Notice of the Application of W. B. Lawler for a United States Patent.

APPLICATION NO 3.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Nov. 4, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of chapter 6 of title 32, of the Revised Statutes of the United States, W. B. Lawler, whose postoffice address is Albany, Linn county, Oregon, claiming 238.838 acres of placer ground, containing gold, lying and being situated within the Quartzville mining district, No. 3, county of Linn and state of Oregon, has made application to the United States for a patent for the Lawler Consolidated Placer Mining Claim, consisting of the Bed Rock placer claim, comprising 119.666 acres; the Lawler placer claim, comprising 11.279 acres, and Coarse gold placer claim, comprising 107.893 acres, which said claims are more fully described as to metes and bounds by the official plat herewith posted, and by the field notes of survey thereof, now filed in the office of the register of the United States land office at Oregon City, which field notes of survey describe the boundaries and extent of said claims on the surface with magnetic variation at 19 to 22 deg. 20 min. E., as follows, to wit:

Bed Rock Placer.

Beginning at corner No. 1, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 1—328; whence U. S. M. M. No. 1 bears S. 37 deg. 34 min. W. 1840.3 feet. A hemlock tree blazed and scribed 1—328 BT, about 16 inches in diameter, bears N. 23 deg. 45 min. W. 36.2 feet, and a hemlock tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 1—328 BT, bears S. 16 deg. E., 15.7 feet; thence N. 15 deg. 18 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 946 feet to corner No. 2, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with a mound of stone scribed 2—328; whence a hemlock tree 6 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 2—328 BT, bears S. 7 deg. 30 min. W. 13.4 feet, and a hemlock tree 20 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 2—328 BT, bears N. 27 deg. 40 min. W. 18.7 feet; thence N. 74 deg. 43 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 62.3 feet to corner No. 3, A hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 3—328; whence a hemlock tree 30 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 3—328 BT, bears N. 36 deg. 30 min. W. 7.1 feet, and a hemlock tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 3—328 BT, bears S. 53 deg. 25 min. W. 16.1 feet; thence N. 38 deg. 23 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 244 feet to corner No. 4. A hemlock tree cut off 3½ feet above the ground, hewed 6 inches square, with mound of stones scribed 4—328; whence a hemlock tree 18 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears N. 11 deg. 10 min. W. 29.4 feet, and a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears S. 46 deg. W. 5.4 feet; thence N. 46 deg. 55 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 150 feet. Wagon road running easterly and westerly 380 feet; dry gulch running westerly 480.4 feet to corner No. 5, a hewed cedar post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 5—328; whence a fir tree 4 feet in diameter, blazed and scribed 5—328 BT, bears S. 25 deg. 30 min. W. 17.4 feet, and a hemlok tree 14 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 5—328 BT, bears N. 58 deg. 25 min. E. 10.6 feet; thence S. 74 deg. 08 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 574.6 feet to corner No. 6, a hewed hemlock post, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 6—328; whence a hemlock tree 14 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 6—328 BT, bears S. 88 deg. 30 min. W. 15.4 feet, and a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 6—328 BT, bears N. 84 deg. E. 19.3 feet; thence S. 15 deg. 20 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 46 feet to corner No. 7, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 7—328; whence a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 7—328 BT, bears S. 23 deg. 50 min. W. 17.4 feet, and a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 7—328 BT, bears S. 55 deg. 15 min. E. 8 feet; thence N. 80 deg. 20 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 758.2 feet, to corner No. 8, a hewed pine post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 8—328; whence a hemlock tree 10 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 8—328 BT, bears N. 46 deg. 45 min. W. 72 feet, and a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 8—328 BT, bears N. 16 deg. 20 min. W. 7.6 feet; thence S. 76 deg. 34 min. W., variation 20 deg. 10 min. E., 481.7 feet to corner No. 9, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 9—328; whence a hemlock tree 42 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 9—328 BT, bears N. 53 deg. 40 min. W. 21 feet, and a hemlock tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 9—328 BT, bears S. 26 deg. 40 min. E. 13.8 feet; thence N. 13 deg. 50 min. W., variation 20 deg. 10 min. E., 290 feet. Gulch runs southwesterly 1480 feet to corner No. 10, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 10—328; whence a yew tree 7 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 10—328 BT, bears S. 36 deg. 10 min. W. 10.9 feet, and a hemlock tree 18 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 10—328 BT, bears N. 17 deg. W. 32.5 feet; thence S. 76 deg. 05 min. W., variation 20 deg. 10 min. E., 57 feet. Gulch runs southerly 297 feet to corner No. 11, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 11—328; whence a fir tree 26 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 11—328 BT, bears S. 14 deg. E. 17.5 feet, and a fir tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 11—328 BT, bears S. 74 deg. 10 min. W. 4.6 feet; thence S. 30 deg. 48 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 705 feet; summit of ridge running northerly and southerly 841 feet to corner No. 12, a hewed fir post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 12—328; whence a fir tree 14 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 12—328 BT, bears S. 43 deg. 15 