The Democrat.

The Owners of the Universe.

Let us corner up the sunbeams
Lying all around our path;
Get a trust on wheat and roses;
Give the poor the thorns and chaff;
Let us find our chiefest pleasure
Hoarding bounties of today,
So the poor shall have scant measure
And two prices have to pay.

Yes, we'll reservoir the rivers,
And we'll levy on the lakes,
And we'll lay a trifling toll-tax
On each poor man who partakes;
We'll brand his number on him
That he'll carry through his life;
We'll apprentice all his children,
Get a mortgage on his wife.

We will capture e'en the wind-god,
And confine him in a cave;
And then, through our patent process,
We the atmosphere will save;
Thus we'll squeeze our little brother
When he tries his lungs to fill,
Put a meter on his windpipe
And present our little bill.

We will syndicate the starlight,
And monopolize the moon,
Claim a royalty on rest days,
A proprietary noon;
For right of way through ocean's spray
We'll charge just what its worth;
We'll drive our stakes around the lakes—
In fact, we'll own the earth.
—Great Thoughts, London, England.

Several thousand people would like to see Bryan at Albany.

The people of Santa Clara who erected a triumphal arch to General Weyler do not appreciate the eternal fitness of things.

Some exchanges kick because of stolen editorial matter. The DEMOCRAT is always pleased that it is considered good enough to be stolen, and sees it done continually; hence never kicks. As a matter of fact though every newspaper is entitled to credit for its contents.

From the Post:

Col. Joe P. Johnston, who has been post-office inspector at St. Louis ever since 1887, and has just been transferred to the New Orleans district, is in the city and was yesterday renewing his old friendship with Representative Dockery. Col. Johnston is quite a joker. Stepping up to a cigar counter at Willard's, he said:

"Let me have some of the cigars Mr. Dockery usually buys."

He was handed out a very good but not expensive quality of domestic cigars. Selecting three he handed them to the Congressman.

"Take them all," he said, "I bought them for you." Then turning to the dealer, he continued, "Now give me a good cigar for myself."

There is something in the following from the Lincoln county Leader:

The Corvallis papers, especially the Gazette, have been and are violently opposed to President H. B. Miller, of the Agricultuual College of that place, and a continual war is kept up on that gentleman. We do not know Mr. Miller but we can assure those papers that they are making a very serious mistake. The fight they are keeping up is doing the school and their city a far greater amount of harm than it does Mr. Miller. The papers seem to fail to realize that the whole state is equally interested in the school along with Corvallis. A fight against the president of that institution weakens the influence of the school and limits its work for good. As long as Mr. Miller is president of that institution any attack against him in the nature of a fight of the past is an attack on the school. It would be well for the papers of Corvallis to ponder on this matter a little. If Mr. Miller is not fit or qualified to be president of the agricultural college then go to work quietly and depose him. Don't create a fight in it, and thus make the school suffer.

A former Northwest windbag and professed wit and poet, has obtained enough notoriety to be noticed in the Washington Post in the following interesting manner, the place visited being the postoffice address of an Albany man, Mr. P. J. Smiley for a few weeks:

Mr. Lee Fairchild, of California, who was a prominent figure in the last Presidential campaign, and who claims the distinction of having made more speeches than any man except Bryan during the contest, is in the city. Mr. Fairchild opened the campaign in Maine at Old Orchard with speaker Reed, and traveled over the greater part of the United States.

"I look back on that campaign," said he, at the Arlington last night, "with a good deal of pleasure, but of all my experiences the one at Danville, Va., is the most pleasant one to me. When I arrived in Danville I was met by a pale-faced fellow who advised me not to make a speech. He said there had been no Republican campaign speech made there since 1833, when twelve negroes were shot. Manone lost the state on that account. Having campaigned in the West against populists and democrats for a number of years, I was rather pleased at the idea of having trouble. I told the chairman that I desired the prelude to my speech to be without music or a biographical sketch. The chairman looked at me as if I'd gone crazy, but yielded to my wishes, and the meeting started.

