

Mayor Jones' Message to the Council

"I recommend that we do away with the present water collector and street commissioner as I believe we are losing under our present system, from \$25 to \$40 per month by not having a man to locate the different consumers and the amount of stock using water. Let us pay a collector \$55. Then elect the same to be street commissioner at a salary of \$2.50 per month; also make him city marshal at a salary of \$2.50 per month. This will bring his compensation up to \$60 what is now paid for marshal, but will relieve the general fund of a draft of \$55 per month. Hire a night watchman at \$50 but raise his sum by a voluntary contribution from the business men, or by an occupation tax to cover this amount.

I further recommend that all parties owing the city on street and sewer assessments at once be required to pay, or else the claim be put in such shape that interest be charged on such delinquent assessments.

All claims against the city should be sworn to before they are audited and that no warrants be presented to the mayor for signature for work that is the duty of another officer to perform such as the financial statement cost \$25. It is the duty of the treasurer to make such a report September 1, March 1, and at such other times as the council may require.

It has been the custom in former years to levy a tax of 5 mills and then run the town in debt several hundred dollars. I recommend that we prepare a petition and circulate to be signed by a majority of the voters, giving the council power to levy ten mills instead of 5 and pay off some of the present indebtedness. That the general fund borrow from the water funds such money as is not in use and is needed, paying therefor interest at the rate of 5 per cent.

What of the other side of the question? Why, what is sauce for the goose ought not to hurt the gander. A short time ago when Lee Minard and several other dives and three or four bawdy houses were running at full tilt, cries were heard, "Oh what will become of our beautiful town?" I suppose it isn't any worse now to hear a few say the same. I won't make any promises as to what the council will do but some may think the mayor is not such a figure head after all if he should deem it necessary to have 20 or 30 policemen on duty at certain times."

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The general form of the body shows much depth and width, with a trimness characteristic of every region. The hips, while markedly wide, are not prominent. The hind quarter fills out square, and the twist and thigh are low and full. The fleece is characterized more by its fineness and density rather than the weight of the wool which it yields, as it is generally medium in length and comparatively free from yolk. A marked uniformity in the quality of the wool should be in evidence, that over the shoulder and that which covers the thigh and other parts being very even in quality, according to American Cultivator.

The best types of this breed may be accepted as a model form for the flock.

Feeding Colorado Silage.

I have fed corn silage eight to ten months each year continuously for five years to cows with profitable returns and no injurious effects and would not hesitate to feed it every day in the year if I had a sufficient supply and it was cheap enough, writes H. M. Cottrell, Colorado Agricultural college, in reply to an inquiry from Rural New Yorker.

I have never fed it any great length of time without also feeding daily at least a small amount of some dry forage, such as hay, straw or corn fodder. I have used the dry forage because all the cows fed silage craved the dry feed, and it has been my experience that usually when animals show a strong craving for a certain kind of feed they will give the best returns by having this craving satisfied. I have noticed two difficulties when cows were given full feeds of silage without any dry roughage. Some cows would be "off feed" too often to make it profitable, and others would frequently scour badly. A very little dry forage will prevent both of these troubles. I have not had good success in feeding over thirty pounds of silage daily for long periods to 1,000 pound cows. Larger cows can use more. I have noticed with cows that I was handling myself and with cows in other herds that where over thirty pounds daily were fed to each cow there was an increase in the number of barren cows, and it is a general rule that an excess of succulent feed of any kind produces barrenness. It is profitable on this account to give dry forage, even if straw is the only feed available, when breeding cows are pastured on rapidly growing grass.

Males Run For Neighbors.

Virgil P. Kline, the noted corporation lawyer of Cleveland, in an address upon "Ambition," said, according to the Boston Post:

"Ambition is an excellent thing. Without it the world would not progress. But there are worthy and unworthy ambitions, silly and wise ones. Then there are the peculiar, the distinctive ambitions, such as we see in childhood.

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A Brief Interview.

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"I haven't read it." Down went the pencils and pads. "But I'll tell you what I think of it." Up went the pads. "It's a very long message."—New York World.

A Noted Labor Leader.

Samuel Gompers, who was recently elected president of the American Federation of Labor for the twenty-fifth time, has been the head of that body since its beginning, with the exception of one year.

Samuel Gompers is a man about fifty-seven years of age. He was born in England, but came to this country when a young boy. At ten years of age he worked in a cigar factory. All



his life he has lived in an atmosphere of labor. As president of the American Federation of Labor he has reached the height of his ambition. He would rather be at the head of the labor movement than in any other position in the world. At various times he has been offered more lucrative positions in other fields, but he has declined all of them. There is nothing of the demagogue in Mr. Gompers. He is sincere in all he does and thinks. He firmly believes that financial depression and industrial panics are caused by wage reductions, which lessen the consuming powers of the workers. Overtly he holds that if the trades unions of the country at all times resist wage reductions industrial panics will disappear.

At the Churches

Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. J. L. Beatty, Pastor. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School, 10 a. m., Epworth League, 6:30 p. m., Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited to be present.

First Presbyterian Church, Pastor R. C. Grace. Morning service, 11, evening 8, Y. P. S. C. E. 7 p. m. All strangers and sojourners welcome.

Episcopal Church. Services held the second Wednesday evening of each month at 7:30 in Masonic hall. There will be services every fifth Sunday of a month.

Catholic Church, Father Carroll. Services the second Sunday in each month.

Christian Science services held over Allison's Barber shop every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Christian Church, Rev. D. E. Olson Pastor. Services at 11 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Intermediate Endeavor Society at 2:30 and Choir practice every Saturday evening at 7:30.

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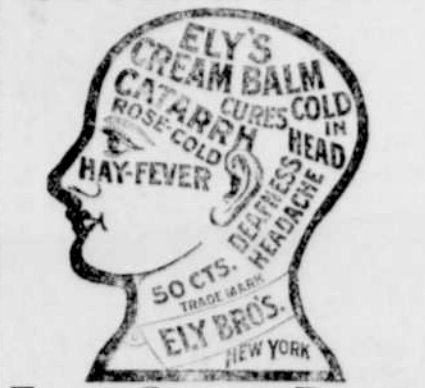
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No 16	1:53 a m
No 18 Cottage Grove Local	5:10 a m
No 12	11:20 a m
No 14 New Fast Train	6:13 p m
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No 15	1:26 a m
No 13 New Fast Train	4:30 a m
No 11	2:55 p m
No 17 Cottage Grove Local	9:50 p m

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2:40 7:40 1.5 Waldport 710 11:25 4:15
2:49 7:49 6.7 Cottage Grove 807 11:16 4:06
3:00 8:14 8.0 Dorena 841 11:08 4:04
3:18 8:40 12.0 Starbuck 917 10:40 4:37
3:28 8:50 13.5 W. Umatilla 996 10:25 4:25
3:35 9:00 15.0 Red Bridge 1020 10:25 4:20
3:38 9:15 16.6 Wildwood 1040 10:15 4:17
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