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BOSTON'S NEGLECT OF POE.
No Fitting Recognition of His Fame in the Whole Country.

I have mentioned the circumstance that it has never occurred to the town of Boston to erect a monument to Poe, who, next to Franklin, probably has the most world-wide fame of all the men of letters native to that town, and Poe was connected with Boston not alone by the important accident of his birth, but by the commencement there of his literary career, itself an event worth commemorating. So far as I am aware, Boston never awarded to Poe the honor which, in the case of her dead literary men of eminence, she sometimes does readily to be taken in lieu of any further monumental attention, namely, the calling of a public meeting by the mayor, at which addresses are made and complimentary resolutions adopted. The name of Poe is, indeed, carved on the outer walls of the public library at Boston; so are several hundred other names. Their purpose is chiefly decorative.

However, Boston's neglect in respect of Poe was but the neglect of all the rest of the country. His kindred left his grave at Baltimore unmarked and a fund of about \$1,000 had to be raised by public subscription to have his remains reinterred in the city. The calling of a public meeting by the mayor, at which addresses are made and complimentary resolutions adopted. The name of Poe is, indeed, carved on the outer walls of the public library at Boston; so are several hundred other names. Their purpose is chiefly decorative.

The latest story of a wonderful gold find in Alaska is a lake whose bed is literally paved deep with gold dust. The lake is 1,000 yards long, 400 yards wide and 150 feet deep. It is fed by water from a glacier, and its only outlet is a little stream two feet deep, but of incredible swiftness. The assay of the sand which a sea captain brought to Seattle recently showed \$2 to \$10 a cubic yard, and on this basis a man alone could take out \$10,000 a year.

The big white mouse recently shot in the Maine woods by Mr. Sargent, of Grafton, has greatly interested naturalists as well as sportsmen. It is the only white mouse ever seen in Maine, and very few have ever been heard of elsewhere. The naturalists say it is, of course, not strange that there should be an albino mouse, resulting from a freak of nature, as white deer and other albino game animals are not uncommon. But white mouse are a great rarity.

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southern part of town. He has a small engine and will put in a band saw and a set of wire machines. He is fitting up the shop simply for his own convenience and to do his own work.

The contractors on the new mechanical hall at Corvallis being built by the state for the O. A. C. are having a rough and some stone, and necessitating considerable work being done over.

A young lady in the vicinity of Huntington recently sent 25 cents to a Chicago advertiser for a receipt to "write and keep the hair off." She received the following answer: "Send them well three times a day in dishwater, while your mother takes a needed rest."

A young man a neighboring county advertised for a wife under an assumed name and his sister answered the advertisement and also under an assumed name. Then photographs were exchanged and now the young man thinks there is no hair in his veritaments and the old people think it pretty hard to have two fools in one family.

Miss Dora F. Titus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Titus, died at her home in Hufus, Sherman county, Ore., February 11, 1899, aged 21 years, eight months and six days. The cause of the young lady's early demise was the dreaded disease consumption. She was born in this county, and had many friends and relatives in this locality.

The Quaker doctors are giving very interesting entertainments at the city hall each evening. They began Monday night, and although the house was not crowded those who were present were highly entertained. The admission is only 10 cents and handsome prizes are given away each evening. They will close their engagement here to-morrow night.

Thirteen of Scio's bowlers have formed themselves into a club and purchased the bowling alley. They will now bowl to the full limit, and it will not be so expensive for them. In other words they have formed a little "trust." Scio has a few pretty good bowlers, and some day we hope to see them make up a team and play a like number from some of the neighboring towns.

J. L. Calavan and Miss Cora Alexander, two of Scio's popular young people, were married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blyeu, in Jefferson, Wednesday, February 22, 1899, Rev. Bagley officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Calavan start out on their honeymoon and a good deal of congratulations and well wishes from a host of friends in and about Scio. They arrived here yesterday where they will remain for a short time prior to going to Eastern Oregon to reside.

