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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Joseph Wanas, late of Linn county, Oregon, deceased, will, on Saturday, the 5th day of November, 1910, at the hour of one o'clock p. m., pursuant to an order of sale duly made and entered in the matter of the estate of said deceased, in the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, on the 6th day of September, 1910, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Albany, in Linn county, Oregon, all the following described real property, belonging to said estate, to-wit:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the north projection of the Donation Land Claim of R. H. Pollard, claim No. 58, in Twp. 10 south, Range 2 west of the Willamette Meridian, in Linn county, Oregon, and running thence south 89 degrees 48 minutes east along the north boundary line of said claim 9.50 chains to the center of Thomas Creek; thence in a southerly direction following the center of the said creek to a point 10 chains south and 5 chains north 89 degrees 48 minutes west from the place of beginning; thence north 10 chains; thence south 89 degrees 48 minutes east 5 chains to the place of beginning, containing 9.17 acres, more or less, all in Linn county, Oregon.

Said sale to be made subject to confirmation by said court.
H. H. HEWITT, Admr.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern that the undersigned has filed his final account in the county court of Linn county, Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Ellen Cline, deceased, and that said court has set the first day of November, 1910, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day as the time for the hearing and settling of all objections to said final account; therefore all persons having any objections to said final account are hereby notified and required to appear in said court and file the same in writing on or before said last mentioned date. Dated this 23rd day of September, 1910.

GEORGE W. CLINE,
Administrator of said estate.
W. R. BILVEU, Attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned the duly appointed, qualified and acting Administrator of the estate of Susannah Crabtree, deceased, has filed with the Clerk of the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, his Final Account and the Judge of said County Court has fixed the 5th day of December, 1910, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. for the hearing of objections if any to said account and for the settlement of said estate.

Dated this 29th day of October, 1910.
P. P. CRABTREE,
Administrator of the Estate of Susannah Crabtree, Dec'd.
J. K. WEATHERFORD,
Att'y for Admr.

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DRY KANSAS.

The following is a letter received from one of our former citizens by a reader of the Democrat:
Garden City, Kansas, Oct. 29.—Your letter at hand and carefully noted. As to Oregon, it has planted sweet memories in my mind never to be forgotten, its resources and good citizens are not to be surpassed by any state in the Union.
As for Kansas having been injured by prohibiting that is not true. Since Kansas went dry our state penitentiary has the fewest inmates of any state penitentiary in proportion to our population. We can boast of the cleanest towns in the Union. 99 per cent of the mortgages have been paid off since prohibition came to stay, and many a home stricken with poverty, on the account of the father being a slave to strong drink, has turned into a prosperous and happy home, since the saloons have been driven out. We have reasons to believe that if the question of prohibition or no prohibition were submitted to the people again, prohibition would get such an overwhelming majority that it would shock the world. When people move to our peaceful cities from other states they are made to wonder how they ever stood to live so long in places where saloons were as plentiful as churches in Kansas. I have heard many good citizens say that life was too short to live where saloons were allowed to run.
I close by hoping that the great state of Oregon will wipe out every saloon in it and allow peace to reign supreme.
A. R. CURTIS.

Mrs. Kate Preston, of Stayton, is visiting at Mrs. R. Veal's.

Mrs. Mary McCart and son, of Harrisburg, were in the city today.

Mrs. Kate Preston, of Stayton, is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. Veal.

C. W. Tebault has gone to New York in the interest of the Linn County Orchard Colony.

James Hoag has returned from San Francisco, where he went in response to a dispatch.

W. S. Richards, socialist nominee for governor, will speak at the court house tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Dixon, pastor of the Indian church of the Umatilla reservation, and wife, were in the city today, going to Eugene.

A straw vote on governor and sheriff is being taken at Bruce and Anderson's barber shop. Go in and vote. It will close tomorrow night.

Dr. Peirce of Maine is in the city with a view of locating, and is looking after orchard land, having retired from the practice of his profession.

Dave L. Huston, of Portland, a former well known railroad conductor on the S. P., is a candidate for labor commissioner on the democratic ticket.

