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## OREGON COMING EVENTS.

National Livestock convention,  
Portland, January 12-15.  
Agora goat show, Dallas, Janu-  
ary 14-15.

## The Weather.

Tonight and Sunday, occasional  
rain.

## A SAILOR'S SONG.

By Clinton Scollard.

We kissed good-by in the gloaming  
Ere the moon crept up in the sky;  
"When, love, will you be homing?"  
She cried, with a teary eye;  
"When will you cease from roaming  
The breast of the barren sea,  
And come to another breast for rest—  
To the longing heart of me?"  
Then I said to her low, and slow—  
"O it's over the lad must go,  
And it's over the lass must stay,  
And that is the tale of the world-old  
woo  
Till the trump of the judgment-  
day!"

Still I hear her voice entralling,  
And see her standing there,  
With the night's deep shadows falling  
On the dawn-break of her hair,  
And ever her calling, calling,  
Floats over the hazy sea—  
"Come back to my aching breast with  
rest  
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## GOING ONTO THE BREAKERS.

It is stated at the clubs and in po-  
litical circles that one of the strong-  
est politicians and best business men  
of the state is going into a mental  
collapse.

His is the old story told in Hamlet  
of "sweet bells jangled" and a "bright  
mild overthrow." He has ability,  
friends, a happy family, and was a  
man of great promise and wealth.

He has degenerated until he gets ac-  
tual satisfaction out of filling himself  
with liquor, sitting dazed and helpless,  
neglecting business, and does not even  
answer business and political letters.

His is the false belief in stimulants,  
the false sense of pleasure derived  
from tickling the palate with "rock  
and rye." The deadly microbe of er-  
ror that insists on punishing himself  
by purchasing whisky, and paying off  
the national debt by burning out his  
brains and the lining of his duodenum.

There is probably no human power  
that can keep this fur slip from go-  
ing onto the breakers—unless he can  
be aroused to the reality of being  
which consists not in what a man eats  
or drinks, but what he thinks.

## HELP THE INDUSTRIES.

An Oregon capitalist bought a large  
tract of timber land and had secured  
the capital to erect a large sawmill.

He was ready to go to work putting  
up a building, opening a logging camp,  
and installing his machinery.

As a precaution he asked the rail-  
road company that operates in West-  
ern Oregon whether they could deliver  
him five cars a day for a year.

They could promise him nothing.  
They flatly refused to agree to furnish  
any number at any time and the  
whole enterprise had to be dropped.

The advance in freight rates and the  
car shortage in Western Oregon have  
not only made new enterprises impos-  
sible, but imperil many of the oldest  
and best established.

Would it not be public policy and  
business common sense to manage  
corporations as the best right hand of  
industry? What are they for but to  
make industries and enterprises possi-  
ble?

## THE PUBLIC LAND QUESTION.

Senator Fulton is right in saying  
that the government should permit no  
further absorption of large areas of  
public lands by syndicates and corpora-  
tions for purposes of speculation.

A man was recently in Oregon and

invested \$100,000 in timber lands to  
hold them for advances that will make  
millions of his children. His father  
did that for him two generations  
ago in Pennsylvania.

This method of enriching future  
generations out of the unearned in-  
crement that attaches to the increase in  
values of property from the develop-  
ment of the whole community is wrong  
in principle.

Any man is entitled to what he  
honestly earns by his whole efforts  
and industry, but he is not entitled in  
a free country to the fictitious wealth  
that is created by special privileges of  
had legislation.

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## RUIN TO RAILROADS BY RE- STRAINT OF TRADE.

There is common sense in the  
statement of President J. J. Hill at a  
St. Paul banquet of business men,  
that any railroad that attempts to fol-  
low restraint of trade will break up  
its own business.

The restraint of trade was the key-  
note of Hill's brief talk. In part, he  
said:

"A great many people think the  
business of a railroad is to restrain  
trade. I want to assure you that the  
railroad that restrains trade will go  
broke. A railway, to be successful,  
must make it possible for the people  
to develop the natural resources."

There is to be an advance of about  
10 per cent in the rates on about 100  
articles.

The protests of the big shippers to  
the railroad officials have already  
borne fruit. One article of which  
large quantities are shipped to this  
coast is cast iron piping. Owing to  
the protest of the shippers the pro-  
posed increased rate on this article  
from 65 cents per 100 pounds to 75  
cents has been rescinded.

The shippers want the railroads to  
take similar action on about ten or  
eleven other commodities. The rail-  
roads decided to refuse this request.

## A MATHEMATICAL PUZZLE.

The Journal is in receipt of several  
efforts at the solution of the mathe-  
matical puzzle involved in its diamond  
guessing contest.

How many combinations of figures  
are possible out of those ten figures  
from which the unknown number will  
be assembled, which will be composed  
of three of those figures.

The estimates are all too low, in  
the opinion of the editor, but then he  
is not a mathematician. He is satis-  
fied if some deserving person gets the  
diamond for a dollar, and he gets the  
dollar.

The absolute fairness of the guess-  
ing contest has not been called in  
question. It is open on equal terms to  
old and new subscribers who pay a  
dollar on subscription, and no hawk-  
ing or commission work allowed.

The guess must be made by the per-  
son who gets the receipt issued in his  
or her name, and they must be bona  
fide subscribers.

