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FOR SALE

ALL WOOD HANDLED BY THE undersigned is now in this city and has been placed in the hands of the City Transfer Company for sale. **Norwood Trading Co.**

GOOD TEAM OF MARES, HARNESS, camp wagon. Bargain if sold soon. **B. F. Chance, 17th, near VanBuren St.**

EIGHTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND 3 miles west of Blodgett, on the county road, 20 acres in cultivation. More could be got. Fair house 4 rooms, fair barn, other outbuildings, good orchard, some small fruit. One farm wagon worth \$50., 10 head of cows, one two-year old bull, 1 yearling steer, 2 calves, 40 head of sheep, 6 head of hogs, 15 tons of good oat hay, 1 acre of potatoes, tools on the place, a bargain at \$1,500. **I. D. PITMAN, Blodgett, Or.**

NEWTIRES PUT ON BABY BUGGIES and go-carts. at Dilley & Arnold's.

ATTORNEYS

J. F. YATES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office First National Bank Building. Only set of abstracts in Benton County.

W. E. Yates, Bert Yates, YATES & YATES, Law, Abstracting and Insurance. Both Phones. **Corvallis, Oregon.**

E. R. BRYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

JOSEPH H. WILSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Notary, Titles, Conveyancing. Practice in all State and Federal Courts. Office in Burnett Building.

AUCTIONEER

P. A. KLINE, LIVE STOCK AUCTIONEER, Corvallis, Or. P. A. Kline Live, Phone No. 1. P. O. address, Box 11. Pays highest prices for all kinds of live stock. Twenty years' experience. Satisfaction guaranteed.

LAND AGENTS.

WHEN IT COMES TO BUYING lands, new-comers in this county will make no mistake in consulting James Lewis. Mr. Lewis has been in Benton County for 30 years and not only knows the county but the entire valley. He has been actively engaged in selling and buying live stock and real estate all of this time and naturally his judgment is sound. He knows soils and values. His knowledge is worth money to anybody desiring correct and sincere information. **25-77**

STAGE LINE.

PHILOMATH AND ALSEA STAGE— Stage leaves Alsea 6:30 a. m.; arrives at Philomath at 12 m.; leaves Philomath 1 p. m.; arrives at Alsea 6:30 p. m. All persons wishing to go or return from Alsea and points west can be accommodated at any time. Fare to Alsea \$1.00 Round trip same day \$2.00. **M. S. RICKARD.**

BANKING.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Corvallis, Oregon, does a general, conservative banking business. It guards safely its customers' banking business through the panics of the last two decades, which merits proper consideration. It affords banking privileges at home and abroad, first-class, not excelled by any institution in the United States. The members of the Board of Directors were born and raised in Benton County, except one, and that member has resided in the county forty-six years. The business history of each is as an open book before the people of the county. Loans to customers solicited, properly secured. **40-7**

PHYSICIANS

B. A. OATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Rooms 14, Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: cor. 5th and Adams Sts. Telephone at office and residence. **Corvallis, Oregon.**

C. H. NEWTH, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Office and Residence, on Main street, Philomath, Oregon.

E. D. BURGESS, M. D. Office over Blackledge Furniture Store. Office hours: 10 to 12 and 3 to 5.

WANTED

WANTED 500 SUBSCRIBERS TO THE GAZETTE and Weekly Oregonian at \$2.55 per year.

FOREST EXHIBIT.

The Intimate Relation Between Forestry and Irrigation.

The exhibit of the Forest Service at the Lewis and Clark Exposition gives deserved prominence to the need and the value of forestry in the Northwest. It emphasizes the great benefits of the forests to the region, both on the northern Pacific coast, where they are the richest in the world in their stand of merchantable timber, and in the agricultural areas of eastern Washington and Oregon, where they dominate the success of irrigation by their storing and supply of treasured water. Indeed, the intimate relation between forestry and irrigation—the most important economic problem of the Northwest—is most fully brought out in the association of the forest exhibit with that of the Reclamation Service in the same building.

The picturesque Oregon State "Forestry Building," constructed of the giant red fir logs, is distinct from the Government forestry building, but it has attracted much attention and has also assisted greatly in impressing the public with the exceptional character of the northwestern forest reserves.

The Government forest exhibit consists of very large transparencies and bromide photographs, models, charts, instruments, tools, machines, apparatus and wood material, the whole forming a history of the forest movement in this country. The illustrations, which are designed to show the necessity of forestry as well as its methods and its accomplishments, present the actual forest conditions in every important region of the United States and the various ways of improving them. Good and bad forest conditions are contrasted; the success which has followed conservative forest work is thrown out in relief against the failure which follows careless, ignorant, or heedless effort; wasteful and conservative lumbering, forests ravaged by fire, and forests protected from fire, are displayed side by side; stripped and eroded mountain slopes are placed next well-protected ones; properly grazed areas next those overgrazed. So through all the lines of work which the Forest Service is conducting, the right and

wrong ways of working are forcibly impressed upon the visitor.