On his first trial vote it took the Democrat man just 2 1/2 minutes, marking for every office and bill, making a spook out of the Oregonian's 15 minutes.

The democratic candidates will speak at the court house Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, and they are not afraid to say how they stand on the issues of the day. Hear them.

D. J. Cooper, of The Dalles, a member of the famous family of Coop Bros., is out against Bowerman, though a life long republican, but he is only one of thousands.

A lady clerk at Young's is reported to have received a diamond ring from Idaho, and her fellow clerks are wondering if they are going to lose a very pleasant companion.

Carrie Wright last night celebrated the twelfth anniversary of her birth with a party, a crowd of girls enjoying the pleasant event with her in games and a delicious dinner in the evening.

Mrs. J. K. Weatherford last night entertained the 500 club in a pleasant manner, amidst neat appointments. There were nineteen tables filled. The refreshments were unsurpassed, and all voted Mrs. Weatherford a charming hostess.

A business man who went to a party last night, instead of putting on his overcoat wore another business coat over his dress suit and when he came to go home, thinking he had worn his overcoat, was in a terrific quandary, duly untangled this morning.

Mrs. Bailey and daughter, Miss Elsie, left this afternoon for Portland, where they will remain a month and then go to Los Angeles for the winter. Mr. Bailey will remain here for a few weeks looking after business matters before joining them. They have made many warm friends here, and people, whose departure will be generally regretted.

ALBANY MAN WONDERS.

Editor Democrat:—
I wonder why if prohibition does not prohibit, the liquor men are fighting it. If the "big majority" of voters in Oregon are in favor of law and order and decency, I wonder why officials are not elected who would enforce the laws we have.

I wonder why, when circumstantial evidence has hung many a man for other crimes, it is never sufficient to convict the "boot legger" or the keeper of a "blind pig."

I wonder why if beer is a good thing, the German Emperor has abandoned its use, and the authorities are seeking to do away with its use in the German army.

I wonder why the United States navy is constantly waging warfare against the use of liquor by enlisted men, if liquor is a necessity in the army and navy.

I wonder why, even in time of war, our country does not readily accept the service of men who drink, lest they fail in time of direst need.

If all of the temperance sentiment in Oregon were united at the polls, another year would see the closing of the last saloon in the state. Why, then, I wonder do not all temperance people vote the temperance ticket?

I wonder why men vote to legalize the making of drunkards and then scorn the result of their own work—the drunkard and his family.

I wonder how many good temperance voters will not value their vote this fall enough to use it.

I wonder how much better is the indifferent voter who does not vote, than the man who votes for legalizing the liquor traffic.

I wonder why, if it is true that the desire for social companionship and recreation is the reason men go to the saloon, the temperance people of the town do not provide some sort of entertainment and recreation to out-bid the saloon.

I wonder why people do not have the courage of their convictions and carry out in practice their theories of right living and Christian duty to their fellow men.
MR. WONDER.

News from Albanys Six Early Trains.

Mr. Park Baty, who is making a still hunt for state senator, left for the country. How Mr. Baty stands on statement number one the Democrat has never been able to learn. He was a member of the assembly, indicating about what his position would be in the legislature.

H. A. Stoltenburg, of the shoe store left for Portland on a short business trip. Mr. Stoltenburg has been having a successful reduction sale during the past few weeks.

Father Laue left for Portland on a visit to Bishop Christy.

Jas. Shahan and son Robert, returned to Mill City.

Mrs. Blair and son, of Lyle, Wash., left for home after a few days visit with Mrs. Blair's brother, Superintendent Briggs of the public schools.

George Keeney came down in the Lebanon train.

To Lecture on Panama Canal.

Wayne O. Adams, who for three years was a foreman and engineer on the Panama canal, is in the city today, arranging to deliver a series of lectures on Panama at the Electric Theatre, beginning this evening and continuing until Sunday night. His subject, "The Truth About the Panama Canal," will be illustrated by motion pictures and stereopticon slides, depicting the progress of the work, labor conditions, sanitary problems, and interesting scenes of the greatest engineering work ever attempted on earth.