min. W. 12.9 feet; thence S. 75 deg. 38 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 153 feet; Spring gulch runs southerly 296 feet to corner No. 13, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 13—328; whence a hemlock tree 42 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 13—328 BT, bears S. 61 deg. 10 min. W. 10.4 feet, and a fir tree 4 feet in diameter, blazed and scribed 13—328 BT, bears N. 49 deg. 50 min. W. 10 feet; thence S. 13 deg. 19 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 878 feet to corner No. 14, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 14—328; whence a fir tree 4½ feet in diameter, blazed and scribed 14—328 BT, bears N. 4 deg. 25 min. E. 10.3 feet, and a hemlock hemlock tree 30 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 15—328 BT, bears S. 86 deg. 50 min. W. 13.1 feet, and a hemlock tree 14 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 15—328 BT, bears S. 56 deg. 20 inches E. 8.4 feet; thence N. 13 deg. 32 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 288 feet, to corner No. 16, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 16—328; whence a fir tree 4½ feet in diameter, blazed and scribed 16—328 BT, bears S. 82 deg. 30 min. E. 4.6 feet, and a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 16—328 BT, bears S. 10 deg. 10 min. W. 14.7 feet; thence S. 76 deg. 47 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 1494.5 feet to corner No. 17, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 17—2—328; whence a hemlock tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 17—2—328 BT, bears S. 26 deg. W. 18.3 feet, and a hemlock tree 10 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 17—2—328 BT, bears N. 17 deg. 05 min. W. 26.6 feet; thence S. 13 deg. 47 min. S., variation 19 deg. E., 213 feet; wagon road running easterly and westerly 590 feet; dry gulch runs westerly 1193.6 feet to corner No. 18, a hewed hemlock tree 12 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 14—328 BT, bears S. 27 deg. 40 min. E. 24.3 feet; thence 78 deg. 19 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 668.3 feet to corner No. 19, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 15—328; whence a post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 18—328; whence a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 18—1—328 BT, bears N. 9 deg. 20 min. W. 23 feet, and a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 18—1—328 BT, bears S. 8 deg. E. 6.5 feet; thence N. 73 deg. 37 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E. 1098 feet to corner No. 19, identical with corner No. 3 of survey No. 325, Gold Gulch lode, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of earth and stones scribed 19—328; whence a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 19—328 BT, bears S. 65 deg. 25 min. E. 12.5 feet, and a hemlock tree 8 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 19—328 BT, bears S. 10 deg. W. 18 feet; thence N. 58 deg. 25 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 355 feet; gulch runs northwesterly 534.8 feet, to corner No. 20, identical with corner No. 4 of survey No. 325, Gold Gulch lode, and corner No. 5 of Red Bull lode, same survey, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 20—328; whence a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 20—328 BT, bears N. 56 deg. 10 min. E. 20.3 feet, and a hemlock tree 42 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 20—328 BT, bears N. 85 deg. 45 min. W. 32.7 feet; thence N. 56 deg. 56 min. E., variation 19 deg. 35 min. E., 602 feet, to corner No. 21, identical with corner No. 6 of survey, No. 325 Red Bull lode, a sawed fir post 6x6 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 21—328; whence the center of a shaft 4x7 inches by 120 feet deep bears N. 53 deg. 1 min. W. 81 feet. The westerly corner of the office building of Lawler Gold Mine, Limited, bears N. 54 deg. 23 min. E. 113.6 feet; a hemlock stump 24 inches in diameter and 3½ feet high, blazed and scribed 21—328 BT, bears N. 7 deg. 10 min. W. 31.4 feet, and a hemlock tree 10 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 21—328 BT, bears S. 21 deg. 30 min. E. 27.3 feet; thence S. 38 deg. .02 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 132.1 feet to corner No. 22, on line 6—1 of survey No. 325, Red Bull lode, a hewed fir post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 22—2—328. A hemlock tree 20 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 22—2—328 BT, bears S. 22 deg. 25 min. W. 14.5 feet distant, and a hemlock stump 30 inches in diameter and 3 feet high, blazed and scribed 22—2—328 BT, bears S. 48 deg. 40 min. E. 13 feet; thence N. 76 deg. 25 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 516.4 feet, to corner No. 3, Lawler Placer, this survey on line 740 feet; wagon road running easterly and westerly 822 feet; gulch runs northwesterly 1110 feet; wagon road runs northeasterly and southwesterly 1242 feet; mouth of Elk tunnel, running southeasterly 12 feet, left at right angles 2021.1 feet, to corner No. 23, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 23—328; whence a hemlock tree 22 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 23—328 BT, bears S. 62 deg. E. 8.1 feet, and a hemlock tree 18 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 23—328 BT, bears N. 24 deg. 40 min. W. 11.4 feet; thence S. 15 deg. 20 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 653 feet, to corner No. 24, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 24—328. The mouth of Bullion tunnel, running southwesterly, bears N. 70 deg. 50 min. E. 101.5 feet; a hemlock tree 8 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 24—328 BT, bears S. 75 deg. 10 min. E. 15 feet, and a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 24—328 BT, bears S. 65 deg. 30 min. W. 12.2 feet; thence S. 60 deg. 35 min. E., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E. 480 feet; Gassey gulch, a stream 2 feet wide, flows northerly 562 feet, to corner No. 1 of place of beginning.

