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Dates of Local Events.

Monday, April 4, Jefferson Democratic banquet, Salem.
Thursday, April 7th, Polk county Republican primaries.
Wednesday, April 13, Congressional convention, first district, Salem.
Thursday, April 14, Marion county Democratic convention.
Thursday, April 14, Republican state convention at Portland.
Tuesday, April 19, Democratic state convention at Portland.
June 15, 16 and 17, Department of Oregon G. A. R., in annual reunion at Hood River.

LIFE'S TAVERN.

In this old Tavern there are rooms so dear.
That I would linger here.
I love these corners and familiar nooks
Where I have sat with people and with books.
The very imperfections and the scars
About the walls and ceiling and the floor,
The sagging of the windows and the door,
The dinginess that mars
The hearth and chimney, and the wood laid bare
There on the old black chair,
The dear dilapidation of the place
Smiles in my face,
And I am loath to go.
Here from the window is a glimpse of sea,
Enough for me;
And every evening, through the window bars,
Peers in the friendly stars.
—And yet I know
That some day I must go, and close the door,
And see the House no more.
Mary Burt Messer, in the April Atlantic.

FAIRNESS AND JUSTICE IN POLITICS.

The Journal believes there is an element of fairness and justice that should prevail in politics, from the primaries to the close of election.
From the beginning of the primaries, there should be consideration of all interests, and if there is no alignment possible two states should be put up.
Voters should not be compelled to take any man's dictation, or any dictation from any set of men.
Direct nomination will go far to solve this abuse, but even that system must be backed by a desire for fair treatment.
If an open primary can be called to select delegates, at which all have the same opportunity to express themselves, that is right.
It pays to conduct conventions fairly, and take no advantage of any man.
Railroad instructions and snap judgments tyrannical rulings belong to the political scavenger of the past, and not to modern Republicanism.
Marion county politicians should treat Congressman Hermann with the greatest consideration, and remember that he has done effective work for this county, and for the city of Salem.
The friends of Mr. Hermann in this county should give to Hon. L. T. Har-

YOUR HAT

May Be a Stylish One, But It Makes Trouble.
A man usually buys a hat that's "in style," but the modern hat for men has lots to answer for.
Baldheads are growing more numerous every day. Hats make excellent breeding places for the parasite germs which sap the life from the roots of the hair.
When your hair begins to fall out and your scalp is full of dandruff it is a sure sign that these countless germs are busy at work.
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ris the most considerate treatment, as it is not a pleasant task for any young man to down another man for a high position.
The opponents of Judge Burnett in this county should treat that gentleman with the utmost fairness and courtesy. If it seems to be the desire of the Republicans of the other counties that he be renominated the Marion county delegation should renominate Judge Burnett, but this should not be done simply because some gag resolutions were forced through the convention in his behalf.

Let a spirit of fairness and justice and cleaner methods prevail in all our political relations toward each other, and the men and party that employ these methods will win in the long run.
HUSTON FOR CONGRESS.
While there is apparently a division of sentiment in Washington county between Herman and Harris the real candidate from that county will be Hon. S. B. Huston.
Mr. Huston does not want the office but his friends have insisted that he enter the field and quietly await events. In the last convention at Eugene a year ago he was against Hermann.

Mr. Huston is a man of fine character, and was the choice of the Marion county men for chairman of the convention at Eugene.
He is a man of such fairness that when chairman Brownell left the convention hall he turned it over to Mr. Huston to administer, knowing he would take no unfair advantage of his absent opponent.
In mentioning these matters about the different candidates for congress, the Journal wishes to be distinctly understood as doing it out of a desire to be fair and courteous, and not for a moment admitting that its own first choice, Hon. Binger Hermann, will not be renominated by the convention at Salem on April 13th.

