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ANONYMOUS LETTERS.

(From Minneapolis News)

Rep. Leavitt Corning is the author
of a bill now pending before the legis-
lature relating to the publication of
communications in newspapers and
other periodicals.

Mr. Corning's bill is brief and sim-
ple. It provides that the editor of a
newspaper shall not publish communi-
cations which tend to influence the
voter in any general or primary elec-
tion, or which tend to reflect upon the
personal or political character or rec-
ord of a candidate in such elections,
unless the name and address of the
writer of such communications are
published with the communication.

The second provision of the bill is
that such communication having been
published, with the signature and ad-
dress, the newspaper shall be obli-
gated upon the request of the candi-
date whose political fortunes may have
been adversely affected, to publish a
similarly signed communication of
not more than the same number of
words in reply to the original.

This is all there is in the law except
that reasonable time limits are set
and it is also provided that communi-
cations, even though signed, may not
be used as eleventh hour attacks.

Mr. Corning's bill seems to be sim-
ple, straightforward and entirely prop-
er.

It would merely make into a legal
right a simple principle of common
decency which the Daily News has
always recognized as a moral right.

It has been one of the cardinal
principles of The Daily News that its
columns have been open at all times
to any communication which is not
libelous and which remains inside the
bounds of ordinary decency.

The Daily News, and newspapers
like it, will be in the same position
actually as well as legally and moral-
ly after this law is past as they al-
ways have been. The only publisher
who will lose any advantage will be a
publisher who deals in anonymous at-
tacks and whose methods of warfare
is a knife in the back.

The only other persons who can
possibly lose would be our old friends
Pro Bono Publico, Old Subscriber,
Indignant Taxpayer and Anon. If
these vague wraiths can be, by law,
clothed in the material substance of a
personality and endowed with an ad-
dress, Mr. Corning will have rendered
journalism a lasting service.

All in the world that the Corning
bill proposes is that newspapers shall
use the power of their publicity de-
cently, honestly and fairly.

Fortunately for the average reader,
these epistolary bouts are to be lim-
ited to two rounds.

The enactment of the law will mere-
ly legalize common decency and sure-
ly there is no objection to that.

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Advertisement for Sewer Construc-

Sealed bids will be received by the
council of the City of Albany, Ore-
gon, until 7:00 o'clock p. m. February
24, 1915, for the construction of an
eight inch lateral sewer beginning at
the manhole in the Oak Street Trunk
sewer between Front and Water
streets and running westerly across
Oak Street, through the center of
Block 9, across Sherman Street,
through the center of Block 2, to
within 40 feet of the east line of
Main Street, all in Hackleman's Third
Addition to the City of Albany, Ore-
gon.

Said sewer construction to be made
in accordance with the charter and
ordinances of the City of Albany and
the plans, specifications and estimates
of the City Engineer on file in the

office of the Recorder, where plans
may be seen and specifications and
estimates obtained.

Bids will be opened at 7:30 o'clock
p. m. February 24, 1915.

No proposal or bid will be consid-
ered unless accompanied by a cer-
tified check payable to the city of Al-
bany in an amount equal to five per
cent of the aggregate bid to be for-
feited as fixed and liquidated dam-
ages in case the bidder neglects or
refuses to enter into a contract and
provide an approved bond in the sum
of \$250.00 for the faithful perform-
ance of the work within ten days af-
ter notification of awarding of con-
tract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view
of completing the construction of
said sewer prior to the 1st day of
April, 1915, under a liquidated pen-
alty of \$2.50 for each day of delay be-
yond that period.

All bids should be addressed to
"Recorder of the City of Albany"
marked "Proposal for the construc-
tion of lateral sewer commencing at
manhole in the Oak Street Trunk
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street."

By order of the council.
F. E. VAN TASSEL,
Recorder of the City of Albany.
(11-24)

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of an eight inch lateral sewer begin-
ning at the manhole in the Oak
Street sewer where said sewer cross-
es Santiam Road in Albany, Oregon,
and running thence southeasterly on
the same angle as said Santiam Road
a distance of 815 feet.