Mr. Wayne is a most interesting lecturer, thoroughly familiar with his subject, and will no doubt be greeted by large audiences. He wears a medal presented to him by President Roosevelt.

Young People of the Christian Church

The Margaret Catherine Missionary Circle of the Christian church, met in the parlors of the church last evening, with Grace Swank as leader. After the business meeting the young men's class of the Bible school met with them for a program on orphanage, with some interesting talks by Nola Kirk, Vera Eastburn, Carroll Richards, J. C. Holbrook, Rev. Esson and Mrs. Perry on the work in India. Games were played, songs sung and refreshments enjoyed.

The Oregon Development League

The Oregon Development League will meet at Salem this month, a big convention. Postmaster Van Winkle has been asked to speak for Albany.

The rally at Oakville last night was a good one. Rev. Geselbracht, A. C. Schmitt and Geo. H. Crowell did the speaking and the Hammer quartet made a hit.

All Eugene boys are not dead. Several of them on Holloway's night took a pile of wood belonging to a widow, carried it all in her wash and piled it up, ready for use.

The Corvallis Gazette-Times has just discovered that the Corvallis & Eastern office has been moved to Portland. This occurred as soon as the S. P. bought the road several years ago, but the supplementary articles making it legal were only recently filed. But Albany is the hub just the same.

Premium Hats of the National Mid-Winter Sheep Show, to be held here in connection with the 47th annual convention of the National Woolgrowers' January 4, 5, 6 and 7, have been issued and show a fine lot of prizes for exhibitors of blooded sheep. Premiums cover all classes and the show promises to be the largest and best ever held by the organization.

VOTE YES
For the Monmouth Normal.

The whole function of the Normal School is to train and educate teachers. All grant the absolute need of this work.

These initiative bills take the question out of politics entirely, and this is as it should be. We speak directly of Monmouth; this school is centrally located, and the work done by Pres. Campbell and Prof. Ressler is a sufficient guarantee of the quality of its students.

If you pay taxes on \$1000 it will cost you only four cents a year to operate this school. This gives the children of the parents of moderate means an equal chance with those who are able to send their children to schools provided with special instructors.

The welfare of your child, the interests of the public schools, that great leveler and bulwark of our nation, warrant you in voting Yes on 318.
(Paid ad.)

Murder Near Salem.

J. E. Roberts, a real estate dealer of Salem, was murdered under a covered bridge near the state reform school last night, and robbed of nearly \$5,000. He was taking that much in a grip out to pay off a mortgage, when attacked evidently by men who knew he had the money. He was shot through the head. \$193 was found remaining in the grip, which was slashed open and \$40 on his carriage seat. The murderer evidently heard some one coming, Earl Gardner, a young man arriving at the scene shortly after the murder. Roberts lived about an hour, but did not regain consciousness.

The Little Mother.

This is the title of the feature photograph at the Empire, one of the prettiest things shown here, a story worth seeing. Two others are The Golden Harvest Time, a rural drama, with some real scenes, and the Bearded Bandit, a thrilling wild west picture that keeps one's eyes riveted, an all-star program. Tonight is the last chance to see them.

A Cement Street.

J. C. Way is putting a cement walk down along the property of the Episcopal church, making a solid line of cement walks on both sides of the street from First to 10th, the first street in Albany to have the honor of being entirely cemented lengthways and sideways.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our heart felt thanks for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father. Mrs. R. S. Wilkins and children.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 55-59.
Rainfall, 16 inch. For October 2.64 inches.
The river is .7 of a foot.
Prediction: fair tonight and Friday.

FRIDAY.

G. M. Payne returned this noon from eastern Oregon.

Mrs. Lee Powers, of Newport, returned today from a Portland trip.

Mrs. J. R. Baltimore leaves tonight for Los Gatos, Calif., to visit her daughter Mrs. C. N. McKnight.

Rev. Douglas left this noon for Milton to speak Sunday night at a big union temperance meeting.

