

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF EXECUTRIX AND EXECUTOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Executrix and Executor, respectively, of the estate of Stewart M. Pennington, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are required to present said claims, with the proper vouchers, within six months from this date at the office of Gale S. Hill, in the Cusick Bank Building, Albany, Linn county, Oregon.

Dated February 20, 1912.  
ALICE P. RICHARDS, Executrix.  
GALE S. HILL, Executor.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Nancy Muehlenhoff, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are required to present said claims, with the proper vouchers, within six months from this date at the office of Gale S. Hill, in the Cusick Bank Building, Albany, Linn county, Oregon.

Dated February 20, 1912.  
LLOYD G. ANDERSON, Administrator.  
GALE S. HILL, Attorney for Administrator.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Linn County, administrator of the estate of Anna Dunn, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me properly verified as by law required, at my residence in Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

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MARCUS DUNN, Administrator.  
C. C. BRYANT, Attorney.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Linn. By virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County in the case of Alvera S. Loudon, plaintiff, vs. R. E. Slattery and Anna Slattery, his wife, defendants, I will on Saturday the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1912, at the hour of one o'clock p. m. at the front door of the Court House in Albany, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand the following described real property, to-wit:-

All of Lots five (5), six (6), eleven (11), fourteen (14), fifteen (15) and sixteen (16) and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter (N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4) of section four (4), in Township Eleven (11) South of Range Two (2) East and the East half of the Northeast quarter (E. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4) of the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter (N. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4) and the Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) of section thirty (30) in Township ten (10) South of Range two (2) East of the Willamette Meridian, containing 440 acres, more or less, situated in the County of Linn, and the State of Oregon, together with tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the judgment in said case to-wit:- The sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred and Fifty Dollars with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent, per annum, from the 27th day of March, 1911, costs and disbursements in this suit, taxed at Sixteen and 75-100 Dollars, and the sum of Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) allowed by the Court as Attorney's fees in this suit, with interest thereon from the 17th day of January, A. D. 1912, at the rate of six per cent per annum, and accruing cost.

D. S. SMITH, Sheriff of Linn County, Oregon.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the county court of Linn county, Oregon, I have been appointed administrator of the estate of William Gregory, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to me at Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof, properly verified, as by law required.

Albany, Or., Feb. 2, 1912.  
H. A. HECKER, Administrator.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Henry Muehlenhoff, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present said claims, with the proper vouchers, within six months from this date at the office of Gale S. Hill, in the Cusick Bank Building, Albany, Linn county, Oregon.

Dated February 20, 1912.  
LLOYD G. ANDERSON, Administrator.  
GALE S. HILL, Attorney for Administrator.

(MONDAY.)

## GOVERNOR WEST HERE TUESDAY.

The convention of school officials will be held tomorrow, beginning at 10 a. m. and everybody in Albany is urged to attend the sessions at 10 a. m. and 1:30 p. m., men, women and children. It will pay.

There are about five hundred directors and clerks and many will be here. In the forenoon the following questions will be discussed:

- How can the school be made to serve the district better.
- Needed school legislation.
- How to employ and keep a teacher.
- School taxation and the apportionment of funds.
- Work of the rural supervisor.
- Miscellaneous topics.
- Industrial school fair.

In the afternoon Governor West will speak on country life and State School Superintendent Alderman on industrial fairs.

The high school Glee Club will sing at 1:30.

Lawyer A. O. Condit arrived this noon from Salem.

Mrs. G. C. Moon is seriously ill at her home on Third street.

W. C. Breckenridge and daughter, returned this noon from Philomath.

J. R. Hollister, Portland sales agent of the Linn County Orchard Co., arrived this noon.

Mrs. T. P. Haekleman left yesterday for Owosso, Mich., called there by the dangerous illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jones, of Corvallis, arrived this noon on a visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. J. A. Howard.

The Portland, Or., revolver club, won the championship of the U. S. at Springfield, Mass., Saturday by defeating Manhattan.

Mrs. G. A. Krogh and son Jack came up from Portland Saturday on a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neely.

McCreechie and other Portland players passed through the city last night for California for the spring training for this year's games.

William Dean Howells, the great American author, was 72 yesterday, and had a dinner in honor of the event with President Taft present.

At the meeting of the Athenium Society of the O. A. C. Friday night Chas. Hartsock, of this city, opened the program with a continued story.

J. C. Holbrook has returned from Aberdeen, Wash., where he was called by the illness and death of a brother. The burial was on Saturday at that city.

It is now proven conclusively that Roosevelt promised that he would not run. He is now running, and having broken his word is being severely criticized.

