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## Wall Street vs. Wilson.

In commenting upon the work of the sixty-second congress, Speaker Champ Clark sums up the net results of the majority members as follows:

"It has reduced expenditures, curbed republican extravagance, restored freedom of debate in congress, admitted Arizona and New Mexico, revised the tariff downward, provided for the direct election of senators, proposed an income tax, compelled the publication of campaign contributions before elections, unshackled labor, removed the gag from federal employes, extended the principles of the eight hour day and rebuked Russia in vindication of American citizenship."

This is the record which the democratic party will present to the voters in November. The issues are joined and the record can not be disputed.

If Mr. Taft and the republican members of congress expect to win in November, they must defend the Payne-Aldrich tariff; they must explain to the satisfaction of the country, the president's veto of the democratic tariff bills; they must apologize for the alliance between Taft and Aldrich; they must excuse the partnership between the republican organization and big business, and they must vindicate the action of the Taft managers at the Chicago convention.

The democratic party presents for the consideration of the electors, a progressive candidate. They have adopted a progressive platform; they have no apologies to make and none are expected by the electors.

Governor Osborn of Michigan clearly defined the issues of the campaign when he said, "The issue is clearly drawn for the people. It is Wall street against Wilson."

Neither Hadley or Cummins will man the ship "Roosevelt" on its voyage to oblivion.

This is the open season for Bull Moose.

After March 4th President Taft will have plenty of leisure time to enjoy the healthful and invigorating game of golf.

The republican party is no longer the party of Lincoln. It has drifted from its ancient moorings and abandoned its best principles.

The organization as it is now constituted represents the will of the great master mind who directs the manipulations in Wall street. The plain people have no place in its councils, no rights and no privileges, other than to vote the ticket in November.

## The Rural Schools.

At a recent meeting of the National Educational Association, the most important subject presented for discussion was that of improving the condition of the rural schools.

Of the 20,000,000 school children in the United States, 12,000,000 receive their education in the little red school house, but up to

the present time but little thought or attention has been given to the country school by the great educators.

It is a notorious fact that the rural schools of the country have been sadly neglected. In many instances incompetent instructors have been secured and the country child who is unable to afford the luxury of an education in the schools of some nearby town, goes through life with a training which is far from adequate to present day needs.

In speaking at the meeting of the National Educational Association James Y. Joyner, an educator of note from Raleigh, N. C., summed up the situation as follows:

"There must be a revival of interest in the country school if the education of the country is to progress."

"We must cease centering all our attention on the city schools. There must be aroused in the school house in the desert, on the mountain or on the farm a love of rural life and not a hatred of it."

"Neglect our rural schools and they will be deserted. Make them attractive and comfortable, and education will flourish."

Professor Joyner is right and his plea for a revival of interest in the country schools opened up a subject which is well worthy of discussion by the educational societies of America.

One plan advanced in the interest of the rural schools is that of state appropriations. This plan has been in force in the state of Arizona and is working successfully. The sum of \$1,000,000 has been appropriated by the legislature of that state for educational purposes and any rural school with eight or more pupils may draw upon the state treasury for \$1,000.00 annually.

## The Mating of Unfits.

In Nebraska last year there was one divorce for every twenty persons placed under arrest.

The figures are cited in support of a bill to be presented to the next legislature to prevent the marriage of undesirable and defectives, confirmed paupers, criminals, imbeciles, habitual drunkards, persons afflicted with contagious diseases, idiots and those unable to pass a physical examination by a reputable physician.

The bill is said to have the approval of the governor. There is claim that it will make divorce less prevalent, lessen crime, and in time result in a greatly minimized public expense for jails, asylums and reformatories.

There is a woeful ignorance of the responsibilities of marriage. There is not the slightest doubt that the mating of unfits is a calamity to homes, a blight to children and disastrous to society.

The Nebraska government is founded on common sense, is full of intelligence, and is very likely to become one of the widespread reforms of the future.—Portland Journal.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Thompson of Salem spent Sunday in Albany visiting at the home of Dr. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thompson.

