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VALLEY HOMES GROW IN NUMBER

MARKED BUILDING ACTIVITY NOTED

Scores of Costly Residences Have Been Completed This Summer in Addition to Other Buildings.

The Hood River Valley, where nature with extreme prodigality has with a lure, both economic and aesthetic, drawn men and women from all parts of the globe, is fast becoming a community noted for the handsomeness of its country and city homes. The valley, almost entirely devoted to the culture of the apple, on the excellence of which its fame and name have been built, is dotted with many small emblems peculiarly desirable, because of the grand views obtainable, as residence sites.

The orchardist has shown his fondness for the location demanding the broad panoramic picture of the fields of apples and the white-peaked mountains flanked by the green, forest-clad foothills, and on the more settled and developed portion of the region the knolls and buttes have been turned into lawns and grounds of country homes.

In no spot in the whole valley can one find a location where a view may not be had of one or the other of the snow peaks that arise majestically to enhance the scenic value of surrounding communities—Mount Adams, looking to the north in the State of Washington, and Mount Hood's base the south boundary of the fruit belt. The applegrowers build their homes for the most part in accordance with the view they have of one or the other of the mountains, and living rooms are so constructed that the occupants may behold the beautiful pictures made by sunshine or cloud effects on the mountain tops.

In the summer more building has been done in the Hood River Valley than ever before in any one season. Several country homes have been completed at a cost of \$10,000 each. The smaller bungalow and home to be located in the city and valley will number among the scores. While in addition to this, to keep pace with the growing demands, two large brick buildings, a stone church, a handsome new passenger station, and a livery barn, together with every modern convenience may be found nestled among a grove of firs and pines exempted from the axe, while their companion trees are felled in nearby slashed fields and their stumps are torn away by powder blasts from their fastenings in the soil to make way for the young apple tree.

It is interesting to note the individuality of the ideas of the different homebuilders expressed in the architecture of the houses. Homes of every type dot the valley. A home that might have been graded the Old South sets among a bearing orchard's trees, an emprise is crowned with a unique log home of rustic design and the plain stained shingle residence rises here there. However, for the most part, the homes are built on the bungalow plan, snug and home like.

Many of the handsome homes of the valley have been built by the pioneer homesteaders, who in many cases came to the region penniless, but who have made fortunes by developing their land and setting it to commercial orchards.

In instances these pioneers have built as many as three homes in the community, each characteristic of the period of its construction. First was the tiny hut of the homesteader, unadorned with any luxuries, typical of the early days, when the newcomers toiled to reclaim enough of the land from the forests to produce food for the sustenance of a family. Then came the larger house, plain but comfortable, to accommodate an increased and maturing family, while today these old citizens with the reward of their years of energetic labor are building large mansions equipped with every modern convenience.

From plans at present in the hands of the community's architects, the majority of the homes to be erected next summer will almost equal the number erected this year. The desirability of the region as a home location increases yearly as the facilities for travel become more and more improved. The greater number of the orchardists are owners of automobiles and are naturally good roads enthusiasts. Four miles of new macadam highway were completed this summer.

The majority of the citizens are lending their endeavors toward securing legislation permitting a bond issue, whereby the entire road system may be made ideal as soon as possible.

In order to secure complete details of the building that has been done in the valley this summer, the Glacier sent letters several weeks ago to representative citizens of each district of the Valley, asking each for data for his respective community. While reports have not been received from several localities, the letters that have come in show gratifying progress in building in every section of the fruit growing district.

More than two dozen homes have been erected, or have been begun, in the Odell and Summit districts this summer. The following list of those who have constructed new homes in the Odell community has been submitted by Harry Conaway, secretary of the Odell Development League: J. E. Hunter, Ferguson & Hawthorne, Duckwall Bros. & Sylvester, B. R. Richter, Geo. Galligan, G. E. Bowerman, F. A. Pflugschupp, Ralph Childers, H. May, W. A. E. Bradley, E. G. Hagey, T. M. Mitchell, Mark Cameron, C. R. Masiker, W. P. Kemp, M.

E. Church, Apple Growers' Union warehouse, Mark Cameron, box factory, L. D. Boyel, O. M. DeWitt, Cutler Bros., several new barns and apple houses, more than one mile of sidewalk, two drilled wells, barber shop, electric lights in homes and street, three acres bought by school district for play ground.

