

The Lane County News

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IN PARTING

Just a word or two as we close our relationship as editor of the Lane County News.

People of Springfield, get out of this attitude of sitting back and waiting "until the shops are built." The shops are undoubtedly coming, and that within a summer or two, but the fact that they are coming does not justify you in sitting idly by and allowing other industries to seek other locations when they ought to come here.

Make a positive effort to get that beet sugar factory.

Investigate the feasibility of starting an industry to utilize what is now fuel or waste from the sawmills; make paving blocks or chicken crates, or some other article.

Develop the meat packing business here, not in Portland.

Preserve some of the fruit that is going to waste.

Aid in the development of the potato business.
 Do all these things to help to build up the town, and then when the car shops do come they will find Springfield people not exhausted by long waiting, but active, and ready to enjoy and take full advantage of the added prosperity.

To do these things will require a greater degree of community co-operation than has been apparent at times in the past. It can be done, as witness the camp ground campaign of last year. Do it again, and then again.

Merchants of this town are going to have to do a bit of advertising if they are to compete with the Eugene stores. It is by advertising that the Eugene

merchants are getting the business they are, and it is only by advertising that the Springfield merchants can hold what they have, or regain any that is lost. And another thing; they must get over the idea that the editor must spend personally, more at their store than their advertising amounts to. The editor's salary is only a small item of the paper's cost. There are other employees to be paid, and they spend their money here. And the landlord, too, probably keeps his money at home—he has been getting more from the News the past two years than any other tenant ever paid for this place. So, merchants, help your own business by advertising, knowing that fully three-fourths of the money you pay for advertising will stay right here in your own town.

May we suggest to organizations not of a public nature like the city council or the school board, that when they have public sessions, with affairs they desire to have reported in the local or Portland press, that it is entirely proper, as a matter of newspaper etiquette, to ask the newspaper to send a representative. It is very discouraging to a newspaper man to question half a dozen who attended a lecture, and not be able to get a single coherent statement of what the speaker said.

As a final word, we would like to say we appreciate the acts of courtesy of many of the citizens of Springfield, and for their words of encouragement. That there should have been criticism was to have been expected. These are to be forgotten. It is our earnest wish that the people of Springfield might join in a reasonable degree of harmony and, back to back, fight for the position that should be Springfield's.

W. A. DILL.

We should like to commend Mr. J. W. Pixley to the voters of Springfield as a suitable candidate for county treasurer. We have known Mr. Pixley a long time and believe him just the man for the job.

Myrtle Point planning to pave 25 blocks.
 Klamath Falls—Pelican Bay Lbr., Co., begins 20-hour day and adds 50 men.

No. 8941 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Springfield, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business on May 1, 1916:

RESOURCES		
1. a Loans and discounts	\$113,904.26	\$113,904.26
2. Overdrafts, secured, none; unsecured, \$271.50		271.50
3. a U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	6,250.00	6,250.00
b. Bonds, securities, etc:		
b. Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. postal savings deposits	2,000.00	
c. Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	14,135.75	
Total bonds, securities, etc.		16,135.75
5. Stocks, other than Federal-Reserve Bank stock		2,000.00
6. a Subscription to stock of the Federal Reserve bank	\$1700.00	
b Less amount unpaid	850.00	850.00
7. a Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	8,082.61	8,082.61
8. Furniture and fixtures		2,400.00
9. Real estate owned other than banking house		10,250.99
10. Net amount due from Federal Reserve bank		3,600.00
11. a Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	2,413.34	
b Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	3,944.27	6,357.61
12. Net amount due from banks and bankers other than included in 10 or 11		3,745.08
14. Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		342.85
15. a Outside checks and other cash items	6.00	
b Fractional currency, nickels, and cents	41.57	47.57
16. Notes of other national banks		475.00
17. Federal Reserve bank notes		50.00
18. Coin and certificates		12,711.05
20. Legal tender notes		100.00
21. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		312.50
Total		\$187,886.77
LIABILITIES		
24. Capital stock paid in		\$ 25,000.00
25. Surplus fund		3,000.00
27. Undivided profits	\$3,128.66	3,128.66
c Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	2,832.65	296.01
28. Circulating notes outstanding		6,250.00
Demand deposits:		
33. Individual deposits subject to check		89,859.24
34. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days		33,041.01
36. Cashier's checks outstanding		62.50
38. Postal savings deposits		1,295.70
Total demand deposits, items, 33, 34, 36, and 38	124,258.45	
Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to more than 30 days' notice)		28,979.31
Total of time deposits	28,979.31	
50. Cash Letters of Credit or Traveler's Checks outstanding		110.00
Total		\$187,886.77

