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## ALBANY AND 1915.

The Commercial clubs of the Willamette valley have agreed upon a plan which will give this section of the state the proper recognition at the Panama exposition. Albany, together with every other town in the valley will profit from the joint exhibit which will be maintained at the exposition grounds, but there is more to be done if Linn county is to reap its just proportion of new settlers from the crowds which will throng to California in 1915.

Every line of business and every profession is well represented in Albany. What this section of the state needs is more scientific farmers. Farming has long since ceased to be a vocation in which a lazy man or a fool can succeed. It is now recognized among sensible people as a business and no business can be profitably conducted unless modern methods are used. There are hundreds of acres of uncultivated land in the Willamette valley and thousands of acres that are poorly farmed. There is enough land tributary to Albany to support a city of fifty thousand people if the land were divided into smaller farms and more scientific methods used by the owners.

The problem in which every citizen should now be interested is that of securing our share of immigration from the Easterners who will visit the Panama exposition.

The Democrat believes that Linn county should send a suitable representative. Permanent quarters should be provided and he should be furnished with literature setting forth the advantages of this section of the state from the standpoint of the man who proposes to make his living from the soil. The representative should be instructed to tell the exact truth and put in at least ten out of every twenty-four hours of each day in boosting Linn county.

Illuminated signs, bearing the simple but effective inscription, "Albany the Hub of the Willamette Valley" should be placed in conspicuous places near the Southern Pacific and Oregon Electric depots. The signs could be obtained at a slight cost and in all probably arrangements could be made with the Oregon Power company whereby light could be furnished free of charge or for a nominal sum.

A city-wide boosting campaign for a better advertisement of Linn county at the exposition should be launched at an early date. The joint advertisement of various western Oregon counties is good, but Albany and the county tributary thereto must be given special attention. The Commercial club has started in the right direction and that organization should receive the friendly support and cooperation of every citizen in the plan already outlined.

## SENTIMENT OF GRANGE IS DIVIDED ON UNIVERSITY

That the sentiment of Harmony grange and Linn county council is about divided on the matter of appropriations for the university and that no action relative to the measure was taken either one way or the other, became known at the meeting Saturday. At that time Linn County Council met with Harmony Grange No. 23, H. Clay Powell, acting master, F. D. Cornett, acting secretary, presided.

The entire session was full of interest. Reports from granges were encouraging. Hon. C. L. Shaw made report on behalf of legislative committee, naming bills up for a vote on the 4th inst. The greatest interest centered around the bill of appropriations and some spirited addresses were made by C. H. Walker for, and C. L. Shaw, against the university, but council took no action. Sentiment seemed about equally divided.

Cooperation was presented by C. L. Shaw, backing his statements showing the success of the Albany Cooperative Creamery Association, now paying 35 cents for butter fat, that in Portland brings only 34 1/2 cents. He noted the statement in the Oregonian of October 31 regarding the butter market "that the situation was still further complicated by the large creamery at Albany paying 36 cents. For years some other creamery interests have tried to down the Albany creamery, but its stockholders and patrons stood manfully by it until it really dominates the present situation. If farmers would thus stand together in all matters pertaining to their interests they could win the day."

The Albany creamery rules provide that from the proceeds first to be paid are running expenses, next six per cent on capital stock, then what funds remain are divided among the patrons in proportion to the amount of butter fat they furnished. The council put itself on record as favoring a public market in Albany, a move initiated by Grand Prairie Grange.

By vote the next meeting of the council will be the first Saturday in January, 1914, place to be named by the president. The annual election of officers will then take place. Linn County Pomona Grange meets in December. The Workmen's Compensation act was explained. Evidently a meritorious measure and should be sustained as also county attorney bill. The ladies of Harmony served a dinner with pumpkin pies galore.

C. H. W.

**Boy's Eye Put Out.**  
Lebanon, Or., Oct. 31.—Marvin, 15 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harris, has completely lost the sight of one eye as the result of an injury sustained when a schoolmate threw a fir burr, striking him in the eye. The Harris family reside about four miles south of Lebanon.

## VOTES FOR WOMEN IN DENMARK IS CERTAIN

Copenhagen, Nov. 5.—Votes for women in Denmark today is regarded as a certainty following the passage in the lower house of parliament of the constitutional amendment bill by an overwhelming majority. The same bill, which went through the lower house last year, was wrecked in the upper house because providing for a general female enfranchisement. It also embodied reform of the house of peers. Enemies of the measure tackled this on in a last desperate measure to defeat what was popularly demanded. But at the last general election the progressives were returned in increased numbers, and it is believed now that these circumstances the peers will not persist in opposing full and complete suffrage for women.