Relative to improvements in the Summit district, Geo. T. Prather writes:

In reply to yours of Nov. 22 in regard to improvements for the Summit district for this year is as follows: J. C. Forman one half mile north of Summit has built a new bungalow costing over \$2000, has cleared and set to apple trees about 21 acres. James English is now building a new bungalow costing about \$1500; Edward Wheeler has built a small bungalow and finished clearing the 20 acre tract he bought of Geo. T. Prather. H. Heft bought a three acre tract of Geo. T. Prather south of Summit and has built a small bungalow. J. J. Krommacher bought the Gregory 20 acre one half mile north of Summit and has repaired the house and built several out buildings, and is now clearing land. Geo. T. Prather has built a new barn costing about \$500. D. P. Emery has cleared and set to apple trees about 10 acres. H. K. Davenport has cleared about 20 acres south of Summit; in clearing the land he cut the timber into cord wood and is shipping it from Summit; having about 1500 cords now at Summit ready for shipping. There has been considerable other improvements but in so short notice I have not had time to ascertain what they are and who they are.

The following data from Parkdale and Upper Valley vicinity was furnished by R. J. Melisac:

Mrs. Geo. W. Allen about \$10,000 home completed in March. W. L. Mason; Joe Melquist; L. V. Ross; S. Green; Arthur Putnam; John Putnam; J. S. Harrison; H. S. Burpee; Louis Schell; E. S. Hay; House's, Jim Modifre and R. J. Melisac cottages in Parkdale Township also in addition to the Parkdale school and a new church at Parkdale. Ingram Mero Co. have a new store building half way between Parkdale and Mt. Hood P. O. W. S. Grubbe, a new store building at Mt. Hood P. O.

"Development in the Middle Valley this Summer has been marked," says J. R. Steele. Homes have been built as follows:

W. F. McIlwath and family, of New York, have cleared twelve acres, put three more into strawberries and built a house and barn on the place. George Barr and family, of Greenfield, Indiana, has cleared about fifteen acres and has built a house and barn on the place. Mr. Root, of New York, has cleared about twenty acres and expects to put a hundred acres in trees in the spring; he also expects to build early in the spring.

The following clearing has been done in Middle Valley the past year:

J. R. Steele has cleared twelve acres for G. S. Davis, of Mexico, and three acres for Mr. Ireland, of Portland; he has also cleared six acres for himself and his five acres ready to put into strawberries. C. E. Barnes has cleared ten acres. Robert Walstrom has cleared five acres which he has added to his orchard. O. L. Warden cleared twelve acres. C. J. Calkins cleared twenty acres. Middle Crest Orchard Company, which is composed of several Minneapolis Bankers have cleared eighty acres. Al. Ort Rust has cleared fifteen acres and put fifteen into trees. J. R. Putnam has built a fine house in Middle Valley, also slashed twenty acres and put thirty acres into trees.

A number of beautiful homes have been erected in the city this summer. One of the most handsome and costly of the city residences is that of N. V. Bone on Oak street. The following list of city homes designed by R. R. Bartlett has been submitted by him:

E. Franz, C. H. Bell, L. C. Simms, A. E. Howes and F. E. Newby. Other city homes recently erected are those of A. J. Derby and Fred Larwood.

The homes of the following citizens completed this summer were designed by Albert Sutton: A. W. Peters, E. L. Melain, Homer Rogers, H. F. Gleason and C. P. McCann. Mr. Sutton also completed a very beautiful bungalow for himself on his ranch beyond the Oak Grove region. Two other beautiful homes that have arisen this summer are those of August Paasch and Frank B. Crain, the former, a pioneer orchardist and the latter a new comer, who recently bought a part of the Allen place in the Oak Grove district.

MAYOR RESIGNS AND LEAVES FOR SOUTH

A great surprise was sprung at the Monday evening meeting of the city council, when Mayor E. H. Hartwig handed in his resignation, stating as his reason that he would be away from the city on an extended trip to California. The mayor was not present at the Monday evening meeting and J. M. Wright, president of the council, presided. Mr. Hartwig left the city Monday and proceeded directly to the south, where it is understood that his family will join him soon. He has stated that he will be gone during the winter and his local legal business has been turned over to John Baker.

Strangely coincident with the mayor's resignation was the city election, coming the day after the submission to the council of his resignation, and many are keenly criticizing Mr. Hartwig for not having announced his intentions sooner, so that a mayor could have been elected at the Tuesday municipal elections. The Fire and Water committee reported Monday evening that its members had made an inspection of the Hotel Oregon, which, since the purchase around the building had been removed, required the construction of fire escapes. On the recommendation of the committee three steel fire escapes will be placed on the building, one on the west side running from the top floor, and one on the east side connecting with hallways and extending from the top floor.

Every Eik.

Every Eik in Hood River and the Valley, is requested to be present at a meeting to be held in the Commercial club room Saturday night, December 9. Matters of vital importance to every Eik, Hood River and the valley will be discussed. DON'T FAIL TO BE PRESENT.

