

BUILDING FOR YEAR BELOW THE AVERAGE

During the past summer building activity was comparatively quiet, and in fact is considered by many to have been exceptionally dull, the total only amounting to \$69,050.

house at 111 Chemeketa street; to be built by A. J. Anderson; cost, \$450.
C. Hughes—A one-story frame dwelling at 1155 North Fifteenth street; to be built by owner; cost, \$1,000.
F. S. Gilbert—A two-story frame residence at 195 South Twenty-third street; to be built by day work; cost, \$1,600.
G. F. Harrington—A one-story frame residence at 815 North Twentieth street; to be built by day labor; cost, \$1,000.
Mrs. Kate Watt—A one-story bungalow at 1363 Chemeketa street; to be built by C. O. Presnall; cost, \$1,000.
William Plumming—A dwelling house at 1595 Baginaw street; to be built by day labor; cost, \$500.
J. J. Krappe—A two-story frame residence at 1310 South Thirteenth street; to be built by day work; cost, \$4,000.
Paul Hauser—A two-story frame residence at 925 Baginaw street; to be built by P. R. Dickson; cost, \$2,500.
D. H. Ferrell—One-story frame building at 805 North Twenty-second street; to be built by McLeod & Presnall.
W. L. Needham—A one-story frame dwelling at 963 North Church street; to be built by H. G. Carl; cost, \$1,800.
H. D. Tatman—A one-story building

at 1120 South Fourteenth street; to be built by owner at a cost of \$1,200.
J. T. Talent—A residence at 1295 South Twelfth street; to be built by day labor at a cost of \$250.
Mamie A. Evans—To alter and repair a residence at 1014 Mill street; to be repaired by Olinger & Colbath at a cost of \$750.
Geo. F. Rodgers—A two-story brick building located at the corner of High and Ferry streets; to be built by C. Van Patton at a cost of \$30,000.
German Reform Bethany Church—A frame building or church at 395 North Capital street; to be built by A. W. Auderegg at a cost of \$7,500.
T. Campbell—A 1½-story building at 1325 Court street; to be built by F. A. Anderson; cost, \$1,200.
H. A. Loomis—A one-story frame dwelling at 240 Miller street; to be built by Wool & Son at a cost of \$1,300.
William Nader—A one-story frame dwelling at 705 North Twentieth street; to be built by Goodwin; cost, \$1,800.
Floyd Farmer—A one-story building at 240 Wilbon street; to be built by H. Nelderstrom; cost, \$2,500.
J. G. Ware—A residence at 1239 south High street; to be built by owner; cost, \$300.
D. J. Purvine—A two-story frame residence at 1765 South Commercial street; to be built by day labor; cost, \$2,000.
A. T. Scamster—A one-story frame residence at 765 North Twenty-first street; to be done by day work; cost, \$1,300.
C. S. Baker—A one-story frame dwelling at 1290 North Winter street, between Market and Baines, to be built by owner; cost, \$800.
Jones and Lewis—A one-story office building and cutting plant at 2210 South Commercial street and 203 Hoyt street; to be built by day labor; cost, \$1,500.
Hunt Bros.—A one-story frame warehouse on lot 1, block 1, Smith's Addition; to be built by A. J. Anderson; cost, \$3,500.

GENERAL COVENTION CALLED IN MEXICO
President Carranza Sets October First as Day for Meeting of Leaders to Fix Day for General Election.
Mexico, City, Sept. 5.—In accordance with the plan of Guadalupe and the compact of Torreon, Provisional President Carranza has fixed October 1 as the date for calling a general convention. Governors of the various Mexican states, military commanders and one delegate for every thousand men under arms, will meet here to name the day for the general election and decide upon reforms.
A council of war, it was also announced, has been called to sift charges against former President Huerta with the view of gathering evidence upon which to base extradition proceedings. Huerta is at Santander, Spain.

MORE PAVING FOR CITY OF INDEPENDENCE

(Capital Journal Special Service.)
Independence, Ore., Sept. 3.—The city council met in regular session last night and asked that ordinances for paving the lower end of C street and one block on 6th street be brought in. Petitions for both of these districts were brought in at the last meeting but were not acted upon. At the present time there are 25 blocks of hard-surface paving either laid or being laid. This makes this city the most paved city of its size on the Pacific coast.
This city is to have a new store. A party from Sheridan is to open the store and it is to be a general merchandise establishment. The lower floor of the old hotel building on the corner of C and 2nd streets is being remodeled and the store will be opened to the public next week.
J. S. Cooper went to Corvallis today to look after his hop yard below that city.