The Hammer quartet has been invited to sing in Portland next Sunday and will go down and help boost that city.

Mrs. Theresa Yost, of Portland, died yesterday. She was a sister of Mrs. Amelia Miller, of this city, an old resident of Portland.

Clarence Beaupre, of Eugene, sentenced to pay a fine of \$300, with 30 days in jail, has been pardoned by acting-governor Bowerman.

A commercial traveller in the city today, who has covered western Oregon says the indications are that the state will go dry by a good margin.

Mr. Frank O'Brien has bought a ten acre tract near Salem and left with his family yesterday to make arrangements for moving upon it for a home.

After all President Kerri did well to take those hazers back upon apology; but our colleges do need some mighty strenuous examples on the subject.

The O. A. C. freshmen football team went to Eugene today to play the U. O. freshmen. One of the men is Clarence McBride, formerly of the Albany high team.

C. H. Walker returned from Lincoln county today, having organized several new granges there. He reports the county unenduredly for West, and that it will probably go dry.

W. O. Nisley, the well known piano man, is in the city, at the Revere. Besides looking after his large tuning practice he is in the field with the well-established and popular Mehlin and also of his own name, the W. O. Nisley, a fine instrument.

Of the new U. S. jury drawn at Portland for the next term, the following are from Linn county: F. P. Kirk and Sarah Meyer, Albany; Geo. M. Gettemier, Cassidia; John J. Hannan, Jordan; W. C. Jenks, Tangent; R. E. Templeton, Brownsville.

A quick way to vote the 32 measures is to first check that most infamous of all measures, the home rule bill, by voting 325 X No, then vote the few measures you will probably have in mind, for instance, for prohibition, 342 X Yes, and 344 X Yes, to enforce it, 318 for Monmouth Normal and whatever others you wish, then run along the nose. In voting for the state and county officials don't forget to vote for local option 99.

VOTE 329 X NO.
Was Dr. Foulkes Strong Advice.

The mass meeting at the opera house last night in the interest of the temperance measures was a good one, full of enthusiasm.

Dr. Geselbracht presided and Mayor Wallace introduced the speaker, with a short talk.

Dr. Foulkes put up one of the best talks of the campaign, eloquent and to the point.

He said this was a fight with four questions up, two offensive, two defensive. The home rule bill was shown up as its infancy, a species of secession against government by the state, dishonest and deceiving, but the Oregon farmer is wide awake and will not permit the saloon to be thrust upon him. With such a law three men could incorporate a town and start a saloon anywhere. The liquor interests are the real ones back of the home rule proposition. About the only places the home rule cards appear in Portland is in the saloons. The Crawford opinion was shown up. No one has claimed the bill would nullify the criminal law, but it would nullify Sunday closing, keeping minors out, excluding confirmed drunkards and preventing saloons near a school house.

The proposed model saloon was ridiculed and shown up in its true light, merely a game to secure votes for the saloon. The proposed cleaning up after election is a fake. The so called search law is simply the law that has worked so well in Kansas and is necessary for the enforcement of prohibition, exactly the same as the present law, with one word added.

The personal liberty argument no longer disturbs people. You can't do anything that interferes with your fellow men, that is all.

Dr. Foulkes was brought up in Kansas and educated there, being there recently, his father residing in Kansas City, and he told how well prohibition has been enforced in the state and the splendid progress it has made under it and what it has done for its people.

Kansas is the second state in wealth per capita and the first in the number owning their own homes.

The situation in Portland was given, showing a decided improvement in sentiment and the meeting closed with America.

The Hammer quartet furnished some excellent music, that took.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Congressman Hawley, assembly nominee, follower of Joe Cannon, supporter of the iniquitous Aldrich measure, came down from a trip up the Springfield road. Park Beatty, another assembly man, also returned from a still hunt up the Lebanon road. Has any one learned how he stands on statement number one. A. M. Templeton, candidate for sheriff also arrived. The present indications are that he will not be sheriff.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

G. C. Sandstrom, of the Union Furniture factory, left on a trip to Tacoma. Mr. Sandstrom reported a splendid business at the factory. Big improvements have been made, more machinery added, but the factory has not been able to meet the demand for its product, in fact Mr. Sandstrom said three times as much could have been sold. First-class goods is giving the factory a splendid reputation all along the coast, down into California.

