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CORVALLIS, OREGON,

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 17, 1907

DIED OF SPINAL MENINGITIS.

Fred Ingle's Little Boy was Ill Three Days—C orvallis Relatives at Burial.

The child of Fred Ingle died of spinal meningitis at Woodburn Wednesday night. J. W. Ingle of this cityleft yesthrday morning tobe present at the burial. Mrs. Ingle went to the bedside Tuesday Both will return here to-morrow The child was only sick three days. It is believed now that the disease is communicated from one person to another through the medium of excretions from the nose and throat, and also through sputum. The germs are believed to infest these excretions and to reach the throat and nose of unaffected persons through contact or in the dust of the air. A spray of salt solution in the nose and throat is claimed to be a preventive.

Respecting the preventive measures, a Portland paper says: Students of the disease now believe that contagion is effected through nasal discharge and possibly sputum, for the micro-organism has been found in the blood corpuscles and there is easy transmission from those to the natural discharges of mucus.

Doctors advise careful brushing brushing sterilization of handkerchiefs that have been used, cleanliness of person and thorough airing of dwellings, particular attention being given to close-closets and damp cellars. A good sprinkling of chloride of lime is a desirable treatment for wet basements, after they have been swept out not only as a possible proventive against meningitis, but because it is a good thing to do as a precaution against contracting other diseases as well.

Bellfountain.

—Vivian Price went to Portland Wednesday to remain indefinitely.

—There will be a Parents' Meeting at the Grange Hall May 25th. Everyone invited.

—Abe Coon and Mr. Barton, of Linn County, are visiting T. M. Coon, of this place,

—Elmer Dinges and wife, of Shedd, are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

—The organizer of the W. C. T. U. will deliver an address in the church both morning and evening of the 19th.

—School at this place will close this week after eight month's duration.

—In all probability the annual picnic will take place at Bellfountain Park about the 15th of June. W. C. Hawley will make the address of the day.

—Nate Clem is running his chopper in Bellfountain this week.

—J. L. Caton is on the sick list.

—Dale Perin is at the Hinton hop yard.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Hayes, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administratrix of the estate of James Hayes, deceased, has filed her final account as such administratrix, with the clerk of the county court, of the state of Oregon, for Benton county, and the said court has fixed Saturday the 8th day of June, 1907, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon as the time, and the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place for hearing any and all objections to the said account and for settlement thereof.

Dated this May 10, 1907.

CAROLINE HAYES,
Administratrix of the Estate of James Hayes, Deceased.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that an official ballot for the regular city election, will be printed, containing ballot titles of measures to be submitted to the voters of said city at the regular election to be held May 20, 1907.

Candidates for any and all offices to be filled at said election may have their names placed upon said official ballot by each giving his name, and the office for which he submits his name, to me, at my office, before six o'clock p. m, Friday, May 17, 1907.

J. F. YATES,
Police Judge.

Say!

Do you know John Lenger or No. 9 meets all in and out going trains? No! Yes and he tends to all your baggage and small parcels with prompt delivery. Please call Res. 251 or office 130.

CHARTER AMENDMENTS.

To Be Voted On in City Election Monday—Various Measures Involved.

The Council has by resolution submitted to the legal voters of the City of Corvallis for their approval or rejection at the city election to be held Monday, May 20th, one amendment to the Charter of the City of Corvallis and three proposed amendments to the act under the authority of which our city waterworks, was installed and is operated.

All of these proposed amendments will appear on the ballot by a ballot title prescribed by the Council and there will be an appropriate place on the ballot for the voter to signify his approval or disapproval of the amendments. The ballot title is intended to give the voter an idea of the purpose and nature of the amendment. Each amendment itself may be found at the office of the Police Judge.

The ballot title of the amendment to the charter is as follows: "An Amendment to the Charter of the City of Corvallis providing for the calling and holding of special elections in said City of Corvallis for voting upon charter amendments or new or supplemental charter acts referred to the legal voters of said city by the Common Council."

