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PERSONAL MENTION.

G. W. Johnston is in from Dufur today.

A. J. Minton is a visitor to the city today.

H. A. Spear is a visitor in the city from Wasco.

Mrs. H. Logan returned from Portland last evening.

Miss Nan Cooper left for Salem this afternoon to attend the funeral of Miss Mann.

Jas. G. Walker and family arrived in the city last night from Moro, being called hither by the serious illness of his uncle.

L. E. Crowe came up on the evening train yesterday, and will return tomorrow to Portland, where he is having his ears doctored.

Alex. Abernethy, of Seattle, and Geo. Abernethy, of Knappa, will arrive this evening to attend the funeral of their brother tomorrow.

OUR CHURCHES.

Regular meeting Christian Scientists every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the small K. of P. hall, in the Vogt building. All are invited to be present.

Lutheran church, corner Union and 7th streets, L. Grey, pastor—Funeral service of Arthur Edward Thomas tomorrow at 9:45. Sunday school at 12:15. Vespers at 7:30 p. m.

Regular services at the Christian church tomorrow. Elder A. G. Hoering will conduct the services. Morning subject, "A Zigzag Profession"; evening, "The Scape Goat."

Methodist church, corner Fifth and Washington streets, J. H. Wood, pastor—Class meeting in the morning at 10, Services at 11 a. m., and at 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school at 12:20. Junior League at 3:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30. Rev. Rhodes will conduct revival services tomorrow.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, Joseph De Forest, rector. Holy Communion, 10 a. m., except first Sunday in month. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 12:15 p. m.: Friday evening service, 7:30.

Congregational church, corner Fifth and Court streets, D. V. Poling, pastor—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:15. Junior Endeavor at 3:30. Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Subjects: Morning, "The Mystery Revealed" evening, "Why Withhold Affection." Miss Mae Cushing will sing the morning offertory.

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NOW THE TURKEY FOOT.

A New Charm That Is Worn by the Superstitious.

The Rabbit's Foot, So Long Popular, Has Been Displaced by the New Mascot—An Old Negro's Talk.

The rabbit's foot is not in the race any longer as a charm. What has caused the downfall of bunnie's hind foot as a protection against all evil and an assurance of perpetual good luck for its happy possessor is rather a puzzling question and one which the fair sex and the advocates of the new fad would find it hard to explain. Perhaps the late presidential campaign may have had something to do with it. Every one knew that the silver candidate was presented with a rabbit's foot immediately upon receiving his nomination, and that the mascot complied with all the requirements of the case, for it was "the left hind foot of a molly cottontail, that had been killed in the full of the moon, at 12 o'clock at night in a graveyard, by a red-headed nigger."

Well, the rabbit having enjoyed so great and so long a run of popularity, in the natural course of events, the time has come for him to step down and out. He has done so, and his place has been taken by one of the kings of the farmyard—the lordly turkey.

Fashion decrees that in order to be lucky one must wear in some manner or possess in some shape or other a turkey's claw.

This fad is so new that it has hardly reached the counters yet, except in one or two shops which pride themselves upon bringing out all the most exclusive novelties. Of course, it will eventually become as common as the craze for rabbits' feet, but to-day it is a very difficult thing to find a turkey's claw prepared in the proper style for a charm against bad luck.

The most popular style at present is the natural claw, properly treated by a taxidermist, its shank covered by a silver or gold cap set with an amethyst, turquoise or the new green stone, which resembles an emerald. The tip of the nail is covered with a gold or silver cap, with a fine chain to match the cap from the shank to what one might call the wrist of the claw, and a pretty scarlet ribbon bow with long ends tied just below the shank.

These new mascots are so arranged that they can be hung up as ornaments, or used as paper weights or table ornaments. In one case I saw one profusely bejeweled, which was intended for a cabinet. As dress ornaments they are, so far, but little used, though I was told they were being fashioned into clasps for fastening golf capes at the neck.

I asked an old colored man if he had ever heard of the turkey's claw as being an unlucky or lucky charm.

