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SPASMODIC REFORM.

Ed. Democrat.—As "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty," it is also the price of many other good things, in truth it is the price to be paid for final victory in all good things, always.

This thought came to my mind on reading an article in a recent number of the Oregonian. The writer asked "What is being done in the field of temperance? Where is the active army of workers seen before election? Why reserve themselves for a time of political issue only?"

These questions had suggested themselves to me before. There was great gain in temperance sentiment, and enthusiasm during the three months preceding election. Why throw that all aside, and have to work it up again for another election? Though we all have other interests and other work, why crowd the temperance question out of sight at any time, only to make another spasmodic effort to regain the ground we lose? Will not the little gains of today help the work of tomorrow? Each recruit gained during the year, will it not add strength to the forces when time for another active engagement arrives?

The fact that liquor is being sold secretly and illegally in many places in our town, is mentioned in the papers, a jesting reference perhaps to the "blind pig," but where is there any one working earnestly and seriously to remedy these conditions?

Will not the temperance people of Albany give this subject more thought in everyday life, and practice that vigilance which commands success.

PROSPECTS OF 1911.

How much building will be done in Albany this year is mostly speculation so far. There are plenty of rumors and prospects, but the actual goods are yet indefinite. We are going to have a fine post office building, for which \$40,000 has actually been appropriated; but the indications are that the contract will not be let for it until next fall, and then there will be an immense sight of red tape before actual work is begun. A city hall has been ordered and should have been under way, but the members of the council paid \$25 a year for serving the people have not yet agreed upon a site. There will undoubtedly be a Carnegie library; but the spike has not yet been driven in the proposition, and some are afraid Mr. Carnegie may tell us to wait until the government says 5,000, but probably not. We have 6,129 and can prove it. As for business blocks there are several places where there is a crying need for old shacks to be torn down and bricks put up, and some rumors, but no actual plans yet blue printed. It is currently reported there will be more new residences than last year, but the plans are not yet entirely in evidence. The Democrat, though, predicts that at the end of the year Albany people will be able to look back at a good one in the building line. It is up to the people of Albany to make it one, and to keep at it.

RECIPROCITY WITH CANADA.

A cartoon shows Joe Cannon swinging his arm and yelling, "I am against reciprocity with Canada." It is entitled "Another good reason for reciprocity." That is if Joe Cannon is against it there is reason to believe it is a good thing. The matter is one that should be viewed from an unselfish standpoint. On account of the closeness of the two countries and their mutual interests one cannot help thinking that there should be a reciprocal arrangement between the two countries of a very liberal character, and let the result take care of itself. Certainly the United States is no longer an infant and is able to get out into the open and face the commercial music of the world. There should be more reciprocal treaties of a broad character, and the U. S. should be fearless in its willingness to join hands in such reciprocity.

A GOLDEN MEAN IN FASHION.

A movement of rebellion has been begun in the U. S. against freak fashions imported from Europe, supposed to be the fashion center. It is to be hoped it is kept up and is made emphatic in its character. We should be sensible in the matter of fashion the same as in other things. Women do well to look well, but they have no right to make frights of themselves. So called harem skirts, four quartered skirts, etc., are foolish and have nothing to back them in the providing for the progress of fashion. There is a golden mean in all things, and it should be insisted upon in the wearing apparel of the land.

Fooled 'Em 6 Years.

IANVILLE.—Arch E. Ed Stribling, for five years chief of police of Devilsville under the name of R. E. McIs, was arrested here today as an escaped murderer from prison in Harri county, Nevada. Stribling confessed this identity. For the last six years Stribling has been living here. Ed was made several times to trace out some shady man in his past, but not making any prison career was brought out. Stribling as chief of police for an hour two years ago was had been here tomorrow night and was generally known that Stribling would be released.

SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS.

Congress has adjourned and there has been a good deal of talk about an extra session to look after matters the old congress has failed to attend to. The new congress can do what the old congress failed to do because it has a different makeup. Will it do what it has promised is an interesting question. With a senate made up of the kind of men generally elected to the kind of old legislative system almost anything may be expected. When senators are elected by the people there will be a different condition of affairs in the country.