This amendment is designed to enable the Council to submit proposed charter amendments to the public at a special election called for that purpose without waiting for the regular annual election.

One of the proposed amendments to the "Corvallis Water Bill" makes "The Water Committee" elective after January 1, 1908, provides for the regular retirement of two members of the Committee each year, and for the election of two members thereof at the regular 1908 city election and two members thereof each year thereafter. As the Committee is composed of ten members the term of each committeeman elected under the provisions of the proposed amendment would be five years. This amendment also repeals the requirement of the original act that not more than five members of the Committee shall belong to the same political party but re-enacts and continues in effect the requirement that not more than two members of the Commission [consisting of four members and elected by the Committee] shall belong to the same political party. The title of this proposed amendment is as follows:

"An Amendment to the "Corvallis Water Bill" making the "Water Committee" elective after January 1st, 1908, providing for fixing the terms of office of the members of said committee then in office by lot, and repealing the provisions of said act requiring that no more than five of said committee shall belong to the same political party."

Another amendment authorizes "The Water Commission" to purchase or construct a pumping station and to make necessary extensions and purchase necessary water rights for the said system and for that purpose to issue the bonds of the city in the aggregate sum of not more than five thousand, payable six years after date with interest at not exceeding five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, and requires the creation of a sinking fund after the first year from the collection of water rents to pay off the bonds at maturity. This proposed amendment also authorizes the committee to condemn by action in the circuit court any needed water rights and the pumping station and plant or other works or franchises of the Corvallis Water company. The ballot title of the act is as follows: "An Act authorizing the Corvallis Water Commission to purchase, construct or otherwise acquire a pumping station or to purchase or condemn the pumping plant or other works or franchises of the Corvallis Water Company; to extend the city water system and purchase or condemn water rights, and to issue the bonds of said city for such purposes not exceeding $5,000.."

The remaining amendment to the "Corvallis Water Bill" authorizes the "Water Commission" to have the lands within the water-shed of that portion of Rock Creek above the city's intake surveyed and cruised to determine the value thereof and to purchase or acquire by the right of eminent domain the lands within said water-shed for the purpose of protecting the city's water supply from diminution or pollution and for the purpose of carrying the proposed act into effect to issue the five per cent. forty year bonds of the city in an amount aggregating not more than twenty thousand dollars and providing for a sinking fund to be collected from water rents commencing the thirtieth year to pay the bonds off at their maturity. The title of the proposed amendment is as follows: "An act authorizing "The Water Commission of the city of Corvallis to purchase or acquire by the right of eminent domain the lands comprising the water-shed of that portion of Rock Creek above the intake of the water works of the city of Corvallis and for the purpose of acquiring the same to issue the bonds of said city not exceeding twenty thousand dollars in amount."

These acts when approved by the people become a law and as effective as though passed by the state legislature.

"Old Arkansaw', Next Wednesday.

"Old Arkansaw" by Fred Raymond, author of the Missouri Girl, opened for the week at the Columbia theatre, to an audience that filled the house to its capacity. The play is one of those melodramas that appeals to the audience and tells a story which holds the interest from start to finish. It is a tale of the hills of Arkansas and some of the characters are exceedingly droll and amusing. John Rogers, known as old Arkansas, has a strong part and his interpretation of it was convincing.

Grace Gilmore, who plays "Sue" is a clever actress, and was a favorite with the audience, Zam Hays, the gawky Mary Tlocum, who don't know nothin' and allus did," is one of the bright spots of the play.

Clair Nichelson creates a character which stands out in a class of comedy by itself. Theatregoers who liked "Zeke" in the "Missouri Girl" are at a loss to decide which is the better part. The others in the company handle their parts creditably, and taken as a whole "Old Arkansaw" is a pleasing production.—From the Spokane Chronicle, April 29th.

Reserve seat sale for this attraction opens Monday Morning. Prices, 35 50 and 75.