J. P. Hill of Colfax, Washington, who has been visiting for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Whit Crawford at Lawson, returned home this morning. He will attend the Elks reunion at Portland.

The Misses Mabel and Zoe Trask of Lyons who have been visiting in Albany for several days at the home of Miss Karlene Warner, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Tom Riley of Corvallis, wife of the general conductor of the Albany-Philomath train, went to Portland this morning to visit friends and attend the Elks reunion. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Scott of this city.

Gale S. Hill of this city was a passenger on the electric going to Portland this morning. He will look after legal matters and see that everything is in readiness to receive the Albany Elks on Thursday.

## Advertised Letter List.

Albany, Oregon, July 6, 1912.  
Letters remaining in the Albany, Oregon, postoffice unclaimed for and advertised July 8, 1912: Miss Francis Allen, Fritz Beuten, E. E. Black, H. B. Black, A. A. Blair, Frank Blanchard, Fred Dixon, Miss Edith German (8), T. J. Grant, Mrs. Mary Helms, Mrs. J. A. Huffer (2), H. G. Kerns, Mrs. Cora E. Lee (2), Mr. Benj. Lewis, Mrs. J. P. O'Neill, Rev. C. L. Robillard, Bill Shields, O. W. Watson, Mrs. Earl H. West, Aug. M. Wrinkle.  
J. S. VAN WINKLE, P. M.

## MONDAY

# MEDFORD ELKS ARE ENTERTAINED HERE

### Special Train of Eight Coaches Arrives In Albany Sunday Morning at 11 o'clock.

### VISITORS WERE TAKEN FOR AUTO RIDE ABOUT THE CITY

### Informal Reception Tendered Southern Oregonians at the Local Elks Temple.

Hello Bill! was the cheery greeting heard on all sides when the special train bearing the members of the Medford and Klamath Falls lodges of Elks and their ladies pulled in at the union depot yesterday morning at 11 o'clock.

The local lodge of Elks No. 359 had received word Saturday morning announcing the coming of the Medford Elks' special train of eight coaches and when the long train pulled in the railway yard, nearly two hundred members of the Albany lodge were on hand to welcome them and extend to them the freedom of the city.

When the train came to a stop here, the Elks' band of this city struck up a lively air and upon finishing the selection were greeted with an ovation by the members of the antlered herd.

The ladies of the party, including sixty-five from Medford and fifteen from Klamath Falls, were escorted to the automobiles, forty of which had been secured by the Albany Elks, to convey their visiting brothers and their ladies on a sight-seeing trip about the city.

After the ladies had all been seated in autos, the men of the party were all provided seats in the remaining cars, and the caravan of cars started on the trip through the city, down Lyon to Seventh, west on Seventh to Broadalbin, north on Broadalbin to Fourth, Fourth to Ferry, south on Ferry to Ninth, west to Washington and north on Washington to First where the autos turned west to the steel bridge.

The visitors were taken across the Willamette river to North Albany where they were taken for a short tour of the garden and fruit districts lying adjacent to this city, returning after half an hour's trip, when the entire party was taken to the handsome home of the local lodge at First and Lyon streets where an informal reception was tendered them and the visitors given a chance to inspect the comfortable and attractive home of the Albany Elks.

After the reception at the temple, the visitors were again loaded into automobiles and taken back to their train which was waiting at the depot. Before the departure of the special, the Medford bunch sang a number of catchy hooster songs, which won the applause of the big crowd at the depot.

One of the songs rendered at the depot here and sung to the tune of "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia," was as follows:

"Carry me back to Albany,  
There's where the hops and corn big potatoes grow,  
There's where the antlered herd are right all the time,  
There's where the Medford boys will always long to go."

Other songs prepared by the Medford Elks for their journey to Portland included "Everybody's Doing It," "He Was a Bold, Bad Elk," "Old Medford Town," "Pick 'Em Off," "Oh, You Rogue River Peach," "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," and "Medford." The special train of eight pullman cars was an attractive one and on the windows of the coaches were painted big letters in white, "Medford Elks' Special."