A MAN KNOWN IN THE WEST.
Among the many men of foreign birth who have become naturalized citizens of the United States and won eminence in their adopted country, few have had a more varied and romantic career than Henry Villard whose memoirs will bear the imprint of Houghton, Mifflin & Co. Landing in New York in 1853, and trying in diverse ways to earn a livelihood, Mr. Villard finally worked his way into journalism and achieved distinction as a field correspondent of various New York papers during the Civil War. Subsequently devoting himself to railroad construction and finance, he founded in Oregon the railway and steamship companies which gave such an impetus to the development of that great state, and carried to completion the Northern Pacific railroad.
Mr. Villard has recounted frankly his achievements and failures, and has given interesting glimpses of the leading public men of his day, with most of whom he came into close contact. Notable among these were Lincoln, Chase, Greeley, Garfield and Bismarck. Of the great battles of the war of which he was a witness, Mr. Villard has given extremely full and valuable descriptions of Bull Run, Shiloh, Fredericksburg, Charleston Harbor and Chattanooga as well as of Chickamauga.

THE MODEL FARMER FOUND.
A dairy farmer in Pennsylvania, whose wonderful success was described in Prof. L. H. Bailey's series of articles in Country Life in America on "How to Make a Living From the Land," has now been approached by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, which wishes to make his farm the subject of a bulletin on model farming. He objects, however, to making his place the Mecca of brother agriculturists the country over, unless the government will pay him

\$20,000 down or the same sum in \$2,000 annual instalments for his trouble. He began with fifteen acres of ground that would not support two cows and a horse. Now the same land supplies food for thirty-five cows and two horses, bringing him a large income from the place. It is one of the most remarkable instances of practical results of model farming in this country, as Country Life in America points out.

LIBERAL NEW YORK METHODISTS.

The more liberal elements among the New York Methodists have for some time been agitating the proposition to raise the ban placed by the Book of Discipline on dancing, card playing and the visiting of theaters. They have long recognized that the puritanical strictness of that prohibitory rule is no longer in harmony with the advanced spirit of tolerance prevailing all Christian churches. All previous efforts to bring about a modification of that rule were rendered futile by the opposition of the orthodox elements. The agitation has been continued, however, and it is believed, that at the conference to be held here this month strong pressure will be brought to bear, to have dancing, card playing and theater going among the forms of amusement to be avoided by the faithful. The principal reason urged against the prohibitory rule is, that it cannot easily be enforced.

AMONG THE MAGAZINES

John W. Churchman, M. D., opens the April Atlantic with a searching and brilliant diagnosis of Christian Science, which cannot fail to provoke discussion and to interest a wide circle of readers on whatever side they may hap of this much-mooted question.

Outing for March has a delicious breezy cover page that carries one out-of-doors in spirit if not in reality. The important announcement is made that John Burroughs is to begin with the April number a department on sports and animal life in this magazine. The editor of Outing is making a trip in South America and will have interesting stories for the readers of that monthly.

The case of Japan by an American Counsellor of the Japanese Legation in Washington, is a timely article in the April Leslie's Monthly, and the best presentation of Japan's side in the present struggle that has been put in English. There is a brilliantly illustrated article on "Our Melancholy Pastimes" which amuses us while it makes us think, and an interesting description of The Chance for an American Singer with a number of portraits of Radisson who was really the discoverer of the great Northwest, and an article on the workers of Coney Island are good reading. There is verse, too, in the number and some snappy reviews of the books of the hour.

Call for Congressional Convention
A convention of the Republican party of the First congressional district of the state of Oregon is hereby called to meet in Salem, Ore., Wednesday, April 13, at 11 a. m., for the purpose of nominating one representative for congress and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

The convention will consist of 177 delegates, apportioned among the several counties of the district as follows, to-wit: Benton, 7; Clackamas, 18; Coos, 9; Curry, 3; Douglas, 14; Jackson, 12; Josephine, 7; Klamath, 4; Lake, 4; Lane, 19; Lincoln, 5; Linn, 14; Marion, 23; Polk, 9; Tillamook, 5; Washington, 13; Yamhill 11. Total, 177.
The same being one delegate-at-large for each county, one for every 150 votes cast for Judge Bean on the last general election, and one for every fraction of 150 larger than 100.

