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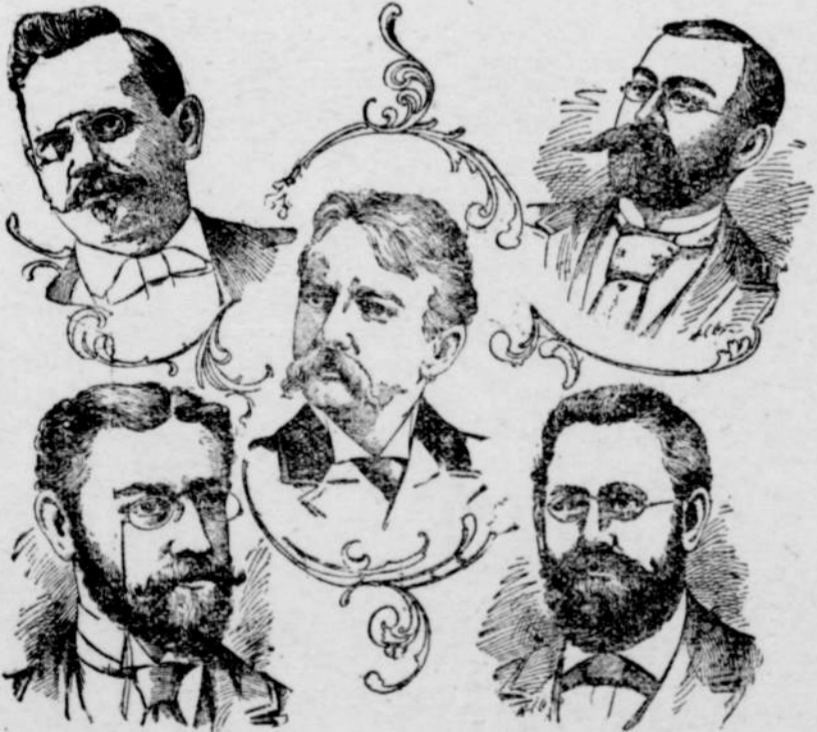
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### ROADS AND ROAD SUPERVISORS.

Now that the road overseers are to be elected by the people, it is to be hoped that the men with the most engineering ability will be placed in that position, for to judge by the condition of the roads at the present time, the showing is that common sense work has not been applied in very many places, for instance, corduroying, which instead of presenting a smooth surface is laid down so as to have all the rough sides of the rails uppermost, to give a blacksmith all the work possible, and a doctor, for treatment of nervous shocks to the systems of the delicate travelers. Again, the disgraceful way of draining the highways, which means, properly applied, road work two-thirds done. Many are the places where drainage is not considered at all, and the water stands all the winter in pools, to soak under the road when the perfect means to drainage is a stone's throw away. If the water is to be taken across a farmer's land, tiles of sufficient dimensions should be furnished by the county, so that he need not lose the use of his land for the accommodation of the public. There is too much of that work done in this country, and it is time it is stopped by the voice of the agriculturist. Many are the places I have seen, subject to such a system. Land does not yield such prolific crops that the farmer can stand the loss that way, besides the heavy burden of taxation, and the further toil of dragging his team through a mudhole in front of his property.

Again, when gravel or rock is to be applied it should be laid down evenly and heavy where the wheels run; if only one track is made. The proper way to do it is to plow a furrow the proper width of the wheels and fill in with rock or gravel, then it will not be cutting through to the soil before the winter season is over. Then a light application of rock, or gravel, which is best, every spring, will make a good road.

Again, the railroad should be employed to dump gravel at the most convenient places, or switch off gravel cars to be emptied at once, so that hauling would be but a short distance of 3 or 4 miles. Roads should be overlooked in the winter so that no place is allowed to get bad, as that interferes with the travel and gives ten times the amount of work to repair in the spring. Rather than let work go undone, extra call should be made in the vicinity and the work go on the next year's assessment.

There is no excuse for such disgraceful road as that in the vicinity of Baker creek on Carlton road, which has really been impassable, but the farming community has been compelled to travel it, when a week's extra work would have made traveling a pleasure.

The city of Independence has always had pride enough to keep her roads in good order on either side of the place, and at the expense of the merchants often. 'Tis true she has the material right at hand; McMinnville ought to have the same pride, as an inducement and a return for the patronage she expects from the surrounding country.

Gravel could be brought by cars to St. Joe and the city, or other convenient places, or crushed rock hauled to convenient spots for winter use. Snowdrifts of gravel might be brought up the river as soon as the lock is completed, and the application of such material at the right season saves an immense amount of time and labor, as when not applied.