In Oregon there is a little aftermath in reference to the legislature. The principal thing has been kicks by a gang that did little else during the regular session but try to get even for past political acts of others. The public is quick to see through these things, and they affect matters very little, just causing a momentary ripple.

Just how many people are in Albany after all is not as important a matter as the kind of people we have, and the standing of the city as a moral force. It is a big thing for a city to be a good place in which to reside, a home place. Albany is such a place, and has the advantage of excellent business facilities as well.

The divorce courts often reveal strange things and odd tastes in married life, private affairs coming to the top that might better be kept in the closet. Marriage may be a lottery, but it is also numerous other things. A good many people would do well to keep out of it, or lay in a supply of good sense.

Winning a basket ball championship is not the greatest thing in the world; but it plays its part and is important in the history of a school, athletics occupying a field, which when run along sensible lines, is a good one deserving encouragement. The victories of the Albany high school team are due to good material of a very speedy character and to first-class training. The championship will attract attention to the school, gradually building up into a splendid institution of learning, and as it does so it does well to hold its own in athletics.

Selecting a Site.

A meeting will be held on Monday by the members of the Presbyterian church to select a site for the new church. The general report is that the Oregon Electric depot will be just opposite the present church, making that an undesirable place for service, which has suggested some other location, and there is talk of the college property at the corner of Ninth and Ferry streets, a fine place for a church.

Marcell Austin and Violet Nutting this afternoon at the home of O. D. Austin were celebrating their birthdays, occurring March 3 and 4, in a party.

(FRIDAY.)

DR. RILEY COMING.

Dr. William Riley, with a first-class singing evangelist, will arrive in Albany on March 16 for the big spring series of meetings, for which the armory has been secured, better by far than the tabernacle, specially built a couple years ago at a big expense for the Johnson meetings. The churches have united for these meetings, which will be made an evangelistic issue this spring.

Dr. Riley is one of the best in this western country. He was here for several meetings and our people at once had confidence in him and his powers as a worker for righteousness, a man above quibblings and bickerings, that characterize so many cheap john evangelists, who in the long run do about as much harm as good.

Strong committees have been appointed and the prospects are bright for some good meetings in the interest of real Christian growth and development.

A dispatch was received last night by Rev. S. A. Douglas from Dr. Riley, in which he finally agreed to come, fixing the date.

Afraid of the People.

San Francisco, March 2.—Francis J. Heney, graft prosecutor, who conducted the prosecution of Abe Ruef, commenting today on the final court order ending Ruef's fight to escape a 14 years' sentence for bribery, sees in the final action a powerful argument for the recall. The state supreme court in vacating an order granting a rehearing to Ruef virtually reversed itself after it had been attacked by the attorney general and the legislature had started an investigation of the court.

Returned from Pendleton.

John Stevens, of the C. & E., has returned from Pendleton, where he went with Gov. West and party to inspect the proposed site for an asylum. He reports the place a good one, well suited for an asylum, and it has been selected for the important eastern Oregon improvement. It lays well, is dry and not at all as some of the reports made it.

The I. W. W.

FRESNO, Cal., March 2.—Following an agreement between Industrial Workers of the World and city authorities here, 37 of the industrialists were released from jail late today. Others will be released in small numbers from time to time to prevent possible rioting. One of the industrialists released today by their agreement to leave their

SATURDAY.

SCHMITT'S WARMING.

New Block as Novel Dedication

The new Schmitt block was dedicated last night by Alfred C. Schmitt with a banquet to the high school boys of Albany, 125 being invited, a novel and splendid way of opening a new block, for the boys will soon be the business men of the city.

Besides the splendid crowd of boys of the high school and the Phi Alpha Pi Society there were Revs. White, Douglas, Gesebricht, Gordon and Moehel, President Campbell of the U. O., Dean Cordley of the O. A. C., Prof. Clark of the Portland Y. M. C. A., Supt. Briggs, Principal Bradley, Prof. Franklin, a couple editors and the Y. M. C. A. committee, Messrs. Hamilton, Tomlinson, Eastburn, Holbrook, Halston, Crowell, Merrill and Bryant, and W. C. Barrett and Clyde Williams.