Notice of Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of T. Egenton Hogg, deceased, pursuant to an order of the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, made and entered in the matter of the said estate on the 13th day of April, 1907, will from and after the 25th day of May, 1907, offer for sale and proceed to sell, at private sale, for cash in hand, subject to the confirmation of said County Court the following described real property belonging to said estate, towit:

Lots Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Five (5) and Lot One (1) in Block Six (6) in the town of Corvallis; Lots Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Two (2) of fractional river blocks in Avery's Addition to Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon.

The following property situated in Polk County Oregon, towit: Beginning at a point twenty-six (26) rods east of the southeast corner of Lot numbered Three (3) in fractional block One (1) in Hill's addition to the town of Independence, in Polk County, Oregon: running thence north Four (4) rods, thence east to the Willamette river, thence south Four (4) rods, thence West to the place of beginning.

That certain river lot four rods wide by eight rods long and the building thereon, and situated directly north of and adjoining the river lot formerly owned by Smith & Vanduyn, and conveyed by them to T. Egenton Hogg, both of said lots, the one here described, and the one conveyed by said Smith & Vanduyn, being situated on the west bank of the Willamette river at Independence, in Polk County, Oregon.

The following real property in Lincoln county: Lot numbered Two (2), section Thirty-one (31), and southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section Thirty-two (32); Lot No. One (1) section Thirty-one (31); Northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section Thirty-two (32); East one-half of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-nine (29), and east one-half of the northwest quarter of section Thirty-two (32); the west one-half of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-nine (29); Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of section Thirty (30); Lot No. One (1) of section nineteen (19) Lot numbered Two (2) section Nineteen (19); Lot numbered Three (3) of section Nineteen (19); and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section Twenty (20) and west one-half of the northwest quarter of section Twenty-nine (29) and lots One (1) and Two (2) of section Thirty (30): the south one-half of the north-east quarter of the southeast quarter of section Fourteen (14); the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section Twenty-three (23); the southwest quarter of the south West quarter of section Twenty-four (24); the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, the south half of the northeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section Twenty-six (26) the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section Twenty-three (23); the north half of the southwest quarter, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-three (23); Lots 1, 2, and 3 in section 28. All of the tide and over-flowed lands on the shore of Yaquina Bay in front of Lot Eight (8) in section 27, and Lots 1, 2, and 3 in Section 28, and lying between the meander line of said lots on Yaquina Bay and low water mark, covering about 23 50 acres; the undivided one-half interest in lots numbered 1 and 2 and the south half of the northwest quarter of section 19, all situated in township 11 South, Range 11 West of the Willamette Meridian in Lincoln County Oregon.

Also the following real property situated in Benton, Polk and Lincoln Counties, Oregon, to-wit:

All of Section Thirty-one (31) in Township 10 South, Range 5 West; South Half of Northeast Quarter; Northwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter and Northeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter of section 11, Township 11 South, Range 6 west; Lots 1 and 2 and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 15 in Township 11 South, Range 6 West; the West Half of the Southwest Quarter, East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 33, Township 12 South, Range 6 West; the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 7 West; South Half of Southeast Quarter, and South Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; all of Section 31, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; all of Section 33, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; North Half of Northwest Quarter, Southeast Quarter of Northwest Quarter of Section 3, Township 11 South, Range 8 West; East Half of Southeast Quarter, East Half of Northeast Quarter, Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter and Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 10 South, Range 9 West; all of Section 21, Township 10 South Range 9 West; all of Section 23, Township 10 South, Range 9 West; North Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 11 South, Range 10 East; Southwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter, West half of Northwest Quarter and Southwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 12 South, Range 6 West; South Half of Section 9, Township 11 South, Range 9 West; Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 11 South, Range 8 West; Southwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 12 South, Range 9 West.

Offers for the purchase of said real property may be made to me in writing at my office in the Zierolf Building, Corvallis, Oregon; from and after the 25th day of May, 1907; and the said sale will be concluded by me on Friday, the 31st day of May 1907, at my office for the best offer by me received up to and at that time.

Dated this 26th day of April, 1907.

J. FRED YATES,
Administrator of the estate of T. Egenton Hogg, deceased.

FOR SALE, Furniture, carpets, wall paper, opposite Hotel Corvallis. A. H. KEMPIN.

