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GOOD OLD BENTON.

It is said that "self praise is half scandal." If such be true we are going to scandalize our selves for we propose to touch on a few of our good points. Let us state first of all that the large majority of those born within the bounds of Benton remain here happily and are loath to leave. Following this thought we will say that nearly all who come here from the East are satisfied to remain. It may be pointed out that a large majority of the few who came here from the East in past years and were dissatisfied and returned to their old haunts, later turned their faces westward and are many of them once again domiciled in Benton. This tells a story most eloquent.

Why should it not be true? We have the finest soil, wood in abundance, and the purest of water. The summers here lack that excessive heat which is almost unbearable in the eastern and middle-western states. In comparison with the East our winters are a dream. There is not a day in the year when one's life is endangered by remaining outdoors all day. A man may be uncomfortable—nothing more. He will not freeze to death.

There are yet many acres of land to be purchased at a reasonable price in Benton county. The land is productive and in the way of diversified farming holds out great inducements to a prospective locator. The dairy business is destined to become the greatest of all industries in this county. It is but a few years since all Benton could boast was a little "family butter." Now it is different.

We have two splendid creameries in Corvallis. During the past year business has increased so much that both creameries have been compelled to enlarge their plants within the past two months. And yet this business is in its infancy—scarcely beyond conception. And there are many other promising fields awaiting those who are yet to come among us and bring with them a little capital and abundant capital, confidence and energy.

No man of a family need feel alarmed over the problem of education for his children should he locate in this county. This matter is solved for him for all time to come. No county can boast better public schools than we have. Philomath has well-known colleges and for years has been especially active in educational work. In Corvallis we have most excellent graded schools, with high school appended.

Here is located the Oregon Agricultural College, the pride of the entire state. It is the largest educational institution in Oregon and has a generous endowment from the federal government, besides being liberally provided for by the state. This institution is situated adjoining the City of Corvallis, has an admirable campus, of ample dimensions, many large handsome buildings, boys' and girls' dormitories, as well as a fine farm attached. It is both a college for higher education and a school of industry.

Many things are yet to be born to Benton in the way of industry and general advancement. It will be a case of "first come, first served," so clamor into the Benton county bandwagon. There are also worms here for the early birds.

JUST A SUGGESTION.

For Petty "Graters" About Town—Pranks Done.

Petty thievery seems to be the rule rather than the exception in Corvallis of late, and little annoyances of other kinds make life a misery to many an inhabitant. Putting anything in the line of edibles out on the back porch for safe keeping has come to be a regular Jack-in-the-box performance, for it is a case of "now you see it—now you don't."

The story is, that recently a nice fat turkey was put in a barn on Third street, awaiting the ax that was to render him fit for a sumptuous dinner. The owners were congratulating themselves on what a fine spread they would have, but upon going to the barn next morning turkey, coop and all had disappeared and along with it a half bushel of apples.

Another evening D. A. Osburn, the happy looking night watch of this city and his estimable wife were to entertain friends. David came down town, purchased the necessary amount of ice cream, borrowed a new, shining tin pail to take it home in and placed the dainty on the back porch to keep cool. At the proper time the ice cream was called for to be served, but a frantic search failed to reveal either cream or pail. Mr. Osburn declared that he would have cared nothing for the cream if he had not had to pay for the pail.

A wheel barrow disappeared from J. R. Smith's on the same evening that the turkey and apples were appropriated at the Third street home.

A few evenings ago a large painting valued at \$25 and used as an advertisement by the glass blowers who visited Corvallis last week was "swiped" from the opera house by unknown parties, and some one also hauled a rock through a window at the M. L. Earnest home about the same time in the week.

These happenings are becoming far too common to be funny. If there is any right minded person who can call petty thievery by the name of sport we fail to see it from their point of view.

"As a twig is bent so's the tree inclined" and the young boys who fall into such habits in the name of fun and frolic are taking desperate chances of running up against something that may sound like "fines" and "disgrace."

Governor at Philomath.

Governor Chamberlain delivered an address, Thursday night, before the Philomath college faculty and students, taking as his subject, "Modern Legislation and Legislators." A dispatch from Philomath says: "He sharply criticized the late legislature for its failure to provide new sources of revenue to meet the larger appropriations passed at the session. The tax commission bill was pointed out as a particular measure that would have largely counterbalanced the large figures of the appropriation bills. The growth in Oregon of the spirit for the exercise of larger powers by the people in government was cited as an effect of absurd legislative powers, and was commended as a vindication of the contentions of Thomas Jefferson."

