

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn. In the matter of the estate of Alpheus Nordyke, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the above entitled estate, has heretofore, on the 6th day of February, 1911, filed her Final Account in the above entitled estate; that the above entitled court has made an order and decree setting and fixing the 13th day of March, 1911, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, in the County Court room of the County of Linn, in the State of Oregon, for the hearing of said Final Account and any and all objections, if any there be, and the settlement thereof. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to be present at said time and place and make objections to said Final Account, if any they have. Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 10th day of February, 1911. ANNA MARY NORDYKE, Administrator of the Estate of Alpheus Nordyke, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was, on the 6th day of February, 1911, by order of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, duly made and entered of record, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Katherine Miller, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers within six months from the date of this notice to the undersigned Administrator of said estate at his office, in Albany, in Linn County, Oregon. Dated this 7th day of February, 1911. H. H. HEWITT, Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has filed his final account in the matter of the estate of N. G. McDonald, deceased, in the county court of Linn county, Oregon, and said court has fixed the 6th day of March, 1911, at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time for hearing and settling all objections to said account, therefore, all persons having any objection to said account are hereby notified and required to appear and file the same in said court on or before said last mentioned date. Dated this 3rd day of February, 1911. A. R. McDONALD, Executor of said estate. W. R. BILYEU, Atty for Executor.

REFEREE'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned referee will on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1911, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Albany, Linn County, Oregon, pursuant to the decree and order of said duly made and entered in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Linn County, on December 6, 1910, in that certain suit pending in said Court, wherein John Shaffer is plaintiff and William Bilyeu is defendant, sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand subject to confirmation by said court, all the right, title and interest of the above named plaintiff and defendant in the following described premises, to-wit: The north one-half of the northwest one-fourth of the northeast one-fourth of section 2, Tp. 12 south range 1 W. of the Will. Mer. in Linn County, Oregon. C. E. SOX, Referee. C. C. BRYANT, Atty for plaintiff. First publication January 13, 1911. Last February 10, 1911.

REGISTRATION TITLE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County. In the matter of the application of Laura E. Pirtle and R. W. Tripp to register the title to the following described premises, to-wit: Beginning at a point which is four feet south and twenty-five feet west from the northeast corner of Lot No. Two in Block No. Nine in the town of North Brownsville, in Linn County, State of Oregon, and running thence south one hundred and one feet to the south boundary line of said Lot No. 2; thence west eighty feet to the southwest corner of said Lot No. 2; thence south fifteen feet; thence west fifteen feet, thence north one hundred and sixteen feet to a point four feet south of the north boundary line of said Block No. 9; thence east ninety-five feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, all situated in Linn County, State of Oregon, against A. A. Tussing, S. P. Barger, W. S. Holcomb, R. Henderson, Lester Crawford, W. W. Bailey, and M. Reine and U. S. Rider, partners under the firm name of Reine & Rider, and all whom it may concern, defendants. To all Whom It May Concern: Take notice, that on the 7th day of February, A. D. 1911, an application was filed by said Laura E. Pirtle and R. W. Tripp in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County for initial registration of the title to the lands above described. Now, unless you appear on or before the 13th day of March, A. D. 1911, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same. WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Circuit Court, this 7th day of February, A. D. 1911. (Seal) W. L. MARKS, County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Circuit Court of Linn County, Oregon. HEWITT & SOX, Applicant's Attorney.

(MONDAY.)

WON ALL THE GAMES.

The Albany high school team returned Sunday morning from their southern Oregon trip, playing seven games and winning all of them as follows: Eugene 21, Albany 36; Roseburg 20, Albany 55; Medford 17, Albany 31; Ashland 20, Albany 40; D. Co. Roseburg 10, Albany 19; Cottage Grove 10, Albany 32; Eugene 25, Albany 45. They also beat Salem, Woodburn and Silverton. The last game was the third with Eugene and was easy. The regular team work was done by Beeson and Kennard forwards, M. Bigbee center, Lyle and Carson Bigbee guards. Accompanying the team were Douglas, Archibald and Crowell, subs, Prof. Marquam, manager, and Haman Bilyeu coach. They reported a fine time and good treatment. Early in the season beaten by McMinnville and Newberg the boys are satisfied they would be easy now and are anxious to return games with them. Their record is a splendid one and puts them in the front among the high school teams.

