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To Our Patrons

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Loyally yours,

THE PUBLISHER.

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Citizens Will

Honor Memory of Scott

Two weeks from today will occur in Marsh hall the memorial exercises in memory of the late Harvey W. Scott, Oregon pioneer, first graduate of Pacific University, for over forty years editor of the Oregonian, and freely admitted, by those who lived and labored with him, to have been largely instrumental in changing the wilderness of the great Northwest into the mighty empire of wealth and civilization it is today.

A number of business men of Forest Grove have announced to the PRESS that they will close their establishments and attend the exercises. We are glad to hear this, and believe that the majority of them will do so, if not, indeed, all. It sometimes happens that strangers will settle in a town or community, and in their eagerness to get into the front rank of affairs, and show people that they know it all, will make sad blunders, knocking the soil and climate, and belittling the town or community's most worthy institutions. Knowing naught of its traditions and aims, and the work of its most worthy men and women, they are apt to speak of them with but scant respect. Yet the fulmination of such as these will meet with amused tolerance, at best, and in most cases with open contempt. Therefore the men and women who lived and labored with Harvey Scott when the Oregon country was in the making, and those who are heirs of the great transformation wrought by those sturdy, fearless pioneers, will be influenced not at all by the windy mouthings of year-old strangers and know-it-alls.

There are countless numbers of men in the Northwest, who, tho the political enemies of Mr. Scott, are yet eager and anxious to give testimony to the greatness of the man and the value of the work he accomplished. Prominent men

from all sections of the state will be present at the exercises in his memory in this city September twenty-ninth. Harvey W. Scott made his home in this section for a number of years, and while attending Pacific University was virtually a citizen of Forest Grove. By his residence here he has added much to the fair fame of the town, therefore it would be strange should the people of the town not be proud to attend the exercises held in memory of our most illustrious citizen.

Improvement Noted: Let the Work Continue

A walk over the city will show that the property owners are gradually awakening to their duty in regard to repairing their sidewalks. Many of them are replacing old and rotten walks, that are beyond repair, with new ones, and others are putting in a new board here and there, where needed, and nailing down boards that are loosened from the stringers. We commend all such improvements, and trust the good work will continue.

When it comes to pass that strangers visiting a town will take the next train out, after experiencing a hard tumble and barking their shins because of bad walks, it surely is time that the residents of the town "took a tumble" to the matter themselves and made it their particular business to get busy with hammer and nails.

When it comes to keeping sidewalks in repair and other civic duties, we think neglect thereof is owing more to carelessness than any other reason. As a general rule you will find the citizens willing to do their part towards keeping up the town, but someone must take the initiative in any movement for the betterment of the municipality. The rank and file will do their duty if you give them time. Mr. Meanto meant to.

Advertising; Its Substantial Good

The day of advertising—which is unmistakably with us—brings with it some substantial good to the social order, says the Medford Mail. Its first important benefit is that of serving the buying public by furnishing them reliable information about goods and prices, and bringing that information to them in the most direct, the quickest and the most convenient way—by the way of the newspapers. The—perhaps—still more important phase of advertising's service to the people is the way it revolutionizes store methods and ideals. The merchant realizes that everything in his store must be worth advertising—ready for the "advertising test." For advertising makes a doubtful bargain stand out as surely as an undeniable one—thus bringing its penalties as well as its rewards. It may be safely said that the necessity of publicity has operated to put selling on a surer and more certain basis of conscientious desire to win public favor by really deserving it—by making "good value" the slogan in every store, and exceptional values—which have especial advertising value—the daily aspiration of the merchant. And the people get the benefits.

A Daniel Come to Judgement

A Sir Oracle who blew into town about a year ago from the land where the cinch-bug sings; of cyclones, whiskers, and other

freak things, and who has been busily engaged since in the profitable? occupation of showing the people how much he really doesn't know, delivered himself, after much straining, of the pearl of wisdom that "If that meteor had uv struck in the ocean, it ud h ave caused a tidal wave". There is nothing like having a few Daniels in our midst.

Give Them Proper Encouragement

The organization of a band last Wednesday night by the musicians of Forest Grove, follows out the suggestion frequently made editorially in the PRESS, and we have been commended by several citizens for keeping the idea before the people.

