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**LOVE'S INTERPRETATION.**

By William Steward Gordon.  
 A maiden sat beside the sea  
 And turned the pages wearily  
 Of a booklet in her hand,  
 Then threw it on the sand  
 And sighed "Tis dry as dry can be!"  
 Again she sat upon the sand—  
 The selfsame book was in her hand,  
 But she feasted on the line  
 As if it were divine  
 And cried "Tis charming! simply grand!"

What can the wondrous secret be—  
 This metamorphic mystery?  
 For 'twas on her finger ends,  
 And she wrote it to her friends  
 And even sang it to the sea.

**Solution.**

The lense of love had caught her eye  
 Transforming all the pages dry  
 To rainbow glory, for you see,  
 The slighted author proved to be  
 Her lover—That was why and why.

**Meditation.**

The Book of Books is in my hand,  
 Its fame has flown to every land,  
 And above the vengeful roar  
 Of the storm along life's shore  
 Rings an anthem rich and grand.

Would you find a treasure when you look,  
 A hidden flower in every nook,  
 Till it blooms from lid to cover,  
 While a halo hovers over?  
 Fall in love with the Author of the Book!

**ALBANY FEELS THEIR LOSS.**

Albany people unite in a deep sympathy for those who are in the deep waters of affliction because of the loss of dear ones. The loss is one to the entire city and it is felt intensely. The great heart of the people beats with those who suffer and sorrow. There is the satisfaction of clean, Christian lives lived; but there are vacant places that no one else can fill just the same way. In the morning we cannot tell what will happen in the evening, and we do well as we pass along to remember this in the conduct of our lives.

**AN ASSEMBLY FAILURE.**

The Sage Rooster writes from Eugene as follows:

One of the most gigantic failures in the history of Lane county occurred last Saturday. The large corporation, known as the Oregon Assembly, that had its origin in the Oregonian office, Portland, called its stockholders and officers together at the court house in Eugene and opened up for business. The roll called found only a few present. After an inventory of stock they got cold feet and adjourned until next September without nominating any officers. Yet the Oregonian of the 3rd says it was an enthusiastic meeting, and that a note of harmony was sounded. Who heard it? Being from Mo, please show me. If their feet don't get warmer before September they won't have another meeting. The Primary Co. will absorb the little stock on hand and on Nov. 7 they will go into bankruptcy for lack of interest and support. In September they will probably send for Harvey Scott, Fulton, Judge George and others to help boost for the assembly.

**OUR CHAUTAUQUA.**

Albany's first Chautauqua is now a reality, developing into life-to-day. It has been well advertised, and the rest is left to the people. The program is one full of merit and commends itself to people enjoying clean entertainment of a high order. It takes time to build up such institutions, and hence the Albany Chautauqua will do well to establish a reputation this year. The outlook is good for quite a number from outside, and especially upon special days. Folk day promises to furnish the record for the assembly.

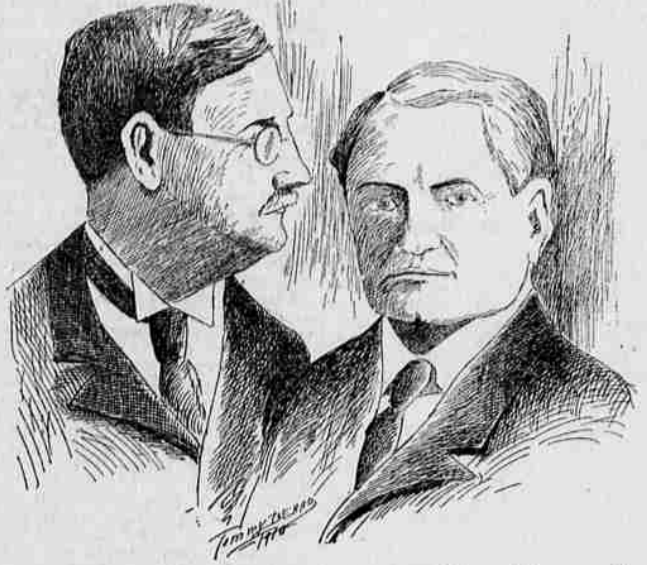
The Chautauqua gives a community character and this is of itself worth all it will cost the people of the city. But the Albany Chautauqua will do more. Our people will have the experience and will know just how the Chautauqua wind blows, so that next year they will be in a position to put it solidly on its feet, something that counts.