The state land board this afternoon decided to appeal the tide land case, recently decided in favor of the Corvallis and Eastern, to the U. S. supreme court.

Hon. M. A. Miller, prominent as a candidate for the U. S. Senate, returned this noon from Portland, where he had been to meet Bryan, who continues to be the most popular speaker in the country.

H. F. Moody has sold his interest in the pool room of Simons and Moody, and tonight will return to his former home at Or. City. Mrs. Moody is a cousin of Mrs. Dr. Leininger.

Mrs. Crawford, who has been connected with the White House of San Francisco, in the Ladies Suit Department, arrived in Albany this morning, and will take charge of the Suit Department of the new store of S. E. Young & Son.

On her recent trip to Chicago Miss Ora Harkness of this city was the only lady in the Pullman, having a lonesome trip of it, getting into Chicago late; but she was soon with Dr. Beers at the Eleanor Club, and is now looking after her education in the Columbia School of Oratory, under the famous Miss Blood.

Mrs. Batty, of Yancalla, returned home today from Sodaville, where she has been a month, accompanied by her brother, Dr. D. M. Jones, who will now visit at her home for a month. He hopes some day to dispose of his Sodaville property and come to Albany, his former home, to again reside.

A fine picture of the great H. M. Bylesby banquet at Chicago may be seen at the office of the Or. Power Co., a very distinct one. Among those seen are Mr. Bylesby, Thos. A. Edison, the world's foremost citizen, Managers Green and Jennings now of Marshfield and Eugene.

A young man connected with a Portland newspaper was arrested yesterday for riding his horse too fast, and this morning paid a fine. His name is omitted by request; also the name of a young man belonging to a good family, who got drunk.

The city council next Wednesday evening will meet with the citizens of the East End, at the new hall at 5th and Hill streets, for a free discussion of the needs of that part of the city, with a view of meeting them as far as possible.

P. C. Lavey and others were indicted at Portland Saturday night by the U. S. grand jury for using the mails for fraudulent purposes in connection with several land deals. By the way Albany has some Lavey victims on a Southern Oregon land deal.

Tonight at the O. A. C. the Hesperian Society will debate the question of the election of Teddy Roosevelt. Willis Sibray of Portland, and E. B. Stanley of Corvallis will take the affirmative, and R. A. Blanchard of Chicago, and Fred Weatherford of Olex, the negative.

March is the birthday month of a number of big men of the world. W. Dean Howells was born March 1, 1837. Luther Burbank March 7, 1849. Homer Davenport March 8, 1857. Andrew Jackson March 15, 1767. Grover Cleveland March 18, 1837. W. J. Bryan March 19, 1856 and Dewolf Hooper in 1838.

## RAID ON THE SKATING RINK.

There was a live time at the skating rink at First and Baker streets Saturday night about 9:20 o'clock. A crowd of citizens, tired of the noise, and believing the place to be a nuisance, made somewhat of a raid on the place, and at least caused a fright. The young men, about a dozen of them, climbed through the windows with their skates on, while the girls went out the door and the place was closed for the night. Jeffers telephoned for the police, and his brother rushed up the street to the home of Chief of Police Daughtry, full of excitement, declaring the skating rink was being torn down, and the night men were outside laughing at the proceedings.

It is said if the place is allowed to run there will be more trouble.

### News from Albany's Six Early Trains.

Ed. School left for Salem to look after getting things ready for the best poultry show the state fair has ever had. He is also a candidate for sheriff, with a good record to go on.

Conductor L. L. Riley left for Newberg, which will be his headquarters for a motor run. Mrs. Riley and daughter Wanita will join him later. They have made many friends here who regret the transfer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thrift, who have been residing at Hoquiam for several years, arrived from a visit at Shedd, and after a short stay at the home of Mr. Thrift's father, W. A. Thrift, will leave for Mosier, where they will join Frank Thrift and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thrift, and make their home, engaging in the fruit business, which certainly ought to be Thrifty with them.

Doug Hamilton, after seeing moving picture films, returned to Seio. While waiting for the Detroit overland he and Elder Williams, who came down from Tallman, had a friendly talk on religion. Doug thought a man was on the way to hell who had to go off to a seminary school to learn to preach.

Miss Florence Ralston returned to her school in the country.

W. H. Shepherd came down from Harrisburg.

Jack Miller left for Ellensburg, Wash., called there by the serious illness of his daughter.

Judge McFadden, the great after dinner speaker of Corvallis, went to Salem.

Franklin Mayer, of Lebanon, went to Portland to join his folks for a visit.

E. C. Roberts, the fruit expert, went to Millers and other places.

Commissioner Butler left up the Calapooia to fix things.

