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### THANKSGIVING DAY.

**T**OMORROW is peculiarly America's day. Originating in the parlous times of the country's earliest settlement, when our forefathers, realizing the over-present danger from the wild and savage Indians, whose lands they were "appropriating," and whose country they had jumped, how thankful they should be that they were alive, set one day apart for returning thanks to a merciful creator and the inventor of gun-powder that this was possible. It doesn't look, at this remote period, as though they had a great deal to be thankful for, other than as above stated; but then our forefathers were not educated up to the standards of these electric and gasoline days.

And yet a comparison of their condition with our own shows some strong points of similarity, though in the present day we, the common people, stand rather in the position of the Indians than that of our scrappy old forebears, who carried their rifles on their plow handles, as they broke the stubborn sod, and wore the same guns, topped out for Sunday with a pair of bell-mouthed horse pistols, to church Sundays.

They had come over to this country, and were given a hospitable welcome by the unsophisticated native born Americans. They immediately began to locate the lands lying around un-used, and to drive their red brethren from the places they had been accustomed to roam over. Naturally there was a considerable difference of opinion as to the propriety of this course, and the red man proceeded to lift the factors of the white brethren, and all that was his, whenever the occasion offered. The white brother, who had fled to this country to get a larger dose of freedom than was handed to him at home, resented this little memento-gathering trait of the Savage, and on the occasion of the latter's visits to, or near, the white settlements, welcomed them with bloody hands to hospitable graves.

All this is changed, and the Indians, or such as are left, can now see us "choist with our own petard," and getting about the same kind of medicine we prescribed for them three hundred years ago.

We have exploited the Indians' lands of the whole continent, and such as are left are now college students and land owners under the charge of old Uncle Samuel himself.

Here is where, as he thinks of the treatment of his ancestors by ours, that his laugh comes in Carnegie and Morgan, John D., Hettly Green, the railroads, Steel Trust, Harvester Trusts, and the thousands of other corporations, without bodies, to be kicked or souled to be condemned, are following in the footsteps of our brave old ancestors, and treating us as they did the Indians. They are appropriating and grasping the things that were the peoples, and they are pushing us steadily away from the things they want, just as our ancestors crowded the Indians out. They are growing, too, and more coming over all the time, in spite of the terrible havoc the late P. R. made amongst them when the trust-boasting stunt made a thousand or so pieces of them, which amoeba like, each became a new, entire and extremely agile bug.

But what's the use looking a gift horse by the mouth—or inquiring too closely into the pedigree of Thanksgiving day. It is here again, or will be tomorrow—and whatever it may have been, it has come now to mean a day of real thanksgiving. A day that, while as a nation, we return thanks for the manifold good and

pleasant things that have come our way, we also make more pleasant and better in His sight, by removing some of the worry and sorrow from the life of our less fortunate brother. A day when with free hand and guileless heart, we can share in a small way of our redundant surplus, something with those in need. A day when to the widow's heart we may bring sunshine and joy, and to her eyes tears of gladness, by providing from our abundant cheer, for the helpless ones dependent on her.

A day, when business selfishness forgotten, we may remember that we owe something to humanity, to our race, to our people, to our townsmen, our friends, our neighbors and our family. Owe something? Yes, and them we owe all—for without them death in any form would be welcome. So here is to our country's great day, Humanity's day, and may you each and all realize that full measure of happiness which comes only to him who with cheerful heart and generous hands makes others happy.

### SALEM TAKE NOTICE.

**U**NDER the above caption the Eugene Register recently has the following:

The Register's "fourteenth assistant day devil," who was quoted Sunday morning, is, of course, only a hoax, but is there anything illogical in the statement that the state capital ought to be moved to Eugene? Its present location is woefully ill chosen. It is off in a corner of the state, and it is difficult of access to the greater part of Oregon.

Eugene, on the contrary, is remarkably well located. It is practically the center of the state, so far as population is concerned, and when the railroad lines that are now building are completed, it will be in direct and easy touch with every county. Eastern Oregon, southern Oregon and the coast counties would be saved long and circuitous travel.

In Skinner Dulte park, Eugene has the most beautiful and slightly elevated location for a capitol building in the United States. At very slight expense, this site could be made one of the world's wonders. Its unique beauty would scatter the name of Oregon's capital far and wide. This park, located in the heart of the city and comprising 63 acres, is owned by the city, and would be gladly donated to the state.