Dr. George Dunham, a former student of the Willamette University Medical college before its absorption by the University of Oregon Medical college, was a visitor in this city yesterday.
Mrs. Fred Erickson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rinehart, of Salem, motored to this city yesterday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Jr. Mrs. C. E. Holloway returned with them in the evening.
A large building on First street, formerly occupied by the steam laundry, has been repaired and remodeled and is now in shape for use. It is not expected to remain empty for very long.
Word was received here today of the death of Dr. Francis Richardson at his home in Fallon, Nevada. Mr. Richardson was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Nellie Graves, of this city. Blood poison was the cause of his death. He was state veterinarian of the state of Nevada.
Word was received here today that Prof. T. J. Newbill, principal of the Arleta school in Portland, had been engaged as specialist in charge of the boys' and girls' club work in agriculture at the Washington State Agricultural college at Pullman, Washington. Mr. Newbill was principal of the schools in this city for a number of years. He later was elected to the principalship of the Woodlawn school in Portland. While there he instituted the school garden work and his school received first prize in the school garden all of the time he was there. This year he was transferred to the Arleta school and they received first prize for the first year gardens. Mrs. Newbill and children are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paddock in this city before going to join Mr. Newbill at Pullman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Craven returned to their home in Monmouth the first of the week from an automobile trip to southern Oregon. Mr. Craven claims that he got a two-point buck while gone.
The grain threshing in this part of the valley has been completed. The crop was a little light. Thos. Hart, of this city, has returned and stored his threshers. He reports there was not as much work this year as formerly.
Pickers began work in the L. Damon hop yard this morning. This yard is inside the city limits, being near the bridge leading to the river. A large number of onlookers were on the bridge all day watching the progress of the work.

CHINESE MERCHANT MISSING.

San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Fong Kim Chung, proprietor of a large Chinese bazaar here, was mysteriously missing today and his business associates feared he had met with foul play. He was unassociated, his friends said, with any political clique but it was thought his habit of carrying large sums of money on his person might have furnished a motive for his murder.

MAPS SHOW WATER POWER POSSIBILITIES

Profile and topographic maps showing water power possibilities of Deschutes and Hood rivers have been made by the state and the United States geological survey acting in co-operation. A limited supply is available for free distribution to those who have actual use for this information, upon application to John H. Lewis, state engineer, Salem, Oregon. Similar surveys will be completed this season so that the public will have definite information as to the water power possibilities of Sandy, Clackamas, Santiam, McKenzie and Middle Fork of Willamette rivers.
Deschutes river is mapped for 217 miles from its mouth to Fringe Falls. The information is shown on 14 separate sheets and includes five foot contours for the Beahm Falls reservoir site, 36 miles in length, at the head of the stream.
Hood River is mapped to the old toll bridge on East Fork, 20 miles above its mouth. Several miles along west and middle forks are included on the three sheets now available for distribution.

SOUND COUNTRY HAS TOUCH OF EARTHQUAKE

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 3.—A slight earthquake shock was felt in Seattle and vicinity at 1:35 o'clock this morning. Dishes rattled and buildings rocked slightly, many persons were awakened from sleep. So far as known no damage was done.
Reports from islands in the sound tell of the tremor being felt.
Tacoma is reported to have felt it, where it was somewhat severe. Big buildings in the business district are said to have rocked noticeably.
Because it was so slight, the University of Washington seismograph recorded the vibrations only vaguely.

