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**A LIFE THAT INSPIRES.**

The following editorial from the Oregonian is one that cannot help making a great impression on those who read it. A visit to Ernest Miller's home will add to the impression: The Albany Daily Democrat tells in a recent issue the story of a visit by one of its staff to a little home near Knox Butte, in Linn county, of Ernest Miller, an invalid, who for 16 years has lain in one position in bed without the use of any portion of his body from his neck down. Only his head and brain are normal.

He has a good memory, reads with avidity when he can find someone to hold a book or newspaper or magazine in front of him and turn its pages. Month after month he has remained in the same position since he was a lad fifteen years old, without a murmur of complaint except for the trouble he has brought upon his patient mother.

What a lesson we have in the life of this hero, for hero he is. Not a hero who has faced the cannon's mouth, not one who in the excitement of the charge has met a hail of bullets, not one who has done any of the great deeds to bring him medals or titles, but in the quiet of his bed, suffering paroxysms of pain, Ernest Miller has become a greater hero than thousands who have been lauded by rulers or praised by generals.

What a lesson the life of Ernest Miller offers to those of us who enjoy health and strength and yet repine and complain that the world has gone awry and that our ships have gone astray upon the seas. Ernest Miller, with only a living head and an active brain, more helpless than the babe a day old, might readily convince us that for the use of an arm, ear, or a finger, he would be willing to suffer far more pain, endure far more suffering, for then he could turn before his eyes the pages of a book or the columns of a newspaper—could do these things alone, without sharing that portion of his burden with anyone.

Think of that mother! Imagine the hopes she had for her lad of 15; then the realization that until his death he would lie almost like helpless clay. Does it not make one feel small, useless, unworthy, to think of her and her thankfulness, her great thankfulness, that her boy has been spared to her, broken and helpless though he is? What a lesson we can gather from the Miller home, and what a pride we should feel that near us lies patient and cheerful a hero worthy the praises of all mankind.

**CLOVER FLOWER MIDGE.**

The following is published by request, some advice given by the U. S. department of agriculture in reference to clover flower midge:

Because of the fact that weather conditions during the summer and fall of 1915 were very favorable to the growth and late blooming of red clover, it seems probable that an unusual abundance of the clover-flower midge, and possibly also of the clover-seed chalcis, may be expected to occur during the present spring.

The clover-flower midge is a very small mosquito-like insect which lays its eggs in the developing clover heads. From these eggs hatch every minute, salmon-pink colored maggots, which feed in the young clover heads, absorbing the flowers and preventing them from bearing seed. There are at least two broods or generations of the clover-flower midge during each year in most portions of the country.

The clover-seed chalcis, which also affects both alfalfa and bur clover, is a minute wasp-like insect, which lays its eggs in the seeds of red clover before they have begun to harden. In the case of alfalfa, the eggs are deposited in partly grown pods. The resulting tiny, whitish maggots feed upon the substance of the seeds, and a single maggot may destroy as three or four of these before completing its

growth. Although neither the clover-flower midge nor the clover-seed chalcis injures the leaves, stems, or roots of the clover plant, they do affect the seed crop very seriously indeed, and as the price of clover seed has recently advanced rapidly, due no doubt to the light seed crop of the summer of 1915, a large production of clover seed in the United States during the coming season would not only be very desirable but should under favorable conditions of growth prove most profitable. However, if a good yield of seed is to be obtained, farmers should prepare to fight both of the insects which have been mentioned above. For this purpose it is recommended that the first crop of clover be cut prematurely, or just before the plants have come into full bloom, in order thus to deprive the maggots of their food and prevent their developing into flies and depositing their eggs in the flowers of the second crop, which produces most of the seed grown in this country.

Nothing can be done this season to prevent the female midges from laying eggs in the flowers of the first clover crop, but if this crop is allowed to stand until just past full bloom it is probable that thousands of the young maggots will mature, drop to the ground, and complete their development. This will mean a large number of midges to lay eggs in the second or seed crop. If, however, the first crop is cut early, when the whole field is fresh with bloom, but before any flowers have withered, the young maggots will be killed by the drying of the flowers and there will be few midges to lay eggs in the second crop, providing farmers will agree to cooperate in adopting this measure. The early cutting of the first crop is also effective against the clover-seed chalcis.

Extra copies of the above may be secured at the Murphy Seed Store.

**MISFITS**

Stand by Albany College to the last ditch.

A commencement speaker said that cant and slang are signs of mental deficiency.

At one service the sermon was 39 minutes long, the rest 60 minutes.

It's getting so one hardly knows whether one is attending a concert or a church service.

We're all trembling lest the Brownsville picnic brings rain this week.

Two boys in an Albany family were talking the other day, when one said: "I don't like Rev. —." The other rushed to his mother and asked: "Can George go to heaven if he doesn't like Rev. —?"

H. B. Chess, a Lebanon lawyer, ought to play a good game in the profession.

The way to compete with the catalog houses is to beat them at their own game.

Sell the same kind of goods as cheap or cheaper than they do, and let people know about it.

**Attempted Pun.**

Corvallis G. T.: Albany Students the goat. "O. A. C. Graduates Nany Linn Co. Students." Headline in Albany paper. Evidently no boys among them.

"Chic bathing suit arrests the eye," is the heading of some pictures in a Sunday paper. Sure enough; pretty near makes the eyes burst from their sockets.

**Thinking of Vacation.**

It seems to me I'd like to go Where bells don't ring, nor whistles blow, Nor clocks don't strike, nor gongs don't sound, And I'd have stillness all around.

Not real stillness, but just the trees' Low whisperings, or the hum of the bees, Or brooks' faint babbling over stones In strangely softly tangled tones.

Or maybe a cricket or a katydid, Or the songs of the birds in hedges hid, Or just some such sweet sounds as these To fill a tired heart with ease.

If 'tweren't for sight and sound and smell, I'd like a city pretty well, But when it comes to getting rest before they have begun to harden, I like the country lost the best.

Sometimes it seems to me I must Just quit the city's din and dust And get out where the sky is blue— And, say, how does it seem to you.

—Eugene Field.

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**Annual School Election.**

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 5, Linn County, Oregon, that the regular school election will be held at the high school building Monday, June 19, 1916, between the hours of two and six o'clock p. m. At this election there will be elected one director to serve for a term of five years or until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Attest:— ALFRED C. SCHMITT, Chairman of the board.  
D. D. HACKLEMAN, Clerk.  
Dated this 8th day of June, 1916. j8-18

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Albany, Ore., June 5, 1916.—The board of directors of School Dist. No. 5, Linn county Oregon, will receive bids for the remodeling and building of a new addition to the Madison street school building, until Wednesday, June 14th at the hour of 8 o'clock p. m. 1916, same to be built in accordance with the plans and specifications as compiled by Mr. E. A. Hudson, architect, and now on file in the clerk's office at the high school building, Albany, Ore.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Bids will also be received for installing a complete heating and ventilating system, with or without boiler, in accordance with the plans and specifications and supervision furnished by Mr. H. K. Mead of the C. A. Dunham Co., of Portland, Ore. Same to be completed on or before Sept. 15th, 1916. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
A certified check of 2 per cent of each bid must accompany each bid.  
D. D. HACKLEMAN, Clerk.  
ALFRED C. SCHMITT, Chairman of the board.

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