# MORE JABS

# -By Jones-

One scientist says Mars is perfectly dry; another says the skating is goo there nowadays.

A returned visitor to Africa declare Roosevelt is a poor shot. Don't ou trusts know it? The next conspicuously scheduled

passenger for a down trip on the ta boggan is the British House of Lords

That New Jersey girl who was married in short skirts doubtless thinks that eternal happiness will be her long suit.

As Mr. Loeb's good right arm may be tired swinging the ax, attention is respectfully called to the fact that a guillotine is soon to be sold at auction. The town of Boozeville, Ga., recent-

ly wiped off the map by a cyclone, is to be rebuilt. Perhaps the elements down Georgia way would be kinder to that municipality in the future if in the rebuilding it will be renamed something like Watertown or Butter milkburg.

GAINING NOT LOSING.

A Salem hop man just from the east reported to the Salem Statesman that "prohibition is, practically speaking, becoming a thing of the past. The prohibitionists have received blows the past two months that have stag-gered them." All of which is enough to make a keg of beer turn sour. Instead of prohibition being a thing of the past it is a thing of the future. Over half of the United States is under prohibition in different forms, and it has come to stay. It is true that a few cities that voted dry have now voted wet. This will occur in some cases; but it will not change the general result. The liquor traffic will continue to receive body blows that will stagger it now and down it in the end. The fight for the prohibition of a traffic that causes most of the crime

and misery of the world, is not a sentiment, but a great moral issue, one for righteousness, and instead of being a thing of the past it is gaining ground by leaps and bounds.

WILL SAVE THE PARTY.

Governor Judson Harmon, of Ohio, has concluded to save the democratic party by running for president himself, and a well-defined campaign has been begun for him. This is very kind in the ex-governor. He is to favor the essence of conservatism, whatever that is. Governor Harmon has an excellent reputation, and will no doubt be heard from; but his nomination is a very uncertain quantity. It is hard-ly probable that he will be endorsed by Mr. Bryan, and if he is not that will mean trouble, according to the present great program. Harmon is a man of ability and character, with a good record.

# SELECTING A CITY HALL SITE.

The Democrat has no candidate for the city hall site, and is willing to leave the matter entirely to the city council, who will have the selecting of it. The people of Albany, though, visit. it. The people of Albany, though, have a right to make suggestions, and the Demograt will show the adult and we weeks' outing at Newthe Democrat will always be glad to port. give brief space for the purpose. In the meatime a committee of the commercial club will interview the business men of the city and get an expression from them in the interest of the city, regardless of locality. This is proper. There are a good many things to consider in making such a selection, and people should be broad and not narrow in their views, unselfish, not selfish.

### SOME DIFFERENCE.

SATURDAY NIGHT' THOUGHTS. This week President Zelaya of Nic ragua, resigned as head of his govrnment, forced to do so by the Unitd States, because of his unjust treat-

ent of subjects of this country. The icident is an odd one in internationa iffairs. Suppose Nicaragua had beer great nation instead of a weakling what would the result have been

This week also another chief executive resigned, but another way. The Great Reaper cut him down, and there s no weeping in the land, because of the name of oppression he had built

up around his name. The monument left is one draped in blood and cruelty, and the world feels more like rejoic ing than mourning.

Every man builds his monument daily, one of character, the only thing that lasts.

for temperance the same as other things in the world, and as well good judgment, but above all things the

right motives.

Locally people are talking some about the new city hall voted; but it is in good spirit and without feeling. There are numerous suggestions, some wide of the mark. Seriously people know that a city hall will have to be close down in the business center, on account of the city jail that will be in it, fire department, police station, city offices, etc., a matter of business convenience, and the closer to the new postoffice probably the better; but the city council will look after it undoubtedly fairly and impartially.