"I had spoken about five minutes when a well-organized band of young fellows in the center of the theater where the meeting was held, shouted in concert, 'Rats.' The negroes, who were not allowed on the lower floor, were packed in the galleries. I paused a moment, and waving my hand at the gallery, said: 'Waiter, take the Chinaman's order.' Well, sir, that was a knockout blow. The fellows neicked out, and I had no more trouble. Perhaps I did cut a figure in the campaign. I was in the multiplication table, but I don't know about being in the division table."

Oxblood hose for ladies just received at the ladies Bazaar. Also a full line of fast black and tan colors at popular prices.

We Lead, Others Follow.

and that is the reason Hopkins Bros. are the first to display a full line of the famous 1897 Crescent and Crawford bicycles. Call and see them.

The Crescent

was the first to use the new D tubing. The other factories copy.

Hopkins Bros

have received a full stock of 1897 Crawford bicycles. They are magnificent. Come and see for yourself

Wool Wanted.

At the Albany Woolen Mills, highest market price paid. Call at mill and get wool sacks.

The Rights of Office-Seekers

From the Washington Post:

The Hon. Billy Mason is credited with saying that it costs him half of his salary and fourteen hours a day to keep up with his correspondence, and the St. Louis Globe-Democrat is moved to observe that he "is giving office-seekers more attention than they are entitled to." It is plainly apparent from this that the Globe-Democrat observer has not been through the mill, or, if he has, he has forgotten his experience. There is nothing more hateful to the patriotic American than ingratitude, and there is no more shining object of ingratitude than a man who, having obtained an office, whether elective or appointive, turns a cold shoulder to other ambitious citizens who desire to serve the government for a stipulated price.

Why should not Hon. Billy Mason or Hon. Anybody-else, devote the larger part of his time to office-seekers? How did the Hon. Billy get there but by assiduous and presistent effort However beautiful it may be in theory that the office should seek the man, as a fact, the man has to seek the office, and use praiseworthy diligence to boot, or his name is Dennis right from the start. Much of this howl about office-seekers comes from the class known as business men, but no business man operates on such principles. The business man who waits for business to seek him does not make a very conspicuous success. On the contrary, he makes a dismal failure. To succeed in life in any line, a man must get up and hustle. He must be alert, pushing, presistent, not easily rebuffed, have a large deposit of gall on tap, must be thick-skinned, and steadily pursue the object on which his mind is bent.

The office-sveker is compelled to adopt the same tactics, only with additional energy. When a man gets what he is after, he is apt to forget the men who helped him in his extremity. Every man who has attained a prominent public office has done it with the help of other men, and he should expect to be called on to help them when they need assistance. From the President of the United States down to a ward constable, it is the same story, and no successful office-seeker, can afford to turn a deaf ear to his constituents seeking office. If he does, he is ungrateful and forgetful of the assistance given him in his struggle for place.

The office-seekers are entitled to consideration, and they ought to have it. The Hon. Billy Mason is strictly within his line of duty in giving up much of his time to the office seekers. That's just what he out to do. He was once an office seeker himself, and not so very long ago, either. The woods are full of office seekers, and their claims should be recognized.

Discussion on Collections.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

Your Tennessee correspondent seems to think that a collection in a sabbath-school is only a necessary evil. What is a sabbathschool for if not to teach our duty as revealed in the scripture? Now it is most certain that the bible requires regular systematic, cheerful giving, as an act of worship. "Honor the Lord with thy substance." "Come unto His courts and bring an offering." "Upon the first day of the week, let everyone of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him." "Let him labor, working with his hands the thing which is good that he may have to give to him that needeth."

The children (big and little) at Tennessee need to be taught these truths in theory and in practice. See Luke 13:-24—27. What is the need? Look around you. The world is open to the Gospel and there is a famine not of bread but of hearing the word of God. For instance Venezuela gratefully recognizes that our great nation has been true to duty in speaking up for her territorial rights. Now the religious teachers of Venezuela are those who would keep the bible out of the people's hands and I understand that not one American has gone to teach them, and nothing could be more definite than Christs direction, "Go, preach the gospel to every creature" We need not go outside of Linn county, to find opportunity to apply funds to true mission work.