The bunch also had a piano on board the train for the entertainment of the ladies and each member wore a beautiful badge which consisted of an Elks' head in bronze from which was suspended a pearl and an apple. Many of the visitors' traded badges with the Albany boys.

C. L. Reames, a prominent resident and attorney of Medford and exalted ruler of the Medford lodge of Elks, when interviewed by the Democrat reporter said:

"We cannot say too much of the splendid hospitality and fraternal spirit shown us in Albany this morning by the members of Albany lodge No. 359 and we will always remember our visit in the Hub City. The Albany bunch gave us a splendid reception here. They were on deck at the depot to give us the 'old hand,' accompanied by their splendid band and plenty of automobiles to take care of the whole crowd."

"We enjoyed immensely the trip about your city and we congratulate the residents of Albany on its progressive appearance. The entire Medford bunch was greatly impressed with your fine homes and lawns, paved streets, and modern business blocks."

"Our special train left Medford at 11:45 o'clock Saturday evening and we have had a very pleasant trip so far, stopping for breakfast this morning at Eugene where we were royally entertained by the brothers there. Medford lodge No. 1168 is still a young order, having 252 members, but we are growing rapidly and will begin the erection soon of a new

# BAD WRECK IS NARROWLY AVERTED NEAR LEBANON

### Engine and Baggage Car of Albany-Lebanon Train is Thrown From Rails.

While enroute to Lebanon yesterday morning the Lebanon train met an accident near Lawson, when the engine and baggage-car jumped the track and tore up a large section of the roadbed and delaying the arrival of the train at Lebanon until late last evening.

When the train left the track, the passengers were excited for several minutes and it was with much difficulty that conductor Frank Cummings restored order. No one was injured by the accident, both passengers and crew escaping, their remarkable escape from death being due to the low rate of speed of the train.

The accident was caused by the spreading of the rails. The train had made its regular run from Tallman to Brownsville on the Woodburn-Springfield line and was backing to Tallman to complete its run to Lebanon when the rails spread. The damaged track was being repaired this morning by a big crew of men and traffic has been resumed.

# HOBO IS EJECTED TWICE FROM TRAIN AT ALBANY THIS MORNING

When the second section of No. 16 pulled in to the union depot at this city this morning, a dirty looking man was ejected with considerable force from the train, having beat his way to Albany in the smoker.

He was given into the hands of an employee of the Southern Pacific who was standing on the platform, with the instructions to hold him until the train had left. The hobo evidently was in a hurry to get to Portland, however, and as the train started and gained speed, he broke away from his guard and climbed aboard again.

The man who was guarding him darted after him and the train was stopped and the man ejected for the second time. After the train had left town he was turned loose.

# AMERICAN FLAG FLUTTERS IN BREEZE FROM TOP OF TREE IN LOCAL YARD

One of the best decorated homes in Albany during the celebration last week was that of Rev. D. H. Leech of the First Methodist church. The parsonage was gaily bedecked with flags and bunting and the front porch presented a most attractive appearance.

The feature of Rev. Leech's decorations, however, was the artistically decorated hemlock tree which stands near the sidewalk in the front yard. The lower branches of the tree had been decorated with bunting, while from the top of the trunk, which is nearly fifty feet from the ground, an American flag fluttered in the breeze.

The unique decoration of the tree attracted much attention from hundreds of visitors and was a clever and original scheme.

Peter Dewall, proprietor of the Albany rooming house went out to Thomas this morning to look after matters on his farm at that place.

Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Wilson and Mrs. Frances Wilson left this morning for Portland to attend the Elks' reunion and tour the Pacific coast for the next two months. They expect to return to Albany about September 8th.

4-story building to cost approximately \$70,000.

Klamath Falls lodge No. 1247 had a special car attached to the Medford train and was represented by a delegation of over a hundred members and about twenty ladies. E. B. Hall, delegate to the grand lodge at Portland from Klamath Falls, gave the Democrat reporter the following interview:

"We are all deeply indebted to the Albany Elks for the splendid reception given us in Albany today and our visit here will always be a pleasant remembrance. You have a beautiful city and the Klamath Falls people were very favorably impressed with its fine homes, streets, and stores."

