will learn something important. Whar is ye, Aus?

The State Immigration Commissioners have appointed Messrs. Thos. Monteith, C. P. Burkhart and Geo. R. Helm to receive contributions of funds at Albany for the furtherance of information to other sections.

We see that our old-time friend, D. E. Budd, still keeps the Portland street railway grinding along, to the great satisfaction of the metropolitan public and the credit of himself. We knew when Budd got hold of that institush it was bound to scour.

A new Sunday School scholar down at Dixie church could'nt answer the conundrum of the teacher last Sabbath: "Who made those beautiful hills and grand forests out there?" He said his folks only moved here last week and had'nt got acquainted much yet.

To make a fashionable hat for your wife or daughter, take an old slouch hat that you have laid aside, turn up the brim on one side, lop it down on t'other, cover the turned-up side with feathers, a sunbingle buckle, and put a big rosette and streamer on it, when it is ready for use.

Somebody who claims to have spent much time in experimenting upon the influence of flattery says in his report: "You can induce an old maid to give you the last pin in her dress by praising the color of her hair or dropping a casual remark about the heavenly ceruleanity of her magnetic orbs."

A College pupil recently recited her geometry lesson to her fellow girl, as follows: If the angles at the base of an isosceles triangle are equal to the square of the hypothenuse of a right-angle cone, then the rectangle of the diameter of a circle is equal to the square of the—ah—to fro—ah—is equal to the—ah—to the square—to the—ah—oh, bother! gimme that book! I wish pa 'ud let me take dancing lessons instead of these horrible squares, and angles, and hypothenuses.

A small fire in Wm. Ralston's residence called out the fire boys and citizens last Friday night about 8 o'clock, but no serious damage was done. The wood was piled too close to the hot stove, and caught fire at a fortunately early hour in the evening. Be careful of such things this cold snap.

A Halseyite writes us that last week a couple of gents of the "Republic of Lake Creek" being attacked with violent spasms of tooth-ache, came to Albany, as they claimed, to have their teeth repaired; but from all accounts they got their repairing done at the court house, which was pretty muchly paper fillings.

Chlorine gas may be freed from hydrocholoric acid gas by passing it through a solution of cupric sulphate. This we learn from the books. There are other things the matter with it which we just now forget, but to prepaying subscribers it makes but little difference, as they have been vaccinated and won't catch it.

Jennie June says men ought to pay their wives for doing their household work just the same as they would by any one else. A terrible precedent to establish, and one fraught with untold dangers. The women would come down on us for back pay, and the panic that would ensue would paralyze business for ten years to come.

The "Spotted Boy" who was exhibited hereabouts last summer is now confined in San Francisco on the charge of being a leper. Well, we didn't fool around him much. Our attention was mostly directed to studying the anatomy of the man who could get so low down as to put a snake's head in his bosom and feed the hideous reptile on live rabbits.

Some genius has invented a double-hinge lock-joint pocket and valise umbrella, which is pronounced a very convenient article. But it lacks one requisite. The inventor could sell his umbrella for more than eighty-seven cents apiece, if he were to affix a knob on the handle that would explode and knock the fingers off a celestine borrower.

"RIDE A FREE HORSE," ETC.—Here is a healthy specimen of facial ossification truly! The head master of the Portland Bishop Scott Grammar School sends us a catalogue and a long letter recounting the superior facilities, advantages and inducements of that educational institution over others, and gently suggests to us, (couched in a most scholarly and classical diction, to be sure,) that any mention of these facts in our valuable (ahem!) paper, would be highly—ah! most highly appreciated by the faculty of that heavy set institution! Of course! That's just the way we make our living! We don't get anything for advertising or subscription. We don't charge nobody nothing for nothing we do. We don't need money to pay our nine hard-worked jours. and furnish our devil clean dickey's for taffy pulls; don't pay rent for our office rooms; don't need any clothes and grub for ourselves and families. Oh, yes! We just live on paste and wrap our shivering forms in old newspapers—we do! The wood which keeps up our office fires and warms our hot brick for sleeping purposes these cold nights is all stolen or donated to us. We don't need money for nothing. We're a grasshopper suffringer without money and without friends.

We're nobody's darling;
Nobody cares for us.

We toil and write and suffer for the public good "without the hope of fee or reward" or other indifferent bedclothes and vittels, consequently we can afford to puff every fat, healthy and flourishing institution or enterprise in the country which doesn't think it necessary to advertise in our columns! Yes, that's the sort of a public carryall we are, so just jump aboard Dr. B. S. Grammar and Divinity School and ride our free vehicle into public notice and richer patronage.

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FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of John R. Dawson, deceased, has filed with the County Clerk, of Linn County, State of Oregon, his final account for settlement, and the County Court of said County has made an order appointing

Friday, the 5th day of Feb., 1875,

at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, at the Court House, in the City of Albany, in said County, for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement of the same.

SYLVANDER A. DAWSON, Adm'r.

JOHNS & JONES, Att'ys for Administrator. n23w4.

EXECUTOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an order made by the County Court within and for the County of Linn, State of Oregon, on the 8th day of December, 1874, in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Griffith, late of said county, deceased, I, H. J. C. Averill, Executor of the last will and testament of the said Elizabeth Griffith, deceased, will, on

Friday, the 29th of January, 1875,

at the Court House door in the City of Albany, in said county of Linn, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., offer for sale at public auction, the following described real estate, belonging to the said estate and situate in said county, to-wit: The North half of the Donation Land Claim of Elisha Griffith, and Elizabeth his wife, in township No. 14, South of Range No. 3, West, containing 319 acres.

TERMS—Said real estate will be sold for gold coin of the United States, one-half to be paid down on the day of sale, and the remaining half in one year, with interest thereon at one per cent. a month, secured by mortgage on the premises.

H. J. C. AVERILL, Executor.

JOHNS & JONES, Att'ys for Executor. n23w4.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

—OF—

REAL ESTATE!

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an order made by the County Court within and for the County of Linn, State of Oregon, on the 8th day of December, 1874, in the matter of the estate of A. S. Huston, deceased, I, John Huston, Administrator of the estate of the said A. S. Huston, deceased, will, on

Thursday, the 28th of January, 1875,

at the Court House door in the City of Albany, in said county of Linn, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning and 4 o'clock in the evening of that day, to-wit: at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., offer for sale at public auction, the following described real estate, belonging to the said estate and situate in said county, to-wit: The North-east fourth of the South-west quarter, and the North-west fourth of the South-east quarter of Section No. 28, in Township No. 14, South of Range No. 3, West, containing 80 acres.

TERMS—Said real estate will be sold for gold coin of the United States, one-half to be paid down on the day of sale, and the remainder in six months, secured by mortgage on the premises.

JOHN HUSTON, Adm'r.

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