## A MAN'S BEST ASSET.

Whatever a man's business in the world, whether common laborer or the head of a nation, the best asset he has at the end of his life is the character he has built up, not the money he has accumulated or the office he has secured. Take Leopold, of Bel-

gium, for instance. Instead of having the best wishes of the world, the satisfaction of knowing that he was respected, he had the ill-will of about everybody, and even on his death-bed there was nothing but jabs for him. The reason is because he lived a mean, selfish, barbarous life, the oppressor of his subjects.

It is just the same with men in other callings. A good name built up is worth more than everything else combined. The man does well who sets his standard high, and keeps pegging away.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Wm. Myer returned this noon from Salem. Mrs. E.A. Parker returned to Cottage Grove last evening after an Albany

W. H. Bowman has returned from Southern Oregon with \$35 worth of gold dust.

# C. H. NEWS.

Satisfaction of judgment in David Link agt. the Dubruille Buggy Co. for \$579.25 rendered March 9, 1896.

In estate of Jonus Evans [sale of confirmed,

Marriage license T. C. Mulkey, of Blodgett, aged 55, and Mrs. E. E. Hal-sey, aged 41, Albany.

Reply in Oregon agt. C. & E. By Attorney General A. M. Crawford.

Deeds recorded:-

E. M. Bressler to C. C. McPherson lot Lebanon..... C. M. Hamilton to Emily L. Wood-\$ M. Hamilton to Emily L. Wood-en 10 acres
 E. S. Marsters to Geo. J. Evans & wife 320 acres
 Marsters 20 acres
 Marsters 34 by 105 feet Browns-ville
 H. A. Standard 1200 A. Stewart to H. E. Spencer These are busy days buying for the Christmas season, when people seek to get even with each other. It is a fine thing anyway you put it, but calls 160 acres .... Paul Buchner to C. W. Buchner 314.58 acres ......

### Deeds recorded:

Releases of mortgage \$1200, \$80, \$800.

In estate of Geo. B. Huber, sale of personal property confirmed.

Notprial commission Geo, Blatchford

Demurrer filed by J, K. Weatherford in Cooper agt. Althouse, the Albany Farmer's Co.'s wheat case.

**SCIO** 

News:-

The Green bridge between Scio and Jefferson, is reported to be in a danger-ous condition, on account of the middle pier being undermined.

The Scio Milling Co, have the mater-ial on the ground with which to repair the old dam, as soon as the water subsides.

There must be a mistake in the scho census showing a decrease of 3 in Scio. There are about 15 more pupils this year than last. Last year three teach-ers handled the business This year four are required.

It is reported that a syndicate is negotiating for a large body of timber up Thomas creek. It is said the option for sixty days has been taken which, if a sale is made, will amount to several hundred thousands of dollars.

Lee Bilyeu came over from Lebanon last Saturday evening. He says the wagon road between Scio and Lebanon has disappeared under a sea of mud. He also stated that he had sold his in-terest in the livery and feed barn and for the first time in thirty yeras he was horseless.

ALBANY WON.

The Albany high school basket ball cam won the first game of the high school series, last night, before a good school series, last night, before a good sized audience, by defeating Roseburg 21 to 20, just escaping by the skin of the teeth. Albany led from the first, ending the first half 8 to 3. To-wards the end of the game Roseburg made two or three baskets in quick succession and the game was 20 to 20. A foul resulted in a basket by Park Stalnaker, and the game ended this way. MISFITS.

The Chinese also pay their debts. The first drink is what does it in th end.

It is more blessed to give than t receive

Why not give to those who haven' plenty already.

\$250 corsets was enough to make the Gould money fly.

Whiskey makes a poor husband and the home a failure.

10 \$175 worth of candy at a time would 500 melt an Albany girl.

1000 The reciprocity season is here. as it is given unto you.

Every day a man drives some kind of 4000

a nail in his reputation. 200 Leopold, of Belgium, is liable to live 10

awhile longer. Too bad. President Taft is telling how to save

expense; but it is just talk.