## HIGH CLASS ENTERTAINMENTS.

A number of Salem gentlemen,  
prominent in religious and education-  
al work, are interesting themselves in  
securing a series of high-class enter-  
tainments for the people of this com-  
munity.

The presentation of clean amuse-  
ments is one of the problems of the  
city and especially in the educational  
centers like Salem. These entertain-  
ments are, therefore, entitled to hearty  
patronage.

Let us stamp Salem as definitely an  
educational city, with a predilection  
for the higher class of entertainments.

To this end the Fish Jubilee Singers  
and Mozart Symphony Club are en-  
titled to a generous support from our  
citizens.

The lecture by General Gordon, of  
the Southern Confederacy, who is the  
last surviving general of the Confed-  
erate armies, is also entitled to hearty  
support.

## A FINE ANNUAL.

The Daily Coast Mail, of Marshfield,  
Columbia county, has out a fine New Year's  
annual on book paper, and excellent  
press work, with scores of illustra-  
tions, bearing Southwestern Oregon.

The Journal feels a natural pride  
in this publication as it went into the  
hands of Hofer & Levar, two young  
men who received their newspaper  
training in this office, and we wish  
them the greatest success.

## Salem Man Builds It.

A Cottage Grove dispatch of Fri-  
day says: Architect Burggraf, of Sa-  
lem, was in town this week, and turned  
over the plans and specifications for  
Cottage Grove's new high school  
building to the school board. The site  
for the new building has been selected  
in the J. H. McFarland addition on a  
slight elevation near the sight of the  
old home which burned, but the  
ground or title, at least, has not yet  
been secured. The building is to be a

fine eight-room, two-story structure,  
modern in all of its departments, and  
is patterned after the Patterson school  
building at Eugene. It will cost, com-  
plete, about \$14,000; however, only  
three rooms are to be completed at the  
time of building.

## The Spirit of Winter.

The Spirit of Winter is with us,  
making its presence known in many  
different ways—sometimes by cheery  
sunshine and glistening snows, and  
sometimes by driving winds and blind-  
ing storms. To many people it seems  
to take a delight in making bad  
things worse, for rheumatism twists  
harder, twinges sharper, catarrh be-  
comes more annoying, and the many  
symptoms of scrofula are developed  
and aggravated. There is not much  
poetry in this, but there is truth, and  
it is a wonder that more people don't  
get rid of these ailments. The medicine  
that cures them—Hood's Sarsa-  
parilla—is easily obtained and there  
is abundant proof that its cures are  
radical and permanent.

## Fear Another Massacre.

Vienna, Jan. 9.—A dispatch from  
Constantinople today was received  
from an Armenian source and says  
the inhabitants of Sassoun, in Tur-  
kish Armenia, are greatly excited over  
the possibility of a repetition of the  
Kurdish massacres of 1894. A num-  
ber of the inhabitants have fled.  
Bands of Kurds, who are old-time en-  
emies of the Christian Armenians, are  
stationed at many points on the fron-  
tier to prevent the escape of the fugi-  
tives.

## Nate Kimsey Resigns.

Nate Kimsey, who was appointed  
one of the guards at the penitentiary  
early in December, has severed his  
connection with that institution, his  
resignation having been accepted by  
the superintendent on Thursday night.  
His successor has been appointed, and  
is now at work. Mr. Kimsey is a re-  
sident of Marion county, coming from  
the Whiteaker neighborhood.

## Commander Dillingham, of the cru- ser Detroit, cables from San Domingo, that he and the commander of the En- glish cruiser Pallas "made such repre- sentations to the commander of the Morales gunboat that her officers agreed not to bombard Puerto Plata." "Made such representations" is a dip- lomatic way of saying it, but what Dillingham said would, no doubt, make good reading.

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# JOURNAL X-RAYS

The exhibition of a lot of little  
bunches of grain in the straw is about  
the limit of intelligence of some of  
our world's fair commissioners in get-  
ting up the St. Louis exhibit.

There will be a state printer  
amendment submitted to a vote of the  
people at the next election. It is to  
authorize the legislature to put that  
official on a salary. How they can  
put a man on a salary, and require him  
to maintain an expensive plant is a  
mystery to be solved by legislative  
wisdom.

We cannot all wear diamonds at  
once, but you can have a free guess  
that may result in your wearing one  
before you know it.

The supreme test of hypnotism will  
take place when two Salem lawyers  
will try a hypnotic murder case before  
a hypnotizing judge at the Grand Sat-  
urday night, and for once will not be  
permitted to talk back to the court.

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# Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Doctors rarely have hard colds.  
They keep this old cough  
remedy in the house. Coughs,  
colds, weak lungs.

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hour of the day or night.

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The Lane county commissioners' court has agreed to a reduction of 50 cents an acre on railroad lands as- sessed at \$3 per acre, provided the Southern Pacific does not contest it. If the company fights the assessment it will remain at \$3 an acre.

Eugene Register: Salem elected a man by the name of Waters for mayor. This was done, no doubt, as a protection to the sanitary condition of the city, in belief that the Portland papers would, not even dare to insinuate that the mayor is infected with microbes.

Isn't syndicate ownership of trains wrecking and killing a great many train loads of people? A corporation was a soulless enough affair, but a syndicate has even an impersonal soulless existence. It is moral irresponsibility and vacuity combined.

Bed Time  
I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made of herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50c cents. Lane's Family Medicines moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for free samples. Address, Orator Woodward, LeRoy, N. Y.

A Big Kick  
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