Let every sabbath take weekly offering as Christ directs, if it is only te a week, that will equal the mission contribution of two church members, on the average over our whole country.

I have been in eleven states and have never seen a place where the people were so poor in the midst of such great abundance, as right here. I think it is largely because we have not learned to worship the Lord with our substance.

Yours for the kingdom that shall never be destroyed. H.

Oakville, May 17.

Tom Johnson, an ex-congressman, of Cleveland, Ohio, has a good reason why he supported Bryan for president although he is not a supporter of the free coinage idea. Mr. Johnson says: "Free coinage would let the poor rob the rich only once; whereas, the gold monometalists and protectionists propose to let the rich rob the poor forever. Knowing this I voted for Bryan and would do it again if given the opportunity.

What a wonder it is that some women are so heedless about the things that concern them most. They endure all sorts of pain and misery with carelessness which would never be possible if they realized the consequences. Comparatively few women understand that when they neglect their health because they are too busy or overworked or their minds are taken up with other concerns, that they are balancing on the edge of a fatal precipice.

Any weakness or disease of woman's special organism is no trifling matter. A woman who through indifference neglects these troubles is laying the foundation for life-long wretchedness.

A modest woman naturally recoils from the mortifying ordeal of examinations and local treatment which doctors insist upon. But there is no necessity for any such repugnant alternative. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures these delicate complaints positively and completely. It is a medicine devised for this particular purpose by one of the most eminent of living specialists in woman's diseases.

Dr. Pierce has been for nearly 30 years chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y. During this time he has received fully ninety thousand letters from women who have been cured by the "Favorite Prescription." Some of these letters are printed by permission in one chapter of Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser." It contain advice and suggestions for self-treatment which every woman ought to read. More than half a million copies have been sold at $1.50 each. An absolutely free edition in paper covers will be sent for a limited time to anyone sending 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing *only*. Address World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For a handsome cloth-bound copy send 31 stamps.

An exchange says that misrepresentation is the suicide of trade.

Strikes are brewing in the east. They are always to be regretted.

A St. Louis woman after fifty years of married life has sued for divorce. "Well, would you ever."

President W. C. Hawley has a lecture on "Oregon". That is a subject that might well inspire any man.

Diamonds have been smuggled from Canada to the United States on carrier pigeons. Certainly an ingenious way, though a risky one.

There is some satisfaction in the fact that the railroad commissioners will have to wait a long time for their money with chances of their never getting it.

From the Pendleton E. O.

Linn county allows the deputy sheriffs and deputy county clerk only $50 a month salary. Public office in Linn county does not pay any better than private business.

The matter of a 4th of July celebration should depend on whether those who will be most benefitted are willing to subscribe sufficiently to make it a success. The first thing done should be a subscription. If large enough, then celebrate, if not, drop it.

An Albany lady after looking over both Corvallis papers for the name of a business man of that city among the advertisements left the office in disgust. Any man who pretends to do business should at least keep his name and business in the papers.

Eastern baseball reporters have some great terms. A man caught in a trance, was touched off his base while running; the dead head is the fellow who goes to first on four balls, likewise the man with a free pass; the pilferer is the base stealer; the fellow who lands a tally scores; a ball nabbed or gathered in is caught.

The East Oregonian knows what it is talking about when it says: The people who want a Fourth of July celebration should go to the trouble of arranging for one. It cannot be obtained in any other way. Contributions to the extent of $800 to $1000 are the first requisites. To get together the necessary amount of money with which to meet the expenses will be more difficult than spending it.

From the Hillsboro Argus:

If there are any veteran soldiers who are deserving of pensions it is that surviving body of Indian war veterans which fought the pioneer battles of our western commonwealth. These men are now growing old and some are nearly destitute. Their warfare was of the nature that required constant vigil and ever present hardship. Our Oregan delegation should press this affair before congress and do all in its power to get a special bill through for the relief of our Indian war veterans.