The great point is that the Chautauqua is a good thing and deserves the best support of our people, one that shall make it a financial, as well as an entertaining success.

**Lebanon.**

The Criticism:—  
 Mrs. J. W. McDougal, of Mt. Tabor, wife of the pastor of the M. E. church at that place, has been visiting at the home of Mayor Reeves this week.  
 Mrs. Barney Michaels, has been in the St. Mary's Hospital in Albany, the past week, as the result of threatened blood poison from a cut on one of her fingers a week ago.  
 Lee Bilyeu has purchased 160 acres of the Saltmarsh farm, across the river, from J. R. Pound, and in part payment has traded to Mr. Pound his half interest in the livery stable at Scio.  
 Rev. D. E. Baker and family will camp on the Chautauqua grounds at Albany, during the session, returning about the 18th. If needed, he can be reached by phone at the Chautauqua grounds. He will fill his pulpit at the regular Sunday morning service.

Go to the Variety Store for Clautauqua cards, 313 W. 1st street.



The above are excellent pictures of President Ellis and Secretary Struble of the Albany Chautauqua, made by an Albany young man, Tommy Beard, and hence of particular interest, as the product of home talent always is. President Ellis and Secretary Struble have done splendid work in putting the Chautauqua on its feet, well backed by Manager Stewart and the different committees, particularly the finance committee under L. E. Hamilton, and the grounds committee under J. S. Van Winkle.

**SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS.**

There have been thousands of more important things happened during the week than the Johnson-Jeffries fight; but nothing that attracted more attention. This rooster had full sway. The lessons are: The business is a debasing one, as conducted. It is a great gambling affair. A man must take care of himself to be a consistent pugilist, the same as anything else. After five years of booze a man cannot regain his agility and strength. There is no come back for him. Had Jeffries taken care of himself he should have been a better man than when he retired before; but when a man takes off seventy pounds of bloat he cannot expect to have the vim and nerve he formerly possessed. The science of boxing is a good one; but modern pugilism is a disgrace, and the state does well that stops it.

Of course Mr. Roosevelt has been heard from this week, and will be next. Though not in politics he has been mixing tremendously, materially affecting affairs, taking a stand with the insurgents and upon the direct primary. His independence is certainly to be admired.

Oregon has been full of assembly talk, boosted up by men wanting the old boss system restored. But the modern idea has come to stay, government by the people; and bulldozing methods will not change it.

A drowning case in Albany during the week has stirred our people deeply. With the world full of people who could be easily spared a couple were taken who have lived exemplary lives and made them stand for something in the community. It has always been thus. A power above man, his Maker, does all things for the best regardless of human opinion, and we do well to accept the inevitable and be prepared for it.

Albany took an important step this week in the establishment of a Chautauqua assembly, which starts with bright prospects, and deserves success, because of what it represents. The Chautauqua itself is a great educator, giving all in their homes an opportunity to cover the field of learning in a general way effectively, doing a great work. The Chautauqua assembly is also a great entertainer, one of a high class, doing a great work that cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. Albany people have done well to make this city a Chautauqua center.

**THIS MORNING**  
 News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Capt. Stanley Hammell and corps of sharpshooters, Messrs. Marquam, the Karsten brothers and Bush, left for Clackamas, where they will enter the shoot. Prof. Marquam arrived last night from Ashland, where he has been several weeks.

Several Albany people left for Salem to attend the cherry fair, among them Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tweedale, who will visit at the home of Lowell Tweedale, J. J. Collins, Mrs. L. Fox and daughter, and Frank Parker.

Rev. Jones, P. E., of Corvallis, went to Oregon City.  
 Lawyer Newport came down from Lebanon.  
 Miss Ethel Miller, the teacher, a former Albany real estate dealer arrived from Sodusville.

