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GOOD EVENING

WHO WAS CRAZY.—Sunday evening a gentleman from the Santiam appeared at the sheriff's office and swore out a warrant charging a man named Harper, of that county with insanity, says the Salem Independent. On Monday morning a deputy sheriff left for the location armed with a warrant for Harper's arrest. Late this afternoon Deputy Sheriff Cooper returned from the Santiam with Harper and he proved to be a very sane man. He said that he could not understand why he should be charged with insanity and believed it to be the work of an enemy. Harper was brought before Judge Hubbard, examined and immediately discharged. He was without a cent to pay his fare back home, and for the great injustice done the man Judge Hubbard allowed him \$5 out of the county fund to pay his expenses back to his home on the Santiam.

The entire costs should be "taxed up" to the complaining witness, who should be made to serve it out in jail if necessary.

COLLEGE Y M C A.—The College Y M C A convention for Oregon, began at 3 o'clock this afternoon at the college chapel with a good attendance of delegates, about fifty from outside colleges, there being about ten each from Corvallis, Eugene, Salem and Portland, with others from different places. More are expected from other schools tomorrow. Tonight Rev. Driver will deliver the address, which promises to be a treat.

On account of not as many arriving this noon as were expected entertainment was not called for from all who promised; but may be tomorrow.

PREPARED FOR ROBBERIES.—The Salem Independent says: A N Bush has given an order for a piece of ordinance with which to "do up" any set of megs who may take a notion to come the James act on the bank of Ladd & Bush. The new weapon is a magazine, Winchester shotgun. It will hold six shells loaded with buck shot and the six loads can be emptied as quickly as out of a self-cocking six shooter. The gun is to be cut off so that the barrel will be but about 18 inches long. Such a weapon in the hands of a determined man would prove a very effective affair, worth a dozen or two revolvers.

A DAKOTA TURKEY.—The Lebanon Express tells the following: Mrs G W Warner and daughter returned last Saturday from the east. During their absence they visited the world's fair, remained a short time in Minneapolis, Minn. and Ipswich, S D. They also visited Conway, N D, where Mr Warner is buying wheat. They brought with them a turkey frozen under the average climate of North Dakota, to wit, 35 degrees below zero. And when it got here, it was still frozen. The Warner and daughter family ate it and say Oregon turkeys are preferable.

AN IMPORTANT TRIP.—Chas Clark, the new receiver of the Oregon Pacific, and W F Crosby, will leave tonight for San Francisco, to make arrangements to settle the affairs of the road at that city, and if possible get the release of the Willamette Valley, so it can begin making regular trips. The result will be watched with interest in connection with the road. Mr Clark has a big task on his hands to get the road into a respectable financial condition. It is to be hoped he succeeds.

CARD OF THANKS.—Mrs A Cohen and family wish to return their heartfelt thanks to many for kindness and sympathy during the recent illness of their dear daughter, the members of the A O U W, who were constant in their attentions.

WEAR 'EM OUT!—The way to do it is to take your washing to the Chinamen. If you want your work well done at living prices take it to Richard & Phillip's Steam Laundry. They know how without hanging them around a pole.

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC.—Miss Hattie Warner a graduate of the conservatory connected with Gates College, Neb., is prepared to give lessons in vocal and instrumental music to single pupils or classes, at reasonable terms. Miss Warner has had a thorough education and is an experienced teacher. Her references are: Prof H A Shorey, William A Frow and Mrs Jennie Lee.

AN ALBANY JEWELRY STORE.—Worth patronizing is that of Will & Stark. They carry the finest line of silver ware, watches, clocks and jewelry generally in the valley, and satisfactory prices are always given for the superior quality of goods they keep in stock. Never buy without calling on them.

C E Brownell, the grocer, is in his new and commodious quarters in the P O block, where he is prepared to give satisfaction to the first class trade of the city, call on him for pure groceries and good treatment.

Clean towels to every customer at Viereck shaving parlors.

My fall line of MACINTOSHES and SUSANERS, including many novelties, for ladies, misses and children, is now on sale.

SEWING MACHINES neatly repaired and warranted by a thoroughly competent workman, at F M French's jewelry store, Albany reg co.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

HOME AND ABROAD

A lot of happy old families festive enquire at the Ladies Bazaar.

One of Joe Myers teams ran away this afternoon for the first time in several days. The Elwood was at Albany today. Ben Post, a former Albany young man, is steward of this boat.

Hard times prices. Columbia smelt 5 cents per pound and salmon 8 cents per pound at Hydes Market.

Lebanon pays the Electric Light & Water Co \$120 a month. Her receipts last year were \$1684, expenditures, \$2109.

