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READ OUR WANT ADS.

LINN COUNTY MAN WAS CAUGHT IN A SNOW STORM

Elgin, Wn., Feb. 6.—Here we are "snow bound" and more snow falling every day and out ticket is limited to the 11th and we will not be able to stop off long in a place and we are anxious to see the Willamette valley where roses bloom and rosy cheeked maidens are plentiful. However, it seems that the only time we can get away the elements conspire against us but for all the cold weather we have enjoyed our visit. The last two weeks we couldn't see much on account of snow and a severe attack of lagrippe and our mail didn't connect with us, in fact it has been rather slow in following us or perhaps we have been moving around too fast. "This is the worst storm for 23 years," says the oldest inhabitant, in 1893 the snow was deeper but didn't lay on as long and feed was not so scarce. Hay is worth \$24 a ton and is going higher as the storm continues. Auto travel has suspended and the steamboat that plies between here and Tacoma and carries the mail don't land here every evening and the snow is two feet deep between the post office and the wharf one and a quarter miles away. Bob cats, cougars, coons and many

other wild animals are in evidence everywhere and the ever vigilant game wardens are reaping a good harvest. Wild fruit is a sure crop and the people, young and old do a good business in the huckleberry fields. Some pickers make \$250 a season clear of all expenses and the market is unlimited and the game warden has no jurisdiction over berry pickers. The farms here are not large but very prolific and the dwellings are up to date. Farm lands are selling at high prices from \$80 to \$250 an acre, according to improvements.

On board Steamer, Tyrus, Feb. 6.—After two weeks of rest surrounded by snow from 21 to 25 inches in depth, we are enroute home and can safely say we enjoyed our visit at Elgin. We arrived at Tacoma at 6:15 p. m. and found a resting place for the night and at 40 a. m. we started for Portland and after encountering several snow slides we arrived at Portland at 3:15 p. m. where we were entertained for the night by R. C. Moseley and wife.

LITTLE ROSE BUD.

BABY CONTEST AT THE HUB THEATRE.

Starts Saturday, Feb. 19, and Runs Until April 19

Following are the prizes given by the business houses of Albany to the most popular babies, or the ones getting the most votes in the Hub Theatre Contest.

First prize, \$10.00 in cash, given by Albany State Bank.

Second prize, \$10.00 baby carriage, by Fisher-Braden Furniture Co.

Third prize, \$8 baby embroidered dress, by Albany Art Craft.

Fourth prize, \$6 Ladies silk umbrella, by Worth Dept. Store.

Fifth prize, \$5 Merchandise order, by Holloway's Farmers store.

Sixth prize, \$5 Cut Glass fruit dish by Woodworth Drug Co.

Seventh prize, \$4 knife, fork and spoon, by Will's Jewelry store.

Eighth prize, \$3.50 box of candy, by Whitney's Sweet Shop.

Ninth prize, \$3.50 box of candy, by Eagle's Cigar Store.

Tenth prize, \$2 pair of baby shoes, by McDowell Shoe Co.

GET BUSY AND WIN A PRIZE FOR YOUR YOUNGESTER. THESE PRIZES WILL BE ON DISPLAY IN THE WINDOWS OF THE WOODWORTH DRUG CO. ON SATURDAY, THE EARLY START WINS THE PRIZE

TODAY at the HUB VAUDEVILLE

THE CALIFORNIA TRIO

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CLEO MADISON

the Beautiful Broadway favorite, in the five act feature

"A SOUL ENSLAVED."

Admission 10 cents

SYSTEM OF R. R. WAGES.

An Explanation of How Wages for Trainmen are Figured Out By the Railroads.

"Every once in a while we hear discussions about railroad wages," said a Southern Pacific official the other day. "Few laymen, however, know how the men who operate trains are paid and fewer realize that 45 cents out of every dollar a railroad takes in goes out to its men in the pay envelope. A still smaller number have any idea as to how wages in train service are figured."

"In other lines of industry an 8 or 9 hour or a 10 hour day means that employees do not work less than 8, 9 or 10 hours for a day's pay. In railway train service, however, wages are on a dual basis—either hours worked or, principally this, miles run. In freight service most wage schedules name 10 hours or less or 100 miles or less as a day's work. So that every man is guaranteed a full day's pay no matter how few hours or miles. Should he work 10 hours without running his 100 miles, he is paid for his hours. Should he run 100 miles or more in less than 10 hours, he is paid for his mileage. Beyond 10 hours or 100 miles, he is paid overtime or excess mileage, whichever yields the larger wage. Ten miles is thus equivalent to an hour, or one-tenth of a day. If the train runs slower than ten miles an hour, an engine man is paid by hours, if faster, by miles. The result is that practically no employee works more than ten hours for a day's pay and thousands work less than that and even less than eight hours for a day's pay."

"This condition has some very interesting results. First, without regard to hours or distance, every man in train service is guaranteed a full day's pay no matter how little service he performs. He can't work for less than a day. He may work only a few hours or less than 100 miles, but if this constitutes his day's work, he still gets his pay for ten hours. If he makes 150 miles in ten hours he is paid for 150 miles, or equivalent to 15 hours on the hourly basis.

"If, for example, his train made only forty miles in ten hours, his full day's pay would be allowed the same as if he had made 100 miles. If 100 miles were run in four hours, the full day's pay would be allowed though he worked only four hours.