One of the finest spreads ever served in Albany, with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pfeiffer as the caterers, was enjoyed. Misses Bain, Taylor, Haight, Monteith, Patton and Austin did the serving neatly and promptly.

During the repast choice music was furnished by Prof. Wilson and mother. Some live high school yells included ones for O. A. C. and U. O.

At the close Mr. Schmitt made a good talk, declaring the boys the guests of honor, Albany's business men of the future, whom he wants to see develop into a splendid manhood.

Prof. Cordley told of the fine resources of Oregon, but with its 96,000 acres of settled like Massachusetts it can accommodate 45,000,000 people. In ten years we will have 1,500,000 or 2,000,000 people, in twenty years 3,000,000, suggesting the magnificent opportunities for the boys of today. The better the education the better prepared they will be for the future.

President Campbell, as always, gave a pointed talk, showing the need of more ambition, more steam and force. With the wonderful inventions of the day the possibilities are enormous, and the college education will do much to help meet the issues.

Prof. Clark took them all on Oregon's resources, declaring if all the cows were in one she could lick an icicle on the north pole and switch the flies off the south pole with her tail, that if all the salmon were one it could cross the ocean at a flop, if all the hogs were one it could dig the Panama canal at two grunts. Then he told the story of Studebaker, and the importance of right living, closing with a talk on the Y. M. C. A. and its power for good. Albany needs one.

News From Albany's Six Early Trains.

B. G. Leedy, former master of the state grange, arrived from Corvallis, where he now resides in order to send his children to the O. A. C., and went out to the big Grange meeting at No. 10 today, a big county event.

Commissioner Butler went to Lebanon to consult with the officials there in reference to a rock crusher. The county expects to get one or two this year, and Lebanon also wants one.

Miss Flora Mason went to Portland for a visit at the home of A. M. Cannon.

Clarence Tebault went out to Lebanon on orchard business.

J. R. Penland left for the foot hills near Brownsville on a surveying expedition.

Prof. Wilson made his regular Saturday trip to Salem.

N. Rose, of the S. P., a former Albany man, returned to Portland, where he now resides.

R. E. Morris, of Coburg arrived on a business trip.

C. A. Dobell came over from Corvallis.

Little Florence Ellis, daughter of Harold Ellis, of Portland, left for home after a visit at the home of her grandmother Mrs. Chas. Kiefer.

O. D. Austin left on a commercial trip to Philomath.

J. L. Tomlinson and daughter went to Portland.

Prof. Hargrove returned to Portland.

They Want Us.

The Democrat has received a card from Chas. Parsons, Napa, Calif., with the following neat invitation, which would fit Albany and vicinity well just now, perhaps better than California: California wants people like you. Now's your chance to come out here. We've got sunshine and green grass, and wild flowers right now, and all the comfort of an ideal home to offer you. You'll like it here, all right. There are special low rates on the Southern Pacific, beginning March 10th and in force till April 10th. Ask your ticket agent. No excuse now for not coming to see us and the things we're proud of. Perhaps you don't believe what we say about our climate and State. Come and see for yourself. We'll make good every way. Come on! Yours in hopes.

Prof. W. C. Schmitt and Father McGinn, prominent instructors in Columbia University, were in the city with the basketball team, much disappointed in the way the game terminated. Columbia has a fine team, and it is doubtful if another high school team in the state can beat them.

Prof. Kuhn and family arrived today from Lebanon to attend the funeral of Mrs. Eva Myers. Virgil Hackman, who resides in Baker, will arrive tonight.

E. H. Craven, formerly with Sterling Foster, has been in the city investigating conditions and looking for an office. Mr. Foster has returned from the east and is in Portland.

F. H. Griswold, of Kimball, S. D., is in the city on a visit with his former neighbor W. H. Heinrichs. He will go from here down through California before returning home.

C H NEWS

Circuit Court:—

Judge Galloway last evening adjourned court for a few weeks. On the 13th Judge Kelley will hold his first term, when Judge Galloway will preside in all cases in which Judge Kelley has been interested as an attorney.