Said sewer construction to be made
in accordance with the charter and
ordinances of the City of Albany and
the amended plans, specifications and
estimates of the City Engineer on file
in the office of the Recorder, where
the plans may be seen and specifica-
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refuses to enter into a contract and
provide an approved bond in the sum
of \$300.00 for the faithful perform-
ance of the work within ten days af-
ter notification of awarding of con-
tract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view
of completing the construction of
said sewer prior to the 15th day of
April, 1915, under a liquidated pen-
alty of \$2.50 for each day of delay be-
yond that period.

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47TH ANNIVERSARY IS
CELEBRATED IN PORTLANDMr. and Mrs. Gus Barker Form-
er Albany People, Have
Wedding Feast.

On February the 16th, Mr. and
Mrs. A. D. Barker, celebrated their
47th wedding anniversary at their
beautiful home 250 East 53rd street,
Portland, Oregon, with Mr. and Mrs.
J. L. Gilchrist as host and hostess.
The home was artistically and beau-
tifully decorated, with potted plants,
and red hearts festooned about the
rooms, with cupids and arrows, re-
minding one of St. Valentine's day,
which was the 71st birthday anniver-
sary of Mr. Barker, as well as his
wedding anniversary which so closely
followed.

There were 45 guests, mostly mem-
bers of the Degree of Honor Lodges,
of Portland, and Mrs. Carrie M. Hol-
man, a pioneer resident of Salem, also
a prominent member of the order,
was an honor guest. Mr. and Mrs.
Barker were charter members of
Greenleaf Lodge No. 23, of Albany,
and have ever remained loyal and en-
thusiastic members; and their daugh-
ter, Mrs. Gilchrist, having served the
state as grand chief of honor, made
the family all the more closely asso-
ciated with the order, so it was their
desire that their lodge friends be bid-
den to their home to assist them in
passing such a memorable day.

A dinner was served at noon and
the 45 guests who had the pleasure
and privilege of partaking of the in-
viting meal, certainly enjoyed the
good "eat" prepared by their daugh-
ter "Maggie" and her estimable hus-
band. They were assisted in serving
by Mrs. Helen Barker and Mrs. Sar-
ah E. Moore, a friend of the family.
The tables were decorated with tiny
hearts, arrows and a center piece of
red tulips. After dinner all joined in

singing old time songs, so old that
the words once so familiar, were for-
gotten, but for the promptings from
"Ma" Barker who has not forgotten
"Nellie Gray, they Have Taken You
Away," and the old songs which touch
a chord in everybody's heart, "Dar-
ling, I am Growing Old, Silver
Threads Among the Gold." As these
words died away tears were seen in
many eyes. Many tokens of potted
plants were carried there by friends,
who were requested "not to bring
presents, but just to come, and have
a good time."

Mr. and Mrs. Barker were married
on February 16th, 1868, in Van Buren,
Iowa, and crossed the continent to
Oregon locating in Albany, Oregon,
in November, 1869. Mr. Barker served
as baggage master for the Southern
Pacific company 41 years, a familiar
face and figure around the depot at
Albany, as the writer can remember
him as he looked years ago, and time
has not wrought many changes, ex-
cept that now he is an invalid, con-
fined to his home where he has been
since coming from Albany about Jan-
uary, 1912, but he still enjoys the so-

ciety of his many friends, and is for-
tunate in being well cared for by his
daughter and her husband who grati-
fies every wish possible. There are
three children living, two sons and
their daughter, and one daughter de-
ceased.

The 47th wedding anniversary of
Mr. and Mrs. Barker will long be re-
membered by those who were pre-
sent, many friends calling in the even-
ing who could not be present during
the day. We all wish for them "Many
happy returns of the day," and that
we can see them celebrate the anni-
versary of their golden wedding.

OLLIE F. STEPHENS

Notice to the Public.

To whom it may concern:
I hereby give notice that after this
date, Feb. 20, 1915, I will pay no bills
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Signed: FRANK W. JONES.

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