Well Held Down—

Ed. Frank is now running the Mill City motor. Weighing 305 pounds he is holding down the job in splendid shape. During the day Mr. Frank is boosting for Albany.

Herman Abraham, L. P. Wilcox and T. A. Winter, O. A. C. students, passed through the city today enroute to Portland.

J. J. Collins went to Portland this morning.

Chas. Kroschel went to Portland on the morning train.

Kitchener Not Going.

(By United Press)

London, It is authoritatively denied that General Kitchener is going to Egypt soon, or that Lord Derby will succeed him. There is no change in the ministry contemplated.

YESTERDAY'S PERSONALS

J. D. Irvine came over from Brownsville this morning to attend to matters coming before the county court.

Ira F. Hutchins came over from Brownsville this morning to attend the meeting of hog raisers at the St. Francis today.

Amor Tussing was among the Brownsvilleites coming to Albany on business this morning.

County Assessor Earl Fisher went to Portland on business this morning.

Rev. Arthur Lane went to Portland this morning.

FOR RENT—For cash, 50 acres in Santiam bottom 4 1/2 miles north of Lebanon. 25 acres cultivation, including 8 acres newly grubbed land, besides 5 acres bearing orchard and garden spot. Balance timber pasture with running water. Address B. B. Daughton, Lebanon R. 1. Phone Lebanon Farmers 24X.

LOST—A watch bracelet in city. Return to Democrat office. f10-12

WANTED—Day work and laundry. Bell phone 500-L. f10m1

WANTED—To rent house of five or six rooms. Must be good repair. No children. Give street number. White M. S., care Democrat.

WANTED—Housework of any kind. Phone 343-R. f10-12

CITY NEWS.

The Blue Bird Restaurant—

Blunt and Plummer have bought the restaurant at 309 Lyon street, and Mrs. Blunt and Mrs. Plummer will have charge of it, both experienced cooks and caterers. Mrs. Blunt formerly ran the Arce, on First street, giving splendid satisfaction.

Eggs Down—

Eggs have begun to drop, and have fallen three cents, being 30 cents today. With warm weather the hens are bound to do some cackling the coming few weeks, giving the market a larger supply.

Filed Notice Candidacy—

Judge P. R. Kelly yesterday filed his notice of candidacy for re-election as circuit judge of this district. He has made an excellent reputation and stands well as a judicial officer.

Dr. Marcotte Tonight—

This evening at 8:30 Dr. Henry Marcotte will speak at the Albany Public Library. One of Oregon's best speakers.

Dr. Tufts to Speak—

Dr. G. L. Tufts of Portland will speak on Sunday night, the 13th at the First Christian church. He will explain the one-day-of-rest-in-seven bill to be submitted to the voters at the November election and discuss reasons why it should be passed. All voters especially will be interested in this live issue, and all will find a cordial welcome at the service. Dr. Tufts is an expert on measures of this kind. He was the author of the Sunday law of Idaho and he has spent seven years in the work of Sunday legislation.

Dr. Marcotte at Prayer Meeting—

First Presbyterian church, tonight at 7:30 in the mid-week service, Dr. Henry Marcotte of the Westminster Presbyterian church, Portland, will speak on the theme, "America's Responsibility for leadership in this World Crisis."

Walla Walla Man—

Fred Applegate, of Walla Walla, has been in the city, while here making his headquarters at the Y. M. C. A. He is physical director of the Y. M. C. A. at Walla Walla, one of the best associations in that part of the Northwest.

Robert Conn Funeral—

The funeral of Robert Conn was held this afternoon at the Methodist church, Rev. James Moore conducting the services. The remains were laid to rest in Riverside cemetery. Former friends of the dead boy acted as pall bearers, who were Harry Wilkins, Percy Reed, Roy Nutting, John Schultz, Lee Bennett, and Frank Stellmacher.

Patronize Home Institutions—

If you have any hogs bring them to the Albany Packing House. Remember that the D. E. Nehergall Packing House is here to stay, an Albany institution with a fine plant.

Arrested at Mill City—

Fred Wilcox was arrested yesterday at Mill City by Deputy Sheriff Marion Elstun on a warrant from Grants Pass of a charge of non-support of wife and child. Wilcox is being held here in the county jail awaiting the arrival of an officer from Josephine county.

Start on Tour—

Tomorrow County School Supt. W. L. Jackson, Judge D. B. McKnight, S. M. Garland, Jos. Benner and Prof. Ruzek, of O. A. C., start on a two days' community meeting trip that will take them to Lacombe, Lyons and Mill City.



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Men's work sox, heavy Rockford 3 for 25c

Men's work sox, heavy tan 3 for 25c

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An Alleged Spy.

(By United Press)

London, Feb. 9.—That Ignatius Lincoln, an alleged German spy, who escaped from New York, was enroute to Europe incognito, is not confirmed, report said. His wife is reported enroute to Germany.

WANTED—Housework by experienced girl. Home phone 1111. f10-14

FOR SALE OR RENT—A small

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"Palestine, the War and the Jews"

This will be the subject of Joseph Cohn, the Jew from New York, on Monday evening, February 14th.

"Hath God Cast Away His Ancient People?"

Will be his subject on Monday evening, February 21st. These lectures are free, and are under the auspices of the Monday Night Bible class. Remember the dates: February 14th and 21st.



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