Thin or gray hair and bald heads, so displeasing to many people as marks of age, may be averted for a long time by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

The populist meeting appointed for Saturday evening at the Court House has been postponed on account of the speaker expected for the occasion being sick.

A debating society has been organized at Tallman with the following officers: President, Robt Gilson; vice president, D Troutman; secretary, Miss Ida Smith. Meetings are held each Saturday evening and are largely attended. The question, "Resolved, that man is a creature of circumstance," will be discussed at the next meeting.

MISFITS

C T Wardlow has been reinstated in the O P office at Corvallis. This is proper. His discharge was as silly a piece of business as one often witnesses. The whole affair displayed the milkop character of the man Mulcahey.

The State Board of equalization has adjourned. It has caused confusion by raising some counties a few dollars and lowering others, and there is no more equalization than there was before. Linn county is raised from \$9,277,117 to \$9,408,679, mostly on town lots; Marion county is lowered a million; Multnomah a million. Two millions is about what the entire state is lowered. It is to be hoped the next legislature curtails this equalization board.

COUNTY COURT.

(J. N. Duncan, county judge; Wm. Rumbaugh and J. W. Pugh, Commissioners.)

H E Caden, roads, \$22.70, ordered paid. Report of O Butler, dist 37 37, bill \$80. Continued.

B F Crow, acct poor, \$19.20, ordered paid.

Settlements were had with the road supervisors and appointments made as follows:

Dist	Old Sup	New	Bill Allowed
36	Thos Turner	F M Kiger	\$20.00
39	E N McLaw	M Shaleford	20.00
4	C Carey	reappointed	8.00
53	Ubbe Peters	"	36.00
22	J H Scott	"	30.00
45	W J Steele	Jas Curtis	29.00
49	G W Hargue	reappointed	34.90
19	J A Burkhardt	J G Weimer	19.50
14	Thomas Fram	reappointed	150.00
30	G W Colbert	"	24.00
50	"	J Shea	"
41	Jas Ware	reappointed	26.00
13	T F Miller	L M Archambault	36.00
70	Frank Smith	Richard Warner	42.00
32	W A Thrift	M Acheson	40.00
32	J H Rehman	Frank Kirk	30.00
31	A W Standard	reappointed	44.00

MONEY RETURNED.—While walking down First street this forenoon an honest man found a bank book containing considerable money. It was taken into the bank for which the deposit was intended, and the owner, Mr Dodge, was notified before he had discovered his loss. He rushed to the bank as a man would rush for a train and found his money all right. It is very gratifying during these hard times to know there is one man who will restore money.

THE THINGS WE EAT

very largely make us what we are. No thought can pass through the mind without leaving some effect, however slight. Many slight impressions, in time, make mighty changes. It's the same with the body. Abuse it with poor food and take the consequences. For purity and certainty in groceries and baked goods, go to Parker Bros.

The nader-diged, proprietor of the Pioneer House desires to inform the public that he has reduced the price of board without lodging to \$2 per week, with lodging \$5 per week. Single meals 25 cents. The public is invited to call on I keep good beds and set a good table. Have firewood for sale, Corner of Broadway and Water streets. J H MENANOA.

AN ANGRY MAN.—Why? Because his flames were returned to him, all shrink up. Then send yours to the City Laundry, they wash them without shrinking or making them rough. Special care with nice curtains. Remember the place 1st opp St Charles.

"If religious beliefs perplex you, and you desire a faith at once reasonable and uplifting, send for free liberal religious reading to postoffice mission, 346 Yamhill street, Portland, Or.

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\$100 Reward \$100.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned have been appointed administrators of the estate of L. G. Clark, late of Linn county, Or. deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them duly verified as by law required to the undersigned at Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1902.
L. G. CLARK, Administrator.
HENRY GUERARD, Administrator.
Wentworth & Chambers, Attys for Admin.

ARIZONA LETTER

PHOENIX ARIZONA, New Years Day 1894.

Editors Democrat:

As I sit here in the open air, this bright sunny day, I visit, in mind, many places and many people. The holiday season is always suggestive of home, and for me there is but one place worthy that name. From thinking I fell to writing, and behold, a letter to the DEMOCRAT is the result.

