

# GOOD ROADS WORK

## County Court and Officials Promoting the Cause

### New Machinery and New Methods Will be Introduced in Several Sections

County Judge Scott, accompanied by Commissioner Miley and County Road Overseer McCorkle spent several days last week in the Silverton and Scotts Mills country. He reports considerable progress in the matter of rock road building. They visited the power plant above Silverton, and find that there is much enthusiasm for a good road in that neighborhood. About \$650 has been raised, and this will be increased to \$1000 or more for the construction of a crushed rock road leading east from the old Irwin mill. The county, in a case of this kind, will contribute its share, aside from furnishing the machinery, and thus assisting in making a permanent improvement that will be an everlasting benefit to the community.

They also visited Scotts Mills, where about \$2300 has been raised toward the construction of a crushed rock road, leading west to Mt. Angel. The people of the latter place have pledged themselves to build half of this road, and thus connect the two towns with a first-class highway, which will be passable at all times of the year.

The official party has also visited North Howell Prairie and examined a contested road matter. When the necessary information has been secured and laid before the court, this case will be adjusted.

County Judge Scott feels that the public sentiment for crushed rock roads is rapidly increasing, and that the more progressive parts of the county are sure to take the matter up and make a push all along the line for better conditions in this respect. The piece of fine road leading to Liberty, south of Salem, is attracting wide attention, and, as an object-lesson, is well worth all its cost. This will be the ultimate means of inducing other sections of the county to do similar work, and the contagion for good roads seems to be spreading everywhere.

The Good Roads League of Jefferson, has recently made a request for a grader, and, inasmuch as they are taking advance steps in that neighborhood in the matter of permanent

road improvement, the county court has decided to place a grader at the disposal of the people in the Jefferson and Marion neighborhood.

## PERSONALS

Geo. H. Irwin is in Portland for the day.

Jas. Linn went to Portland this morning.

Nelson Erie, of Silverton, was in town today.

Attorney J. A. Carson is in Portland on a business trip.

Walter Whalen has gone to spend a few weeks in California.

Henry Rice, The Journal agent at Silverton, is in town today.

Ed. C. Hogue, of Albany, is visiting with friends in this city.

Henry Downing, president of the state fair board, was in town today.

Prof. Parvin has gone to Albany to spend two days with his music class.

Thos. Cornelius went to Marion today to look after his cord wood crop.

Miss Gladys Farrar and Miss Ethel Palmer went to Portland this morning.

Mrs. Anna Parker and Mrs. Bessie Rolfe, of Albany, are visiting Salem friends.

Rev. Murphy, of St. Joseph's church, went to Jefferson to answer a sick call today.

Henry Schultz has gone to Astoria to take a position in a house furnishing establishment.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnson have returned from a week's visit at Moscow and other points.

Fred Richter left today for Gervais, where he will run an engine in a saw-mill for Clemens & Simeral.

Miss Lou Goode has returned to Stayton, where she has a position as teacher in the public schools.

Thos. Barr went to Albany today to confer with Architect Burggraf about a new building contract at Ashland.

Secretary of State Dunbar and Treasurer Moore went to Oregon City today on business before the land office.

Miss Bessie Schultz, of The Journal counting room, is taking a vacation at Portland and South Bend, Wash.

Miss Rebecca Smith, deputy state commander of the Ladies of the Macabees, went to Stayton today on lodge business.

G. M. Staples, one of the leading farmers of the Turner neighborhood, returned home today after spending a few days in Salem.

Mrs. O. Neelands and son and Miss Clara McDermott returned this morning from an over-Sunday visit with Albany relatives and friends.

Among those going to Portland this morning to attend the Democratic convention were P. H. D'Arcy, J. A. Jeffrey, W. J. White and D. J. Fry.

Mrs. Frank M. Jordan, of Seattle accompanied by her daughter, Helen H. Jordan, is visiting at the home of Mrs. H. W. Meyers, on State street.

Ray Parvin has a beautiful oil painting of Mt. Shasta on exhibition at the House Furnishing Co. It is in a \$50 frame, and is worth about \$200.

George Collins has sold his 30-acre lot on the Garden Road to a man from Nebraska, who will take possession about May 1st. George will move back to Salem.

Andrew S. Frink and wife, of Dallas, spent Sunday at Salem, on their way to St. Paul, where Mr. Frink will conduct a lumber yard for the W. W. Johnson Lumber Co.