## Licenses to Sell wet Goods Void.

Columbus, O., Nov. 5.—Beginning today, you'll have to go thirsty or be reduced to the awful extremity of sipping pure, cold water, if your throat becomes parched and your lips feverish whilst riding on railroads in the state of Ohio. There is, of course, the alternative of grape juice, soda pop or ginger ale, if you won't drink water. Attorney General Hogan, in looking over certain musty sections of the state constitution, found that moving saloons were prohibited. He informed the state liquor license commission of his discovery, and all licenses to sell "wet goods" on trains are void today.

## Roosevelt at Buenos Ayres.

(By United Press Association).  
Buenos Ayres, Nov. 5.—Ex-President Roosevelt arrived today on the Uruguian cruiser Uruguay. The warships fired salutes in honor of the ex-president.

## News on This Page is From Daily Issue of TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

## Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account as administrator of the estate of W. Q. Stewart, deceased, in the county Court of Linn County, Oregon, and that said Court has fixed Monday, the 18th day of December, 1913, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, as the time for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

C. H. STEWART,  
Administrator.

## Notice of Road Meeting.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, resident tax payers of Road District No. 27 of Linn County, Oregon, being more than ten per cent of the tax payers of said Road District, that a meeting of the tax payers of said Road District will be held at Mill City School House in said Road District on 27, the 28 day of November, 1913, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of levying such an additional tax on all taxable property in said road district as may be deemed advisable by the majority of such tax payers at such meeting to improve the roads of said Road District.

This Notice is posted this 5 day of Nov 1913.

S. M. Bassett, P. N. Bassett, E. E. Bassett, E. L. Davis, M. T. Stone, Geo. W. Stafford, J. H. Greenhagen, Robert Buwa, V. L. Pennington, Clyde Stone, H. L. Schackenberg, N. M. Lee, H. F. Bodiker, S. D. Brown, Eva Quinn, A. Vaughn, A. H. Brown, W. B. Robertson, J. H. Hummer, F. M. Hester, A. L. Carter, W. H. Carter, G. B. Heath, W. J. Smith, G. E. Hill, J. O. Simlberg, W. H. Traak, O. M. Aplet, F. A. Mariels, A. L. Hill, I. V. Gardner.

## Notice of Road Meeting.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, resident tax payers of Road District No. one of Linn County, Oregon, being more than ten per cent of the tax payers of said Road District, that a meeting of the tax payers of said Road District will be held at Lemke Store at Ninth and Elm St. in said Road District on Saturday, the 29 day of November, 1913, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of levying such additional tax on all the taxable property in said road district as may be deemed advisable by the majority of such tax payers at such meeting to improve the roads of said Road District.

This notice is posted this 28 day of October, 1913.

## Referee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was by an order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, Department No. 2, in that certain suit wherein Mary E. Wilson and G. W. Wilson, her husband, F. B. Powell and S. M. Powell, were plaintiff and Martha Marrs and John Marrs, her husband, Horace M. Probst and Jane Doe Probst, his wife, Alvis L. Probst and Mary Roe Probst, his wife, Nina P. Probst and Dale D. Probst, were defendants, duly made and entered of record on the 23rd day of October, 1913, appointed sole referee to make sale of the following described real property, to-wit: Beginning at a point 5 chains west of the northeast corner of the Donation Land Claim of Samuel Simpson, Not. No. 1962, in Township No. 11 South, Range No. 1 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, same being the northeast corner of the tract of land set apart to Rebecca Powell by decree of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, made and entered on the 16th day of November, 1904, and running thence west 120 rods; thence south 66 2-3 rods, thence east 120 rods, thence north 62 2-3 rods to the place of beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less, in Linn County, Oregon.

Now Therefore, in pursuance of said order and of the Statute in such cases made and provided, I will on Saturday, the 29th day of November, 1913, at one o'clock p. m., of said day, at the front door of the Court house in the City of Albany, Oregon, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title, interest and claim of the parties, plaintiffs and defendants, in and to the real property above described.

Dated this 27th day of October, 1913.

M. V. WEATHERFORD,  
Sole Referee.

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## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County,  
Bertha Wapas, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Frank Wapas, Defendant.