"Why, yes," he replied. "Down south, where I come from, it is better and luckier to steal your Thanksgivin' or Christmas turkey. I don't hold with the fashion of stealing anything, but if you can only steal your turkey for the holiday dinner you will have good luck all the rest of the year. In the old days the 'massa' would put away a lot of turkeys, and the darkies would go in the night, just at 12 o'clock, and steal the birds."

"But what about the claw? What good luck does that bring?"

"Why, bless your heart, don't you know that the turkey's foot is an awful lucky thing? You must take the claw after you have cleaned your turkey—a stolen one, mind you—dip it in salt, bury it, you better say, in a dish of salt for a whole week, and let it lie there, so that all the bits of flesh which stick to it are cleaned away, and your foot is just as sweet as a nut. Then you take it out and scrape it and clean it and polish it, until it just shines like a piece of stone. Then you put it up over your door, and no bad luck, sickness or anything can come in during the year."

"Will it keep out death?"

"No, ma'am, it will not. Don't you konw sometimes death is the biggest piece of good luck that can happen to you?"

"But do you know why turkey's foot is lucky?"

"I never heard but one reason, and that was that after the devil had tempted Eve and was crawling away after getting her to eat the apple, he came across the turkey's path and the turkey lifted up his right foot and struck at his head. The blow was so hard that the devil was stunned for a moment. And that is the reason of the turkey's right foot being lucky against bad fortune."—N. Y. Herald.

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WAS INHABITED.

The Enchanted Mesa of New Mexico Again Visited.

Second Party of Explorers Find Traces of Former Inhabitants of the Elevated Mountain Plain.

The top of the Enchanted Mesa of New Mexico was at one time inhabited. It has been proved that Indian traditions should not be dismissed as merely mythical after only casual exploration.

This has been demonstrated as the result of the trip of F. W. Hodge, of the bureau of ethnology, Smithsonian Institution, who has just returned from an expedition to the mesa. The Enchanted Mesa of New Mexico has excited the interest of scientists and the daring of exploring parties. It was brought into prominence a few weeks ago by the expedition of Prof. William Libbey, of Princeton university, who took rope-throwing mortars, huge kites, balloons and tons of apparatus to scale this hitherto inaccessible tableland.

The purpose of the investigations has been to determine whether the summit of the mesa was at one time inhabited by the prehistoric Acoma Indians. Prof. Libbey reported no evidences of early occupancy. Mr. Hodge's explorations have brought different results, however, for after scaling the mesa he spent some time on the summit, found a number of fragments of pottery, arrows, shell bracelets, stone axes, etc., establishing conclusively that the top of the mesa was at one time the home of humans.

Mr. Hodge was sent by the bureau of ethnology to examine a series of ruins in western New Mexico and to attend the snake dance of the Moki Indians. This done, he was directed to proceed to the Mesa Escanada and scale its precipitous walls in any way he saw fit. He procured an extension ladder, comprising six sections of six feet each together, with an ample supply of rope, and proceeded to the mesa September 3, accompanied by Maj. George H. Pradt, deputy United States surveyor at Laguna, N. M., who is familiar with that section; A. C. Vroman, of Pasadena, Cal., who acted as photographer of the expedition; H. C. Hoyt, of Chicago, and two Laguna Indians.

The most was determined to be 431 feet from the western plain to the top of the highest pinnacle above the cleft, and the talus, at the base of the cleft, 224 feet above the plain. The climb was without any serious difficulty until the party reached a great sandstone. The ladders were hauled section by section to this point by means of the ropes, then fitted together, and raised against the cliff.

Mr. Hodge ascended to the top and climbing over the slope immediately above, lashed the top of the ladder to a huge bowlder that had fallen from above and lodged on the terrace some 20 feet from the summit. The ladder was then ascended by the remainder of the party and the top easily reached. The ascent consumed exactly 2¼ hours.