From the Salem Journal:

The Riddle Mite asks a poser: We wish some of our free silver exchanges would give us a reasonable idea of what they think would be the condition of affairs at present had W. J. Bryan been elected president, and free silver senators and representatives instead of Republicans?" The argument used against Bryan's election was that the United States would be flooded with fifty cent dollars and all the silver of the world would be dumped upon us, and that gold would leave the country. Of course it would be merely speculation to answer the Riddle Mite question, but we will ask the Mite to tell the people if the condition of affairs is what it was pictured it would be if Bryan was defeated?

Among the dispatches yesterday was the following: "H. B. Chamberlain, of Denver, Colo., was killed while bicycling near Strains yesterday. Chamberlain was formerly president of the Chamberlain Investment Company, Denver, and connected with several New York insurance companies." Thereby hangs a tale of interest, at least to the DEMOCRAT. A schoolmate of the DEMOCRAT man a few years ago was secretary of the Buffalo Y. M. C. A. which he served successfully several years. Mr. Chamberlain became acquainted with him and admiring him induced him to leave the Y. M. C. A. and accept an important position in the Chamberlain Investment Co. He had hardly gotten settled in his new position when the collapse of 1893 came and the Chamberlain Investment Company went down and John S. lost his job. One of the ups and downs of life.

The Post tells of another crank bill which will not pass: Representative Jones, of Washington, yesterday introduced a bill which provides that hereafter no newspaper shall be carried in the mails unless the name of the proprietor or the names of all stockholders are placed conspicuously at the head of the first or editorial page, with the number of shares they own. The bill also provides that the name of the writer of each editorial shall be appointed thereto. Mr. Jones says that he has a twofold reason in presenting the bill. In the first place, he thinks that the writer ought to get reputation for his work, which is now anonymous. In the second place, he says, the editorial writer, under the present system, lacks responsibility and becomes a simple writing machine for his employer, irrespective of his own honest convictions. "Consequently," said Mr. Jones, "the reading public is losing all confidence in the great papers to which they were wont to go for their information and argument. I believe that the reading public has a right to know the sources of the editorial literature which they read and the influences that dictate such utterances. I think that my bill," added Mr. Jones, will commend itself to a majority of the House."

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Over 60,000.

Over sixty thousand prescriptions can be seen on file at Burkhart & Lee's drug store They make a speciality of compounding all physicians perscriptions, using but one grade of drugs, the best. They are careful, try them.

Canned wild blackberries in one and two quart jars, cheap at

C E BROWNELL'S.

MISFITS.

A tramp bicycle cleaner was in the city. It was high time that he appeared.

The Eversweats beat the Neversweats of Roseburg 32 to 21. The Eversweats enjoyed perspiring so much one man played the three fields.

A young man claiming to be a member of several different churches and all kinds of things, was in the city Saturday and Sunday taking up collections to help him to get to Portland. He was the prince of liars,

Now is the time to let the eastern world know about Oregon, the land of never failing crops. Our local prospects are excellent and we should take hold of the plow and push ahead.

From the Minneapolis Times:

The other night the Sioux Falls lodge of Elks initiated a candidate who weighed 468 pounds. The goat is now in the hands of the veterinarian.

A tramp doesn't understand American ways. At Chico he was arrested for getting on a train and at Ashland he was threatened with arrest if he didn't get on the train.

B. S. Pague, the weather prophet, last Saturday predicted fine weather for Sunday. On Sunday he got on his bicycle regardless of the threatening weather and the result was a soaking.

The great Tacoma Ledger has been struck by the tidal wave of prosperity and is now floundering in the hands of a receiver. It is the oldest paper in Tacoma, starting when Tacoma was a small town.

A Portland paper very kindly and sympathisingly consoles Salem over the loss of an extra session of the legislature by stating that there will be a horse race there this fall. Brace up, don't get down in the mouth.

A remarkable case comes from Portland, a newspaper man assisted a destitute family and was commended by the editor of another paper through his columns. The world is certainly growing better.

The Eugene Guard continues to keep its readers enlightened about President Chapman. It says that out of his present $3000 job he would probably get $300 and be over paid. This is putting it too low. He would get more than $300.

