

CROSSING THE PLAINS.

Remembrances of Fifty Years Ago.

BY T. J. KIRK.

Back in life my thoughts do roam, To youthhood's morn, when leaving home...

On, on we moved with courage bold, And sang of ruckabill covered with gold...

We launched into the vast, broad plains, And the crack of whips and clank of chains...

On those vast, extended plains, Far in the distance could see the trains...

We scaled the summit at the Rockies high, There scanned the works of Nature given...

At dawn of day, in advance was seen The sparkling waters of the river Green...

We journeyed on through sage and dust, The patient ox, on him did trust...

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Annual Report of the Board of Water Commissioners for the Year Ending December 31, 1900.

OREGON CITY, OREGON, January 1st, 1901.

To the Honorable, the Mayor and City Council of Oregon City, Oregon.

Gentlemen: We herewith submit our annual report of the affairs of the City Water Works...

There have been nine new tappings during the year. The board has extended the one and one-half inch main 130 feet on Tenth street...

As has already been reported to the Council, the Board had a preliminary investigation of a proposed pipe line to the South Fork of the Clackamas river...

The estimates having been obtained so late in the season, it is advisable not to attempt to make a definite survey at this time of the year...

RECEIPTS.

Table with columns for item and amount. Includes Collections for month of July, August, September, October, November, December.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Table with columns for item and amount. Includes City Council balance due on deferred payments, Labor on pumps, mains and reservoir.

Table with columns for item and amount. Includes Total warrants drawn on Treasurer, Paid corporation Oregon City.

APPROXIMATE VALUE AND INVENTORY OF THE CITY WATER WORKS

Table with columns for item and value. Includes Worthington pump, Victor water wheel, Union pump, Water mains on hill.

Estimated value of Water Works when turned over to the Board, May 23, 1891, was \$20,000 00. Bonds due in three years, bearing 6 per cent interest, \$10,000 00.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS

CHARLES H. CAUFIELD, President. T. L. CHARMAN, Secretary.

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