Judge Whitney arrived from Lawson on a short business trip.

Ed. Wiles went to Corvallis.

Judge Kelly went to Salem for special circuit court work.

## TWO SPRINKLERS.

E. S. Hall has bought a modern street sprinkling outfit of Waldo Anderson & Son, which he will use on the streets. With two sprinklers in town the city ought to be dust ridden this year, including the residence section.

## The New F. S. B. Building.

The second floor of the new First Savings Bank building is now finished, and is being occupied, a fine place. The corner suite of rooms are the den of Fish & Ridges and the Pirtle-Wieder Co. Next east Dennis Merrill has a fine office, and there are three other suites of offices on Broadabin street, while in the rear are three suites of living rooms, three rooms to each, with toilet and closets, delightful places for couples without families.

Down stairs the savings bank will be in the corner, the elite next door north and the Albany Floral store next to that, making the building a live one from the jump-off.

## The Shovel Running.

A large number of Albany people went out to Copenhagen yesterday and saw the big steam shovel work. A little train of thirteen cars was kept busy hauling dirt along the trestle, the beginning of the biggest dirt job ever begun at Albany, one that will take several months to complete.

On the way about the muddiest road around Albany is struck between the two bridges, a terror.

For sometime the shovel at Copenhagen promises to be the Mecca for Albany people seeing things.

## Real Estate Lists.

The real estate dealers of the city belonging to the commercial club have furnished the manager of the club with choice lists of property for sale, at the same number, which Mr. Stewart has sent to Portland where they will be furnished newspapers calling at the commercial club, chamber of commerce, and other places, for their guidance in seeking bargains and a place to locate.

## One Ex. at Lebanon.

On Saturday evening the Lebanon telephone exchanges were turned over to Lebanon Mutual Telephone Co. which will run the business, making only one exchange instead of two there. Fortunately Lebanon, the long distance, though, will remain in charge of the Pacific Tel. Co.

## AN AWFUL TRAGEDY AT SALEM.

An awful tragedy occurred at Salem Saturday, when Mrs. L. L. Jellison poisoned herself and four children, aged 9, 11, 13, and 15, using cyanide of potassium. She had been working in a restaurant, but had quit. Mrs. Jellison had been married three times, one husband being John Swanson, of Lebanon, whom she deserted, and Swanson then secured a divorce. Russell Storey, a 17 year old son, who had been living with her, ran away about a week before the deed. He states that several years ago she attempted to poison her family the same way, but it did not work.

John Swanson came down to Albany from Lebanon yesterday morning and went to Salem, taking charge of the burial. Before marriage Swanson had loaned Mrs. Jellison money, finally getting the farm, which was turned over to her son Russell Storey.

It is considered a case of mental depression, with which the woman was often afflicted.

## AT THE U. O.

(As told by the Albany bunch.) In the interclass basketball game the sophomores defeated the freshmen 11 to 8. Miss Elsie Bain played guard, and Miss Gerty Taylor forward a few minutes, for the freshmen. It was a fast and exciting contest. All the girls are encouraged to take part in athletic games of the University. No men are allowed to see the games played by the women students, being played in the women's gymnasium, a small brick structure.

On March 27 an indoor track meet will be held in the U. O. gym between the different classes. Mr. Haywood has offered cups to the winning classes and medals will be given to the individual winners. The meet is to encourage the men to take part in some kind of athletics.

On May 5 at Seattle U. O. and Washington will have a debate between the women's teams, on the woman suffrage question, Washington to have the choice of sides. There are only three college leagues in the U. S. having women teams. Misses Carrie Dagermack and Berdie, Wise two veterans, will again debate this year.

## The Dancing Richards.

At Dreamland tonight beginning a three days engagement. The Dancing Richards in the latest terspichorean novelties. This is a high priced attraction and comes direct from a two weeks run at the Peoples Theatre, Portland.

This act has been a pronounced hit everywhere and is given in addition to the regular program of pictures at no advance in admission.

## Jacob Lieb Homeward Bound.

Jacob Lieb, baker at Conrad Meyer's for nearly twenty years, arrived in New York Saturday, and is due to arrive in Albany the last of the week. The Democrat is informed by a friend of Jake's with a wife, to whom he was married in the faderland.

## The Weather.

Range of temperature 53-32. The river is 5.7 feet. Yesterday was delightful day. Prediction: fair tonight and Tuesday.

## TUESDAY.

J. E. Cherry, of Milton, has been in town.

Wiley Holman was a Corvallis visitor today.

Mrs. Catherine Finch this noon returned from a trip to Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hopkins, of Portland, have been in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ross returned this four months stay at Newport.