Albany believes in getting the full benefit of the state institution. On Monday four of that city's bright young lads were sent to the reform school, their parents claiming that they could not control them. The boys were Oscar Zimmerman, Francis Ward, Carl Ugham, and Will Williams. It seems to us that the parents who will go before the county officials and say that they cannot control their children should be held responsible for the state for the costs of controlling them at the reform school.

C. W. Watts, formerly of Albany, writes quite an interesting letter from Dawson to the Herald, under date of Dec. 31. He says Mr. Savage is working a show in Puyallup, Wash., and is doing quite well. In closing his letter Mr. Watts says: "If the cold weather continues for two months there will be a great crop of snow, and a winter as much as former years combined, but a sure, comfortable living at home is preferable to the chances of winning in the gamble here, every thing considered."

Things have sort of shifted around at the Dawson place, and as a result there is two men at the wheel instead of one. Last week L. L. Calavan purchased a half interest in the livery barn and business from F. Irvine, and the new firm will be Irvine and Calavan. By a strict attention to business and by kind and courteous treatment Mr. Irvine has built up a good and lucrative business, and we bespeak for the new firm a continuance of the same. Mr. Calavan is a man well and favorably known in Scio, he having spent the greater part of his life here, and has been in business here before, and The News is glad to see two such men as Messrs. Irvine and Calavan hitched up together.

The 20 game bowling contest of which we spoke last week was completed last Friday evening and was won by C. V. Johnson, Peter McDonald and Joseph Wesley. The score and average was as follows: Peter McDonald 782, average 39 1/10; C. V. Johnson, 746, average, 37 1/10; Joseph Wesley, 709, average, 35 1/10 grand total 2237; grand average, 37 1/10. A. J. Johnson; 782, average 39 1/10; J. C. Simpson, 720, average 36; A. M. Young, 696, average 34 1/4; grand total, 2183; grand average, 35 1/4. Joseph Wesley bowled 70 pins more than A. M. Young, while the other two players of each team were about even, A. J. Johnson and Peter McDonald being exactly even, and C. V. Johnson bowled 25 pins more than Joseph Wesley. The score was hotly contested, and will doubtless result in another contest. The grand average was good considering that none of the participants were "professionals," but just "common bowlers."

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PURELY PERSONAL

Geo. Rogers was over at Albany on Saturday last.

R. D. Calavan, of Albany, was in Scio Saturday and Sunday.

Harry S. Johnston and J. A. Wallace drove over to Albany yesterday.

Miss Bessie Morris has been quite ill for the past week, but is now improving.

Homer Blyeu was up from Monmouth this week visiting relatives and numerous friends.

Mrs. B. A. Plesner was a visitor at Albany Sunday, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mankers.

Rev. R. P. Burnett was in Scio this week, and occupied the pulpit at the Christian church on Sunday morning and evening.

J. W. Galine, Jr., who is attending college at Albany, came over Wednesday for a few days visit with friends and relatives.

A. D. Woodmansee was up in town last week, the first time since he was taken sick. He is improving, and will soon be fully recovered.

Marshall Ross E. Hibler returned home from Portland Monday last. His eyesight was much improved by the treatment received at Portland.

Mrs. Dr. Jones returned to her home in Lebanon last Friday evening. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Olive Morris and her niece, little Miss Peery.

Mrs. J. W. Britain, wife of our popular photographer, accompanied by her son, arrived from Portland Monday, and now Mr. B. wears a very bright smile.

Mrs. C. V. Johnson returned from Salem Wednesday evening. She was accompanied home by Miss Jessie Mankers, who will visit for a few days in Scio.

Mrs. Perthona Calavan, Mrs. L. L. Calavan and Miss Nettie Hull were in attendance at the Calavan Alexander wedding, which took place in Jefferson Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mankers and their little daughter are at Jefferson this week. The little girl has the measles and it is doubtful if she will be able to return home for several days.