Dr. Keltly, son of Hon. J. D. Keltly, of Polk county, has opened a dental office over the White House restaurant. He expects later to move into the new Breyman building.

South Salem Personals.

Mrs. S. C. Kightlinger left Saturday for a few weeks' visit in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy, of Albany, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Armstrong, in South Salem.

Mrs. Allen Nye and daughter are spending a few days with relatives in Independence.

C. A. Vane, of Portland, was a South Salem visitor Sunday.

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## RAGLANS ARE AT WORK

### Two Games Go a Long Way to Determine Lineup of the Team

The baseball season has opened, and the fans are in high glee. The two games of Saturday and Sunday started the sluggish blood moving, and for the next five months the ability of various players will be the subject of many an argument.

The game on Saturday was a fairly good exhibition of the national sport, considering the condition of the players, and a number of pretty plays were made. The final score was 11 to 8 in favor of the O'Hooligans.

The Sunday game was attended by over 400 people, but, from a baseball standpoint, was not up to the game of the previous day. The weather was cold and clammy, and rain threatened to fall at any minute, so the players could hardly warm up to rapid playing. Buff Lucas made good as usual in the box, and Calif was also in good form.

"Slats" Taylor, recently of the Spokane Nationals, lacked control, but this was the first time that he had been on the diamond this year. It is too early to judge of his strength. Sues and Wilkins, the two catchers, played fine ball, and good-naturedly took the joshing of the small boys, with their regular "Teabo would have got it" yell.

Downie at second, Rupert in center field and Nehring at first were always there. With one or two exceptions the entire line-up was made of good stuff, and with a few weeks' hard practice, the Raglans will be up and doing.

### Court House News.

John Spaniol has been appointed guardian of Ottomar Luettich. The latter has property in the county valued at \$1000, but left several months ago for other parts of the world, and has not been heard of since. He is supposed to be in South America.

The appraisers of the estate of Jane Leonard, deceased, filed their inventory today. The estate consists of real estate valued at \$4200 and personal property at \$260.

Thomas William Hall, a native of Great Britain, renounced his allegiance to King Edward VII today.

Marriage license was issued today to Nelson Erie and Mrs. Isabel Ribble, both of Silverton. The couple will be married at that place tonight.

G. L. Seward has sold 1 1/2 acres of land to J. L. Larsen for \$290.

S. Buck sold part of block 24 in Hubbard to T. H. Sconce for \$200.

### Arrested for Assault.

Late Saturday afternoon Harvey Walker was arrested for assault and battery committed on the person of Ernest Martin. He was arraigned at 5 o'clock in Justice Horgan's court, and the trial set for Tuesday morning. The parties live north of this city, and are farmers.

### The Oriental Wonder.

Of all the delicacies of the world none is more enjoyable than a rare cigar at the right time. Aug. Huchenstein's Tashmoo is meeting this demand to perfection.

## FAILED TO PAY BILLS

### Colvin Lester Tried to Play Sympathy Dodge but It Did Not Work

Judge Judah sentenced Calvin Lester, who has been in the hands of the law at various times before, to 20 days in the city jail this morning because Lester told him a lie. The fellow swore out a warrant several days ago against a resident of North Salem on a charge of assault and battery, but the court did not think his story was very straight, and, after considering the evidence, extended him a cordial invitation to make himself scarce around the municipality.

Saturday evening found Lester back in the city, and the police took him in tow. A vagrancy charge was lodged against him, but the court felt like letting him move on again, and suspended sentence. Before releasing him, the judge asked him what brought him to town, and he replied that he came over to settle up a few bills which he owed around town.

Such an admirable spirit touched the tender spot in the heart of the court, and he grew sympathetic. He pondered over the manly instincts possessed by the poor fellow before him, and "Doc" Gibson intimates that his honor even shed a few gentle, soul-touching drops of eye fluid, as he contemplated the injustice that he was about to do this noble fellow. The judge, however, did not allow his better judgment to be submerged, and he told the chief to telephone over to Landlord Berry, of the Salem hotel, who was one of the creditors. Lester owed him some back board, and, although he told the court he had settled it Saturday evening, the proprietor promptly denied it, and the sympathetic streak suddenly turned cold and warlike, with the result heretofore stated. Lester is said to be an ex-convict, and generally a worthless character.

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