The Budget, of Astoria, boasts as follows: Astoria elected the first free silver delegates to the state convention; Astoria had the first Bryan Silver Club and the Budget was the first paper in Oregon that hoisted the free silver colors to its masthead. Bryan should come to Astoria when he comes to Oregon.

Because the State University base ball team beat the Albany boys the Albany Democrat opines the Eugene boys will not be in it when they play Monmouth. We predict the Moumouth boys will be aware they have been chasing the ball at the close of the game.—Eugene Guard. Not Monmouth, but McMinnville. The DEMOCRAT predicts a victory of 5 to 1 against the U. of O. without naming the size of the score.

Everybody now knows about the odd experience of the Turks and Greeks. Both armies started to retreat, when the Turks discovered the fact and turned defeat into victory. General Grant told of an experience that is a reminder of this. In the early part of the war he was approaching the enemy over a hill and trembled in his boots, in fact nearly had war fright and even contemplated retreat. Finally he plucked up courage and reconnoitering found that the enemy were also trembling in their boots and had already retreated. He learned a lesson from the incident and never afterwards felt any fright.

The Washington Post gives an eastern man the following recommendation for the office once held by an Albany man, O. T. Porter:

State Senator Tom P. Davies, of Fayette County, W. Va., who was seen at the Ebbitt, wants to be United States Marshal for the territory of Alaska, and he makes no bones of announcing his candidacy. The Senator is without doubt a man of the people, and he has done no little service for the republican party in the Mountain State. He has wielded a pick as a common laborer in the coal mines, and it was probably his strong hold on the miners that caused him to win the senatorship last fall by a 550 majority in a district which the opposition usually carries by over 2,000.

THE O. A. C. CONTESTS.—In the field day contests at Corvallis the events were as follows: Half-mile run, Burnett, 3.05. Hundred-yard dash, Crawford, 0:10 2-5. Mile walk, Johnson, 9:27. Two-hundred-and-twenty-yard hurdle, McBride, 0.31 Four-hundred-and-forty yard run, Stites, Medley and Saunders; time, 1:22. Mile run, Stimpson, 5:13. Two-hundred-and-twenty-yard dash, Kelly, 0:24 1-5. One-hundred-and-twenty-yard hurdle, Kelly, 0:20. Two mile bicycle race, Kruse, 5:43. Hammer throw, Bodine, 103 feet, 8 inches. Shot put, Terrell, 33 feet 8 inches. Broad jump, Osburn, 18 feet 5 inches. Pole-vault, Stimpson, 8 feet 2 inches.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Being Settled

LONDON, May 18.—The harmony of the European press on the subject of the conditions of peace is remarkable. The semi-official papers, the Times, the Novoe Vermya, Temps, North German Gazzette and Fremdemblatt, are as one in the vigerous terms in which they denounce Turkey's pretenstions.

Now the only obstacle to a speedy armistice is removed by Germany, which temporarily blocked the negotiations. She has instructed her ammassador at Constantinople, to join the other ambassadors in pressing upon the porte the necessity of agreeing on an armstice.

Cuba again

WASHINGTON May 18.—Cuba again occupied the foreground to day. It drew large to the galleries, and brought out two notable speeches the one by Mason in favor of the Morgan resolution, and the other by Hoar in opposition to it. The Illnois senator pictured in fervid terms the distres in Cuba, dwelling particularly on the starving condition of 800 United States citizens, as reported by the prestrent, and called upon the senate to throw off its lethargy

The Turks in Domokos

CONSTANTINOPLE May 18.—It is officially announced that the Turks occupied Domokos last evening after a great battle It is expected the announcement of the cessation of hostilities will be published before long.

Judge Morrow the Man

WSHINGTON, May 18,—The president today sent out the following nominations to the senate:

William W. Morrow of California to be United States circuit judge for the ninth judical district. Samuel C Morse of Washington Indian agent at Neah bay agency, Washington.

China Woman Murdered

PORTLAND May 18.—Tai Hi a Chinese woman was murdered in her room, in a Chinese lodging-house, on the corner of Second and Pine streets, this morning Evidently by Mun Yim, a cook. The murderer has thus far succeeded in avading arrest, but the police are confident that they will have him within a few days.