To Frank Wapas, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear in the above Court to answer the Complaint of plaintiff, filed against you in this cause, on or before the 13th day of December, 1913. The date of the publication of this summons is October 31st, 1913, and the last day of publication is December 12th, 1913, and you are notified that if you fail to appear and answer the Complaint in this suit as herein required the plaintiff will take a decree against you for the relief prayed for in said Complaint; To-wit: for a decree of said Court dissolving and annulling the marriage contract now existing between you, said defendant, and the said plaintiff.

This summons is published by order of Hon. D. B. McKnight, County Judge of the County of Linn, State of Oregon, made and dated at Albany in said County, October 29th, 1913.

## McFADDEN & CLARK

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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## Referee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, was by an order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County, in Department No. 2, in that certain suit wherein Andrew Shearer was plaintiff and Ida Pugh, P. Van Fleet and Mary Elva Van Fleet, his wife, George W. Huffman, a minor, Emma Junkin and David Junkin, her husband, Mary A. Wright, James A. Pugh and Charlotte E. Pugh, his wife, Annie E. Kendall and A. M. Kendall, her husband, Ada Jackson and Henry Jackson, her husband, Omer Tetherow and C. D. Tetherow, his wife, Miles Tetherow and A. B. Tetherow his wife, Clyde Tetherow, Anna Weir and John Weir, her husband, Effie Pierce and F. F. Pierce, her husband, and M. A. Shough, were defendants, duly made and entered of record on the 30 day of July, 1913, appointed referee to make sale of premises hereinafter described, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is north 87 1/2 chains distant from the southwest corner of the Donation Land Claim of Jesse W. Pugh and wife, Not. No. 340, in Township No. 12 South, Range 4 West of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, and running thence north 435 chains, thence east 26.59 chains; thence south 3.35 chains; thence west 26.59 chains, to the place of beginning, containing 888 acres, more or less, in Linn County, Oregon.

Now Therefore, in pursuance of said order and of the Statute in such cases made and provided, I will on Saturday the 15th day of November, 1913, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the front door of the Court-house in Albany, Linn County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the real property above described.

Dated this 10th day of October, 1913.

J. F. YATES,  
Sole Referee.

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## CITY HALL AND PARK PLANNED BY CLUB

Commercial Organization Considered Novel Proposition Last Night.

PLAN IS TO SECURE CENTRAL SCHOOL SITE

Hall to Face Ellsworth; Broad-albin to Be Eliminated-- Court House Changed.

A city hall located on the Central school building site, facing Ellsworth street, the school to be situated on two blocks of the present Albany College campus, a court house in the course of several years, situated on the same block as the present one, but facing Ferry street and a city park to be laid out on the remainder of the two blocks between the two public buildings, with the elimination of Broadalbin street at that point, is the proposition considered last night at the Commercial club.

Pointedly speaking, the members of the Commercial club are of a consensus of opinion in wanting a city hall for Albany and a public park. For some time, the public spirited men of the city, have been racking their heads in efforts to solve the establishment of these two requisites for the municipality and at last they believe have hit upon the right idea.

Bonds for a city hall in the sum of \$60,000 have already been voted for. The proposition is this. The city could buy the Central school grounds from district No. 5 and the district could purchase two blocks of the college campus, lying west of the proposed extension of Broadalbin street for school site. Aside from the bond money, the city could raise money for the purchase of the grounds, through the sale of city property now used for the fire department. A city hall would eliminate the separate maintenance of a city jail and the two fire houses on Lyon and Second streets, aside from other departments now kept up by the city.

It is pointed out that this is only a matter of looking ahead to the needs of Albany in view of the city's progress. It is said that heretofore but little thought was given to the future needs of the city along this line. It is also pointed out that the location is ideal for such purposes and that the city is destined to build up about that section.

In order that the people behind the project may have ample time to ascertain what can be done relative to the proposition, the college authorities have agreed to hold the two blocks from sale for a definite period.

The proposition has been placed before many leading citizens of the community, including members of the school board and city council and thus far all have been enthusiastic. Apparently it is only a matter of a few days.

## SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County,  
Forest G. Davis, Plaintiff,  
vs.  
Miles Tetherow and A. B. Tetherow, his wife, Omer Tetherow and C. D. Tetherow, his wife, Anna Weir and John Weir, her husband, Effie Pierce and E. F. Pierce, her husband, and Clyde Tetherow, unmarried, Defendants.