Miss Grace Tiffany, of Eugene, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. R. Penland.

G. W. Pennebaker went to Tangent this afternoon to deliver some walnut trees.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Adams, of Portland formerly of Roseburg, have been in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus School went to Lebanon this afternoon to visit their son Louis and family for a few days.

The total deposits in the Lane county banks were \$3,647,000, the First National of Eugene leading with \$1,578,000, almost half.

J. S. Dinkenspiel, head of the firm of Dinkenspiel & Co., of San Francisco, has been in the city, a prominent wholesaler of that city.

Mrs. Rose, a sister-in-law of W. H. Jacks, of Phoenix, Or., left for home this afternoon accompanied by her niece, Miss Cate, of Corvallis.

The Baptists held their monthly men's banquet, with about forty present, a pleasant affair. Dr. J. L. Hill gave an account of his trip to Mexico, characteristically told.

W. H. Scott, a former Albany real estate man, and wife, were in the city this noon on their way to Lebanon for a visit before going to Southern Oregon to spend some time. They have been in Seattle the past winter.

The reading of Mrs. Hemenway, of Cottage Grove, at the Christian church, last evening is well spoken of. She is a talented reader, particularly good in Shakespearean interpretation. While here Mrs. Hemenway was the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Prof. Fingerty.

## COMMERCIAL CLUB

Takes Important Steps for City Hall Site.

The regular meeting of the Commercial Club was held last night with the following present: President Eastburn, Manager Stewart, Treasurer Bain, and Directors Van Winkle, Schmitt, Gilbert, French, Stewart, Crowell, Nutting, Fortmiller, Collins.

The Manager reported the real estate lists, in a pamphlet of 24 pages, sent to Portland for distribution.

An invitation was read from R. S. Shaw inviting the Albany Commercial club and families and others desiring to go to make a trip to Mill City at some date to be named.

A letter was read in reference to a trip of the St. Paul Symphony Club through Oregon, with prospects of an Albany visit.

Two letters from Portland urged the Commercial Club to send a delegation with the commission to select a site for the Oregon buildings at the Panama Exposition at S. P. A committee was appointed to arrange for a delegation. Committee: F. M. French, P. D. Gilbert, L. E. Hamilton, A. C. Schmitt, Geo. Crowell.

A. C. Schmitt told of the quarters of the Commercial Club at Walla Walla on the top floor of the city hall, the club paying the interest on the bonds. He also told of the library at The Dalles receiving county aid.

President Eastburn told of a scheme of the Business Men's club at Medford, with a feed at 6 o'clock.

Mayor Gilbert made a striking suggestion, that of buying the Central school building block for the city hall in the center, with a park around it. A conference with members of the school board had met with favor. The proposition was ordered endorsed and the matter was referred to the civic improvement committee authorized to assist in the movement. Committee: Messrs. Ellis, Page, French, Wallace, Chambers, Weider, Hand.

President Eastburn told of his freight rate trip as far as Medford, with \$900 raised, and prospects of another trip necessary after the present one.

Monthly bills were ordered paid.

## News From Albany's Six Early Trains.

A good many school directors and clerks arrived on different trains to attend the convention today, a solid body of representative citizens of the county, holding offices of the highest importance.

Among them were noticed Hon. B. F. Simpson, a member of the last legislature, Hon. J. M. Philpot, T. J. Matlock, D. S. McWilliams and others.

Bill Moore went to Portland after a team of horses, not being able to secure what he wanted here. He has a team he has been driving together about twenty-three years, but wants another one.

Frank J. Devine, the well known Elk bachelor, went to Portland.

Cal. Thrasher, of Corvallis, went to Portland.

Joe Richardson, a young lawyer of Portland, with E. S. McAllister, went to Lebanon.

Elias Morgan went out on the Santiam.

Miss Lockett, after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Duncan, left for Olympia.

Mrs. Clyde Reilley and daughter Norene, of Thomas, left for home after a visit with Mrs. Reilley's sister, Mrs. Jessie Loveall and baby, of Lebanon.

Supt. John Stevens left for Corvallis and further west.

J. R. Penland returned from a Harrisburg surveying expedition.

Clyde Crawford returned to the O. A. C.

R. E. Mason left on a commercial trip.

Judge Kelly returned to Salem.

## Civic Improvement Club.

The members of the Civic Improvement Club met yesterday afternoon and considered particularly the settlement of the Mytic Rose entertainment, which netted the Club nearly \$170, leaving a balance of about \$125 in delinquency. Following is a statement of thanks:

The members of the Civic Improvement Club wish to thank EVERY ONE who so generously made possible the success of the "Mystic Rose" by giving your time, your talent—in fact yourselves—especially the principals and the accompanist. The women of Albany are proud of her future citizens.