Death of Mrs. Hart.

Mrs. Hart died this morning at the home of her son, David E. Hart, on Lyon street, at the age of 68 years. She was born in Kentucky and came to Oregon in 1884. Her husband died six years ago. She was a member of the Christian church, a woman of excellent character and many Christian virtues. She leaves the following children: A. H. Hart, Portland; Robert L. Hart, Salem; John P., David E., Mrs. Parsons and Mrs. Hugh Fisher, of Albany; and Mrs. C. W. Merrill. The funeral will be held at the home of D. E. Hart, at 12 o'clock tomorrow, when the remains will be taken to Salem for burial.

Doing Y. M. C. A. Work.

A delegation of eight college students, headed by Grover Birtchet, this morning returned from Halsey, where they spent three days as a Y. M. C. A. delegation under the state association, a plan being carried out through the state. Several meetings were held with the young men of Halsey, much interest being taken, and a couple of basket ball games played, Halsey winning both of them. The trip was mutually enjoyed.

A Distinguished Man.

Rev. D. L. Kiehle, of Portland, a retired Presbyterian preacher, 73 years of age, preached two able sermons at the U. P. church yesterday. He is a distinguished scholar, formerly a professor in the University of Minnesota and McAllister University and eight or ten years superintendent of public instruction of Minnesota, a man of delightful character and great culture.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 50-26, the coolest morning for some time. The river is 5.3 feet. Prediction: fair tonight and Tuesday.

Eggs have dropped and are 22 cents.

Mrs. Myer went to Lebanon this afternoon. John Baker was drowned at Eugene Saturday. W. H. Corbett died in Portland this morning. Roosevelt has reached Chicago on his western trip. Mrs. C. Simpson returned this noon from Portland. Mrs. Sadie Cohn has returned from Los Angeles. It is so cold in Mexico the soldiers have had to quit fighting. The new harem skirt was greeted by jeers in London. Served it right. W. F. Garrett has begun working for the C. W. Tebault Real Estate Co. Lord and Mrs. Decies left Saturday evening for Europe. Good riddance. Mrs. Gertrude Bussard Miller of Portland, is visiting at the home of her father. The new power line has reached Albany and in a few days will be ready for emergencies. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bowerman, in Portland, Saturday, twins, making four Bowerman kids in all. Mrs. Bert Veal returned Saturday night from The Dalles, where she spent several weeks on a visit with friends. H. T. Wentworth, of Ashland, joined Mrs. Wentworth on an Albany visit. He reports great success at Ashland. Rev. W. P. White this noon returned from Portland, where he preached the opening sermon in the new Third U. P. church. Tom Richardson has accepted the position of booster for Baltimere and will go there to help make that city a rival of New York. It won't work out. Carl Thuneman left this morning for Eureka, Calif. by way of Portland, where an excellent position awaits him. He made good in Albany and leaves many warm friends here. Miss Hoenic, head milliner at the Hamilton Store has returned from a trip east, spent mostly at St. Paul and Chicago, where Miss Hoenic made a specialty of studying the latest creations in millinery. Mrs. E. D. Cusick and Mrs. H. A. Nelson Friday night entertained a large number of friends in a card party. Seventeen tables were filled in a progressive game of 500. Choice refreshments were served and a fine time socially enjoyed.

SHOOTING AT NIAGARA.