There is no necessity for chuck holes such as we have on either side of the city. Thirty years ago the roads were as good as many places at the present time, and there is at least one-half more population and should be more labor. Convict labor should be continually applied to all the main roads, which will allow for citizen work applied on bye and cross roads. Thirty-three years of experience on Oregon roads induces the writer to contribute his say in behalf of our road system, and nearly the same experience on macadam roads, which I am confident do not cost so much time and labor as our present system—all because some man is put on who has not the ability for such work, and who has such large districts to oversee—the greatest of all mistakes. In Minnesota, I am told, four miles is the extent of his supervision and his time goes on the payment of his taxes. He has not to ride half his time to warn out the help, and then travel so much to see if the work is going on all right. If two days are not sufficient call, then three days should be the law. A man would rather work his tax than pay in money, providing he is not well able to do so. In Norway every man works the road in front of his land, and has to work it according to the law, or it is not accepted. It might be the means of dividing up these big farms in this country. The result would be more people.

Yours,  
WEBFOOT.

### A Warning to Boys.

McMINNVILLE, OREGON, March 20th, 1899.

EDITOR REPORTER: In the last issue of your paper I notice an item in regard to mischievous boys killing birds with air guns, and would like to call the boy's attention to the following provisions of the statutes of this state relating to such acts:

"Every person who shall, within the state of Oregon after the passage of this act, for any purpose injure, take, kill or destroy, or have in his possession, except for breeding purposes, sell or offer for sale any nightingale, skylark, black thrush, gray singing thrush, linnet, goldfinch, greenfinch, chaffinch, bullfinch, red-breasted European robin, black starling, grosbeak, Oregon robin or meadow lark or mocking bird, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

"Every person who shall within the state of Oregon at any time after the passage of this act, destroy or remove from the nest of any nightingale, skylark, black thrush, gray singing thrush, linnet, goldfinch, greenfinch, chaffinch, bullfinch, red-breasted European robin, black starling, grosbeak or mocking bird, any egg or eggs of such bird, or have in possession, sell or offer for sale any such egg or eggs, or willfully destroy the nest of any such birds, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars and not more than two hundred dollars, or imprisonment in the county jail of the county not less than three months, or both said fine and imprisonment. That one-half of the fine imposed and collected in money, shall be paid to the informer and the rest to the treasurer of the county."

The game warden of the state has numerous deputies scattered all over the country, whose duty it is to report any violation of this or any other section of the game law, and the district attorney will take great pleasure in prosecuting any reported violations. Boys, be very careful.

C. W. TALMAGE.

### From the Newberg Graphic.

Last week Lin Parker sold his stock of shoes and hats to Sutton, Calkins & Co., and then bought Wm. Clemenson's interest in the stock of the above named firm. President Newlin arrived in New York city last Saturday on his way home from England, and he is expected to arrive in Newberg some time the first of next week with his family. They have been away since last July, and they will be given a warm welcome on their arrival home. John I. Hadley of Springbrook says that he finds that his early varieties of peaches were damaged but little by the freeze, and he has a good prospect so far for a crop. The Crawfords suffered the worst. The writer has a peach tree in town that shows a number of live buds, so it seems that the peach buds are not all killed. Hon. Clarence Butt says it was the intention of the Yamhill delegation in the legislature to have Yamhill county placed on the list of counties that was exempted from the bicycle tax, and they thought such action was taken, but owing to the confusion incident to the closing hours of the session it seems that Yamhill was listed with the other counties. A bicycle tax for building bike paths in this county would be money thrown away, and it is likely that the county court will not order the assessment made. In a community not many miles from Newberg where a minister has been giving his services free as an expounder of the gospel for some time, the good people who were met together recently, after having decided that it would be the proper thing to make a donation to the minister by way of showing their appreciation of his services in their behalf, were discussing the question as to what would be the best thing they could choose to present to him, when a good sister of practical turn of mind suggested that a new set of store teeth would be the proper thing. Who says that this is not a progressive age? Now the usual thing in such cases is to give the preacher a bible, although he may have a half dozen good ones in stock, but here was a sister who was able to grasp the situation and suggest something that it is necessary for every minister to have, for the chicken is sometimes a little aged and inclined to be tough.

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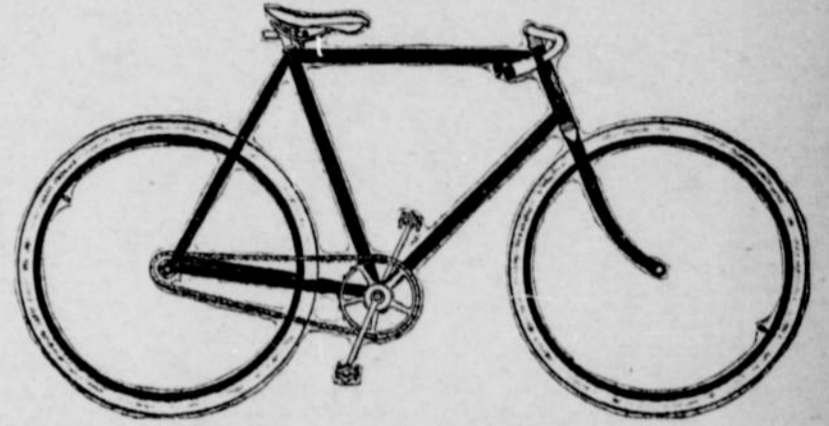
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