One might as well try to guess at woman's age as the weather.

An Albany drayman has found five gloves, all for the left hand.

Zelaya has really resigned. He had to. Uncle Sam told him to.

Down on the Congo there will not be many doors draped for Leopold.

What will the census show the actual population of Portland and Seattle.

There is a big field for the country life commission. See the school census.

this year. It is going to take a big

The Oregonian this morning got Dr. Cook and the dead Leopold mixed up. Is Leopold now cooking.

The biggest fool in the world is the has-been fighter who tries it again after he has ruined himself by fast living.

Albany is changing. An old resident this week counted forty people pass his office, and of the number he knew only

six. Lawyer B. F. Mulkey, of Ashland, a former educator, is to impersonate Hamlet at the O. A. C. on the 21st. What's the matter of Dr. Bell as

Ophelia Carrie Nation has been heard from again. Yesterday she knocked a cigar-ette out of the mouth of a man in Washington. Served him right; but it wasn' Carrie's business to do it though.

A distinguished man writing in the Examiner, evidently seeking some comet distinction, favore a law com-pelling men to be married by the sge of thirty and women by twenty-five. He should be sent to some asylum be-fore a day older.

A nature or some other kind of a faker, writing in the Examiner in a page illus, trated article, says nature intended us to walk on all fours and that our stomaches are built for that kind of locomotion, in other words that we descended from the monkey. Perhaps he did, but the rest of us didn't.

# At the Hotels.

# TELEGRAPH.

The Riverside Farm

REFEREE'S SALE.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLE-MENT. Notice is hereby given, that the un-dersigned, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, his final account as Ad-ministrator of the estate of David Andrews, late of said county, de-ceased, and that said court has fixed Monday the 27th day of December, 1909, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon as the time for hearing ob-jections to said final account, and the settlement thereof. HEWITT & SOX. Admr. Attorneys for Administrator.

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THILLSBORO, Dec. 16 .- The Roseclain ThiLlsBono, Dec. 16. - The Koseclair trial began today. The witnesses tes-tified that Roseclair raid there was trouble with his wife, that if he could be trid of her he would never bother another woman. She had a violent temper, and threw dishes at him. The Sheriff testified to finding the body and knize used in killing the wife. The jury was excused pending the argument for admission of a confession to the Sheriff.

 THIC INTERPOSED FOR THE INFORMATION INFOR WASHINGTON, Dec. 16, -- It is rumore Zelaya has been deposed by the con-gress of Nicaragua. PENDLETON, Dec. 16. - The proprie-

tors of the St. George and Pendleton hotels were fined \$300 each for vio-lating the option law.

TEXPLETENCY SALE.
 The statistic of the St. George and Pendleton hotels were fined \$300 each for violating the option law.
 PORTLAND, Dec. 16.—The attitude of the government is bitterly censured by homesteaders an the Siletz who are being driven off by squatters.
 NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—The National sugar refinery has paid the government \$7,000 in evaded duties.
 HUNTINGTON, Dec. 16.—The Knox Jewelry store was robbed of \$4,000 in jewels laat night whilch the proprietor was to dinner. The robber has not been apprehended.
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—Congressman McCredie was made a member of the public lands committee toddy.
 Senator Bourne will nominate J. C Ardrey, former postmaster at Lagrande.
 SALEM, Dec. 17.—Oregon has received the diplomas from the Seattle substation, including prizes for house.

SALEM, Dec. 17.—Oregon has re-ceived her diplomas from the Seattle exposition, including prizes for hops, the educational display, woods, wool and flax.

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Santa Claus has enlarged his pack for of Hon. L. H. Montanye died last even

ago. She was a member of the M. E. church for many years, prominent in good works, a woman of deep convic-tions a splendid wife, mother and citi-zen, who leaves the record of a noble

sen, who leaves the record of a njble life as her monument. She leaves a husband and two chil-dren, Mrs. Mary H., wife of Rev. Mac-Leod of Richmond, Calif., and George Baynard Montanye, of Georgetown, Wash.

