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A GATES OUTRAGE

The little town of Gates this week had another live case. It is reported about like this. Victor Martin, in charge of what is known as a blind pig there, got a young girl of about fourteen, a niece of Henry Carmody, of Portland, who was visiting there, in the place, and attempted to commit an outrage. The girl screamed, and several men rushed to the place. Martin fled out of the rear door, locking it, and thus getting a start, flying to the bushes, where he remained hid for a night and a day. A posse was formed and with a rope hunted for the fellow, and it is said something would have been done if found at the time. He was finally secured after the posse had cooled down some and given five minutes to skip from the town. He skipped at long jumps cross lots towards the whiskey town of Salem.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Holley will have a fair October 9, an annual and well managed fair.

The Catholic church at Brownsville will be dedicated tomorrow by Archbishop Christy. Father Lane will assist and others will be present.

J. H. Hearde, who had charge of an amateur theatrical performance in this city last year, is now in the valley with a theatrical troupe, which is well spoken of.

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A Mixture of Things and Thoughts
Mr. Worry makes many a wrinkle.

We build our characters as we go along.

It takes a genius to tell who his real friends are.

All the mud-geysers are not in the Yellowstone Park.

Nothing builds up a city like harmony in the work of boosting.

Taft may come to the coast. It will be a big event if he does.

How many people are all things to all men for their own good or bad.

The popcorn man does a cracking good business in a pleasant way.

One hardly knows how much to believe; but it is always well to sift.

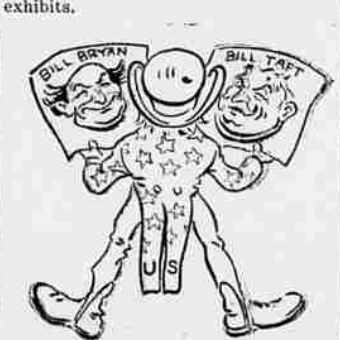
It doesn't take long for the average person to see a point. But some people don't want to.

The word Webfoot is said to have cost Oregon millions of dollars. It should be made a crime to use it according to Tom Richardson.

Linn county is larger than several eastern states combined bigger than Massachusetts, and if Albany, Seio, Holley and any of the other towns want fairs it is their affair.

Jonathan Bourne returned last night from the east, after an absence of two years. Instead of coming back in the interest of Oregon he is simply here a campaigning, which is about all he has done since his election.

Poor old Linn County, the best agricultural and all-round county in Oregon, cannot muster enough energy to provide a suitable exhibit for the State Fair. What is the use of even talking about boosting?—Brownsville Times. Why kick Linn. There are 25 other counties in Oregon that will not have exhibits.



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FOR THE DEMOCRAT:
Because certain assertions have been published in a paper as true conditions in Hamilton's store, we the following employees, voluntarily, without the knowledge of our employer, wish to make the following statement.

The treatment accorded us has always been respectful and most considerate. Our store closes promptly at 6 p. m. on every day except Saturday, on which day it closes at 9 p. m., there being nine working hours on each day except Saturday, when there have been eleven only, not twelve or thirteen as stated.

We are not dissatisfied, as the published article has asserted. We do not complain, for there is no cause. The statement that our store is a "typical sweat box" is a deliberate falsehood on the part of designing newspaper men, whom alone we believe to be responsible for this affair.

Nor will the public believe that 16 liberty loving American women have allowed their rights to be trampled upon, and "dared not say anything about the place, else they lose their positions". We resent this servile submissive attitude, which the Herald would have us assume. It is a reflection on our intelligence and on our independent spirit.

Erma Livingston Pearl M. Smith
Elda Sprenger Mrs. M. E. Loomis
Linnie Kinsay Mrs. E. Ristize
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Big cut on Toilet Soaps at the Oregon Market.

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The Academy of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Albany, Or., under the direction of the Benedictine Sisters, will reopen to commence its regular school work September fourteenth.

The new addition in course of erection which will contain all the modern improvements, will be completed at an early date.

For information apply to Benedictine Sisters, Albany, Or.

Lodge Meetings.

The K. O. M. every Saturday evening. Chas. School commander.

The Woodmen of the World every Friday evening. L. L. Swan clerk. Manzanita Circle 1st and 3rd Mondays, Hilka Wardford G. N.

A. O. U. W. every Monday evening. W. M. Parker financier. G. P. Daniels M. W.

Modern Woodmen 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. F. M. Powell V. C. Royal Neighbors 1st and 3rd Wednesdays. Carrie Bussard Oracle.

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic meet every 1st and 3rd Tuesday afternoons in the G. A. R. hall. Strangers belonging to this order will receive a royal welcome. Mrs. Jennie M. Brown, Secretary.

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The following business was transacted by Judge Galloway today:

Wm. Cullums vs. E. L. Wheeler et al, surveyor W. H. Herring, of Yamhill county, appointed viewer.

Henry W. Beard et al agt S. Spicey Cottrell et al. Report of referee so-normed.

Supplemental petitions filed in registration cases of Robert E. Houston and C. W. Huston.

Effie M. Briggs agt Earl E. Briggs—Motion for new trial denied.

In application of W. J. Giddings to register title. G. W. Wright was appointed examiner.

Lora A. Vance et al agt J. R. Wyatt et al. Judgment against all defendants but J. R. and Lydia Wyatt.

In application of Emeline E. Harrouck to register title. W. W. Bailey was appointed examiner. Also in application of Wm. McHargue et al.

R. E. Morris agt John Weger et al. W. S. Rieley appointed guardian for minors. Judgment.

Agnes McNabb agt L. E. McNabb, Divorce granted.

First National Bank agt A. L. Ferguson. Judgment for plaintiff.

Margaret A. Gil agt J. W. G. Heit, Divorce granted.

In application of Freitag Ohling to register title. S. M. Garland appointed examiner.

Josie Gray agt John W. Gray. Decree overruled and defendant given 30 days to answer.

In application of Emily E. Sloan to register title S. M. Garland appointed examiner.

F. S. Van Buskirk agt A. Bond. Decree on mandate.

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