At the conclusion of his address the governor was presented with a handsome oil painting, the work of the art teacher in Philomath college, and the gift of the faculty and students. The presentation speech was made by Professor White of the college, and the gift was gracefully acknowledged by the executive.

Real Estate Transfers.

E T Merrill to M J Cameron, 400 a in Kings Valley; \$10.

O S Noves to R J and A S Keeney, lots 1 and 2, block 18, Wilkin's Addition to Corvallis; \$1350.

Henry Ambler to M J Ewing, lots 71 and 86, block 20, Philomath; \$450.

J Farnham to W J Mitchell, lot 3, block 23, Jobs Add to Cor-

vallis; \$150.

I H Jackson to G W Cummings, n half of block 12, Wells & M. Elroys Add to Corvallis; \$1.

W J Mitchell to F M Bullis, lots 1 and 2, block 23, Jobs Add to Corvallis; \$150.

Melva McKenney to Dora Jackson, 2 lots in block 2, Wilkin's Add Corvallis; \$1.

Eli Spencer et al to Elnora Johnson, lots 1 and 2 in block "P" Avery's 1st Add to Corvallis; \$135.

Mary E Gwin et al to James Bryden, 80 in Alesa; \$400.

J B Horner to J W Handy, lots 9 and 10, in block 18, Wilkin's Add to Corvallis; \$10.

A W Hawley to M B Rankin, 80 a sw of Bellefontaine; \$10.

M J Wells to R J Rogers, lot 12 in block 1, Chases 2nd Add Corvallis; \$200.

M J Wells to Chas and Lena Rogers, lot 11 in block 1, Chases 2nd Add Corvallis; \$20.

J C Powell to J Skaggs, 60 a Summit; \$475.

Ida Harris et al to T C Baker 40 a n of Corvallis; \$10.

Fred F Lent to C E Small, lot 4 in block 7, Dixon's 2nd Add Corvallis; \$350.

OF FIFTY THREE.

Pioneer Woman Buried Saturday—Mrs. Hannah Carns.

Another pioneer woman crosses the invisible border between this world and the one to come, Thursday evening at four o'clock, after an illness of several weeks' duration.

Deceased was Mrs. Hannah Carns, wife of John Carns of this city. She was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, January 5, 1834, being of Irish parentage, of which fact she was always very proud. When a mere child she emigrated to the United States, settling in Illinois where she grew to young womanhood.

On March 3, 1853, she was married to Joan Carns at Clinton, Illinois, and in the same month started with her husband on the long trip across the plains by ox team, to Oregon. They arrived in Oregon in the fall of that year, having been six months on the way and enduring all the hardships and meeting the dangers that such a trip in those days meant.

Mr. and Mrs. Carns located in Linn county, eight miles east of Harrisburg, taking up a donation claim. Here they resided until 1889 when they came to Benton county, settling in Alesa valley. Four years ago they came to Corvallis, where Mrs. Carns made many friends by her kindly deeds and generous thoughtfulness for the welfare of others. For several years she has been an invalid and a week ago last Thursday a stroke of paralysis laid her low, death coming to her relief a week later.

The survivors are the husband who is in his 87th year, and the following children: George Carns of Bishop, Calif.; Charles, Floyd, Thomas and Madison of Lincoln county, and Mrs. Al Saylor, of Albany. There are also six grandchildren.

The funeral occurred from the residence at 10 a. m., Saturday, the services being conducted by Rev. S. M. Woods of the United Evangelical church. Many friends came to pay their final respects and to speak a word of sympathy to those bereaved. Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Additional Local.

Have Dr. Lowe relieve your head and eye-ache with a pair of his correctly fitted glasses. He leaves Tuesday night.

Miss Hilda Ling has returned to her home in Salem, after a visit in this city.

Two Marion county men are at law over certain water rights, and the Capital Journal heads the item: "All Over a Dammed Stream."

Artie Starr, who went to Vancouver a week ago, has secured employment at carpenter work and writes that when the building season begins he will get \$3.50 per day.

Walter Cummings, the Independent telephone line man, narrowly missed being killed a few days ago. He was en-

BOYS' EASTER APPAREL



XTRAGOOD

Our Clothing for Boys

MOTHERS take pride in having their boys well dressed, and this involves correct style. We are as particular about boys' styles as about men's—but careful that exclusiveness does not mean high price. Our boys' section was never so full of novelties—never seemed so bright. You are welcome to look—never under obligation to buy.

\$2.50 to \$7.50

J. M. Nolan & Son
QUALITY STORE

gaged in work a day about 25 feet from the ground when something happened and he fell. The landing was enough to kill a man, but Walter is again at work after being confined at home only a day as a result of bruises and the terrible shaking-up.