Lawler Placer.

Beginning at corner No. 1, identical with corner No. 1, survey No. 325, Red Bull lode, and corner No. 3, survey No. 325, Gold Back lode, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 1—328, U. S. M. M. No. 1, bears S. 39 deg. 43 min. E. 1127.4 feet distant; a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 1—328 BT, bears N. 64 deg. 30 min. W. 55.4 feet, and a fir tree 20 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 1—328 BT, bears S. 61 deg. 20 min. E. 50.7 feet distant; thence N. 38 deg. .02 min. W., variation 20 deg. 10 min. E., 1286.1 feet to corner No. 2, identical with corner No. 22 of Bed Rock placer, this survey, and on line 6—1 of survey No. 325, Red Bull lode; thence N. 76 deg. 25 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 516.4 feet, to corner No. 3, on line 22—23 of Bed Rock placer, this survey, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 3—328; whence a fir stump 14 inches in diameter and 3½ feet high, blazed and scribed 3—328 BS, bears S. 25 deg. 25 min. W. 27 feet distant, and a fir stump 24 inches in diameter and 3 feet high, blazed and scribed 3—328 BT, bears S. 53 deg. 40 min. W. 38 feet distant; thence S. 39 deg. 50 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 1128.4 feet to corner No. 4, identical with corner No. 4 of survey No. 325, Gold Back lode, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 4—328; whence a fir tree 22 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears N. 15 deg. E. 14.8 feet, and fir tree 20 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears S. 13 deg. 10 min. E. 9.8 feet distant; thence S. 58 deg. 25 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 150 feet; gulch running northwesterly 330.8 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning.