There was something of a tragedy enacted at Niagara Saturday evening. John Webb, of this city shot George Lapias, a Greek, hitting him under the heart, the ball striking a rib and glancing off Lapias and his brother had formerly worked on the Albany section with Webb, angry because Webb, an American, was allowed to work. They were discharged and then hired again at Niagara with a gang of Greeks, the foreman not knowing of the discharge here. Saturday the Albany gang was sent to Niagara after rock, and remembering threats Webb put his revolver in his pocket. He formerly resided in Texas. At Niagara he was told that Lapias had been talking about him, and asked him if he didn't call him a s---b, when trouble ensued, and Webb not only shot Lapias, but fired three times at his brother and another Greek who had been mixed up in the affair. He claimed to act in self-defense. The men were brought to Albany in the evening on a work train, Webb taken to Salem by the constable and Lapias to a hospital at Portland. It is thought he will live. Webb has a wife and two children, residing at this city. He is justified by the railroad men knowing about the case and circumstances leading up to the shooting.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Prof. D. V. S. Reid, of Heppner, went to Lebanon on a visit with relatives. He is a former Albany teacher, principal of the Albany schools at one time, county superintendent at another, bookkeeper of the Albany Farmers and Merchants Insurance Co., superintendent of the schools at Eugene for six years, then going to Eastern Oregon, where he was candidate on the democratic ticket for state superintendent and has resided about fifteen years. J. W. Baker went to Corvallis on a business trip. He is a candidate for game warden under the new law, and if the commission wishes a man in the place, who will attend to the business he will be appointed. He knows the business. W. B. Chance, mill inspector, left for Salem. Under a new law Mr. Chance hereafter will keep away from the Democrat's one horse power electric motor. Railroad Commissioner Miller returned to Salem. Pretty soon Mr. Miller will be busy looking after all public utilities, as well as railroads. Mrs. P. A. Young went to Portland for the day, being accompanied by Miss Carolyn Cannon, who returned home after an Albany visit. Miss Maggie Dunlop returned from a visit with her folks at Halsey. Miss Croso went to Jefferson for a short visit. George Bayne came down from Peoria. T. A. Farmer went to Portland. J. H. McConnell, of Shedd, returned from a Corvallis trip.

Educational Meeting.

An educational meeting will be held at No. 10 Grange Hall next Saturday, the 25th, of general interest to the first of the year, to be followed by others through the county. The program will consist of songs and declamations, a comic selection by Prof. Kendall, work of the recent legislature by Hon. C. L. Shaw, horticulture by E. C. Armstrong of Marion county, select reading by Mrs. Foley, the truancy law by D. N. Williamson, the grange by W. W. Francis, public expenditures by a member of the county court, select reading by Prof. Kendall, the school from three stand points, by Prof. Mitchell on centralization, C. F. Bigbee the teacher and Thos. Froman the patron, select reading by Mrs. Peebler and contests in declamations, songs and maps for prizes. A basket dinner will be served.

Good Building Stone.

W. L. Cobb, of North Albany, has received an analysis by Prof. Parks, of the O. A. C., of stone from his quarry in North Albany. Prof. Parks in his statement recommends it heartily for building purposes. The test showed the compressive strength to be 10,000 pounds to the square inch, the transverse strength 13,000 pounds to the inch. Mr. Cobb has the quarry open and expects to make a business of getting out stone for building purposes.

A Suggestion.

Albany, Feb. 17.—Would it not be a small thing for Albany to buy the Albany Brewery property on 9th and Lyon streets for a city hall? It is well located, besides doing away with the present nuisance of everybody looking at the present sign from the depot, and otherwise could not the park women do something along the line for the benefit of the depot park? CITIZEN.

College Day of Prayer.

Dr. Parsons, of Portland, arrived this noon, and this afternoon, at 2 o'clock conducted the first service for the college day of prayer. Tonight at 7:30 at the Presbyterian church he will be heard again, and all are invited. Clarence Phipps yesterday, four miles from Coburg, Lane county, was mistaken for a deer and shot by Harvey Southerland, dying soon after. Lane used to be the star mistaking for a deer county in the state, but has not been doing much at it for several years.

TUESDAY.

SAND AND GRAVEL.

That is Clean and Right for Use.

One of the best institutions established in Albany is that of the Albany Sand and Gravel Co. on Water street. Many of the cement walks in Albany show the effects of poor material. With clean gravel and a uniform sand a wonderful improvement is possible. This is being appreciated by the builders of Albany, and should be demanded by property owners putting in concrete walks and other concrete work. Besides it is not costing more than poor stuff has, in fact is less. Where a year ago \$1.25 a cubic yard for mixed gravel was being charged only \$1 a yard is charged by the Albany Sand and Gravel Co. Where \$3 was being paid for sand only \$2 a cubic yard is being charged by the Company, a splendid product giving general satisfaction. The sand and gravel insure a solid job, and that is what is wanted and needed here. The demands for sand and gravel have been so large the Company has found it necessary already to enlarge the business, and another bunker has been begun, trebling the capacity. Another scow is also needed and will be built this spring.

Fleeing from Taxes.