PROGRAM FOR LABOR DAY AT RICKREALL

The special committee for the Labor day picnic to be given at Rickreall Monday, September 7, announce the following program:
Special train leaves the Southern Pacific depot at 8:45 a. m. sharp; Commercial and Union streets at 9 a. m. Everything points to a large attendance.
Speaking and the musical part of the program will take place as early as possible after the crowd arrives at the grounds. Gus W. Kramer will act as chairman of the day.
The morning program will be a following:
O. C. Miles, chairman of music committee.
Music.
Address—Mayor B. L. Steeves.
Song—George Snyder.
Address—Hon. Will H. Daly, of Portland.
Music.
Address—Rev. Dr. Richard F. Fischer.
Song—George Snyder.
The picnic lunch will then follow.
In the afternoon the following sports will be offered:
Program of Events.
B. F. Brown, chairman of sporting committees.
First—Baseball game, J. O. Humphreys, chairman; M. D. Pilkenton and P. W. Jones, captains of opposing teams.
Second—Three-legged race, 50 yards. Union men's 50-yard dash. Married women's 25-yard race. Potato and spoon race. C. LeRoy Brown, chairman.
Third—Fat man's race, 50 yards; free for all 50-yard dash; girls' 25-yard race, age 14 to 18; ladies' board-sawing and nail-driving contest. E. G. Burrell, chairman.
Fourth—Boys' 25-yard race, age 6 to 10; children's race, age 3 to 6; tug-of-war between unions; 50-yard sack race.
Fifth—Mixing contest, no square; boys' 25-yard dash, ages 10 to 16; horseshoe pitching contest; watermelon-eating contest. James Smith, Jr., chairman.
The Building Trades Council will serve all with sandwiches, ice cream, soft drinks and tobaccos at Salem prices. Admission to grounds will be free to all, and everyone is invited.
Art Artis and Fred Gable will be marshals of the day.

THE MARKETS
LOCAL WHOLESALE MARKETS.
Hay, timothy \$11.00
Clover, per ton \$7.00
Oats and vetch 8.00
Wheat, per bushel 93c
Barley, per ton \$28.00
Oats, per bushel 40c
Chittim bark, per lb. 4½¢@5c
Potatoes, per cwt. 1.00
Butter and Eggs.
Butterfat, per lb. 34c
Creamery butter, per lb. 35c
Eggs 25c
Poultry.
Hens, per lb. 10c
Roasters, per lb. 6c
Fryers 11c
Steers.
Cows, per cwt. 5½¢@6c
Hogs, fat, per lb. 7½¢@8½¢
Stock hogs, per lb. 7c
Ewes, per lb. 3½¢
Spring lambs, per lb. 4½¢@5c
Veal, first class 13c
Pork.
Dry, per lb 8c
Salted country pork, each 65¢@81¢
Lamb porks, each 25c
PORTLAND MARKETS.
Portland, Sept. 5.—Wheat, club 97½¢; Bluestem, \$1.11.
Oats, No. 1 white feed \$28.
Barley, brewing \$25; feed \$24.
Hogs, best live \$9.25.
Prime steers \$7.
Fancy cows \$3.75@4.00; best calves \$8.25; spring lambs 35¢.
Butter, city creamery 35¢.
Eggs, selected local extras 32¢.
Hens 13¢; broilers 13½¢; geese 10¢.
SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.
San Francisco, Sept. 5.—Wheat (spot) California club \$1.75@1.77½; Russian Red \$1.72½@1.75; Forty Fold \$1.72½@1.75; Turkey Red \$1.85@2; Bluestem \$2.00@2.10 per cwt.
Barley, feed \$1.15@1.20.
Eggs, extras, 37¢; quills 33½¢; California storage extras 30¢.
Butter, extras 32¢; prime firsts 23½¢; firsts 27¢; seconds 24¢.
Cheese, California fancy, 14½¢; firsts 12½¢; seconds 10½¢.

To the Voting Men and Women of Oregon



Here is a question of vital importance for your solution.
A law proposed for the regulation of the practice of dentistry in this state will be on the ballot at the November election.

Under this new law, any capable, reputable dentist who is a graduate of a dental college of recognized standing can practice dentistry in Oregon by filing a copy of his diploma with the affidavit of two citizens of the state, testifying to his good moral character. I present this law to the voters of Oregon in the interest of a much-needed reform. In five days I secured 17,190 names to the petitions for this proposed new law.

The law as it stands now is a menace to the public welfare—because it makes Czars of the board of dental examiners who are the servile creatures of the ethical dental trust:

Because this trust seeks to keep out of the state any dentists who will not join it in pilfering the public; Because the ethical dental trust is trying to keep the public in ignorance as to the cost of dentistry and is charging the people exorbitant prices for a poor class of work.