Anti-Scalpers Bill Signed

ALBANY N. Y. May 18 — Governor Black, today signed the so-called anti scalpers bill. It absolutely prohibits the selling of railroad and steamboat tickets in this state except by agents authorized to make such sales, and then they shall sell tickets only in towns where their written authority gives them permission to make sales.

The Grecian War

DOMOKOS May, 17.—4 p. m.—The Turkish attack on the Greek right wing began at 2 p. m. but the flank attacks are considered to be feints, and it is believed the main attacks of the Turks will be made on the Greek center, where Crown Prince Constantine is in command. Two Greek cannon are doing great execution on the principal Turkish column, which is advancing through the hills.

The Turkish infantry at several points is in contact with the Greeks The attack on General Smolenski, near Almyros is only a strategic operation, and the Turks will endeavor to cut between the two Greek armies occupy the road leading to the Othery mountains and thus cut off the retreat of the Crown Prince.

Crazy as Ever

NEW YORK May 17.—George Francis Train has reopened his claim to the city of Omaha, and he intends to press it to the last. If he wins he will be worth $20,000,000 if he looses he will be no poorer than he is now. Certain of his friends have investigated the matter, and they are convinced that his cause is just and that the claim growing out of the old Union Pacific litigation and subsequent proceedings in which he was legally declared a lunatic is valid.

California Crops.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—Special reports to the Associated Press tonight from the principal fruit and grain centers of the state announce a general rainfall, which in a few cases has injured the hay crop and in other sections has come too late in the season to be beneficial, but in general has been of more advantage than injury. Prunes and almonds seem to have suffered from the long drought, and the hot winds, which blighted the buds. Pears and peaches indicate a large yield. The wheat crop will be generally light.

The Corbett Case

WASHINGTON May 17.—The senate committee on privileges and elections will meet tomorrow and take up the Oregon case. Mr. Corbet who holds the commission of Governor, expects that the committee will make a favorable report on the question, seating him.

A Turkish Victory.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 17.—Osman Pasha telegraphs from Lourcs, Epiras, that after a desperate battle near Arta, Saturday, the Greeks retired to Arta with a loss of 2000 men killed. The Turks had 250 killed and 47 wounded.

Cuban Memorial

NEW YORK May, 17.—Firms and individuals in the country interested in trade with Cuba, and who desire peace in the island as soon as possible, sent to secretary of state a memorial, setting forth how their business interests are suffering, and giving facts about the struggle in Cuba, in the hope that measures may be devised to terminate the was.

Turkey's Demands

CONSTANTINOPLE, May, 16.—The porte has replied officially to the note of the powers, and declines to agree to an armistice until the following conditions are accepted:

The annexation of Thessaly; an indemnity of £10,000,000 Turkish, and the abolition of the capitulations

The port proposes that plenipotentiarties of the powers should meet at Pharsala to discuss the terms of peace, and declares that if these conditions are declined the Turkish army will continue to advance.

Foolish Tailors.

NEW YORK, May, 16.—The Brotherhood of Tailors, with a membership of over 30,000, decided today to strike. The leader of the organization, including Jose Barrondes and Mayer Schoenfeldt, counceled against a strike, but the majority of the workers insisted upon it, and committees of the brotherhoods of tailors children's jacket-makers, knee pants makers, progressive tailors, vestmakers and overcoat and sack coat makers were sent out to give notice to quit work.

A General Assembly

PHILADELPHIA, May, 16.—The 109th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States will meet at Winona assembly grounds, Ind. May 20, and will probably continue in session until May 31. The delegates will be composed of about 600 delegates, one half of them ministers, and the other half ruling elders.

Important Change.

PORTLAND, May 16.—The most important change that has been made in the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company since its reorganization will be made at the meeting of the executive committee in New York today, when Mr. A. L. Mohler, of Minneapolis, now general manager of the Minneapolis & St. Louis, will be made vice president and manager. This will relieve President McNeill of the duties of manager, which he has assumed temporarily since his election to the presidency of the road.