"We are traveling to Portland in a special car which was attached to the train at Medford last night. Our lodge is number 1247 and we have 200 members. Hunter Savidge, a prominent manufacturer of Klamath Falls, is our exalted ruler and is on the train. Another prominent member of our party is Mrs. E. J. Knibbl of Jacksonville, mother of K. K. Knibbl of Portland lodge No. 142, one of the officers of that lodge who is in charge of the arrangements for the big reunion next week."

Other special trains which passed through Albany yesterday enroute to the Elks' reunion at Portland, carried the Los Angeles, Sacramento, Redding, Stockton and other California lodges and the Eugene lodge passed through Albany at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon on a special train of six coaches.

The Albany lodge of Elks will go to Portland by special train next Thursday, accompanied by their own band and the big Dallas band of 35 pieces which played in Albany on the Fourth.

# ATHLETICS TRIM THE ANGELS WINGS

### Fast Amateur Organization of Mt. Angel Defeated by a Score of 7 to 3.

### ALBANY PLAYS THROUGH GAME WITHOUT AN ERROR

### Fair Sex From Northern City Amuse Local Fans by Their Persistent "Rooting"

The "Athletics" of this city added another scalp to their collection yesterday when they trimmed the wings of the "Angels" by a score of 7 to 3.

The local nine played a splendid game without an error being chalked up against them, and but one error was made in the entire contest and that one by the visitors. Schanback twirled a fine game for the "Angels" but the Albany boys got "next" to him in the first inning when they secured three runs by excellent stick work. Another run was made by Albany in the second, one in the third, and one in the fourth, the seventh tally being made in the seventh.

Bigbee pitched a superior game for Albany and even got the "goat" of Curtis Coleman, third baseman for the "Angels," and recently of the New York Americans, who was expected to bat Albany's "bush" pitchers out of the box. Bigbee handed him a choice little package by striking him out the first three times he came to bat.

The fans in the grandstand yesterday were much amused by the "rooting" of a number of Mt. Angel's fair sex who accompanied the team to this city. They applauded all the good plays and "rooted" the players and the umpires when they needed it. And the umpires sure needed a rooting for every two out of three decisions they made were rank and aroused the ire of the local fans. One of them was from Mt. Angel and it is not his fault that Mt. Angel lost the game—the umpire worked hard enough to win a dozen games for Mt. Angel.

They even aroused the wrath of the sporting editor of this paper by their extremely "raw" decisions, and he would suggest that not more than a dozen umpires be allowed in a game from the visiting aggregation.

Of course, we understand that Mt. Angel has been bragging for a week how they were going to go to Albany and "clean up" a bunch of easy change and we are sorry that the game ended so disastrously for several hundred dollars of Mt. Angel money will now have to be circulated in Albany and it was a shame to take it.

The Mt. Angel boys were gentlemen, however, and with the exception of the "bouquets" handed the umpires, the game passed without "rag-chewing."

During the contest yesterday Dave Patterson of this city made three two-baggers in five times at bat and Carson Bigbee made three hits in the same number of times at bat. Lyle Bigbee also made three hits in four times at bat. Following is a summary of yesterday's game:

Albany	R.	H.	E.
Mt. Angel	7	12	1
Batteries—Bigbee and Patterson;	3	2	1
White, Sherback and White.			

# NORTHWESTERN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION FORMED AT PORTLAND LAST WEEK

Dr. W. R. Shinn of this city returned home Saturday evening from Portland where he attended a meeting of the Tri-State Medical association. He reports a fine meeting and stated that the association was re-organized as an association to include all northwestern states. A Northwestern Alumni association of Rush Medical college of Chicago was also organized. Dr. Shinn is a graduate of Rush Medical college, also Dr. B. Russell Wallace of this city.

# FRED DAWSON FIRST PASSENGER TO BUY THROUGH OBSERVATION TICKET

Fred Dawson of this city who was in Portland Saturday looking after business matters and who returned home that evening via the Oregon Electric, has the distinction of being the first passenger to buy an observation car ticket to Albany from Portland. He kept the stub of the ticket and will have it framed to keep for a souvenir.