## Died.

Thos. Mulkey, of Blodgett, who had been at the hospital for special treatment for a few weeks, died last evening. The remains will be taken to Blodgett for burial.

## The Weather.

Range of Temperature 56-33. Rainfall 10 inch. The river is down to 5.5 feet. Prediction: showers tonight and Wednesday.

Igo Uco is the name of a Corvallis social club. It recently met with Editor Moore of the G. T. and there was nothing but frazzles left of the members when they went home, heroic means being required to reassociate the members.

A suit in the U. S. land office at Roseburg, involves the question of whether certain land is more valuable for mining than timber and agriculture purposes. The tract is the one on East 11th among realnesses, an innovation in the city.

## OBSERVED

By the Man About Town.

A strong sentiment against a double telephone service in the city. This is one case where there ought to be a monopoly, if one is ever justified. There is even talk of a combination and agreement to have only one phone, setting upon the one to have, the one giving the best terms. This was practically done in Corvallis, where the Home phone got the plum and is giving satisfaction, though there are a number of the other phones in the city.

A \$25,000 display of hair goods, being made by Mrs. Overstreet, at Hamilton's, is certainly one of interest. There are switches selling for as high as \$75. One Albany sale was for \$45. Miss Case is with Mrs. Overstreet as demonstrator and make-up expert, a good 'un.

Pete Ruitner today jerked Hodges & Fish's big safe up to the second floor of the new First Savings Bank building with a tackle. No job too big or high for Pete to tackle.

An immense sight of slaw wood around, at a very low price, and the result is regular tree wood is going begging and the price is dropping.

Dr. Foster, chiropractic, has moved his office to the Brenner block, using the rooms formerly occupied by D. W. Merrill.

Yesterday exactly the same number of registrations at the Revere and St. Francis.

## Will Go to Eugene.

The Eugene Creamery has been re-organized, V. H. Kent, of this city, and C. H. Fraser, of Corvallis, purchasing a controlling interest. Both are experienced creamery men. Mr. Kent who is a graduate of Iowa College, is a brother of Prof. Kent, of the O. A. C., and for seven years has had charge of the plant of the Valley Creamery at this city, and plants at Lebanon and Grants Pass. He is an expert butter maker, this year winning all the firsts at the meeting of the State Creamery Association at Portland, with a score of 97 per cent, the highest ever awarded in Oregon. Albany loses a first-class butter maker.

## Eugene's Filter.

After a trial of eleven months the filter plant at Eugene, is declared a success by the health committee. Prof. Sweetzer, who has been making bacteriological tests for several months has found no disease producing germs, and the tests have been highly satisfactory. But the best test has really been the fact that there has never been a case of typhoid fever from using the water, whereas typhoid was common before. Not a single student has had the disease since. Every case since then has been found from using well water.

Albany's filter is completer and more elaborate than the one at Eugene, through the system is the same.

## Dr. White Home.

Rev. W. P. White this noon returned from his California trip, after an absence of two or three months, greatly improved in health, and will resume his work. He was at San Francisco most of the time, but also visited Southern California. During his absence the pulpit has been ably filled by Dr. Sharp, of the College, and the members of the church consider themselves very fortunate in having had such a competent and adaptable supply.

## Facing the Music.

The Senior class of the high school will do it. Under the direction of J. W. Bentley they will present a play of this name in about two weeks. Mr. Bentley arrived from Portland this noon ready for the job, with some bright material on hand in the class of thirty-seven. He recently had charge of the Lincoln high school minstrel show, a great success.

## College Basket Ball.

A basket ball game will be played tomorrow night between the faculty and the students of the college, one that promises to be the event of the season, bringing into play some old timers, against the students. Every body will be welcome. The game is a social one. The Democrat's man has been specially engaged for the occasion as referee. Time of game about 8 o'clock, at Alcy gym.

## No More Auto Speeding.

Albany's second fine for exceeding the speed limit with an automobile was given last evening, when a Lebanon man was pulled. This morning paying \$19 and costs. It is the purpose of the police hereafter to enforce their ordinance prohibiting more than 10 miles an hour, eight miles at the corners, autoist will do well to look out, as there will be no discrimination.

## Big Hit at Dreamland.

A big and distinct hit, were the Dancing Richards at Dreamland last night tonight and tomorrow, both main events being they appear for the last time. Complete range of pictures tonight.

P. A. Odom, former chief of police of Dallas was instantly killed and Joe Odom, a former family friend, in a runaway at that city yesterday.