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BACK TO THE SOIL.

Lure of Nature to the Country Bred
Toiling in the Cities.
Life in the city is coming more and more to seem an unnatural exile.

More and more such men are planning to escape, vowing to themselves that they will rest satisfied with the modest competence rather than the big fortune.

For a man who has been exiled in the city for a number of years, having during that time had no more intimate acquaintance with nature than is to be matched in his annual holiday at some fashionable beach or some luxurious hotel in the mountains.

MARKET REPORT

The prices given in the local quotations are those asked by the wholesaler from the retailer for fruit and vegetables. All other prices are those paid the producer. List corrected daily.

Table with columns for LOCAL GRAINS, BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY, and PORK, VEAL AND MUTTON. Lists various items and their prices.

PORTLAND MARKET

Table listing market prices for various goods in Portland, May 21, 1917, including Club, Red Russian, Bluestem, etc.

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., May 23, 1917, for the improvement of Baker street from the south line of third street to the north line of Ninth street, in said City of Albany.

Said improvement to be made in the following manner, to-wit:
First: By grading said street to the proper subgrade.

Said improvement 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 City Recorder of said City where said plans may be seen and specifications and estimates obtained.

Bids will be opened at 8 o'clock, p. m., May 23, 1917.

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 on 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 fifty per cent of the amount to be paid under such contract, for the faithful performance of the work and 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 fifteenth day of July, 1917, under a liquidated penalty for damages of \$25.00 per day for each and every day of delay beyond that date.

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 Baker Street."

By order of the Council. L. G. LEWELLING, Recorder of the City of Albany, Oregon.

First publication hereof, May 10, 1917. Last publication hereof, May 22, 1917.

K. P. to Initiate—
This evening, the Knights of Pythias will confer the third rank on two candidates. A big attendance is urged.

Shaving 15c Ball phone 196-J
Hotel Albany Barber Shop
Three of the best barbers in the State.
We want you and your children—the shop of class—Yours for good service.

Advertisement for 'THE MAN WHO BROUGHT 6% INTO THE WILLAMETTE VALLEY' featuring a portrait of a man and text about investment opportunities.

More than One Million Dollars was necessary to do this. We have already brought that much into the valley and have more money to lend on Farms at the lowest rates of interest, and with privilege of paying \$50 or more on principal at any time.

J. M. & H. M. HAWKINS
ALBANY, OREGON

Advertisement for 'New and Used Furniture' by Rogoway's Furniture Store, highlighting high class artwood furniture.

Inhospitable Georgia went "bone dry" just as the 700 interned Germans arrived.—Boston Herald.

Advertisement for 'Eastburn Bros. THE GROCERS' listing orange prices and other grocery items.

Advertisement for 'Eastburn Bros.' featuring an illustration of a man and text about business services.

The eyes of the business man must be good. They are subjected to a constant strain and its only by exercising care that they may be preserved.

E. C. MEADE, Optometrist
P. B. PHIPPS
Graduate of the Welmer Institute

Advertisement for 'Oregon Hide & Junk Co.' listing retail and wholesale dealers in old rubber, metals, etc.

Advertisement for 'VIERECK'S BATHS' offering first-class workmen only.

Advertisement for 'Hazelwood Co.' listing cream, eggs and poultry.

Advertisement for 'Salesman's Position Open' at ALBANY NURSERIES.

Advertisement for 'For Taxicab' at Hotel Albany.

Advertisement for 'Real Estate Loans & Insurance' by Collins & Taylor.

Advertisement for 'ST NATIONAL BANK' and 'ST SAVINGS BANK' with the word 'ALBANY' in a large vertical font.

Advertisement for 'BUSINESS DIRECTORY CLASSIFIED' and 'WANT ADS'.

Advertisement for 'CHIROPRACTOR' Elmer C. Gipe, located at Rooms 5, 7, 9, 10, Cusick Bank Bldg.

Advertisement for 'F. M. FRENCH & SON' Jewelers and Engravers, featuring a 'WWW' logo.

Advertisement for 'REAL ESTATE & INSURANCE' by H. M. PAYNE.

Advertisement for 'WE LOAN money on Farms' with interest rates.

Advertisement for 'Fisher-Braden Undertakers' with a lady assistant.

Advertisement for 'Real Estate, Loans, Fire Insurance' by H. F. SOX.

Advertisement for 'PARKER'S' BAKED GOODS, GROCERIES, PRODUCE and FRUITS.

Advertisement for 'FOR SALE' of fresh cows on easy terms.

Advertisement for 'FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE' of a 10 million timber claim.

Advertisement for 'FAMILY ORDERS for Ice Cream' by THE ELITE.

Advertisement for 'FOR RENT' of furnished housekeeping rooms.

Advertisement for 'FOR RENT' of a 4-room modern home.

Advertisement for 'M. J. B. COFFEE' at Holloway's Farmers' Store.

Advertisement for 'FOR RENT' of light housekeeping rooms.

Advertisement for 'FOR RENT' of 240 acres or would trade for a smaller place.

Advertisement for 'ALBANY PLANING MILL' for all kinds of mill work.

Advertisement for 'WANTED'—Women wants washing to do at home.

Advertisement for 'AGENTS WANTED' for non-irrigated, low-priced trees.

Advertisement for 'STETTER'S FOR GROCERIES AND CROCKERY'.

Advertisement for 'WORK WANTED'—Will go out or take work home.

Advertisement for 'A QUALITY STORE' for watch repairing by F. G. Will.

Advertisement for 'W. A. McCLAIN' Contractor and Builder.

Advertisement for 'Golden Rule Dairy MILK and CREAM'.

Advertisement for 'MISFITS' by F. P. Nutting.

Meeting old friends is a bright spot in travelogy. At La Grande I had an enjoyable visit with Claud Mackey, chief engineer, prosperous and universally liked and respected.

An oddity in La Grande is a county court building labeled City Hall, a fatherless affair, about fifteen years old. It was built by the city in order to get the county seat away from Union and rented to the county for \$1 a year for 15 years.

Stopped at the famous Foley hotel, where green ink is used, and Pat has numerous other green tendencies.

A Salem company, among them a brother of Ab Minton, are guarding the railroad yards. At Enterprise ex-Judge Chas. Bilyeu, now a prosperous farmer, is a prominent resident, liked by everybody.

A decidedly pleasant experience was meeting Miss Olmstead, a former May queen of Albany College, leaving there in 1912, for Washington University, from which she graduated, on the train, going to Wallowa, to assist in a concert.

The Enterprise Record-Chieftain has the finest plant I have seen in any city anywhere near the size of Enterprise, including a new seven-magazine Mergenthaler.

Advertisement for 'Fortmiller Bros. Funeral Directors'.

Advertisement for 'The Body Builder' by Sear's Grocery and Bakery.

Advertisement for 'Murphy's Seed Store' featuring an illustration of a man and a woman with a seed bag.

Advertisement for 'War Bonds' by J. W. Cusick & Co., Bankers.

Advertisement for 'Need Any Garden Tools' by Barker Hardware Store.

Advertisement for 'Hotel Albany' by B. R. Westbrook Prop.

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