Coarse Gold Placer.

Beginning at corner No. 1, identical with corner No. 18 of Bed Rock Placer, this survey, U. S. M. M. No. 1, bears S. 63 deg. 30 min. E. 3766.8 feet distant; thence N. 13 deg. 47 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 1193.6 feet, to corner No. 2, identical with corner No. 17 of Bed Rock placer, this survey; thence N. 51 deg. 42 min. W., variation 19 deg. E. 1060 feet, to corner No. 3, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 3—328; whence a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 3—328 BT, bears N. 75 deg. 20 min. W. 14.4 feet distant, and a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 3—328 BT, bears S. 38 deg. 20 min. E. 17 feet distant; thence N. 48 deg. 32 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 1438 feet to corner No. 4, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 4—328; whence a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears N. 56 deg. 25 min. W. 4.7 feet, and a hemlock tree 8 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 4—328 BT, bears S. 9 deg. 35 min. W. 3.3 feet; thence N. 59 deg. 49 min. W., variation 19 deg. 50 min. E., 77 feet; gulch running southwesterly 326 feet; gulch running southwesterly 806 feet, to corner No. 5, a hewed cedar post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of earth scribed 5—328; whence a cedar tree 8 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 5—328 BT, bears N. 14 deg. 15 min. W. 13 feet, and a fir tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 5—328 BT, bears S. 83 deg. 35 min. W. 3.6 feet; thence S. 52 deg. 50 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 383 feet to corner No. 6, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 6—328; whence a fir tree 30 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 6—328 BT, bears N. 8 deg. 35 min. E. 17.6 feet, and a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 6—328 BT, bears S. 21 deg. 20 min. W. 5.1 feet; thence N. 26 deg. W., variation 20 deg. E., 846.5 feet to corner No. 7, a hewed melock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of earth scribed 7—328; whence a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 7—328 BT, bears S. 10 deg. 20 min. W. 19.7 feet, and a fir tree 42 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 7—328 BT, bears N. 51 deg. 30 min. W. 4.8 feet; thence N. 81 deg. 51 min. W., variation 20 deg. E., 196 feet; dry gulch 4 feet wide flows northwesterly 241 feet; wagon road running northwesterly and southeasterly 547 feet to corner No. 8, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 8—328. The southeasterly corner of a log building known as the Bryan City hotel, bears N. 5 deg. 57 min. E. 339 feet distant; a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 8—328 BT, bears N. 40 deg. 35 min. W. 19.5 feet, and a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 8—328 BT, bears S. 73 deg. 15 min. W. 18.8 feet; thence S. 26 deg. .04 min. E., variation 22 deg. 20 min. E., 1335.6 feet, to corner No. 9, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 9—328; whence a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 9—328 BT bears S. 87 deg. 45 min. E. 18.4 feet, and a hemlock tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 9—328 BT, bears N. 85 deg. 40 min. W. 6.3 feet; thence S. 52 deg. 18 min. W., variation 20 deg. 15 min. E., 149 feet, to corner No. 10, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 10—328; whence a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 10—328 BT, bears S. 63 deg. 50 min. W. 20.8 feet, and another hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 10—328 BT, bears N. 42 deg. 20 min. E. 21.3 feet; thence S. 46 deg. 26 min. E., variation 20 deg. 15 min. E., 755.2 feet, to corner No. 11, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 11—328; whence a fir tree 43 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 11—328 BT, bears S. 40 deg. 15 min. E. 31.5 feet, and a fir tree 18 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 11—328 BT, bears N. 36 deg. 50 min. W. 20.2 feet; thence S. 48 deg. 59 min. E., variation 20 deg. E., 554 feet; gulch running northerly 1478.7 feet to corner No. 12, a hewed hemlock post 4x4 inches by 4 feet long, set 18 inches in the ground, with mound of stones scribed 12—328; whence a fir tree 36 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 12—328 BT, bears N. 77 deg. 15 min. W. 31.5 feet, and a hemlock tree 24 inches in diameter, blazed and scribed 12—328 BT, bears N. 7 deg. 30 min. W. 31.7 feet; thence S. 61 deg. 41 min. E., variation 20 deg. E. 784 feet; gulch running northerly 2350 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning.