In the case of John F. Egan against Agnes Egan divorce was ordered granted.

In the Lebanon injunction cases after denying motions on both sides for judgment on the pleadings thirty days was given for replies to the answers.

Heavy tax payments:— Laura Beard \$106.54, Emma C. Allen \$122.35, C. P. Brown \$105.35, J. D. Wasson \$127.55, Clara A. Wasson \$171.89, Bernard Minton \$110.80, J. W. Bland \$118.41, M. McAlpin \$113.02.

In estate of Clyde Beach, incompetent, sale of real property confirmed. Sale of realty was confirmed in Shaffer vs. Bilyeu.

The Clerk's receipts for February were: regular \$233.35, redemption of lands on delinquent tax sales \$30.89, hunting licenses \$42, fishing licenses \$13 Total \$319.24.

The County Court spent the forenoon considering rock crushers and graders, with a number of machine men from Portland present.

Deeds recorded:— Eva L. Swank to Clem Van Nice 8.11 acres \$ 10 J. William Miller to W. E. Parker 2 lots bl 62 Albany 2500 Patent U. S. to the N. P. several tracts under date of 1706

Registration title S. R. Willis and wife.

Heavy tax payments:— J. L. Howard \$101.11, D. T. Pitchford \$113.66, Fannie Brenner \$185.77, J. A. Jones \$108.15, N. A. Bledgett \$135.07, B. B. Springer \$110.18, Austin C. Olin \$100.80, Albert Bond \$105.44, F. S. Gutzman \$104.20, Clara Cooper and Lucy Gard \$200.39, Jefferson Myers \$153, Frank I. Thayer \$117.36, E. B. Perin \$130.95, Isaac Elde. \$196.42, J. S. Ames \$127.17.

Deeds recorded:— Helen G. Gardner to C. K. Spaulding tract 12-1 E. \$ 1 Levi Tillotson to C. K. Spaulding tract 12-1 E. 1 W. E. Parker to S. Strolewicz 60 by 135 1/2 feet bl 62 2250 S. Strolewicz to W. E. Parker 4 lots Sheburn 3000 D. Brady to W. W. Little lot Highland Grove 60 Carrie Irvine to E. E. Warner 4 blocks Brownsville 2000 W. H. Shunk to Michael Lane 60.50 acres 2800 Vesta Hatfield to Sylvia Hulbert et al 110 acres 10 H. Bryant to C. Dewail and wife 2 lots B's ad 350

Application Lewis Sherman and 15 others for S. P. lands 12-1 E.

Registrations of title F. F. Post and August L. Norman.

Inventory filed in estate of Henry W. Settemire.

COUNTY COURT.

The county court this afternoon was finishing up the business of the term. Judge Duncan and Commissioner Russell were in Syracuse precinct looking after some roads and Commissioner Butler went up the C. & E. to Jordan.

After a warm contest the road asked for by John R. Bray and others, south of the city, was ordered established. This road runs from near Mr. Bray's residence, at right angles to the road running south from Jeff Isom's, across the fields to the Tangent road, crossing the Lebanon junction and the Saunium canal. It was opposed by Cockerline and Howard, through whose property it is laid, and it is said the case will be taken to the supreme court.

The application of Fred Zwahlen et al for a road was dismissed upon motion of the applicants.

The E. D. Knapp road matter was continued.

The D. J. Dearborn road was ordered established.

The usual bills were allowed.

Attracting Attention.

Albany sets the pace. The announcement that three of the Albany apparel stores would have a style show the last of the month has attracted attention elsewhere, and it is probable style shows will be the go in Oregon hereafter. The Democrat predicts a good many people here from this part of the state.

Allen Kitchie returned this noon from Lincoln county.

S. H. Cloyenger is at Jefferson for a Sunday visit with his brother.

Mr. Fred Fortmiller and family are visiting the Lees in Junction.

The Southern Pacific \$32,565.35.

Miss Abbie Hyde arrived this noon from Portland on an Albany visit.