The explorers had not been on the summit of the mesa five minutes before Maj. Pradt picked up a fragment of ancient pottery, which indicates clearly that the mesa had been visited, at any rate, in former times, and that Prof. Libbey was mistaken in his conclusions. During the afternoon and the next day Mr. Hodge examined the ground critically, while Maj. Pradt made a survey of the mesa, and Mr. Vroman secured a number of photographs.

Several potsherds, two stone axes (broken), a fragment of a shell bracelet and a stone arrow point were the chief evidences of former occupancy found on the narrow storm-swept crest, but abundant potsherds, etc., were found in the talus swept down from the summit. All vestiges of the ancient trail ascending the talus and continued thence to the summit by hand and foot holes in the solid rock, have been obliterated, but some traces of the hole remain. This verification of an Indian tradition, notable for inherent evidence of accuracy, is peculiarly gratifying to students of anthropology.

Prof. Libbey's ladder was discovered still lashed in place above the crevasse.

Mr. Hodge's researches will arouse great interest among American ethnologists and archaeologists. — Chicago Times-Herald.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been regularly appointed by the county court of the State of Oregon for Wasco county, as administrator of the estate of John Brookhouse, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers, to me at the office of Sinnott & Sinnott, in Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

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Sheriff's Sale.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Wasco County.

J. P. Shannon, Plaintiff,
vs.
Mary W. Lewis, Wayne F. Lewis and Wm. Mc D. Lewis, Minors, by M. A. Moody, their guardian ad litem, and Z. F. Moody, executors of the estate of W. Mc. D. Lewis, deceased, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, decree and order of sale, duly issued out of and under the seal of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Wasco, to me directed and dated the 28th day of December, 1898, upon a decree for the foreclosure of a certain mortgage, rendered and entered in said court on the 20th day of December, 1898, in the above entitled cause in favor of the plaintiff and against defendants, in the sum of Thirty-two hundred and Fifty-four dollars, and commanding me to make sale of the real property embraced in such decree of foreclosure and hereinafter described, I will, on the

7th day of February, 1899,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, and at the front door of the County Court House in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the defendants or either of them had on the 11th day of June, 1883, the date of the mortgage foreclosed herein, or which said defendant or any of the defendants herein, have since acquired, or now have in and to the following described property, situated and being in Wasco county, Oregon, to-wit:

The S½, NW¼, and the S½ NE¼, Section 19, Township 5, south of range 12, East of Willamette merician, containing 160.47 acres according to the government survey thereof, the same being known on the maps and plats of the United States as Cash Entry No. 85, of John P. Shannon; or so much of said property as will satisfy said judgment and decree. Said property will be sold subject to confirmation and redemption as by law provided.

Dated at The Dalles, Oregon, this 28th day of December, 1898.

ROBERT KELLY,
Dec31-4t Sheriff of Wasco County, Or.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON, January 19, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at The Dalles, Oregon, on Saturday, Feb. 25, 1899, viz:

Harmon S. Cheesman,

of The Dalles, Oregon, H. E. No. 5046, for the lots 1 and 2, and the E ½ N W ¼, Sec. 21, Twp 1 north, range 12 east, W M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: J. W. Johnston, W. H. Calvin, D. Bunnell, H. Readel, all of The Dalles, Oregon. JAY P. LUCAS, Register.
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Guardian's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, guardian of the person and estate of Francis C. C. Fox, an insane person, will on the

6th Day of March, 1899,

at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the front door of the county court house in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, situate and being in Wasco county, Oregon: The s w¼ of the n e ¼, the s e ¼ of n w ¼, the n e ¼ of s w ¼, and the n w ¼ of s e ¼ of section 5, Tp 2 N, of Range 9 E, W M. Said property will be sold subject to confirmation.

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U. S. LAND OFFICE, VANCOUVER, WASH., JANUARY 14, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. B. Presby, United States Commissioner for District of Washington, at his office in Goldendale, Washington, on Friday, March 10th, 1899, viz:

Carl C. Franzen.

Homestead Entry No. 7688, for the fractional W½ of SW¼, section thirty, township three north, of range thirteen East, W. M. and S½ of SE¼, section twenty-five, township three north, of range twelve east, W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz:

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