Area.

Total area of Bed Rock placer, 119.666 acres.

Total area of Lawler placer, 11.279 acres.

Total area of Coarse Gold placer, 107.893 acres.

Total area of claim, 238.838 acres.

The Bed Rock placer claim is of record in the office of the county clerk of said county of Linn, state of Oregon, at page 222 of volume 4, of Mining Records of said county. It is bounded on the southwest by the Coarse Gold placer claim; on the southeast by the Lawler placer claim, the Red Bull lode claim and the Gold Gulch lode claim, and otherwise by unsurveyed government land. There are no conflicting claims to the knowledge of applicant.

The Lawler placer claim is of record in the office of the county clerk of said county of Linn, state of Oregon, at page 305 of volume 4, of Mining Records of said county. It is bounded on the southeast by the Gold Back lode claim; on the southwest by the Red Bull lode claim; on the northwest by the Bed Rock placer claim, and on the northeast by unsurveyed government land. There are no conflicting claims to the knowledge of applicant.

The Coarse Gold placer is of record in the office of the county clerk of said county of Linn, state of Oregon, at page 224 of volume 4, of Mining Records of said county. It is bounded on the northeast by the Bed Rock placer claim and otherwise by unsurveyed government land. There are no conflicting claims to the knowledge of applicant.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground and premises or any portion thereof so described, surveyed, platted and applied for, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed as according to law and the regulations thereunder, within 60 days from the date hereof, with the register of the United States land office at Oregon City, Or., they will be barred in virtue of the provisions of said statute.

CHARLES B. MOORES,
Register.

MONDAY.

Death of T. S. Pillsbury.

Mr. T. S. Pillsbury, one of Brownsville's leading citizens, died at that city last Sunday evening, at the age of sixty years.

He had been a jeweler for a good many years, but left that business and recently was engaged in the hotel business. He was at one time mayor of Brownsville, and bore an excellent reputation as a citizen and in private life.

L. O. T. M. Entertainment.

You will get your money's worth if you attend the entertainment Friday evening, Dec. 29th, at the K. O. T. M. hall. Statuary posing, illustrated songs, two act drama, laughable farce, recitations, Christmas tree, hot doughnuts and coffee. All for 10 cents.

Miss McGee of Brownsville is visiting Albany friends.

The Drs. Beers, of Wasco, are visiting their many Albany friends.

Miss Mildred Burmester went to Portland this morning on a visit with friends there.

Ex-Sergeant Major Jas. Rentoul was visiting Albany friends recently.

Will Hendren clerk with P. Cohen, left Saturday night for San Francisco to reside.

Miss Maud Crosby, of the Portland schools, spent Christmas with her parents and friends in this city.

Miss Cad Warner of Portland, is visiting with Albany relatives and friends during the holiday season.

Mr. Baynard Montanye of Riparia, where he is engaged in one of the stores, is at home during the holiday season.

Steve Sanford, of Salem, spent Christmas with his friend Mr. O. A. Archibald hunting ducks around Albany.

Mrs. P. Cohen left last Saturday night for San Francisco on a visit with her daughters who reside there.

Mrs. Jay Blain and family will leave for California to join Mr. Blain who is in business there.

Mr. E. B. Piper and family arrived in Albany this noon on a visit with Albany relatives.

Dr. Trimble yesterday was taken dangerously ill with neuralgia of the heart and was in a critical condition for a while but is reported better.

C. E. Sox yesterday returned from a trip to Fargo, N. Dak., on a visit with his uncle Herman Sox, twenty years ago a resident of Albany.

Mr. Ole Tobieson, now an employe of the S. P. in the civil engineer's department, has been in the city on a visit with Albany friends.

A ball was given in the Baltimore block last night by a select company of young people. The fantastic toe was tipped for several hours.