The exhibit does not end, however, with disclosing the damage to forests in the past, or even with prescribing preventives for the future, but it also shows how the naturally treeless plains of the Middle West are capable, under correct methods of tree planting, of supporting forest growth, and how fire-swept and denuded mountain slopes of the East and West can be reclaimed to forest—something vitally important for conserving the stream flow for agriculture, manufacture and commerce.

The practical and educational features of the exhibit—its main objects—are further carried out in the public tests which are being made of the strength of the structural timbers of the Western States. But little is now accurately known on this subject. These tests and all other experimental work will be explained to the public daily by the officials in charge. It is also planned to conduct a series of illustrated lectures on forestry by representatives of the Forest Service.

The Commercial Congress.

On his return to this city from Portland, where he had been a delegate to the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, S. L. Kline reported a splendid series of sessions. Many matters of importance were reviewed and discussed by able men. He said that he regretted that larger delegations from our sister cities, as well as our own, were not in attendance at this congress. Delegates should have gone there and camped, for it was worth while.

Among other items considered was the matter of deepening the channel on the Columbia bar and in the river itself, as well as the Willamette so far up as Portland from a depth of 23 to 32 feet. Our delegate says this was all very well, but no mention whatever was made of conditions on the Upper Willamette. He wants to know what benefit a deeper channel is going to prove if no attention is paid to the matter of transporting freight from interior regions to Portland. If nothing is done in the interest of an open river the year around on the Upper Willamette the railroad company holds our trade in its own hand and may charge about what it sees fit. Many products would find a market in Portland on a lower freight rate than at present never leave the farm. Portland needs all of this if she is ever to become a great city and it is her duty to give aid toward improving the Willamette somewhat beyond the head of tide. Boats plying to this city or above the year around would result in a freight rate that would land thousands of tons of produce in Portland annually that never leave the place of production as the matter now stands. River transportation is a great freight rate equalizer.

Mr. Kline says that the cities of Independence, Albany, Eugene and Corvallis should appoint committees and pass resolutions in this matter. If all act in harmony and pull strongly together something will come our way or there will be the deuce to pay.

Notice Of Final Settlement

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.
In the matter of the estate of William Wyatt, deceased, and Last Will and testament of
of
William Wyatt, deceased
Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final account as executor of the last will and testament of William Wyatt, deceased, with the clerk of the above entitled Court and that said Court has fixed and appointed Saturday, the 5th day of September, 1905 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the office of the County Judge of said County at the Court House in Benton County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing objections to and the settlement of said Final Account; and all persons interested and desiring to object thereto are notified to appear at said time and file their objections.
Dated, August 28th, 1905.
A. J. WILLIAMS, Executor,
of the Estate of William Wyatt, deceased.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbia, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were a wreck. I could not sleep and my stomach was so weak from useless doctors' drugs that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Allen & Woodward's drug store; price 50c

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right

Origin of the Evergreen Blackberry.

Nature, one day, in idle mood—
She is sometimes careless, I grieve to say—
Manufactured a fruit, but saw 'twas not good
E'en before she hastily turned away.
What to do with the trash, she pondered then—
How should she get it out of the way?
It would not do for the food of men,
And the leaves wouldn't e'en do for hay.
Too lazy to dig it completely up
And get it entirely out of the world,
Dame Nature quickly, with angry pout,
O'er the vine a robe of prickles hurried.
Thorns of the sharpest, most venomous kind,
Of extremely pungent and spiciferous class,
Revealed all over the branches twined.
In a doubled and twisted, scratchy mass.
"Now any fool who will brave the smart
Of the briars I've plied on this evergreen
vine,
Deserves, I assure you from my heart,
No better reward than this fruit of mine."
So said Dame Nature, and off she ran.
Leaving the Evergreen Blackberry there;
She at least has given a warning to man,
Which the wise ones heed with scrupulous care.

SHOWING IS GOOD.

Benton Has Fine Exhibit at the Exposition

Notwithstanding the fact that Benton is the smallest county in the state and has the smallest space allotted her of any county, she has an exhibit that would be a credit to a county twice as large. The display in variety and the manner of arrangement would be a credit to any district. Concerning our exhibit the Telegram of Friday has the following to say:

Benton county is one of the most developed in the state and whatever will grow anywhere in Oregon will grow there. Especially is it rich in its products of fruit and grain and in these things the fertility of the soil is well shown by the specimens exhibited. Instead of displaying in pyramids, where only a small part of the exhibit can be seen at once, and hampered by lack of wall space, Sydney Trask, the young man in charge, has hit upon the novel expedient of erecting panels in different places around the booth, on which the various products are shown. These panels are very neat in appearance, and are faced in black velvet. More than 75 different varieties of wheat are displayed on these panels and the stalks are arranged in scroll work on their tops, and around the walls.

