

LOCAL LORE.

NEWS OF CORVALLIS AND VICINITY TOLD IN BRIEF.

Homecomings and Goings of People
Social Gossip, Personal Mentions and Other Items of Public Interest.

—White and New Home Sewing machines at J. H. Harris.

—Robert Huston and family left Wednesday for a week at the Exposition.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Lenger returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit at the Fair.

—Frank Hubler of Hout's meat market, left Thursday for a week's visit at the Fair.

—Mrs. M. T. Starr leaves today for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Perry Van Fleet, in Portland.

—Miss Minnie Maxfield has returned from Suver and is again on duty as saleslady in the Gould millinery establishment.

—Rev. C. L. McCausland returned Wednesday evening from attendance at the South Methodist conference at Grants Pass.

—Ed Blake, a former O. A. C. boy now a prosperous rancher of Soap Creek, was a business visitor in Corvallis Thursday.

—Mrs. C. L. Franklin left Thursday for her home at Anacortes, Washington, after an extended visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blakeslee.

—Mrs. Mary Slaten of Idaho, and Mrs. Robert Brown of Oakesdale, Washington, arrived the first of the week for a visit with parents Mr. and Mrs. Newton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hecker, well known residents of northern Benton, left Thursday for a visit at the Fair, after which they will visit relatives near The Dalles.

—Arnold King and wife of Albany transacted business in Corvallis Thursday. They were accompanied home by Miss Ella King, who will remain for a visit.

—Congregational church. Sunday school at 10. Worship at 11. "The new Attitude of the Church." Evening sermon, "The Test of all Teaching and Institutions." There will be service at Plymouth at 3.

—Frank Bowersox, an old time Corvallis boy, arrived the first of the week for a few days' visit with relatives. He left Tuesday for Portland, to see the Fair, and will return to his home at Glendale Saturday. Mrs. Bowersox remains in this city for a longer visit, having arrived several days in advance of her husband.

—A New England supper is to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church in the Allen brick, recently vacated by Berman's store, next Wednesday evening October 11th. The charge will be 25 cents and service will begin at five o'clock. The menu is as follows: Roast pork and apple sauce, roast leg of mutton and jelly, Boston baked beans, potatoes, doughnuts, mince and pumpkin pie, coffee and tea.

—In speaking of Earl Sargent shot by an Oakland policeman while escaping after being arrested for the theft of a bicycle, a dispatch from Seattle says: "While attending the state university here, young Sargent made remarkable sacrifices to obtain an education. He was practically penniless and subsisted on one meal a day. Toward the end of the school year of 1905 he moved out of the dormitory and slept on a cot in the edge of the woods."

—The following sales of real estate have recently been made by Ambler & Watters:—C. Stone to Thomas Barker of Moxberry, Ky., 30 acres, 5 miles east of Corvallis, \$2,500; H. Ambler to C. R. Dennison, Grand Mound, Wash., 80 acres 6 miles south Philomath, \$2,500. R. E. Gibson to G. V. Skelton, 8 lots Rayburns Add. Corvallis, \$1,250; Bentley Realty Co. to C. F. Thomas, 520 a. 5 miles west Philomath, \$1,560; Ellsworth Erwin to Jennie B. Adams house, 2 lots in Corvallis, \$1,500.

THEIR RECOMMENDATIONS.

For Improving the Appearance of Corvallis—Citizens League.

At the meeting of the Citizens League Tuesday night, the civic improvement committee submitted recommendations for beautifying Corvallis. The report was made the subject for a special consideration at the next monthly meeting of the organization. The recommendations are:

1. We suggest that all the telephone, telegraph and electric light poles be removed from 2nd street, commonly known as Main street, and placed in alleys also that here after all poles of such kind be placed in alleys instead of on the streets throughout the city, and that the owners be made to keep same painted and looking respectable.

2. That all the trees be cut down and removed from the main portion of 2nd street.

3. That all wooden or other kinds of awnings which are supported by posts extending to the street or sidewalk be condemned and removed and such other awnings as are unsightly.

4. That the hanging of signs be regulated by city ordinance and that they be limited to size, etc., when extending over the sidewalk.

5. That the cement walk ordinance be amended so as to include all public sidewalks within the fire limits and to extend to Fifth street from Jefferson to Monros inclusive.

6. That all the unsightly buildings on 2nd street be condemned and torn down.

7. That the city through its engineer adopt a grade and width for streets and sidewalks and that all sidewalks and streets be built to such width and grade under the supervision of the city engineer.

8. That inasmuch as the business part of the city seems to be moving north we recommend that the fire limits be extended one block north, also that the ordinance be amended so as to prohibit the building of any frame structure of any size within said limits, and that the repairing of frame structures within the city limits be limited to 10 per cent instead of 25.

9. That an ordinance be passed by the city council prohibiting the swinging of gates over public sidewalks.

10. That the city adopt the plan suggested by the officers of the National Good Roads Association in regard to widening the space or lawn on the outside of each sidewalk so as to make the traveled part of the streets narrower.