A stated communication of Barzilla No. 16, O. E. S. will be held in the Masonic hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 26, 1899, at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers.

George E. Fish, now with Crane Brothers, of Portland, has been spending Christmas in Albany joining his wife who had been here several days.

Miss Jennie Clayton of Portland, passed through Albany Sunday for Dillard, Douglas county where she will visit relatives during the holiday season. On her return she will visit Albany people and her sister near Corvallis.

Charles Wheeler who has conducted a barber shop on Main street, next to the Electric hotel building, since early last summer, has sold out his entire business interests to C. Earhart, of Portland. Mr. Wheeler has taken a position in a barber shop in Portland.—Portland Telegram.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Hayne, of Hammond, near Fort Stevens, where Mr. Hayne has had a position several years on the government work, returned home today after spending two or three days in Albany on a visit with their many friends her.

Christmas Doings.

Preceeded by one the finest weeks in the history of Oregon Christmas this year was decidedly a success. Albany people did their duty and made the season one of rejoicing for the young people of the city. The festivities of the occasion began Saturday evening with the tree exercises customary in remembrance of the birth of Christ. The Sabbath schools of the city all had their programs.

The character of the decorations and exercises are such that they can only be appreciated by witnessing and hearing them, getting into the spirit of the occasion with the hearts of children.

With so many programs it is impossible to go into details.

There were trees at all the churches. At the Congregational church there were two fine trees, evergreens and a very pleasing program. At the Presbyterian church there was a tree and pretty festoons and other elegant decorations, with a choice program greatly aided by the fine orchestra The decorations at the M. E. church were of a tasty order and the tree was well laden with presents. The program was full of life. The Baptist tree was beautifully lighted with tapers and there was a chimney for Santa Claus to come down, while the prozam was well carried out. The Evangelical S. S had two pretty trees and an excellent program. There was a gala time at the M. E. church south. Besides a fine tree, a good program and a genuine Santa Claus, the exercises were greatly aided by the Jenks quintette, of Tangent. Everything was nice at the Christian church, a pretty tree and some choice music. At the U. P. church there was an immense tree, evergreen festoons and colored lights with a varied program.

At the Catholic church mass was held at midnight Christmas eve attended by a large number. Some fine music was furnished during the night.

At most of the churches the Sabbath services had a line of Christmas thought running through them.

The reception by the Elks at their hall Christmas afternoon was a novel and very commendable affair. It was splendidly carried out and was greatly appreciated by a host of the children of the city. Everything about it was full of life and artistic taste. Games were played and a pretty program presented. The children left with light hearts and nice souvenirs of the affair. A general appreciation of the affair was shown in the large number of people watching proceedings from the outside.

At the G. A. R. hall Christmas night the Ladies of the G. A. R. gave a Christmas entertainment attended by a large number. There was a program including a speech by Commander Torbet and everybody got something on the tree.

GRANGE OFFICERS. — Officers of Harrisburg No 23 P. of H. for the year 1900:

Master, Jessie Romine.
O., Viola Cornet.
L., H. C. Powell.
S., J. J. Barrett.
Chaplain, Lucy Romine.
Treasurer, Z. Worden.
Secretary, J. M. Settle.
G. K., J. Ctem.
F., Harriett Settle.
C., May Powell.
L. A. S., Savilla Powell.
Trustees, M. F. Dawson, Dan McGregor.

Probate court:

In estate of Richard Fox, citation issued.

In estate of John Clyde Fox et al, minors, inventory filed. Value of property, $4400. Petition for allowance for said minors.

In estate of Ben B. Butler, T. J. Butler was appointed administrator. Bond $2,000.

