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**ALL FOR PROGRESS.**

The sentiment of Corvallis is all in favor of improvements. Some prefer sewers first, others name paving as their first thought, while others demand good walks and removal of old shacks from the business portion of the city. Of many people who have expressed themselves in the Gazette-Times recently, not one has been what might be called "ultra-conservative;" all express an enthusiastic desire to see this little city assume a forward place in the list of progressive cities. Every man insists that Corvallis should make decided changes of one sort or another for the betterment of the appearance of the city and increase of comfort for its citizens.

All of which is good—even better than that. With everyone in favor of improvements, improvements are bound to come, and shortly. Each person cannot expect to have his particular wish carried out first, but the sentiment generally is so strong that each person may hope to see his desire carried out before any great lapse of time. The only thing necessary to keep such a splendid spirit is for the officials to exercise reasonable care, see that the people get the worth of money spent in improvements and as far as possible take the public into their confidence at all times.

Corvallis can be made the most beautiful smaller city in Oregon for less money than it will take to make other towns even rasingly attractive. Corvallis has no terrific hills to reduce, no great ravines to fill up, and yet has an excellent drainage. It has the mountains at the rear to lend a charming background and the beautiful Willamette to the eastward which can, and sooner or later will, be utilized as an important feature of the city's beautification. Already it has attractive homes and yards and needs now but good sidewalks and substantial, cleanly streets. When the city has two or three parks, a boulevard north and east of the city along the river bank, and Mary's river from the mouth to a point a mile or two toward the source made the attractive stream it could be, Corvallis will be a beauty. And that time will come within the time of many persons past maturity now. Many here today will see Corvallis when the college grounds are the very heart of the city, and the postoffice a handsome government building locat-

ed a block or two back from Second street. They will ride on streetcars circling this city and will take the same cars to some near mountain resort west of this city. This resort will be such an apparent necessity before very many years that moneyed men will provide it. And Corvallis will have a new railroad station (perhaps near the end of Madison street if recent talk may be accepted as a guide.)

Corvallis is growing (the demand for houses is far greater than the supply) and it will continue to grow. The spirit that is manifest now will increase rather than lessen, and this spirit will make Corvallis a beautiful city before many years. Once improvements are well under way, the people may be relied upon to do the rest. The Corvallis people are a liberal, a generous people, filled with pride, a little conservative in instances, but withal a splendid people who enjoy life and believe in having the best there is. They are aroused now and will not only keep up with the procession, but travel a little ahead. There is a good spirit here.

A retired dairyman in one of the Linn county farming sections

is advertising an auction sale of his Jersey cow, the same to take place on the 7th of next month. The poorest producer in his herd is one whose milk yielded over 420 pounds of butter fat in a year and the highest cow's record in this particular was over 596 pounds. It is predicted that there will be some spirited bidding by persons anxious to become the owners of such high-class cows.—Salem Statesman.

Salem has an ordinance providing that the city shall not have more than one saloon for each 1000 inhabitants, taking the last governmental census as a basis. On this ground Mayor Rodgers has refused to approve the bond of a saloonkeeper to whom the council granted a license in disregard of the ordinance referred to. Salem was credited with less than 5000 population in 1900, but has almost 15,000 today.

Carry the news to Hartog, Thelma Stanley, a six-year-old Eugene girl, recently walked thirty miles one day on the beach at Newport.—Albany Democrat.

When this news re-issues from Eugene, it will be that the Stanley girl walked 60 miles on water. What Eugene people can not do or are not doing is hardly worth attempting. Long live Eugene!

Mrs. Genevieve Gaskins went to Portland today to meet her husband, W. F. Gaskins, who is returning from a trip to New York City.

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Values to	Saturday
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\$1.00	.78
1.25	.89
1.50	1.10
1.75	1.39
2.00	1.58
2.25	1.78
2.50	1.98
3.50	2.78
4.00	3.18

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