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COUNTRY LIFE.

The following by Dennis H. Stovall, the well known writer of short stories and Suzanne, in the Corvallis Gazette-Times, is so good we give it to the readers of the Democrat:

Allow me to say a few good things about country life in Benton county.

Twenty-five years of my life have been spent in the country, and all of these in Benton county. I have lived in town; I have lived in other places; I have traveled some, and let me say truthfully, sincerely, I would not give up country life in Benton county for life anywhere else. Out here we are free. Out here, close to the tall firs, and in the shade of the evergreen hills, we are in God's paradise. It is good to be close—ever close—to things that are real. And this means men and women, neighbor and folks, as well as flowers and trees. Out here we can live our lives in our own way, not selfishly, but unrestricted by social circles, cliques and clans. We lived in town awhile, and we know how hard it is to go your own way when you feel that your own way is best. There is such a thing as being sympathetic and considerate and still be free.

Out here we have just about all the conveniences of town—and a lot more. Let it be said these conveniences cost much less in the country than the same things cost in town. If those who are calling "back to the land" would really live on the land, the human drift would be turned from the city to the country. Even though I had to work in town—had business that called me every day to town—I should still live in the country. Every day in the year, even with the roads as they are, our little Studebaker can make the trip from our place to Corvallis, nine miles, in three-quarters of an hour. And five o'clock a. m. in the country is no earlier than seven in town.

We have the same Rock Creek water, piped all over the house and grounds, out here that you folks have in town—and it costs no more.

We have a daily mail delivery. We have a telephone that costs less than four dollars for a whole year, with exactly the same privileges that people in town enjoy.

We have a gas lighting plant that floods the house with bright-as-day light—and there's no meter attached. Thirty cents will operate it for a month so far as cost of fuel is concerned, and that's all the cost there is to it, practically.

We have oodles and oodles of milk and cream and home-made butter—the best what is—and all our own. Ditto with chicken dinner and the "ham-and" breakfast.

We have a garden that supplies, and flowers and roses that in their season prove a never-ending delight.

We have plenty of work to keep us busy and to make us sweetly-tired when the evening shadows come. Work with hands as well as with brain, making home more truly a haven of rest and a shelter of peace.

These things—simple things—are mentioned with no idea of boasting, but to tell that life in the country—in the Benton county country—despite all that may be said to the contrary, is pretty nearly ideal. Hundreds and hundreds more should be and could be enjoying this; and would find in it the freedom they have long desired.

DENNIS H. STOVALL.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at Prof. Wilson's, 323 Ferry street. m17-20

WANTED—To rent a plow horse for 2 or 3 weeks. Address E. W. Maxwell, R. D. 3, box 19. m17-20

FOR SALE—One three-section steel harrow, \$20 if taken this month. Snyder's shop, 404 E. 2nd. m17-23

Expert watch and clock repairing at Kreamers Jewelry store. o25tf—adv

MISFITS

Rome had her Caesar; but Rome in her palmiest day never had a hen that laid 1000 eggs in her life time. The O. A. C., Corvallis, on the Willamette, U. S. A., has such a hen, Oregon.

Walter Dimm is a bright young man, of Eugene, who is president of the Y. M. C. A. of the U. O.

Thrilling Story.

"Glad to meet you."
Chapter 2.
"Isn't the moon beautiful?"
Chapter 3.
"Oozum love wuzum?"
Chapter 4.
"Do you?"
"I do."
Chapter 5.
"Da-da-da-da."
Chapter 6.
"Where the samhill's dinner?"
—Chaparral.

An X says: "What is a Democrat?" This is most easily answered Yankee fashion, by the question, "What is a Republican?"

The Democrat in the past has published quite a number of leap year lists for the benefit of the young ladies. There have always been good results; but some got away and are still possibilities. We give a few old bachelors we have been trying to get married for many years: Ulysses Hale, Grandpa Crawford, Doc Blysen, Frank Will, Capt. Stellmacher, District Attorney G. S. Hill, Ed and Frank Barrett, Clyde Dannals, Fred Weatherford and Harry Schlosser.

and are arranging another one more susceptible.

The best political advertisers in the state are at Roseburg. The Sentinel is running twenty-seven right along for the entire campaign. Linn county is about the worst.

Some men go out hunting trouble and others get married on \$12 a week, says X. Well what's the difference.

Jerry Sullivan must have been born to be a Jeff.

An In-tense Item.

Corvallis G. T.: The Albany Democrat says "Here's to the babies our future rulers." The Albany Democrat is evidently an old bachelor or he wouldn't get his tenses mixed up that way.

The founder of a new thought movement guaranteeing riches and life eternal on this earth, is reported penniless.

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Advertisement for Street Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, until 7:30 o'clock p. m. March 22, 1916, for the improvement of Washington Street from the South line of Ninth Street to the North curb line of Thirteenth Street, in the City of Albany.

Said improvement to be made in the following manner to-wit:

First. By grading said street to the proper subgrade.

Second. By paving the roadway of said street full width with full intersections with asphaltic concrete pavement on an asphaltic concrete foundation.

Third. By laying and constructing asphaltic concrete headers.

Fourth. By constructing catch basins.

Fifth. By constructing inlets.

Sixth. By laying vitrified sewer pipe.

Seventh. By tapping of main and lateral sewers.

Said improvement to be made in accordance with the Charter and ordinances of the said City of Albany.

The plans, specifications and estimates of the City Engineer on file in the office of the City Recorder, where said plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained.

Bids will be opened at 8:00 o'clock p. m. March 22, 1916.

No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Albany in an amount equal to five per cent of the aggregate bid, to be forfeited as fixed and liquidated damages in case the bidder neglects or refuses to enter into a contract and provide an approved bond in a sum equal to 50 per cent of the amount to be paid under such contract, for the faithful performance of the work within ten days after notification of award of contract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view of completing the construction of said improvement prior to the first day of August, 1916, under a liquidated penalty for damages of \$25.00 for each day of delay beyond that period.

The council reserves the right to reject all bids deemed unreasonable.

All bids should be addressed to "City Recorder, Albany, Oregon," and marked "Proposal for improvement of Washington Street."

By order of the Council.
L. G. LEWELLING,
Recorder of the City of Albany.
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m 15-21

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