Recorders office:

Deed, Achsah Hearn to Alice Sloan, 1 lot Lebanon ..... $	25
Tax deed, Nettie Harris by sheriff, to D M Jones, 1 lot Sodaville...	2
Mortgage for	200
Chatel mortgage for	200
Mortgage for	100
Chatel mortgage	30
" "	75
Satisfaction chatel mortgage for...	2700

INDOOR BASE BALL.—Next Friday afternoon an all Albany indoor base ball team will go to Salem to play the Y. M. C. A. club in the evening. Stellmacher and Howard will be the battery. A round trip rate has been secured of $1.45 enabling others to go with the boys at a small cost and return on the overland.

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HUTCHENS—McDONALD.—At the M. E. parsonage, Albany, Oregon, Sunday morning, Dec. 24, 1899, Mr. N. W. Hutchens, of McMinnville, Or., and Miss Madge M. McDonald, of Scio, Linn Co., Oregon. Dr. M. C. Wire officiating.

DIED

PAUL.—At her home twelve miles east of Albany, Mrs. W. A. Paul, at the age of 74 years.

The deceased came to Linn county with her husband in 1850 from Missouri, since then residing on the original D. L. C. of her husband. She was the mother of seven children, part of whom only and her husband surviving her. She left an excellent reputation as citizen, neighbor and mother

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The Christmas trade in Portland was reported to have been immense, the best for many years.

A former railroad man of Portland, who had lost his sight, was made a present by the S. P. and employees of a thousand dollar cigar shop stocked and ready for business.

Albany merchants report a good holiday trade. Finer weather for the business could not have been made to order. Let us continue the enterprise and push the winter business. There are other things beside Christmas presents.

Following are the newly elected officers of St John's Lodge, No 62, A. F. & A. M, W. H. Davis, W. M.; A. M. Cannon, S. W.; W E Frazer, J. W; D. P. Mason, Treasurer; J. P. Galbraith, Secretary; W. E. Baker, Tyler.

The tax payers' league of Multnomah has made a careful investigation of the finances of that county and have discovered that during the present year the Oregonian has been paid $33,629.14 for advertising delinquent tax lists for the sheriff. They found that other tax collection costs amounted to a sum sufficient to bring the total up to $62,290.72

The Central and High School boys played a very fast game of foot ball on the college campus Christmas afternoon witnessed by a large crowd of citizens. It was good amateur foot ball. The Central made a touch down after hard work in the first half, and the High school made two in the second half, winning by 11 to 6

In Portland the "champions of Oregon" were defeated by the Multnomahs 11 to 0. The Willamettes played a very good defensive game, but were out played in aggressive work by the Portland men. It is an interesting fact that the Multnomahs have not been scored against this year, and are liable to end the foot ball season with that record. It is also noticeable that when they win it is never by a very big score.

The Telegram says of Albany: Down the river from Eugene, 45 miles in the direction of Portland, is Albany. It has a population of about 5000. It is on the Southern Pacific and the Corvallis & Eastern railroad, and also has steam boat connections with Portland. It has flour and lumber mills, woolen mills, a brewery and several smaller factories. Il is located in a fertile valley, and has enterprising and substantial banks and stores.

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The DEMOCRAT man spent Christmas in Portland. It gives one an opportunity to brush against the people of the metropolis when they are in their good clothes. The Christmas displays this year were elegant ones, those of Meyer & Frank particularly being of a very artistic order. Portland is a hospitable city and the DEMOCRAT man and son succeeded in being invited to dinner at a red house in a new and pretty part on the east side. After the lively sights a ride home after dark on a train with a sick engine is a very sleepy affair, and yet there are always things to entertain one. Opposite the DEMOCRAT man were a nice looking couple who had celebrated Christmas with a wedding. They sent many thousand Cupids darts into each others eyes, getting off the cars at Albany. A man on his way from North Dakota to Los Angeles just back snored sonoriously. A Salem reporter fixed up his account of the foot ball game in which his home team had made a gallant fight. Several drummers kept in practice and an old maid gave a friend her opinion of things.

CLUBBING RATES.—Weekly DEMOCRAT and Examiner $2.50 and Thrice-a-week World $2.00; and Republic $1.75; and Oregonian $2.25 and San Francisco Weekly Call $2.00; and Salem Weekly Journal 2.00

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