Not only wheat, but numerous other grains are raised in the county, and displayed on the panels. There are 12 different kinds of barley, ten or a dozen of oats, and nearly 75 species of good pasture grasses. Many of these are remarkably long and luxuriant, and one sample of vetch is 12 feet in length. As a natural result of the great wheat crops raised, several flouring mills have followed, and three of these have sent samples of their flour for exhibition.

Great quantities of fruit are also shown and a shelf in one end of the booth is covered with choice specimens of pears, peaches, plums and others, all of the kind that take prizes. Drying prunes has become a great industry in the county, and many carloads are annually shipped to other places. In vegetables, likewise, the county is rich, and fine potatoes taken from average yields are of good size and sound throughout. Angora goat raising has recently become extremely popular on account of the fine quality of their wool, and Benton county is admirably suited to their culture. The mohair from that place commands the highest prices, and that which is on exhibition is of very fine, silky texture. Sheep's wool is not forgotten and many samples of it are in a grass case with the mohair.

Much of the success of the county agriculturally is due to the presence of the State Agricultural College at Corvallis, where a great amount of experimenting is done for the benefit of the students, and the results communicated to the farmers free of charge. The Government also conducts an experiment station there, which is far-reaching in its benefits.

Controlling the Elements.

According to the Peking (China) Times, the viceroy of Kwangtung province "has taken in hand the control of the elements." There having been a long spell of cloudy weather, the viceroy started in to set the matter right. "For several days by his order the various forts have been firing salutes in order to break up the darkness of the heavens and cause the sun to shine. Day and night there has been a long cannonading. This morning (March 25) when the clouds grew thin and the sun almost shone the Chinese began to say that the viceroy's attempts were accomplishing something."

Time to Speak Up.

When a girl tells a young man that the best is none too good for her it is up to him to offer himself.—Chicago Sun.

Take THE GAZETTE for all the local news.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of **Chas. H. Fletcher** and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CERTAUR COMPANY, 27 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

WEAR ON BIG NAVY CANNON

Heavy Guns in Uncle Sam's Defenders Are Constantly Being Changed for Others.

That there is nothing exceptional in the experience of the United States navy in losing guns through wear is shown in the following statement made by the United Service Gazette, the official service organ of England, regarding the wearing out of the heavy guns in the British navy:

"All the Atlantic fleet battleships have had their barbette guns changed. In the case of the flagship Caesar only two guns have been changed, but other ships have had three and in one case all four guns landed and replaced by others, and considerable pressure has had to be put on the Woolwich authorities to have all the required guns available. Surprise has been expressed that defects should have been simultaneously discovered in so many of the guns, and also at the fact that although the ships have been in port for two months the work of changing them should have been deferred until the last moment. The defects are all in the inner or A tube. In some cases it is worn, but in others the evil is much greater, as the tube has developed serious weakness owing to overheating."

Was in Poor Health For Years.

Ira W. Kelley, of Mansfield, Pa., writes: "I was in poor health for two years, suffering from kidney and bladder trouble, and spent considerable money consulting physicians without obtaining any marked benefit, but was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure, and I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of restoring the health of others." Refuse substitutes. Sold by Graham & Wortham.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the executrix of the last will of Seymour Chipman, deceased, has filed her final account with county court, Benton county, Oregon, and said county court has set Tuesday, September 5, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. at county court room, Corvallis, to hear any objections to said report.

Prudence Chipman, Executrix.

Water Bonds.

All persons desiring to purchase Corvallis City Water Bonds, soon to be issued by the "Water Committee" appointed by the "Act of the Legislature of Oregon," passed at the last session thereof, and approved by the Governor, and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, February 15, 1905, will please communicate to me in writing before the first day of September, 1905, the amount of such bonds each person so notifying me respectively desires to and will purchase of said bonds. Said bonds to bear interest at four per cent per annum payable semi-annually. Dated this 15th day of Aug., 1905.

S. L. KLINE,
Clerk of the Water Committee.

Good Health to the Children

Children especially are fond of dainties, and the housekeeper must look carefully to their food.

As good cake can be made only with good eggs, so also a cake that is healthful as well as dainty must be raised with a pure and perfect baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder is indispensable in the preparation of the highest quality of food! It imparts that peculiar lightness, sweetness and flavor noticed in the finest cake, biscuit, doughnuts, crusts, etc., and what is more important, renders the food wholesome and agreeable to young and old.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.