State of Oregon, County of Lane, ss.
 I, D. S. Beals, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 D. S. BEALS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me CORRECT—Attest:
 this 11th day of May, 1916. HERBERT E. WALKER, Notary Public.
 Commission expires Mar. 1, 1920.
 PAUL HADLEY, CHAS. L. SCOTT, A. MIDDLETON, Directors.

AUGUST C. JENNINGS

Candidate for County Clerk
 On Republican Ticket.
 If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to conduct the office in such a manner as will give greatest convenience to the public at least possible expense. That I will do so is proven by my record when I was County Clerk from 1894 to 1898. The last six months of my term cost the county, only \$686 for deputy hire and with economy along other lines as well during my full term.
 During Mr. Russell's three consecutive terms his office has

become noted as the most expensive in the state outside of Multnomah county and from 40 to 84 per cent higher than any other counties of the state of approximately same size. The figures given by the Register of May 3rd and 4th (first column page 4) as to comparative costs can be verified from emolument returns of county clerks filed with the Secretary of State. The records show that during the last six months under Mr. Russell the cost to the county for regular deputy hire has been \$4,525.82 (as compared with \$686 under my management for same length of time 18 years ago) and does not include \$85 per month for deputy registering voters now. A special committee from the taxpayers league appointed to investigate conditions in the clerk's office, made a public report, charging Mr. Russell with gross extravagance in the management of his office, giving a list of many articles Mr. Russell had purchased from a favored firm for which a price was paid of from 18 to 100 per cent averaging 38 per cent, more than the same things could have been bought for in open market. These facts were stated publicly at the meeting of the taxpayers with the county court when the tax budget for 1916 was being discussed at the court house. Mr. Russell has not to my knowledge ever denied any part of these charges.
 Members of the committee of the taxpayers league claimed that the best interest of the taxpayers demanded a change in the office of county clerk and urged me to become a candidate for the office. Almost at the last moment for filing nominating petitions I consented to do so with the promised support of prominent members of the League and Grange as well as other heavy taxpayers of the county.
 One correspondent in defending Mr. Russell said, "It looks like a combined attack by the newspaper against Mr. Russell for selfish purposes." To me it appears more like a revolt of the taxpayers for self protection against excessive and unnecessary expense and methods employed by Mr. Russell.
 Respectfully
 AUGUST C. JENNINGS, Pd. Adv.

LUMBERMEN SAY WOOD DOESN'T SPREAD BLAZE

Ask Government to Take Census on Causes of Fires in United States.
 Lumbermen of the Pacific coast and of the nation today

THE "BOSS" KNOWS THAT THE MAN WHO IS PUTTING MONEY IN THE BANK IS NOT WASTING TIME SPENDING IT. HE MUST BE ON THE JOB, HE KNOWS THE VALUE OF HIS JOB AND HIS TIME.

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Thos. Sikes, Prop. Phone 22

started a movement for a census of American fires and fire losses, requesting the government to take charge of the work of collecting fire statistics so that there will not be prejudice for or against the use of wood in the final report.
 Pacific coast lumbermen, particularly the manufacturers of red cedar and redwood shingles, claim to have authentic information that in recent fires in Southern cities the flames were not checked until they reached sections of wooden buildings which could be saturated with water.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
 Department of the Interior
 U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 3, 1916.
 Notice is hereby given that Elmer E. Eggleston, of Vida, Oregon, who on June 9, 1909, made homestead entry serial, No. 65159, for SW 1/4, Section 34, Township 16S, Range 2E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before I. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 15th day of May, 1916.
 Claimant names as witnesses: Walter E. Post, of Vida, Oregon; William F. Beyerlin, of Vida, Oregon; Cary W. Thomson, of Vida, Oregon; Carl Swanson, of Vida, Oregon.
 J. M. UPTON, Register.
 Apr. 6-May 11.

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