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END OF YEAR.

This is the last day of a very eventful year, one that some day will be part of a great era in the world's history, now hardly realized. We have gotten used to the humdrum reports of war, and hardly appreciate the fact that history is being made, one that shall play a great part in the future of the world. Overtopping all other things has been the European war. The United States by rare generalship and good judgment has succeeded in remaining neutral, something that will always redound to its credit. It is entirely possible for it to continue this program. Will it?

In this country commercial progress has been made, and the country has been gradually and steadily rising from the disastrous influences of the war. Business has improved greatly and is approaching normal conditions. In some places it has reached the normal. The war has helped. General conditions have played their part. The coast is a little slow in feeling the touch; but there is an indication of it also showing the same improvement that prevails further east in a measure.

Along scientific lines perhaps the [illegible] of [illegible] out problems that will produce [illegible] derful change in economic affairs.

Oregon has practically remained stationary with little to characterize its progress, depending on the future and a certain knowledge of the superiority of our natural advantages and undeveloped resources.

The state tonight will see the demise of the saloon in the state. Oregon will get along without it. This is the universal experience where states have tried it. Everywhere it has been learned that license money is not necessary for the running of the governments. It has been said that the change will send a great deal of money out of the state. Look up the present deposits of the banks of Oregon, and it will undoubtedly be a fact that a year hence the bank deposits will show a striking increase over those of this December, something that will carry its own lesson. The saloon is gradually going as an institution.

At the end of the year the condition of Albany is healthy, and her prospects are bright. With other Oregon cities it has been a quiet year with general conditions calling for it, but, those who have travelled over the state declared generally that business conditions here are specially fortunate from a comparative standpoint. There is unquestionably a decided improvement over a year ago. One drawback is the fact that the year has not been good for labor along building lines, the amount done being below the average, resulting in temporary financial inconveniences. These things, though, will not last, and there is little doubt that the spring will see new things going ahead. There has been some agitation over the matter of a new paper mill, which is now being considered by our business men. In reference to it we can only hope that it is successful. With her splendid transportation facilities and rich surroundings there can be no doubt of Albany's prosperous condition in the future, as in the past.

Here's wishing the readers of the Democrat a happy new year and a whole year of prosperity.

Governor Hammond Dead.

(By United Press)

New Orleans, Dec. 30.—Governor Hammond, of Minnesota, dropped dead this morning at Clinton, La., while inspecting land. He had been troubled with indigestion.

MISFITS

It is no wonder the weather is cold. Chas.d Fairbanks has been name for president.

Good bye 1915. How quickly you came. How fast you went.

What a year of ups and downs, of frowns and sunshine.

Perhaps the bloodiest in the history of the world.

The devil certainly was around forking things onward towards the pit.

Humanity seems to have been in partnership with him.

Doesn't look much like universal brotherhood of man yet.

Big time and a great field for some real resolutions.

Please begin, Bill; also Nick; also George; also Franz Jo, and the rest of 'em.

Some field here at home, too, nationally.

Personally each individual has a tremendous responsibility these days of extravagance and greed, when personal agrandizement overrides all considerations, and the fellow who is down and out has to hunt to find a bone.

Good bye, John Barleycorn; but how far and how much.

One thing about him is that his race will be in hiding.

Here ends about three thousand misfits of the year, with all their faults, but always with good intentions and good purpose.

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17-24-31

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THE DEMOCRAT
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A Happy New Year
And may 1916 be the best year in your lives, and as well a golden one for the city of Albany, with prosperity here, and in the nation, free from the stains of war.

PERSONAL MENTION FROM SHELBURN.

Shelburn, Dec. 28.—J. W. Hirons and wife are spending the holidays visiting relatives in the vicinity of Molalla and Silverton.

Brant and Martin are running their sawmill now pretty steady.

Will Martin and family are off on a business and pleasure trip. Mr. Martin is attending to some business at Portland.

Christmas eve was celebrated at the church here by a Christmas tree and a very nice program.

A week's vacation for the school gives the teacher, Mrs. J. W. Hirons, a chance to visit relatives.

Iva Schilling was married to Ernest McCrea and are spending the honeymoon visiting relatives at Vancouver.

A. Shanks the R. R. station agent had to take a temporary leave from office on account of his eyes.

Edwin Holland, a farmer graduate of the Albany high school, was married to a young lady from Milwaukee.

Rufus Russell and wife came to [illegible] Mrs. Golda Russell [illegible] nts and Rufus going [illegible] reunion at his father-[illegible]

[illegible] Blatchford and Herbert are spending the holidays with Alf Blatchford at Shelburn.

Assistant Registers.

Those who will assist at different places in the registration of voters:

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Stewart, Halsey; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cruson, Lebanon; Mrs. Winnifred Ohling, A. Y. Smith, Albany; J. W. Lamar, D. M. Bonar, Shedd; Mrs. Alfred Blatchford, Shelburn; Mrs. Vivian Bilyeu, Scio; O. M. Baker, Kingston; Riley Shelton, Scio; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gaines, Gates; Mrs. Gertrude Brown, George Hume, A. Parks, Brownsville; Murray Barrett, Holley; Ira Soule, Lacomb; W. H. Scott, O. S. Boyles, Crawfordsville; S. M. Wirt, Crabtree; G. M. Geisendorfer, Cascadia; Dayton Harris, Foster; J. A. Thompson, Clara Dougherty, Sweet Home; T. J. Anderson, Geo. J. Wilhelm, Harrisburg; Ray J. Fox, W. H. Trask, Lyons; J. L. Weaver, M. K. Knerr, Mill City; C. J. Shedd, M. G. Coon, Shedd.

Smells Good—

G. B. Lanham, of Chicago, is in the valley, buying onions in car load lots. One dollar and fifty cents a hundred has been paid. One of the most healthy vegetables grown, there is money in onions where the market is established. Mr. Lanham was in Salem this week, and the commercial club paid special attention to him.

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