Fred Croft of Linn county, who resides a couple of miles east of this city, has gone to St. Johns where he has accepted work in a saw mill.

The Badge of Honesty

Is on every wrapper of Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery because a full list of the ingredients composing it is printed there in plain English. Forty years of experience has proven its superiority as a blood purifier and invigorating tonic for the cure of stomach disorders and all liver ills. It builds up the rundown system as no other tonic can in which alcohol is used. The active medicinal principles of native roots such as Golden Seal and Queen's root, Stone and Mandrake root, Bloodroot and Blue Cherrypark are extracted and preserved by the use of chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce at Buffalo, N. Y., for free booklet which quotes extracts from well-recognized medical authorities such as Drs. Barthelemy, King, Scudder, Coe, Ellingwood and host of others, showing that these roots can be depended upon for their curative action in all weak states of the stomach, accompanied by indigestion or dyspepsia, as well as by all bilious or liver complaints, and in all wasting diseases where there is loss of flesh and gradual running down of strength and system.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" makes rich pure blood and so invigorates and regulates the stomach, liver and bowels, and through them, the whole system. Thus all skin affections, blotches, pimples and eruptions as well as scrofulous swellings and old open running sores or ulcers are cured and healed. In treating old running sores, or ulcers, it is well to insure their healing to apply to them Dr. Pierce's All-Healing Salve. If your druggist don't happen to have this Salve in stock, send fifty-four cents in post-stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., and a large box of the "All-Healing Salve" will reach you by return post.

You can't afford to accept a secret nostrum as a substitute for this honest, reliable, medicine of known composition, not even though the urgent dealer may thereby make a little bigger profit.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take as candy.

Alice Roosevelt's Wedding.

Was something to be recorded in the annals of history. Herbine has been acknowledged the greatest of liver regulators. A positive cure for Bilious headaches, Constipation, Chills and fever, and all liver complaints. J. C. Smith, Little Rock, Ark., writes: "Herbine is the greatest liver medicine known. Have used it for years. It does the work." Sold by Graham & Wortham.

COSTS NOTHING UNLESS CURED.

Liberal Way in Which Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets are Sold by Graham & Wells.

If a friend should tell you that he would pay the doctors bill for you unless you were cured, would it not impress you with his physician's skill? It is in this way that Graham & Wells sell Mi-o-na stomach tablets, for they guarantee to refund the money if Mi-o-na does not cure.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets if you have any of the following symptoms: backache, headache, sleeplessness, nausea, distress after eating, specks before the eyes, drowsiness, nervousness, loss of appetite, dizziness, pains in the side and limbs, or gurgling up of undigested food, and you will soon be cured and able to eat a hearty meal without fear of pain or distress.

Mi-o-na costs but 50 cents a box, nothing if it does not cure. Graham & Wells are the local distributors.

Why Not Use Electric Lights?

Stop scratching matches on your wall. Those streaky matches scratches look mighty bad on any wall. But as long as you continue to use gas or oil you've got to use matches.

The "matchless light" is the electric light,—a simple twist of the wrist does it. We are improving and perfecting our lighting service in this city and can give better service for less money than ever in the history of the city.

The cost of wiring has been reduced until it is within reach of all.

If you would like to know more about it, call on us in our new office opposite the O. J. Blackledge furniture store or phone us, Ind. Phone 419.

Williamette Valley Co.
G. A. Clark, Mgr.

Administrator's Sale.

I will sell at public auction at the residence of Isaac Porter, deceased, on Geary Creek, five miles southwest of Philomath, Saturday March 30, '07, at 10 o'clock a. m., for cash in hand the following described property, to-wit:

One piano, 1 binder, 1 harrow, 1 disc cutter, 1 farm wagon, 1 buggy, 1 set single buggy harness, 1 set back harness, 4 horse collars, 2 sets of team harness, 2 dozen chickens, 1 white cow, 1 head of sheep, 1 hog, 1 roan filly 3 years old, 1 fat pig stallion 4 years old, 1 yearling colt, 1 light gray mare about 12 years old, 1 black mare with white face about 6 years old, 2 bedsteads and bedding 4 chairs, 1 rocking chair, 1 cookstove and 1 dining table.

J. F. PORTER,
Administrator,
A. L. STEVENSON,
Auctioneer.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Alexander Bennett, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said Alexander Bennett, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at his residence at Monroe, Oregon, or at the office of McFadden & Eryson, attorneys, Corvallis, Oregon.

Dated March 8th, 1907.

