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HANNAS BUILD ANOTHER BLOCK

OCCUPY LOTS NORTH OF ENTERPRISE BUILDING.

SEWER QUESTION SETTLED, FUTURE OF CITY IS ESTABLISHED AND BUILDING ACTIVITIES TAKE RENEWED VIGOR.

It is now certain that Hanna Brothers will build on the lots north of the Independence Enterprise. They arrived at the conclusion during the last three days and workmen are now on the ground cleaning up preparatory to filling in for a solid concrete floor. The building which they will erect is to be 60x83 feet and will be devoted to machine shops and garage. It is understood. They have made no statement in regard to the purpose of the building but that is the general impression. The report has gone out that the building has already been leased for a term of years and that the lessee is here ready to occupy the building as soon as it can be completed.

The future of Independence became established with the sale of the sewer bonds and business men of Independence are now playing "pussy wants a corner". Within thirty days Independence will be the busiest it has ever been in the history of the city. Construction work on the sewerage system will then be under way and all idle help of the country about this place can secure work.

Hanna Brothers are among the first to recognize the importance of the sewerage system to the commercial interests of the city and have been the most active in securing property in the business section of Independence. They have not bought on speculation but are improving the property which they are buying.

The farsighted merchants will own property in Independence if they are awake to their best interests.

Assessment Matter of Law.

SALEM.—In defense of the request made by the tax commission for a closer assessment by county assessors of mortgage notes, Commissioner Charles Galloway dictated a long interview for the newspapers, in which he reaffirms the former request and makes it clear that the commission expects assessors to use their utmost efforts to reach debts on account, note, contract or mortgage. The interview is given with the object of correcting some misunderstandings that he fears may have arisen as result of the recent discussion of the feasibility of taxing mortgage notes in the public press.

INDEPENDENCE NEWS

Miss Lillian Van Meer of Seattle arrived in Independence last week and is visiting with relatives. She has many relatives in Independence and herself resided here a number of years ago.

For sale—Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine—the kind that never wears out. You can always get extras for a Fairbanks-Morse. This one is guaranteed and is for sale at the Enterprise office, the same one that has been advertised. Price \$75.

Last Saturday morning W. Dawes took J. L. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. S. Irvine and Sam Irvine to Salem where Mr. Irvine is to receive medical treatment at the sanitarium. Mr. Hanna returned home with Mr. Dawes the same day.

For Sale—One 3-inch wagon; one Columbus hack, canopy top; one or two horses; one No. 50, 16-inch Oliver Chilled plow—two shares. These articles are new and will sell right down low as I have sold my place.—John Young.

During the month of August the library will not be open on Wednesday evenings.

Mrs. Mary E. Chappell has returned from a month's visit with relatives in Portland and Newberg.

F. Rehard and wife of Dallas, were in Independence Wednesday morning while on their way to Newport to spend a few days outing. Mr. Rehard is the proprietor of the Buckeye Variety Store of Dallas which was opened up there last February.

Among those leaving for Newport on Thursday were Misses Hodge, Owen, Dunsmore and Bohannon. There has been quite an exodus every day during the week, and Independence must be pretty well represented at this popular ocean resort.

Last Friday a new school superintendent arrived at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Harry Belt. The new educator has been christened "George Lincoln" and promises to become as famous as his illustrious pap.—McMinnville Telephone-Register.

Miss Cecile Wilcox of Independence and Miss Willetta Wright of Portland, two University girls, are the guests of President and Mrs. Campbell for a couple of days. Next week, with Lucia Campbell, who is now visiting in Independence, they go to Newport for a vacation.—Eugene Guard.

Matters in Probate

In re estate of A. B. Williams et al, minors, inventory and appraisal filed and approved.

Estate of Elizabeth Fishback, deceased—inventory and appraisal filed and approved.

Estate of Eliza G. Emmons, deceased—report of sale of real estate set for hearing August 9, at 10 a. m.

Estate of Andrew J. Norris, deceased—inventory and appraisal filed and approved. In re estate of Elizabeth Fishback deceased, bond filed and approved and letters issued. Wm. H. Mack, A. J. Shipley, Jas. Goodman made appraisers.

Estate of Alexander H. Collins, deceased—will probated; Sarah E. Collins appointed executrix without bond; John M. Lynn, Amos H. Holman and J. A. McCann appointed appraisers.

Estate of Thomas H. Denny, deceased—final account approved. Administrator; bond filed and approved; J. E. Richter, A. F. Toner and W. A. Ayres appointed appraisers; inventory and appraisal filed and approved.