Connie White went to Portland.  
 Miss Vira Stuart returned to Portland taking a vacation of two or three weeks.  
 Frank McClung went to Portland.  
 Prof. Hargrove returned from his regular Lebanon trip.  
 Mrs. Fred Dawson went to Newport to spend Sunday.  
 J. E. Cartwright and Walter Huston, two prominent Harrisburg men, arrived on a short business trip.  
 Prof. E. L. Wilson, the talented violinist, left for Crownsville.  
 Chas. M. Strauss returned from his regular commercial trip up the road.  
 Postmaster W. M. Stewart arrived from Halsey.  
 Cecil Cathy left for points north.

New fresh baled hay, the first of the season at Murphy's, the 2nd St. Feed Store.

**(FRIDAY.)**

**32 MEASURES FOR VOTERS.**

There will be thirty-two measures up for voters to consider at the November election. Each has required at least 8,000 signatures. People have signed everything presented them. Here is the list:  
 Woman's tax paying suffrage.  
 An E. O. asylum.  
 Constitutional convention Oct. 1911.  
 For separate districts for senators and representatives.  
 Taxes for public purposes only.  
 For state R. R. building.  
 Uniform rule of taxation.  
 Increasing salary judge 8th district.  
 Separate acts establishing the counties of Nezah, Otis, Williams, Clark, Orchard, Deschutes.  
 For support of Monmouth normal.  
 For annexing part of Clackamas to Multnomah.  
 People of each county to regulate taxation and exemptions.  
 For cities and towns to have control of sale of liquor.  
 Liability of employers.  
 For the Weston Normal school.  
 For annexation of a slice of Washington to Multnomah county.  
 For the Ashland normal school.  
 Prohibition of the liquor traffic in Oregon, and initiative bill.  
 For the employer's indemnity commission.  
 Prohibiting fishing in Rogue river.  
 Ways and means for establishing new counties.  
 For extending the primary.  
 For proportional representation.  
 Inspection of public offices, with an official gazette.  
 For verdict by three-fourths of a jury, in civil cases.  
 Providing for securing funds for road construction.

**The Cherry Fair.**

Salem's cherry fair, a Willamette Valley affair, has been a great success, as it deserves to be.  
 S. P. Kimball of Polk county carried off the prize for the best display, and it is a grand one. Lane county second.  
 The Salem Fruit Union had the best commercial pack, S. P. Kimball the best farm exhibit, the Oregon Nursery the best seedling, A. Vercher won the sweepstakes, Emma Woods had the best packed box, Percy Blundell the best by a boy under 16. Duncan Ross the best Royal Ann in the pound box and R. B. Kuble in carton; Mrs. A. Vercher the best Lumbers both in box and carton; S. P. Kimball the best Bing; A. Vercher the best Black Republican in box and Mrs. Vercher the best in carton; L. T. Reynolds the best Deacon in box; H. B. Kugle the best Hoskins, and Mrs. Blundell the best Late Dukas.  
 There were also prizes for berries, sweet peas and roses.

**Lost an Eye.**

Scio News:  
 Last Saturday Ignatious Faltus was splitting wood, using a steel sledge and steel wedge. A blow from the sledge caused a silver to fly from the wedge which found a lodgement in his left eye. He was brought to Scio as quickly as possible and to Dr. Prill's office. Dr. Prill had left a few minutes before to visit Mrs. Shelton. Fred Bilyeu with his auto was then summoned and the unfortunate young man was in Albany and under Dr. Ellis' care in 45 minutes.  
 When the eye was examined, it was found that the ball was destroyed and that its removal was necessary. The young man was placed in St. Mary's Hospital.

**Good Show at the Dreamland**

The program, which the Peoples Amusement Company, present at the Dreamland for Friday and Saturday is one of the best ever seen in the city. The feature film, "The Love of Chrysanthemum," is a Japanese play with picturesque Japanese setting and acted by a Japanese company. "Quite Boarding House" and "He Stubs His Toe" are two very funny pictures. "Inez De Castro" is a dramatic story founded on the life of the beautiful Inez de Castro of Portugal. "One Can't Believe One's Eyes" is a very good story by Pathe. Interesting views of the Gorner Glacier, in Switzerland, complete the program.