Eugene is a dandy city all right and destined to be a great railroad center, and the Register is usually pretty solid in its reasonings and correct in its facts. It is a model paper, too, one of the best printed in a city of its size on the coast, and therefore, anywhere, Eugene would make an excellent capital city, too, but it doesn't need the capital city in its business to fulfill its great destiny, and on top of all, it is too late now to discuss the matter, for the capital is pretty well located as it is, in one of the best and most prosperous cities in the state, too.

Besides, the Register for once, is probably mistaken about its being in the center of the state, from a population standpoint.

Portland has practically one-third of the population of the state, the Willamette valley and section west of the Cascades another third and Eastern Oregon has the remainder. Of this east

matter for the Register's story is but a little piosantry, and it is probable Salem will remain the capital of our great state long after the present generation of newspaper men is dead.

If you have things to give thanks for pass it along by some little aid tomorrow to those whose lines have not fallen in pleasant places. Truly "it is more pleasant to give than to receive," and none in Salem should be left with unpleasant memories of the day, when one can get so much pleasure from lightening their burdens, and making the day one of real thanksgiving for them.

Seattle claims to have been jarred by an earthquake. Seattle may have had a slight earthquake, but the horse editor stutters when it comes to believing that even an earthquake could jar her.

Have you seen that Governor West of ours lately? He is sure going some. At Seattle last Saturday he dined with 200 girls, he and Governor-elect Lister, of Washington, being the only dog-gasted males present.

### NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON THE LABOR LAWS

Announcement of its sixth annual meeting, to be held in Boston, December 27-28, has just been issued from its headquarters in New York by the American Association for Labor Legislation.

Topics to receive most attention in the discussions this year are the planks in the association's immediate legislative program. "Factory Inspection and Labor Law Enforcement," is at the top of the list, with "One Day of Rest in Seven," "Protection Against Lead Poisoning," and "Notification of Industrial Injuries," in the proposals for uniform state legislation. The plan for congressional legislation includes a new federal employees' accident compensation law, and Oscar S. Strauss, former secretary of commerce, will lead the discussion.

Among the speakers at these sessions will be John R. Commons, member of the Wisconsin Industrial commission; John Fitch, author of "Old Age at Forty"; Edward F. Brown, investigator of children in the night messenger service; Robert Emmet Claddock, of Columbia University; Henry Sterling, a prominent labor leader of Boston; and Charles Sumner Bird, who will speak on "An Employer's View of Factory Inspection." "The Minimum Wage" is the subject for a point conference with the American Economic Association, led by Prof. Henry R. Seager, of Columbia university. Among other topics to be discussed are, "Hours in Continuous Industries," by Mr. Charles M. Cahot, of Boston; "Home Work," by Miss Mary C. Wiggin; "Unemployment," by Mr. William Hard; and "Occupational Diseases," by Dr. John B. Andrews, of New York, the secretary of the association.

Wm. L. Cook, who was postmaster at Nelhart, Montana, writes: "I recommend Foley's Honey & Tar Compound to all my people, and they are never disappointed with it. Foley's Honey & Tar Compound for coughs and colds gives the best possible results." Dr. Stone Drug Store.

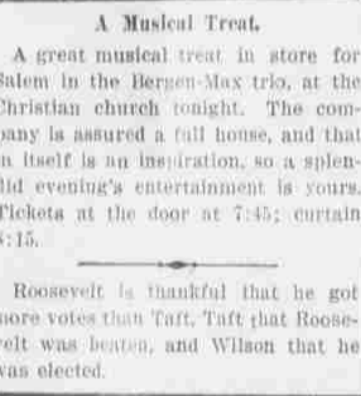
It is difficult for a woman to enact the dual role of soul mate and helpmate.



**DR. YUEN**  
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**THE CHINESE EXPERT**  
HERBALIST

**To Whom It May Concern:**  
Had suffered with chronic constipation and stomach trouble for over five years; was so weak at times I could hardly walk; had lost thirty pounds in weight. I spent hundreds of dollars for medicine and tried doctor after doctor, and they all utterly failed to help me. I was just about ready to give up hopes when I heard of Dr. Yuen's Chinese herbs. After taking five weeks' treatment I was well and had gained eighteen pounds in flesh.

Hoping this testimony will be read and by the means of helping some one else, I am, respectfully,  
MRS. L. W. BACON,  
Corner Grand Ave. and Morrison St., E. Portland, Oregon.  
**BOW WO HERR CO.**  
167 High Street, Salem, Oregon.  
Office upstairs, side entrance.



