

An ox and an ass dwell together in the same field, and many of the animals went to them to inquire about the weather.

"I cannot say for certain just now—please call again."

"The ass on the contrary, was prompt to reply: 'This is going to be a very, very open winter, the buds will start in February.'"

When the winter was over it was always found that the ass had missed it, while the ox had gained further reputation for wisdom by refusing to express an opinion.

"But that odor comes from your breath."

"Yes, my dear, we use alcohol at the lodge for initiations. Take some alcohol, light it, put salt in the flame, and it gives a ghastly yellow light; make folks look like ghosts, you know."

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"Yes, my dear, in the thirty-seventh degree I personate the chief demon with flames coming from his mouth. I take a mouthful of alcohol and a swallow of salt, and then set fire to it. But my dear, you mustn't tell these things. Secret society secrets sacred, you know."

In our opinion, Mr. Heine is one of the surpassing violinists of the age. His style is thoroughly artistic, his tone melodious and full, and his intonation perfect.

We see many recipes in the journals telling how to make good coffee. We know one that is always good here.

Now that the Senate has decided to bestow a bounty to encourage the production of native sugar, other industries are looking for assistance of the same sort.

Another human hog has turned up. He lives in Ohio and eats sixty three buckwheat cakes at one sitting.

Near depot on Commercial street, forty feet front and only \$3000; and whole blocks in West Salem, one hundred dollars.

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"Well," replied the doctor, thoughtfully, "I've never had such a case myself, but I would recommend you to advertise for it and then sit down in a large easy chair and wait until somebody brings it back."

Coal Dealer—Would you like chestnut coal? Customer—Yes; but there is one chestnut I don't want, and that is your calling 1600 pounds of coal and the driver a ton of chestnut coal.

Say, that's a mistake that is going the rounds of the papers—the statement that the queen of Portugal wears a mustache. The poor lady only has a hare lip, that's all. But that's enough.

As so much is said about the great results achieved by the agricultural college, will some one please tell us what they are? Mr. Cauthorn, in the senate, promised if this appropriation of thirty thousand dollars be made that still greater results will be achieved in the future.

Secret Society Secrets. Wife (11:30 p. m.)—What's that horrid odor? Smells like alcohol.

Husband—Yes, my dear, we use alcohol at the lodge for initiations. Take some alcohol, light it, put salt in the flame, and it gives a ghastly yellow light; make folks look like ghosts, you know.

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At last the fool who pulls a chair from under his friend, letting him sit violently upon the floor, has succeeded in killing his victim.

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"He Gets There Shust Der Same." Old Knop wrote a fable once, About a boastful hare, Who says, "Ven there vas racing, You can always run the there."

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REMOVAL NOTICE. JOHN KNIGHT, THE BLACKSMITH and wagon maker, has moved his shop to No. 210 Liberty street, where he will be ready for business after Monday, Jan. 20th. I wish to state to my friends and patrons that I will be better prepared from now on to execute all work in my line than any time before. Thanking all for the liberal support I have received at your hands, I am yours respectfully JOHN KNIGHT, Liberty Street, Salem, Oreg.

BLACKSMITHING and HORSESHOEING. SCRIBER & POHLE. Have moved to 47 and 49 State street, where they are now ready for work. All our old patrons and friends are invited to call and see us in our new location. We are better prepared for work now than ever having secured more room. 10-17-12

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RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

HOLINESS MEETING—Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at 115 High street.

BAND OF HOPE—Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the W. C. T. U. Hall, Court St.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—High street, Rev. B. F. Moody, pastor. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Liberty and Marion streets. Rev. A. R. Medbury acting pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at noon. Young peoples' meeting at 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Elder P. R. Barnett, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Prayer meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 o'clock; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6; evening service at 7. Rev. Anselm B. Brown, pastor.

UNITARIAN SOCIETY—Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. and Mental Science class at 3 p. m. Sunday. Conducted by M. V. Rork at their hall, corner of Court and Liberty streets, up stairs.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. A. Newell, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Society of Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 12 m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7 p. m.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Chemekete and Cottage streets. Low mass at 7:30 a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Vespers, sermon benediction at 7:30 p. m. every Sunday. J. S. White rector.

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