When I came before the Oregon Dental Board for examination, the members of the board knew me and they deliberately denied me a license. They knew I would give the ethical dental trust the hardest competition it has ever had, and they thought that by branding me an incompetent and a "quack" they could drive me out of the state, as they have done scores of other dentists.

But I did not run. I determined to stay and fight. I am confident that I know as much dentistry as any member of the ethical dental trust, and I have forgotten more about dentistry than lots of them know. I am a graduate of the Philadelphia Dental College, one of the best known and second oldest dental schools in America. I have practiced dentistry for nearly twenty-five years. I am now licensed to practice in the state of New York, Maine, Pennsylvania, Illinois, California and in Canada.

Do you believe that if I were incompetent and a "quack" that I could procure a license in these states? Doesn't that show you that I am a competent dentist and that the Oregon Dental Board is simply trying to destroy me because I won't join their so-called ethical clique?

I have faith in the fair-mindedness of the people of Oregon. I don't believe they want to give special privileges to any clique or class of men.

I charge the dental trust of Oregon with being an organization in restraint of trade, for the reason that it seeks to prevent competition and keeps other dentists out of the state; I charge it with being un-American, because it is opposed to fair play;

I charge it with being a detriment to the public health, because it is using obsolete methods in the practice of dentistry and is breeding dangerous drug habits by using cocaine and arsenic.

Four months ago I opened a dental office in the City of Portland, containing fourteen chairs. Soon thereafter I was compelled to put in two more, and now I am enlarging my office so that I can put in four additional chairs, making twenty in all. I have the largest practice of any dentist in Portland, and the ethical dental trust knew that I would soon have the largest practice here, because the same thing has resulted in every city in which I have established an office. That is the real reason why they wanted to put me out of business here.

Every dentist in my office in Portland is a graduate of experience and has been given a license to practice by this Oregon board before; it was known that they were a part of the Painless Parker organization. Nearly every one of them had to come here as strangers to take the examination. If it had been known that they were to work for me, the board would have refused them a license, as it refused me a license.

Do you believe that to make a success of your business is a crime? Should I be branded a quack and run out of Oregon simply because I am a successful dentist? If I have evolved newer and better methods of taking care of your teeth, should I not be entitled to do the work and should you not have an opportunity of having me do the work?

If the ethical dental trust is a good thing, why does it not come out in the open and show why and how it is a "good trust"? Calling me names and trying to drive me out of the state doesn't prove anything, nor does it show that the dental trust is a patriotic organization.

I have established an office on the second floor of the Merchants Trust building, corner of Sixth and Washington streets. I have here competent and finely equipped dental specialists, who use the most scientific methods known to dentistry. Neither cocaine nor arsenic is used in my office, yet all of our dentistry is done without pain. We give the best of dentistry at a reasonable price, and guarantee our work to be satisfactory.

It is up to the voters of Oregon to say whether this Oregon dental trust, which has control of the dental board of the state, shall be permitted to continue to brand capable dentists as quacks and charlatans and refuse them a license to practice in this state. Think it over and vote right.

Dr. Parker will deliver a free lecture in Salem, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 8 and 9, at 8 p. m., at the corner of State and Commercial streets. These lectures are important to those who want good teeth and is especially important to mothers who desire the health of their children and want to see their mouths ornamented with perfect teeth. He tells how to care for them.

Your health depends as much on your teeth as upon your stomach. You are personally interested in Dr. Parker's lecture. Hear him.

Respectfully yours,
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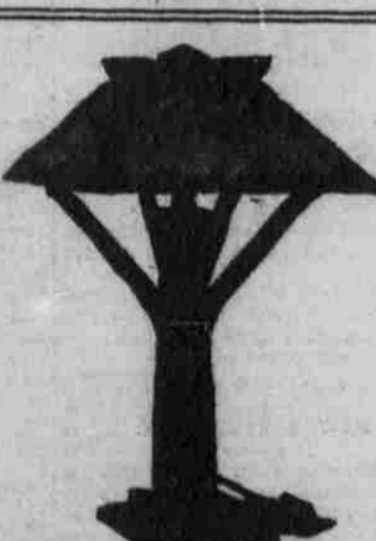
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