This city has without question as good material for a band as any town in the state, and the only reason that we have not had a permanent band organization, is because the musicians have not received the moral and financial support of the people of the town. Now that the boys have organized and evinced an intention of doing their part, it is up to the business men and townspeople generally to give them proper and continued encouragement, the business men by subscribing to a fund which it is probable will have to be raised for the purpose of properly equipping the organization, and the townspeople by subscribing to meet the necessary running expenses of the band.

Many a land lubber is waiting for his ship to come in.

The writer of epitaphs is the one writer who never criticises.

Staten Island has seen the first sea serpent, and now the lid ought to be put on L. I.

The fountain of youth is within your body, and its your own fault if you let it run dry.

The man who can climb high on the ladder and still keep the friendships he made on the lower rung, is lucky and wise indeed.

Certain individuals who are guilty seem to think they can escape detection if they holler loudly enough about the other fellow.

The successful politician is full of strategy, placid on the surface, unmoved; crafty of action, hardened of heart and steeped in secrets.

Since in has been proven that people do not live as long as they used to, some wise ones have figured out a way of fooling Father Time by putting another hour in the day.

We admire the gentleman who has sufficient courage to stop one on a public highway and compel the giving up of all available wealth, but we despise the one who tries to secure it by dark and devious ways. Long life to the knocker—below.

We are told that we can repent at any time and have our sins forgiven. Recently two sinners were walking along the streets of an eastern city, when a safe being hoisted into the air, fell to the sidewalk and killed one of them outright. The other had his conscience quickened by being so forcibly reminded of the uncertainty of life and immediately repented of his sins, and will,

pre-umably, go to heaven. Now, did the fellow nit by the safe get a fair shake?

Getting back from a picnic is the real test of the kind of time you had.

Dr. Wiley says there's nothing especially dangerous in kissing—except the prospect of marriage, we presume.

Two weeks from Saturday will tell the story as to "who is who" from the view-point of the Washington county voter.

Quite frequently the young man is accepted, not because he is good enough but because he is too good for some other girl.

No, old man, you won't have to buy your wife's bonnets in Heaven. We are sure of this—otherwise, it wouldn't be heaven.

An Englishman has paid \$700 for a 600-year-old alphabet. He could have got a new one for nothing, but these Britons are so conservative!

The man who was born in a cellar is just as much entitled to sleep in the guest chamber as the one who was born with a steaming silver spoon in his mouth.

Don't blame a teacher for not seeming to take an unusual interest in your children if you yourself do not take enough interest to visit school once in a while.

It is reported that the inventor of "pink circus lemonade" is dead. Its a cinch he couldn't have drunk much of the concoction, and lived all these yeas.

Three Americans have been arrested by Paris police for selling Nevada mining stock in the French metropolis. How little the perspicacious Frenchmen appreciate the philanthropic American frenzied financiers who want to sell them \$1 stock at about 10c on the dollar.

For Representative

I announce myself a candidate for Representative before the Primary Nominating Election to be held Saturday September 24, subject to decision of Republican voters of Washington County.

If I am nominated and elected, will endeavor to merit the confidence reposed in me.

I favor Statement Number ONE. The Direct Primary Nominating Law and opposed to Assembly method. I favor the law subjecting officials to recall by the legal voters of the state.

J. N. Hoffman.

South Forest Grove Precinct.

Oregon Electric Time Card

LEAVES Forest Grove	ARRIVES at Portland
6:50 a m	8:00 a m
8:40 a m	9:50 a m
10:30 a m	11:40 a m
12:20 p m	1:30 p m
1:40 p m	2:50 p m
4:10 p m	5:20 p m
7:00 p m	8:10 p m
9:45 p m	10:50 p m

LEAVES Portland	ARRIVES Forest Grove
7:05 a m	8:15 a m
8:30 a m	9:40 a m
10:20 a m	11:30 a m
12:10 p m	1:20 p m
2:10 p m	3:20 p m
3:30 p m	4:40 p m
5:30 p m	6:40 p m
8:25 p m	9:35 p m

Saturday Only
Lvs Portland 11:30 p m—Ar. F.G. 12:35 a m
Sunday only
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