Real Estate Transfers

C D Blanchard et ux to Vincent Maurer, 58.66 acres in t 6 s, r 6 w	\$2500
Edward Moxley et ux to James T Moxley, 12 acres in t 7 s r 6 w	1290
John Underwood et ux to Mary A and Albert T Jones, lots in Independence	850
Eva L Dickey to N M Dickey, 22 acres in t 6 s r 6 w	1
Elmer T Butler to Herbert Hansen, 1 acre in t 6 s, r 6 w	90
Teofil Richer et ux to Julius Villwock, 60.41 acres in t 7 s, r 5 w	2500
Albert Davidson et ux to Henry Seaton, lots in Buena Vista	450
Charles F Snelling et ux to Clifford Hill, 126.93 acres in t 6 s, r 5 w	8885
Newton G Harris to J L Wheeler, 10 acres, t 8 s r 6 w	10
Minnie E Snelling and hd to Homer Holman, 285.58 acres in t 7 s r 6 w	10
John H Remington et ux to Hattie M Coquillette, part lots 7 and 8, blk 5, Independence	200
Hattie M Coquillette and hd to George G Carbray, part lots 7 and 8, blk 5, Independence	212
William Simmons et ux to Ernest Haberstroh et ux, 20 acres, t 6 s r 8 w	1000
John U Sumpter et ux to Polk County Lumber Company, 15 acres, t 8 s r 6 w	1
N A Lunde et al to C S Flicklin et ux, 80 acres t 8 s r 6 w	3000

FALLS UNDER MOVING TRAIN

DAN P. SMYTHE MEETS WITH AWFUL EXPERIENCE.

TAKEN FROM UNDER TRAIN WHEELS HORRIBLY MUTILATED WITH ONE ARM MISSING AND CUTS ABOUT HEAD.

A recent issue of the East Oregonian gives account of the narrow escape from death of Dan P. Smythe, acquaintance and friend of the editor of this paper and family. Mr. Smythe is known to some extent in Independence.

Dan P. Smythe, who was terribly injured under the wheels of a stock train in western Washington early yesterday morning, will recover but will be minus his left arm which was taken off at the shoulder yesterday.

Several private messages telling of the condition of the injured sheepman-lawyer were received here today. From C. H. Carter, Miss Effie Jean Frazier received a message this morning stating that his injured partner will live. The message was filed at 10 o'clock and said that at that time Smythe was resting well.

This afternoon Dr. C. J. Smith received a wire from Dr. J. S. Kloeber, in charge of the sanitarium at Hot Springs. The message was as follows:

"Smythe is entirely out of the shock. Only danger now from infection. This to a dangerous extent very improbable."

The above message was filed at 11 o'clock and shows that the attending surgeon is hopeful of Mr. Smythe's recovery.

The following message from Dr. Kloeber was received by the East Oregonian yesterday and was published in the last edition of yesterday's issue:

"There was no wreck. Dan P. Smythe was injured as follows: After the N. P. special stock train had passed through Stampede tunnel at 3 a. m. today Smythe and his helper went forward to see regarding his six carloads of sheep and the train began to move when the two men turned to go back to the caboose. Smythe caught his foot on a rail and fell under the train. His left arm was run over lengthwise by several wheels of the train. His head is badly injured and there are three enormous cuts and a penetrating wound over the right eye, with a fracture of the frontal bone; also a cut over the right cheek with a fracture of the superior maxillary plate. He was brought to Hot Springs on the stock train which arrived three hours after the accident and was placed under the care of Dr. J. S. Kloeber, who amputated the left arm at shoulder joint and attended to other injuries at 3 p. m."

GENERAL NEWS NOTES

As a result of a shooting affair at the Siletz Indian reservation nine miles north of Toledo, three Indians are dead—two murdered and one a suicide.

The officials of the Portland Fair and Livestock association have appointed a committee to obtain a cash fund for premiums for the livestock exhibition which is to be the feature at the coming fair, September 5-11.

In a communication received from Wells-Fargo attorneys by the state railroad commission, the commission is asked to withhold service of its recent order cutting rates until September 1. The law allows 20 days for consideration of such an order.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Calvary Presbyterian Church
There will be no preaching services at Calvary Presbyterian church during August, although the Sunday school will be held every Sunday morning at

10 o'clock as usual.

United Evangelical Church
There will be preaching services on the Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.—Rev. F. E. Brickley, Pastor.

Methodist Church
Regular services will be held at the Methodist church on next Sunday: Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., Sunday school at 10 a. m.

New Books at Library

The following new books were received last month at the free library: Dan Merrithen, by Perry Laurence; The Wild Olive, by Chambers; Marcia Schuyler, by G. L. H. Lutz; That Printer of Udella, by H. B. Wright; The Fortune Hunter, by L. J. Vance; The Other Side of the Door, by Lucia Chamberlain; The Illustrious Prince, by E. P. Oppenheim; The Mystery, by White and Adams; The Man Higher Up, by H. R. Miller; The Rosary, by Florence Barclay; St. Elmo, by Evans; The Inner Shrine, by Chambers; A Spinner in the Sun, by Reed; Little Peppers Grown Up, by Sidney.