# GREEK LABORER IS KILLED BY AN ELECTRIC WIRE NEAR JEFFERSON

While working on the substation of the Oregon Electric Railway company near Jefferson this morning, a Greek laborer was struck by a 1200-volt wire and instantly killed. The body of the unfortunate man was taken to Salem.

## REGISTRATION OF LAND TITLE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County.

In the matter of the application of W. W. Paine to register the title to the following described premises, to-wit:

Beginning at a point which is 10.00 chains North of the Northwest corner of Berry James's Donation Land Claim, same being Notification No. 7620, Claim No. 40, in Township 11 S., R. 1 East of the Willamette Meridian, in Linn County, Oregon, and running thence North 25.31 chains, to the Northwest corner of the Southwest quarter of Section 19 in said Township and Range; thence East 75.78 chains to the West boundary line of Jos. Elkins's Donation Land Claim; thence South 7.18 chains to the Southwest corner of said Elkins's Donation Land Claim; thence East along the South Boundary line of said Donation Land Claim 14.81 chains to the Northeast corner of Robert Watkins's Donation Land Claim; thence South 40.12 chains along the East boundary line of said Donation Land Claim to the Southeast corner of same; thence West along the South boundary line of said Donation Land Claim 17.82 chains; thence South 28.78 chains to the South boundary line of said Berry James Donation Land Claim; thence West along the South boundary line of said Berry James Donation Land Claim 9.89 chains; thence North 28.78 chains to the South boundary line of Robert Watkins's Donation Land Claim; thence West 23.23 chains; thence North 12.00 chains, to the North boundary line of said Berry James Donation Land Claim; thence West along said boundary line of said Donation Land Claim 29.45 chains to a point 10.00 chains East of the Northwest corner of said Donation Land Claim; thence North 10.00 chains; thence West 10.00 chains to the place of beginning, containing 388.78 acres, more or less.

Against Edward E. Paine, and all whom it may concern, defendants.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Take notice, that on the 5th day of June, 1912, an application was filed by said W. W. Paine in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Linn County for initial registration of the title to the land above described. Now, unless you appear on or before the 15th day of July, 1912, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Circuit Court, this 5th day of June, 1912.

(L. S.) W. L. MARKS,  
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Circuit Court of Linn County, Oregon.

HEWITT & SOX,  
Attorneys for Applicant. 7-Jul-12

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 12th day of April, 1912, duly appointed by the County Court of Linn County, Ore., administrator of the estate of W. H. Cleavinger, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, properly verified, at the office of Wm. S. Risley, in Albany, Oregon, within six months from this date.

Dated this 2nd day of May, 1912.  
WILLARD CLEAVINGER,  
WM. S. RISLEY, Administrator.  
Attorney for Administrator.

## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mathew Acheson, late of said county, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the office of Hewitt & Sox, in the City of Albany, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated April 12, 1912.  
I. R. ACHESON,  
HEWITT & SOX, Executor.  
Attorneys for Executor.

## ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, appointed administratrix of the estate of Charles Kiefer, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same, with proper vouchers, at the office of L. M. Curl, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1912.  
MARGARET KIEFER,  
L. M. CURL, Administratrix.  
Apt. for Admrx. w-5t

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Mary F. Rhoades, deceased, by the County Court of Linn County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date of this notice, at the office of T. J. Stites, in Albany, Oregon.

Dated May 24, 1912.  
NELLIE R. MYERS,  
T. J. STITES, Administratrix.  
Attorney for Admx.

FOR SALE—Two colts, yearlings past. High grade Percherons. \$100.00 each. Address Box 6, Marion, Or. J8-21w\*

FOR SALE—Dairy farm of 90 acres, all clear, \$65 per acre. Address Box 6, Marion, Or. J8-1td-1w\*

FARM FOR RENT—200 acres, well improved, close to town, 155 acres under cultivation, at \$500.00 rent. H. B. Sudtelt, Halsey, Oregon. w-f12-19\*