E. BENNETT,
Administrator of the estate of Alexander Bennett, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the will annexed of the estate of Isaac Porter, deceased, by the County Court of Benton County, Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of Isaac Porter, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at his residence in Benton County, Oregon, or at the office of McFadden & Eryson, attorneys, Corvallis, Oregon.

Dated March 15th, 1907.

JOHN F. PORTER,
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Isaac Porter, deceased.

Proposals for Wood.

Notice is hereby given that the clerk of school district No. 9, Benton county, Oregon, will receive sealed bids to furnish the said district with wood for the coming year to-wit: 25 cords of oak grub wood and 80 cords split body red fir wood, second growth, good quality, not less than four feet in length and not less than four inches nor more than eight in thickness or diameter; to be delivered at the school buildings in said District on or before September 7th, 1907.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and no bid will be received after six o'clock p. m., April 3rd, 1907.

W. A. BUCHANAN, clerk.

Go to P. M. Zierolf for the best grass and clover seed.

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Fifteen words or less, 25 cts for three successive insertions, or 50 cts per month; for all up to and including ten additional words, ½ cent a word for each insertion.

For all advertisements over 25 words, 1 ct per word for the first insertion, and ½ ct per word for each additional insertion. Nothing inserted for less than 25 cents.

Lodge, society and church notices, other than strictly news matter, will be charged for.

HOMES FOR SALE.

AS I AM GOING OUT OF THE BUSINESS will sell my grain warehouse at a bargain, or would exchange for a good residence in Corvallis, or a small farm of equal value. Handed 47,000 bushel of grain this season. R. N. WILLIAMSON, Wells, Ore. 21tf

WILL SELL LOTS IN CORVALLIS, Oregon, on installment plan and assist purchasers to build homes on them if desired. Address First National Bank, Corvallis, Or.

WILL SELL MY LOTS IN NEWPORT, Or., for spot cash, balance installments, and help parties to build homes thereon, if desired. Address M. S. WOOD, Corvallis, Ore.

Veterinary Surgeon

DR. E. E. JACKSON, VETERINARY surgeon and dentist. Residence 1220 Fourth street. Phone 389. Office 1011 Main street, Phone 204. Give him a call.

PHYSICIANS

B. A. CATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN Oregon. 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.

House Decorating.

FOR PAINTING AND PAPERING SEE W. E. PAUL, Ind. 485 1stf

MARBLE SHOP.

MARBLE AND GRANITE MONUMENTS; cutting made to order; cleaning and repairing done neatly; save agent's commission. Shop North Main St., Frank Vanhoosen, Prop., 92tf

ATTORNEYS

J. F. YATES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office on stairs in Zierolf Building. Only set of abstracts in Benton County.

E. K. SKYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

WANTED

WANTED A CHOICE PIECE OF TIMBER land. Must be cheap. Address P. O. 223, Corvallis, Ore. 20tf

WANTED—A MAN, WITHOUT STOCK to rent a dwelling adjoining Corvallis who is a kind good workman with a team of horses. 81-tf

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

BANKING.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Corvallis, Oregon, transacts a general conservative banking business. Loans money on approved security. Drafts bought and sold and money transferred to the principal cities of the United States, Europe and foreign countries.

MARKET

SEED STORE—A LARGE SUPPLY OF fresh garden seeds in bulk, just received. All kinds of farm and garden seeds, seed wheat, oats, barley, potatoes, artichokes, feed oats, chicken feed, Land Plaster. Five kinds of clover and vetch. I can furnish clover by the car load. Second door north of express office. L. L. Brooks. Phone 655.

I WILL PAY THE HIGHEST MARKET price for poultry, hogs, veal, calf, etc., at T. A. Boulden's grocery store, corner Second and Monroe St., opposite Corvallis Hotel. Your cash is always ready, and a square deal guaranteed to all. THOS. BOULDEN 9tf

Don't Complain.

If your chest pains you and you are unable to sleep because of a cough. Buy a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and you won't have any cough. Get a bottle now and that cough will not last long. A cure for all pulmonary diseases. Mrs. J. Galveston, Texas, writes: "I can't say enough for Ballard's Horehound Syrup. The relief that it has given me is all that is necessary for me to say." Sold by Graham & Wortham.

Listen.

And remember the next time you suffer from pain—when your head nearly bursts with neuralgia—try Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will cure you. A prominent business man of Hempstead, Texas, writes: "I have used your liniment. Previous to using it I was a great sufferer from Rheumatism and Neuralgia. I am pleased to say that now I am free from these complaints. I am sure I owe this to your liniment." Sold by Graham & Wortham.