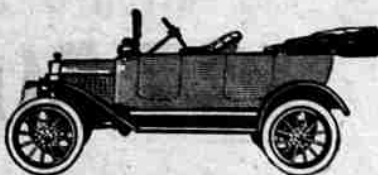


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Advertisement for Sewer Construction.

Sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of Albany, Oregon until 7:30 o'clock p. m., August 9th, 1916, for the construction of an eight-inch lateral sewer beginning at the manhole in the Oak St. trunk sewer between 1st and 2nd streets and running thence eastward through Block 16 in Hackleman's Third Addition to the City of Albany, Oregon, a distance of 282 feet.

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 of the said city, where the plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained. Bids will be opened at 7:30 o'clock p. m., August 9th, 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 the sum of \$150 for the faithful performance of said contract; said work to be begun within ten days after notification of awarding of contract to such bidder.

All bids must be made with a view of completing the construction of said sewer prior to the 1st day of September 1916, under a liquidated penalty of \$2.50 per day for each day of delay beyond that time.

All bids should be addressed to "Recorder of the City of Albany" marked "Proposal for the construction of lateral sewer commencing at the manhole in the Oak Street Trunk Sewer between First and Second streets and running thence eastward through Block 16 in Hackleman's Third Addition to the City of Albany, Oregon, a distance of 282 feet."

By order of the Council.
L. G. LEWELLING,
Recorder of the City of Albany.
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Rubber Boots—
Party who stole pair of high top rubber boots from my new residence on Montgomery street, is known and will save trouble by returning same at once to Dr. W. R. Bilyeu. j27-29

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TAUGHT THEM A LESSON.

The Czar's Rebuke to the Officers of One of His Regiments.

The czar is greatly loved by his own soldiers, and no wonder, for the following story is typical of him:

A certain Russian lieutenant who was none too well off was one day seen riding in a train. The other officers of his regiment were furious at what they called an insult to the uniform, and they told the lieutenant that he must send in his papers. The unfortunate young officer had no alternative, but before he could do so the czar heard of the affair. Immediately putting on his colonel's uniform of the regiment in question, his majesty left the palace, hailed a passing train and, entering it, sat calmly down until it stopped in front of the barracks.

There he got out and, assembling all the officers, said to them: "Gentlemen, I have just ridden from the palace in a train, and I desire to know if you wish me to send in my papers. I presume I have disgraced my uniform."

Naturally the officers were dumfounded.

"Sire," stammered the major nervously, "you could never do that."

"Then," answered the czar, smiling, "as I have not degraded the uniform Lieutenant—cannot have done so and will thus retain his commission in this regiment even if he, like me, dares to ride in a train."

After that snubbery died a speedy death in that particular regiment—Pearson's.

TRY IT ON THE DISK.

A Test That Proves the Human Skull a Good Sounding Box.

An interesting experiment that proves what a good sounding box the human skull is can be performed by any one who has a disk phonograph, says Electrical Engineering.

Stop up both of your ears with cotton as tightly as possible, so that no sound will be heard from the outside. Now place an ordinary darning needle between your teeth by biting on it hard, taking care that the tongue or lips do not touch the needle. The latter is important, because if either lip or tongue touches the needle the sound will be decreased considerably.

For the best results the needle itself should project not more than one or one and a half inches from the mouth. For that reason the darning needle should be broken off about one and one-half inches from its sharp point. It goes without saying that the sharp point should project out of the mouth, while the broken off end should be inside the mouth.

Now start an ordinary disk phonograph and carefully press down upon the record with the needle's point held at the same angle as the reproducer's needle is held ordinarily. As soon as the needle touches the record with sufficient pressure the inside of the head will be filled immediately with music exceedingly loud and clear.

Daily Democrat by Carrier. 34 Year.

Brignoli in a Temper.

On one occasion Brignoli, the noted teacher, went on the stage to see Brignoli, the famous singer, whom he found pining up and down like a madman, humming over his part.

"Why, Brig, what is the matter with you? Are you nervous?" he asked.

"Yes, I am nervous," was the reply as he walked harder and faster than ever.

"But, Brig, you ought not to be nervous. I've heard you sing the part 200 times. I heard you sing it thirty years ago."

"Thirty years ago! Who are you that should know so much?"

"Who am I? You know who I am, and I know who you are."

"Very well; you know what I am, but I am sure you do not know what you are, and if you wish I will tell you. You are a fool!"

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CONSUL FISHER TO CONFER WITH PORTLAND MEN

Before Returning to China Will See What Their Needs Are.

Oregonian: Fred D. Fisher, American consul at Tientsin, China, is now in Oregon on a private mission and will be in Portland September 2 to confer with business interests immediately preceding his return to the Orient. Mr. Fisher is now at Albany with his family.

Mr. Fisher is the highest in the rank of consular service of any citizen from the state of Oregon. He entered the service many years ago at Nagasaki, since when he has been stationed at many Oriental ports, and is now stationed at Tientsin, the seaport of North China, and has the full rank of consul.

The chamber of commerce will tender him a luncheon, at which time it is the desire to have a number of the leading business men of the city meet Mr. Fisher, and discuss commercial and transportation problems. During the entire afternoon Mr. Fisher will be in the offices of the trade and commerce bureau of the chamber. He will have a room where he can meet business men privately, so that they may have opportunity to take up any of their problems in a confidential and personal way.

The chamber is sending out invitations to business men and expects quite a number to respond. They will meet him according to the order of the receipt of applications.

Not Good For the Gender. The following sign is displayed in a certain bathhouse:

"This Place Is Closed at 1 p. m. Sunday So We Can Go Home and Take Our Baths."

Which is very similar to the note a traveling man found on the door of a luncheon in a small town:

"Gone Home to Dinner."—Indianapolis News.

The Largest Painting. "Paradise" by Titoretto, is the largest painting in the world. It is eighty-four feet wide and thirty-three and a half feet high. It is now in the Doge's palace, Venice.

Sure to Grow. "What you said about Jack isn't worth repeating." "It's young yet, give it time."—Exchange

The future is purchased by the present.—Johnson.

"I RAKED HAY"

I am a boy of 11. I raked hay all through last season. When it was over I had \$5.00. I heard about other people putting their money in the bank, so I thought I would put my money in the Bank. I am keeping my money in the bank, because I know where it is.

We want the boy who makes hay while the sun shines! Sun won't always shine. Rainy days come. Bring or send \$1 here to start your Rainy Day Fund. We want the boy who makes hay while the sun shines!

ALBANY STATE BANK
4 per cent Paid on Savings Accounts

Feminine Confidence.

"I shall never scold my husband again for spending so much time at the club."

"Tell me about it."

"Well, last night a burglar got into the house, and my husband knocked him senseless with a poker. I've heard several men speak of him as a poker expert. He has evidently been practicing at the club for just such an emergency."—Judge.

Near Enough.

"When I was a young girl," mused Mrs. Lapelling, "a poet once sent me some verses. I read the first letters of the lines downward and found they spelled the words 'I adore you.' You know, they call that sort of poem an agnostic."—Chicago Tribune.

Enjoy It Now.

As to whether the nebular theory applies to this earth or not doesn't matter much now. The main thing is to enjoy it while we're living on it.—Florida Times-Union

Nature has placed nothing so high that virtue cannot reach it.—Quintus Curtius Rufus.

Have you any land? If so, you can make a fortune by investing in the amounts ranging from \$500 to \$10,000 on good cultivated farms in Linn or Benton counties for long time. No delays in obtaining the loan. See

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