An Albany man after receiving his tax notice remarked that he was going to sell out and go elsewhere. The taxes in Albany are about the lowest of any of the cities. They are seven mills more in Eugene, nearly twice as much in Astoria, more in Medford, in fact about everywhere else. You can't flee from taxes, and put it down that in the cities that amount to much they are pretty stiff.

Building Begun.

Mr. Chas. Pfeiffer has begun the erection of a bungalow on the north end of his lots at Ferry and Sixth street. It will be modern in every respect and built specially for the use of Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer, who will occupy it, and rent their present home. This year promises to be an active one in building, and a good many new houses will go up for homes and rental.

The Weather.

Range of temperature 54-30. The river 5.1 feet. Prediction: fair tonight and Wednesday.

The W. O. W.

The Women of Woodcraft met in regular session last evening, and had a very enjoyable time. As this meeting was so near George Washington's birthday, the Captain and her guards surprised the members by marching in from another room, each wearing a "George Washington" hat made of red, white and blue bunting, with gilded hachets for ornaments, and singing as they marched in "Marching Through Georgia." After the business session was over, the committee led the way to the "Elite" where the guests were served with the delicacies Mr. Churchill knows so well how to prepare.

O. A. C. Gets \$573,600.

The legislature gave the O. A. C. \$573,600 as follows: \$140,000 for maintenance, \$39,600 for completing agricultural hall, \$39,000 for dairy building, \$25,000 for mining building, \$14,000 for farm mechanic's building, \$7,600 for stock pavilion, \$11,000 for foundation, \$25,000 for more land, \$60,000 for equipment, \$25,000 for improvements, \$15,000 for repairs, \$15,000 for books for the library, \$15,000 for investigating fruits, \$8,000 for Harney experiment station.

Important Decision.

Washington, Feb. 20.—A "transportation rate is not unjust and unreasonable," within the meaning of the interstate commerce laws, merely because it may be pronounced inequitable, according to a decision announced today by the Supreme Court of the United States. The court holding invalid the interstate commerce commission order, reducing the rates on lumber from the Willamette Valley to San Francisco.

Two Booze Brigands.

As a train on the Corvallis and Eastern was passing Granger a beer bottle was thrown through the window of the engineer's cabin, striking the engineer, Robert Moore on the head, fortunately not injuring him seriously. Sheriff Gellatly and a posse started in pursuit and captured two men, Jas. Peters and Ed Johnson, residing at Corvallis, who were held for examinations today. The men had three dozen bottles of beer and three bottles of whiskey.

The Commercial Club.

The Commercial Club met last night with ten members present and held a very short session, with nothing doing, three communications being referred. 200 copies of Simpsons magazine, with the Albany write-up, about the best yet, have been ordered.

Square Meal Coming.

Get your appetite whetted for two big meals next Saturday, when the Civic Improvement Club will give a dinner and supper at the W. C. T. U. hall for the oak fund. Price 35 cents. Albany, is most prominently mentioned for the place.

GET BUSY.

To Owners of Orchards and Vines. Have YOU heeded the call to GRUB up the old gnarled trees, pruned and burned ALL the unnecessary growth? If not "GET BUSY." You must get the trees in shape and open headed to get the best results, as now while trees are dormant is the time to spray for San Jose scale, etc. This will also kill the moss on those trees but will probably take more than one application to clean them thoroughly. Apply the following with spray pump, using high pressure. Be sure and get all the parts well covered with spray as this kills by contact, get above and spray down, hitting them all good and hard. FORMULA. Commercial lime and sulphur 50 test. To One (1) gallon of lime and sulphur add eight (8) gallons water, keep well agitated. Am now among the orchards of the county, may call on you next. Are YOUR trees and vines ready for inspection? D. W. RUMBAUGH, County Fruit Inspector.