Funeral at M. E. church at 2:36 p.

Found the Comet.

N. H. Wheeler last evening, with his

telescope, succeeded in finding the fa-

mous Haley comet, after a search of

mous Haley comet, after a search of about a week. It seemed to be shaped somewhat like a cucumber, and he knew it from the way it acted. Having once locoted it he has the thing by the tail so he can display it to his friends any evening if they will call. This is prety good for a man who doesn't know Taurus from a polar bear.

The following received recently by Chas. Knecht, from Prof. Compton, of the Lick Observatory, will be of inter-

est, Hailey's comet is now so faint that it is visible only in a telescope of 15 inches or 18 inches in diameter and then manufacture on the hof light just on the

inches of 18 inches in diameter and then as a minute patch of light just on the limit of vision. It will be many weeks before the comet becomes a naked-eye object or visible in a good field glass. If you will write to us again in six weeks from now we shall gladly give you the position which it will then have.

Wash.

m. tomorrow.

	the meatime a committee of the com-	Southern Oregon with \$35 worth of	made two or three backets in quick	the monkey. Perhaps he did, but the	as a minute patch of light just on the	stearing's for realisticator.
	mercial club will interview the busi-		succession and the game was 20 to 20.			NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLE-
		Mrs. Berry and Misses Kate Stewart	A foul resulted in a basket by Park		before the comet becomes a naked-eye object or visible in a good field glass. If you will write to us again in six weeks from now we'shall gladly give you the position which it will then have.	MENT.
	ness men of the city and get an ex-	and Neta Schultz went to Corvallis this	Stalnaker, and the game ended this	and the second s	object or visible in a good held glass.	. Notice is hereby given that the un-
	pression from them in the interest of	ajternoon to attend the domestic econ-	way.		If you will write to us again in six	dersigned administrators of the estate
	the city, regardless of locality. This	omy reception tonight.	It was about the fastest, hardest	At the Hotels	weeks from now we shall gladiy give	of Anna Barovicka, deceased, have
	is proper. There are a good many	Mr. and Mrs. Marker and children,	fought contest ever played here. The		you the position which it will then have,	filed their final account in said estate
	things to consider in making such	Inf Bladgatt saturnad hama this after.	team work of Albany was superior to			with the clerk of the County Court of
			Roseburg, but Roseburg has a guard,	an a	Allowers Mediane The	Linn County, Oregon, and that Hon.
	a selection, and people should be			J. C. Harper, Corvallis.	Aibany Written Up.	Linn County, Oregon, and that Hon. J. N. Duncan, Judge of said Court, has appointed Monday, January third,
	broad and not narrow in their viewa-	Young.	one forward, Blakely, who is extra. Hard luck in basket trying by Al- bany, or the score would have been much larger for the home team.	W. B. Pepper, Salem.	etereter (	appointed Monday, January third,
	unselfish, not sclfish.	All members of Manzinita Circle, W.	hany or the score would have been	T. P. Soules, Woodburn.	The Mt. Angel magazine, covering 128	nineteen hundred and ten, as the time,
	COME DUPPEDENCE	O. W., are requested to be present at the meeting Monday night as im-	much larger for the home team.	C. W. Swesay, Woodburn.		and the County Judge's office in Al-
	<ul> <li>SOME DIFFERENCE.</li> </ul>		The lineups: Roseburg - Eddy,	a or or oranger, troodourn,	pages, has been received, a great pro-	bany, Oregon, as the place, to hear objections to said final account, and