Caused by Gambling.

LA GRANDE, Or., May, 16—J. M. Irion tanner and furrier, committed suicide last night by hanging himself in his place of business Island City. He was addicted to drink and gamboling, and last evenidg lost heavily at La Grand. He became morose and went home and hanged himself. He used a small piece of ordinary baling rope scarcely strong enough to support his weight.

Lane County Style.

SPOKANE May, 16.—Harry Welch, one of a picnic party near Deer Park 26 miles north, while getting over a log with a winchester rille, was killed by the accidental discharge of the gun. The bullet entered his bowels and ranged upward. He lived only a few minutes. He was an employe of a sawmill at Deer Park.

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SAM JONES.

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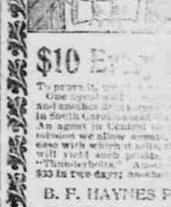

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LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY OR
April 27th, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the approved fractional plat of survey of Town ship 13 south, range 8 east has been received from the surveyor general of Oregon, and on June 3rd, 1897, at 9 o'clock, a m, of said date, said plat will be filed in this office, and the land therein embraced will be subject to entry on and after said date.

ROBERT A MILLER, Register.
WM GALLOWAY Receiver

FOR RENT OR SALE.—Good farm 173 acres, 6 miles from Albany. Enquire of H F McIlwain, Albany Or.

FOR RENT.—In McIlwain's brick block good store room, 8 good office rooms. Enquire of H F McIlwain.

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FOR RENT.—Six room house in upper ward for rent at $4.00 per month. Inquire of G. W. Wright.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Linn county, department No. 2, all claims against the Albany Woolen Mill Co, a corporation, that have not already been presented to the undersigned receiver or filed with the clerk of said court, are required to be presented to the undersigned receiver within three months from the date hereof, duly verified, as by law required. And that objections to claims against said Albany Woolen Mills Co, if any there be, be filed with the clerk of said court within three months from the expiration of the time allowed by law for the presentation of said claims, as above mentioned.

Dated April 12, 1897. By order of the court. L FLINN. Receiver.

WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR WOMEN TO travel for responsible established house in Oregon. Salary $780 and expenses. Position permanent. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National, Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

F M MITCHELL continues to act as agent for the Pacific School Desk and Furniture Co., of Portland. Orders sent to him at Albany, Or., will be promptly attended to.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court State of Oregon, for Linn County:

Department No. 2.

C C Jackson, Plaintiff,
vs
Sarah J Moore, Mary J Yarbrough, David W Yarbrough, Howard W Yarbrough, Pemly M J Yarbrough, Geo W Yarbrough, Thos J Yarbrough, and Lewis Yarbrough. Defendents.

To Sarah J Moore, Mary J Yarbrough, David W Yarbrough, Howard W Yarbrough, Pemly M J Yarbrough, Geo W Yarbrough, Thomas J Yarbrough and Lewis Yarbrough, the defendants above named:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled court on the first day of the next regular term thereof, on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1897, to answer the complaint of the plaintiff above named now on file in said court in said cause, and you and each of you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer to said complaint as hereby required the plaintiff will apply to said court for judgment against you as prayed for in his said complaint, towit:—For a decree of said court declaring plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of all the following described real property, towit:

Beginning at a point 32.72 chains S and 57.19 chains W of the N E corner of claim No. 49 in Tp 14, S R 4 w of the Willamette Meridian, running thence S 7 chains, thence w 4 28 chains, thence N 7 chains, thence E 4 28 chains, containing 3 acres more or less, in Linn county, Oregon.