To Effie Pierce, E. F. Pierce, Clyde Tetherow, Anna Weir and John Weir, the above named defendants: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled court now on file with the Clerk of said Court on or before the 12th day of Dec. 1913, and you are notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit:

That plaintiff's title to the following described real property to-wit: Beginning at the south boundary line and W 40 Chs. distant from the S. E. corner of the D. L. C. of Jesse W. Pugh and wife same being Not. 830 and Chain Nis. 45 in Tp. 12 S. R. 4 W. of the Will. Mer. Oregon, and running thence E. along said boundary line 10.84 chs. thence S. 18.42 chs. thence W. 14.67 chs. thence N. 16.94 chs. thence E. 3.83 chs. to a point due S. of the place of beginning, thence N. 148 chs. to the place of beginning containing 26.40 acres, lying and being in the County of Linn, State of Oregon, be forever quieted, and that plaintiff be decreed the owner of said premises in fee simple, free from the claim of the defendants and each of them and that each and all of the defendants be perpetually enjoined and debarred from hereafter asserting any claim or interest in or to said premises or any part thereof and for such other, further and general relief as to equity may seem meet in the premises.

This summons is served on you by publication in the Semi-Weekly Democrat by order of the Honorable D. B. McKnight, County Judge of Linn County, Oregon, made the 9th day of Oct., 1913.

The date of the first publication is the 31st day of Oct., 1913, and the date of the last publication is the 12th day of Dec., 1913.

L. G. LEWELLING,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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## SHERIFF ARRIVED LAST NIGHT WITH PRISONER

Charles Smith to Occupy Cell in Jail Until Case is Acted Upon.

Arriving home at midnight last night, Sheriff Bodine is home after an eventful ocean voyage from San Francisco, bringing with him Charles B. Smith, who was arrested in that city a week after sawing his way to get out of the county jail on October 20.

Smith was placed in a steel cell in the county jail last night, where the sheriff says he will remain until his case is acted upon by the grand jury. Smith's escape, in company with Chas. Davidson, who has not yet been intercepted, was due to the fact that the prisoners are allowed in the corridor of the jail during the day and at night are locked in their cells. On the night that the jail break occurred, Sheriff Bodine called the roll as usual. All the prisoners answered, supposedly from their cells, whereupon the sheriff locked them up. It later developed that Smith and Davidson answered to their names while standing close to the bars, slipping back to a dark place in the corridor before their cells were locked. During the night with the use of a saw they had secured, they saved five bars in the west window and escaped.

At the time of his break Smith was being held to await the action of the grand jury on two felony charges, one of securing money under false pretenses and the other of securing funds under false pretenses. He had deposited a worthless check on a California bank for \$1100 in an Eugene bank and after issuing large checks against it there, transferred an alleged balance of \$811 to an Albany bank. Here he issued several checks, securing \$280 worth of diamonds, a suit of clothes and a small amount of money and then endeavored to secure a draft for his purported balance before many checks he had issued were cashed.

## FATE OF UNIVERSITY APPRO-RIATION WITH PEOPLE

Four Measures Are Being Voted on Today. No Predictions Made.

Portland, Or., Nov. 4.—A special election is in progress in Oregon today at which the sterilization bill and the workmen's compensation act, passed at the last session of the legislature are being referred to the electorate for affirmation or rejection. Three other measures are also being voted upon, two of them affecting appropriations made by the legislature to the state university, and the other providing for a district attorney for each county in the state instead of the present system of having a district attorney for several counties clothed with the authority to appoint deputies for other counties.

All the measures were placed on the ballot by petition through the operation of the referendum law. The sterilization act, which has caused considerable discussion throughout the state, authorized the state board of health to order such surgical operations as the board shall decide upon to be performed upon habitual criminals, moral degenerates and sexual perverts, of both sexes, who are confined in the state institutions.

The purpose of the workmen's compensation act is the creation of a state accident commission, composed of three commissioners to provide a fund for the compensation of injured workmen employed in hazardous occupations, to be raised partly by the state, partly by the employers and partly by the employees.

Little time before the definite result will be known. The matter is to come up before the city council at an early date.

## CITY NEWS

**Only Public Offices Have Holiday.**  
—Today, on account of the special state-wide election, only the public offices are enjoying a whole day holiday. The city and county offices are closed and the college, high school and public schools are open. The post office will remain open all day as usual.