11. We recommend that the city council take up the matter of widening Monroe street from 12th to city limits.

12. We recommend that the city council have suitable ordinances passed to cover the following subjects: No garbage, filth or rubbish of any kind, whether said rubbish is dangerous to health or not, or weeds, thistles, bushes, vines or plants, unless for use or ornament or suitable or intended for food, shall be allowed on any vacant lot, private premises or public streets in the city of Corvallis.

No person shall have the right to cut, trim or in any way interfere with the trees on the streets of Corvallis without first getting a written permit from the city council.

It is unlawful for any person to throw, or cause to be thrown, or left in or on any street or sidewalk, or any public stairway any bill, advertising matter, paper of any kind, or rubbish of any kind.

Expectorating on the floor of any public conveyance, on the floor of any public hall, building or any sidewalk within the limits of the city is forbidden by law.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 4.—The Evening News tonight, prints a statement from Pat Crowe in which the alleged kidnapper indicates that his defense will be, if he is brought to trial for the abduction of Eddie Cudaly that the boy was not an unwilling participant in the affair and that no force was used to keep him from his home.

Oregon City, Oct. 4.—Alleging that a dozen cases of typhoid fever in Clackamas county are due to infested milk served hoppers from the dairy of Charles Beck's farm at Aurora, Dr. H. S. Mount of this city will register complaint with the state board of health and demand that an investigation be had of the situation. While all of the patients are doing well, it is alleged that Beck's gross carelessness is responsible for a majority of the cases.

Tokio, Oct. 4.—The peace treaty passed the privy council today.

Tokio, Oct. 4.—A prolonged meeting of the privy council was held here this morning, which was not concluded by noon. The un-

usual length of the sitting shows that the matter before it is of more than ordinary importance and it is believed that the treaty of peace with Russia is under consideration. Should the treaty meet with the approval of the council it will be immediately ratified.

At Summit.

Mrs. Frank Stoner of Hallan has returned from the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Barchard were Fair visitors last week.

E. F. Strouts and son Ed, are Fair visitors this week.

Charles Johnson and C. Cote have returned from the Fair.

Walter and Willie Winkler have returned from Eastern Oregon. They prefer Webfoot to Eastern Oregon.

School opens here next Monday. R. R. Miller will handle the birch.

T. Ranney returned from the Fair Wednesday.

Mrs. Matson and son were visitors at Tum Tum Sunday.

Mark Cavis inspection foreman at Nortons while Ed Strout is at the Fair.

There is much demand for houses to rent.

New York, Oct. 4.—W. R. Hearst was named as a candidate for mayor or at a municipal ownership mass meeting tonight in Grand Central Palace, and a committee appointed by J. G. Phelps Stokes, who presided will select the remainder of the ticket.

Resolutions denouncing both of the old parties as being dominated by trust interests and declaring that the people of New York should elect officers to oppose corporations were adopted with much enthusiasm and much cheering followed the reading of a letter from Rev. C. H. Parkhurst in which he praised the growing demand for government interference to protect the public from the tyranny of monopolies.

Mr. Hearst was hailed with enthusiastic applause. He denounced the republican and democratic leaders.

After Chairman Stokes had announced that he would appoint a committee to complete the ticket, provided Mr. Hearst accepted the nomination, the convention adjourned.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed bids will be received by the clerk of the Water Committee, of Corvallis, Oregon, up to 5 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, October 10, 1905, for the construction work of a gravity water system for the city of Corvallis, Oregon, in accordance with plans and specifications for same prepared by G. N. Miller, C. E.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Water Committee for the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, [\$750.00] which sum will be forfeited, in case the bidder to whom the award is made shall fail to enter into a contract for the construction work. All bids must be made upon blank forms obtained from the engineer.

The Water Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the Water Committee September 25th, 1905.

S. L. KLINE, Clerk of Water Committee.

Call for Bids.

Notice to manufacturers and dealers in water works material.

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Water Committee of Corvallis, Oregon, up to 5 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, October 10, 1905, for furnishing F. O. B. cars at Corvallis, Oregon, in accordance with the specifications for same prepared by G. N. Miller, C. E., the following approximate quantities of water pipe, fire hydrants, gate valves, etc.

- 59,500 feet 4-inch water pipe.
- 600 feet 8 " "
- 56,800 feet 10 " "
- 14,800 feet 12 " "
- 1 " 8 " "
- 11 " 10 " "
- 3 " 12 " "
- 60 gate valve boxes.
- 28,000 pounds cast iron fittings.
- 8 500 pounds pig lead.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the Water Committee, for the sum of five [5] per cent of the amount of the bid, which sum shall be forfeited in case the bidder to whom the award is made shall fail to enter into a contract for furnishing the material bid upon. All bids must be made upon blank forms obtained from the engineer.

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