Also beginning at a point on the east boundary line of the D L C of Thos J Yarbrough and wife, Not. No. 2184, claim No. 49 in Tp 14 S R 4 w, and claim No. 66 in Tp 14 S R 5 w of Willamette Mer., which is 39.72 chains S of the N E corner of said D L C, and running thence w 61.47 chains, thence N 7 chains, thence w 4.19½ chains, thence S 25 degrees w 16 chains, thence S 28 degrees 30 minutes w 4.24 chains, thence east 8 89 chains, thence S 22 degrees 45 minutes E 7 chains, thence S 12 degrees 30 minutes E 9.70 chains, thence north 63 degrees 30 minutes E 13.16 chains, thence N 70 degrees E 8.80 chains, thence S 79 degrees E 4.90 chains, thence S 65 degrees E 13.20 chains, thence south 56 degrees E 12 60 chains, thence N 87 degrees E 6.30 chains, thence south 78 degrees E 5 30 chains, thence S 57 degrees 30 minutes E 3 16 chains, more or less, to a point due south of the place of beginning, thence north 34.52 chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 194 69-100 acres in Linn county, Oregon.

And forever barring and enjoining said defendants and each of them from claiming or asserting any right or title in or to said lands, or any part thereof; correcting the erroneous description thereof contained in a certain deed executed and delivered by Thos J Yarbrough and Sarah J Yarbrough, his wife, to one Wm Landreth, so as to conform to the true description of said lands as above set out, and removing the cloud from plaintiff's title to said lands.

This summons is published by order of the Hon B H Hewitt, judge of the above entitled court, made at chambers in Albany Oregon, this 23rd day of March, 1897.

ELKINS & CANNON, Att'ys for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the county of Linn.

J Gurney Fowler and W J Caesar, plaintiffs
vs
W G Morgan, as administrator of the estate of Thomas Morgan deceased; James W Morgan as administrator of the estate of Lydia Morgan deceased; Mary Ann Gray, Frank Gray her husband; Agnes McNeil, John McNeil her husband; John N Morgan, Ruth Morgan his wife; James W Morgan, Morgan his wife; W G Morgan, Morgan his wife; Jane Morgan, E A Morgan, Morgan his wife; Margaret Duncan, Duncan her husband; G L Stryder and Hattie J Stryder; Linn Co. National Bank, (a corporation) W H Gratta, A Bush, Trustee; First National Bank, (a corporation) and Milton Hale, Defendants.

To John N Morgan and Ruth Morgan, his wife, and Margaret Duncan and Duncan, her husband. Defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, by the first day of the next term of this court following the expiration of said summons, towit: by the 4th Monday in June, 1897; being the 28th day of said month; and if you fail so to appear to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint filed against you herein, towit: For a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage executed by one Thomas Morgan and Lydia Morgan, his wife, (both deceased) to the Jarvis-Conklin Mortgage Trust Company, to secure the payment of $1625, with interest, and the further sum of $100 attorneys fees. Said mortgage being upon real estate situate in the county of Linn, state of Oregon, and particularly bounded and described as follows, towit:

The W ½ of the D L C of David W Allingham; situated in Sections 33 and 34, Tp 13, South, Range 4, W W M, containing 159 acres more or less.

And directing sale of said property in the manner provided by law and application of the proceeds thereof on to payment of the claim of the plaintiffs herein, including costs, disbursements of suit and attorney's fees

This summons is published by order of the Honorable H H Hewitt, judge of said court.

Made and dated on the 24th day of February, 1897.

GEO W HAZEN & MONTANYE & HACKLEMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned the executor of the last will and testament of E R Cheadle, deceased, will in pursuance of an order of the county court of Linn county, Oregon, from and after Friday the 21st day of May, 1897, proceed to sell the following described real property belonging to said estate at private sale, towit:

The E ½ of the southwest ¼ of block 47 in Hackleman's 2nd addition to the city of Albany in Linn county Oregon. Also beginning at a point in the south boundary line of block one in the Eastern Addition to the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, equally distant from the S E and S W corners of said block and thence northerly parallel with Baker street in said city of Albany, 100 feet, thence easterly parallel with First street in said city 45 feet, thence southerly parallel with Baker street therein to the south boundary of said block one, thence westerly on the south boundary of said block one to the place of beginning. Also all of the S E ¼ of block one in Eastern Addition to the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, excepting 45 feet heretofore sold off the west side, the part to be sold being 100 feet long north and south and eighty seven feet more or less east and west.

Also the south half of lot two in Block seventeen in Hackleman's 3d addition to said city of Albany, to division line of said lot to be run parall