	and a second	portant business is to come before the order. By order of G. N. Bertha T.	Blakely forwards, Street center Bu-	H. A. Gamble, Brownsville.	duction, very creditable to Mt. Angel,	objections to said final account, and
	Recently a big storm back cast re-	Parker, clerk.	channan, Tipton guards, Albany- Dooley, Stalnaker forwards, Engstrom	L. J. Cowie, Sentt'e,		for the settlement of said estate. Dat-
	sulted in the death of about sixty peo-		Dooley, Stalnaker forwards, Engstrom	C. S. Terceoski, Watertown Wis. W. F. Yates, M. B. Miller, Browns-	Catholic printing plant in the United	ed this Nov. 30, 1909.
	ple, and great damage to property.		center, Bigbee, Carnegie guards.	ville	States. A special writeup is given Al-	RUDOLPH BAROVICKA.
	That's a storm to kick about if you	C H MEWC	center, Bigbee, Carnogie guards. Preceeding the big game the fresh- men of the high school and the Madison	E. C. Clement, Salem.	bany, by Waliace R. Struble, covering the field in a broad and comprehensive manner. Pictures are given of St. Mary's Hospital and the Catholic church	RUDOLPH R. BAROVICKA, Administrators.
		C H NEWS	boys had a round, the freshmen win-	E. C. Clement, Salem. J. M. Pollard, C. L. Andrews, L. K.	the held in a broad and comprehensive	GEO. W. WRIGHT,
	have a right to kick at all. Recently		ning by an overwhelming score Archi-	Andrews, Stayton.	Manu's Hounital and the Catholic church	Atty for Admrs.
	the Willamette Valley had some snow		ning by an overwhelming score. Archi- bald, Brace and Birbee did great work		and fifteen Albany business houses	NOTION OF PINAL OPPTIT
	that got off just as quick as it could,	Deeds recorded:	for the freshies.	O F. Diliman, Fortland.	have advertisements. This magazine	NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLE- MENT.
	which was not very long, and yet	Alvada M. Hart to Eli M. Rich-		A, Seaney, Kent, Wash.	has a large circulation through the	Notice is hereby given that the un-
		mode lab films Winne ad Albanna 2 000	Labanan		east.	ders'gned, executrix of the last will
	monthing has it magents of all. It may	D. S. McWilliams to Francis E.	Lebanon.	OREGON AGRICULTURAL COL-		and testament and estate of Louis Mil-
	weather, the is wanted at all. It was	Gray, S2acres		LEGE WINTER COURSES.		ler, deceased, has filed her final ac-
	just a san boat ride compared with	F. M. Potts to H. A. Loveall, lot	Criterion:		ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE	count in the matter of said estate and
	one of the regular castern snows and		The S. P. Co. have given orders for	Practical work, lectures and demon-	Notive is hereby given that the un-	the County Court of said Linn Coun-
	blows. We mention this simply be-	S. J. Abbott to W. M. Abbott &	the enlargement of the Lebanon freight	strations will be given in such vital	dersigned administratrix of the estate	ty, Oregon, has fixed Monday, Janu-
	cause occasionally a person is heard	wf, 21-3 acres	depot.	subjects as General Farming, Fruit	of S. T. Crooks, deceased, has filed	ary 3rd, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. as
	to kick because we had a little snow		The city council met in special ses- sion Monday night and mad - the annual	Culture, Animal Husbandry, Dairving,	her final account in said estate with the County Clerk of Linn County,	the time for hearing objections to said
	recently.	March Providence I	sion Monday night and mad + the annual	Poultry-keeping, the Business Side of	Oregon, and the County Judge has	final account, if any, and for the final
		Mortgage for \$9000.	tax levy for city purposes next year.	Farming, Forestry, Carpentry, Black-	set the 20th day of December, 1909,	settlement of said estate.
	Obition		The levy was fixed at S14 mills for gen-	smithing, Mechanical Drawing, Cook-		Dated December 3rd, 1909.
	Obituary.	Several Piano Sales.	purposes, and 1% mills for street	ing, Sewing. Dress Making, Home	County court room of said County as	AMELIA MILLER,