That the work of the convention may be expedited as much as possible, the committee suggests that the chairman and secretaries of the several county conventions certify to the list of delegates elected by their county conventions to this congressional convention and mail them at once to Curtis B. Winn, secretary congressional committee, Albany, Ore.

Delegates or others in attendance at the convention may secure a rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip on the Southern Pacific and the Corvallis & Eastern railways by paying full fare to Salem, taking a receipt for fare paid from the ticket agent and having same properly certified by the secretary of the convention.
T. W. HARRIS,
Chairman Congressional Committee.
CURTIS B. WINN, Secretary.

X-RADIUMS

The disposition of many a man has made him poor—that is his disposition of money.

Menaced at Loom

A PLUCKY WEAVER ENDURES A PAINFUL PERSECUTION.

Course Pursued by Mr. Hickey to Bring to an End a Serious Interference With His Work.

The pluck which Mr. C. H. Hickey, of No. 3 Main street, Harris, Rhode Island, exhibited in persisting in his work as a cotton weaver, while he continued to be the victim of an effort to drive him from his looms in the Brenon Mills of Georgiaville, made him an object of peculiar interest to his fellow workmen.
Every day his work was hampered more, and at its close he dragged



CHARLES H. HICKEY.

himself to his home and was put to bed exhausted and suffering to such an extent that sleep was impossible. Every morning he forced himself with heroic resolution to resume his work. But the days went by without bringing him any relief, until it became clear that even his remarkable will power could not long sustain such fearful odds. His good wife, became alarmed and both began to look eagerly for assistance. They found it at last by following the advice of a storekeeper and a French weaver whose sympathies had been aroused.

Told in his own way, Mr. Hickey's experience was as follows: "My trouble, I think, came from the strong draught of cold air that played about my feet at my six looms. One foot swelled just above the ankle, and the pain became something terrible. I forced myself to limp about during the day, but it was worst at night when I got home and, as soon as I got my supper, I had to go to bed to get a little relief. Besides the torture in my foot I would have nervous jumping spells, shortness of breath and pain near my heart.

"I stood it as well as I could for three months, trying many medicines but all the time getting worse, until two friends told me what wonderful virtue they had found in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. One of them said they had cured his rheumatism and that he considered it 'the foremost of all remedies.'

"Now, I bless Dr. Williams' Pink Pills myself for the first box I took helped me and, after I had taken three boxes, the swelling went down and the pain and lameness left me for good. I have had no trace of the dreadful illness since. My wife and I never fail to recommend these pills to every one we find afflicted with rheumatism."

There is joy in the Hickey cottage now, for the disease that dogged the heels, and marred the sleep and sought the ruin of the weaver, has been completely mastered by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Obstinate cases of neuralgia, sciatica and even locomotor ataxia, have also yielded to the same remedy, which is a specific for all diseases of the blood and nerves. These pills are sold by all druggists throughout the world.

AFTER PAPER TRUST.

Resolution Introduced in Congress Asking for Investigation.

Representative Lilly, of Connecticut, who, it is said, has devoted considerable time and study to the paper supply question, has introduced the following resolution in congress requesting an investigation of the methods of the trust:

"Resolved, That the secretary of commerce and labor be and he is hereby requested to investigate the causes of the present high prices of white paper used for the printing of newspapers in the United States, and the great scarcity of the same, and whether the said conditions have resulted in whole or in part from any contract, combination in the form of trust or otherwise or conspiracy in restraint of commerce among the several states and territories or with foreign countries; also whether the said prices have been controlled in whole or in part by any corporation, joint

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stock company or corporate combination engaged in commerce among the several states or with foreign nations, and if so to investigate the organization, capitalization, profits, conduct and management of the business of such corporations, companies and corporate combinations, and to furnish to this house at his earliest convenience the results of the investigation herein requested."

A few days ago an old woman asked for a ticket.
"Where are you going?"
"On the train, of course."
"But to what place?"
"Well, it seems to me you are getting awfully impertinent, young man."
John Sealy has sold lot 3, in block 9, in Salem, to Sarah J. Denny for \$2000.

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