No. 1 lat at the SAW MILL.

**SATURDAY.**  
**AT THE COURT HOUSE.**

In the suit of J. R. Cartwright agt. the S. P. a petition was filed asking the removal of the case to the new circuit court of the U. S. because the defendant is a resident of Kentucky and the plaintiff of Oregon. The attorneys are W. W. Cotton, J. K. Weatherford, W. D. Fenton, J. E. Fenton, R. S. Leiter and Ben C. Day.  
 New suit:—Eastern Investment Co. agt. Jos. E. Judge, to quiet title.

Marriage licenses—E. A. Sinley, aged 22, and Dollie M. Roe, 19, Albany; C. B. Reynolds, 21, and E. Leona Propat, 17, Albany.

Deeds recorded:—  
 California & Oregon Land Co. to Linn & Lane Timber Co several tracts..... \$ 1  
 Jos. A. Rankin to Harry Mason lot Mill City..... 1  
 A. F. Bahrtke to R. E. Armstrong lot Lebanon..... 560

**MARRIED.**

Reynolds—Propat—At the residence of A. C. Harold on East First Street at 2:30 this afternoon, Mr. Charles Reynolds and Miss Leona Propat, both of this city. Albyn Esson of the Christian church was the officiating minister. The bride is a daughter of Q. E. Propat, while the groom is shipping clerk with Foshy & Mason. The wedding took place in the presence of relatives and immediate friends. The young couple were the recipients of a number of useful and beautiful presents. After a short wedding tour they will be at home at 1024 East First St.

Sinley—Roe.—On Friday evening July 8, at the court house, by Judge Duncan, Mr. E. A. Sinley, of the chair factory, and Miss Dollie Roe, daughter of Mr. Frank Roe, two well known young people with many friends.

**RUSS ON FIRE.**

The Russ house had a close call this noon. The roof caught from the flue, some moss taking some sparks and spreading before discovery, eating down into the dry shingles, and when the first stream was turned on was in a big blaze. Good work by the fire department stopped the spreading of the fire and it was soon under control. The damage by fire and water is considerable. The house is insured.  
 \$3,500 is carried on the contents.

**Funeral of Wilbur Francis.**

The funeral of Wilbur Francis was held at the Baptist church this forenoon, with a large number present. The floral gifts were many and beautiful, a splendid expression of esteem. Rev. Douglas preached a sermon of much feeling. The pall bearers were W. L. Marks, C. C. Bryant, Alton Coates, Harry Wilkins, George Miller and Fred Sanders. The remains were buried in the city cemetery.

**SPEND THE SUMMER**

At Newport, on Yaquina Bay. The only beach in the Pacific Northwest where the pretty water agates, moss agates, moonstones, carnelians, and rock oysters can be found. Outdoor sports of all kinds, including Hunting, fishing, digging rock oysters, boating, surf bathing, riding, autoing, canoeing and dancing. Pure mountain water, and the best of food at low prices. Fresh crabs, clams, oysters, fish and vegetables of all kinds daily. Ideal camping grounds, with strict sanitary regulations, at nominal cost.  
 Low round-trip season tickets from all points in Oregon, Washington and Idaho on sale daily.  
 Three-day Saturday to Monday rate from S. P. points, Portland to Cottage Grove inclusive, including branch lines; also from all C. & E. stations Albany and west. Good going on Saturday or Sunday, and for return Sunday or Monday.  
 A Sunday excursion rate of \$1.50 from Albany, Corvallis and Philomath, with corresponding low rates from points west, in effect all summer. Call on any S. P. or C. & E. agent for full particulars as to rates, train schedules, etc. also for copy of our beautifully illustrated booklet, "Outings in Oregon," or write to Wm. McMurray, General Passenger Agent, Portland.