Miss Maggie Myer, of Salem, came up this noon for a visit with her folks.

Miss Willette Wright this noon returned to Eugene to resume her studies.

ANY LADY can easily make from \$15.00 to \$25.00 per week working for me quietly in her own home locality. I will pay you to investigate, even if you can only spare two hours per day. No investment required. Turn your spare time into money. Write me at once for particulars. Address MARY B. TAYLOR, Box 30 Woman's Building, Joliet, Illinois.

MISFITS.

Fruit prospects look golden.

A poor reputation is that of the goose.

The man who makes it has to take chances.

Other people have mighty peculiar tastes.

Albany is the style center of the valley.

A fine block is always a monument to the builder.

Divorce cases might well be tried with closed doors.

There are other lotteries than marriage in the world.

The big thieves ought to go to jail the same as the little fry.

If you must talk about some one look in the glass and whack yourself.

Now is the wild goose harvest and wild goose chases are in order.

Get your head and heart in shape for the big meetings at the armory.

March 3 and not a Harem skirt on the streets of this fashion center.

It is the business of the council to select a city hall site and end the foolishness.

People who make the most mistakes themselves kick at the mistakes of others the hardest.

Shall there be a modern downtown hotel built this year. Now is the time to start the movement.

A woman in Poughkeepsie refused to marry a wealthy man there, but he will pay her \$100,000 anyway.

The Mexicans never were much on the fight in the open. They have to sneak up on a man to get him.

Some day we will have a new post office building, a new city hall and a new Carnegie library. When?

If we have good roads, bridges, etc. we must pay for them. Better smile when you go to the sheriff's office.

Albany will be the hen center of Oregon. Why not make it another Petaluma, with better natural advantages.

Another squeal in the Oregonian this morning from Roseburg, hitting Gov. West. It is about the BA gang, and who cares.

After people have paid their taxes and gotten used to it they will feel rich again. It doesn't take long these prosperous days to forget one's taxes.

New York's senatorial muddle continues, disgracing the legislature of that state, a sample of the old system of electing U. S. senators. Oregon is above that kind of business.

Gertrude Dunlap, a vaudeville actress, appeared on the streets of Portland yesterday in a gorgeous harem skirt, evidently done as an advertisement. That is about what the harem skirt will amount to.

The I. W. W., who recently passed through Albany, have been granted the privilege of speaking on the streets of Fresno. Some of them ought to be granted the privilege of working on the streets also.

An eastern minister objects to the word Hello because it has a profane sound. That's hair-splitting, by not object to the words Hello, helo, help, in fact all words having the hell sound to them.

Albany, Or., merchants contemplate a style show of women's goods late in the month. Have they consulted Anthony Comstock?—Oregonian.

Don't need to—Albany women are noted for their culture and good sense. Nor harem skirts or snee dresses here.

FARM SALE.

At public auction at the farm of John F. Ropp, 5 1/2 miles east of Albany, on Lebanon road, Tuesday March 14, at 10 a. m., farm machinery, consisting of binder, mower, buncher, hay rake, disc plow, other plows, harrow, land roller, chopper, seed drill and cultivator, gasoline engine, blacksmith outfit, wagons, gravel bed, hay rack, hack, buggy, harness, driving and work horses, colts, several cows, heifers, bull, sow, shoats, pigs, boars, turkeys, chickens, household goods, etc.

\$10 and under cash, over that 8 months on bankable notes at 7 per cent Free lunch at noon.

JOHN F. ROPP, Owner.

W. H. HOCHSTEDLER, Auctioneer.

SCHNEIDER'S VETERINARY CHANGE.

For barrenness, mares or cows, raise a perfect colt, have the mare in perfect condition before service. You will raise a colt according to the condition of the organs before service. Do not spend all summer before you know whether you will raise a colt or not. Mares will do better all the year after feeding this medicine. Raise a fine horse. Help nature of the mare. You will not hope in vain after feeding this medicine. Only seven days feeding necessary for each mare \$3.00 per box by mail. Wm. Schneider, R. D. No. 4, Box 25, Albany, Ore.

