

HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Recent dispatches from Washington state the government engineers reported adversely to making further appropriations to continue improving the harbor at Coos bay, and that Secretary of War Root had ordered the improvement discontinued.

When Mr. Hermann was in congress through his efforts Coos bay obtained regular appropriations, but Portland and the Oregonian steadily opposed them. It will be noticed that the people of Coos bay and the whole county eastward have been bending every energy to get a railroad from Coos bay to make eastern connections.

Oregon can only get a certain amount through the general appropriation bill for the improvement of her rivers and harbors. Whatever amounts are appropriated for Coos bay, Yaquina bay and other Oregon seaports, that much less remains to be devoted to the Columbia river. While Mr. Hermann was in congress appropriations were regularly made for the improvement of Yaquina bay. Mr. Hermann was able and strong enough to overcome the opposition of the Oregonian and Portland influence to these appropriations.

After Mr. Hermann's time expired in congress the efforts of the Oregonian prevailed and the government engineers were induced to report adversely to continuing the improvement of Yaquina bay, and the improvement stopped. Mr. Hermann was always in favor of reasonable appropriations for Columbia river, Coos bay, Yaquina bay and all other rivers and harbors of Oregon.

ARE THEY MISLEADING.

It is enough to make ones heart yearn and tear drops fall as large as pumpkins for the great solicitude pretended by the democratic newspapers, urging harmony with a republican president and his administration, if it were not for a fact too patent for a blind man to overlook that their assertions in that regard are simply to mislead the public mind.

upon the details of administering the office; a matter about which the president had no concern and was not consulted. It might as well be said that every man who retires from a government appointive office is not in harmony with the administration. It had as well be said that if the postmaster and his deputy should not agree about the details of conducting the postoffice, and in consequence the deputy should retire that therefore the deputy had fallen out with the president of the United States and was out of harmony with the administration.

ITS DIFFERENT HERE.

Two or three men of Seattle having business interests there, in speaking recently of their town, universally remarked that, "Seattle is the best town on the Pacific Coast." When asked why? They answered that Seattle was booming because every man there stands together and pulls together, not only to push forward matters of public interest but also in relation to general business.

United States Senator Charles W. Fulton has been in the city since yesterday, says a Salem correspondent, attending to some legal matters in the supreme court and incidentally enjoying a very pleasant visit with his numerous friends and admirers in this city and county.

Senator Fulton is very anxious for republican success in the congressional contest which is now on, and emphasizes the importance of sending from Oregon this year a man who is in harmony with the principles of the national administration and the dominant party in congress.

It is all nonsense to talk about Mr. Hermann being objectionable to President Roosevelt or the cabinet. The fact is that Mr. Hermann is very popular with the president, with congress and with nearly all the heads of the departments.

The Edson Company, with a good band of musicians, were at the Spokane theatre last night and pleased a large and enthusiastic audience with the good old play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." The company is a large one, and the various parts were in good hands throughout.

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Letter List. For the week ending April 25, 1903. Persons calling for these letters will please state date on which they were advertised. They will be charged at the rate of one cent each: Otto Albright, Mrs. J. Baughman, Mrs. Maggie Barna, J. A. Barns, J. A. Barns, Andrew Campbell, Lee Campbell, Charles A. Clark, J. C. Cooper, Bassie Dilley, John Erb, Miss R. Garrett, T. E. Latimer, Clarence Mulkey, Mrs. S. Smith, John Uries.

Go to A. Hodes for Nature's Health Restorer. The best Rheumatic and Blood Purifier in the world. M. L. Adams, agent. For Sale. One horse, \$45; one year-old colt, \$25; one cow, \$25; incubator, \$4; good plow, \$25.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police of the city of Corvallis, subject to the will of the people at the city election, May 18, 1903. M. Gleason. Corvallis, April 16, 1903.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of police judge of the city of Corvallis at the election to be held May 18, 1903. E. P. GREFFOZ.

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers Acker's Blood Elixer, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale, weak or run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied. 50 cents and \$1. A. Len & Woodward, druggists.