News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

W. O. W. Shepherd and son Oscar, left on a Lebanon trip. The latter recently arrived here from the east, after visiting in North Yakima on the way, and is looking for a location for the candy business, being an experienced maker of confections. Hon. C. L. Shaw, after forty days of strenuous duty at Salem, left for Froman, to look after the Shaw herd. Mr. Shaw consistently voted with the people to keep down needless appropriations, and hopes to see the people do what the legislature failed to do. S. G. Simon and J. P. Roberts left on a Lebanon business trip. E. C. Roberts went to Portland. His son Ray went to Lebanon. Dr. Kiehl, of Portland, after a trip to Eugene to see the U. O. A. C. went to Corvallis to take a look at the O. A. C. A college professor a good many years he takes an active interest in the big schools of the country. Prof. Nicholls, the band leader, came down from Lebanon on his way to Shedd, where his home is. Lawyer Tussing, of Brownsville, left for home after a Portland trip. Judge Kelley went to Salem.

As the Sage Rooster Sees Things.

Eugene is still forging ahead. Several big real estate deals have just been closed. Alton Hampton has moved his stock of goods to his new three story brick, the most up-to-date store south of Albany. Mr. Hampton has also just completed a \$16,000 residence, a peach. He has grown up with Eugene, and Eugene will have to hustle to keep up with him. The cement walls of the new Christian church are going up fast. The building will be an ornament to the city. The Presbyterian church building, built two years ago is gradually crumbling, actually becoming dangerous to persons passing along by the building. The building committee was told by experts the stone was no good, but thought they knew best. Farmers along the Asset R. R. are in a quandary whether to plant early peas and radishes, late corn and potatoes on the right of way. The Methodists have plans completed for a fine new church building, but are undecided as to the material. My advice is to get a Missourian expert on the committee. SAGE ROOSTER.

For the March Term of Circuit Court.

Shelburn J. T. Funk, Jas. Johnston, Crawfordville.—F. M. Barr, Tallman.—Orville Crawford, Center.—I. Wheldon, Brownsville.—I. E. Dinwiddie, B. M. Cushman. Price.—E. H. Holloway, Halsey.—John W. Miller, Jos. Owens, Lebanon.—E. H. Hurlburt, C. D. Stein. Foster.—Arthur E. Doty, Tangent.—V. E. Looney, Albany.—J. T. Irvin, Earl L. Fisher, E. C. Brandeberry, W. E. Gilbert, K. McKechnie. Harrisburg.—Gibert Peterson, B. S. Norwood, H. Bishop. Knox Butte, C. W. Houston. Orleans.—Michael Coon, E. F. Traux, Scio.—Albert E. Randall, B. F. Titus, Laebmb.—Ira G. Soule, F. B. Powell, Shedd.—J. H. Mears, C. H. Davidson.

Getting Tired.

Redding, Cal., Feb. 20.—The band of I. W. of the World, bound for Fresno, Cal., is rapidly diminishing in numbers. Half of those who started from northern points have dropped out, some retracing their steps northward. Only 35 were left at Montague, where they spent last night, several of their orators speaking on the street. The men propose to remain at Montague tomorrow and promise more speech-making for tonight.

The White All Right.

Have you ever ridden in a torpedo. Then try one of the 1911 Whites with a torpedo body. Barrett Bros. have received one, as smooth, noiseless a machine as it is possible to find, well put up and complete in all the details. The White is a fine machine all right. Barrett Bros. are also pushing the sale of the Studebaker, and already have ten orders ahead for 1911 cars.

WEDNESDAY.

Empire Photoplay Theatre.

"The Redeemed Criminal."—A beautiful lesson in brotherly love, that can be followed easily, and only a good clean interpretation can be derived from the excellent portrayal, by this splendid company of actors. "The Girl in the Film."—This Vitagraph company excels in every way, and in this comedy is shown work of unusual merit. Accidentally a young girl's "face" is taken in a camera belonging to a young man, and "love will find a way," they say, and the young people finally are engaged. A dandy story. "A Clever Domestic."—One of Father's many good comedies in which a general smash up results in the being of the clever (3) domestic. "Mexican Tumblers."—This is absolutely the best act in tumbling ever produced in pictures and you will say so when you have seen it. See stunts that you have never seen before. Miss Croso singing, "When Your Hair was in a Curl." Admission 10 cents.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

List your business with T. W. Hornback of the Hub Land Co. Near S. P. Depot. Phone 191-R. FARMERS NOTICE. List your farms with T. W. Hornback of the Hub Land Co., 10th and Lyon Sts., near S. P. Depot, for quick sales, for when your farm is listed here with me it is also listed in Portland, as I have an office there also. When in town call and talk in proposition over with me. Phoa