ALBANY

Prompt service at the Imperial. Hot again at the Holt corner. A neat place, Holt's Meat Market. Fresh herring and smelt at Holt's. Choice lunches at the Vienna Bakery. There is a lady cook at the Imperial. No better meals than at the Imperial, 2nd street.

Have your feet attended to by Mrs. Driver 250 Lyon, both phones.

A new high-grade sewing machine for \$25 at Davenport's closing out sale.

S. G. Simons has ordered one of those popular Chalmers-Detroit cars of J. L. Irvine, a fine machine.

Dr. R. C. Hunt announces the removal of his dental offices from the Bremer Block to the new Schmitt Block.

The regular monthly meeting of the Civic Improvement Club will be held on Monday afternoon at the Commercial club rooms. A full attendance of members is greatly desired, also payment of back dues. Ladies are generally invited.

Mrs. A. W. Bowersox is visiting her folks at Wheatland.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SPRAY.

We have the genuine lime and sulphur solution. See us and get Prices before placing your orders.

LASSELE BROS.

If your horse has HEAVES use Stone's Heave Drops. Price \$1. For sale by all druggists.

Dr. S. C. STONE, Salem - Oregon.

Scott's Santal-Pepsin Capsules

A POSITIVE CURE For inflammation of Catarrh of the Bladder and Prostate Gland. No more NOSE, NO CATARRH, NO HEAVES, NO BRONCHITIS, NO ASTHMA, NO GLEET, NO MISTERY OF HOW TO CURE THEM. Sold by druggists. Price \$1.00, or by mail, post-paid, \$1.25, 2 boxes, \$2.00.

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The Riverside Farm

—ED. SCHOLZ, Proprietor— Breeder and Importer of O. I. C. Hogs S. C. White and Buff Leghorns, W. P. Rocks, Light Brahmas, R. C. Rhode Island Reds, White Cochins, Bantams, N. B. Turkeys, White and Golden Ducks, P. O. Guineas.

Winner of 17 prizes and 22 on Poultry at the Lewis & Clark Fair. Eggs in Season. Stock for Sale. Phone, Farmers 95 - - R. F. D. No.

REGISTRATION TITLE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn.

In the matter of the application of Ed. Holloway and E. V. Maddox to register the title to the following described premises, to-wit:

Beginning at the N. E. corner of Sec. 29, T. 13 S., R. 4 W., of Will. Mer., Ore., and running thence S. 24.36 chains to the north line of CL No. 42, in said Tp.; thence E. 6.88 chains to N. E. corner of W. 1/2 of said CL 42; thence S. 19.10 chains; thence E. 9.20 chains; thence S. 20.92 chs. to S. line of said CL 42; thence East 44.45 chains to W. line of Claim 35 in said Tp.; thence north 6.88 chains; thence W. 3.25 chains; thence north 3.25 chains; thence W. 1.33 chains to the S. W. corner of said Claim 56; thence N. 40.57 chains to the N. W. corner of said Claim 56; thence E. 7.98 chains; thence N. 33.03 chains to S. line of Claim 52 in said Tp.; thence W. 75.86 chains to the S. W. corner of Claim No. 52; thence S. 3.58 chains; thence E. 11.85 chains; thence S. 15.81 chains to beginning, containing 456-10 acres, more or less, also, beginning at a certain post on the E. bank of the Willamette river 3.00 chains west and 5.50 chains south of the quarter section post on the north boundary of Sec. 19, in T. 13 S., R. 4 W., of the Will. Mer., Ore.; thence east 8.59 chains; thence south 5.00 chains; thence west 11.50 chains; thence down the Willamette river to the place of beginning, containing 5 acres.

Against Andrew Munson and all whom it may concern, Defendants. To Andrew Munson, and All to Whom it May Concern:

You will take notice that on the 11th day of February, 1911, an application was filed by said Ed. Holloway and E. V. Maddox in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County for an initial registration of the title to the lands above described. Now, unless you appear on or before the 18th day of March, 1911, and show cause why such application shall not be granted 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.

(L. S.) W. L. MARKS, Clerk.

HEWITT & SOX, Attorneys.