CITY VOTERS NUMBER 357

INTEREST TAKEN AT LAST MINUTE

Municipal Election Results in Choice of

Mayes, Robertson, Staten, Stranahan, Henderson and Howe.

Despite the fact that previous to the election but little interest had been manifested voters to the number of 357 visited the polls Tuesday. From the candidates listed by each, the Lower City elected two of its candidates and the Heights two. Those from the former tickets were Edwin Mayes, who received a vote of 229; and E. Robertson, whose vote was 199. The Heights' selections were: A. C. Staten, 213; and James Stranahan, 162. Mr. Robertson, however, was slated on both tickets. Mr. Mayes has held positions of city recorder, beating his opponent, Geo. W. Dimmick, by a single vote. L. A. Henderson, having no opposition, was elected city treasurer by a vote of 247.

Mr. Robertson, who was appointed to the present council in the late Spring to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Councilman H. C. Smith, has held important and responsible positions on the Fire and Water committees and has made an efficient official. His popularity and the respect in which he was held by the citizens of the city was attested by the fact that he was slated on both tickets.

Mr. Mayes has held positions on the city council on several former terms and by conscientious work for the city's betterment made an excellent record. Mr. Mayes is one of the members of the firm of the Transfer & Livery Co.

James Stranahan, who was elected to the single year term, is one of the proprietors of the Fashion Studios.

Mr. Staten has been a resident of the city for a shorter period than any of the newly elected councilmen. However, he has resided in the Valley, where he has been an orchardist for a number of years, and is well versed in city matters. He is at present the proprietor of a grocery and hardware store on the Heights.

Henry L. Howe, the new recorder, has had a great deal of experience in work similar to that of the recorder's office. He was with the United States Land Office for a number of years. Mr. Howe's policies, as a member of the present council have met with the approval of the citizenship.

L. A. Henderson has been connected with municipal affairs during the past summer as special inspector of the work done on sewer. By careful estimates and computation Mr. Henderson secured the completion for the work at a figure much reduced from that of the original estimates.

The old council will hold office until the first of next year and will therefore have the selection of a mayor to succeed Mayor Hartwig, who so suddenly resigned.

The entire vote at Tuesday's election follows:

Two year term on council: Mayes, 229; Staten, 213; Robertson, 199; Gill, 175; Plath, 147.

One year term on council: Stranahan, 162; Hersher, 156.

Treasurer—One year: Henderson, 247.

Recorder—One year: H. L. Howe, 162; Dimmick, 165.

ENJOINERS AGAIN SECURE ORDER

J. F. Bateholder, who from experience has become an authority on temporary restraining orders that is a municipal injunction, is continuing his hobby. His latest production is an injunction, granted by Judge Geo. D. Culbertson, restraining the city from entering into a contract with the Hydro Electric Co. Mr. Bateholder thinks the city fathers should take under their wings the new Hood River Gas & Electric Co. His complaint is based on the fact that the Gas & Electric Co. offer street lights at a much reduced price compared with those of the Hydro concern. His surety is H. F. Davidson.

The order granted by the county judge reads as follows: Upon motion of the plaintiff for a temporary restraining order in the above suit pending the trial of the same, and it appearing to the Court that the plaintiff has duly filed his complaint with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Hood River County, Oregon, and that he is a resident, citizen and taxpayer of the City of Hood River, and that the City threatens and is about to enter into an unlawful contract with the Hydro Electric Company for city lighting at rates one hundred per cent higher than those that the city can obtain at this time, and that a great injury and financial loss will result to the taxpayers of the city of Hood River and the plaintiff if such a contract be entered into, and it appearing from the complaint and from the evidence produced before the Court by plaintiff, that the City Council had abused its discretion in such matter and that this is a proper case for a temporary restraining order to be issued, and the Court being fully advised in the premises, it is ordered that the City of Hood River and E. H. Hartwig, Mayor, and H. B. Langille, Recorder, and Chas. T. Early, J. M. Wright, L. H. Higgins, J. E. Robertson, Harry L. Howe, and Dr. F. C. Brosius, members of the Council of the City of Hood River, be and each of them is hereby restrained from entering into such or any contract with the Hydro Electric Company, and they are so restrained until this suit can be regularly heard and until further order of the Circuit Court, the plaintiff having this day filed with the Clerk of the above Circuit Court his bond approved by me.

Geo. D. Culbertson, County Judge.

M. E. Church Services.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Themes, morning, "The Question of an Ancient Philosopher," or, "A Man Die, Shall He Live Again?" evening, "What Is In Thy Hand?" Junior League at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

All are cordially invited to attend these services. Strangers will be made welcome. W. E. Young, Pastor.