**A Musical Treat.**

A great musical treat in store for Salem in the Bergen-Max trio, at the Christian church tonight. The company is assured a full house, and that in itself is an inspiration, so a splendid evening's entertainment is yours. Tickets at the door at 7:45; curtain 8:15.

Roosevelt is thankful that he got more votes than Taft, Taft that Roosevelt was beaten, and Wilson that he was elected.

### Terrible Suffering

#### Eczema All Over Baby's Body.

"When my baby was four months old his face broke out with eczema, and at sixteen months of age, his face, hands and arms were in a dreadful state. The eczema spread all over his body. We had to put a mask or cloth over his face and tie up his hands. Finally we gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla and in a few months he was entirely cured. Today he is a healthy boy." Mrs. Inez Lewis, Baring, Maine. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood diseases and builds up the system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called **Saratabs**.

### GRANDMOTHERS USED SAGE TEA

To Darken the Hair and Restore Gray and Faded Hair to Its Natural Color.

It is easier to preserve the color of the hair than to restore it, although it is possible to do both. Our grandmothers understood the secret. They made a "sage tea," and their dark, glossy hair long after middle life was due to this fact. Our mothers have gray hairs before they are fifty, but they are beginning to appreciate the wisdom of our grandmothers in using "sage tea" for their hair and are fast following suit.

The present generation has the advantage of the past in that it can get a ready-to-use preparation called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy. As a scalp tonic and color restorer this preparation is vastly superior to the ordinary "sage tea" made by our grandmothers.

The growth and beauty of the hair depends on a healthy condition of the scalp. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy quickly kills the dandruff germs which rob the hair of its life, color and lustre, makes the scalp clean and healthy, gives the hair strength, color and beauty, and makes it grow.

Get a fifty-cent bottle from your druggist today. He will give you money back if you are not satisfied after a fair trial. Agent, J. C. Perry.



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Best cranberries . . . . . 15c quart, 2 for 25c  
White Verdel grapes, per basket . . . . . 50c  
Fine bananas, per dozen . . . . . 25c  
New walnuts, almonds, raisins, figs, dates, currants, etc.  
Phone your orders early and get first choice of everything.  
**Best Bulk Coffee, per pound, 37c**  
Phone 259. Prompt Auto Delivery. Phone 259

## THANKSGIVING ROUND TRIP FARES

Tickets on sale November 27 and 28, return limit December 2, via  
**Oregon Electric Ry.**

Albany . . .	\$1.10	Woodburn . . .	.75
Eugene . . .	\$2.80	Hillsboro . . .	\$2.30
Portland . . .	\$2.00	Forest Grove . . .	\$2.50

Proportional round trip fares to other points.

## Football at Portland

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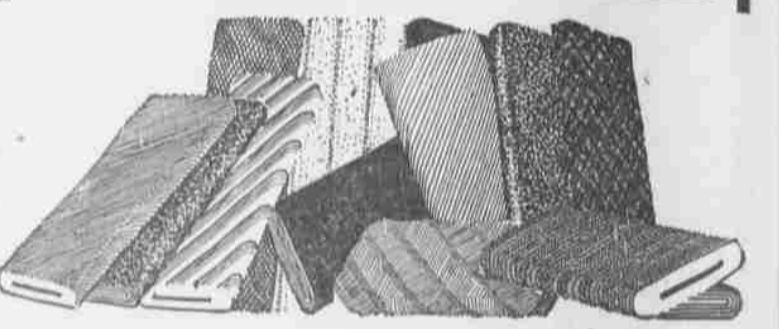


## A ROUSING THANKSGIVING SALE ON LADIES' WEARING APPAREL

No such values were ever offered in Salem on new stylish garments

Ladies' Suits \$4.50, \$8.50, \$10.50, \$12.50  
Ladies' Coats . . . \$3.90, \$7.50, \$10.50  
Silk Dresses . . . \$4.50, \$7.50, \$8.50  
Wool Dresses . . . \$4.50, \$6.90, \$8.90  
Girls' Rain Capes from . . . \$1.39 up  
Children's Coats . . . \$1.49, \$1.98 up

Come and see the values --- they are money savers



## Thanksgiving Sale on Piece Goods

The Best Values and the Lowest Prices We Ever Quoted

**SILKS**  
**DRESS GOODS**  
**TABLE LINENS**  
**DOMESTICS**  
**FANCY LINENS**  
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Values Great --- Prices Small

## Extra Specials

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Now on Sale  
The latest novelty for ladies  
Neckwear  
Price 25c, 35c and 49c

Full size Sheets . . . . . 48c  
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