	and the second se	Several Plano Sales.		Management, etc.	the time and place for hearing objec-	Executrix.
	Dorressa Anne Hadley was born Sept.		George Patterson, who lives a few	All regular courses begin January 4th and end February 11th. Farmers'	tions to said final account and the set-	T. J. STITES, Atty for Executrix.
	19, 1858, at Souvia Island, Multhomah	Prof. Head, of the plane house, just	miles east of Lebanon, brought a hog to town yesterday which he sold to		tlement thereof.	Construction of the second sec
	county. Or Her maiden name was	weat of the Democrat office, reports a	butcher C. H. Witman and which	A cordial invitation is extended to	MARY JOSEPHINE CROOKS,	
	AND A CALL	fine buyinger the nucl mean Among his	brought just \$55.25 The how was	all interested	L. L. SWAN, Admrx.	
14	Hadley Nev 3 1877 She Joaves five	sales were an Eiler to J. M. England, an Eiler to Ben Mayberry, a Claring-	dressed and weighed 615 pounds and	Good accommodations may be se-	Attorney for Admrs.	
20	children, four boys and one girl, five	an Elles as Day Manharan a fileday	sold in the market at 9 cents a pound.	cured at reasonable rates. No age		
	sisters, two brothers and a father to	an Eiler to Ben Mnyberry, a Claring- ton to E R. Smith, of Suver, a Leland	The Dauchase Inches bull seen 1 at	limit above 16 years. No entrance re-		Promptly obtained, or FEE RETURNED. 20 YEAMS'EXPERIENCE, Our CHARGES ARE
	mourn her. She died on Dec. 2 and			quirements. Prominent lecturers have	NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.	20 YEARS' EXPERIENCE. Our CHARGES ARE
	was interred in the Albany cemetery	Robolish Indone of All Circ Dece	are ten in the party, beaded by Super-	been secured for special topics. The	The annual meeting of the stock-	THE LOWEST. Sond model, ploto or sketch for export search and free report on patentaldity. INFRINGEMENT suits conducted before all
		lead aircnuy has a large stock on hand;	intendent linker, formerly of this city.	instructional force of the College num- bers 100 Excellent equipment. A special feature is the Farmers'	holders of the Vetch Growers Union will be held on Tuesday, Jan, 4th,	INFRINCEMENT suits conducted before all
	mourn her. Rev. L. V Parker officiated at the funeral.	but another big shipment will be re-	who is doing good work in the rose city.	bers 100 Excellent equipment.	1910 at I o'clock p. m. in Tangent for	courts. Parents obtained through us, ADVER-
	at the theorem	ceived next week. He is making the		A special feature is the Farmers	the election of five directors to serve	Opposite U. S. Patent Office,
	Judge Duncae and Commissioner Bat	piano business hum around Albany. A	A. J. Caldwell, of the Stayton knit-	Week which comes this year Feb. 14th to 18th. Lectures, discussions, and a	me year cad to amend by-laws. And	WASHINGTON, D. C.
	ler, of this county, and Judge Bushev,	thorough plano man he knows how to show the different makes.	ting factory, returned home from a trip	general remnin.	may other business which may come	AND THE REAL PROPERTY
	of Marion county, left for Stavion to		through the valley huving up all the		before the meeting. By order of the	Ma Standy V & B man man
	see about the bridge at that city, which	- Mins Martha Montague, of the Col-	warn in sight. The dam going out at	Dealition Oceanity & Milastened Cat.	doard of Directors.	周 <b>                                   </b>
	lost a span by the high water. They	+ ge, left for her home at Portland for	Stayton stopped proceedings some in	lege, Corvallis, Oregon.	W. E. PARKER, Pres.	
	have a big job on hand.	ne bolidays.	yoth making.	to bard in the state of the second second second	J. E. JENKS, Sec.	A CONTRACTOR OF A CONTRACTOR O
		W. W. Pollock left for points north				
		on commission business.			(6)	
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