—Dr and Mrs. Withycombe entertained the Agricultural club at their home Wednesday evening.

—The annual Senior Excursion by special train scheduled to run to Newport and return tomorrow, has been postpoued to a week from Monday. The boat that runs between Yaquina and Newport is undergoing repairs and there is no means of handling so large a crowd.

—A Chicago man gave six reasons why he did not want to live and cummitted suicide. These were the reasons: He had always been dissatisfied, handicapped with deformed feet, partly paralyzed, right hand useless, suffered from neuralgia and in the midst of financial misfortunes.

Resolutions.

Since the last meeting of Hope Grange No. 269, W. R. Barclay has been called to his eternal home.

Brother W. R. Barclay has been a faithful and esteemed member of Hope Grange and chaplain for a number of years.

RESOLVED, That Hope Grange has lost a usefnl and esteemed member and we will ever remember him and his many good qualities.

RESOLVED, That we extend to Mrs. W. R. Barclay and family our heartfelt sympathies, in tnis their hour of bereavement.

RESOLVED, That one copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. W. R. Barclay and one to each of the leading county papers, and one to be spread on the minutes of Hope Grange. Fraternally submitted.

S. N. Warfield,
Marion Hayden,
G. E. Tharp.
Committee.

Notice of Final Account.

Notice is hereby given that I have filed in the county court of the state of Oregon, for the county of Benton, my final account as administratrix of the estate of Harvey Eugene Burns, deceased, and that Saturday, the 8th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., and the court room of said court, have been appointed by said court as the time and place for the hearing of the final account and the settlement thereof

IDA A. BURNS,
Administratrix of the estate of Harvey Eugene Burns.

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NEW ADS TODAY.

$25-REWARD will be paid for the return of a pocketbook containing $175 lost on the streets of Corvallis Wednesday, May 15th.

WANTED at once. A man to contract logging with teams at at saw mill on P. A. Kline's west of town. Enquire of S. H. Moore, Corvallis.

FOR SALE. All kinds of rough lumber at mill on P. A. Kline's ranch, also slab wood 4 ft. length. Before building see S. H. Moore, Corvallis.

LOST. between Main street and the S. P. Depot on Wednesday. a pocket book containing $175. Finder will be liberally rewarded.

L. L. Brooks will buy oats in car lots, get his prices before selling. Sacks furnished. When in need of farm or garden seeds of of any kind, call at the seed store. A large quantity of clover, Alsike and Alfalfa inoculated, all valley grown seed. Sowing can be done up till June 20th after heavy rains are over. Land plaster, rape timothy, kale, field peas, barley, artichokes, and potatoes. Both phones at store.

Fresh strawberries served with sundae's at the Palace of Sweets.

WANTED.

WANTED Teams to plough on the streets. Apply to J. B. Irvine, chairman of street committee.

MONEY to loan on approved security Apply to S. L. Kline agent.

FOR SALE.

THE McCORMICK CATALOGUE contains something of value and interest to everyone needing harvesting machines. Call and secure one at Huston's hardware Store.

LOST. A childs red cloak somewhere in the country. Finder please leave at TIMES office.

Annual Picnic.

The Suver Camp of M. W. A. will give their 7th annual picnic at Ridder's grove 2 1 2 miles south of Suver May 25.

For Chief of Police.

In response to the request of many citizens, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police, of the city of Corvallis, subject to the decision of the voters at the coming city election. If elected, I shall consider my oath of office binding, and shall do my duty without fear or favor.

J. D. Wells.

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We will allow a cash discount of 5 per cent (thereby making the price $4.55 per pair) if you send FULL CASH WITH ORDER and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump and two Sampson metal puncture closers on full paid orders (these metal puncture closers to be used in case of intentional knife cuts or heavy gashes). Tires to be returned at OUR expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination.

We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. Ask your Postmaster, Banker, Express or Freight Agent or the Editor of this paper about us. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look finer than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a small trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

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