

SPEAK THE TRUTH FEARLESSLY Those were wholesome truths uttered by Dr. Wise in his address to the class Commencement morning. They could not be otherwise, for they came from the heart of a wholesome man.

There was one precept set down by Dr. Wise that should be characterized in the memory of every member of the class, and seasoned by constant reference. He charged these young men and women to make use of vision, that they might find their proper sphere in life.

With proper vision the pettifogger might have been a successful farmer; the weak preacher might have made his mark as a financier; the individual who failed as an orator might have become a skilled physician.

Those who should be moulders of public opinion are largely responsible for this condition. Through lack of moral courage, or for fear of offending, they let the counterfeit pass current as the genuine coin.

The exercises at the unveiling of the tablet in memory of Captain Woodbridge Geary, former commandant at the college, who was killed while leading his troops in a charge at Malabon, Philippine Islands, were appropriate and impressive.

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Nine stalwart members of the faculty tasted the ashes of defeat at the conclusion of their game of baseball Monday afternoon with a lopsided number of "grave and reverend seniors" of this year's class.

and Cordley were the battery for the faculty, while Bilyeu appeared in the box for the seniors and Scott stood behind the bat.

The largest crowd of the commencement season attended the exercises given by the Senior class at the north entrance to the administration building Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Tully announced the numbers on the program, which opened with a class song of appropriate words set to the music of "Marching Through Georgia."

The class will be solemnly read by Miss Edith Howard. Each legacy was a shaft which found the vulnerable spot of the various members of the faculty and employees of the institution.

A stranger appeared at Fischer's mill about ten days ago and purchased half a ton of feed. He told August Fischer that he had been in the employ of G. Harding, north of Corvallis, for some time and offered a check for \$42.25 in payment of the feed.

The check bore the date of June 10th, and Mr. Fischer did not take it to the bank for payment until the following Saturday, when the forgery was detected.

Mr. Burnett also learned that he desired to make some trivial purchase at the store at Craner, provided a check on the Leshanon bank for \$30 could be cashed. Here he failed.

Later on the forger appeared at Mr. Harding's and told his story of having forgotten his check book and Mrs. Harding gave him three blank checks, saying that he might spoil one or two in making it out.

It is a peculiar circumstance, but true, that no two persons who came in contact with the swindler give the same description of the man.

Last Friday afternoon, Major F. E. Edwards, commandant, O. A. C. cadet battalion, announced the names of those who would serve as officers of the four military companies next year.

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The Toney \$3.00 shoe—the "correct shape" shoe for men—fills the d between the outside and insole with a mixture of ground cork and rubber which acts as a cushion for the wearer's foot, keeps out moisture and prevents squeaking.

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Notice to the Public. The ordinance prohibiting chickens running at large is now in force. Owners will be given a reasonable length of time to prepare coops, after that arrests will be made where the ordinance is violated.

Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given that the final account of Percy R. Kelly, as administrator of the estate of Rosina Such, deceased, has been filed in the county court of Benton county, Oregon, and that the 4th day of August, A. D. 1902, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M. of said day has been duly appointed by said court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.

Assessment for Sewer. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 116 for the construction of a sewer through Blocks 22 and 23, Corvallis, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 105, in each of the following mentioned lots and parts of lots was entered in the docket of City liens of Corvallis on the 18th day of June, 1902, and is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Corvallis, in United States gold or silver coin, and if not paid on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, the Common Council will order warrants to be issued to the Chief of Police for the collection thereof, together with interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from that date and costs and collection, viz:

Assessment for Sewer. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 115 for the construction of a sewer through Blocks 12 and 13, County Addition to Corvallis, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 104, in each of the following mentioned lots and parts of lots was entered in the docket of City liens of Corvallis on the 18th day of June, 1902, and is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Corvallis, in United States gold or silver coin, and if not paid on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, the Common Council will order warrants to be issued to the Chief of Police for the collection thereof, together with the interest thereon, at 8 per cent per annum from that date and costs of collection, viz:

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Notice of Final Settlement. In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County. In the Matter of the Estate of J. B. Lee, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the final account of the undersigned Administrator of the estate of J. B. Lee, deceased, and C. H. Lee, partners, has been rendered to said Court for settlement, and that Friday the 18th day of June, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M. has been duly appointed by said Court the time for the settlement thereof; at which time any person interested in said estate by having objections to said account may appear and file his objections or exceptions in writing to said account and contest the same.

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Assessment for Sewer. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 117 for the construction of a sewer through Blocks 9 and 8, County Addition to the City of Corvallis, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 105, in each of the following mentioned lots, and parts of lots, was entered in the docket of City liens of Corvallis, on the 18th day of June, 1902, and is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Corvallis, in United States gold or silver coin, and if not paid on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, the Common Council will order warrants to be issued to the Chief of Police for the collection thereof, together with interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from that date and costs of collection, viz:

Assessment for Sewer. Notice is hereby given that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 113 for the construction of a sewer from the main sewer on Van Buren street on the south side of Block 15, County Addition to Corvallis, in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 101, in each of the following mentioned lots and parts of lots was entered in the docket of City liens of Corvallis on the 18th day of June, 1902, and is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Corvallis, in United States gold or silver coin, and if not paid on or before the 5th day of July, 1902, the Common Council will order warrants to be issued to the Chief of Police for the collection thereof, together with interest thereon at 8 per cent per annum from that date and costs of collection, viz:

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