**EXCURSION RATES TO THE EAST.**

To.	Rates.
Chicago	\$74.95
Council Bluffs	62.45
Omaha	62.45
Kansas City	62.45
St. Joseph	62.45
St. Paul	62.45
St. Paul via Council Bluffs	66.35
Minneapolis direct	62.45
Minneapolis via Council Bluffs	66.35
Duluth, direct	69.35
Duluth, via Council Bluffs	69.35
St. Louis	69.35

Tickets will be on sale May 2nd and 9th; June 2nd, 17th and 24th; July 3rd and 22nd; August 3rd; September 8th and 22nd.  
 Ten days provided for the going trip. Stop-overs within limits in either direction. Final return limit three months from date of sale, but not later than October 31st. One way through California \$15.00 additional.  
 Inquire of any Southern Pacific agent for more complete information.  
 Wm. McMurray,  
 Gen. Passenger Agent, Portland, O.

A neat place, Holt's Meat Market.

**C H NEWS**

The entire court house was in gloom today over the drowning of the son of the county treasurer, and of Miss Taylor of the recorder's office, who had secured a warm place in the hearts of all her associates by her genial ways and lovable character.

Deeds recorded:—  
 Benj. Bishop to J. L. Jones 2 acres..... \$ 550  
 J. L. Jones to Benj. Bishop 40 acres..... 650  
 B. S. Norwood to Sylvester Hall 2 lots Harrisburg..... 1  
 C. C. Riley to Wm. R. Scott 61.76 acres..... 2200  
 Peter Hume to Laura E. J. Pirtle and R. W. Tripp tract Brownsville..... 9500  
 D. H. Leech to S. T. Hillman and wife 160 acres..... 10  
 Ada Rozelle et al to Rudolph Ruedi 69.50 acres..... 10  
 J. A. Millard et al to Chas. Mausolf 10 acres..... 1  
 Geo. Finley to Linn & Lane Timber Co. 160 acres..... 1

Circuit Court, New Suit:—  
 H. W. Kaupisch agt. Madie Kaupisch for divorce. Marriage Oct. 4, 1905. Charge desertion since April 19, 1909. J. K. Weatherford attorney.

County Court:—  
 Bills allowed.  
 A special day was set to try the Brock road case.

Deeds recorded:—  
 Clyde H. Meeker to T. W. Hale et al 144.66 acres..... \$ 10  
 C. I. Roberts to W. W. Dean 64.25 acres..... 10  
 R. D. Snell to C. S. Emery 2 lots H's 3rd ad..... 10

Marriage license: Robert Fletcher, Corvallis, aged 25, and Ida A. Forgey, 20, Albany.

An immense number of bills are up before the County Court, and many allowed.

In estate of Conradena Arnold Mrs. Minnie Fromm was appointed administratrix. Value of property: realty \$25; personal \$636.72, as appraised by P. R. Kelly, G. S. Hill, C. C. Bryant.

**TOMORROW'S DOINGS.**

St. Mary's.—Rev. Arthur Lane, Rector. Sunday services at 9 a. m. The pastor will officiate and speak from the gospel of the Sunday. Later services will be conducted at Lebanon. The public is cordially invited.  
 United Presbyterian.—W. P. White, Pastor. Service at 10:30 o'clock. Subject: Jesus and the Individual. This is a message showing the personal interest that God has in each one of us. Union service at the Chautauqua grounds at 8 o'clock, with Rev. Dr. Young of Portland as the preacher.  
 Presbyterian.—Rev. F. H. Geselbracht, Minister. Morning service 10:30. Mr. Willis Hotchkiss, a world famous missionary to the interior of Africa of the Friends or Quakers, will speak. He has a message of intense and deep interest. Prof. Wilson will play a solo on the violin. S. S. at 11:45, classes for all. The Young People's Society and evening service will be merged with the Chautauqua gatherings.

Christian.—Albyn Esson, Minister. Bible school meets in full force at 10:20 a. m. Morning sermon at 11:20. Subject, Paul's Theme in Corinth. All evening services will be merged in the union services at the Chautauqua grounds.  
 Methodist.—Rev. W. S. Gordon's subject at 10:30 will be "The Only Remedy for Sin." This will be followed by the reception of members, and Sunday School at 11:45. All are invited to attend the old time class meeting at ten o'clock. Union meeting in the evening at the auditorium, where G. H. McCain Dist. Pres. of the Epworth League will address the young people at 6:30, and Dr. Young will preach at 8 o'clock.