ADDED INTEREST IN STATE FAIR

Dairymen and farmers will find an additional interest at the forty-ninth annual Oregon State Fair that will be held in Salem September 12 to 17. Through the efforts of Paul V. Maris, superintendent of the dairy exhibit, and the co-operation of the board of directors, a model dairy barn has been constructed which includes all the features of conservation of space, drainage, ventilation and light that have proven of worth in the housing of milch cows by successful dairymen who have made these features a study.

At this time when the dairying industry has been awakened to the great possibilities in Oregon, and the primitive manner in which the business is conducted, has been brought to light through the visit to this state of the great Danish dairy expert, Dr. Bernard Boegsgaard of Copenhagen, Denmark, the announcement that a model dairy barn will be one of the attractions at Oregon's 1910 show is most gratifying to every one, both dairymen and the whole community who depend on the cow for a part nourishment to life, for every modern method known will be embodied in the new barn, and a competent expert will handle the exhibit to thoroughly explain the up-to-date methods used in the building of a barn and the care of the animals.

Yes, Polk County Leads

A subscriber writes to the Pacific Homestead doubting that Walter J. Domes has the greatest dairy herd on the Pacific coast. It is certain that Polk county can lay claim to that distinction, and it is admitted by outside breeders.

"Salem, Oregon.—Editor Pacific Homestead: In looking over a recent copy of the Homestead I notice the advertisement of W. J. Domes, McCoy, Oregon. It seems to me that he is putting it pretty strong when he claims the greatest dairy cow herd on the Pacific coast. Perhaps by a system of overfeeding he makes some good records, but I think he should be careful in making such claims as he does through the paper.—A Subscriber."

Marks Another Seven Years

Time has marked another notch in the sturdy old oak this year. The trees are loaded with acorns and farmers will have fat hogs at very little cost. Mass year is very important to the farmers of the Willamette valley where oaks are plentiful.

Come Early, Please

If you can consistently give the work of printing your hop checks to the Independence Enterprise please do it. It will be appreciated. It costs no more here than anywhere else. The earlier the better for our convenience.

A City Full of Friends

Everyone in the city is pleased to have Gus Sperling serving in the capacity of meat cutter in the city market. It looks like old times to see him working on the block.

CHURCH HOLDS CAMP MEETING

BIBLE CONFERENCE, CONVENTION AND CAMP MEETING.

SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMEN'S HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF EVANGELICAL CHURCH CLOSES.

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the United Evangelical church held its seventh annual meeting on the Quinaby park camp ground July 20 and 21. The members and friends were greeted by words of welcome by Mrs. Oliver Beers of Salem, to which response was made by Mrs. C. L. Heckert of Corvallis. The annual address of the president, Mrs. Myra Miller-Stauffer, was full of interest and inspiration and was appreciated by all. The reports of the officers showed decided progress along every line and plans were made to insure greater success during the coming year. The convention closed Thursday evening with a stirring missionary address, "Work on the Congo," by Mrs. Emily Banks of Dayton, Oregon, a returned missionary to Africa.

The Bible conference opened the following morning with Rev. Mr. Ballyntyne, the chancellor, in the chair. Rev. Dr. C. C. Poling, P. E., gave a very instructive lecture on the "Pre-Millennial Coming of Christ," distinguishing between the rapture and the revelation, also His coming in relation to Israel.

Rev. Dr. Kautner of Portland lectured from the subjects, "The Christ Whom We Serve" and "The Need of a New Religion". In the latter he emphasized the fact that the "need" was a revelation of Christ in the hearts of men.

The Sunday school convention was full of interest. The principal speaker of the day was Rev. Chas. Phipps, state secretary of the International Sunday School Association. In the morning he gave a profitable "Round Table Talk" on "How to Organize and Conduct a Teachers' Training Class" and in the afternoon he gave an eloquent report of the World's Sunday School Convention held at Washington, D. C.

The K. L. C. E. convention was well represented by delegates from all over the state. The following addresses were given and proved a blessing and help to all present:

"The Future of the K. L. C. E. as Judged by its Past," Rev. H. A. Deck; "The Needs of our Leagues and How to Meet Them," Mrs. F. E. Brickley; "My Personal Duty to my League," Mrs. Mattie DeVore; "The Model League—How Secured and Maintained," Prof. D. M. Metzger; "The League a Soul Winner," Rev. A. A. Winter. In the afternoon Rev. C. P. Gates preached the annual K. L. C. E. sermon using the subject, "The Pre-Eminence of Christ".

The evangelistic services were well attended during the week and great crowds filled the tabernacle over the two Sundays. A number of souls were saved and believers were deepened spiritually. A large number was added to the church.

Prof. Buell and wife were house-hunting in town this week.

Dr. McCallon and daughters of Dallas were visitors here Saturday evening.

J. B. V. Butler has been elected to the principalship of the Monmouth high school.

Dr. O. D. Butler, and J. B. V. Butler of Monmouth, left on Monday for a ten days' outing in the Alsea country.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Livingood, formerly of this place but now of Forest Grove, are parents of a little daughter, born August 2.