The company billed for the Opera House, Friday and Saturday, May 1 and 2, is a company of merit. Edson's big company of 32 people, of which the Spokane papers said on the occasion of its recent visit there: "The Edson Company, with a good band of musicians, were at the Spokane theatre last night and pleased a large and enthusiastic audience with the good old play of 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.'" The company is a large one, and the various parts were in good hands throughout. Deserving of mention is Miss Lulu Sutton, Little Algo Steck, Mr. Edson, Mr. W. S. Lecemnt and several others. "Nugget Nell" is the bill for Saturday night. Reserved seats are now on sale. Prices are 50 and 25 cents.

Notice of Election. Notice is hereby given that the annual election of the city of Corvallis will be held on Monday the 18th day of May, 1903, for the purpose of electing a mayor, chief of police, police judge, treasurer, two (2) councilmen from the first ward, two (2) councilmen from the second ward and one (1) councilman from the third ward.

For Treasurer. I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of treasurer of the city of Corvallis at the election to be held May 8, 1903. WILLIAM McLAGAN.

Chief of Police. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police at the city election to be held May 18, 1903. J. M. HOWARD. Corvallis, Oregon, April 14, 1903.

Dressmaking. To the ladies of Corvallis. I am located in your city N. W. corner Third and Van Buren Sts., and will do dressmaking at reasonable prices. Satisfaction guaranteed. Please give me a call. Mrs. ETTA E. DOWNS.

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MRS. L. S. ADAMS. Wine of Cardui. "Wine of Cardui is indeed a blessing to tired women. Having suffered for seven years with weakness and bearing-down pains, and having tried several doctors and different remedies with no success, your Wine of Cardui was the only thing which helped me, and eventually cured me. It seemed to build up the weak parts, strengthen the system and correct irregularities."

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Chief of Police. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police of Corvallis at the election to be held May 18, 1903. W. G. LANE. Corvallis, April 14, 1903.

Suffered Eight Months. I can heartily recommend Acker's Tablets for dyspepsia and stomach troubles. I have been suffering for eight months and tried many remedies without any relief, until I got Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets, which I used only a short time and am now perfectly well. Thanking you for the speedy recovery, I am gratefully yours, Francis I. Gannon, Vancouver, Wash. Send to W. H. Hooker & Co., Buffalo, N. Y., for a free trial package. (Nothing like them.)

Notice to Creditors. Having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph Park, deceased, who died in Benton County, Oregon, I hereby notify any and all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me with the proper vouchers, as required by law, at my residence one mile east of Philomath, within six months from the date of this notice. JOSEPH A. PARK, Administrator.

For Chief of Police. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police of Corvallis at the election to be held May 18, 1903. SAM KING. Corvallis, April 1, 1903.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Cures Grip in Two Days. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. on every box 25c. This signature, G. M. Brown.

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Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Feb. 27, 1903. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Civil No. 1,063, and Section No. 15 in Township No. 13 S., Range No. 6 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1903.

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Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, April 14, 1903. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, March 5, 1903. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, March 5, 1903. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, March 25, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Benton county, at Corvallis, Oregon, on May 12, 1903, viz.: Harrison Davilidge, H. L. No. 3437 for the Sec. 14, 8, T. 12 S., R. 7 W.

Notice for Publication. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, March 25, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Benton county, at Corvallis, Oregon, on May 12, 1903, viz.: George Granger and Perry H. Davidson, of Peak, Oregon, Ac. T. Union and Peeking A. King, of Corvallis, Oregon.

B. A. CATHEY, M. D. Physician & Surgeon. Rooms 14 in Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: Corner 5th and Adams Sts. Telephone at office and residence. Corvallis, Oregon.

W. T. Rowley, M. D. (Homoeopathic) Physician, Surgeon, Oculist. Office—Rooms 1 and 2 in Bank Bldg. Residences—On 3rd street, between Monroe and Jackson. Residence telephone No. 411. Office, 481. OFFICE HOURS—10 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m. CORVALLIS, OREGON.

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