**Card of Thanks.**

The members of the family of Mr. George Taylor desire to extend their heartfelt thanks for universal sympathy and kindness in their bereavement and great loss.

Wear a Chautauqua badge. It will help create the Chautauqua spirit. Elbert Warford has charge of the badge, a neat one in keeping with the colors and occasion.

Mr. Willard Savage, a sailor from the U. S. S. Albany, is at home for a few days on a visit with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Kiefer. He will sail for China and different countries Aug. 1st to be gone three years.

**Summer Excursions From Albany.**

Beginning June 1st Summer Excursion rates from Albany will be in effect as follows:  
 Albany to Newport and return, on sale daily, return limit Oct. 31st, \$4.00.  
 Albany to Newport and return, on sale Saturday and Sunday only, return limit Monday following, \$2.50.  
 Albany to Newport and return, going and returning, Sundays only, \$1.50.  
 Albany to Yaquina and return, on sale daily, return limited to Oct. 31st, \$3.50.  
 Albany to Detroit and return, on sale daily, return limited to Oct. 31st, \$2.05.  
 For further information call on or address,  
 R. K. MONTGOMERY, Agent,  
 Union Depot.

**MISFITS.**

Elias Day today.  
 Show your colors, orange and purple,  
 ---  
 Mr. Hawley is a disciple of Cannonism.  
 ---  
 Roosevelt isn't mixing in politics any, oh no.  
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 Reno will now proceed to be a back number.  
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 This is Albany day. But every day is Albany day.  
 ---  
 Now keep up a continual boost for the Chautauqua.  
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 Mr. Roosevelt is with the insurgents, which is with the people.  
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 Let the Chautauqua spirit spirit prevail. That is what counts.  
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 Albany's sorrow over the drowning accident is universal and deep.

A splendid home backing will mean an outside following for the Chautauqua.

Emma Ziack was burned to death at Heppner yesterday by a gasoline stove.

That prize fight continues to have its evil influence. There has been nothing decent about it.

Roosevelt declares for the direct primary. This will make Harvey Scott gnash his teeth.

These wholesale houses that sell liquor to boys or any one who applies, are in small business and should be prosecuted to the limit.

A \$1000 gold brick has been brought out of the Bohemia mines. Now don't get excited. They used to bring them down from the Santiam mines.

Johnson, who has quit the fight business, offers to fight Langford in August for a side bet of \$20,000. Mrs. Johnson is now wearing a profusion of diamonds.

The amount of beer that came to All bay for the 4th was decidedly small compared with what it would have been with the open saloon, Mr. Salem Journal, booze organ.

A man down in Portland named Huff, who has just arrived from the east with eleven hogs has just sued the railroads for \$730 damages to the hogs and \$10,000 anguish on account of the treatment received. \$100,730 altogether. He will recover about 33 cents, nit.

The Democrat has received a copy of the Kansas City Spirit, with a marked article: Truth about the Owen Bill. The bill calls for the establishment of a National Department of Health. The contention is that the bill is too far reaching and gives the department too much authority, and objection is made to having a medical oligarchy in the U. S.

**A Menace.**

London, July 7.—A movement in favor of government action looking to the suppression of the Jeffries-Johnson fight pictures is extending to a considerable section of the house of commons. Both parties supporting the movement. The suppression movement was discussed by a Glasgow corporation yesterday.

**Will Shoot.**

The Albany shooting team of G. Co. will go to Clackamas tomorrow to enter the state shoot to begin on the 12th. It will consist of the following: Capt. Stanley Hammell, Prof. Marquam, O. J. and R. J. Karstens, Elden S. Brush.

**This Tag**  

 on a ball of binder twine guarantees length, strength, smoothness, freedom from knots, and from all the troubles and delays which poor twine causes. This is the tag we put on every ball of genuine  
**Plymouth Binder Twine**  
 Look for it. Insist on it. Plymouh Twine is made of the most carefully selected material, in the oldest yet most modern cordage mill in the United States. Eighty-five years of experience and square dealing stand back of every ball that bears the wheat-sheaf trade mark. Plymouh Twine is cheaper in the long run because it is better—works better and goes farther.  
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