I have received a good many letters of inquiry about this southwestern portion of our great country and the questions asked in the letters received suggest the outline of this letter. As to the climate one can only string together a list of complimentary adjectives. This has been, I am told, an unusually wet season. Since I came here, Nov 30th, it has rained two nights and a part of one day and there have been just two cloudy days. All other days have been sunny and bright from sun up to sun down. Imagine it! People talking of a wet season to an old weatherer when the sun shines every day a little bit and all the time for twenty-nine days in December! In an average season, I am told, the sun shines all day during three hundred and sixty out of the three hundred and sixty-five days of the year. Where I am sitting just now I think a thermometer would register 70 degrees and it is 10 o'clock a.m. I have never been able to learn how hot it does get here in the summer. But I have heard of the man who, dying, and feeling sure that he was doomed to the region of the Fire Fiend in the world to come, asked that he might go to that region by way of Arizona. For, says he, after the heat of Arizona I shall be comfortable in the place to which I go. The humidity is very low, here. The air is absolutely dry. This makes the intense heat tolerable and even pleasant to some. The nights are nearly always cool, and, as in our own Willamette valley, the heat of a summer day gives way to a cool and pleasant air at night. Many of the new comers live in tents the year round and summer time every body, nearly, sleeps out of doors.

Phoenix is now the capital of the Territory and is in the Salt river valley. This valley is, as nearly as I can learn, about one hundred and twenty-five miles long by forty miles wide. A large proportion of this valley is arable. The principal feed for cattle is alfalfa. Wheat barley, and other grains grow well. Oranges grow and mature earlier than in any other portion of the United States. But my! what prices! Three pounds of apples for twenty-five cents! Think of it, ye of the land of red apples! That figures about \$5 per bush don't it?

There still remains in this valley considerable government land. But it is going rapidly. I have seen on one side of the road as bright, grain fields as Oregon boasts in May while just across the road every thing is as barren as a desert. On inquiry I find the difference due to irrigation. Land is useless without water rights and hence some of the largest enterprises are in the line of canal projects. Land varies from \$25 to \$800 per acre according to location and with the land usually goes a perpetual water right. The valley is rapidly being covered with a net work of canals.

On either side of the valley is a range of rough rugged mountains whence the water flows to the valley, and whence comes the cool air of the night.

Money is as easy here as any place I have been. It does not grow on trees. But it seems to be tolerably free. Of course industries on a large scale, and which depend on eastern and northern capital money or less, are feeling the depression but the prospect seems to be bright for this region. There are numerous and rich mines through this Territory and new ones are being uncovered. Ready money commands good rates. Loans at 18 per cent are not infrequent. Taxes, including city rates, are as high as seventy mills, and prices are generally high for everything. The population may be divided into two classes. Those here for health and those here for money, and trade proceeds upon the old principle that in every exchange somebody must be cheated and some one generally is. But after all one may travel a long way and not find a more whole hearted, genial and generous set of people.

Schools, churches, charitable institutions and society average well with other communities, and there is an abundant field for all to work upon.

As fine specimen of the Indian as I ever saw are in this valley, great big, broad chested, robust bucks with all the fantastic features of the painted warrior and squaws tattooed and painted in "fast and furious" colors. There are many relics of the prehistoric occupants of this valley, and one can not but wonder at the evidences of an early civilization little behind that which now obtains. Where these people came and whether they have gone is the theme of many a learned and eloquent disquisition.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned guardian of Archie C Wilson, a minor, in accordance with a license granted by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, to sell the real estate belonging to said minor, or will on

Saturday the 3rd day of Feb, 1894, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. at the Court House door in Albany, Linn County, Oregon, expose for sale, at auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate belonging to said minor, to-wit: An undivided one-sixteenth of the following described tract of land commencing at a point on the north line of the Donation Land claim of Vincent Watson and Mary Watson his wife, 19.40 chains east from northwest corner of said claim, it being not No 1796 claim No 62 in tp 11 S R 4 west of Willamette meridian and running thence East 32.10 chains to a corner; thence south 10.25 chains east 8.19 ch, thence south 18.23 ch, thence west 40.29 chains, thence north 28.33 chains to the place of beginning, containing 106.55 acres, more or less, all in Linn County Oregon, subject to the life estate of Aaron Wilson in said land.

Also the following: An undivided one-fourth of the following tract of land, Beginning at the southwest corner of the Donation Land claim of G H Hughes and wife, claim No 78 in tp 11 S R 4 west of Willamette meridian and running thence east 13.41 chains to a point that is 25 links north of an oak post set on the south side of the county road thence south 29.80 chains to a stake, thence west 5.22 chains to a stake, thence north 15.70 chains to a stake on the north line of the Donation Land claim of Vincent Watson and wife, thence west 7.79 chains to an interior corner of said Watson claim, thence north 5.10 chains to place of beginning, containing 15 acres, more or less, in Linn County, Oregon, subject to the life estate of Aaron Wilson in said land.

Albany Oregon, Jan 4th, 1894.
H C WATSON,
Guardian of Archie C Wilson.

but the mystery of their being and civilization remains to be fathomed.

There is a sprinkling of Mexicans in this Territory but the population is predominantly American and Phoenix is American in every feature.