Geo. Finley, who came up from Portland left for his home at Crawfordville. He says it looks like West for governor.

G. W. Phillips, a popular barber, with Bruce & Anderson for two and a half years, left for Woodburn, where he has bought a shop and will make his home. He already owns a residence there, and while he likes Albany and hates to leave the city, he also likes Woodburn, and is anxious to again have his own shop.

D. W. Rumbaugh left for Eugene and Springfield on frost business.

The Rogaway Dramatic Company, left on their regular trip.

W. C. Breckenridge went to Lebanon. Geo. Prichard, of the Oregonian, returned to Portland.

Bert Perkins, of Springfield, arrived. He once reside here. Keeny brothers returned up Sweet Home way.

Rev. Knott left for Marion county again.

At the Cox School.

Wednesday evening an interesting temperance rally was held at the Cox school house six miles north east of town. A tallyho with twenty-one passengers went out and made things lively with yells and choruses. The Epworth League quartet furnished several numbers and the speakers were Rev. W. S. Gordon, Clyde Williamson, Chas. Ohling and J. G. Minon. The attendance was good and the dry sentiment strong. The new Oregon Dry yell published in the Democrat a few days ago, made a good hit, as did the cartoon by Rev. Gordon and Mahlin Blair, representing the "Saloon on the Ran."

Judge Galloway Here.

Judge William Galloway, of department two of the circuit court, was in the city today and held a special session of his department. He has made a just and efficient judicial, courteous and reasonable, and will undoubtedly be re-elected. His record has been a good one, both as judge and citizen.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 59-65.
The river is .7 of a foot.
Prediction: fair tonight and Saturday.

J. H. Glover died at the county infirmary this morning, at the age of about 60 years. He came from Indiana and had been in the farm about a year and three months.

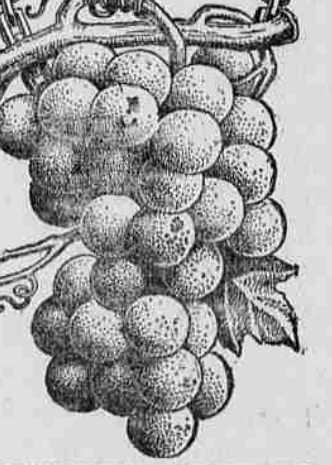


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STRAW VOTE.

The straw vote started yesterday at the barber shop of Bruce and Anderson was finished up last evening, votes coming in much faster than was anticipated, a live contest being developed. West won out with 61 out of 107 votes, a majority of 15, and Sheriff Smith received 54 to Templeton's 45. If a like majority was sustained through the county West would have a majority of about 600 and Smith 350. That would be about right anyway.

An Explanation.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:
I wish to state for the information of those interested that I had nothing to do with the Home Rule cards tacked up at the entrance of the house. They were not there at 5:15 when I left, and at 7 when I went back to open the theatre and light up it was very dark, using a match to see to unlock the door, turning on the front lights from within, several seeing me do this, and I did not notice the cards. In putting down the curtain I was left in the dark and did not see the card there, but on my way back I did see some small cards distributed on several seats, making the remark to D. N. Williamson, "I wonder how these got there." After that I remained in the office, and did not know anything about the cards being up until mentioned by the speaker, which was a reflection upon me and the house. I at once went out and tore the cards down. Further more, I always treat people alike who use the house regardless of who it is, so long as respectable, and have respect for any one's honest belief or opinion on any subject.

The back door of the Opera house is usually left open by the janitor after 4 o'clock when the house is to be used, and some one no doubt entered that way.

Bingham Tonight.

I. H. Bingham, independent candidate for joint senator, will speak at the court house tonight. He is for statement number one and the direct primary and is anti-assembly. Go and hear him.