J. P. Jones, the good natured traveling passenger agent of the Southern Pacific railroad, was in Scio Monday, and paid this office a very pleasant visit. Mr. Jones is a very pleasant gentleman, and is always on the lookout for the interests of his company.

Cattle Stealing.
For some time past there has been a good deal of cattle stealing in the vicinity of Stayton, and in some instances the pilfering was on quite an extensive scale.

Last Friday evening parties entered the pasture of Marion Malone, who lives a few miles northwest of this city, and drove here from three nice fat cows. Early in the morning Mr. Malone discovered his loss, and immediately set out to capture the thief and recover his cattle. He had not gone far until he discovered tracks of the cattle and after a few hours ride came upon them, and was enabled to find the thief, who were being driven by a young man by the name of Chas. Duncan. Mr. Malone took the cattle back home, but did not get close enough to Duncan to capture him, he having "fled" when he found he was being pursued by Mr. Malone. Duncan went to Stayton where he informed some friends of what he had done, adding that there were others into the scheme with him, and then skinned. Mr. Malone came here and swore out a warrant for Duncan's arrest, which was placed in John Ledler's hands, as special constable, for service. Ledler, however, was unable to locate his prisoner. On Sunday deputy Sheriff G. W. Morrow telephoned the facts to Sheriff Mankers, who in turn wired north and south, and finally located Duncan in Oregon city, where he was arrested, and Sheriff Mankers went down Tuesday and brought him up to Albany. Duncan implicated two other men in the stealing, and warrants are now out for their arrest.

Duncan was given a preliminary examination at Albany on Tuesday evening and waived examination and was bound over to appear before the grand jury.

Chas. Duncan is the man of the crime which the perpetrator should receive the heaviest punishment the law provides. It is a business that has no place in a civilized community, and the only way to stamp it out is to give the perpetrator the severest penalties that the law provides.

The Quaker Medicine Co. are giving a good show at the small price of ten cents at the city hall this week.

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The native inhabitants of the Fiji Islands believe thunder to be the belching of the great air whale, a mythical creature which, according to their folk lore stories, inhabits the opposite side of all thunder clouds. If the region thunder cloud appears unaccompanied by the ominous rumblings peculiar to such phenomena, they take it as a token that the Great Spirit is pleased with their past doing. If, however, on the other hand, the detonations be frequent and violent, they are sure that the God of the elements is displeased and immediately engage themselves in all sorts of ludicrous incantations for the purpose of appeasing the angry deity. Lightning is to them the result of the air whale gnashing his teeth together and thus striking fire. Another peculiarity of this primitive people lies in the fact that they will not partake of food while a thunder cloud is in sight, fearing that the air whale will pounce upon and devour them for such irreverence.

The Williamson Act.

Noticing editorials in two previous issues of the Daily Herald regarding the late re-districting bill as passed by the legislature, known as "the Williamson bill," in which you seem to think the act somewhat complicated; and especially so as it applies to the third senatorial district comprising Linn and Marion counties, I fear you have not studied the bill, as I can see no reason to misunderstand or chance for duplicate representation in this, the third senatorial district, by reference to section 5 of said act you will see that it reads thus: Sec. 5. Senators holding over representing districts composed of more than one county shall, when the districts have been changed by this act be considered as senators of the districts created by this act in which they reside." Hence you see this properly leaves all the hold over senators in the first, second and third senatorial districts. To explain: Marion at present has two senators, both holdovers. The new law allows them the same, which will leave Senators Looney and Adams to represent the first district (Marion), and Senators Kelly and Clem, both being hold-overs, will necessarily represent the second (Linn) and third (Linn and Marion) districts. As Senator Porter now joint senator between Marion and Clackamas counties, is a resident of Clackamas county and hereafter will represent the seventeenth senatorial district (Clackamas and Multnomah). The only difficulty will be to determine which it is, Senators Kelly or Clem, who shall represent Linn county and which the joint district of Marion and Linn counties. There are two ways of settling this, I think preferable, but in this regard I think there is no chance for misunderstanding, especially so far as it applies to Marion and Linn counties as a joint district. I trust you will give space for this explanation as I see our other county papers quoting this same point, under misapprehension. I admit it is not as plainly worded as it could have been, still it covers the ground.