We are having today by way of a New Years celebration a field day of athletics in the open air. A game of baseball between the lawyers and business men, foot-racing, horse racing, bicycle-racing, everything that is done elsewhere in mid-summer goes on here in mid-winter under most favorable circumstances.

There are other things worthy of note perhaps but these I will reserve to some future time. So wishing you, and other old friends the compliments of the season I remain,

Yours very truly,
JAMES J. CHARLTON.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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MARRIED

GALLOWAY-BARKER.—On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents in this city, by Rev. E. R. Pritchard, Mr. Nathaniel L. Galloway of Salem, and Miss Cora Lee Barker, the wedding ceremony was a very happy event, performed in the presence of a good sized gathering of relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Galloway were remembered in a handsome manner by their friends. A delicious repast was served. Both are popular young people who deserve the many congratulations they have received.

Speaking in anticipation of the event the Salem Independent says: "Nick," as he is known by his friends, has charge of the wires of the Western Union Telegraph company from Portland to Eugene, and is a jolly fellow, and a favorite among all his friends. His bride is a charming young lady, who will be to him a true helpmate. The happy couple will come to Salem tomorrow, and will take up their residence in a handsome cottage on South Commercial street.

New Advertisements.

WANTED.—Pushing canvasser of good dress, liberal salary, and excellent paid weekly; Permanent position. BROWN BROS. CO., Nurserymen, Portland Oregon.

WANTED.—A girl to do general housework. Inquire at this office.

LOST.—Valise containing several articles with names on. If found please return to H. Parker or leave at Parker Bros. Will pay a reward.

WANTED.—A family in town or country who will take a boy twelve years of age who wants to go to school and do choring taking care of cow or horse to pay part of his keeping. A reasonable amount in addition will be paid by his father for his care and keeping. Parties will call at this office.

COUNTY WARRANTS.—Bought and sold by H. F. Merrill.

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11th and Main Sts, Richmond, Va.

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Poultry, Fish, Oysters, Clams, Game in Season.
Everything nice and fresh. Give us a call.

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PERSONAL

Mr E W Hadley will take up his residence in Corvallis.

Mr J H Wallace has purchased the grocery business of W T Worley in the Third ward, and moved to this city from the country.

Perry and Doc Conn, John Conn and Charles Murphy went up the river this morning duck hunting. A big score is looked for.

Sheriff Jackson and Dr J F Hill went to Salem this noon, taking Mr Chas Syfers, committed to the asylum. Mr Syfers is in a bad condition physically as well as mentally.

David Fry, foreman of the Express, is in San Francisco, taking in the Mid-winter fair. His brother, who has been working on the Oregon Populist for several months past, has come up from Albany to take his place for a few weeks—Lebanon Express.

Dr E J Thompson returned from McMinnville yesterday where he performed the marriage ceremony of M L Dorris to Miss Ethel Bellinger. The wedding took place yesterday morning and the happy couple will make independence their future home, where they have already gone to house-keeping.—Corvallis News.

WORK CONSUMING

Will N Stark, the jeweler.
If you want a fine smoke call for Joseph's white labor cigar.

The best coast coffee in the city at Grand doyer's.

Hodges & McFarland, the leading drug store, Albany, O.

Will & Stark's large line of silver ware has created a great deal of talk.

Paxonize home industry by smoking the celebrated white labor cigars, manufactured by Julius Joseph.

The O K Grubber is sold on trial. To try one does not mean you are compelled to buy. Mfg'd by JAS. FINNEY & SONS, Brooks.

Genuine parts for all sewing machines, also the best oils, needles, etc., for all sewing machines, bicycles, etc., at E U Will's music store. Sewing machine and organs repaired reasonable, and all work warranted. Needles prepaid by mail 40c a dozen.

Last night a small snow storm visited Albany and this afternoon a storm of big hail.

OUR STOCK LACKS nothing but buyers. They will come. They will be satisfied. They will buy at

THE FAIREST PRICES EVER MADE FOR SUCH QUALITIES.

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CORVALL'S FLOUR, 33AN, SHORTS, GERM MEAL, GRAHAM, BUCK-WHEAT, RYE FLOUR, HAY, OATS, STRAW AND

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The Best Shoes for the Least Money.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoe.
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\$2.50, \$2 for Workingmen.
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LADIES AND MISSES,
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CAUTION.—If any dealer offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price, or says he has them without the name stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

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W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better satisfaction at the prices advertised than any other make. Try one pair and be convinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas' name and price on the bottom, which guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them. Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your footwear of the dealer advertised below. Catalogue free upon application. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

For sale by the **LE BLAIN CLOTHING CO.**

Is the Best Good Enough?

Then call on the undersigned for your **GROCERIES** and produce, for they are the best in the market. Also a fine line of crockery

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