**Election was Quiet.**—During the morning hours the election was very quiet. Comparatively few visited the polls and this afternoon and towards night a heavy rush is expected. The polls opened at 8 o'clock and will close at 8 o'clock tonight. Among those who cast their votes during the morning were scores of women and the belief is that the fairer sex will play an important part in the result.

**Weather Fair.**—The range of temperature for 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock this morning was 61 to 36 degrees. The rainfall for the same period was .38 inches. The river is 1 1/2 feet. Occasional rain tonight and tomorrow, is the weather prediction.

**Handsome New Electric Sign Arrives.**—A handsome electric sign arrived this morning for the Robbins Cigar Store and pool and billiard room on First street next to the Albany State bank building. The sign represents a huge cigar, over six feet long and studded with lights, bearing the word "Robbins" on each side. It is to be suspended over the entrance to the establishment by the Albany Electric Supply Co., from whom it was ordered.

## ALL PLANS ARE NEARLY COMPLETE

New Walk From Lyon Street to Park Will Finish Arrangements for Game.

FULLY 8000 PEOPLE ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Oregon's Defeat by Willamette Stimulates Interest in Great Game Saturday.

Practically everything is in readiness for the University of Oregon-Oregon Agricultural College football game here next Saturday. Arrangements will be fully completed by tomorrow or next day with the construction of a new walk from the end of Lyon street to the park. All of the bleachers are up and the seats have been marked in sections. Three hundred feet of walks have been laid inside the park. Through this convenience the spectators will be enabled to reach any section of the park without walking on the ground. This will eliminate the difficulty experienced last year on account of some muddy sections of the field.

William Eagles, chairman of the Albany Commercial club's committee on arrangements, said today that the sidewalk to the grounds will be placed at once and all that will then remain to be done before the whistle blows will be the shifting of the goal-posts a short distance southward and the laying out of the field. This latter work will be done under the personal direction of the managers of the two teams.

From all indications there will be an immense crowd here for the game and it is expected that the total attendance will reach at least 8,000. The bleachers which have been erected will seat that many people comfortably.

Strange as it may seem the defeat of the University of Oregon team by Willamette University at Salem Saturday is stimulating interest in next Saturday's game and will increase the attendance. Ordinarily after an unexpected defeat such a result would not obtain but after the University of Washington crushed the Oregon Agricultural College team people began to believe that the University of Oregon would run all over the "Arglies" and that the game would not be worth while. And while it is realized that Oregon's defeat is due largely to overconfidence and the playing of second string men it has served to show that Oregon will have to play fast ball to win from the Corvallis aggregation Saturday. This fact coupled with reports from the Oregon Agricultural College campus that the team of that institution is enjoying a revival both in spirit and team-work leads to the belief that the game will be well contested.

**Harrisburg People to Be Received.**  
—At the Commercial club meeting last night, arrangements were made for the reception of the 100 or more Harrisburg people that will come here in a special car tomorrow for the purpose of conferring with the county court relative to the construction of a bridge across the river at that point.

**Farm Sold.**—Mr. Harry L. Newell of Levensport, Ind. has bought through J. V. Pipe, agent, the W. A. Williamson farm containing 100 acres situated 2 1/2 miles north of Albany, Benton county. This is a fine farm and Mr. Newell will take possession immediately and build a new house and barn and otherwise improve the place. His family consists of his wife, three daughters and one son who already are living in Albany.

**Hotel Hammel Furnishes Much Heat.**—That the huge Hotel Hammel steam heating plant will furnish several buildings with heat became known yesterday when it was learned that the Knights of Pythias building, upon completion will be supplied with heat from the hotel plant and the Burgess building is already getting heat from that source. Improvements are to be made in the hotel office soon, with the installation of a new key rack and other conveniences.

**Fixing Car Track Near Depot.**—This morning workmen began tearing up the car track at the S. P. depot preparatory to repairing it at that point.

## BEAR HAS BEEN AT LARGE NEAR SHELBURN; CAUGHT

Shelburn, Or. Nov. 4.—(Special to Democrat.)—The bear that has been at large in this vicinity for several weeks was caught last night. Trapping brothers had the honor of capturing it. They had had traps set for over a week, and when they went to look at the traps this morning, found the bear caught by one paw. Bruin had begun to gnaw his foot off.

The bear, which dressed over 200 pounds, was sent on the noon express to a Portland market. Quite a crowd gathered at the depot to see it loaded for it is a very rare occurrence at Shelburn to see a bear lying on an express truck.