Truly yours,
A. J. JOHNSON.

County Fair Meeting.
Pursuant to adjournment, a mass convention called for the purpose of organizing a Linn County Fair Association and arranging for a county fair to be held in the fall of 1899 and regularly annually thereafter, was held at the court house last Saturday afternoon. The meeting was well attended and much enthusiasm was manifested.

The meeting was called to order by Judge George D. Barton, chairman pro tem, who stated briefly what action had already been taken at the previous preliminary meeting and suggested that the first order be the election of a chairman.

On motion of William Powers, George L. Rees was elected chairman and J. R. Whitney was elected secretary. Chairman Rees stated briefly the object of the meeting and invited discussion of a county fair.

C. H. Walker, the oldest resident of Linn county, was called upon. He referred to the early fairs held in Oregon and said a county fair, on a broad basis, including exhibits of every product not forgetting the social side of such a gathering would prove a success.

Judge Barton was called upon. He said that Linn county possesses wonderful resources and industries which ought to be exhibited in a great big county fair, and offered his ideas of a plan for organization, which met general approval. It was to form an association, into which membership would be invited upon the payment of \$10 for a life membership certificate, such certificate to be non-transferable, and to entitle the holder to free admission during life. He thought 500 men could be found who would each take such a certificate making a fund of \$5,000.

Mr. Canfield, recently from Minnesota, now a farmer living near LaSalle, said he had never seen such resources and material for a good fair as in Linn county.

W. R. Blyeu said he was afraid of a corporation plan and suggested that the property ought to be put in a condition where it could not be swept away by debt. This feature was discussed by Albert Brownell, M. K. Lewis, Judge Barton and Geo. A. Ward.

George McKnight moved that "We do organize a county fair," which motion prevailed unanimously.

On motion of Judge Barton the chairman was authorized to appoint a committee of three from each precinct to solicit life certificates of membership at \$10 each, said committee to report at a subsequent meeting.

The chairman was given a few days to name such committee.

On motion of W. R. Blyeu, the chairman was authorized to call to his assistance five discreet men from various parts of the county for formulating a plan of organization. This committee was named as follows: W. R. Blyeu, Judge Geo. D. Barton, G. W. Cline, Geo. McKnight and A. Ward.

On motion convention adjourned to meet on Friday, March 17, 1899, to hear the report of the committee and to perfect the organization.

Mr. Wilson, secretary of agriculture, made a speech at Savannah Ga., in which he gave the young men some sound and sensible advice a little out of the ordinary academic college curriculum. He said: "The young farmer should study soils rather than dead languages; he should learn of the plants rather than classics, and how to feed animals rather than logic. He should believe in letters. The study of the moisture of the soil will pay better than the study of oratory; barnyard poultry offer greater rewards than the study of the moon. The sheep pay better than state heroes, while the promise of a dairy cow brings more happiness than a congressional career."

Henry is a woman dog. She was blind with a thin skin. No one would let her out. One day she was out and she was driving up on the hill. She began to bark and she was pinning her ears. She was so excited that she was taking her eyes out. She was so excited that she was taking her eyes out. She was so excited that she was taking her eyes out.

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A Pioneer Woman Dies.
Mrs. N. J. McMeekin of Harrisburg, one of the well known pioneer women of Linn county, died at her home near that place on the 17th inst. of paralysis, aged about 80. Her husband, W. J. McMeekin, died only a few weeks ago and Mrs. McMeekin was seriously ill at that time. She was a noble woman beloved by all who knew her. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Clara Swank, who resides near Albany and Miss Margaret, and two sons Walter and Frank, besides many relatives and friends who will deeply mourn her death.

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